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STATE ALLOTS \$32,500 FOR HIGHWAY 16

HARD SURFACE TO BE EXTENDED 5 MILES FROM END OF PRESENT CONSTRUCTED SECTION ROAD

F. F. A. TOURNEY WILL BE HELD HERE SATURDAY

State Highway Board Makes Appropriation Wednesday

The hard surface on State Highway 16 south of Crowell will be extended to a point five miles south of the present constructed section as the result of a \$32,500 appropriation by the State Highway Commission Wednesday morning for this work, according to a telegram received from Judge Claude Callaway, who met with the commission in Austin Wednesday morning at 9.

When completed the hard surface will extend to a point about one mile south of the Foard City road to the edge of the breaks, and will cover the section of the road that is practically impassable in wet weather. There will be a strip of approximately three and one-half miles that will remain un-surfaced to the Wichita River, which is the county line, but this road can be easily travelled during bad weather conditions.

According to the telegram, this will be a contract job and will have no connection with the relief agencies. Work will be started just as soon as the necessary plans and arrangements can be made.

Local Project Show Set for Saturday, March 5

The annual district F. F. A. basketball tournament will be held in the Crowell High School gymnasium Saturday, Jan. 15, according to arrangements made by members of the local chapter at their regular meeting Monday night.

Play will start Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and will continue throughout the day, with the championship tilt being held in the latter part of the afternoon. A trophy will be awarded to the winner.

Invitations have been sent out to all the Vocational Agriculture teams in this district, which are: Quannah, Burkburnett, Chillicothe, Archer City, Harold and Westover. Including Crowell, there are seven teams expected to compete in the tourney.

Project Show

The date for the local project show was set for Saturday, March 5, but the exact location has not yet been determined. The Crowell F. F. A. boys have been working toward this show since the school started in September and many excellent displays will be made by them on March 5.

Members of the chapter discussed other projects, such as a debate team, poultry team, and

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Postal Receipts for Past Year Show 8% Increase Over 1936

The postal receipts for 1937 showed an increase of eight per cent over the receipts of 1936. The receipts for the past year totaled \$8,237.44, or \$653.68 over the \$7,583.76 total of 1936.

Receipts for the first half of 1937 showed a decrease of \$133.68 as the total for that period was \$3,822.96 and that of the first half of 1936 was \$3,956.64. The second half of this year's total was \$787.36 more than the \$3,627.12 total for the same period in 1936 to give 1937 a total increase of eight per cent.

Crowell Juniors Plaster Young Hornets, 14 - 7

Crowell High School's juniors plastered the juniors from Harold by a score of 14 to 7 in a fast, rough and tumble scrap here that produced the thrills of a senior game Tuesday night in the high school gymnasium.

The non-tall cagers seemed to have difficulty in shoving the ball to the level of the goal but their floor work was fast and during lenient moments on the part of the referee, the contest was practically turned into a good clean scrap, much to the enjoyment of all concerned, including the fans.

Both teams presented defenses that made basket shooting extremely difficult. At times it seemed as though the guards thought the best defense for shooting was a well-placed "haymaker." The junior games are fast gaining the favor of the fans as their games are being billed with the high school tilts when games can be matched.

Brown was high point man for the Crowell minors with 6 points and Andrews and Williams tied for second with 4 tallies each. Russell and Crosnoe matched the offensive play of the above trio with the defensive work.

The starting line-ups follow: Crowell—Andrews and Brown, forwards; Williams, center; Russell and Crosnoe, guards. Harold—Richardson and Hallmark, forwards; Hutchins, c; Houtchens and Rogers, g.

Substitutions: Crowell—Flesher for Brown; Wells for Crosnoe. Harold—Weatherby for Hutchins.

Commission's Order

The order passed by the State Highway Commission Wednesday morning and sent to The News by Judge Callaway, is as follows:

"Be it ordered by the State Highway Commission that the amount of \$32,500 be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the construction of approximately five miles of highway No. 16, in the south portion of Foard County, said approximate five miles being the distance necessary from the end of the present constructed section of highway No. 16, over the black clay soil, to the section where the soil of highway No. 16 is red clay. Be it further ordered that the state highway engineer be, and is hereby directed to take the necessary steps for the preparation of plans and awarding of contract for this project."

This hard surface will probably consist of two five-inch gravel courses and will be the same type surface as is on the road from Crowell to Beaver Creek.

PRECIPITATION RECORD OF 1938 ABOVE AVERAGE

Total of 28.61 Inches Recorded During Past Year

With a total of 28.61 inches of rain, the year of 1937 had more moisture than any in the past 11 years, or since 1926 when over thirty inches of rain was received. This mark is 9.46 inches above that of 1936, which was 18.97 inches and the least received since 1928.

The precipitation was more evenly distributed throughout; the twelve months than in 1936. There were only two months, February and July, during the past year that there was not enough rain or snow fell to measure, as compared with six dry months in 1936.

The month of March holds the record for 1937 with 6.20 inches and June was a close second with 5.43 inches. Months in which over four inches of precipitation was recorded are August, 4.82, and October, 4.80. Others are as follows: January, .25; April, 1.07; May, 2.35; September, 2.55; November, .49; December, .65.

The year of 1919 holds the record with 39.49 inches of precipitation and there have only been three years in which over thirty inches were recorded. Nine years in the past 23 years, the totals have ranged between 25 and 30 inches. Only 11.24 inches were received in 1914 and the remainder have been near the 20 and 25 inch mark.

FORMAL OPENING OF SCHOOL BUILDING TO BE HELD MONDAY NIGHT AT MEETING OF P. T. A.

Citizenship of Foard County Invited to Attend

Members' night will be observed on Monday, Jan. 10, at 7 o'clock in the school auditorium in connection with the formal opening of Crowell's new grammar school building.

Mr. A. E. Sanders, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, preside at the meeting at which following program will be given:

A prelude of music will be given by words of welcome by Sanders. The school band, directed by Paul Martin, will introduce numbers, and the inter-late chorus, under the direction of Miss Anne Lee Long, will sing two numbers.

T. Graves, superintendent of schools, will give the address of evening on "The History of Grammar School Project." The number will be a male quartet.

The high school mothers and members of the entire school will assist in the new grammar school building which will be open for inspection immediately following the program.

Contributions to the amount of \$2 will be given in the Primary, Intermediate and High School departments having the largest number of fathers present. These are usually given the rooms for the largest number of mothers present, but this time it is the fathers who will be counted.

Everyone in Crowell and Foard County who is interested in this is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

HARROLD BOWS TO CATS HERE TUESDAY, 35-22

Play First "Big 5" Game at Vernon Friday

The Crowell Wildcat cagers took their first game of 1938 from Harold by a score of 35 to 22 in a rough game at the local gymnasium Tuesday night in a close contest.

Crowell at Vernon is game also marked the last time tilt before the Wildcats returned to their stiff Northwest schedule at Vernon the strong Lions Friday night.

Reports from the Lions' game here indicate the Vernon quint will be even stronger than last season's team.

These two teams divided games last season and Vernon is the "come-back" team of conference. They got off to a start but had established themselves as one of the strongest in the "Big Five" before the season. Crowell's 33-30 victory over the Wildcats was thoroughly bumped.

In their return game in the first part of the season. According to present, the game crowd night will go far in determining the "Big Five" champions.

Ragged Game

A game Tuesday night was rough and tough with 39 foul shots and one technical foul called against the Wildcats as the part of both squads determined the result of the game during the holidays. The Wildcats displayed their former playing for about two minutes of the first of the second half and the remainder of the tilt was

Reader 47 Years

John I. Hunter Sr. returned to work this week after the forty-seventh year. Hunter believes he has taken the paper ever since it was started in 1891 and that is a record. We hope you are on our list for many more years to

City Council Asks Merchants to Help In Clean-Up Drive

The City Council requests that the merchants aid in its drive to clean-up and keep the alleys of Crowell clean by placing barrels or trash burners behind their establishments in which to burn papers and place rubbish.

The alleys are fast becoming congested with loose papers, bottles, cans and other rubbish and the merchants are asked to do their bit in this movement.

In connection with there being several fire hazards in the alleys, they are also becoming unsanitary and steps are being taken to improve these conditions.

It is a violation of the law to burn loose trash or to place rubbish where it can not be hauled away, and if the merchants do not co-operate voluntarily more drastic steps will be taken by the officials in charge.

Past Year Busy Season for Cupid In Foard County

The year of 1937 was a good season for Dan Cupid, according to records obtained at the office of the county and district clerk. There were more marriage licenses issued and a drop in divorces during the past year.

A total of 43 marriage licenses were issued in 1937, or a gain of five over the 38 licenses obtained in 1936. The month of December, which seemed to start June's record for any of the twelve months, as eight licenses were issued during this holiday month. October was second with seven and February and November tied for second with five each. Four licenses were issued in each of the following months: January, March and August. Only three were released from the office in April and June. April and September were the only months in which no licenses were issued.

August 7 holds the record for number of licenses issued in one day with three, and two were issued on each of the following days: May 22, Oct. 30, Nov. 6, Dec. 21, and Dec. 24.

There were only 13 divorces during the past year as compared with 14 in 1936. There were six divorces granted in the February term of court; four in the May term; and three in the November term.

Foard Man is Held On Liquor Charge

A Foard County man, who is charged with transportation of intoxicating liquors and possession of intoxicating liquor, was arrested east of Thalia Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff John Todd and is being held in the county jail in Crowell. His bond was placed at \$500 on each of the two charges.

Sheriff A. W. Lilly suspected the man when he saw him in Electra and phoned the deputy, who made the arrest a few hours later as the man was entering Foard County. According to Sheriff Lilly, twelve quarts of liquor were found in the car. The automobile is being held by local officials.

NEW PHARMACIST

Guy Wells of Quannah has accepted a position as pharmacist in Ferguson Bros. drug store and will be in charge of the prescription department. He assumed his duties the first of January. Mr. Wells worked in this drug store during the year 1928, and is not a total stranger to the people of Crowell.

His wife will join him at an early date and they will make their home here.

NOTICE

It is not the intention of The News to mail out notices this year to subscribers whose time has expired. So, if you know your expiration date is at hand, please make arrangements at our office for the continuation of your subscription. Papers going to distant points will be stopped when time is up in case they are not renewed.

We are anxious for all subscriptions to be renewed but if they are not, we will be forced to stop them due to the rise in the cost of newsprint and other items required in the operation of a newspaper.

THE NEWS.

\$73,500 WARD BUILDING IS OCCUPIED MON.

Building of Modern School Done as WPA Project

Crowell's new and modern \$73,500 grammar school building was occupied by the ward classes Monday, Jan. 2. Over 300 desks were moved from the First Baptist Church, where school had been held for the past one and one-half years.

The razing of the old ward school and the construction of the new building have been done as Works Progress Administration projects with the Crowell Independent School District as the sponsor. Of the total cost of \$73,500, the WPA has paid \$47,000 and the sponsor \$26,500, to build the new ward school, which authorities state would cost much more than that sum under ordinary circumstances.

The plans for the building, which were accepted by the WPA, were drawn up by Joe Ben Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberts, and now a student in the University of Texas at Austin, and Mr. Saunders.

According to L. I. Saunders, sponsor supervisor, the inside work on the building will be finished by Friday night and the building will be completed by the latter part of next week. The building was inspected and passed by government engineers last week and will be turned over to the Crowell school board on or about Jan. 16.

This addition to the Crowell school plant brings it far to the front in the state of Texas and it is one of the finest school systems in West Texas. The high school building, ward school, gymnasium, and stadium are all located on the six-acre campus in a stone's throw of each other, making the plant as compact as it is modern.

Class rooms, two rest rooms, a store room, and a book room occupy the north section of the building. The office, library, study hall and two class rooms are located in the east wing and four class rooms are in the west wing.

The structure has a floor space of 24,000 square feet and is 280 feet long, 200 feet wide in a T shape. The width of the T is 60 feet. It has 17 class rooms, one study hall, a library, a cafeteria, two large book rooms, a store room and an office room. The class rooms range from 22 feet by 30 to 22 feet by 36 feet in size. The walls are ten feet in height. The study hall is 22 feet by 60 feet in size and the cafeteria is 22 feet by 34 feet.

A manual training workshop for F. F. A. boys will be added to the above named structures within the week. The building will be moved to a different location on the campus and repaired, after which it will be turned over to the F. F. A. chapter, according to Mr. Saunders.

Long Service



M. S. Henry, pictured above, has been superintendent of the Crowell Methodist Sunday School for 28 years. In appreciation of this long period of service Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor, with the co-operation of members of the Sunday School, presented Mr. Henry with a 17-jewel Elgin pocket watch at the close of the Sunday School service last Sunday.

The presentation was made by Mrs. M. J. Girsch, who has been connected with Mr. Henry in the Sunday School work for many years.

Before coming to Crowell, Mr. Henry was superintendent of the Sunday School in the Quannah Methodist Church for six years, making a total of 34 continuous years service as a Sunday School superintendent.

Birth and Death Records Decrease During Past Year

The death rate in Foard County continued to gain on the birth rate during 1937, although there was a decrease in both, according to vital statistics records in the Justice office.

There were a total of 110 births during the past year and a decrease of thirteen from the 123 births in 1936. The decrease in the death rate was very slight as there were fifty deaths in Foard County during 1937 and 52 in the year of 1936. In spite of the gain made during the past year, the death rate is still well below that of the births.

SINGING CONCERT AT VIVIAN

A singing concert will be held at the Vivian school house Friday night, Jan. 14, and the public is invited to attend.

This program will conclude a two weeks' singing school held at the school house by the Stamps-Baxter Music School of Dallas with Henry Shipp of Lubbock and Fred Bennett of Stamford in charge. The school was started Monday night, Jan. 2, and the attendance has been excellent. Mr. Shipp stated, as there has been an average of approximately eighty persons attending each session.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

The first motor vehicle to be registered in the office of the tax assessor-collector in 1938 was a Chevrolet sports sedan by O. M. Grimm of Thalia. Others registered during the past week were as follows:

Farmers Co-op., Thalia, Ford pickup.

L. A. Andrews, Ford sedan.

Melvin Moore, Ford coach.

A. B. Owens, Chevrolet sedan.

Announcements for Office Will Be Cash

Announcements for public office published in The Foard County News and candidate cards and other printed matter used by candidates in the coming 1938 election, must be paid for when services are rendered or printed matter is delivered.

For many years we have taken a financial loss in election campaigns and we feel that it would not do anyone an injustice to ask payment for these items when they are received.

The following announcement fees will be charged:

State	\$20.00
District	\$15.00
County	\$10.00
Commissioners	\$10.00
Smaller offices	\$5.00

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Items from Neighboring Communities

GAMBLEVILLE

Misses Alice Ruth Shaw and Eva Dell Morrison returned to school at Denton Sunday after spending the holidays with homefolks.

Misses Anita Wesley of Riverside, Opal and Ruby Priest, returned Wednesday from Iowa Park where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Owens and Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Owens of Crowell, J. S. and Alton Owens and Mrs. Valeria Owens visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Owens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hodge and children, Genzer and Leon, of Anton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Higgs and family Sunday night.

VIVIAN

Miss Elvira Marr returned to Canyon Sunday to resume her school work at West Texas State Teachers' College, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr.

CLAYTONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Jordan of Brownfield spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wisdom.

LOCALS

All the students who are away attending school were home for the Christmas holidays.

Crowell High News

Table with columns: Name, Position, Name, Position. Includes Frances Davis (Editor), Daphyn McClure (Assistant Editor), etc.

WHAT SANTA CLAUS BROUGHT ME
Jack Fitz—More rhythm. Joyce—Perpetual cuts. Sybil—More study periods.

IS THERE A SANTA CLAUS?
Without committing ourselves as an authority, the News submits the following opinions by the school at large:

TO MRS. SLOAN
Mrs. Sloan is my English teacher. I shall not want another. She adviseth me to study my lessons, she sendeth me to the office.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT
Jack's hands and feet don't work together. Louise has a favorite picture. Dot's having difficulties.

SCIENTISTS ARE OFTEN BAFFLED BY HABITS OF TEXAS INDIAN LIFE
Scientists hesitate to answer questions about strange Indian articles found in West Texas.

TESTS OF PROGRESS
The record of 1937 has now been completed. The story has been told. The last page has been written in indelible ink, and there the chapter stands, for all eternity.

SENIOR PARTY
The Seniors enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of Marjorie Spencer on December 20. The game of "42" was played by the group.

F. H. T.
The FHT girls met in the home of Francis Davis on December 17, to carry out their social calendar with a Christmas party.

JUNIOR PARTY
The Juniors had their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Tom Russell last Wednesday night.

ASSEMBLY
Mrs. Sloan gave a very interesting assembly program Thursday morning, Dec. 23. It was carrying out the Christmas spirit.

HEARD IN THE CLASS ROOM
Edward Gafford: The doctor told me to eat peanuts. Johnny Lee Orr: Now, if Dad doesn't come home and spoil our plans, we'll have a swell time.

License Plates Boost N. Y. Fair
Pretty Nettie Bomze displays the 1938 World's fair license plates which will help to advertise the New York World's fair to be held in 1939.

3. Am I becoming more adult in my thinking? Am I getting away from the absorption in entertainment characteristic of infancy and childhood?

4. Am I overcoming my prejudices? Am I more inclined than I was a year ago to suspend my judgments, to see both sides of a disputed question?

5. Have I become more useful to my relatives and friends during the year, so I contribute more to the enjoyment and happiness of those with whom I come into contact?

6. What nation is some-ferred to as Nippon? 7. What nation recently drew from the League of Nations to become a member?

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Dr. Hines Clark, Physician and Surgeon, Office Over Reeder's Drug Store.

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Cross Children May Have Worms. Watch for upset little stomachs, bad breath, fretfulness, loss of weight, itching around nose and arms.

News from Neighboring Communities

RAYLAND

(By J. C. Davis)

Abstention are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Garrison of Denton spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beasley. Mrs. Garrison, formerly Miss Evelyn Beasley, was married Sept. 30, but her marriage was kept secret from her family until Christmas. She is attending N. T. S. T. C. and will continue in school. She will receive her degree in June. They will make their home in Dallas after school closes, where Mr. Garrison is employed.

Z. O. Faughn of Lamesa visited his brother, H. T. Faughn, and family last week.

T. F. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Bill Keenan, accompanied Earl Davis and wife of Crowell to Sweetwater Saturday. They are visiting Mr. Davis' father and brother and families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Crisp returned Wednesday from Bridgeport where they spent three weeks visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Crisp of Flagstaff, Ariz., spent the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends here. It might interest News readers, as Mrs. Crisp was the Rayland correspondent to this paper for several years—to know that Mr. Crisp's health is some improved. They left Flagstaff on Oct. 25, went by railroad to Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Crisp went through the Mayo Clinic. Stayed ten days there, then to Chicago, for two days, and then to Flint, Mich., where they spent two days and bought a new Buick car and visited the Buick factory. Then to Toledo, Ohio, and Weston, West Virginia, where they visited friends for ten days. They visited a large glass factory there. In Washington, D. C., they visited Mrs. Crisp's uncle. Saw most places of interest there, visiting the Capitol and different departments of the Government. From the capital they went to Burlington, N. C., where they visited the Gregg families. They are Mr. Crisp's cousins and lived here until two or three years ago. They spent six days in Charlotte, N. C., with Miss Eula Mae Gregg and other relatives. Then to Melbourne, Fla., by Savannah and Jacksonville, to Tampa, Tallahassee, New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Houston and to Vernon. They passed through twenty-one states and the District of Columbia. They will leave for home in a few days.

We think it highly essential to our community that we record the fact that not one case of drunkenness or misbehavior of any kind occurred here during the holidays. We highly commend our citizenry for this moral attitude.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pool and children left Monday for their home at Sweeney, Texas, after spending ten days with relatives here.

Mrs. Buster Crisp and son, Pat, of Flagstaff, Ariz., spent Sunday and Monday with A. W. Crisp and family.

H. T. Faughn has leased his farm of forty acres to the Government for a nursery to raise trees for shelterbelt purposes during 1938. The trees will be used to re-set shelterbelt strip and put out new strips during 1939.

The Rayland gin has ginned more than 3,000 bales of cotton this season. Most everyone is through gathering, but some bolls that will possibly open this month.

TRUSCOTT

(By Estelle Chilcoat)

Miss Jessie Lee Glascock, who is training for a nurse in Stamford, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Glascock. Miss Connell Chilcoat, who has been visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, returned to Delwin Saturday where she is teaching school.

Rev. A. F. McMinn conducted services in the Baptist Church in Benjamin Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. N. R. Barr and small son, Marshall Ray, spent the week in Denton visiting his parents.

Joe B. Turner spent the week-end in Foard City visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel.

Miss Dierdre Shaw, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shaw, of Gilliland, returned to Fort Worth Sunday where she is attending a business college.

Wayne and Ray Lynn Cure, who spent the past two weeks in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cure, returned to Stephenville where they are attending college.

Miss Florence Whatley and Mr. Oliver Miller of Gilliland were united in marriage Dec. 22 in Vernon.

A combined Knox-Baylor Association Workers Conference, Sunday School convention and B. T. U. meeting was held in the First Baptist Church Thursday.

Miss Violet Baugh of Lubbock spent several days visiting friends here.

Mrs. Homer Barham of Seymour and Mrs. Henry Coffman of Goree visited friends here Tuesday.

Dean Hutton of Lubbock spent several days visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Jones and children, Bobby and Files, and niece, Louise Files, of Bryson spent several days visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Alice Johnson, who spent the Christmas holidays in Cisco, returned here Sunday.

Louis Eubank, who has been spending the Christmas holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank, returned to Lubbock Sunday.

Miss Winnie Horner, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Author Horne, returned to Fort Worth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bates, who have been visiting friends and relatives here, returned to their home in Dallas Thursday.

Miss Gladys Russell of Margaret is visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell.

Miss Erna Lee Welch and Mr. Paul Horne of Gilliland were united in marriage Jan. 1 in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Burnett and children, Bobby Tibb, Joardis and Linda Beth, visited friends here Wednesday.

Cecil Childers, an international polo player of Abilene, transacted business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bush of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Brown Sunday.

Mason Harwell of Quanah visited his son, Harris Harwell, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Balsom and sons, Monty and Mike, left Thursday for San Marcos and Austin to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Mills and son, Marcus, returned home Wednesday from Jack County where they spent Christmas with relatives.

Rev. G. E. Tyson of Truscott held his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch left Thursday for El Paso where they will reside the coming year. They will stop over for a short visit with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Pittman, of Weatherford.

School began at this place Monday after being dismissed for the Christmas holidays.

F. U. Powell of Seymour visited in the Henry Johnson home Wednesday night.

Monday, Dec. 9, the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. G. M. Canup.

New officers were elected Sunday for the Sunday School at this place. They are as follows: E. V. Halbert, Supt.; Virgil Johnson, Asst. Supt.; Mrs. Clarence Barker, secretary; Mrs. Virgil Johnson, assistant secretary; Charles Merriam, pianist; Marcus Mills, song leader; teachers, G. G. Mills, Mrs. G. G. Mills, Mrs. Blake McDaniel, Mrs. Eunice Jones, Mrs. J. M. Glover, Mrs. Mildred Thompson; janitor, W. M. Morris. Sunday School starts promptly at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. David Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway of Crowell attended Sunday School here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Carval Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ferguson returned to their home at Jester, Okla., Wednesday after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Barker, who visited Mrs. Barker's sister and mother in Oklahoma City before returning home.

C. G. McLain and Fate McDougle were in Anna from Friday until Sunday transacting business. Gerald Smith visited his uncle, Shode Frutrell at Altus, Okla., a few days last week. He returned home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gamble and family of Thalia spent Sun-

HEADS ENGINEERS



Col. John J. Kingman, who was named by President Roosevelt as assistant chief of army engineers, with the rank of brigadier general, for a four year term. Colonel Kingman, currently on duty in San Francisco as engineer in charge of river and harbor improvements, is the son of the late Brig. Gen. D. C. Kingman.

day with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pittman of Petersburg returned home Sunday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gamble.

Mrs. Ted Jones and daughter, Doris Helen, of Anna are visiting her brother, C. G. McLain, and family.

Mrs. Ada Morris of Vernon is visiting her son, W. M. Morris, and family. Mrs. Morris had the misfortune of falling on slippery ice and hurting her back. At this writing she is slowly improving.

Mrs. Ella Lawhorn and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mulkey and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Denton of Ogden spent Sunday with Mrs. F. R. Lefevre.

MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Brewer and children, Nadine, Frances and Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holder and little daughter, Rose Mary, of Spur spent Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. Grant Morrison, and family, on their return home from Winsboro and other points where they visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lillian Greenhouse had her tonsils removed during the holidays at a Vernon hospital.

Mrs. Mary F. Hunter and daughter, Mrs. Belle Blevins, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Nelson, of Duke, Okla., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams of Levelland spent Friday night with Dolfus Pauley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams of Levelland and Dolfus Pauley visited Foy Pauley and family of Olney Saturday.

Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr. returned Friday from the hospital at Quanah.

S. J. Boman made a trip to Wichita Falls Monday, accompanying his daughter, Juanita, there where she goes to attend school.

Mrs. J. W. Owens of Foard City visited her daughter, Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blevins and little son, Jackie, and her sister, Doris Morgan of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. Mary F. Hunter last week.

Herbert Sloan returned Friday from Altus and Cache, Okla., where he visited relatives. He will leave soon for the CCC camp.

J. R. Eldridge of Quanah visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Eldridge returned home with him after several weeks' stay with Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wrenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bailey and two children visited relatives at Medicine Mound Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Blevins left Tuesday of last week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Carter, and husband of Weslaco.

Gene Drew is improved after several days' illness last week.

Frank Priest returned Sunday from a visit with his uncle, Jim Ewing, and wife of Littlefield.

Mrs. Carl Mears of Bowie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Shaw, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin and daughter, Charisey, visited in Lamesa last week.

Washington, D. C.

BY DR. JAMES E. POPE

WASHINGTON NEWS COMMENTATOR

Cotton Comes on Trees—Not on Rabbits

No smart aleck can kid us into thinking that windmills are fans for keeping the cows cool, or that alfalfa is what grows on farmers' chins. No sir, they can't fool us. Moreover, we know that cotton is picked from cotton wood trees, not from cottontail rabbits, and since weep corn is the stuff they raise for making corn plasters.

You see, we are farm experts suffering from theory and program thinking, and we feel highly qualified to direct Farmer Jones about his business of making a living for himself and for everyone who must eat. Admitting that the only furrow we ever made was across the taxpayer's brow, we can, nevertheless, justly lay claim to actual experience at making roads—and roadmaking is pretty close to agriculture—except that roads we made were inroads on the Federal budget.

There are many of us here in Washington, and not a few have other jobs for spare time—like being Senators and Congressmen. Congressional salaries give uplift. Then there is the Congressional Mileage Bonus Army, a very exclusive set . . . and helpful to up-and-coming statesmen who are not up-and-goers home.

Deliberate Scarcity Is Potential Famine

Congress is back on Capitol Hill monopolizing page one and this correspondent is back at the old desk monopolizing the spare type writer. We are both hitting hard, but perhaps not understandingly. Again my theme is agriculture and old-age pensions.

If Congress can find a way for the one-family farms to produce normally and sell normally, without regimenting farmers into a bunch of even demi-reliefers, they will be doing something. I am not a General Passenger and Ticket Agent for some ambiguous detour to Utopia, but when farm prosperity becomes real then nation-wide prosperity becomes real. This writer does not pose as an expert, in fact, I regard most experts as just plain nuts who seek to tell the other fellow how to flunk at making a living. Neither do I want to appear offensively cocksure, for I am awake to the fact that my physical presence with the three Wise Men would not add up four wise men, but I get jittery when I hear them talk crop curtailment.

I do not profess to hold the key, but there must be a better way than repression. Perhaps I am just a Model T thinker.

Statutory scarcity is terrifically un-American. Organized lack is potential famine and, no matter how cleverly controlled, famine is not compatible with too many even nov having too little food. Uncontrollable Mother Nature and the elements, or attempts at invasion by hostile foreign powers, might conspire to wipe out our carefully managed reserves of food and fundamentals—and provoke catastrophic unbalance.

If our lawmakers in Washington will give farmers the full-steady-ahead signal, and guarantee fair prices and quick markets, forget regimentation and crop curtailment insofar as it affects the one-family farm, they will be solving the country's every economic problem at one stroke.

Old-Age Pensions Still An Issue

Roosevelt bears the historical distinction of being the first occupant of the White House to recognize old-age pensions as a moral obligation of the U. S. Government. Those who differ with him on other policies—and there are many good and bad Democrats, and bad and good Republicans even who do not always agree with the President—will admit that had his administration brought into existence nothing constructive besides pensions for the aged, the name of Franklin D. Roosevelt would still go down in history as that of a great President.

But the present Social Security law is inadequate and insufficient, and not all who deserve pensions are getting pensions under it. The present set-up is not entirely commensurate or even workable in many of the weaker or more indigent states. Notwithstanding all this, the movement still stands as a milestone in human progress and social achievement in America to the undying credit of Mr. Roosevelt.

While the Social Security law

SAFETY SLOGANS

In the event of an accident exercise the utmost caution in moving the injured parties. A fractured bone may further lacerate the flesh or cut an artery. A sleepy driver is as dangerous as a drunken driver. If you are drowsy don't drive. Every year hundreds of persons lose their lives from carbon monoxide gas. Carbon monoxide gas is thrown off in the exhaust of the automobile motor. It is odorless, colorless, tasteless, yet strikes its victims down instantly and without warning. Don't start your car in a closed garage.

ANSWERS

1. The Panay.
2. Japan.
3. Yangtze.
4. He is associate justice of the U. S. Supreme Court.
5. Chairman General Motors Corporation.
6. Italy.
7. President Hoover.
8. Countess Barbara Haugwitz-Reventlow.
9. Barbara Hutton.
10. The F. W. Woolworth fortune.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

- January 3—Battle of Princeton in Revolutionary War, 1777. Postal Banks established in the United States, 1911.
- January 4—Second national conference on popular government opened in Washington, 1915.—Radio broadcasting by wire-connected stations, 1920.
- January 5—First woman governor in America sworn in, 1925. Twenty American Republics sign Inter-American Arbitration treaty, 1929.
- January 6—Last spike driven in the Great Northern extension to Pacific coast, 1893. Great fire in Toronto; loss of \$1,250,000, 1895.
- January 7—First national election held in the United States, 1789. Millard Filmore, 13th president, born, 1800.
- January 8—World's Fair buildings at Chicago destroyed by fire, 1894. Battle of New Orleans, 1815.
- January 9—First shot in Civil War fired at Fort Sumter, 1861. Connecticut (5th state) ratified U. S. Constitution, 1788.

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Of the \$119,686,876 paid by the Santa Fe to the state, county and city governments, over \$50,000,000 went to support public schools which provide educational facilities for more than 7 million elementary and high school students in the states served by the Santa Fe.

The payment of so vast a sum in taxes by the Santa Fe is just another phase of the benefits accruing to the nation at large from an institution whose aim is to serve all to the best of its ability.

A. T. Beledone, President

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Folks Are Funny

By E. V. White, Dean Texas State College for Women

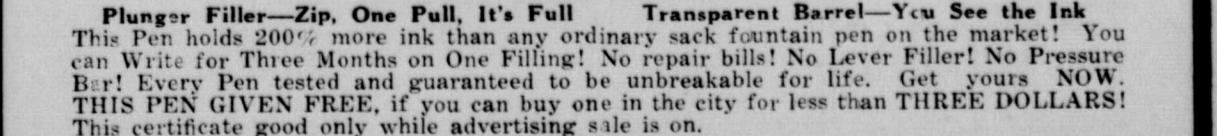


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Political Announcements

For Sheriff: A. W. LILLY (Re-Election) HOWARD BURSEY

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: L. A. (Bridge) ANDREWS

Seek good and not evil that ye may live, and so the Lord, the God of Hosts will be with you.—Amos 5:14.

If you have the wrong side of the argument it won't help your case much to use strong language and loud speech.

The worst enemy of accuracy and efficiency is lack of concentration. If you have a single track mind admit it, and keep your mind definitely on the thing you are doing. By so doing errors can be reduced to a minimum.

If each day isn't a new adventure in which you look forward to going to your work or your business with eagerness and anticipation and zest and high hopes and plans, it is a sign you need a vacation.

When life seems to get into a rut, and things seem to drag along in a humdrum fashion, and the day loses its thrill, buy something new. It doesn't make much difference what you buy just so it is something new that you can see and use and handle each day. Maybe it is a new hat, a new linoleum for the kitchen, a new sauce pan or a new tooth brush. It is a simple medicine. Try it some time.

Every man is a business man, under our present scheme of living, whether he conducts a store, or a farm, or works for a salary check. Managing a salary check is a business these days and one should make it so. Every business is faced with the necessity of keeping the budget balanced, of keeping the income above the out go, and some times the wise handling of even a moderate salary check calls into practice the best of business practices.

WHAT WE THINK (By Frank Dixon)

We like to talk about our standard of living and point to it as one of the things peculiar to this nation as an evidence of our superiority as a people. In view of events the past five years, I am beginning to seriously wonder if we have not rather run wild on the matter and attempted to put into force a standard of living before we were able to do it. While it is desirable to have a car in every garage, or two cars in every garage, has not the effort to do this been largely re-

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Responsible for our present unfortunate condition? Have we not been led astray by an appealing theory, and, to too great an extent, mortgaged our future? I am not opposed to a car in every garage, or two for that matter, if in the act of putting them there we do not upset our whole sense of values, and, by the act, invite inevitable disaster.

Under the present scheme of living not all men have the same earning ability. There are men of ability and genius who can earn twice, ten times, or a thousand times as much as others. It has always been true. It always will be true. Some men are better farmers than others and can make plenty of money where others fail. Some are better lawyers, better doctors, better merchants, better clerks, mechanics, and bookkeepers than others, and consequently can earn more. Trouble always comes when the man with smaller earning ability attempts to follow the pace set by the man of larger earning ability. In other words, the thing that often wrecks the Smiths is not so much that Smith does not make enough money, but rather the fact that Smith tries to keep up with Jones who has more ability and can make ten times as much.

I have a feeling that no recovery is going to be permanent until the simple lesson of thrift is learned. I recall that during the flush period following the war, we reached a point in our thinking and spending where to be known as a thrifty individual was to invite contempt from all sides. If free spending and high wages are the sesame to perpetual prosperity, surely the practices of the early twenties should have put us well on the road to permanent financial security, but they did not. The reverse was true.

I don't pretend to be an economist. I don't feel that I know what the word means, but I do think I know what thrift and management of one's resources means. Being a farmer I had to learn that. I feel that when we take the necessity for thrift out of people's lives, as we seem to be bent on doing, we have not only removed a necessary teaching and discipline, but we are setting ourselves up on a foundation upon which no substantial or enduring prosperity can ever be built.

Harrold Game—

(Continued from Page One)

The Wildcats' defense kept the invaders to 4 points to set the score at the half way mark at 17-11 in favor of the locals.

Putting on the steam momentarily, the Wildcats dropped the ball through the net for 6 points and then relaxed to let the Harrold lads garner the same total to end the third quarter with the score at 23-17. The final period was easily the Wildcats' as they swished 12 points through the hoop while the Harrold snipers were only able to find the goal for 5 tallies.

The Crowell substitutes played the last two minutes of the game and gave their goal shooting first-string team mates a lesson in the art of defense and passing, even though they were unable to score as much as the more polished squadmen.

Although 39 personal fouls were called, only two players, Tupen and Gunnels, of Harrold, were forced from the game. Crowell was marked up with 15 of these and Harrold with 14. Harrold was given a technical foul when a substitute entering the game failed to report to the referee. Crowell made 9 out of 15 gratuitous and Harrold sank only 8 out of 18.

The box score is as follows:

Table with columns: CROWELL FG FT FTM PF TP. Rows for Kelsey, Orr, Fitz, Nelson, McKown, Russell, Smith, Meason, J. Fitz, Dunn.

Table with columns: HARROLD FG FT FTM PF TP. Rows for S. Huff, Rogers, Vaughn, Turpen, Gunnels, Hines, Baggett, Harralson.

The Inns of England

The Inns of England have their foundations in the depths of the Middle Ages. Some of them have seen the almost prehistoric changes from crude earthen floors to stone floors and from stone floors to mats of rushes. They have sheltered kings and pilgrims, merchants and all kinds of travelers, and between the occasions of more spectacular hospitality they have gathered about them all the richness of the social life of the neighborhood, for it is at the inn that men have always met and expanded a personal and political philosophy.

Footwear Long in Use Footwear was in use more than 3,500 years ago. The ancients utilizing various materials such as pellets of animals, metals, grass, leaves, bark and wood. In some sections of the world heels were first used to keep the feet well above the burning desert sands.

Reduced Rate on Star-Telegram Will End Jan. 10; Bargain Rates On Other Papers Will End Soon

The bargain-day rate of \$7.45 on the Fort Worth Star-Telegram will be withdrawn Jan. 10 and no further subscriptions will be accepted at that price following this date which is next Monday. The clubbing offer of \$8.20 for the Star-Telegram and The Foard County News will also expire at that time. Clubbing rates with Wichita Falls papers, the Record-News and Daily Times, Semi-Weekly Farm News and Pathfinder will continue until announcement is made to the contrary, however, these rates may expire within a short time and if you have not secured your newspapers for another year it is time that this matter be attended to.

We are anxious for the people of this territory to take advantage of these rates. This is election year and everybody is anxious to know who is running for office in their home county and they can get this information by being a regular subscriber to their home paper. Not only is this true, but the paper is always filled with local news stories concerning happenings that transpire over the county. And again we want to call attention to the advertisements. They carry news from the stores that is interesting and in which money-saving values are announced. The advertisements from the merchants to the buyers which make possible the publishing of a newspaper.

Whether newspaper subscriptions will be as low next year is yet to be determined. Newsprint took a sharp advance in price Jan. 1 and another advance is expected during the year. Many weekly newspapers are announcing a raise in subscription rates from \$1.50 to \$2.00 and \$2.50. Again we want to express our appreciation for the hearty support and encouragement extended to us by our readers which helps us to resolve to increase our efficiency in community service and publish a better paper in 1938. Since Dec. 29 we have received over one hundred subscriptions with a considerable sprinkling of new subscribers. If you know your subscription has expired, see us at your earliest convenience and renew. The Foard County News honor roll for this week follows: Allen Fish, Swearingen; G. H. Patton, city; Joe Brown, city; Mrs. T. E. Wainland, Lawton, Okla.; Hubert Brown, city; Mrs. H. E. Grubbe, Vernon; Mrs. Fannie Thacker, city; M. L. Hughton, city; T. J. Ferguson, Rt. 1; Jno. L. Hunter Sr., Rt. 2; J. B. Easley, city; Sam Powers, Benjamin; C. R. Bryson, Rt. 1; E. A. Dunagan, city; Mrs. J. E. Greene, San Antonio; W. A. Jones, Rt. 1; Elmer Brisco, city; Mrs. Robt. Beck, Sudan; G. C. Morgan, Thalia Star Rt.; J. W. Allison, city; Mrs. G. W. Walthall, city; Jno. L. Hunter Jr., Rt. 2; E. Swaim, city; C. W. Ross, Rt. 2; Hiram Vray, Rt. 2; Donald Vray, Norris, Rt. 1; Guy Crews, Thalia Star Rt.; Otto Teinert, city; A. W. Barker, Foard City; J. F. Matthews, Thalia; J. C. Hysinger, Rt. 2; Mrs. M. L. Self, Thalia; J. L. Orr, Rt. 2; F. H. Cox, Junction, Texas; Miss Bessie Fish, city; Emmett A. Howard, Haskell; Wm. Cook, Thalia; F. A. Brown, Thalia; Chas. Hathaway, Thalia; C. G. Grimsey, Thalia; Ed Anderson, Sunset; Mrs. I. M. Cates, city; E. V. Halbert, Foard City; J. A. Stovall, city; Mrs. Jim Long, city; J. R. Carter, city; W. O. Fish, Swearingen; W. J. Murphy, Margaret; T. L. Ward, Rt. 2; Mrs. J. L. Glover, city; Paul Bishop, Odem; C. B. Morris, Clarendon; C. C. Ribble, city; E. W. Burrow, Rt. 1; A. C. Pechecek, Rt. 1; C. F. Hunter, Rt. 1; West Texas Utilities Co., Crowell, Quanah and Abilene; J. H. Carter, city; T. D. Edwards, Rt. 2; J. L. Kinchloe, Rt. 1; Mrs. O. W. Davenport, city; A. B. Owens, Rt. 2; Mrs. Chas. Hunt, Sand Springs, Okla.; Mrs. Bulah Pate, city; J. S. Owens, Margaret. Geo. Hinds, city; Mrs. Bertha Powers, Quanah; T. E. Lambert, Rt. 3; Vernon E. M. Gamble, Rt. 1; Henry Borchardt, city; L. A. Andrews, city; J. I. Malone, Rt. 2; E. T. Evans, Vivian Rt.; A. F. McMillan, Overton; A. B. Wisdom, Thalia; R. L. Sims, Thalia; H. Greenleese, Thalia Star Rt.; J. C. Thompson, city; E. A. Fox, city; E. C. King, city; Mrs. W. E. Alexander, Long Beach, Calif.; Ernest Patton, city; O. O. Hollingsworth, Sweetwater; E. G. Camptsey, Truett; W. M. Howell, Foard City; Mrs. H. Young, Rt. 1; Swearingen; S. E. Tate, Rt. 1; C. H. Pittman, Hale Center; W. C. Golden, Foard City; C. V. Allen, Spur; W. J. Long, Thalia; W. G. Chapman, Thalia; Crews Cooper, city; R. L. Pechecek, Rt. 2; John Nagy, city; Will Nagy, Millet, Texas; W. T. McLean, Dilly, Texas; R. L. Liles, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Lewis Ballard, city; A. H. McCutcheon, Pecos, N. M.; W. C. Erwin, Rt. 1.

lawyer who is now solicitor general for the Pistooffice Department. Crowley declared he didn't believe the people of Texas were satisfied to choose between Col. Ernest O. Thompson and Bill McCraw in picking their next governor, and so, if neither Gov. Alfred nor Jim Ferguson decided to make the race, he (Crowley) would enter the race. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram in Crowley's home city, carried a facetious editorial which is being read and re-read all over Texas as one of the finest bits of sarcasm published in years. The editorial wound up with a prediction that Crowley and Clarence Farmer, the pensions-for-everybody candidate from Tarrant, would wage a mighty struggle in their home county. Meanwhile, campaign machinery of Thompson and McCraw was being set in motion and organization work is under way. Formal announcement probably will be made in late January by Thompson, and in February, after he returns from court hearings in the East on the Green estate tax litigation, by McCraw. There was every evidence here to bear out the prediction made many months ago in this column, that Thompson and McCraw would be the only important candidates for Governor this year.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—Gov. Alfred's luncheon with President Roosevelt in Washington, and his conferences with Vice President Garner and Attorney General Homer Cummings, brought a revival of the Federal Judgeship talk in Austin this week. There was also a rumor that the Texas governor, who has something of a reputation as a "trust buster" himself—as the instigator of the anti-trust suit against major oil companies in Texas four years ago—might be enlisted in the pending anti-monopoly drive which the New Deal chieftains are cooking up in Washington. But close freinds of the Governor insisted he wouldn't be interested in an appointment as special assistant attorney general, or anything less than the judgeship. These freinds professed to believe that Alfred's chances for the Federal judiciary were excellent after his visit with Roosevelt and Garner. If the regular session of Congress passed a judiciary bill, providing for additional judges, with one for Texas included, observers here believe the appointments will be made immediately. Should Alfred receive one of these coveted posts, it is regarded as virtually a certainty he will resign as Governor, and let Lt. Gov. Walter Woodul finish out his unexpired term.

Taxation will be one of the leading issues in the campaign, with Thompson making his already recorded declaration that there is no necessity for any new taxes on business in Texas as one of the cardinal planks in his platform. There has sprung up in Texas during the past year a widespread sentiment to halt further tax imposts and stop waste and extravagance in State government—of which there has been plenty. Thompson believes that business, if not strangled to death by taxes, can and will produce additional revenue for the state, and go a long way toward solving some of the social problems, such as unemployment. He thinks business can put people back to work, but only if it is permitted to make a profit for itself in doing so. And he intends to advocate that policy, citing the oil industry as an example.

Oil and Taxes The oil business, which has become the largest single contributor to the tax chest in Texas during the last few years, has made a comprehensive study of its part in the tax program, which should be of interest to Texans, not only as consumers, but because oil is found in over half the counties in Texas, and directly affects hundreds of thousands of landowners, royalty owners, bankers, merchants, and workers directly employed in the production and processing of Texas oil. This study, submitted by the tax committee of Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, at its recent convention, declares oil pays a total

crowley announces One of the strangest political announcements in Texas' history this week carried in its wake a lot of comment—some sarcastic, some humorous, virtually none serious. The announcement was that of Carl Crowley, former Fort Worth

In The News 15 Years Ago

The items below were taken in whole or in part from the issues of The Foard County News of Jan. 5, 1923.

Lemons in Foard County L. G. Andrews planted the seed of some of the lemons sent to him from Old Mexico by J. Q. Carter and grew trees from them which came into bearing a few years ago. Last year Mr. Andrews grew five lemons on one of the trees. He has two trees but one of them has never done well.

Dynamites for Rattlesnakes The killing of 28 rattlesnakes on the Dougherty place in the Good Creek community took place last Sunday a week ago by J. H. Johnson, who dynamited the den. It was thought that there was a den of them near where three snakes had been shot when they came into the warm sunlight to bask. This was proven true when the dynamite was placed in the den and the whole side of the bluff took off. Twenty-eight rattlers showed up dead after the explosion and direct tax of 8.5 cents per barrel in Texas; that in 45 counties the average state and county tax last year was 10.9 per barrel, and in 20 other counties the tax ranged from 11 to 14.7 cents. This includes taxes imposed by state, county, school districts and other political subdivisions, but does not include the sales tax on gasoline, paid by the consumer. The report shows oil constitutes 19 per cent of the total taxable properties in taxes, but pays 42.4 of all taxes levied by the state and its subdivisions.

In 22 counties, the report shows, oil pays from 50 to 96 per cent of all tax levies, while in 36 other counties, oil pays 60 per cent of the total tax bill. With taxes equaling, in some localities, a full one-eighth overriding royalty, the oil men assert a halt must be called if they are to continue to operate in competition with other oil producing states, particularly in the face of a situation where supply exceeds demand to such an extent that rigid proration of production must be enforced.

Attend Important Meeting T. N. Bell, T. L. Hughton and H. E. Ferguson were sent as Crowley's representatives to a meeting of the officials of the Orient Railroad at San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce have moved from their home in Crowell to their farm northwest of the city.

Baseball Workouts Coach Tate's official showing of talent in spring training is the only man left of 1922. Following are short about the players and their positions: It is probable that old-timer, will have a most short. The old reliable out again and he has two opponents in Jones and for first base. Ashford will present an interesting hard fought battle for behind the bat. Second between Beverly and Third base will be a hot most certain that Ashford down center field. Kingsey, Wood and Lee go fight it out for the other den spots. The pitchers Aubrey, Cates, Morgan, and Jones.

The Old Louisiana Lottery Beginning in 1869, the lottery did a business of 6000 a year. It paid the annual fee of only \$40 1890 a federal law was barring use of the United mails to the Louisiana lottery. This forced a Louisiana company to migrate duras where it continued operate for a while, but finally cumbled.

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moved from their home in Crowell to their farm northwest of the city. Basebal Workouts Coach Tate's official showing of talent in spring training is the only man left of 1922. Following are short about the players and their positions: It is probable that old-timer, will have a most short. The old reliable out again and he has two opponents in Jones and for first base. Ashford will present an interesting hard fought battle for behind the bat. Second between Beverly and Third base will be a hot most certain that Ashford down center field. Kingsey, Wood and Lee go fight it out for the other den spots. The pitchers Aubrey, Cates, Morgan, and Jones.

The Old Louisiana Lottery Beginning in 1869, the lottery did a business of 6000 a year. It paid the annual fee of only \$40 1890 a federal law was barring use of the United mails to the Louisiana lottery. This forced a Louisiana company to migrate duras where it continued operate for a while, but finally cumbled.

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 We are always in the market for your furs.—Ballard Produce.
 See our windows Saturday for specials.—Everybody's Food Store.
 Sell your poultry, eggs, cream and hides and buy your feed at Ballard Produce Co.
 We have some real bargains in used oil cook stoves.—M. S. Henry & Company.
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stephens of Dallas were guests in the home of Mr. Stephens' sister, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, during the holidays.
 Mrs. J. R. Allee left Saturday for Fort Worth where she will visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Allee.
 Edward Briscoe left Wednesday for San Antonio and he will be accompanied to Crowell by his brother, Riley, and two children.
 Rev. John W. Hawkins, pastor of the Wellington Methodist Church, visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Yeats Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Davis are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Coltharp of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray of Ralls.
 Mrs. Fay Easley leaves today for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the balance of the winter visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Backus of that city.
 Sell your poultry, eggs, hides and cream to Moyer Produce Co.
 Mr. and Mrs. Cone Green and children, Dan and Patsy Grace, and Rudell Russell, who spent the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. J. Russell, returned to Lubbock Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale Lanier and baby son have returned to their home here after having spent some time in the home of Mrs. Lanier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Granis Mills, of Amarillo.
 Miss Blanch Robinson of Silvertown, a resident of Crowell 36 years ago, spent Tuesday night of last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Self. Miss Robinson was en route to San Antonio to visit her brothers, Mike and Joe Robinson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wallace and N. Baker are visiting relatives in DeLeon this week. They are expected to return to Crowell tomorrow.
 It's the cheapest in the long run, Sherwin-Williams paint.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Darrell Meaders of Clarendon returned to his home after spending several days in the homes of his aunts, Mrs. E. M. Crosnoe and Mrs. Owen Rader. Mr. and Mrs. Crosnoe and son, Ted, and Mr. and Mrs. Rader spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Franklin, at McLean, and Darrell accompanied them.

Plenty of fresh vegetables at Everybody's Food Store.
 Work gloves 10c to \$1.00 per pair at M. S. Henry & Co.

We are always in the market for your furs.—Ballard Produce.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Shults and two children of Davidson, Okla., were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. H. Shults.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright and children have gone to Casa Grandie, Ariz., to make their home. They left Crowell just before Christmas.

"Dutch" Brough of Plainview, an early-day bronc buster and cowboy on the Witherspoon Ranch, was here for a short visit with friends Monday.

G. M. Thacker, Mrs. Fannie Thacker and Mrs. J. A. Johnson visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Thacker's daughter, Mrs. A. H. Clark, and family in Oklahoma City.

Two saws for only 79c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and small daughter, Roxie, of Brownwood spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Womack. Mrs. Moore is a niece of Mrs. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Swindell and children of Altus, Okla., and Reba and Erma Jean Swindell of Quanah spent Sunday with B. T. Meason and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Benham of Albuquerque, N. M., are here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Benham, of the Vivan community, and other relatives and friends.

R. J. Thomas Jr., who has been employed in a dry goods store by his brother-in-law, Irvin Fisch, in Wink, has accepted a position with the B. & W. Man's Shop in Crowell and assumed his duties Monday.

Miss Ocie Pearl Thompson and Mrs. J. D. Lockhart, who had been visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, returned to their home in Rankin Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Hart, Mrs. Belle Allee and Mrs. R. R. Magee left Friday for Mrs. Hart's home in Rockwood. Mrs. Allee and Mrs. Magee plan to spend several weeks there with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burrow and children of Brownfield spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow. All four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Burrow were together for the first time in nine years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pulliam of Vega and Mr. and Mrs. Jack White and small son, Jimmie Joe, of Matador visited during the holidays in the home of Mrs. Pulliam's and Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. White.

Just what you need for the home, a pair of saws, only 79c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Roy of Haskell were here to spend the week-end with relatives. Mrs. Roy is area supervisor for the Tax Survey of Haskell, Baylor, Knox and Foard counties and moved to Haskell Monday of last week.

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Mrs. Jack Meason, Mrs. John Shirley and Mrs. Charley Carlisle of Roaring Springs visited one day during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols of the Black community.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Shults of Oklahoma City spent Christmas with Mr. Shults' mother, Mrs. J. H. Shults. Mrs. Shults accompanied them on their return as far as Davidson, Okla., where she remained to visit in the home of another son, Glynn Shults, and family.

F. F. A. ACTIVITIES

The V. A. II class visited Sam Russell Monday afternoon and observed his projects. Sam is feeding a Hereford steer for the local project show to be held in March. He also has some White Rock pullets that are good ones.

The class groomed the calf, trimmed his hoofs and horns, and practiced showing the calf. They then caught his hens and judged them, and dusted them with sodium fluoride to rid them of lice.

The V. A. I Class has been making rope machines, rope, and tying knots that are useful on the farm. Ralph Flesher, Wayne Cobb and Cecil Carroll culled Cecil's flock of 150 Brown Leghorn hens during the Christmas holidays.

Several F. F. A. boys met at the school house at 2 o'clock Christmas eve and distributed toys, candy, nuts and fruits to about twenty families. The boys enjoyed doing the work equally as much as the youngsters enjoyed receiving the things. Jim Hill Erwin proved to be a prince when it comes to acting Santa Claus.

Hughes Fish, former F. F. A. reporter and state champion news writer, visited the V. A. classes and made a short talk about his work at Texas Tech. Hughes is studying in the agriculture field and is making all of his expenses.

L. A. Andrews Seeks Justice of Peace Office

Due to the fact that my good friend, J. W. Klepper, is not seeking the office again, and having been solicited, I submit to the voters of Precinct No. 1 of Foard County, my candidacy for the office of Justice of the Peace. I don't know any law, other than right from wrong, but this is the basis on which all decisions are made in this office. Having been officing with Mr. Klepper, I have learned the general workings of the office of Justice of the Peace and I feel that I can handle it to the satisfaction of all concerned. If elected, I shall make every effort to conduct the office as it should be, and shall be fair and open minded on each and every case presented for disposition. Owing to the fact that the fees of this office are small, I cannot afford to make an extensive or expensive campaign. Whether or not I see you personally, I earnestly solicit your vote and influence. Respectfully submitted, L. A. (Brudge) Andrews.

CEMETERY DONATIONS

The following subscriptions have been made for the care of the Crowell cemetery since last report:

- Mrs. Lee Lefevre \$2.00
- Mrs. A. S. Hart 1.00
- Mrs. J. M. Allee 1.00
- Mrs. J. R. Allee 1.00

Know Texas

Pioneer Advantages

Denton.—"Good cheap beds of Spanish Moss" are among the advantages of Texas as described in a book by William Kennedy, Esq., written in London in 1841 after a tour through the Republic. He describes in detail how the moss was steeped in hot water, dried, whipped and put into the ticking.

Fifty Carloads

A carload of calves every three minutes was the selling record made last October when the price of West Texas calves and the number of out-of-state buyers reached a new high in the Highland Hereford sale at Marfa. Fifty carloads of calves were sold in two hours and thirty minutes. Representatives of nine states were there to buy.

Strange Tunes

A motley mixture is poured into the folk tunes of Texas. The negro songs which form such a great part of our handed down music and filled with Spanish and French music and rhythms. The cowboy songs, which spell "Texas" to so many people, are usually adaptations from songs the cattlemen heard on the sea and elsewhere and sang so much on the range that the music gradually became associated with them. Some of the most original tunes came from the first Mexican cowboys.

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And, so far, it hasn't made a great deal of difference whether oil was found in pure lime, pure sand or a mixture of the two.

"Some of the wells are good and others are better," one geologist said smilingly. These geologists who study and know their rocks and shales and conglomerates a g r e e that the K.M.A. field is located along the south side of a range of buried mountains. This structural feature is known to geologists as the Red river arch.

At some time during the Pennsylvanian age of rock deposition the area between Matador and Pilot Point, Texas, was subjected to severe stresses and in consequence limestone deposits were lifted high above their normal position until a mountain range some 200 miles in length was formed. This area subsided to a depth below sea level and eventually the entire range was buried beneath a mantle of sedimentary rocks.

These settled around the mountains and now their presence can only be detected by slight arches and folds in the nearly horizontal shallow formations above the mountains.

The peaks in this range of mountains are responsible for anticlinal structures in the shallow oil formation and nearly every one of these hidden peaks is responsible for an oil field over its top. Thalia, South Vernon, Petrovia and Neocna are some of our fields where granite has been encountered at relatively shallow depths.

Geologists say that soon after this area was first submerged below sea level, the mountain range existed as an archipelago, or a chain of islands. The islands were subjected to nature's forces of erosion, the debris piled up around the flanks of the mountains, and today the driller occasionally encounters great thicknesses of ancient gravels and conglomerate in drilling around the edges of these buried masses.

Shell Fish Attracted
 The shallow waters around the islands were evidently attractive to shell fish and they flourished in great colonies. As they died their skeletons piled up on the

WE HEAR



By W. E. HURD

Clean Up the Alleys

The City Council again brings to the attention of the people of Crowell the fact that the alleys of the city need cleaning. This is true, but not just once in a great while but every day, or at least once a week. This sounds like, and is a big job, but if every merchant will clean up the rubbish at the year of his establishment, it would be easy and not take long. A few minutes exerted by each merchant every day would be all that is necessary to keep the alleys clean.

Think of the impression a tourist gets of the City of Crowell when he passes through. He gets an excellent view of the alleys any way he enters town, whether it is from the east, west, north or south. These impressions are lasting and a clean impression is the best that can be had of any city.

W. E. is informed that the sanitary conditions of the alleys are becoming very bad and that there are several fire hazards. Officials also stated that, if forced to, they would take steps to clean up the alleys. It is a law violation to turn paper loose or pile up rubbish. The health officer can force the sanitary condition to be improved and the fire marshal can do away with the fire hazards with the authority given him by law.

Scout Troop Dying

Maybe some have wondered what has become of the fine Boy Scout troop that Crowell had a few short months ago. Interest is being lost because the boys do not have a place to meet since the Masonic hall burned last June. American Legion members have done much to aid the troop and are to be commended for the interest they take in the boys of Crowell, but it is very little they can do now as they do not have a hall to share with the Scouts. They have done more for this organization than any other group. It seems to be at the point where the finest troop that Crowell has had the honor to call its own in several years is about to disband.

A good troop, such as the present one, is a credit to any city, but if something isn't done in the near future, those few who have been doing splendid work in aiding the Scouts will be forced to stop, too.

More Basketball

The Wildcats will get their first taste of "Big Five" basketball tomorrow night when they step up on the Vernon court and face the strong and blood-thirsty Lions. If the Crowell boys can hurdle Vernon, they will win what will be their hardest game of the season, according to reports that have dribbled in to W. E.

Come One, Come All

Everybody, including you, should be at the P. T. A. program Monday night at which time the formal opening of the new \$73,500 grammar school will be held. The P. T. A. has arranged a short and entertaining program in the high school auditorium just before the new building will be opened to those who wish to see it.

Mere words, such as, modern, nice and many others, would not do justice to the school. Any child would enjoy attending this school, and after the opening tomorrow night, W. E. predicts that there will be many parents who wish that they were starting to school all over again.

The interior work is as nice as that done in a home. The lighting is perfect, which means no eye strain while reading. The floors are hardwood and varnished. When the keeper or a teacher is not sea bottom and at present their fossil remains are responsible for great bars of limestone that are quite often found underground along Red river.

The oil in the Kemp City field is found within one of these reef-like deposits. In the area around Kemp City this deposit is about 400 feet thick and of unknown lateral extent. The rock is highly porous in certain areas. These pores are due to presence of crystalline areas in the deposit, or to sheets of sandstones, or to a semi-rare type of rock described by geologists as oolitic limestone. The word oolitic means that the rock has the appearance of eggs—more particularly like a mass of fish eggs. The processes of the formation of this over rocks are but imperfectly understood.

Forming in Utah
 At the present time they are forming in Salt Lake in Utah near the mouths of fresh water streams that carry a charge of lime and other minerals in their waters. These waters, upon entering the mineral saturated waters of the lake, are unable to bear their load and the lime is precipitated in the form of tiny spheres of limestone.

A GOOD SCORE



Connie Mack, veteran manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, who recently celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday. The veteran baseball leader observed his birthday by "getting plans ready for next season," when he hopes to be in the thick of the pennant fight.

FFA Tourney—

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meats team, and it was decided that practically all of the boys will compete for one of these teams. A report of the Christmas toy committee was given by James Welch, in which he stated that about twenty families were given toys, fruit and candy by the F. F. A. boys.

Tennis Tournament

It was also decided that a tennis tournament among the boys of both Vocational Agriculture classes would be held. The winners of each class will be declared and then a final match will be held, of which the winners will be declared champions. The boys will play at noon and after school.

Members who were present for the meeting were: James Welch, Tommie Haseloff, Clyde Teal, Ken-

around it is tempting to take a good running start and see how far one can slide. The meeting Monday night is being held for you, the public, and you won't regret being there. If a person, after inspecting the building, can leave and not feel proud that his school system has such a splendid building, then it can be figured that he or she has little or no civic pride.

Howard Bursley Asks for Office of Foard Sheriff

Howard Bursley has authorized The News to announce his candidacy for Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector for Foard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July. Mr. Bursley has been practically reared in the county and for several years has been engaged in the implement business in Crowell. In making his announcement Mr. Bursley had the following to say concerning his candidacy: "During my long residence in this county, this is my first time to ask for a public office, and if I am elected I assure the voters of this county an efficient administration of the duties of the office. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence in this campaign."

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Home of Beautiful Women

From time immemorial, Arles, France, has been the home of beautiful women. It is one place where feminine beauty is so general that it becomes monotonous. In the ruins of the amphitheater here may be seen the gladiators' cells and the cages in which the wild beasts were kept between their battles in the arena. At Montmajour, near Arles, is the famous abbey of the Benedictines, dating from the Tenth century.

H. SCHINDLER
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DANCE
 A Dance will be held at the Stone Farm in Foard City, Friday Night. Everybody who will behave is invited.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

BANANAS, per doz. 12c
 50 LARGE BUNCHES

CARROTS, 3 large bunches 10c

GRAPEFRUIT, 3 for 10c
 EXTRA LARGE

LETTUCE, each 4c
 EXTRA LARGE HEADS

COMPOUND, 8-lb. carton .85c

BEANS, White Wonders 5 lbs. 35c
 COOK EASY

Tomato Juice, Two 10c cans 13c

SOUP, No. 1 can, 3 for 25c
 VAN CAMPS TOMATO AND VEGETABLE

CRACKERS, 2-lb. box 18c

CRANBERRIES, per quart 15c

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Announcement
 I have opened the filling station formerly operated by J. N. Johnson, 2 blocks south of the square on Highway 16, and will appreciate the continued patronage of my friends and customers. I will handle Phillips "66" Products, best on the market. Will also do washing and greasing.
 A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to visit me in my new location.
GEORGE CHRISTIAN

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Classified Ads

For Sale

FOR SALE—Model A coupe, one good milch cow and one water softener.—See C. H. Hough. 29p

FOR SALE—150 head of White-Face (spring) calves, 50-50 heifers and steers. All dehorned, excellent condition, and exceeding good stock. Also 75 head nice, young, stocker White-Face cows, good condition.—Address, Daniel Bond, Vernon, Texas. 30

TREES FOR SALE

We have 200 Chinese elm trees for sale at Methodist Church at 5c per foot. Receipts from these sales will be used to beautify church grounds. See church caretaker, Joe Powell, or E. L. Yeats.

FOR SALE—Complete one-row farming outfit—Team of horses and harness, 1 ton maize, 500 bundles of feed, chickens, cow, and other items.—Homer Whitte, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Thalia. 29p

FOR SALE—Woven wire, one car, anvils, vices, pump jack, 10,000 bolts, wheel bearings for trucks, cars and tractors; guns, rifles and pistols for rent; hand-made knives, one plow and plow parts, at Traders' Exchange, west of square. 29p

MR. AND MRS. E. C. KING have complimentary tickets awaiting them at The News office to the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday attraction, Shirley Temple in "Heidi," at the Rialto Theatre.

FOR SALE—Worth the money, good registered 3-year-old short horn Durham bull.—W. B. Jones. 29p

FOR SALE—160 acres, 120 in cultivation, sandy soil; improvements not very good; 1 1/2 miles west of Black school house. Not rented for 1938. Priced at \$17.50 per acre, 20 per cent cash, balance 20 annual payments at 5 per cent interest.—J. C. Thompson, Crowell, Texas.

NOTICE

NOTICE—Phone us for free pick-up service. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wallace, operating Nu-Way Steam Laundry.

Wanted

WANTED—To buy cattle and hogs. Milch cows for sale.—Middlebrook Grocery, Margaret. 29p

MR. AND MRS. GUINN HICKMAN of Truscott have complimentary tickets awaiting them at The News office to the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday attraction, Shirley Temple in "Heidi," at the Rialto Theatre.



STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Jan. 10, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend. HENRY BLACK, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 29p

No trespassing or hunting will be allowed on Big 4 Ranch in Foard and Knox Counties.—Frank Gilliland.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Bed room.—Mrs. C. McLaughlin. 29p

FOR LEASE—120 acres of farming land five miles northwest of Crowell, all in cultivation and improved.—W. L. Pechacek, Vernon, Route 2. 30p

FOR RENT — 25x100-ft. brick building on square. Suitable location for dry goods store.—J. W. Allison. 29p

FOR LEASE—174 acres of land 3 miles northeast of Crowell. About 100 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture land and plenty of water. See Harry Adams. 29p

MISS ANNIE BETTIG of Crowell has a complimentary ticket awaiting her at The News office to the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday attraction, Shirley Temple in "Heidi," at the Rialto Theatre.

Strayed

STRAYED — Red heifer, 20 months old, branded KKK on right leg. Reward. — Johnnie Wright, Margaret. 29p

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Tea and coffee pots should be rinsed with cold water, washed with hot water, scalded, dried and left open after each using.

Salads can be decorated by putting creamed cheese or whipped cream through the pantry tubes to form rosettes and other designs. A small amount of milk added to the water in which potatoes are boiled will make them lighter and fluffier when mashed.

CHURCHES

Methodist Church Sunday School at 9:45 to 11 a. m. Church service 11 to 11:55 a. m. Epworth League 5:45 p. m. No evening service next Sunday.

Margaret-Thalia Methodist Church Sunday will be the first preaching day of the year 1938 at Thalia. We trust that every member will make a special effort to be there. Bad weather and the holidays have hindered our attendance the last few Sundays but we are expecting a fine crowd Sunday.

We had a fine day at Margaret last Sunday. There were fine congregations for both morning and evening services. We trust that there shall be a fine Sunday School there Sunday.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. If you are not attending services elsewhere, we give you an invitation to be in our services and will give a hearty welcome when you come.

E. A. IRVINE, Pastor.

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.

Sunday, January 9, 1938. Subject: "Sacrament." The public is cordially invited.

Christian Science Services "Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Jan. 9.

The Golden Text is: "The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ?" (I Corinthians 10:16).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Great peace have they which love thy law; and nothing shall offend them" (Psalms 119:165).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "What we most need is the prayer of fervent desire for growth in grace, expressed in patience, meekness, love and good deeds" (page 4).

Two Minute Sermon (By Thomas Hastwell) I Have Learned To Be Content: In one of Paul's letters he said: "I have learned in whatever state I am to be content." The average reader, I am led to believe, does not realize, when he reads this, all that it means. Many men, I feel, go through the most or all of life, and spend years in the church as students of God's word and yet never reach the condition described by Paul in these lines. They never succeed in making religion a thing of which they can lay hold and put into practice in their lives to the point where they can summon it to their help to the degree that it will bring to them, as it did to Paul, and as it has to many others, content amidst discontent, and calmness and peace amid the fretful, disturbing conditions of life.

How valuable the ability to do this has been to many during the depressed years. It has served as a steady and a sustaining force when all other things on which we have come to rely have failed and proven inadequate. I feel that the depression, with all its unfortunate and distressing experiences, has been a test of men and women and their faith in powers and strength beyond their own. We are things go smoothly and circumstances yield readily to our efforts, we come to believe and rely on our own resources. We do not feel the need of strength or force outside and above our own, but when adversity comes and these things fail us, we must turn to help, other than our own. They are fortunate indeed who have so ordered their lives that they are able to do this, that they with Paul can say, "I have learned in whatever state I am to be content."

Thalia (By Minnie Wood) Miss Mary Ermin Owens of Foard City visited her sister, Mrs. Buster Ryan, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fleisher and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryson visited relatives in Okmulgee, Okla., a few days this week.

Jim Love and family and Mr. and Mrs. Montie Manchester of Ranger visited Mrs. Love's mother, Mrs. W. E. Pigg, here last week-end.

W. J. Long and son, Edgar, visited in Stephenville Sunday.

Mrs. Eddie Gray, Miss Christine Moore and Allen Moore of Odessa visited Mrs. M. E. Moore and family and Miss Ethel Wallace here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Edens entertained a large crowd of young people with a New Year's party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts and daughter, Clarence, visited their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Oliver, and family near Knox City last week-end.

W. A. Johnson and family visited relatives in Mineral Wells Sunday.

Gus Neill and family have returned from a hunting trip in South Texas.

J. N. Keesee has returned home from a few days' visit with his children near Rails, Lubbock and Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman accompanied their daughter, Miss Bessie, to Lubbock Sunday where she is attending Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Mortie Keesee and Joseph Keesee and family of Rails visited relatives here a few days last week.

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By S. L. Muntley



Items from Neighboring Communities

GOOD CREEK (By Viedie Phillips)

Mrs. C. E. Dunn has returned from Hedley where she spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Reed.

Betty Jo Love of Beaver spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitley have moved from this community to Vivian on the A. W. Lilly place.

Mrs. P. M. Hinkle returned home Monday after a few days' visit with her son, P. T. Quast Jr., and family of Wichita Falls.

Miss Marie Dunn of Truscott spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cox returned home Monday evening after spending Christmas with relatives in San Angelo. A. L. Cox Jr. returned with them. He was en route to his home at Lubbock. He spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Little have moved to the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Andrews have returned to their home in Dallas after a few months' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love.

A. L. Cox Sr. of Lubbock spent from Tuesday until Friday with his brother, E. M. Cox, and family.

Misses Marie Dunn of Truscott and Betty Lou Stinebaugh visited Miss Viedie Phillips Monday night.

Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh and daughters, Pauline and Betty Lou, and Mrs. Helen Stinebaugh, accompanied by W. M. Godwin of Claytonville, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Helen Stinebaugh's son, Jack Stinebaugh, and family of Eastland.

Tommie Polk and Wilfred Holland of Claytonville visited E. M. Cox Friday.

A. W. Fortner and Ross Campbell of Happy were here a few days this week visiting relatives and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Dunn of Black spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dunn. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Y. Campbell Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Black Harrison of Iowa Park, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Scott, made a business trip to Paducah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burson visited relatives in Gainesville last week-end.

T. H. Matthews and son, Homer, visited with relatives in Whitesboro a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burson visited relatives in Gainesville last week-end.

Mrs. Eddie Bird and Miss Velma Ryan of Odell visited Mrs. Jim Doss Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Spencer of Enid, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Al Gowdy of Monahans visited the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. French, and family last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cadie of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins here Sunday.

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Miss Tommie Grimsley has returned to Denton where she is attending Teachers' College.

FEATHERED SONGBIRD



"The Metropolitan was never like this," is evidently the thought of Lily Pons, who, garbed in this featherweight costume of vulture feathers, faces the camera from a jungle scene in her newest picture, "Hitting a New High."

turned from a hunting trip in South Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mortie Keesee and Joseph Keesee and family of Rails visited relatives here a few days last week.

Donald Chapman and Homer Matthews have returned to Lubbock where they are attending Texas Technological College, after spending the holidays with their parents here.

S. N. Dozier and daughter, Miss Vergie, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. H. A. Dodson, who is seriously ill at her home in Vernon, last week-end.

Mrs. Grover Owens and son, R. J., and daughter, Betty Jean, of Foard City visited Mrs. Bill Ryan here Tuesday.

Mrs. Raymond Grimm visited her mother, Mrs. A. K. Eden, in Vernon Friday.

Bob Abston and family and O. M. Grimm visited relatives in Brownfield last week-end.

W. L. Cox and family visited relatives in Lubbock a few days last week.

H. W. Gray and family visited relatives in Spur Sunday.

Miss Ethel Wallace visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wallace in Crowell Saturday night.

J. M. Jackson has returned from a hunting trip near Port Isabel.

Bill McKinley, who has been employed in the Stovall Grocery store the last year, left Thursday for Fort Worth where he has entered a business college. Harold Banister has been employed to fill his place in the store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morris and children of Clarendon visited friends and relatives here a few days last week.

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Mrs. R. A. Rutledge of Rayland and Mrs. Arnold Crisp of Flagstaff, Ariz., visited Miss Minnie Wood here a while Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Johnston, and family during the Christmas holidays.

Marvin Miller of Norman, Okla., spent Saturday and Sunday visiting his sisters, Mrs. Ben Bradford and Mrs. Walter Carr. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, who remained for a longer visit.

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MOTOR CARRIER NOTICE To Whom It May Concern: M. P. White hereby gives of intention to file with the corporation Commission of Oklahoma an application for a permit to operate a motor carrier for the transportation of inter-freight on following route, to-wit: An Oklahoma. All persons interested in this proceeding may obtain information as to the time and of hearing upon said application by addressing the Secretary Corporation Commission at Oklahoma City, Okla.

M. P. WHITE Applicant

LEGAL NOTICE The State of Texas, County of Foard. On this 15th day of December, 1937, J. R. Beverly, Robert and John R. Beverly, commissioners appointed by court to assess damages on No. 8, 9, and the west 1/4 No. 8, in Block No. 16, in Addition to the town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, it is alleged that Mrs. A. A. Ham, a widow, is the last owner of said property, by title duly filed with Claude W. County Judge of Foard County, Texas, by the Independent School District, petition having been filed on 15th day of December, 1937, alleging that the residence whereabouts of the said Mrs. A. A. Graham, if living, is unknown and if deceased, the name, residence and whereabouts of heirs and legal representatives also unknown; wherein the Crowell Independent School District desires to condemn said described property for Free School purposes; said commissioners having been duly sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint the place and time of hearing parties and said matters, at the office of County Judge, at House in Crowell, Texas, on 15th day of January, 1938. A copy of this order shall be published for the length of and in the manner as prescribed by law in obtaining a public publication to be and at the above designated place at 2 o'clock p. m. on Jan. 15, for the purpose of offering evidence they desire on the as to the damage to be assessed against the Crowell Independent School District, to be paid by said Mrs. A. A. Graham, her heirs and legal representatives in full of said property as above. Witness our hands this 15th day of December, 1937. J. R. BEVERLY, JOHN RASOR, JACK ROBERTS, Special Commissioners.

INSURANCE FIRE, TORNADO, Hail, Etc. Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin



I HAVE PAINS IN MY MUSCLES AND PAINS IN MY HEAD INSTEAD OF GOING OUT SHOPPING - I SHOULD BE IN BED. I USED TO SUFFER THE SAME WAY UNTIL I FOUND QUICK RELIEF IN AN ANTI-PAIN PILL. ANTI-PAIN PILL BEYOND QUESTION RELIEVE - BUT DON'T CAUSE INDIGESTION. Did you ever take a medicine to stop headache and have the headache stop and a stomach ache start? We'll wager you didn't take an Anti-Pain Pill. Anti-Pain Pills do not upset the stomach. They take effect quickly too—and they taste like wintergreen wafers. You can't do good work—you can't have a good time when you are suffering from Neuralgia Headache Muscular or Periodic pains Why don't you try the Anti-Pain Pill way to relief? We believe you will be delighted with the results. Thousands of others are. It will not cost much. Anti-Pain Pills sell for one cent each, (less in Economy Package) and one pill usually relieves. Get Anti-Pain Pills at your Drug Store. Regular pkg. 25 for 25c. Economy pkg. 125 for \$1.00.

Orphan Is Lamb-Raising Champ



Boyd Maryhew, age fourteen, of Belleville, Ill., an orphan, was the first of 2,000 boys and girls to win a championship at the national 4-H club congress in connection with the International Livestock show in Chicago recently. Boyd is shown with his yearling Southdown-Shropshire lambs which were awarded the blue ribbon.

BARGAIN DAYS WILL SOON BE OVER

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Bargain Rates on Star-Telegram Will Expire Monday, Jan. 10

CLUBBING RATES WITH FT. WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM	
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NEW YEAR'S PARTY

A. Y. Olds entertained a number of friends at his home last Thursday evening with a New Year's party. Games of bingo provided diversion during the early part of the evening. Darrell Meaders received high score favor in the games. Other table games were enjoyed.

From a beautifully decorated tree, each guest received a cellophane bag of candy. To each bag was attached a New Year's wish.

The guest list included: Laura Belle Whitfield, Maxine Johnson, Beverly Hugston, Virginia Thomas, Virginia Moseley, Reed Sanders, J. M. Hill, Ralph Flesher, Ted Croson, Wayne Cobb, Stanley Sanders and Darrell Meaders of Clarendon.

A delicious refreshment plate with sandwiches, cranberry mold, hot chocolate and cake with whipped cream was served at the conclusion of the evening's entertainment.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Mrs. Merl Kincaid entertained a number of little girls and boys at her home Monday afternoon to celebrate the third birthday of her little daughter, Marcia.

The guests were entertained with toys and ring games for some time. Mrs. Clint White, Marcia's Sunday School teacher, was present and assisted with the games.

The pink birthday cake with three candles centered the table. The little honor guest blew out the candles and the cake was served with ice cream to the following: Rondyne Self, Joline Lanier, Jo Verne Walden, Don Ray Burrow, Eugene Todd, Donald Todd, John Sanders, Barbara White, Jean Hugston, Virginia Male, Richard Male, Mary Ermann, Cooper and Joe Vernon Smith. Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and Mrs. D. E. Todd, both grandmothers of Marcia, were also guests.

Candies and chewing gum were also served and balloons were used as favors.

PARTY AT TRUSCOTT HOME

A group of young people were entertained with a party Thursday night, Dec. 23, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell. Games of monopoly, bridge, forty-two, and hinch were played, after which refreshments were served to the following: Misses Marguerite Westbrook, Marjory Browning, Mildred Black, Estelle Chilcoat, Katherine Browning, Geraldine Cure, Violet Baugh and Ia Masterson; Dennis Eubank, Dean Hutton, Charles Gillespie, Louis Eubank, Raymond Black, Wayne Cure, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Kenner, the honor guest, Miss Gladys Russell, and the host and hostess.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Henry T. Ferguson surprised her husband with a birthday dinner, in honor of his 32nd birthday Sunday. Those present for the occasion were:

Mr. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ferguson, and family; Mrs. Julia Myers and Mrs. Jess Boykin and two children of Truscott, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Narve Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Ferguson and son.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY FOR TRUSCOTT JUNIOR-SENIORS

A Junior-Senior party was given in the home of Miss Margeritte Westbrook Friday night, Dec. 31. When the Juniors and Seniors were 6th and 7th graders, their room mother, Mrs. T. M. Westbrook, promised them a New Year's party when they became Juniors and Seniors. Prophecies written then were read, and many games were played, after which refreshments were served to a large group.

MARRIAGE

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Frank William of Portales, N. M., to Mrs. Edie Morton of Clovis, which took place on May 15, 1937.

Mr. William resided in the Margaret community before he moved to New Mexico.

Pneumonia Always Dangerous to Persons Run Down Condition

Austin.—Pneumonia is a seasonal disease, in that the incidence and mortality is much increased during wet, cold weather, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is more prevalent and serious in towns where contacts with people are more common. Pneumonia is always dangerous but it is especially so to persons in a run down condition. This accounts for the number of cases following illness with some other disease.

The germs that cause pneumonia are spread by careless coughers, sneezers, spitters, and the things that they thus infect. The first symptoms are usually a severe chill and fever, a very sick feeling, loss of appetite, rapid breathing, and a heavy sensation in the chest. Sometimes coughing brings up blood from the inflamed lungs. Any of these signs should be the signal for going to bed at once and sending for your doctor.

The familiar rules of the prevention of other respiratory diseases apply to pneumonia. These rules should become personal habits and not be put on or off at times of prevalence or absence of disease. Persons should avoid careless coughers and sneezers, even if you have to be rude. Wash your hands thoroughly before each meal. Keep your hands, pencils, money and other such things away from your mouth and nose. Get plenty of fresh air day and night. Exercise and eat in moderation and wear clothing suitable for the weather.

Pneumonia ranks second as a cause of death in Texas. In 1932 almost six thousand persons died of this disease. It should be remembered that contagious and infectious diseases cannot be decreased or eliminated without the cooperation of the people and that means that people who are sick with contagious or infectious disease should be isolated and visited as little as possible by relatives and friends.

Jenny Lind's Grave

Jenny Lind, the Swedish nightingale, is buried in Malvern, England.

Activities of Foard County H. D. Women

(Myrna Holiman, Agent)

Three rooms and the hall have been recently re-decorated at the home of Mrs. W. O. Fish of the Vivian Home Demonstration Club. The hall floor was covered with a tan and red-figured linoleum to harmonize with the tan background of the paper which had been used in the living room and tan curtains added to the windows in the living room and the glass door in the hall.

A paper with a cream background and pink design was used for the bedroom and for the dining room adjoining it. White curtains were used at the windows.

A cream and rose building paper pasted on the wall was used in the kitchen of Mrs. Bert Matthews of the Vivian Home Demonstration Club.

Green was used throughout in refitting the furniture. Curtains and table and chairs were painted green. The woodwork is to be re-done soon.

LIBRARY NOTES

Louis Bromfield's latest and probably best book, "The Rains Came," tells a story of life in Manipur, a modernized Indian State. Bromfield, who has, until now, written of Middle-Western characters, by a stroke of chance or design went to India, and fell under the spell of that fascinating land. He took four years to complete his book in which he features the reaction of India on the white man, especially the missionaries who live there. He, unlike Kipling, ignores completely the Indian religion and philosophy, and dwells on the development of the personality of his characters in a background of earthquakes and ensuing flood, in the midst of the monsoon.

Edna Ferber says of this book, "A magnificent and noble piece of work, by far the best he has done. I shouldn't wonder if it is the best anyone has done in the past twenty years."

Amos W. Lilly Announces for Re-Election

A. W. Lilly announced this week that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector of Foard County for a second term and authorized the announcement be made in this issue of the paper.

In announcing his candidacy, Mr. Lilly stated, "I have done everything within my power to live up to the trust and confidence placed in me by the voters of Foard County in the 1936 election and will appreciate and ask their consideration in my campaign for re-election."

"During the year that I have been in office, I have done my utmost to make the people of this county a faithful servant in the Sheriff's capacity and hope that I

have done satisfactorily, and if re-elected will strive to be of better service in the office I seek for the second term. I have taken every opportunity during the past year to further my ability as Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, and feel that I am more capable of serving the people than when I took office one year ago. For this reason I think I am in a position to ask for a second term.

"My records are open to the investigation of the public and I invite the people of Foard County to my office for this purpose, should they want to do so."

"In the coming campaign, I will do my utmost to see each person in the county personally, but should I fail, please consider this as my solicitation for your vote. Any consideration given me will be deeply appreciated."

MOVES OFFICE

Dr. Clyde W. Bennett, doctor of chiropractic, left Friday for Harlingen, where he has moved his office. He had practiced in Crowell for several months and his offices here were located above the Liberty Cafe.

Now Comes the SALE You've Been Waiting For Beginning Thursday, Jan. 6th

Cy Long's Store Offers Its Entire Stock of Winter Wearables for Men and Boys

AT CLEARANCE PRICES

250 Men's Suits On Sale

We can fit most any man and we know you'll say these are the finest suits for the money, that you've seen in years.

REGULARS — SLIMS — SHORTS — STOUTS.

- \$19.75 Suits On Sale For **\$15.95**
- \$22.75 Suits On Sale For **\$16.95**
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50 Men's Overcoats On Sale

Not so many of these, but every coat is an excellent value and you'll be lucky if we have your size.

- \$14.95 Overcoats on Sale .. **\$10.95**
- \$19.75 Overcoats on Sale .. **\$14.95**
- \$24.75 Overcoats on Sale .. **\$19.95**
- \$29.75 Overcoats on Sale .. **\$23.85**

BOYS SUITS ON SALE

- \$14.95 Boys' Suits on Sale **\$9.95**
- \$18.00 Boys' Suits on Sale **\$12.95**
- \$19.75 Boys' Suits on Sale **\$15.95**



Men's Robes In Both Silk and Wool at Clearance Prices

- \$4.95 Men's Robes for **\$3.95**
- \$5.95 Men's Robes for **\$4.45**
- \$6.95 Men's Robes for **\$4.95**
- \$7.95 Men's Robes for **\$5.45**
- \$8.95 Men's Robes for **\$5.95**
- \$9.95 Men's Robes for **\$6.95**
- \$11.85 Men's Robes for **\$7.95**

Men's LEATHER JACKETS, WOOL JACKETS, LEATHER COATS and MACKINAWs ON SALE

- \$2.95 Grade on Sale **\$2.35**
- \$3.98 Grade on Sale **\$2.98**
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- \$10.95 Grade on Sale **\$7.95**
- \$12.95 Grade on Sale **\$9.95**

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Sale Begins Thursday, Jan. 6th

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- 2.95 Dress Pants on Sale **\$2.35**
- 3.95 Dress Pants on Sale **\$2.95**
- 4.95 Dress Pants on Sale **\$3.95**
- 5.95 Dress Pants on Sale **\$4.95**

Boys' Dress Pants On Sale

- 1.95 Boys' Pants on Sale **\$1.65**
- 2.50 Boys' Pants on Sale **\$1.95**
- 2.95 Boys' Pants on Sale **\$2.35**
- 3.50 Boys' Pants on Sale **\$2.65**

BOYS' JACKETS ON SALE

- \$2.95 Jackets for **\$1.95**
- \$3.50 Jackets for **\$2.65**
- \$4.95 Jackets for **\$2.95**
- \$5.95 Mackinaws for **\$3.95**

DRESS GLOVES ON SALE

- \$1.00 Gloves on Sale **.79c**
- \$1.50 Gloves on Sale **\$1.19**
- \$1.95 Gloves on Sale **\$1.49**
- \$2.50 Gloves on Sale **\$1.95**
- \$2.95 Gloves on Sale **\$2.35**

Manhattan and E & W SHIRT SALE

- Every dress shirt in the house included except whites.
- \$1.00 Shirts on Sale **79c**
- \$1.50 Shirts on Sale **\$1.29**
- \$1.95 Shirts on Sale **\$1.65**

Manhattan Pajama Sale

- \$1.95 Pajamas on Sale .. **\$1.65**
- \$2.50 Pajamas on Sale .. **\$1.85**
- \$3.50 Pajamas on Sale .. **\$2.35**
- \$5.00 Pajamas on Sale .. **\$2.95**
- \$10.00 Pajamas on Sale **\$6.95**

\$1.00

Sale of Men's and Boys' \$1.95 and \$2.50 SWEATERS

About 8 dozen of these and they'll move in a hurry. Be here early to get your size. Choice **\$1.00**

\$1.00 Hat Special

Only a few of these. They're the \$1.98 values for **\$1.00**

Cy Long's STORE

Sale Continues Until Saturday Night, Jan. 15th

SAVINGS

ON QUALITY FOODS AND FINE FOODS!

Hand-picked specials to make your shopping a real pleasure. Trade at this friendly store—where satisfaction is assured.

- MIRACLE WHIP quart jar **39c** SALAD DRESSING or SPREAD
- SCHILLINGS COFFEE, 2-lb. can .. **55c** (DRIP or REGULAR GRIND)
- W. P. COFFEE, 1-lb. pkg. **19c**
- CAMAY TOILET SOAP, 3 bars .. **23c** (1 BOTTLE SECRET PERFUME FREE)
- E-E-E BEANS, 3 cans for **25c**
- CORN, No. 2 size, Good Quality, can **10c**
- K. C. BAKING POWDER, 25-oz. can **17c**
- JELLO, all six flavors, pkg. **5c**
- OXYDOL, 25c size, package **21c**
- Green Mill Laundry SOAP, 6 bars **22c**
- Ribbon Cane SYRUP, gal. bucket **59c**

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FOOTBALL WAS NEW LIKE THE RIZZ BROTHERS

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The RIZZ BROTHERS

LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE

Another smashing musical 20th Century-Fox

JOAN MARCUS
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"Soak the Poor" (Crime Doesn't Pay)

FRIDAY NIGHT, SATURDAY MATINEE

"Born To The West"

John Wayne
Marsha Hunt
Also
"Dick Tracy" Chapter and Comedy

SATURDAY NIGHT 6:30-11

JAMES DUNN
SALLY EILERS

"WE HAVE MOMENTS"

Mischa Auer
Grady Sutton
—Added—
Serial and "Community"

Saturday Night Preview
SUNDAY, MONDAY

Shirley TEMPLE

'HEIDI'

Jean Hershey
Marcia Mae Jones, Sidney Blackmer, Arthur Treacher

Wildcat Falls

Added
POPEYE
CARTOON

Sportlight and News

TUESDAY MATINEE and Night

ADMISSION

10 & 15

JAMES DUNN
WHITNEY BOURNE

LIVING ON LOVE

Tom Kennedy
Good Comedy

NEXT WED. & THURSDAY

DUNN

THE AWB TRUTH

Gary Cooper
Joyce Kilmer
Vina Davis