THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

AND CROWELL INDEX

FORTY-NINTH YEAR

CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, T.XAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1939

MERL KINCAID CHOSEN HEAD **EX-STUDENTS**

Exes Hold Annual Meet In Crowell On Monday Night

Merl Kincaid of Crowell was eted as president of the Exdents' Association at its anl meeting held Monday night the Premier Hotel. Other cers elected were. Mrs. Moody sey, vice president; Miss May-Lee Collins, secretary-treasurand Henry Ashford, publicity

'he exes met at the hotel Monevening at 6.30 o'clock to ena program of which the first rt consisted of a reception and siting. Ralph DeShong, noted rician and ventriloquist of hita Falls, supplied a very entaining program during the sec-

ollowing the program at the el, the exes gathered at the vaim's Garage in Crowell for eir annual dance, for which the ixieland Swingsters of Vernon rnished the music.

In spite of unfavorable weathconditions, a large crowd atnded the annual affair.

Tri-County Cage League Organized By Seven Teams

The Tri - County Basketball League was organized at a meet-ing of coaches in the Chillicothe High School Tuesday night and is composed of the following schools n Foard, Hardeman and Wilarger Counties: Thalia, Medicine Mound, Five-in-One, Chillicothe, Harrold, King's High and Good-

Each team will play two games ach week, beginning the first (Continued on Last Page)

Mrs. T. V. Rascoe Left Sunday for a Visit in Philippines

She was accompanied to Lubbock

Mrs. Rascoe will sail on the Dec. 16.
President Taft Friday, Dec. 29, Mrs. Bassett was born on May and while visiting her sister in 8, 1867, in St. Louis, Mo. She the Philippine Islands will have located in Anthony as a stenog-

a visit of several months with her.

Dan Roberts Dies

services being held there Monday.
Mr. Roberts was a former resident of Foard County, spending the early part of his life here. He went to New Mexico many years ago and had served his county as on the farm and the halance is

Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary Dec. 17



Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox, who celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 17. Fifty-nine relatives, including nine children, 27 grandchildren and three great grandchildren, were present for the celebration at the Premier Hotel, home of

a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox were married in Georgetown Dec. 17, 1889, and have lived in Foard County since 1908, most of that time being spent on their farm in the Foard City community. The farm was sold three years ago and they moved to Crowell.

COLLEGE STUDENTS RETURN TO HOMES IN COUNTY FOR HOLIDAYS;

Foard Land Owner

Mrs. T. V. Rascoe received passage to the Philippine Islands last week from her sister, Mrs. C. N. Hodges, of Iloilo and left Sunday, Dec. 24, for Lubbock where she took a through Santa Fe train to Los Angeles, Calif. She was accompanied to Lubbock Rassett at the Sacred Harp Caths. Bassett at the Sacred Harp Catholic Church in Anthony Saturday,

the opportunity also of visiting rapher for a stationery house in Honolulu, and points in China and 1887 and later worked for Shep-1887 and later worked for Shep- bell, Milton Magee, Burke Bell, Japan.

Mrs. Hodges is in declining day lawyers. She went back to health and Mrs. Rascoe will make St. Louis in 1892 and stayed until Sept., 1893, when she returned to Anthony for the opening of the Cherokee Strip. She made the Trini into the strip and took up

ago and had served his county as on the farm and the balance is sheriff.



Huge gains in manufacture of munitions for domestic use is evidenced in busy munitions plants in the United States. Here a worker in a Dover, N. J., arrenal rivets the timing head on the end of a 75mm shell, one of the plant's most dangerous jobs. Workers are so busy they have little time to worry about the shadow of danger which hangs over the factor where death is packed into steel cylinders.

A large number of Foard Coun-Succumbs at Home

ty boys and girls who are accent this city in many years.

Strange as it may seem, the number of purchases did not take number of purchases did not take number of purchases did not take number of purchases. ty boys and girls who are attendin Anthony, Kansas spend the Christmas holidays.
Most of the students will return

next issue of the paper.
West Texas State College, Can-

yon—Bob Middlebrook, Miss Evalyn Evans, Burdell Nelson, Miss Mary Frances Bruce and Miss Ala Ketchersid.

Texas A. & M., College Station -H. K. Edwards, Banks Camp-

Sam Crews and Bob Lilly. Texas State College for Women, Juanita Brown and Miss Virginia

University of Texas, Austin-Glen Don Reeder. State School of Medicine, Galveston—Tom Ray Roberts.
Baylor University, Waco—Ber-

Southwest State Teachers College, Durant, Okla.—Miss Marie riously ill for the past six weeks. smooth form Wednesday night. nice Fitzgerald.

St. Mary's University, San Antonio—Garland Taylor and Garrett Middlebrook. Business College, Tyler - Ray

Business College, Wichita Falls
—Sam Russell, James Erwin and
Miss Margueritte Lewis. Thomas. College of Optometry, Memphis, Tenn .- Stanley Womack.

Fewer Cases of Drunkenness Here During Holidays

The number of intoxicated persons in Crowell showed a great decrease from that of other years, according to Sheriff A. W. Lilly.

Sheriff Lilly stated that there were fewer "drunk" persons in the city of Crowell during the holi-

the city of Crowell during the holi-days this year than he had ever seen in this county.

Only a very few arrests were made during the past few days and the sheriff's department reports a quiet Christmas for Crowell.

L. D. CAMPBELL SUCCUMBS AT **VERNON TODAY**

Funeral Services Will Be Held In Crowell Friday Afternoon

L. D. Campbell, 63, former sheriff and tax collector of Foard County, died at his home in Vernon Thursday morning at 6:30 o'clock after an illness of several

Funeral Here Friday Funeral services will be held in Crowell Friday afternoon (tomorrow) at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Crowell ceme-

Mr. Campbell was a resident of Crowell for many years and served this city and county as a peace officer for over 20 years. Since retiring from the sheriff's office here ten years ago, he and his wife have made their home in Vernon, where he served as deputy sheriff for eight years.

Merchants Report Better Christmas Business In 1939

better this year and in some in-stances purchases had increased two-fold, however, the merchants' business was a little under par during the month of November as a whole, but one merchant stated that his business up to December 1 equalled that of his total for last

efforts exerted by the merchants during the past month, which included displaying the largest and most complete Christmas stock for

Will Total More

The total number of bales of cotton ginned in Foard County for 1939 was 9,972 on Dec. 13, according to the Government report given The News by E. M. Crosnoe, Denton — Miss Mary Elizabeth Hughston, Miss Billie Brown, Miss At the same date in 1938, 8,188

bales had been ginned. There is no doubt but that the Dan Roberts, brother of Elmer Roberts and Mrs. W. J. Long of Thalia, died at his home in Clayton, N. M., Saturday, with funeral services being held there Monday. Mr. Roberts was a former resident of Foard County, spending the early part of his life here.

Dan Roberts, brother of Elmer Roberts, brother a

Reports from the bedside Judge Claude Callaway, who entered the Quanah Hospital Thurs- from becoming rusty, Coach Grady day of last week for an operation, Graves called his cohorts for workare that he is recovering satisfac- outs the latter part of this week torily.

Judge Callaway has been se- week, the Wildcats should be in

Defends Finland



Pehr Evind Svinhufyud, 78, former president of Finland who, according to reports, has enlisted in the Finnish army. He was president of the nation from 1932 to 1937.

FOARD COUNTY HAS WHITE CHRISTMAS WHEN BIGGEST SNOW IN MANY YEARS FALLS TO RAISE 1940 CROP HOPES



GREETINGS

As we are about to enter into the New Year of 1940, we want to express our sincere thanks to all who contributed in any way in making it possible for a newspaper to be publish- early Monday for a few minutes ed in Crowell. It is probably true that some people think and started falling thickly about that publishing a propagation of the morning. Snow that publishing a newspaper is a snap and a fine way to make MANY TO RETURN BEFORE JAN. 3 This increase in Christmas busimoney, but such is never the case, more especially during the afternoon showed over four inchefforts everted by the merchants countered and to some degree overcome, and the existence of a newspaper in Crowell today has been made possible by the advertising patronage it has received and by the cheerful support of its readers.

Coupled with these two essentials are long hours of hard

Coupled with these two essentials are long hours of hard a big jump, but merchants work and an optimistic attitude, which const said that Christmas shoppers pur- ble part in maintaining for Crowell and Foard County a representative weekly newspaper.

> Thanks again to our many friends, and we sincerely hope that 1940 brings you your every wish fulfilled.

-THE NEWS STAFF.

The following new motor ve-

fice of the tax assessor-collector

J. B. Fortner, Ford sedan.

Bill Dorman, Ford sedan.

rolet sedan.

W. S. Dodson, Ford sedan.

Borchardt Chevrolet Co., Chev-

Than 10,000 Bales CROWELL WILDCATS ENTERTAIN PADUCAH DRAGONS IN PRACTICE GAME HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Wildcats Suffer First NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS Defeat at Altus by Two Points hicles were registered in the of-

Following the Christmas holi- during the past week: days, the Crowell High School Wildcat cagers will swing back in-to action on Wednesday night in the local gymnasium when they entertain the invading Paducah Dragons. The Crowell quintet travels to Paducah next Friday of night for a return practice game. To keep timing and floor work

Suffers First Defeat The Wildcats suffered their first defeat of the season last

Thursday night in a rough and tumble game at Altus, Okla. The Crowell lads held the lead at the end of the first period, but had lost it at the end of the half. The score was tied at the close of the third stanza, but the Oklahomans managed to eke out a twopoint victory before the final whistle sounded.

Margaret and Thalia All-Stars Victorious

The Thalia all-stars and the Margaret all-stars were winners in a three-way cage meet held at the Thalia gym last Tuesday night. In the first game of the series, Margaret nosed Thalia out by four points, 37-33, and in the second game, Thalia was victorious over a Vernon quintet by four points.

CONDITION IMPROVED

The condition of B. F. Hinds, who has been critically ill at his home, is reported to be greatly tinued until late into Best Snow In Years This was the best snowfall to be received in this county since

oard County soared to new

now covered the county, which

MORE SNOW FALLS

As we go to press, snow is falling in Crowell and from reports it is also falling over the

This snow, which started about 7 o'clock Thursday morning, is covering the partially melted snow received on Christmas Day. The ground has been frozen during the past two days and if this snow conitnues long enough to cover the ground. Foard County will be blanketed in white for several days.

1931 and is the first time that snow has covered the ground on Christmas Day here in a greater num-

Estimates place the depth of the snow from four to eight inch-es, however, it was heavier in the southern section of the county. It

The first flakes of snow covered the ground by noon and

Escape with Minor Injuries When Car Hits Parked Truck

Mr. and Mrs. Decker Magee and daughter, Ada Jane, escaped with minor injuries when their car struck a truck parked on the snow-covered highway at Guthrie Monday evening about 7 o'clock. Mrs. Magee received a sprained ankle and all three sustained body bruises. The front end of their car was badly damaged and was pulled to Crowell by R. R. Magee and son, Milton, who went to Guthrie following the accident. Mr. and Mrs. Magee and daugh-

ter were returning home from Ralls where they had spent Christ-mas with Mrs. Magee's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Tharp, at the time of the accident.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage licenses were issued from the office of County Clerk J. A. Stovall to O. S. Easley of Crowell and Miss Maude Bruce of Quanah on Dec. 21, and to Horace Flowers of Margaret and Miss Louise Abston on Dec. 23.

War a Minor Problem to French Poils



Maybe this bearded French Poilu was window shopping for Christmas. Or maybe he just wished he had a razor and a piece of soap. Anyway. ie's gazing wistfully in the window of a perfume shop which is located, of all places, at the front lines. The French censor forgot to explain the ront line perfame shop. It has been a rather unusual war, and maybe the soldiers have time for life's finer things.

Texas Banks Make 850,000 New Loans, Renew Many Others same period.

New York.—That banks in Texas are actively meeting the credit
needs of their communities is indicated by figures announced by
the American Bankers Association
showing that the commercial
banks of the Lone Star State made

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als per bank was 857, and the average renewal was for \$1,644.

The average number of new
mortgages reported per bank was
155,947 outstanding loans totaling \$256,332,552. In addition,
they reported 2,469 new mortports received from 182 of the
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banks of the Lone Star State made ports received from 182 of the gage loans to home owners and individual applications, the banks way, hunters will do well to bear taking \$580,000,000 to business in the A R A or 21 per cent \$6,722,148 taling \$580,000,000 to business in the A. B. A., or 21 per cent \$6,728,148.

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Crowell Business Men and Individuals Wish For You and Yours a



Be in Store for You

The owners and employees of this bakery wish to express their gratitude for the many courtesies extended to us during 1939. We wish for our friends and customers the best of everything during 1940.

ORR'S BAKERY





OWENS Auto Supply



Sincere good wishes.

FOSTER DAVIS

GREETINGS

Best Wishes for 1940

PANHANDLE

Service Station

3 Blocks East of the Square



Saturday

Moyer Produce



IN 1940

May every venture bring_SUCCESS

EVERYBODY'S FOOD STORE





SELF DRY GOODS CO.

1940



For Your Happy New Year

Davis Variety





GIRSCH Service Station Texaco Products



May each day of the New Year bring a full measure of health, joy and contentment.

BIRD DRY GOODS STORE

"The Friendly Store"



have ever known

J. G. Cooper Conoco Products

SUCCESS to You and Yours

From

REEDER'S DRUG STORE

For your safety there is a Registered Pharmacist on duty at our store at all times

T. P. Reeder J. S. Wells Pharmacist



Expert Watch Repairing T. J. SMITH

JEWELER North Side of the Square



to a year of CONTENTMENT B. & W. Man's Shop



J. A. Stovall

Expressing Our HEARTIEST VISHES



The BEN FRANKLIN STORE

L. E. Archer, Owner

OUR MOST CORDIAL



BEST WISHES TO ALL

BORCHARDT Chevrolet Co.



May true happiness and good fortune be yours during 1940

O'CONNELL'S Lunch Room



NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

To our old Customers-our Old Friends of years' standing, and, to our newer friends and customers,

who, in the course of coming years we hope will be-come old customers and old friends; to all whose friend-

ship and goodwill have helped to keep the wheels turn-



to a Joyful. Gameful

Gas Company

WE WISH FOR YOU



NEW YEAR

Texas Natural

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.



Sincere good wishes to everybody.

A. W. LILLY



To One and All

A Happy New Year filled with happiness and prosperity . . . to one and all of our many friends and patrons. Good Cheer!

CICERO-SMITH LUMBER CO.

Genuinely Joyful. NEW YEAR

Roberts - Beverly Abstract Co.



BOOSTING FORYOUR PROSPERITY **DURING 1940**

> **CORNER** Drug Store

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Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Miss Lucy Jones of Abilene vised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jones, here last week-end.

Jack Miller, who is attending nool at College Station, is spendthe holidays with his parents, and Mrs. J. D. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Arval Whitman of

lovis, N. M., visited relatives ere this week. Ted Solomon and family of ton, Okla.

ils, Texas, visited relatives here week. Mrs. Willie McElroy of Wich-

Falls visited her parents, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Bridges and With relatives in Canadian.

Mrs. E. H. Roberts, here a daughter, Miss Edith, of Merkel

Mrs. J. M. Jackson and hile this week.

iss Emma Main of Lubbock vis-E. Main, here this week. Miss Oneta Cates of Abilene visher parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cates, here this week.

Douglas Adkins, who is attendrelatives here a while this week.

suffer from Colds?

relief from cold symptoms

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shultz, Mrs.

J. F. Matthews, here this week.

Bertha Shultz and daughter, Hel
Mrs. Frank Main and famil Crowell Sunday.

visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. week.

A. B. Wisdom, here this week.

Mrs. W. J. Long and E. H. Rob- atives in Lorain last week-end. erts were called to Clayton, N. M., of their brother, Dan Roberts, who end. died at his home there Saturday.

spent last week-end with relatives week. in Panhandle.

Frank Main of Mills, N. M., and a while Friday evening.

Oran Chapman and family of ted their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amarillo and Donald Chapman, old Banister of Vernon and Miss here last week-end.

Texas Tech in Lubbock, visitKent visited their sister, Mrs. HoMiss Tommie Grimsley of this this week.

Mrs. Annamark Woodward and holidays.

Mrs. Cleo Walls and family of Fort Worth visited her mother, holidays with relatives in Smith-Liquid-Tablets-Salve-Nose Drops Mrs. Jeine wood and other tives here, a few days this week. Mrs. Jeffie Wood and other rela- ville.

Lubbock, Carl Matthews and fam- week.

en, visited Mrs. I. M. Cates in and Sammie and Anton Payne of Edens visited with relatives Mills, N. M., visited their parents. Charlie B. Wisdom of Freer Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, there this days.

Miss Faye Johnson visited rel-Miss Daurice Durant visited Saturday on account of the death relatives in Cleburne last week-

Miss Imogene Wells visited her

J. L. Coppage and family visit-Lowell McKinley and family ed relatives in San Antonio this Mrs. McCary's brother, S. N. Mr. Meek spent the holidays

Mrs. J. M. Jackson and sons, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones Roger and David, visited relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Billie Banister of Nocona, Harwho is attending State University Euniet Banister of Fort Worth in Lubbock, is spending the holiin Austin, visited their parents, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Chapman, H. W. Banister, here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Browning. Bill McKinley and Bill Cates

place and Elmer Patterson of Red Ozzie Turner. Springs were united in marriage son of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Joe Friday afternoon. Mrs. Patterson who spent Christmas Day in the White and husband of Wichita is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Falls, and Mrs. W. H. Boyd of G. Grimsley of this place. She Ozzie Turner, returned to his Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. has taught in the Red Springs home Tuesday. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, through school the last two years. They Miss Marjory will reside in Red Springs.

Miss Billie Rumfield spent the with relatives in Winsboro.

Elwin Matthews and family of new are visiting relatives here this visiting relatives here, left Mon-daughter and sister, Mrs. Geo. Davis and George Crabtree and

Lawrence Boyd of Port Art.

visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs.

here this week.

Red Temple and family,

family and Mrs.

Mrs. Frank Main and family Temple and family and Mrs. Mack worth and small daughter, Bev- and family.

through the holidays. Mack and Raymond Edens visit-

J. Y. Lindsey and family spent mother in Petrolia through the holidays with the holidays with the holidays with the holidays with the holidays visiting friends here. Christmas with relatives in Lawvices for Mr. Dozier's father and Doier, here Saturday.

TRUSCOTT

(By Chrystalene Chilcoat)

Miss Katherine Browning, who attending school in Texas Tech Miss Mayre Jo Chilcoat, who Mr. and Mrs. is attending school in Texas Tech

Joe B. Turner, who has been at- ing. Miss Florene and R. C. Bell of visited in Wichita Falls Christmas tending school in Abilene, is spendhome of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Lee Linden Turner of Abilene,

Miss Marjory Browning left a few days ago to spend a few weeks Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abbott and the Christmas holidays.

children, Sammy Lee and Marilyn, Jack Wood and family of Lock- of San Angelo, who have been

relatives here.

Edens visited with relatives in Honey Grove through the holidays.

Worth and small daughter, Bevand I amily.

Jean McNutt of La Junta, Colo., Farmers Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Herman Green and family Ernest Earthman and family ducah to spend a few days with and family visited relatives in East Texas his parents before returning to their home.

Mack and Raymond Edens visited their parents in Anson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Abbott in and sons, Lynn, Larry James and Don Moore, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilbert ing her mother in Abbott in Abbott in Anson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Abbott in and Berinta, spent Chilberta companied Mr. and School Mrs. Fish's sister, home Sunday for an extended visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilbert in Abbott in Abbott in Abbott in Abbott in Anson Monday.

Weldon Tisdale of McAllen is Evans. visiting relatives and friends in Marion Benham, who is attend-Foard City and Truscott during ing Texas Tech at Lubbock, is in Louisians the Christmas holidays.

of Sagerton, who spent Christ-

Grandpa and Grandma Abbott ing the Christmas holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. of San Angelo are spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Edward Ratliff her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, Dishman, and family, returned to their home Monday morning.

is visiting friends and relatives family. here and in Foard City during

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Abbott ita Falls, is here visiting her mothand small daughter, Linda, who Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, left for their home in San Angelo

Monday evening. A group of young people were entertained with a party in the has returned home after spendhave been visiting her parents, home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell Monday night. Those present were: Vada and Vida Graham, Dorothy Ruth Holmes, Lozelle Haynie, Katherine Holmes, Anne Long, Marie Lamb, Bill Lamb, Lewis Holmes, John B. Chilcoat, Lloyd Graham, Lee J. Stout and Gene Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berg of Clovis, N. M., are visiting friends and relatives in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burnett and small son, Jimmy, of Sonora are during the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Sug Ryder and children, Marion and Cora Ann,

during the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Jones and children, Joe Reed, Jimmy Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Jep Haynes of Jene Bob and Johnnie Mirl, left Vernon spent Sunday with her

her mother, Mrs. R. A. Chilcoat. A group of young people went caroling Sunday night. It included: Katherine Browning, Estelle Chilcoat, Anne Long, Katherine Holmes, Chrystal Chilcoat, Mary Visited her daughter, Mrs. Bill Jo Chilcoat, Bettie Lou Stinebough, Vida Graham, Neva Mills,

Christmas tree Sunday night in the Bapitst Church.

VIVIAN (By Rosalie Fish)

Franklin Evans, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, is farm here to a farm at Big Valley spending the Christmas holidays in Hardeman County, Thursday. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans.

Bessie Fish, who teaches school at Anson, is spending the holidays with her father, A. T. Fish, and

family. Mrs. B. W. Mathews and daugh-Jean, returned home Sunday after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Keller, of Skellytown Skellytown.

Berdell Nelson, who is attending West Texas State Teachers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis, ing West Texas State Teachers
College at Canyon, is spending and other relatives.

Mrs. Bates McClellan of Dallas the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nelson.

Miss Elvira Marr, teacher at Anson, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

J. M. Marr. Margaret Evans of Tulia is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

E. T. Evans. Hughes Fish, who is attending Texas Tech of Lubbock, spent from Thursday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen

Fish. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beggs and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beggs and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Billie, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Beggs' sisters, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. J. E. Whatley, of Wichita Falls.

Eldridge Bishop of Fort Sill, Okla., spent Christmas with his wife and children and his mother. Mrs. M. H. Bishop.

er, Mrs. M. H. Bishop.
Miss Bernita Fish, who is at

tending Abilene Christian College, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Evalyn Evans, who is attending West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rasberry and baby daughter and Mrs. Ern-

est Johnson and son, Glendon, of Corpus Christi are spending Christmas with Mr. Rasberry's and Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. J. B.

Rasberry. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gauldin, of

Mary Helen Carroll, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carroll.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter, Bernice, and Othalee Nelson are spending the week with their

spending Christmas with his par-Mr. and Mrs. Homer Houston ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Benham. visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. f Sagerton, who spent Christ- Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Denton of Bill Dewberry. mas day with her mother, Mrs. J. of Paducah spent Sunday and

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dishman and Mrs. A. T. Beazley, and famhas been visiting her mother, Mrs. and family are spending Christ- ily. J. M. Chilcoat, and family, return- mas visiting Mrs. Dishman's fath-

B. Muse, of Glenrose.

ams, of Crowell. Lou Martin of Foard City spent of Sonora, who have been visiting Thursday night with Connie Faye and baby of Crowell spent Christ-

Loyd Mathews of Fort Sill, Churchwell, and family.

tending a business college in Wich- relatives.

er. Mrs. S. J. Lewis, and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and son, Billie, spent Christmas Eve day with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Alice Bowley of Wichita Fall ing Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

Miss Bennie Roberts of Denton and Miss Nell Clark of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark. Miss Ola Haynes of Vernon spent Sunday with her grandmoth- ton.

er, Mrs. Rentha Craiger. Miss Juanita Mansel, who has not be measured. visiting friends and relatives here been visiting relatives in Nocona returned to visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs, L. D. Mansel, during the holidays. Miss visited relatives in Fort Worth Thelma Raines of Nocona accompanied her, and visited friends during the Christmas holidays.

this week for Gainesville to visit mother, Mrs. Rentha Craiger. Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert visited in Levelland and Lubbock

last week. Mrs. J. C. Davis returned home

Barrett, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Newell Brooks of Bill English, Weldon Tisdale, Gay- Doans visited their niece. Mrs. T.

The people of the Baptist Church were entertained with a is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rut-

Miss Rebecca Shultz, who is attending T. C. U. at Fort Worth, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Key. Mr. and Mrs. Will Raines and family moved from the Dr. Moore Mrs. Arlie Dunn is able to be

up after an appendicitis operation in a Vernon hospital. Mrs. Ola Williams spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Elva Parkhill, and family of Parsley

Miss Alneda Crabtree of Crow-

Kilgore came Friday for a visit during Christmas with her grand-

is spending the holidays with ner parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rut-

ledge. George Tooley and family of Floydada moved to the farm vacated by Will Raines. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett and children of Paducah, Miss Margie

Lubbock, Carl Mathews and family visited ily of Denton, and Mr. and Mrs.

F. A. Brown and family visited Lawrence Boyd of Port Arthur relatives in Eliasville Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones of Borger are visiting friends and Mrs. Mr. Redwine, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Birdwell and F. M. Kilman and Mrs. J. C. Davis.

elatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Killings- day with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish family of Lockett, Mr. and Mrs. of Sweetwater spent Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Egebrt Fish and Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keenson, Herbert, and daughters, Rosa- an and Tom Davis. Mr. Davis ac-Mr. and Mrs. Barton Abbott lie and Bernita, spent Christmas companied Mr. and Mrs. Green

> daughter, Juanita, left Saturday for a week's visit with relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford are

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Garvin and M. Chilcoat, and family, left for Monday with her parents, Mr. and son of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with her parents,

ed to San Angelo Monday morn- er, Mr. Fulfer, and sister, Mrs. G. and daughter, Mrs. Bates McClellan of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and Quincy Rutledge of Elliott spent

> Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Huckabee mas with his sister, Mrs. Ernest

Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Beazley Gaylon Gover of Hobbs, N. M., his father, B. W. Mathews, and and daughters of Clovis, N. M., spent the holidays with his moth-Marguerite Lewis, who is at-er, Mrs. Josie Beazley and other

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Restraint is the golden rule of enjoyment. — Letitia Elizabeth

Enjoying good things is not vil, but becoming slaves to pleasare is .- Mary Baker Eddy.

Temper your enjoyments with rudence, lest there be written on our heart that fearful word satiety."-Francis Quarles. Let all seen enjoyments lead to the unseen fountain from whence they flow .- Thomas C. Halibur-

The value of carefulness can

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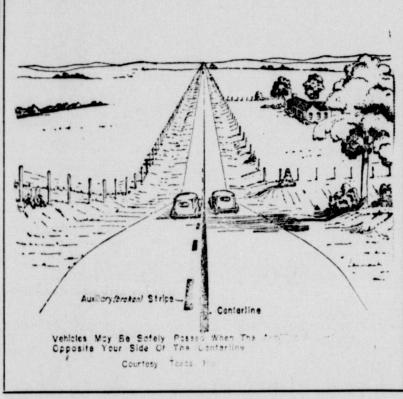
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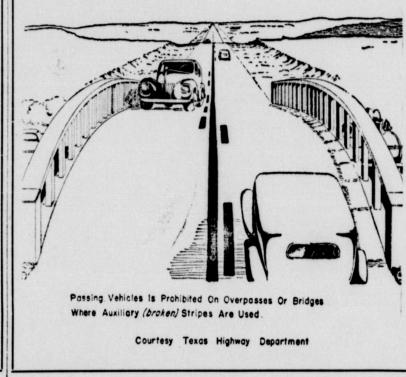
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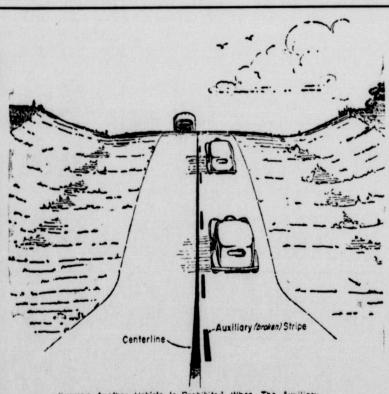
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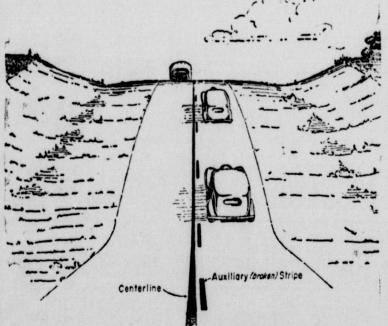
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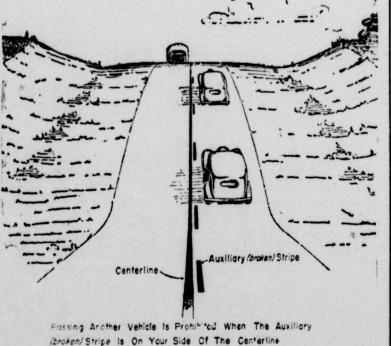
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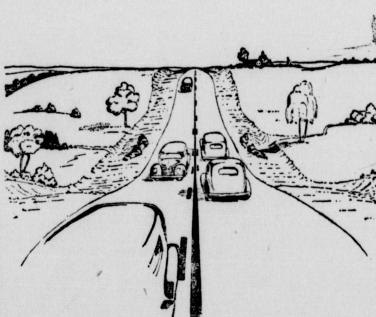






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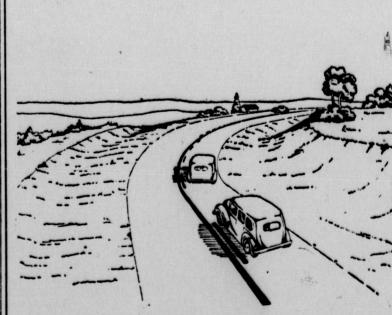
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I had rather be a door keeper in the house of God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness .- Ps. 84:10.

Farm organizations are protesting the Hull trade pact with South American countries on the ground that the shipment of South American food products to the United States takes from the American farmer his market. On the othhand the South American countries say that unless they can sell their agricultural products to this country they will not buy American manufactured products moters should not overlook. Any but will buy them from nations pension plan is a heavier burden who will purchase their food upon the already overburdened stuffs. It so happens that Engstuffs. It so happens that England, France and Germany stand ready to do this since none of these nations produce enough food are going to have to pay it. Mere-ly passing the law is not going to stuffs for her people. If the South ly passing the law is not going to actually disseminate hatreds and American trade is surrendered to cause money to grow on bushes false ideas. Whether they do or ed. "Whatever is the matter with American trade is surrendered to Europe as it will have to be unless reciprocal trade relations can be established, the European market will be lost to the farmers of survey of the sur the United States and the market stroyed. for agricultural products produced in this country will be limited to

in cycles, drouths and depressions this year. and good times and wars. Even the birth rate seems to move in occasion for alarm. We are in has a future. time will come when children will again become popular and young preme Court what President torians, and quite honestly. What, couples will cease to shrink from Roosevelt was unable to get done. then, can they do? In the first the responsibility and cease to live With the appointment of a successelfishly unto themselves and the sor of Justice Butler, President steadfast. They should resist all

nation but we can't imagine what the condition of the country would be if the farmers should go on a 40 hour week with time and a half for over time and a C. I. O. foreman standing by to see that the hired man didn't plow more acres a day than he should, or did creed. It sounds silly but is no a can upon a fire. sillier than what is going on in this country today in the automobile industry.

reel showing scenes in foreign lands, is that most of the men and women wear clothes that look as though they had been purchased and girls who live in our block.

Leisure Begins at 40



world's oldest horse. At 40 years of age, Harry is being retired to a Dedham, Mass., farm to spend his remaining years. Barbara Alger, granddaughter of Harry's owner, gives him a farewell ride. Harry, it may be added, is thoroughly depend-

Final Russo-German Splitup of Polish Pic



Creation of a puppet Polish state under Berlin domination is expected shortly as the final step in that doomed nation's division between Germany and Russia. Small area whose fate is still undecided probably will become a corral for German and Polish Jews, who will be forced to seek refuge there.

There is this thing about every old age pension plan that its pro-

what this country will consume. did example to the people of the ideologies are being forced upon The whole problem resolves itself nation by the announcement that citizens, one does not look for an into a "you trade with me and she expects to give to each of her unbiased presentation of historicinto a "you trade with me and I'll trade with you" policy. It is a complicated one and permits of no simple solution. The thing that will have to be decided is whether this country desires to assume a position of complete isolation in the matter of world trade, or be willing to meet the sitaution on a give and take basis. sitaution on a give and take basis. of a nice handkerchief would be majority of them cannot be ascermore appropriate and more ap- tained definitely, and their impreciated than most of the things portance varies with readers and Most everything seems to move that will be given to a like group writers of histories. Dr. Adams

The business section of a town same way, and the job of the hiscycles. At the present time the birth rate all over the world is going down hill. There are many bornes without children Dire was down it indicates the faith of the ficult when he must appraise many section is shabby and badly run children. Dire was down it indicates the faith of the ficult when he must appraise many versions of an event or incident. homes without children. Dire predown it indicates that the town dictions are even made on this evidence that the race is dying out, future of the town. If the busithat the fit who should rear chil-dren are shirking the job and collection of modern fronts and many cases as to the truth leaving it to the less desirable modern store and office buildings facts, and again as to the place group to produce all the children. We don't feel that there is any of the town builders that the town cocasion for alarm. We are in has a future.

You may think it has taken

toward exempting property from Russia has aroused. taxes and raising all revenue by

Adams Explains Why Historians Get Headaches

Rotarian Magazine.

Dr. Adams concedes that in Eleanor Roosevelt sets a splen- those countries where certain

suggests that rarely do two persons see the same thing in the "History is not, and never can be, They must, perforce, differ in

ers may see and paint the same berly Time accomplished with the Su- scene differently, so may two hiscourt now has but one conserva- racial groups, localities, and sective, Justice McReynolds, a south- tions), and tell their story as

The invasion of Finland by Russia constitutes the most ruthless people a long time to heed the and indefensible aggression of Golden Rule, but just consider modern times. Words are comhow long it has taken people to pletely lacking to properly convey learn so simple warning as the the condemnation everyone feels not milk more gallons of milk per one that cautions against the toward Russia for this ruthless hour than the organization had de- danger of pouring kerosene from act. Nothing that has happened in Europe has stirred up quite the universal indignation and resent-There is a drift of sentiment ment that this cowardly act of

The thing that always strikes us as strange when we see the news- es and fees. Such a plan will be world is measured by what he can proposed to the next Kansas legis- do for the advancement and betterment of mankind. The more a man can contribute in these things It often happens that the kind the more he is worth to the world. in American stores, and the boys of man the office seeks doesn't His value is in direct relation to his contribution.

Crowned Nation's Healthiest Sextette



Healthiest juvenile sextette in the nation is this group of club workers who were selected at the national 4-H club congress contest in Chicago recently. Left to right: Richard Crane, 17, Rushville, Ind.; Warren Cales, 18, Sandstone, W. Va.; Ruth Fitzenreiter, 16, Bel, La.; Joan N. Parks, 15, Liberty, Ind.; Carlisle Klein, 18, Black River Falls, Wis., and Leslie G. Warrant, 16, Kasota, Minn. Thousands of farm girls and boys took part in the contest.

But Once Year HANK goodness." said

Martha Goodwin, bustling about her kitchen, "Christmas comes but once a year." She wiped back a loose wisp of graying hair with a weary gesture. "But it will be fine seeing you again, Lad," she murmured, thinking of her distant son. "Now, le"s see. Those star cookies you're so fond She glanced at the hurrying clock.

Loud shrieks of laughter under her window interrupted her thoughts. Those new neighbor children again. If they were dirtying up her freshly swept walk! She strode grimly to the porch. There was a path in the snow from their yard, around hers, and back again to their own, where all four of them had apparently trudged, pushing a snow ball, across her walk in two places. A tussel started suddenly, and they were all tumbling about in the snow, shrieking at the top of their voices.

Martha scolded shrilly at them, and they stood up, an abashed little line of stair steps. "The idea! On Christmas, too!" Martha chid-

Then all the more rea-"Sick! sen why you should keep still. Shame on you." The little group stood like statues.

Martha tucked in the wisp of hair. "You children come in here and sit still while I work, and I'll



tell you a story," she invited. "Mind you wipe your feet." "I suppose it should be a Christ-

mas story," Martha began. "Do you know about the shepherds and the wise men?" "Yes'm," they chorused. "We

go to Sunday school," added the oldest girl. "Then," Martha asked her, "shall I tell you about Santa

Claus?" Her face clouded a little. "Mother told us that," she answered so-

"Oh," said Martha. She dusted the flour from her hands and turned to baste the turkey. Four pairs of eager eyes watched her every move. The doorbell rang. birth rate will again return to Roosevelt will have appointed five normal.

Roosevelt will have appointed five sorts of pressure groups (mostly members of a nine man body. The the so-called patriotic societies, Martha, slipping off her apron, and rushed to the door.

But instead it was a telegram: "AWFULLY SORRY DAR-LING BUT I JUST CAN'T GET AWAY STOP DO TRY TO HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS STOP GO ON A SPREE AND I'LL FOOT THE BILL STOP EXPECT TO BE ABLE TO GET DOWN FOR NEW YEAR'S AND WILL EXPLAIN EVERYTHING THEN LOVE LADDIE."

Martha Goodwin read it twice. Then she smoothed the straying wisp of hair and went back to the

"Well," the older girl was explaining, "it's sort of like a chicken, I guess, only ever so much bigger." The four children looked up as Martha entered. "Why, what's the matter, Mrs. Good vin?"

"My son-I was expecting himhe isn't coming."

"Gee," came a sympathetic chorus. "And you'd fixed everything so nice and-and Christmas-

"I'm not going to have it spoiled," Martha decided. "Here,"



she said and iraped the holly wreath over the youngest's arm. "You," she said to the next one, "carry the potatoes, and you take the mince pie-careful, it's hotand you," to the eldest, "take the vegetables. I think I can manage the turkey."

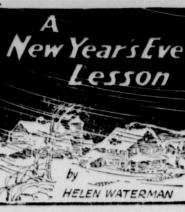
"But where are we going?" "Over to your house. Weren't you about to miss out on Christ-

mas dinner?" "Dinner first, then presents," she suggested, and when, having eaten all they could hold, they gathered about the holly, she found a crudely wrapped present for herself. It was a picture scrapbook, somewhat

smudged. Were those tears in Martha she was smiling.

"Why, thank you," she ex-"Such a lovely surprise: My," she added, "I do wish Christmas came more than once a year."

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VERYONE will be at the New Year's party but me," wailed Ruth, "and you promised to take me." "I know, daughter," her father re-

sponded, "but not in such a storm." "There probably won't be any party," Ruth's mother consoled her. "They'll have it some other time."

"Imagine a New Year's party at any other time!" Ruth laughed bitterly. "I never get any fun. Cooped up here on the farm all winter, and now when there's something doing, father backs down on his promise Scared of the storm! Why, I wouldn't be afraid to drive over alone." "Well, you aren't going to! All

right, I guess we can make it. Go get your things." Ruth jumped up and kissed him. Her mother's protests were scarce-

Before they had gone far Ruth admitted the storm was really worse than she had realized. The snow was not very deep, but the howling winds had piled it in strange drifts that made even their own gate and the familiar road seem queer and unreal. The windshield, except where the wiper swung back and forth, was blurred,



They Stumbled On Together, Feeling Their Way.

and she strained to make out the edge of the road. Her father also was having trouble.

"We'll have to turn back, Ruth," he said. "There isn't a chance. It's date. getting worse, too. Better to miss the New Year's party than the New Year."

"Of course, father." Ruth felt relieved.

The car swung around, the brakes jammed. The soft snow settled down under the two front wheels which hung over the edge of the road. "We're stuck, Ruth," her father said. "I doubt if I can get enough traction to back her." They got out, scraped away the snow and tried to lift the car, but one wheel was caught. Ruth shivered. "Hadn't we better hike home before this storm gets worse-and we get too cold?" asked Ruth.

Following the road proved quite a task. They stumbled on together, feeling their way, and at last the welcome lights of home showed them the right direction. "This isn't much of a New Year's eve celebration," Ruth admitted, "but it's a lesson. I'm making my New Year's resolution right now not to insist on my own way."

"That's right, honey," her dad replied, "and if you remember that, I'm sure we'll always have much happier New Years."

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Diaper Derby



Edward Moeller, a bachelor uncle, won the Kansas City, Mo., dia-Goodwin's eyes? Surely not, for per derby recently when he bested a field of five experienced fathers, completing his task in 1:02 seconds. Reason: He used a zipper-equipped diaper in which to enclose his young but co-operative nephew, Bobby



Can you tell us something of the tidings that you bring?
Do you carry happiness.
Enough to last the year?
Do you sing a song of joy

Do you sing a song of joy To cast out doubt and fear Perhaps a balm for heartaches You bring along with you; Perhaps a key to friendships To buoy us all year through.

We bid you welcome, New Year-our dreams we trust with you, Forgetting ills of all the past, we start the book anew.



January Was for Janus,

God of New Adventures HE month of January bears its name because Janus was the god of the opening year. He presided over the undertaking of any new adventure, and was a god known only to the Romans. The Romans adopted January as the first of the year from the reign of their second king, Numa Pompilius, who ruled until 672 B. C.

Not until the Eighteenth century was January universally adopted as the beginning of the year. England took the step in 1752, and Sweden in 1753, but other European countries adopted this New Year's day at an earlier date; France in 1564, Holland, Protestant Germany and Rus-



Since the White House was not completed during our first President's lifetime, the John Adamses were the first presidential family to occupy it. The first drawing room or New Year's reception was held in the "President's palace," as it was then referred to, on New Year's day, 1801.

Since the advent of the old age pension the family Bibles have come into use again in a number of households in which in the past they have been more or less neg-lected. Their owners became interested in them as a source of information regarding their birth

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4-H Corn Prince



'Good seed, careful tillage and good fertilizer"-that's Raymond Kreig's recipe for championship corn. Kreig, 17-year-old Oakley, Ill.. 4-H club worker, won the Corn Prince title in Chicago's nationwide contest. He produced 75 bushels of championship open pollenated yellow corn per acre on his profitable six-acre plot.

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F. W. Alger of Vernon spent ristmas Day in the home of his were Christmas visitors in ighter, Mrs. J. A. Stovall, and

Roy Mullins and Miss Jewell

Mrs. D. A. Davis and son, Jime, of Carter, Okla., were guests home of her parents, Mr. nd Mrs. Roy Fox, during the holi-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashford nd son, Monte Kent, were visitors

Miss Mary Sam Crews returned other relatives. her home in Houston Monday ternoon after spending Christand Mrs. S. T. Crews.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker P. Todd nd children of Seagraves are pending the Christmas holidays the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. Todd and Mrs. Edith Bell.

d son and Jack Babb left Crow- days. Sunday for Dodge City, Kan., visit Mrs. Kinchloe's parents. C. B. Aufill of Hollis, Okla., visey will also visit in Colorado ited his sister, Mrs. Jimmie Plunkof next week.

W. F. Kirkpatrick and Miss Hollis. rankie Kirkpatrick returned to owell Tuesday afternoon after

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Diggs and visit Mr. Diggs' father, H. E. tle Rock and Pine Bluff, Ark. C. Taylor in Wichita Falls a ort time Tuesday night.

er sisters, Mrs. Joe Withrow of George Carter. resno, Calif., and Mrs. Nolan eely of K. M. A. All three are

Happy New Year Our Best Wishes During 1940 OUICK

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Glen Goodwin returned Wednesday after spending the days with his parents in Wills

Howard Hamilton of Electra visited his aunt, Mrs. John B. Hutchinson, during the Christmas holidays.

Weldon Cogdell of Lubbock is Monday in the home of her spending the Christmas holidays her, Mrs. C. Bates, at Altus, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell.

> Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Myers home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Myers, of Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lovelady Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lovelady and daughter, Ann, of Vernon spent Christmas Day with Mrs. P. Friday with his brother, D. N. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bild of Oktober day with their daughters, Virginia Sue spending the week spent Christmas Day with Mrs. P. Friday with his brother, D. N. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stewart of two small daughters, Virginia Sue parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook, Mrs. Payton Powers. Sunday and Monday. Henry Borchardt.

> Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Turnbough and daughter, Joan, of Lubbock spent Christmas with Mrs. Turnbough's parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra.
>
> Miss Maymie Lee Teague, teacher in the Claude school, is spending the holidays in the home of Mrs. Mark Saunders of Carmi, Ill., was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Saunders last Friday. Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.

Miss Onnie Rae Braswell of Mcthe home of Mrs. Ashford's Kinney spent the Christmas holi-other, Mrs. Jim Kays, in Vernon days here with her mother, Mrs. Arbelle Rutledge, and brothers, James and Billy Braswell, and

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Grimes of an in the home of her parents, Edinburg returned home Wednesday after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Grimes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.

Miss Elouise Saunders returned to her home in Tulsa, Okla., Tuesday afternoon after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Saund-Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kinchloe ers, during the Christmas holi-

fore returning to Crowell the ett, and family during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Aufill is the floorman of the Weekly News of

Harold Hinds of Little Rock, nding the holidays in the home Ark., was called home last week Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lynn of on account of the serious illness n Angelo. They were accom- of his father, B. F. Hinds. He nied to Crowell by Misses Mary will remain in Crowell several ances and Lenagene Green, who days, although the condition of Il remain here for a short visit. his father is improving rapidly.

Mrs. R. L. Lyles returned Fri-Wayne and Charles, visited day of last week from a trip to St. Diggs' brother and sister, A. Louis, Mo., where she went to vis-Loughmiller and Miss Maggie it her husband, who is a railroad Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper in Noighmiller, in Waco Saturday, employee. Mr. and Mrs. Lyles visy went to Mt. Vernon Sunday ited friends and relatives in Lit-

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter and two small daughetrs, Jan and Saumbra, returned to their home in Dalbart Mordey of the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. A. H. Clark, and family in Oklahoma Mrs. Marion Ryder of Gilliland in Dalhart Monday after spending city. She was accompanied by mother, Mrs. Pearl Carter, and

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Larue and son aughters of B. J. Glover of Hen-etta. Mrs. Ryder's son, Marion with her mother, Mrs. L. Kamstra. is attending college in Fresno Mr. Larue returned to Sweetwat-staying with Mrs. Withrow er Monday and Mrs. Larue and on remained for a visit of severa

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sloan of La Mesa, N. M., arrived last Thurs-day to spend the Christmas holi-days with his brother, A. L. Sloan. They left Crowell Tuesday to visit other relatives in Stephenville and Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughston and Miss Mary Elizabeth Hugh-ston spent Christmas in Levelland, guests in the home of Mrs. G. F. Elliott. Mr. and Mrs. Dow Miller and daughter, Miss Florene, of Wink were also there.

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Claude Barry of Vernon was in Crowell Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Said and son of Sweetwater visited D. N. Bird and sons in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brothers of Shamrock visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Davis spent of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bird of Ok-Bird, and sons.

Miss Maymie Lee Teague, teach-

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Diggs and daughter, Larue, visited Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. White, of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Seale and daughter, Betty Jean, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Seale, in Apache, Okla., over the week-

Dr. and Mrs. Grady Hayes of Amarillo visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Saunders, Sunday, returning to their home Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Campbell of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright and sons of Electra visited in the nome of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hinds and Harold Hinds spent last Sunday with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. C. Sheldon, and husband, near Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Stout and baby son, Lyn, of Wichita Falls, spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting Mrs. Stout's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cooper and

and Mrs. P. P. Cooper spent Sunday and Monday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, Miss Frances Hill and J. M. Hill Jr.,

children, Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Roy

Mack Boswell of Brownwood and his brother, Jim Boswell of

Austin. spent several hours here Saturday as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney and

daughter, Sharon Sue, went to Odessa Saturday night and spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Haney's sister, Mrs. J. H. Cope, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harrison and family of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Andrews and S. E. Major of Vernon spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews and other relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Plunkett and daughter, Paula; Mr. and Mrs. Hagan Whatley and Mrs. Herman Fox and son, David, vis-ited relatives in Hollis and Gould, Okla., Sunday.

Mrs. S. H. Ross and daughter, Rebecca, left Sunday for Anna to visit relatives. They will return home next Sunday accompanied by Miss Thelma Jo Ross, who has been visiting in McKinney for sev-

Mrs. Leo Spencer.

Mrs. Virginia Welch and son. Joe, of Sherman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway, during the holidays and re-Mrs. Dan Callaway.

Teachers' College at Alpine, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. C. McKown, and wasn't it too bad for one-time other relatives and friends.

Miss Nancy Cogdell came in Tuesday night from Wichita, Kan., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, and other relatives and friends. Miss Cogdell reports snow all the way.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Swaim had as their holiday guests, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Swaim

Miss Mattie a happy New Year.

© Western Newspaper Union. of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Lebert Swaim of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Griffith of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and son, Joe; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and son, V. A., and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell McKinley and son, Lowell, of Thalia spent Christmas
Eve with their mother, Mrs. J.
W. McLaughlin, in Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and son visited relatives in Mineral Wells during the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Truett of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bell during the past week-end.

Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bell are here

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stewart of

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hestand returned Monday night from a visit teaching in the Childress High with relatives in Mineral Wells School, arrived last week to spend and Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and son. on, Joe, were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cato, of Vernon on Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Q. V. Winningham and daughters visited her parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gordon, of Mountain View, Okla., from Saturday till Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Long and their children, Margaret and John Clark, were Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bomar of Henrietta.



DDIE ROOT and Mattie Campbell had always been friends until Miss Mattie claimed Miss Addie's dog chased her cat and tore up her flowers. The fence was built and the boundary line of the two places ran so close to Miss Addie's gooseberry bush that some of the branches of the bush hung over the fence. The bush belonged to Miss Addie but the



fruit on Miss Mattie's side of the fence Miss Mattie claimed. So Miss Addie picked the fruit on her side of the fence and Miss Mattie that on

Last summer, being sure that Miss Mattie was away from home, Miss Addie went in through the rear gate and picked the fruit on Miss Mattie's side of the fence. The Markham Spencer will return to Lubbock, where he is employed with the Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., Monday after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and eve was from that fruit. The jar had held candied ginger in Miss Addie's childhood and she recalled how Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hayes and daughter, Verna, of Elk City. Okla., were here Saturday and Sunday visiting Mr. Hayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hayes, and Mrs. Hayes' brother Bart the place where the bush and Mrs. Hayes' brother, Bert which had caused so much trouble Hanks, and family. now grew. She recalled the many happy times she and Miss Mattie had spent together-the times when Miss Mattie had been a real friend in need-had helped to ease some hurt or lighten some sorrow. What turned to her home in Sherman hurt or lighten some sorrow. What Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. and a pity it seemed that such friendship should ever be broken. Miss Addie's dog had been given away Miss Dorothy Pauline McKown, long ago, and Miss Mattie's cat had who is attending Sul Ross State wandered away from home and friends to remain enemies? Wouldn't it be better to turn over a new leaf this New Year's day and renew their friendship? It seemed so to Miss Addie and

she resolved not to waste another minute, but do it right away! So with a jar of jam in her hand and love in her heart she went to wish

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On New Year's eve midnight masses and watchnight services are held everywhere, while those less inclined to religious observances way.

Mrs. Bernice Reynolds of Dallas and son, Bill Cash, of Brownwood spent Christmas night with ing the Christmas holidays in the Mrs. H. E. Hays and family.

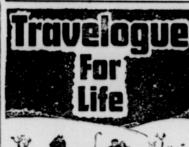
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crowell tin Monday. and baby daughter and J. Miss Leona Young of Dallas spent Christmas with her sister, ter part of last week. Crowell visited in Dallas the lat-

this week in the home of her par- from Shallowater visiting Mrs. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. holidays. ents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard King, Bell's father, J. R. Ford, and oth- A. L. Sloan, returning to her home in Dallas Tuesday afternoon.

> Fred Borchardt, and other rela- visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. tives. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall-

mark and two sons of Kermit and Howell Hallmark of Hobbs, N. M. visited relatives in Crowell during the Christmas holidays. Miss Lona Johnson, who

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry John-



VE just had a thought," said Marcia, "and it's a

They were tucked cosily beneath a bear rug in an old-fashioned sleigh, gliding along under the stars to the silvery jangle of bells.
"Tell me at once," commanded Jerry, "I collect grand thoughts as a hobby."

Marcia laughed. "Tonight is New Year's eve, and if," she sat up straighter in her eagerness, "the sun were shining, and we were going with it, just as fast, I meanwe could yell down Happy New Year to the whole world as we rolled along!"

Jerry was amused and indulgent. "Don't you see," continued the girl "we're all so used to thinking of events happening just

.where we are. and not following them on and on . The idea rather gets you." "Around the world in 24 hours zippy trave-

here, Jerry, you and I are going to be married soon, and I sort .of hope we can,

rell, keep our thoughts up and off "What an odd idea. Usually coming brides are chattering of linen

and silver." She pressed her hand on his arm. 'Stop the horse a minute, please. There-let's both lean back and look up at the sky, and fill our eyes with stars, and space . . . and time-going-on. Maybe, if we drink deep enough," her voice was husky with feeling, "we won't get all tangled up with trifles. I'm a little afraid sometimes, of our days

ahead, Jerry." "Afraid?" The man's voice sounded hurt.

"Only that I'll get a habit of low-visibility.' "You mean," Jerry leaned over to take her hands "you want always to remember that new happiness, new ways of thought, and New Years, go ringing around the world with the sun; that time does not circle around one small set

of people or circumstances?" "Yes, yes, Jerry! Let's make a pact together, now. Not to think little thoughts about little events that happen to our little selves."

"Fine. I'm with you!" "And to remind each other now and then, to stop, and get the true sense of time and space and world-bigness going on and on." "Done, darling! New Year's resolution for a happy life: KEEP

THE SUN, MOON AND STARS IN YOUR THOUGHTS . . . and you'll never be narrow-minded!" Jerry kissed her. "Hear the bells ringing in town? Aren't they far and sweet?" whis-

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pered Marcia. "Midnight circling

the world. New Year's in a min-

NEW YEAR'S BELLS

FROM the earliest times the ringing of bells has been employed as a method of announcing death, and the use of bells at New Year's eve symbolizes the death of the old year. In England it was formerly customary to ring muffled bells just before twelve, and at twelve to remove the wrappings and to allow the bells to ring loudly.

Mrs. H. Schindler, during the holi-

home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberts, will return to Aus-

J. T. Braswell and Miss Retta Braswell of Oilton, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller and in the home of Mrs. T. L. Collins daughter, Miss Freda, of Chil-Miss Inez Sloan spent Christmas and family during the Christmas dress visited friends in Crowell

Miss Elsie Mae Cook, manager

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rasberry of Corpus Christi were visitors the home of his mother, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry, during the holidays.

Lovington, N. M., visited in the Tuesday. Mrs. Wright will spend home of her parents, Mr. and a few days there. Mrs. J. H. Carter, during the holi-

Miss Edith Hutchinson, a student in Sul Ross State Teachers' College at Alpine, spent Christ-man in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Odom.

Miss Dorothy Florence Hinds of Barstow was called home last Thursday on account of the se rious illness of her father, B. F. Hinds. Mr. Hinds is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Said and children of Childress visited D. N. spent Christmas Eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Elliott of Wink were guests in the home of and Mrs. and Mrs. Lee Black visents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Calla- Mrs. Elliott's parents, Dr. and ited friends in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sloan left

Joe Ben Roberts, who is spend-atives in Gainesville and Terrell. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Fisch of Wink

visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas, this

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byars of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Gibson and of the Speer's Store in Jal, N. M., Lubbock spent Monday and Tueswas a visitor in the home of her day with their daughter, Mr. and

> A. F. Wright, who has been in Rock Springs in the employ of the T. C. Hampton Men's Clothiers for the past several weeks, came home Sunday to spend Christmas with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Rolla R. Jones of Wright returned to Rock Springs



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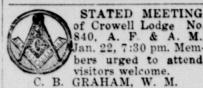
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NOTICE



of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Jan. 22, 7:30 pm. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. GRAHAM, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

MRS. T. E. WOMACK of Crowell guest tickets awaiting them at The News Office to see "Golden Boy" at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday. view, Sunday or Monday.

Saturday Night,

January 20. Members urgently requested to attend. Vis-WISDOM, W. M.



Meets tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at the Odd Fellows hall. members are urged to attend. M. N. MORRIS, N. G. T. M. WHITBY, Sec.

28-1tp MR. AND MRS. W. B. SHORT of CROWELL have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at The News office to see "Golden Boy at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday,

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(By Opal Garrett)

daughter, Wanda Jean, and Mr. supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. and Mrs. Lee Dudley and Mrs. W. Carroll Sunday night. with their sister, Mrs. J. A. Gar- roll, and family. rett, and family.

Cecil Carroll came home Tuesday of last week from Texas Tech at Lubbock to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.

School was closed last Thursday on account of diphtheria in the school and also for the holi-

family and Milburn Carroll spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Garrett of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Avers

W. Carroll and family. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and He arrived Wednesday. nd Mrs. J. A. Garrett and fam- S. Ray.

Juanita Shult of Margaret spent ing

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Tuesday night with Wilma Fay Christmas tree.

RIVERSIDE

Leyman Solomon is ill with the is attending North Texas State resumed Monday, January 1 at 8 Teachers' College in Denton, is a. m. father, J. L. Short, and family. is attending Crowell high school, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kern and is spending the holidays with her days.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett and daughter, Barbara Kate, of Lock-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradett and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whit-ford. ten and sons, Joe and Rex, visited ten and sons, Joe and Rex, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Walker Texas A. & M. College, came and children left Friday for Floy-

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and on, Aldon Roy, of Margaret and Billie Ray, of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. Otto Schroeder Saturday.

Homer and Leroy Forester, who Tom Ward, who visited in Wichita en route to Grapeland to visit relare spending the holidays with Falls Thursday.

Forester and Mr. and Mrs. M. F.
Forester and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin
Forester, of Lockett.

The three-act comedy play,
"Civil Service," which was presented in the Riverside school auditorium Thursday night was well attended. Proceeds went to the results of the resul

(By Bonnie Schroeder)

Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ayers and and son, Don, G. W. Ayers and son, Joe, and daughter, Gertrude, of Caddo Mills spent Thursday Christmas holidays with his particular of Caddo Mills spent Thursday Christmas holidays with his particular of Can Adkins. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker and Mrs. Gr

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Garrett of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Tole, who Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Tole, who Ray home and were accompanied near San Antonio, arrived Satur-

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F.

attended. Proceeds went to the until Tuesday.



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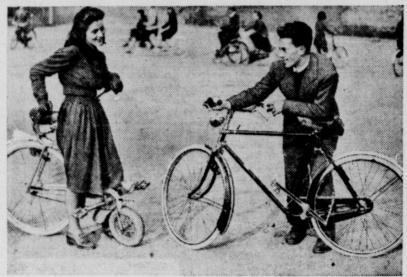




by S. L. Huntley, Trade Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Office)

Italian Cyclists Start New Travel Vogue

By S. L. HUNTLEY



Dicycles den't use gasoline-that's why they're so popular in Italy. Here's a new design. The high wheel bike is reversed and the saddle is placed between the handlebars, which steer from the back. Notice the pedal arrangement on the bicycle at the right. The pedals do not make a full turn, but propel the vehicle by special gears.

Parent-Teacher Association, spon- and Mrs. J. L. Rennels during the

sors of the drama. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdwere present for the gay celebration. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tole and children of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. John Tole of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tole of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Tole of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Tole of Fort Worth spent from Saturday until Christ-L. Z. Tole and Miss Ruby Tole of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward and children of Riverside, Glen Tole who is a student of Tex-as A. & M. College at College Sta-tion, and Mr. and Mrs. Hibit Gris-

ham of Byers. presented a Christmas pageant, Crowell. "The Quest of the Wise Men," in Joe V entertained with several Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs.

Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs.

Houston Adkins and Mrs. R. C.

Huntley of Thalia and Mr. and

tributed by "Santa Claus" and his

tributed by "Santa Claus" and his

Mrs. Forest Houston and children

They were such a jolly pair and helpers from the community of Memphis.

daughter, Wanda Jean, and Mr. supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. and Mrs. Lee Dudley and Mrs. W. Carroll Sunday night.

Vina Lummus of Bonham are Venson Hall of Denton is visit
spending the Christmas holidays.

McCoy and children of Black were lifet and Joyce Landrum of Abrillian Mrs. Raymond Oliver and sons of Christmas with Mrs. Claxton's Knox City are visiting his sister, Venson Hall of Denton is visitspending the Christmas holidays ing his sister, Mrs. Claudius Car- ford. Mr. Claxton joined the group while Mrs. Oliver attended the fuhere Christmas Eve and they all neral of her uncle, Dan Roberts, returned home Christmas Day. in Clayton, N. M. John Winston Bradford accompanied them home.

spending the holidays with her Miss Bennie Lee Bradford, who

dada to make their home.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker and son, Bill, of Floydada visited Mr.

home by Bedford May. Ernest Gloyna, who is attend- Miss Jewel Ward, who is a stu-Texas Technological College dent in a Wichita Falls business Mrs. Sam Tole. in Lubbock, arrived Tuesday night college, came Friday to spend the to spend the holidays with his par- holidays with her parents, Mr. and ents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mrs. Tom Ward. She came with ents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mrs. Tom Ward. She came with Gloyna. He was accompanied by Frank Ward and son, Louis, and Mrs. Frank Ward and son, Louis, and Mrs. Frank Ward with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward while

Miss Arlene Rice, who is an instructor in the Riverside school, Day.

holidays with her parents, Mr. and Saturday ot spend the Christmas panied Mr. and Mrs. Hibit Gris- Rheay. ham of Byers, who came to visit relatives here Saturday. The group returned from Quanah Tuesday.

Tuesday.

Kneay.

J. F. Belew Jr. of East Vernon spent Monday night with M. J. Cribbs.

Mrs. S. C. Starr and children.

arrived Friday to spend the holi-children of Stroud, Okla., spent ter, Mrs. Abe White, in Sanitorium days with relatives here. They Christmas with relatives here. returned home Christmas Day. Jean Lamar Matthews of The

sons, F. L. and Clark, of College Scales. Station came Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burba and noon Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels daughter, Beverly Bane, of Pam-Carr.

holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole left

Tole was the scene of a Christ- Christmas Day for Dallas to visit Mrs. Odis Claxton of Abilene

spent from Saturday until Christ-mas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cribbs and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Belew, of East

Vernon Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Whitten spent Christmas Day with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox, of dy who introduced the two of them

Joe Van Johnson, son of Mr. the Riverside school auditorium and Mrs. R. C. Johnson, was se-Friday night. Preceding the riously ill during the week-end.

Pageant the school Rhythm band Visitors in the Cap Adkins home

Mrs. Odis Claxton and son, to spend the Christmas holidays the only thing she had prepared.

ohn Winston Bradford accompa-ied them home.

The Riverside school dismissed

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr, accom-panied by Bob Miller and family Friday afternoon for the Christ- of Shamrock, were dinner guests Miss Johnnie Mae Short, who mas holidays and studies will be of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sitton of Five-in-One Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rheay and

daughters, Geraldyne and Edyth. of Tyler visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rheay. They arrived Christmas Day and returned Glen Tole, who is a student in

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and

son and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ward vistied Mr. and Mrs. Leon Taylor small chain of meat markets and of Idalou and Mrs. J. D. Patterson of Shafter, Calif., who is vis- and that he had given her sufficient iting in the Taylor home, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Tole, who

day to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Kennedy and son, Francis, of Stanton spent

Seymour visited friends and relatives here Christmas Eve and

is spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in Vernon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Huchingdaughter, Carolyn, went to Qua- son and daughters, Robbie Jo and nah Christmas Eve to spend the Berna Dyne, of Overton came Mrs. J. L. Grisham. They accom- holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

HAPPY NEW YEAR MUSH By Luella B. Lyons

EAH MERWIN had been the one elected to stay at home worship with us. when the others went into town in the old flivver to the morning New Year's service at the church. Someone had to remain at home to watch the stock and, too, Leah hadn't a new or even a decent coat. Jake Merwin was having tough sledding in financial afvoiced, so Leah never told him of her need.

"I wouldn't have minded if it hadn't started snowing the minute their backs were turned and nowthey won't tackle driving home in this weather," but Leah's words



stopped at once as she made out in the swirling snow a car that was stopping in the barnyard. The plump | Lord. figures of a man and a woman were making a wild dash for the protection of the house.

"We saw we couldn't go another turn of the wheels," the sweet, as Mr. and Mrs. Tom Madison, 11 miles to the east of Borger. "We hoped to spend New Year's and visit at our son's, Tom Junior's over at Borger, but now-well, we

Leah even forgot to be embar-George Hembree left Saturday rassed when she had to serve them (By Opal Garrett)

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Marr of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dudley and Mrs. Be fresh milk and coffee. Supper consisted of the same fare and so did breakfast the next morning, but



the farm and the Madisons, via those breaks, went on their belated

"It will be a happy New Year every day for a year for us, Momsy," Leah shouted when the Madisons were out of sight. To a smiling but perplexed family, Leah explained that Mr. Madison owned a small cross road grocery stores orders for slabs of cornmeal mush just like she had served him and his good wife, for all those stores for one year at least. "The labels on this mush, he said, are to read 'Lady Leah's Prize Mush,' " When the trio had quieted down a bit she added: "The money end of the contract will settle all our financial difficulties for the year and who knows, maybe forever!" @ Western Newspaper Union.

-CONTRACTOR

Beginning of the Year

As early as 251 B.C., the Romans accepted January as the beginning of the year. They named the month in honor of Janus, the two-faced god, as looking both into the past and the future. During the Middle Ages the year was made to begin at various dates. In England, in 1751, January was made the first month by act of Parliament.

pa came Christmas Day to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

Mrs. H. L. Taylor, and Mrs. R. G. Whitten, accompanied by Mrs. Tuesday.

Mrs. S. C. Starr and children, G. Whitten, accompanied by Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and Mrs. H. G. Simmonds and S. C. Starr and H. V. Simmonds and of Stroud, Okla., visited their sis-Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rennels and ons, F. L. and Clark, of College tation came Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burba and Ir. and Mrs. J. Railey Rennels Reverly Rennels and Mrs. Walter

Navy Chieftains

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock. Sunday, December 31, 1939. Subject: "Christ Jesus."

The public is cordially invited. East Side Church of Christ

Bible classes at 10 o'clock Sunlay morning. Communion at 11 a. m. Everyone is invited to come and

First Methodist Church

Test yourselves! Business men taking inventory discover their gains or losses. How about a spiritual stock-taking? Are you just getting by, or, are you making good? The past year, like an echo fairs without one more need being | mountain, definitely shouts back at us. But our encouragement for the future is that, "Hope rises superior to History." Christ said, "Follow Me and I will make you to become." And Paul knew there could be no failure when Christ lives in us. What if one should come and

exhibit the record of our sins and Snyder, top, will become full ad failures? What would we do about miral and commander of the battle it? Would we endeavor to over- force. Announcement was made re come sins and failures, and let cently by Acting Secretary of the each new day of the year be a new beginning? Let us seriously take a spiritual inventory, forgetting the things

high calling in Christ Jesus our Go to church Sunday, and begin the new year right, make some hour. The first service in the new contribution that is worth while

which are behind and reach forth

We welcome you to all services of the church.

W. B. HICKS, Pastor.

to God and the church.

Christian Science Services "Christ Jesus" is the subject of

the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 31.
The Golden Text is: "I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in dark-

life" (John 8:12). hold, I stand at the door, and mortgages have been foreclosed knock: if any man hear my voice, in this country. and open the door, I will come in According to to him, and will sup with him, and he with me. To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my shark fishing off the coast of Father in his throne" (Revela- Florida. The annual catch is val-

tion 3:20, 21). The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christain Science textbook, unfold the facts of existence; but ernight in water to cover. spiritual sense lifts human con-sciousness into eternal Truth" ach with grated cheese and bake



When Admiral James O. Richard son, inset, becomes commander-in chief of the U. S. fleet on January 6, succeeding Admiral Claude Bloch retired, Vice-Admiral Charles Navy Charles Edison.

Margaret-Thalia Methodist

Churches We will have church school for the things which are before We will have church school a and press toward the mark of the each place at ten o'clock this Sun Preaching services will b held at Margaret at the morning hour and at Thalia at the evening church at Thalia was held las all ser- services will be in the new rock building. The community is invited to attend.

As this Sunday night is New Year's Eve, special services of in-terest will be held. Don Culbertson, Pastor.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

ness, but shall have the light of Shoe manufacturers in this country turn out 30 million pairs Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Behalf years over two million home

> According to the United States Eleven companies engage in

ued at \$100,000 a year. HOUSEHOLD HINTS

by that time the Merwins were able to break the drifts and reach able to break the drifts and reach

ach with grated cheese and bake in oven unless cheese has melted.

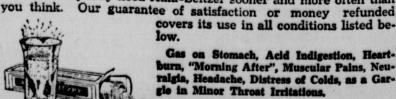
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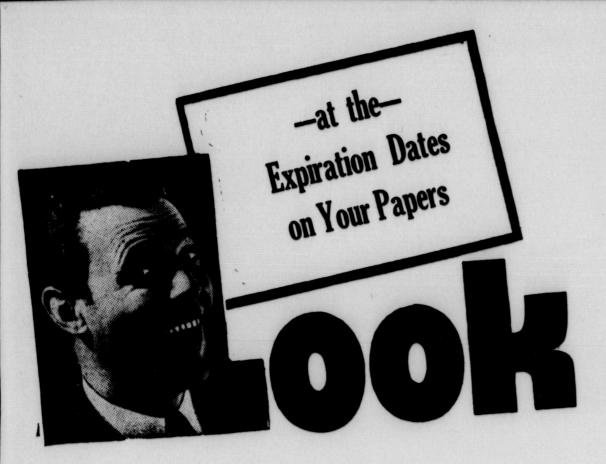
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BARGAIN RATES ON ALL PAPERS WILL END SOON!

With bargain rates on newspapers drawing to a close, it is time for all readers to look at the expiration dates on their newspapers. 1940 is a presidential election year, as well as for the state and county, and a time when everybody will want to know who is running for what, etc. A daily newspaper will keep you informed on state and national news and the local paper will tell the home news. It is also being predicted that during 1940 prosperity will get well around the corner and that 1941 will see real prosperity again, provided no unforseen calamity occurs to prevent it.

Election year is the year, most of all, that people need newspapers to keep up with the fast changing conditions, and we hope that all of our readers will renew at an early date. Where a daily is wanted in connection with The Foard County News, our clubbing offers are printed below and all orders will receive our prompt attention.

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THE YEAR Old and New

By Philander Johnson in the Washington Star

-SOCIETY-

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Miss Helen Harwell Becomes Bride of Francis E. Todd

1B. & P. W. Club Has Christmas Banquet Dec. 21

Miss Helen Harwell became the The B. & P. W. Club enjoyed a Miss Helen Harwell became the bride of Francis E. Todd in an impressive ring marriage ceremony performed by Rev. W. B. Hicks, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harwell, Wednesday evening at 6:30 well, Wednesday evening at 6:30 red hox, spangled with vari-col-

well. Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The bride was attractively attired in a tailored waite flannel cape dress with black patent leather accessories. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Chas. W. Thompson sang "I Love You Truly." She was accompanied by Mrs. Tully Klepper. Mrs. Klepper played "The Flower Song," softly while the marriage vows were being given.

Marcia Kincaid, little niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. She wore a rose taffeta dress and carried a basket of white flowers which she strewed in the path of the bride and groom.

Pour tail fed candies fighted the table. The center piece was a red box, spangled with vari-colored stars, filled with lovely wrapped gifts. Flower-like sprays of shimmering balls and stars formed two bouquets, one at each end of the table, and colorful stars were used as plate and glass mats.

Miss Maxine Flesher of Thalia played several piano numbers, including a medley of Christmas carols. Miss Blanche Hays lighted two bouquets, one at each end of the table, and colorful stars were used as plate and glass mats.

Light a Candle for Kindness." The club sang, "When It's Christmas and Jingle Bells." A violin duet by Mrs. Thelma Burrow and Mrs. Inez Spencer, accompanied by Miss Annie Lee Long, was very lovely. which she strewed in the path of Annie Lee Long, was very levely The home was decorated for the casion with white chrysanthe- gifts concluded the program.

MEMBER OF ALPHA CHI

members again meeting the re-Mr. Todd, the son of Mr. and quirements.

Mrs. D. E. Todd, is also a native of Foard County. After graduating from the Crowell High

ROTARY CLUB

Dale Grimes of Edinburg, holiin Canyon for two years, attend-day visitor in Crowell, was a guest ed Texas Technological College in of President Merl Kincaid at the Lubbock one year and graduated from Texas A. & M. College in 1937. He is at present teaching Vocational Agriculture in the Qua-The couple will make their home the meeting for the first time as

32c

21c

26c

23c

30c

20c

4 lbs. 38c: 8 lbs. 76c

a new member.

FRI. - SAT. - MON. - TUES. - WED.

Fresh Green Beans, Tomatoes, Squash,

Bell Peppers, Lettuce, Turnips and Tops,

Carrots, Beets, Radishes, Velvet Okra,

SUGAR, 10-lb. cloth bag50c

MILK, Carnation, 6 smaall or 3 large 21c

COFFEE, 3 lbs. Maxwell House 77c

MEAL, 5 lbs. 15c; 10 lbs. 27c; 20 lbs. 45c

Morton's SUGAR CURE, 10-lb. can 79c

SOAP, Crystal White or P&G, 6 bars 23c

PICKLES, sour or dill, full quart 13c

TISSUE, Fort Howard, box 19c

Butter, lb.

Cheese, lb

OXYDOL, 25c size

CORN, No. 2 cans, 3 for

TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 3 for

Pork Sausage . ? ? Gate City

Jowls, lb.7c

QUALTINE, 39c size

APPLE BUTTER, quart.

COFFEE, 1 lb. Bliss

COFFEE, 3 lbs. Bliss

COFFEE, 1 lb. Maxwell House

COMPOUND.

Cobb Measures One



Tyrus Raymond Cobb, considered by many the greatest baseball player of all time, is now a golf enthusiast. Here he concentrates on the line for his next putt at the Millbrae, Calif., Country club, where he participated in a baseball players' tournament.

TRUSCOTT PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenner enpunch. The heautiful two-tiered wedding cake was adorned with a miniature bride and groom.

Other than the members of the immediate families present were, W. F. Kirkpatrick, Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Klepper, Rev. Hicks and Misses Lenagene and Mary Frances Green of San Angelo.

Mrs. Todd is the daughter of Mrs. J. E. Harwell. She miniature bride and group of Truscott coupies with a party in their home Monday night of last week.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Harwell, Mrs. and Mrs. Alen of Mrs. A. F. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Morton, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Alen of Mrs. A. D. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Alen of Mrs. A. D. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Alen of Mrs. Alpha Chi totals of Mrs. J. E. Harwell. She and scholarship ability.

of the Truscott schools, and Mrs. to tease her. McMinn attended a banquet and Everyone in meeting of the Knox County Branch of the Texas State Teachers' Association at the Sunset school Thursday night of last week at 7 p. m. The speaker of the evening was Congressman Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls. disappointed over her insignificant gift.

led a number of group songs.

ere elected and are as follows: L. S. Hardegree, principal of Munday High School, president; Mrs. Branton, principal of Union home these days!" ove, first vice president; T. W. ent, secretary-treasurer.

EMPLOYMENT UP IN TEXAS

Austin, Dec. 18. - Employment but you must admit I got a lot of and weekly payrolls in Texas manufacturing industries last month kept pace with the 1939 upswing, University of Texas business research officials havee reported.

The University Bureau of Business Research estimates Texas prize lists were being published, one factories employed 132,819 work- item stood out like a sore thumb s during November on average weekly payrolls of \$2,568,507. Number of employees was 4.5 per cent more than in November a

rom October, however. In all industries, both manufacturing and non-manufacturing, employment climbed 4.6 per cent ropped 1.5 per cent from the gan collecting hobby. receding month.

RIVERSIDE H. D. CLUB

The Riverside Home Demonration Club enjoyed its annual hristmas social at the home of Mrs. Roy Ayers on Dec. 12. A program consisting of songs and beautiful stories of Christmas was given. A beautiful Christmas ree laden with gifts was enjoyed. A miscellaneous shower was given Mrs. Grady Halbert, and a beautiful cake box was given Mrs. Grady Walker by the club. We re very sorry to lose these two idies from our club. Dainty refreshments were servd to 12 members and three visit-rs. Mrs. Halbert from Foard City

and Mrs. Leonard Owens and daughter, Mildred. Townsend Club Elects Officers

Officers of the Crowell Townsend Club were elected at the regular meeting in the court house in Crowell last Thursday night. J. V. Winningham was re-elected to head the organization; Oran Wilson was elected vice president, and Miss Tessie Wilson, former

secretary, was chosen as secretary-treasurer. J. V. Robie is the reiring treasurer. A new, portable typewriter was at the meeting.

The musical part of the pro-oram was supplied by Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Henry and others.

The next meeting of the club dropped 6.1 per cent from Octo-

Lynched in United

APPY NEW YEAR comes to view. HAPPY NEW LEAR COMMENT TOO.
Since a share of happiness Lies in memories we possess. Old year, we cannot forget

Duties that were bravely met, Nor the courage that was taught When the hours with doubt were fraught. Old year, 'mid the shades of guile

Be the future what it may. Pioneers have shown the way. Happy New Year comes to view-I'll say "Happy Old Year!" too.

You have offered many a smile, Like the sunshine, clear and warm,

That must conquer every storm.

Jwo New Year's OrganHunters



NN HUDSON hadn't recovered A from the snow of the hustertained a group of Truscott band, Phil, had given her, their

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harwell. She has been reared here and received her education in the Crowell 113 this year, with 74 initiated for schools, from which she gradu
Mrs. Fodd is the daughter of Selection is based in the daughter of Mrs. Bill Owens.

Brown and Mrs. Bill Owens, ing Hartman's farm sale just north of Morton City, today," he urged.

"You know Frank Hartman had some grand antiques and maybe 'You know Frank Hartman had

Everyone in Fletcher and Putnam counties had had the same idea and by the time the Hudsons reached the Hartman farm Ann had quit being heartbroken and

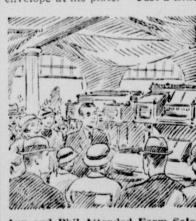
District Deputy State School "There's one thing, they won't be Superintendent S. Z. Murdock able to give away here," a neighsang several special numbers and por told Ann. "That's that pair of Officers for the ensuing year belonged to Mrs. Hartman and the one will so much as carry an organ | juries sustained.

That set Ann wondering, but when | Tri-County-Harber, Sunset superintendent, Phil started the truck homeward, second vice president; John J. he was the one who was wonder-Hoffman, Rhineland superintend- ing. "You always know best, honey, but won't you let me in on the secret? Why the two organs at two bits each, please?"

"Just to tease, I'm not telling, music for four bits, Phil."

Spring displaced the winter and along came the summer and with it a round of county and state fairs, exhibits and the like. And when the "Extra classification-Antique reed organs-oldest and finest group display: First, second and third prizes, Mrs. Phil Hudson-\$30.00." rear ago and payrolls 6.4 per cent That was a sample of the prizes anigher. Both eased off slightly Ann collected throughout that summer and she and Phil attended farm sales everywhere, hunting rare old reed organs which Ann tinkered with, polished, mended, above November a year ago and tinkered with, polished, mended, played and finally exhibited, dates year, while payrolls rose 4.6 per and all. She had started something, cent over November, 1938, but for others were delving into the or-

> New Year's morning rolled around again and Phil found a tiny envelope at his plate. "Just a little



Ann and Phil Attended Farm Sales Hunting Old Organs.

gift and a little interest on that four-bit investment you financed last year. Let's hunt up a farm sale to celebrate the day, too, Phil. What say?"

"Sure, but it's 82 miles away so we'd better get going. What's 82 miles in the lives of two organ hunters?" he gibed back.
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Austin. - Despite slackened sales during November, 98 Texas department stores have reported to the University of Texas Bureau presented as a Christmas gift to of Business Research that their Miss Wilson by the club members business for the first eleven months of 1939 totaled almost one per cent ahead of the like period of

will be held in the district court ber and 1.3 per cent from Novem-room on Thursday night, Jan. 4. ber, 1939.

Only Three Persons States During 1939

There were only three persons ynched in the United States during 1939, according to reports compiled in the department of records and research in the Tuskegee Institute in Alabama.

This is three less than the num-

ber 6 for the year 1938; five less than the number 8 for each of the years 1937 and 1936, and 17 less than the number 20 for the year 1935. Two of the persons lynched were taken from the hands of the law—one from the jail and the other from an officer of the law outside the jail. Eighteen reports show in-stances in which officers of the

law prevented lynchings. All of these instances were reported in Southern states. In all instances, the persons were removed or the guards augmented or other precautions taken. A total number of 25 persons, 5 white men and 20 Negro men, were thus saved from the hands of mobs.

Of the persons lynched, 2 were Negroes and 1 white. The of-fenses charged were: murder, 1; fatal injury to boy in automobile accident, 1; altercation with man,

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Florida, 2; offing. Mississippi, 1.

Snow-

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to ranchers.

Thermometers Drop Winter reached this section right on the dot" as Dec. 21 was warm as any spring day, but Dec. 22, the first day of winter, was blustery and the weather steadily grew colder.

Cold weather gripped the coun- ca in this district held their reg-A. F. McMinn, superintendent you can make that fifty cents pay ty during the latter part of last ular meeting in Vernon Saturday, week and early Tuesday morning Dec. 9, and planned the district thermometers dipped below 20 de- F. F. A. program for the coming grees to mark the low for the year.

first part of winter. Snow Cause Wrecks

was responsible for a number of automobile accidents near Crow- will be made by a committee ell. Several cars slid from the pavement to overturn, but no se-

rious injuries were reported.

One bus which serves Crowell chapter in the district. Truman old reed organs over yonder. One belonged to Mrs. Hartman and the other to her Ma before her. No Lancaster died Tuesday from in-

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week in January, and will play a schedule of 12 games. Games for the first week are as follows.

Tuesday, Jan. 2 King's High at Medicine Mound. Chillicothe at Goodlett. Five-in-One at Harrold.

Thalia, bye.

Friday, Jan. 5

King's High, bye.

Medicine Mound at Chillicothe.
Goodlett will play at Thalia on
Thursday night, Jan. 4, instead of on Friday, because of a tournament at Kirkland on that date.

Five-in-One and Harrold will be playing their regular county game schedule on Fridays, so their league games will all come on meeting with the secretary, C. D.

Meet 'Josephine,' 900-Pound Champion



"Josephine," 900-pound three-time champion Poland China hog. gets a long drink of water from four-year-old Marlene Cattle. Josephine attracted more than her share of attention when she was entered in a Los Angeles live stock show. She weighs about 20 times as much as her d tive caretaker, but obeys orders readily, especially if there's food in the

early date.
Rules of the Interscholastic
League will be followed by teams

in the Tri-County League. Arrangements have been made for a trophy for the winning team, and fell at such a time and and for individual awards for the manner as to give Foard County its five outstanding players of the most beautiful snow since 1909. league, to be selected by the Farmers predict that the mois-coaches at the end of the schedule. ture received from the snow would It is possible that individual Stee carry wheat far up into the sea- awards will also be presented to son and the ground was not covered long enough to be worrysome Further details will be released

Sally Walters, Clara Joe Hicks. Mr. Jones, Clark Christian. Mr. Davis, C. D. Campbell. Mr. Field, R. L. Ballard. Jack Morgan, Carl Edward

cluded the following characters:

Mrs. Walters, Janet Roark.

Mr. Walters, Billy Roy Cooper.

Betty Walters, Louise Haney.

Bill Thompson, Presley Thom-

District FFA Meet Is Held at Vernon

The Future Farmers of Ameri-

It was decided that no F. F. A. athletic contest would be held this Slippery pavement and poor vi-sion caused by the falling snow this district to be held next sum-

The judging contests for the district will be held during the first part of March, 1940. These

contests consist of dairy, beef and poultry judging. The first part of May was se-

lected as the time to hold the leadership contests, which includes newswriting, public speaking, extemporaneous speech, one-act play, chapter conducting and others. Immediately following the meeting of the boys, the chapter ad-

the year.
Chapters in this district are Crowell, Quanah, Chillicothe, Har-rold and Burkburnett.

4TH GRADE SAFETY CLUB

Tuesday, or the early part of the Campbell, reading the minutes. week. A complete schedule will Mrs. W. B. Hicks was a visitor. be prepared and released at an A playlet was given which in-

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you have given

us in the past

and wish for you

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PROSPEROUS

YEAR in 1940

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RIALTO

LAST TIME THURSDAY



FRIDAY SATURDAY MATINEE

> Errol Flynn in "DAWN PATROL" Donald Duck

SAT. NIGHT ONLY



SAT. NIGHT PREVIEW SUN.-MON.



PREVIEW SUNDAY NIGHT

GALA NEW YEAR'S PARTY. FREE Horns and Raftlers. JOE E. BROWN in "BEWARE SPOOKS"

TUESDAY

Ann "Maisie" Sothern "A CALL on the PRESIDENT" h William Gargan Walter Brennan

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