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Edward Kajs (right), son of Antone Kajs, is shown above with Ray Duckworth (left) of the local Soil Conservation Service, examining some cropland which was in cotton this past year. After harvesting the cotton, Mr. Kajs has been applying a heavy application of cotton burrs. Land which had the application of cotton burrs showed no sign of wind erosion, while land near by without a sufficient cover did have wind erosion. Early this spring, Mr. Kajs plans to make an application of nitrogen fertilizer to help hasten the deteriorating of the burrs and to benefit the following crop.

## Thirty-Nine 4-H Girls Enrolled in Food Units

Thirty-nine 4-H girls are enrolled in the food units. The girls meet in the leaders' homes once a week and learn to prepare a different dish; they learn about the food, and how to serve what they have prepared. The girls will complete Unit I in the foods in March and in connection with the project show, they will have a Favorite Foods Show. In the Favorite Foods Show, each girl will select one of the recipes that she has learned to prepare and will display her food with an attractive table setting.

The leaders who are working with the girls are Mmes. D. R. Magee, Charlie Drabek, Darvin Bell, J. T. Hughston, M. M. Kraliecke, Clyde James, Loraine Carter, Clyde Russell and Warren Haynie. The following girls are enrolled in the foods group: Mieke Owens, Sheri Speer, Sheryl Willson, Niki Woods, Shayne Garrett, Sherry Prince, Peggy Rasberry, Rita Lynn Coffey, Charlotte Walker, Kay Shirley, Sara Bell, Kristi McLain, Julia Whitfield, Jane Hughston, Rosalie Halsell, Jo Ann Williams, Loretta Bingham, Margaret Kraliecke, Cathy McLain, Mary Bob Long, Bettie Ann Burkett, Jan Welch, Vikki James, Debra Rasberry, Pam Carter, Jo Driver.

The following junior leaders are enrolled: Jean Burkett, Jon Ann Carter, Billy Sue McClain, Charlotte Drabek, Joylyn Haynie, Arcina Garrett, Joy Trawek, Janis James, Nancy Ketchersid, Ann Russell, Jan Carroll, Vickie Spikes and Lela Jo Cates.

"The leaders are doing a wonderful job working with the girls and the girls and agents appreciate the help the leaders are giving," Mrs. Virginia Iseng, CHDA, said.

## Poll Tax Payments Climb to 506

Poll tax payments in Foard County had climbed to 506 by noon Monday. Deadline for paying poll tax is January 31. Office deputy R. R. Magee said Monday that payments up to Monday were nearing the normal poll tax payments in the county for an average year. In addition to the local, county, state and national elections slated this year, probably the first time Foard County residents will be able to use their new poll tax will be when they vote in an election on February 15 called by the board of the Crowell School District on whether or not to spend \$500,000 in improvement for the local school system.

## Two Crowell Men to Take Pre-Induction Examination Feb. 12

Charlie Mack Gidney and Rual Rios Brown of Crowell are among 23 registrants of Vernon Selective Service Board No. 131 who are to report on February 12 for pre-induction physical examination.

## New Registration Tags to Go on Sale Monday, February 3

Foard County Tax Collector P. W. Taylor said today that his office would begin Monday, Feb. 3, issuing 1964 automobile registration plates. He said his office also had on hand a supply of pamphlets issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety that explain in brief recent changes in the safety responsibility law that went into effect the first of the year. Each motorist will be given one of the pamphlets when he purchases his car plates, he said. Numerous changes have been made in the law, and to help the motoring public become familiar with the new provisions, the tax office is making the pamphlet available to the drivers of the county.

## Local Farmers Union President Planning Trip to Washington

Directors of the Foard County Farmers Union held their regular monthly meeting Thursday night in President Warren Haynie's home. Plans were discussed about opening a Farmers Union office in Crowell in the very near future. Glyndon Johnson was selected a new director by the executive committee. President Haynie told of his plans to visit Washington, D. C., and asked directors to send letters by him to President Lyndon Johnson concerning wheat legislation.

## Adelphian Clubs Sponsoring Bake Sale Saturday

The members of the Adelphian Club and Sub-Junior club are having a bake sale Saturday, Feb. 1. The money will be used to complete their re-decorated club house. All members are urged to have their cakes or pies at Shirley-Youreng Drug store by 9 o'clock. Cakes or pies may be special-ordered by calling either Jo Wynn Ekern or Mrs. H. N. Ekern.

## Foard County's Federation to Meet Friday, January 31

The Foard County Federation will meet at the Community Center Friday afternoon, Jan. 31, at 2 p. m. with the Columbian Club as host club. The County Federation is composed of women's clubs from over the county and has cooperated with the Foard County commissioners court in the founding and operation of the local library.

## Residents Urged to Burn Paper They Take to City Dump Grounds

The City of Crowell has had numerous complaints about paper not being burned in the City dump grounds. Mayor Henry Black said Tuesday that "Each individual who puts paper in the dump grounds is urged to burn it, for loose paper creates a problem for the highway department and also for the farms adjacent to the dump grounds."

## Wildcat Cagers Defeat Munday and Chillicothe

The Crowell Wildcats came through with flying colors last week in basketball when the boys defeated Munday here on Tuesday night 55 to 46, and Chillicothe there on Friday night 41 to 37. The Crowell girls broke even in their two games. They lost to Munday by the score of 70 to 52, and won over Chillicothe 58 to 32.

These victories for the Crowell boys just about cinched at least a tie for the western half title. The other three clubs in this half have two conference losses chalked against their record. However, two of Crowell's remaining games are away from home. The most important contest of the season will be here with Chillicothe next Tuesday night. The Eagles were picked to win the western half but have lost two heartbreakers to Munday and Crowell thus far.

Ken Feigenson and Dan Mike Bird were the big noises in the scoring department for Crowell in these games. Feigenson scored 26 and 20, respectively. Pete Alcalá scored 25 for Munday, and the leading scorer of the district, Ronnie Kester of Chillicothe, was held to nine points. The Crowell Cats owe much of their success to the floor work of their other players: Kenney Ownbey, Kenneth Carroll, Lee Looney, Randy Adkins and Tommy Carpenter.

Evelyn Fiske scored 23 and 26 points, respectively, for the Crowell girls. Pat Penick scored 29 for Munday, and Pat Waythe scored 16 for Chillicothe. Other Crowell girls contributing to this victory were Jo Wynn Ekern, Sherry Goodwin, Suzetta Abston, Jenice James, Beverlie Gray, Linda Whitley, Charlotte Drabek, Sulella Smith and Vicki Spikes.

The Wildcats will find the going pretty rough this week as they have to travel to both Paducah and Munday for games.

## Thalia School Announces Honor Rolls for Six Weeks

Honor rolls and perfect attendance rolls for the Thalia School third six weeks period follow: High Honor Roll: Andrea Kay Abston, Pat Cates. Low Honor Roll: Carolyn Moore, Larry Swan, Rocky Bachman, Rhonda Swan, Patricia Matus. Perfect Attendance: Debra Brooks, Dale Abston, Billy Roy Moore, Larry Bursey, Randy Moore, Ronny Holland, Peggy Zuhn, Burl Abston, Larry Hopkins, Jimmy Brooks.

## Savings Bonds Sales in Foard County for 1963 Total \$70,054

December E and H Savings Bonds sales in Foard County totaled \$9,207, according to George Self, chairman. This brought the total for the year to \$70,054 and was 70 per cent of the county's 1963 sales goal of \$100,000. Savings bonds sales in Texas for 1963 totaled \$145,334,910 which represents 96.5 per cent of the state goal of \$150,000,000. This is an increase of 1.5 per cent over 1962 sales.

## Seven New Vehicles

Seven new vehicles were registered here last week: Jan. 20, Litter Cook, 1964 Chevrolet 4-door; Jan. 20, E. E. Roberts, 1964 Oldsmobile 4-door; Jan. 20, John K. Bubl, 1964 Ford 4-door; Jan. 22, W. R. Tabor, 1964 Chevrolet pickup; Jan. 24, J. Fred Collins, 1963 Ford 4-door; Jan. 24, Chas. McKenny, 1964 Ford 4-door; Jan. 24, Jesse Woodard, 1964 Ford 4-door.

## THE WEATHER

High and low temperatures recorded during the past week follow: Jan. 22: high 78, low 37. Jan. 23: high 72, low 36. Jan. 24: high 48, low 28. Jan. 25: high 62, low 24. Jan. 26: high 74, low 31. Jan. 27: high 55, low 30. Jan. 28: high 60, low 26.

## News About Our Men in Service

Sgt. Maurice A. Wilson, local army recruiter, announced Wednesday that one Foard County man had enlisted in the Army last week. He was Diego Cerda, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cerda of Crowell. Diego enlisted for duty in the automotive maintenance field and was sent to Fort Polk, La., for basic combat training. He is the sixth man enlisted by Sgt. Wilson during January.

The two sons of Mrs. Pearl Doyal of Crowell are both serving in the armed forces of the nation and are stationed on opposite sides of the nation. Pvt. Roger Dale Doyal is taking his Marine basic training in San Diego, Calif. His address is: Pvt. Roger D. Doyal 2080185, Platoon 202, MCRD, San Diego, Calif. 92140.

Sp. 5 James C. Doyal is now stationed at Homestead, Fla. His address is Sp. 5 James Doyal, 205 N. Krome Ave., Florida City, Fla. 33032.

Captain Rouse J. Todd, 31, son of Mrs. Callie L. Todd of Crowell, enrolled as a student in the associate course at the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, on January 6.

The four-month course, which is scheduled to end May 8, is designed to prepare selected officers for duty as commanders and general staff officers. The college, the Army's senior tactical school, was established in 1881 as The School of Application of Infantry and Cavalry.

Captain Todd entered the Army in March 1955. He received his bachelor of science degree from Texas A&M in 1954.

## Boy Scout Troop to Hold Court of Honor Tonight

Troop 49 of the Crowell Boy Scouts will have a court of honor tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. in the Boy Scout house in the city park. At this court of honor the Scouts of Troop 49 will receive 121 merit badges, patches and service stars. Sixteen members of the troop have earned a rank advancement, including the highly coveted Eagle Scout badge, which will be presented to Steve Bell, Dr. Tom Lindsey, Marvin Dixon, F. A. Jones, Merle Sanderson and five Eagle Scouts from Vernon will conduct the impressive Eagle ceremony.

In 1962, Scoutmaster Ray Shirley and his assistants, J. T. Hughston and J. A. Bell, started the "Scout of the Year" award. Three men in the community, whose names are known only to Shirley, have selected the boy to receive this award this year, and the recipient will be announced at this court of honor.

## "Hootenanny" at Thalia Tonight to Benefit M. O. D.

A "Hootenanny"—proceeds of which will go to the Foard County March of Dimes drive, will be held at the Thalia School auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Thursday night (tonight). Charles Branch, chairman of the Foard County March of Dimes campaign, said Tuesday that an entertaining program is being arranged—a program that will be enjoyed by the entire family.

No admission will be charged, but all donations will go to the MOD.

## Down Town Bible Class

Thirty-three men attended the Sunday morning meeting of the Down Town Bible Class and heard Rev. Clarence Bounds bring the lesson. A quartet composed of Mrs. W. W. Lemons, Mrs. Leo Cates, Cecil Driver and Bill Bell sang two songs, in the beginning of the program.

## 4-H Awards Program to Be Held Saturday Night

### Funeral Services for C. N. Chatfield Held Wednesday

Funeral services for C. N. (Nick) Chatfield, 51, were held from the Crowell Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Wednesday conducted by H. B. Petty and Harrell Miller, both Seventh Day Adventist ministers of Wichita Falls. Burial was in the Crowell Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pall bearers were Carl Cox, Alton Taylor, Clarence Garrett, Elton Carroll, Buster Cates, Ray Duckworth, Clint White and Byron Davis. Mr. Chatfield died as the result of an accidental gunshot wound while hunting on his farm southwest of Crowell Monday.

Born in Alvin, Tex., Dec. 16, 1912, Mr. Chatfield moved to the Good Creek community in Foard County with his family in 1913. He joined the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Keene, Texas, in 1928. He was married to the former Miss Betty Oleta Elliston in Clovis, N. M., July 25, 1936. The couple had resided in Crowell since.

Survivors include the widow; a son, Wayne Nickie Chatfield, and a daughter, Sharon Laraine Chatfield, of the home; a brother, W. R. Chatfield of Sanger; and three sisters, Miss Louise Chatfield of Boulder, Colo., Mrs. Daisy Layland of Cleburne and Mrs. Mamie Lindgren of Modesto, Calif.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL. Patients In: Egbert Fish, Clyde Beesinger, Mrs. Janie Black, Hattie Black, Donna Dickey, Mrs. Merritt Carruth, Jim Woodard, Robert Shirley, Florindo Rodriguez, Henry E. Thomson, J. W. Golden. Patients Dismissed: Mrs. Eunice Wilkins, Mrs. Sammie Glover and infant son, Mrs. Mattie Jones, Charlie Reynolds, Mrs. Martin Quintero and infant son, Cecil Dunn, Mrs. Laura Choate, Mrs. Arleta Halenack and infant daughter, Mrs. Clara Mae Fish, Loraine Carter, Mrs. Georgia Russell, Mrs. Bill Brown, Wilma Jean Coleman, William Gafford, Gail Wheeler, Warren Everson, Doshie Reed, Mrs. Fern McKown.

### Sim Gamble Honored on 88th Birthday

Sim Gamble was honored with a lovely birthday party Jan. 25 at the new Taylor convalescent home in Vernon where he has been moved from the General Hospital. He is 88 years old. A lovely birthday cake was served to the following guests: his children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Durham of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble and Mike of Thalia and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Vernon; nieces, Mrs. Willie Garrett and husband of Crowell; Mrs. D. H. Allen of Grady, N. M.; grandson, Edgar Johnson; granddaughter, Mrs. Dorothy Haseloff of Vernon; Mrs. Edward Brock and husband of Farmers Valley; Mrs. Hazel Ramsey and daughters, Mary Ann of Thalia and Mrs. Jim Mack Gafford of Lubbock; other relatives, Joe Johnson of Harvey, La., Fernie Johnson and Mrs. Tom Wayland, both of Vernon; and three friends, Raymond Grimm, Shirley Burshbarger and Geo. Tillery. Mr. Gamble received a number of nice gifts and a large number of cards.

### Poll Tax Necessary for Vote in State, County Elections

No Texan will be able to vote for any state or county official in either the primaries or general election this year unless he has paid his poll tax by January 31. Even if the United States Constitution is amended to permit the voting for president, vice president and members of Congress without the necessity of a poll tax, a poll tax will still be required for a person to vote for governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, sheriff, county judge, county clerk, constable or any other state, county or local official, according to a statement made last week by Frank C. Erwin Jr., secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee.

All Texas counties report a substantial drop-off in the number of poll taxes paid thus far. That is largely due to the confusion that has resulted from the unsuccessful effort in Texas last fall to repeal the poll tax requirement, and from the probable amendment of the United States Constitution to permit the voting for national officials without the necessity of a poll tax. There is a real danger that many Texans will be unable to vote in state and county races this year unless that confusion is eliminated. The Democratic party urges all Texans to pay their poll taxes before February 1 in order that they have a voice in selecting their state and county officials in 1964.

### File for Places on Ballot

Foard County Democratic chairman Ray Shirley said Monday that the following candidates have filed with him for a place on the first Democratic primary: James E. Thomas, Vernon, state representative, 82nd district. Jesse Owens, Vernon, state representative, 82nd district. Jack Hightower, Vernon, State Senator, 23rd District. Curtis Renfro, Vernon, district attorney, 46th judicial district. Floyd (Doc) Borchardt, commissioner of Precinct No. 3. February 3 is the last day for filing for a place on the ballot.

### Four Quanah Men Apprehended on Theft Charges

Four Quanah men were taken into custody Saturday in Quanah, and have been charged with the burglary of a barn on the Milburn Carroll farm. The alleged burglaries occurred during the past two years. Sheriff P. W. Taylor said Monday from one to three charges will be filed against the men. He also reported that some of the items including car and truck tires, were recovered at the time the arrests were made. Taylor also said that two of the same four men had been charged with theft over \$50.00 in connection with the alleged theft of two trailer loads of baled hay belonging to H. N. Ekern. The sheriff said that some of the hay had been recovered. These charges will be submitted to the February grand jury.

### Rotary Club

Walter Stapp, Crowell Rotarian, told local Rotarians about the Crowell Junior Rifle Club, which Dr. Stapp organized and which is now being sponsored by the Rotary Club. Secretary Marvin Myers reported that about \$93.00 was raised by the chili supper sponsored by the club last week, and this money will be used for the rifle club's activities. Guests were Richard Majette of Beloit, Kansas, and Rotarians Hubert Smith and Roy B. Sansom of Quanah.

### The Foard County 4-H Clubs will hold their annual awards program Saturday night, February 1, at the First Baptist Church in Crowell at 7 p. m., County Extension Agents Mrs. Virginia Iseng and Joe Burkett announced this week.

At this time, forty-seven awards will be presented to outstanding 4-H Club boys and girls of Foard County. Everyone is invited to attend and help recognize these boys and girls for outstanding work. The Foard County 4-H Council and the Foard County Home Demonstration Clubs will sponsor this program in cooperation with the Extension Service of Texas A&M University.

Joe David Drabek, winner of the Santa Fe \$400 scholarship award and a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Ill., will be the speaker, and will show slides and tell about his recent trip to the National 4-H Club Congress.

The committees for the awards program are as follows: Program: Jon Ann Carter, Billy Sue McClain, Bobby Bond, Betty Ann Welch and Jean Burkett.

Music: Betty Ann Welch. Welcomes and ushers: Terry Bird, Jim Tom Smith, Jean Burkett, Bobby Bond, Charlotte Drabek, Bob Bird.

Serving and clean-up: Arcina Garrett, Nancy Ketchersid, Billy Sue McClain, Jon Ann Carter, Joe Ray Burkett, Joylyn Haynie, Edward Mechell, Joe Mike Fish.

Decorating: Vicki Spikes, Betty Ann Welch, Joy Trawek, Charlotte Drabek, Janis James, Kristi McLain, Buzz Rasberry, Larry Hughston.

## Don Newhouse Named Range Conservationist

Mr. and Mrs. Don Newhouse have moved to Crowell and Mr. Newhouse has assumed his duties as range conservationist with the Crowell work unit of the Soil Conservation Service. Mr. Newhouse takes the position formerly held by Norman Davis.

A native of Roby, Mr. Newhouse is a July, 1963, graduate of Abilene Christian College where he received his degree in range management. He was employed by the Soil Conservation Service in Archer City for six months prior to moving to Crowell.

Mr. Newhouse's wife is the former Miss Linda Walker of Knox City. They are presently making their home in a house owned by Jesse Woodard in the northeast part of town.

## Repair Crew Still Working on Crowell Telephone System

Bill Graham, plant supervisor of the General Telephone Co., met with the Crowell City Council at its regular meeting Tuesday evening, January 21. Mr. Graham stated that the repair crew was doing everything possible to render better service to its customers in this area. He also stated that the company appreciated the spirit of thoughtfulness shown by the customers during the period of so much trouble.

## Mrs. Leo Cates Now Working at City Hall

Mrs. Leo Cates has been employed by the City Council to take the place, temporarily, of Mrs. Fern McKown, who is recovering from a serious illness. Mrs. Cates began her duties Monday, Jan. 27. Mrs. Lawrence Glover has been working for Mrs. McKown the past two weeks. She will continue as substitute secretary.



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**EDITORIAL**

**"Now Is the Time. . ."**

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country." Typists type this sentence over and over again. We might paraphrase the statement to make a timely thought for the young people of America today. "Now is the time for all young people to prepare that they might be able to come to the aid of their country."

The youth of this country must realize that, in the event of another war, they must be able mentally and physically to "come to the aid of their country." Now is the time to prepare. Now is the time to build strong, healthy bodies and informed, alert minds.

The American people must be in prime physical condition if another war should come, but, even more important, Americans must be mentally equipped to cope with the problems of war. The next war will be a contest of brain, not one of brawn. The young people of the United States today will keep their freedom only by prov-

ing themselves supreme as far as knowledge and ability are concerned. Mental advancement is needed in case of another war, but it is needed even more as a means of prevention of another war. In order to be prepared for war or for peace, young people must have a knowledge of other people—their thoughts, their feelings, their desires. Youth must learn to understand and to accept other people even though they differ in opinions.

Now is the time to attain a better understanding of others. Now is the time to prepare to help America—in war or in peace.

**Seniors!**

The home of Jo Wynn Ekern will be the scene of a senior class party tonight, Jan. 30. All members are urged to arrive at 7:30 for a "gay old time."

**Senior Personality**

The senior personality this week is Nancy Beth Archer. She is the seventeen-year-old daughter of Mrs. L. E. Archer. Nancy is 5' 2" tall and has dark brown hair and brown eyes.

Nancy has been a member of the FHA and YWA. She lists her favorites as sport, football; teacher, Mrs. Manard; subject, book-keeping; actor, Richard Chamberlain; actress, Sandra Dee; food, fried chicken; color, blue.

After graduation from C. H. S., Nancy plans to attend Draughton's Business College in Wichita Falls.

**Band Uniforms Arrive**

On Tuesday, January 21, the band students were all "a dither." Reason—the long awaited suits had finally arrived.

The new all-wood black and white uniforms, designed by Earl Hesse, a former band director, are a distinct change from the gold ones. The jackets have reversible shields on the front—black on one side, displaying a large gold Wildcat head, and gold on the other side, featuring a big white C. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lykins designed the majorette and drum major uniforms, which also have reversible shields.

The old uniforms will not be discarded, but their use has not yet been decided.

The band students proudly modeled their new attire Thursday when their pictures were taken for the 1964 annuals. Now they will have reason to hold their heads a little higher and to march a little more sprightly as they par-

ade in contest competition dressed in their new uniforms.

**Jean Burkett Attends Honor Award Banquet**

Last Friday night, Jean Burkett, chairman of District 3 4-H Council, attended the 4th Annual Honor Awards Banquet, a tribute to the boys and girls of FHA, FFA and 4-H in recognition of their achievements in chapter and club work. This banquet was given in Fort Worth at the Hotel Texas by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation and Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

The boys and girls represented about 200,000 Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of America and 4-H Club members in Texas.

Each was presented a rural youth badge and a ticket to the morning performance of the rodeo and Fat Stock Show.

Jean's brother, Joe Ray, one of three selected for outstanding work in district 4-H, was also a guest at the banquet.

Jean and Joe Ray were accompanied by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkett.

**Nelda Ruth Chappell Is Homemaker of Tomorrow**

Nelda Ruth Chappell is our school's 1964 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. She achieved the highest score here in a written knowledge and attitude examination given Dec. 3. General Mills Inc., sponsor of the program, will award her a "Homemaker of Tomorrow" pin to signify her achievement, and her test paper will be entered in competition for state honors.

The state Homemaker of Tomorrow will be awarded a \$1,500 college scholarship and will be named a national finalist. Her school will be presented with a set of Encyclopaedia Britannica, awarded by Encyclopaedia Britannica Inc. The state's second ranking girl will receive a \$500 scholarship.

In the spring, state Homemakers of Tomorrow, each accompanied by a school advisor, will enjoy an expense-paid educational tour to Colonial Williamsburg, Va., Washington, D. C., and New York City. The trip will be climaxed with the naming of the 1964 Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow. She will be chosen on the basis of her original test score together with personal observation and interviews during the trip. Her scholarship will be increased to \$5,000. National runners-up will receive \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 scholarships, respectively.

All-time highs in the number of senior high school girls and schools enrolled marked this, the tenth annual Betty Crocker search program. More than 484,000 girls in 11,000 of the nation's schools participated. Since the program was launched, more than 3½ million girls have participated and scholarships approximating one million dollars have been awarded.

The Betty Crocker Search is approved by the National Association of Secondary-School Principals. Judging is by Science Research Associates of Chicago, nationally known educational publishing and testing organization.

**F. H. A. Meeting**

The local chapter of the FHA met for a regular meeting in the Homemaking Cottage at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 21. Mrs. Carol Henry presented a very interesting and enlightening view of life in a college dormitory.

In the business session, "thank you" notes from various persons were read. It was announced that the area meeting of the FHA will be held in Stephenville Feb. 23. The following members of the Crowell chapter will attend the meeting: Betty Welch, who is a candidate for office; Beverly Gray, who is a voting delegate; and members of a chorus comprised of Patricia Cates, Jon Ann Carter, Janell Gray and Gayle Smith.

**Crowell Takes West Lead**

On Tuesday, Jan. 21, at the local gymnasium, the Wildcats defeated the Munday Mogus 55-46. Ken Ferguson was high scorer with 26 points. Dan Mike Bird added 14.

In the girls' game, Munday won 70-52. High scorer for Crowell was Suzetta Abston with 24 points.

On Chillicothe's home court on Friday night, the Crowell Wildcats protected their lead with a win over Chillicothe 4-37. This was an exciting game and Ken Ferguson and Dan Mike Bird each tallied 20 points.

The Crowell girls got into the win column and dumped the Chillicothe girls 58-32. Evelyn Fiske was high scorer with 26 points.

The boys team, at the completion of the first half of district play, was sole possessor of the

title of champion for the western half. We hope that they can maintain this clean slate with all wins and no losses. To do this, they need the support of the student body as well as of the local fans.

The next home game will be on Tuesday night, February 4, with Chillicothe. Plan to see the Wildcats in action!

**Homemakers of the Month**

Judy and Joy Little come into the limelight as homemakers for January. Being twins, they are just naturally thought of together.

These two girls, even though they live twenty miles out, seldom miss an FHA meeting. They can always be depended upon to be on hand and to serve in any place that they are needed. They are an asset to any organization to which they belong.

**Sophomore Officers Are Elected**

In a class meeting Thursday morning, two new sophomore class officers were elected. Stephen Kralick became secretary; Randy Adkins, treasurer. These offices were made vacant by the resignation of Judy Harper Johnson, who had served as secretary-treasurer.

**F. F. A. News**

On Saturday, Jan. 25, twenty of the Crowell FFA boys left for the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show about 4 a. m. They visited various exhibits and displays showing the new kinds of farm machinery for present and future use. The animal judging and the rodeo were other events of interest on the trip.

The boys and their sponsor, Mr. Myers, returned Saturday night after a tiring but enjoyable day. The following boys made the trip: Steve Bell, Don Borchardt, Tommy Carpenter, Glen Doyle Goodwin, Steve Gray, Tommy Kajs, Lee Loomer, Ernest Magee, Junior Mechell, George Myers, Mike Payne, Stanley Shook, James Allen Welch, Stephen Weathered, Mike Pierce, Buddy Swan, Tommy McRae, Rickey Evenson, Harvey Ward and Don Statser. Since most of the boys are now studying livestock selection, this trip should

have special educational value for them.

**Library History**

The first library in the United States was established in 1638 when John Harvard bequeathed 400 books to the university that bears his name. Today, Harvard's library contains some 6 million volumes.

The first circulating library in this country was organized in 1731 in Philadelphia. It was more a club than a library, since its use was restricted to its subscribers. As for a librarian—there wasn't one unless you count the member who volunteered to keep a list of borrowers, without pay. His name was Benjamin Franklin.

Not until 1833—only 124 years ago—was the first tax-supported, free, circulating public library opened. Little Peterborough, N. H., made that important big stride.

The idea flashed throughout the land. Free libraries, supported all or in part by public funds, came into being with almost explosive rapidity.

Today, there are nearly 7,000 publicly owned libraries, not counting their 3,100 branches. These vary in size from the New York Public Library with its 80 miles of shelves in the Central building alone, and staff of over 2,000, to county libraries that serve readers in isolated communities by bookmobile.

In addition, there are over 20,000 libraries in elementary and high schools, as well as vast collections in colleges and universities. The Library of Congress, the national library and the biggest library in the country, has 10 million volumes, plus millions of non-book items.

**More Pictures Taken**

Last Thursday, Mr. Myers of the Norma Greene Studio of Vernon, made pictures of the following organizations to be used in the 1964 yearbooks: band, majorettes, Wildcatettes, Wildcat staff, student council, boys and girls basketball teams, and various classes.

**C. H. S. Report**

The CHS students were pleased last week when the announcement

was made that Mr. Amonett would serve as principal and coach during the 1964-65 school term.

Ex-students home during the mid-semester holidays were M. L. Speer, Wendell Callaway, Charles ten Brink, Jeanette Moody, Judy Sandlin, "Pod" Johnson, Bill Fitzgerald, Jimmy Thompson, Jim Mac and Gaye Gafford, Miles Welch, Sammy Hudgens, Wesley Cummings, Joe Barry, Don Welch, Carolee Oliphant, Teresa Wright, Jerry Settiff, Ronnie Bradford, Fauncine Fairchild, Jerry Tole, Linda and Bill Graves, Aldon Garrett, Bill Smith, Taylor Johnson, Winston Niekel.

Jesse "Pete" Brown, now living in Alamosa, Colo., paid a visit to the "old home town" during the week end.

Kenneth Carroll and Woody Lemons visited North Texas State University in Denton Saturday.

Hollis Halbert went to Lubbock over the week end to visit relatives.

Receiving degrees from North Texas are ex-students Sue Bursay and Don Taylor; from TCU, Jo Frances Long.

**News and Nonsense**

Hi ya all! Glad we're back from a cool-type week end!

Enjoying the ball games Friday night: Otis-Francis, Charles-Beverlie, and Mike-Karen.

Evelyn, don't be too disappointed. We play them again here!

What's wrong with D. A. B.? Is Johnny leaving?

Rosa Lee, don't you think you had better stop drawing those pictures?

Twins of CHS—Jean and Arcina.

Sharon and Sauna, who were your visitors Sunday night?

Seen around town Saturday night: Bill-Lanette, Philip-Ruth, Bobby-Barbara, Charles-Beverlie, Henry-Judy, Karl-Fleta, James-Shirley, Mike-Elaine, Ronnie D-Patsy R.

Enjoying Sunday were Bobby-Barbara, Henry-Judy, Charles-Beverlie, James-Shirley Mike.

Saunna and Kenny H. seem to be hitting it off!

Triangle of the week: Kenny, Arcina, James Corder.

Ruthie, did you really have a wreck?

Arcina, do you really need

height or is that just an excuse? Get next week's scandal in early. See you next week!

**Menu**

Monday: light bread, fried chicken, gravy, green beans, beet pickles, pear halves.  
 Tuesday: corn meal muffins, pinto beans, Spanish rice, buttered whole kernel corn, carrot strips, purple plums.  
 Wednesday: rolls, meat loaf, creamed potatoes, cabbage, carrot and onion salad, apple cobbler.  
 Thursday: hot dogs, potato chips, graham crackers, peanut butter and honey.  
 Friday: barbecued weiners and fish, baked beans, hominy, fresh bananas and cookies.

**Card of Thanks**

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation for the beautiful flowers, many cards, gifts and telephone calls while I was in the hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Kralick and the hospital staff for their wonderful care during my stay in the hospital. My prayer is "God bless each of you."

Mrs. Fern McKown.  
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**Truscott**  
 AND GILLILAND  
 MRS. H. A. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Lumir Tomanek were in Stamford Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Jerry Tomanek's mother, Mrs. Newman. Glen Kinnibrugh of Vernon visited his father, A. L. Kinnibrugh, Lubbock visited relatives in Trus-

Sunday.  
 Brownie Hutton of Floydada is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. Black this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Tapp and sons visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price of Seymour last week end.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bates visited relatives in Quanah Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Easley of Vivian visited the C. C. Brownings and Harold Barrys Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. Owens visited his brother, Weldon Owens, and family in Vernon Saturday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Eubank of Lubbock visited relatives in Trus-

cott over the week end.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank received a message a few days ago that their son, Louis, of Denver City, has had major surgery in El Paso.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie are in Stamford visiting her sister, Mrs. Mollie Woodruff, who is critically ill.  
 The associational workers meeting of the Baptist Churches met at the Truscott Baptist Church on Monday night. The meeting was well attended by district and local members.  
 Mrs. L. A. Haynie and Miss Oma Faulkner are visiting Mr.

and Mrs. Clifford Ohr Jr. and daughter in Bartlesville, Okla.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Black of Paducah visited the H. A. Smiths Wednesday.  
 Mrs. H. A. Smith attended a called meeting of Texas State Historical Survey Committee of Knox County at the home of Mrs. C. C. Hoge of Knox City Friday.  
 The basketball teams will swing into action this week at the Goree tournament.  
 Mrs. Jim Newman of Stamford, mother of Mrs. Jerry Tomanek, passed away Tuesday. Funeral services were held in Stamford on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Vernon visited friends here Tuesday.  
 Mrs. Altha Williams of Vernon spent the week end with the A. Hornes and they all visited their sister, Mrs. M. G. Williams of Archer City Sunday.  
 Several people from the Gilliland area were in Munday Wednesday for the annual farm and ranch luncheon: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Navratil, E. G. Navratil, W. H. Simmons, W. T. Cooks, H. A. Reeves, Lloyd Don Welches, Mrs. A. L. Cook and Mrs. Gladys Meek.  
 W. D. McGaughy, Knox County school superintendent, visited the Gilliland school Thursday.  
 E. D. Welch, H. A. Reeves and Dwight Burgess attended a lecture Thursday night in Rhineland on commercial fertilizer.

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<b>COFFEE</b>	Maryland Club	<b>\$1.29</b>	<b>TIDE</b>
	2 lb. can		Giant 69¢
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	10 lbs. for		Giant 69¢
<b>ICE CREAM</b>	Carnation Pure	<b>59¢</b>	<b>RINSO</b>
	1/2 gal.		GIANT 69¢
<b>CRISCO</b>	3 lb. can	<b>69¢</b>	
<b>POTATOES</b>	U.S. No. 1 White or Red	<b>49¢</b>	

<b>ORANGES</b>	California Fancy lb.	<b>15¢</b>	<b>APPLES</b>	Extra Fancy Rome lb.	<b>10¢</b>
<b>AVOCADOS</b>	each	<b>10¢</b>	<b>LEMONS</b>	Sunkist dozen	<b>29¢</b>

<b>STEAK</b>	<b>FRYERS</b>	U.S.D.A. Grade A lb.	<b>25¢</b>
Tender Seven lb.	<b>Bacon</b>	Ebner Cowboy Thick Sliced 2 lbs.	<b>89¢</b>
<b>59¢</b>	<b>FRESH GROUND BEEF</b>	3 lbs.	<b>\$1 00</b>

<b>PORK STEAK</b>	lb.	<b>45¢</b>	<b>PORK ROAST</b>	lb.	<b>39¢</b>
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<b>SPAGHETTI</b>	Chef Boy Ar Dee	<b>3 cans \$1 00</b>	<b>PEACHES</b>	Oak Hill Halves—in Heavy Syrup No. 2 1/2	4 cans	<b>\$1 00</b>
<b>MEAT BALLS</b>	and		<b>CAKE MIX</b>	Duncan Hines	3 for	<b>\$1 00</b>
<b>4 cans \$1 00</b>			<b>CATSUP</b>	DEL MONTE 14 oz. Bottle	6 for	<b>\$1 00</b>

<b>TAMALES</b>	Hy-Power—No. 2 1/2 Can	<b>3 cans \$1 00</b>	<b>CORN</b>	Our Darling	6 cans	<b>\$1 00</b>
<b>APRICOTS</b>	No. 2 1/2	<b>3 cans 89¢</b>	<b>PEAS</b>	Trellis Fancy	6 cans	<b>\$1 00</b>
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	BEST MAID QT.	<b>39¢</b>	<b>STEWED Tomatoes</b>	Hunt's	6 cans	<b>\$1 00</b>
<b>PRESERVES</b>	BEST MAID	<b>3 for \$1 00</b>	<b>GREEN BEANS</b>	RAIDER	6 cans	<b>89¢</b>
<b>KRAUT</b>	Kuner's—303 can	<b>4 cans 49¢</b>	<b>SPINACH</b>	RAIDER	6 cans	<b>89¢</b>
<b>ORANGE Drink</b>	Hi-C—46 oz.	<b>3 cans \$1 00</b>	<b>WHOLE BEANS</b>	Del Monte	4 cans	<b>\$1 00</b>

visitor, Mrs. Jack McGinnis, and the agent, Mrs. Iseng, answered roll call. The president conducted a short business meeting and then turned the meeting over to "the agent," Mrs. Ray Iseng, who gave a very interesting demonstration on zippers and kick-pleats.  
 Mrs. Adkins served punch and cake to those present. Next meeting will be with Mrs. H. L. Ayers Jr. Feb. 4.

**Riverside H. D. Club**

The T. H. D. A. was read in unison for the opening address when the Riverside Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Cap Adkins as hostess Tuesday, Jan. 21. Eight members and one

good grooming hint." Mrs. Ray

**Gambleville H. D. Club**

Mrs. Charlie Bartley was hostess to thirteen members of the Gambleville Home Demonstration Club Jan. 22. Each member present answered roll call with "a

Iseng, county H. D. Agent, was present and gave an opening exercise of a sewing quiz. The program of the afternoon given by Mrs. Iseng was on zippers and kick pleats. An entirely new idea on kick pleats was demonstrated, also new methods on zippers was shown. The hostess gift was given to Mrs. Ruth Abston. Mrs. Bartley served refreshments to the members present and to Mrs. Iseng, and Lessley and Stephanie Prosser. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Reba Calvin on Feb. 7. Mrs. Jack Thomas will give the program on "Foot Wear."

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**WOW! \$500,000.00 SCHOOL BOND ISSUE**

How does \$500,000.00 compare to our individual bank accounts? Do we want to add \$500,000.00 to the tremendous amount we already owe, individually, plus city, county, school, state and national debts? Before we obligate ourselves for \$500,000.00, let us ask for, and obtain a clear-cut statement of the real need for tearing down and rebuilding our High School building, which was structurally sound and built with double outside walls, as was reported to us by Dr. Floyd Golden, representing the firm of architects of Amarillo, who made a survey of the building last year.

Dr. Golden told us at the meeting at the High School auditorium that new buildings of today were not built as sturdy and strong as our High School building. WHY TEAR IT DOWN THIS YEAR?

When the open meeting was held February 4, 1963, the chairman and one member of the High School committee, who are faculty members, and were also members of the 22-member advisory board, made talks and said they had made a detailed study of the various needs of the High School building and that they thought a few thousand dollars would put the building in excellent condition. WHY TEAR IT DOWN THIS YEAR?

When the School Board members asked Merl Kincaid and me to meet with them on February 4, 1963, we recommended the postponement of the bond election called for February 9, 1963—because it was agreed that the various sub-committees of the 22-member advisory committee needed more time to study and recommend more specific plans for the building program that would meet our needs.

Has the 22-member Advisory Committee met and made their recommendations? Have they changed their minds on the building program since their recommendations last year? HAVE YOU?

I have never objected to paying school taxes and am not objecting to the increased taxes I will have to pay personally if this bond issue carries, but I do not believe the program that has been talked of for the past year is sound economically, or that it is necessary to fulfill the needs of a good educational program for the children in this Independent School District.

I do favor a more reasonable bond issue to make necessary changes and repairs that will make the physical facilities more comfortable for all of the students in our district.

Pay your poll tax and express your opinion.

Sincerely,  
 Hubert C. Brown.

**Grade School Lists Honor Rolls and Perfect Attendance**

Grade school high and low honor rolls and perfect attendance roll for the past six weeks were released this week by Principal Gordon Erwin, as follows:

**High Honor Roll**  
 Mary Jo Glover, Carolyn Nichols, Murry Bulhon, Linda Gray, Rosalie Halsell, Anthony Powers, Robert Paul Rasberry, Betty Ann Burkett, Renee Cooper, Jo Driver, Harriet Halbert, Margaret Kralieck, Mary Bob Long, Cathy McLain, Debra Rasberry, Terry Bird, Cindy Erwin, Sue Eubank, Bob Bird, Ronnie Eanenson, Michael Eubanks, Lynn Rader, Paul Stapp and Gary Toie.

**Low Honor Roll**  
 Jimmie Johnson, Bill Kinsey, Julia Ann Whitfield, Jesse Adams, Janis Bell, Sharon Eavenson, Ronald Hall, Kathy Hammonds, Jane Hughston, Pam Carter, Janice Gray, Vikki James, Mary Jan Welch, Dickie Statter, Jim Tom Smith, Billy Hord, Paul Halsell, Mary Adams, Jo Nell Bradford, Jan Carroll, Lela Cates, Kay Looney, Bruce McRae, Judy Whitely, Joe Mike Fish, Ray Ford, Larry Taylor, Rockne Wisdom.

**Perfect Attendance**  
 Susan Canstano, Debra Coffey, Gary Glover, Teresa Johnston, Laura Kralieck, Bertha Leija, Rachel Lozano, Alvis Robinson, Barbie Scott, Karen Statter, Jimmy Watson, Renee Westbrook, Linda Condron, Sherree Gibson, Sherri Jones, Bob Lynch, Keith McDaniel, Rudy Rodriguez, Mary Ann Quintero, Melodie Wishon, Floyd Borchardt, Teresa Condron, Brenda Cox, Renee Daniel, Larry Dishman, Jackie Eavenson, Furd Halsell III, Norman Jones, Adrian Martinez.

Debra McDaniel, Sandra Whitfield, Philip Bell, Ernest Berera, Juana Hora, Wanda Johnston, Martha Martin, Harold Meyers, Debbie Scott, Kathy Shirley, Rita Washburn, Darla Bell, Laprell Burns, Margie Castaneda, Johnnie Daniel, Rex Driver, Bob Gillespie, Lynn Johnson, David Garza, Christine Walker, Barbara Ferguson, Michelle Gafford, Leroy Robinson, Joe Tomaneck, Rhonda Veceera, Cindy Rene Wisdom, Felix Castaneda, Cindy Condron.

Rea Gina Eavenson, Brenda Ferguson, Bruce Ferguson, Rheta Howard, Rhonda Howard, Vlnidi Jackson, Nellie Leija, Jerry McLain, Mance Nelson, Ishmael Santos, Beth Welch, Bob Burkett, Aubrey Burns, LaDelle Bradford, Susan Johnston, Nancy Looney, Je Beth Magee, Ronny Naylor, David Stapp, Bill Taylor, Donna Veceera, Gail Wheeler, Betty Whitfield, Allen Bingham, Kathy Denton, Johnnie Dishman, Karen Eavenson, Patrick Halsell, Elaine Jackson.

**February Plentiful List Helps Solve Shopping Problems**

A wide variety of foods in good supply at economical prices is available to help appease hearty winter appetites.

Especially abundant are eight items that make up the February list of plentiful foods, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Broiler-fryers and pecans are featured on the list, as compiled by the Agricultural Marketing Service in cooperation with producers and the food trade. Other February plentifuls are beef, pork, canned corn, potatoes, canned ripe olives and apples.

With an all-time record 290-million pound pecan crop still moving to market, pecans should be a good buy all month. Broiler-fryer prices are expected to drop even below last year's record February low, as marketings increase.

Fed cattle prices were running more than \$6 per hundred below last year, the lowest since 1956, and not much improvement is expected until spring. Heavy pork supplies through February are expected to keep prices low. In December, hog prices were the lowest for that time of year since 1955.

Record-high stocks of canned corn—whole, creamed and on the cob—are the results of three consecutive years of heavy packs. A heavy fall potato crop will continue to provide large supplies for home use. Apples are keeping well and remain plentiful. And the year's supply of canned ripe olives totals 3.5 million cases. The largest amount moved in any previous year was 2.4 million cases.



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**Swiss steak** lb. **69¢**  
**Pork Steak** lb. **39¢**  
**Fryers** lb. **29¢**  
**BACON** EBNER'S RANGER 1/2 lb. pkg. **69¢**

**Chuck Roast** lb. **49¢**  
**Back Bone** FRESH PORK lb. **45¢**  
**Arm Roast** lb. **59¢**  
**Pork Roast** lb. **39¢**

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**Star-Kist TUNA** Chunk Style Reg. Can **25¢**

**CLOTHES PINS** LARGE BAG 36 COUNT **33¢**

**Turnips** Purple Top lb. **7 1/2¢**  
**GRAPEFRUIT** 5 lb. bag **49¢**  
**APPLES** FANCY ROMAN BEAUTY lb. **13¢**  
**ORANGES** CHOICE NAVAL lb. **12 1/2¢**

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**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lyons of Marietta, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vinbey and children of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Que Meason of Childress visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe Meason Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Stubblefield of Donnell is here for an extended stay with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Moore.

Mrs. Wm. E. Wells returned home Sunday from a visit of several days with her husband who is in the Veterans Hospital in Marillo. She reports his condition greatly improved. Mrs. Wells was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Wade Brooks.

Miss Leona Young returned to her home in Fort Worth Wednesday of last week after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and Mr. Roberts.

Students visiting homefolks on Texas Tech during the mid-term holidays are Wendell Callaway, Jerry Tole, Dennis Roark, Nancy Thompson, Jeanette Moody, and Mrs. Jim Mack Gafford and Don Welch.

M. L. Speer, student at T. C. in Fort Worth, spent the mid-term holidays at home.

Miss Kay Johnson, student in the University of Texas in Austin, visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown. She is accompanied by Miss Judy Barkley, also a student in the University.

Miles Welch of Canyon visited this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Welch.

Bill Fitzgerald, student in the University of Texas in Austin is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Fitzgerald.

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**Thalia**  
**MRS. MAGGIE CAPPS**

Guests at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Myrtle Neill Wednesday evening in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Roberts, with Mrs. Raymond Oliver of Hale Center as hostess, were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts of Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts of Crowell and Will Johnson and Roy Shultz.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Maggie Capps Tuesday were Mrs. Irene Flatt of Lubbock and Mrs. Bennie Bob Baron and two daughters of New Deal, Saturday visitors of Mrs. Capps were Bill McReynolds, farm editor of WOA, San Antonio, and his sister, Mrs. Jim Tidmore, also of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Y. T. McReynolds, Mrs. J. E. Thomas and Suzanne and Harletta Capps of Vernon. They all went on a field trip in County hunting Indian artifacts and drift wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Adkins of Fort Worth visited his uncle, M. C. Adkins, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Abston and children spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Welborn and Mrs. Lora Roddy in Wichita Falls.

Winston Nickel left Sunday for Dallas for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Gene Balch, and family and for Fort Worth where he is enrolled in TCU.

Guests in the J. C. Taylor home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and two grandchildren of Harvey, La., Mrs. Viola Donald of New Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Taylor of Crowell and Mrs. Jessie Miller of Vernon.

Louis Webb of Montana, who has been visiting his brother, Floyd, several weeks, met his wife, who has been visiting relatives in Oklahoma City, in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Shultz, Mrs. Nan Sue Dockins and Lori, Mrs. Joanne Bader and Eileen, D'Lois Carpenter and Rusty visited Mrs. Irene Campbell in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gotchie Mints of Paducah visited her father, G. A. Shultz, and family Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Shives and daughter of Fort Worth visited her father,

G. A. Shultz, and family Tuesday. Morris McCarty of Vernon. Mrs. Z. S. Mason of Vernon spent Monday with Mrs. Maggie Capps and Roy Self.

Mrs. Celeste Johnson of Vernon visited Irene Doty Sunday.

Floyd Webb spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting his sister, Mrs. Earl Glasgow, and family and attending the stock show.

Mrs. Flora Short, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Glover and Gary, spent the week end visiting their son and brother, Barney Tucker, and family of Grand Prairie.

Mrs. Raymond Grimm and Mrs. Clyde Self visited a number of sick friends at Lockett Saturday.

Mrs. O. N. Baker and Johnny of Foard City visited Mrs. A. B. Wisdom and Frank Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopkins and children of Quanah spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hopkins and Larry. They all visited the Junior Hopkins family in Vernon.

Mrs. Raymond Oliver of Hale Center, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. H. Roberts several days, has also been attending the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Velma Scales of Vernon, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Abbott of Fort Worth are visiting in the J. L. McBeath home.

Mrs. Myrtle Neill returned home Monday from Chicago where she spent several weeks with her son, G. B., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson were visitors in Wichita Falls on Monday. They are still in regular attendance at the bedside of her father, Sim Gambule, who has been a patient in the Vernon hospital many weeks. His condition remains about the same.

The Joe Eavensons have been attending the bedside of his father, Everett Eavenson, in the Vernon hospital.

Mrs. Winnie Chappell and family and Mrs. Alene Rettig of Crowell visited the Joe Eavenson family Sunday.

Dallas McCarty of Vernon spent the week end with Mrs. Jessie Gamble and the Oran Fords.

Miss Emma Main of Vernon was a visitor with Maggie Capps Tuesday. She also visited others here.

Gamble McCarty spent the week

parents, the Eugene Kajs. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller visited her uncle, Egbert Fish of Vivian Sunday afternoon and also Mrs. Henry Fish in the Crowell hospital.

Jerry Tole, student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the mid-term holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Matthews have returned from an extended visit with his son, Homer Matthews, and family of Alamogordo, N. M.

Mrs. Grover Moore visited last week with her son, Arlos Moore, and family of Lubbock. They accompanied her home for a week end visit.

Judy Tole of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole, during the week end.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers were Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Baker of Acme and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferguson of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers visited her brother, Richard Kempf of Farmers Valley Monday.

Mrs. Ollie Jones of Vernon spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Ward Kuehn, and family.

Johnnie Joe Matus of Wichita Falls spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus.

Mmes. Welton Nickel of Thalia and Bill Smith of Lockett visited Mmes. Sam Tole, Ward Kuehn and John Ray Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bice and Cindy of Vernon spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hammonds visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Newell of Lockett Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Graf and daughter visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graf of Lockett Sunday.

Dave Shultz visited Mrs. Florence Shultz and Sim Gamble in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. T. L. Ward and Mrs. Sam Kuehn visited Thursday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Leon Taylor and family of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baker of Acme visited the James Bowers Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farrar and family visited the Bill Smiths at Lockett Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Coufal visited Mrs. G. W. Scales in a Vernon hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cox and family of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Swan Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Swan and Willis of Vernon visited several days last week with her sons, R. N. Swan and Glen Swan and families.

**Riverside**  
**MRS. CAP ADKINS**

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert of Foard City visited Mrs. John S. Ray and mother Tuesday.

Dave Shultz and Billy Doyle Shultz visited in Wichita Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice and Mrs. Floyd Bice and Cindy were Wichita Falls visitors Monday.

Buddie Swan, member of the FFA of Crowell, accompanied the group to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth Saturday.

Fred Kveton of Abernathy spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Ignace Zacek, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole and Jerry spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hibbit Grishom and son of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Laird of Olney visited their son, Bob Laird, and wife Saturday.

Clifton Skelton of Halsell ranch visited his sister, Mrs. R. N. Swan, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schur and family of Plainview visited his sister, Mrs. Monroe Karcher, and Mr. Karcher Wednesday.

Visitors to see Mrs. W. A. Mussetter and Mrs. John Ray last week included Mrs. Cassie Shievers and R. C. McCord of Crowell, Mrs. Julia Swan of Vernon and Mrs. J. D. Hurt of Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Foster of Grandfield, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Richter, and husband Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Daniel and family of Truscott spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher were visitors in Hollis, Okla., Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajs visited their son, Eugene Kajs, and family of Wichita Falls during the week end. Their two grandchildren, who had been visiting here, returned to the home of their

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**Two Minutes With the Bible**

The Name of the Lord

Many people use the name of the Lord very lightly. They are quick to exclaim, "My God!" or to use the name of the Lord Jesus Christ in vain.

We should all understand that the Bible declares that "God will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain" (Ex. 20:7). This is one of the Ten Commandments which too many people forget or ignore. But it is more than a commandment. It does not merely forbid taking the Lord's name on our lips carelessly; it adds the warning: "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain." Don't commit this sin, He warns, for if you do you will have to face God Himself for it and He will not overlook it.

Now, probably many of our readers have used the name of God and Christ in vain again and again. They have gotten into the habit and find it difficult to stop. Now what? How can such escape the condemnation of God upon this sin?

First, one of the principal reasons for not using God's name in vain is because of His infinite greatness. We should all bow and worship before Him. The second reason is because He—the infinite God—took upon Him human form and as God the Son died for our sins at Calvary. Now would you want to curse and swear in His name? You wouldn't want people to curse and swear in your mother's name, would you? How much less should we curse and swear in Christ's name or God's name?

Those who have this problem, invariably have never trusted Christ as their own Savior—as the One who died for their sins. Those who have trusted Him as Savior

usually never are tempted to use His name in vain again. Rather, like St. Paul, who once was "a blasphemer and a persecutor," they exclaim with deepest gratitude: "He loved me and gave Himself for me." (Gal. 2:20).

**4-H Club Meeting**

Kenneth Sellers, vice president, announced the meeting in Mrs. Smith's room on Jan. 21. Buff Nelson, vice president, read his minutes to boys and made three posters on snakes. The president, Terry Crews, moved to Brownwood, so they picked Bill Lynch as the new president. Some are studying on safety and electricity, some are raising and are going to show steers, hogs, chickens, rabbits, sheep. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 11.

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**TO THE VOTERS AND CITIZENS OF FOARD AND KNOX COUNTIES REGARDING THE COMING SCHOOL BOND ELECTION:**

*I wish to urge all qualified voters to give serious consideration to all the building proposals that are to be submitted to you in this bond election as I, a citizen interested in our school system, understand them.*

**One feature should be given close study:**  
**The complete tearing down and demolishing of our present high school building.**

*I, with a representative group of local citizens, went to Iowa Park to compare their high school building program with our own program. Their old high school building was a two-story structure with an auditorium that very closely resembled our own. Instead of razing their building, as proposed here in Crowell, they completely remodeled, meeting all state building requirements and at the same time restoring their building to fully realize its remaining usefulness. Iowa Park did this at a cost below the first building proposal costs submitted to our school for a similar program.*

**Our school board's own engineers have stated that our building, when constructed, was more strongly built than the average school buildings of that day, and they went on to recommend that repairs be made. THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT A LOT OF USEFULNESS AND VALUE IS LEFT IN OUR PRESENT HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING — TOO MUCH TO DESTROY!**

**Give this serious thought. This community should get the full value and remaining usefulness of our present high school building.**

Merl Kincaid.



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Chevy II is smartly styled outside, comfortable inside. There are a lot of models to choose from. A lot of extra-cost accessories to customize it just about any way you'd like. And a whole lot of fun to look forward to. At a very low cost. Test drive Chevy II at your Chevrolet dealer's soon. You'll like it!

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## Buffet Supper Honors Brooks' Employees Saturday Night

A buffet supper complimenting the employees and managers of the Brooks Auto Supplies and the Childress Auto Supply was given Saturday night, Jan. 25, in the J. T. Brooks home in Crowell.

Attending from Quannah were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Killion. Mr. Taylor is manager of the Quannah store; Tiny Taylor, manager, and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibson from Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ziehl and Laurie Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harmon and Russell and Ann and Deryl Manuel from Childress Auto Supply; and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford and Jo Nell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marlow, Rocky and Rennie, Mr. and Mrs. Ector Solis and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, all from Crowell.

## Columbian Club

"Machines are taking over so many jobs that the number of unskilled jobs is dropping rapidly," Mrs. J. R. Brown told members of the Columbian Club at a meeting Wednesday, Jan. 22, in the home of Mrs. Roy Barker with Mrs. Howard Bell as hostess.

"The educated person is more flexible, he has learned how to learn and can be retrained if automation takes over his job," she said. Although most drop-outs are of normal intelligence, most are not happy in school. "They lose too many battles to be happy in school."

Among the reasons listed for drop-outs were reading difficulty, home situation, problems with school officials, irregular attendance and poor self-image.

Lack of motivation was cited by Mrs. Jack W. Brown. She said, "Children reflect the values and pressure of their family and community." She concluded with a

discussion of reasons for college drop-outs, including pressures by parents to choose a college or career unsuitable to the student and the need of the late maturing person to enter a small or junior college, or possibly enter military service for a year or so.

The importance of early guidance and counseling by parents and teachers was emphasized by both speakers. It was pointed out that the recent accreditation report by the Texas Education Agency said "much remains to be done in this area" in reference to organizing student records for guidance purposes in the Crowell schools.

Mrs. E. J. Jones, program leader, was unable to be present.

At the business meeting preceding the program, roll call was answered with current events. Mrs. Marion Chowning reminded members of the drive to support the American Museum of Immigration at the Statue of Liberty. Mrs. N. J. Roberts gave the devotional. She named several verses chosen as favorites by former presidents and discussed the third chapter of Ecclesiastes, a favorite of John F. Kennedy and which was read at his funeral service.

Columbian Club members will be hostesses to the County Federation Friday afternoon, Jan. 31, at 2 p. m. and all were urged to attend. Fifteen members were present.

## Foard County Junior Leaders

On Jan. 22, the Foard County Junior Leaders met in the Community Center for a very worthwhile meeting. Leading the 4-H motto, pledge, and prayer were Jean Burkett, Billye McClain and Betty Welch. Bobby Bond presided over the meeting, discussing and planning the awards program to be held February 1. Joe Burkett reminded the girls and boys of the Foard County Livestock and Favorite Foods Show scheduled for March 13 and 14.

Buff Nelson, special guest, brought the program to the boys on "Snakes We Should Know." Mrs. Virginia Hseng showed the girls how to put a zipper in, using the half-back stitch.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by members, served by Jon Ann Carter and Billye Sue McClain.

## Adelphian Club

On January 22, the Adelphian Club met at the club house with Mrs. Robert Kincaid serving as hostess for the occasion.

Upon arrival, guests were shown through the newly decorated club

house. The committee members who worked on the project were Mrs. Bert Ekern, Mrs. Gordon Erwin, Mrs. Percy Taylor, Mrs. W. B. Johnson and Mrs. W. B. Ty-singer. Kitchen curtains were made by Mrs. Johnson and bathroom curtains were made by Mrs. Clarence Garrett.

Mrs. Ekern was leader for the afternoon and read "A Mother's Prayer," after which she introduced Mrs. Glen Halsell Jr., whose subject was "Our Concern—Children and Youth."

Future leadership of the world belongs to children and youth. Every citizen should assume full responsibility in the guidance of creative and responsible young people for life and leadership in a world of diverse cultures.

In a world of complexities, it is imperative that each child be given the opportunity to develop to his full potential, and adults are responsible for such guidance. Seventeen members were present.

## T. E. L. Class

The T. (Timothy), E. (Eunice), L. (Lois) Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in a regular monthly meeting Jan. 23 in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Powell. Mrs. Arthur Sandlin was co-hostess. Mrs. Grace McLaughlin led the opening and Mrs. Jewel Solis led the devotional using Phil. 4:11-20 as her theme.

The president, Mrs. C. L. Cavin, led in a short business session. Mrs. Mary Moore led the closing prayer. In the absence of Mrs. Mae Solomon, Mrs. Dunagan led the social hour with games. Twelve regular members were present; and one new member, Mrs. Jess Ferguson; also Dr. Powell. The hostesses served a very dainty plate to each.

## Foard City H. D. Club

On January 21, Mrs. C. N. Barker was hostess to the Foard City Home Demonstration Club in her home. For the opening exercises, Mrs. Barker called attention to the tips on planting and the tips on pruning as printed in the yearbook.

After a brief business session, Mrs. Virgil Johnson gave the program on Foot Wear. To insure a better fit, it is suggested that shoes be purchased after two or three hours shopping. If hose are too short, pressure on the toes may cause headache.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. M. Cox on Feb. 4.

## Junior Columbian Club

The Sub-Junior Columbian Club met January 22 in the home of Carolyn Hickman of Truscott.

In the area of business, a treasurer's report was given. Immediately following the business meeting, an informative talk was given by Mrs. Hubert Brown. Mrs. Brown spoke on the American's responsibility in travel today. Delicious refreshments were served by Carolyn Hickman and Carra Browder.

## 4-H Club Meeting

4-H Club boys met in Mrs. Davis' room at 9 a. m. Wednesday. Gary Cates called the meeting to order and led in prayer. Gary Eddy read the minutes and Jesse Adams led the pledge. Buff Nelson did a program about poisonous snakes and the treatment for snake bites. Murray Bullion will bring a program on electricity. Joe Burkett told the boys about first aid for electrical injuries.

The next meeting will be Feb. 12. The FFA and 4-H show will be held in the VA building March 13-14. Saturday night, Feb. 1, all 4-H boys and girls will be at the Baptist Church at 7 to receive awards. The 4-H rally day will be Thursday, June 25.

## Card of Thanks

For fear that we would overlook someone in a personal letter, permit Mrs. Heatly and me to take this means of saying to each and all of you how deeply honored we were for your large delegation from Foard County to be at the Appreciation Dinner in Vernon January 24th. By your presence, we were indeed honored and humbled. Thank you.

W. S. and Joannie Green Heatly, State Representative, 82nd District.

## Card of Thanks

We would like to express our deep appreciation to members of the Crowell Volunteer Fire Department for their efforts in extinguishing the fire at our home. We would also like to thank all the others who have been so nice to us since the fire. Sincerely, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis. 30-1tc

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## Large Crowd at Dinner for Heatly

A total of 490 persons, including a sizable delegation from Foard County, attended a testimonial dinner in Vernon last Friday night honoring State Representative W. S. Heatly of Paducah.

Speaker of the House Byron Tunnell of Tyler in the principal address praised Rep. Heatly as a leader in the fields of public and higher education, state hospitals and special schools, penal reform and agriculture.

A number of other state officials attended and paid tribute to Mr. Heatly.

## Subscriptions to News

Subscriptions to the News received since January 20 follow: Mrs. Antone Kajs Jr., Eu Galle, Fla.; Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Crowell; John Risor, Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. E. L. Pollard, Vernon; J. F. Matthews Jr., Route 1, Thalia; Mrs. G. J. Benham, Crowell; Henry Fish, Crowell; Mrs. S. E. Tate, Route 1, Crowell; Mrs. Alice B. Willis, Ontario, Calif.; Mrs. H. Schindler, Shreveport, La.; Mrs. John S. Ray, Route 1, Thalia; Jo Ray, Westport, Conn.; Jack Gilland, Route 1, Crowell; L. A. Whitman, Clovis, N. M.; Jesse N. Rutherford, Truscott; Mary E. Calvert, Santa Paula, Calif.; George Self, Crowell; Mrs. R. W. Miller, Mathis; Lester Myers, Crowell; J. L. Orr, Crowell; J. A. Thomson, Paducah; Billy Ray Dunn, Route 1, Crowell; Mrs. Duke Wallace, Crowell; Paul Shirley, Crowell; S. T. Knox, Crowell; Mrs. W. C. Smith, Route 1, Crowell; John L. Hunter, Route 2, Crowell; Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Route 2, Crowell; Mrs. Louise H. Spotts, Stephenville; Mrs. Frank Brisco, Crowell; T. M. Westbrook, Truscott; George Ferguson, Route 1, Crowell; Mrs. W. L. Ong, Houston.

## Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to Dr. Kralicic, Dr. Stapp and the hospital staff, and to my many friends for the beautiful flowers, cards and letters sent me while I was in the hospital, and for the personal visits. May God bless you. Mrs. Sam Russell. 30-1tp

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## Margaret MRS. L. B. ROBERTSON

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford visited a son, C. F. Bradford Jr. and family and a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Boyd, and family in Slaton over the week end.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford in honor of their 51st wedding anniversary were Mr. and Mrs. George Riggs of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Painter of Black, Patricia, Janeice and Elaine Jackson of Black and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford and Jo Nell.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Martin visited her mother, Mrs. G. T. Brummitt, of Claude Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Owens of Knox City visited his mother, Mrs. R. T. Owens, Sunday.

Ronnie Bradford of Texas Tech, Lubbock, is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford, and Jo Nell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe visited her brother, Lawrence Johnson, in Floydada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Roberts of Goodlett visited Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Coker and Daphne and Mrs. Charles Taylor and Terri of Vernon visited the August Rummels Thursday.

Jim Tom Smith visited Joe Mark Russell in Vernon Saturday.

Tom Smith and Gayle were visitors in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens had the following guests Saturday: a son, Cotton Owens and wife of Ruidoso, N. M.; a grandson, Jimmy Owens, and family of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Orr and daughter, Duke, Okla.

Loran Robertson visited his mother, Mrs. G. W. Neel, in Lock-ett Thursday.

Mrs. Lonnie Sikes visited her husband, Green Sikes, in Quannah and Mrs. Guyton Sikes in the Quannah hospital where she is recovering from surgery.

Dick Smith returned home Sunday from a week's visit in Wichita Falls.

Edward Mechell Jr. attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show Saturday with the FFA boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Drury and sons of Altus, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingle and Mrs. Ray Gibson and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ingle of Vernon visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Ingle, Sunday. Saturday visitors were the Carl Ingles of Quannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Blevins, and family in Vernon Sunday.

Sherri Gibson of Crowell visited Lisa Halencak Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague of Lubbock visited the Billy Joe Halencak family over the week end.

Mrs. John Teague of Crowell is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Joe Halencak, and family. The Halencaks are the parents of a new daughter, Ar-



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lene Fran, born Wednesday, 21, weighing 8 lbs. 14 oz.

Walter Ross and son, Tom of Flomot visited in Margarday.

Sunday guests in the Bell home were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and son of Pampa and Mrs. Jimmy Sanauels and children of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Raymond A. Bell of Vernon.

Mrs. Merritt Carruth is Crowell hospital for surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ross and Johnny visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vaughn and Norma Vernon Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ray Hysinger visited niece, Mrs. Ted Kyle, at Rickey, in Quannah Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysinger of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. Hysinger Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gillet children of Paducah visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gens, Sunday. Charlie Bles Thalia visited in the Bell home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton K and son of Thalia visited his parents, the Frank Halencaks, brother, Billy Joe Halencak family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysinger of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Middlebrook of Vernon visited their mother, Mrs. W. R. Hysinger, Sunday. The Hysingers the week end. Mrs. Gaylonley of Crowell visited Mr. Curley Saturday.

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# THIRTY YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the Thursday, Feb. 1, 1934, issue of The Ford County News:

J. E. Harwell was elected chairman of the Ford County Chapter of the American Red Cross at the annual meeting last Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clint White, Jan. 25, a girl, Barbara Ann.

J. L. Baine of Archer City has moved to Crowell and will open the "Pastime Domino Parlor" here today in the Ringgold building, next to Meason's Market.

Crowell High School's new gymnasium was packed to capacity for its formal dedication and the basketball game with Wichita Falls High School here Monday night. The crowd was estimated at between 750 and 800 people.

All persons above 16 years of age wishing to resume their education where it was left off, whether it was in grammar or high school, now have the opportunity to do so through the facilities of the CWA School that was started in the local high school building Monday morning.

New drapes, a new stage curtain, and wall covering are being placed at the Rialto Theatre this week along with other improvements to add to its attractiveness.

Reg Robbins, nationally famous aviator, will be in Crowell tomorrow and Saturday with his trimotor Ford airplane to carry passengers on both day and night flights.

A total of 22,760 bales of the 1933 cotton crop, counting round bales as half bales, had been ginned in Ford County prior to Jan. 16, compared with 18,865 bales for the same time last year.

With the cooperation of practically every business institution in Crowell, from the very smallest to the largest, Trades Day in Crowell on Monday promises to be the biggest success in the history of Trades Days in Ford County.

Miss Aylene Lanier, who is attending school at Chickasha, Okla., spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joe Smith returned home Sunday from Vernon where she underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Members of the Co-Laborers Class of the Methodist Church will serve chili, pie and coffee in the Russell building Saturday, Feb. 3.

Jesse N. Rutherford and family, who have been living on the Jack Roberts farm southeast of Crowell, have moved to Gilliland where they will reside on a farm near that town during 1964.

A. T. Fish of the Vivian community was in town Monday and during his annual visit to this office to pay his subscription to the News, he mentioned the fact that he had recently pulled a turnip from his garden that measured 18 1/2 inches around the top and he estimated that it would weigh four pounds.

## Memphis Production Credit Association Now in its 30th Year

The Memphis Production Credit Association, now observing its 30th anniversary as an agricultural financing institution, loaned a total of \$3,545,681 in 1963 to its farmer and rancher stock-holder-borrowers in a nine-county area of Northwest Texas.

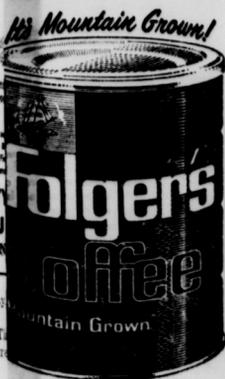
In a year-end report of activities, General Manager James Van Pelt of Memphis reported the association's loan volume held at approximately the 1962 level.

## Japs Entering U. S. Appliance Market

According to an item in Parade magazine, Japanese manufacturers are moving into the U. S. home appliance market. They are preparing to offer numerous items here, running the gamut from toasters to automatic defrosting refrigerators.

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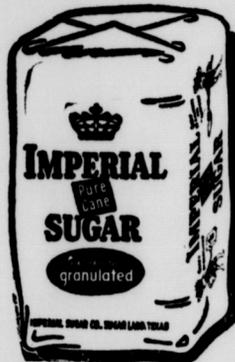
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FOR SALE—Matheson fertilizer. Call 684-4111.—W. W. Lemons. 49-tfc

FOR SALE—The W. J. Long home, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. Call 684-3193. 27-tfc

FOR SALE—Roper range cook stove with hood.—Fred Gray. 29-2tp

FOR SALE—Female Chihuahua puppy, light fawn color, 8 weeks old.—Joe Eddy. 30-2tc

FOR SALE—Good used lumber, 7 1/2 miles north of Crowell.—Henry Hrabal. 30-2tp

FOR SALE—The J. F. Thompson house. See Mrs. Allene Williams, phone 684-3584. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—My farm home and 38 acres of land, 5 miles north of Crowell.—James A. Welch. 14-tfc

Carpets clean easier with the Blue Lustre Electric Shampooer only \$1 per day.—W. R. Womack. 30-1tc

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FOR SALE—3 lots 4 block west of Catholic Church on northeast corner of next block. \$300.00.—Susie Franklin, 1107 Elmwood, Gainesville, Texas. 27-tfc

FOR SALE—1959 Plymouth blue and white Savoy, 3-room house with acre of land. See Mrs. L. E. Robertson, mile east Margaret, phone 655-2194. 30-4tc

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**Notices**  
NOTICE—The person who has my 100-ft. sewer line rod, please return it.—Joe Smith. 29-2tc

TRIM SHOP opened in the Mabe Building west of City Hotel. Furniture upholstery, tarp repair, seat cover repair, etc.—Ray Stinnett. 29-2tp

ELECTRIC SERVICE CO., INC., electrical contractors and supplies, refrigeration service. Box 507, 121 Main Street, Quanah, Texas. Ph. MO3-4220 or MO3-2971. 22-tfc

**For Rent**  
FOR RENT—2 and 3 bedroom apartments.—W. R. Ferguson. pd. 1-65

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**Business Opportunity**  
ROUTE MAN! SPARE TIME! Refilling and collecting money from new super coin operated dispensers in this area. No selling. To qualify you must have car, \$600 to \$1500 cash and 6 to 12 hours weekly. Can net up to \$200 monthly. More full time. For personal interview write P. O. Box 22106, Denver 22, Colo. 30-1tp

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**Lodge Notices**

**Crowell Chapter No. 916, OES**  
Meets second Tuesday night of each month. The next meeting will be February 11, 7 p. m. Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors.  
DOROTHY ERWIN, W. M.  
MARIETTA CARROLL, Sec.

**THALIA LODGE NO. 666**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday night, Feb. 22, 7 p. m. Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.  
FRANK WISDOM, W. M.  
J. F. MATTHEWS, SEC.

**CROWELL LODGE NO. 840**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Second Monday each month. February 10, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
RAY SHIRLEY, W. M.  
D. R. MAGEE, Sec.

**Gordon J. Ford Post No. 130**  
Meets every third Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m.  
H. E. MINYARD, Commander.  
RAY SHIRLEY, Adjutant.

**Allen-Hough Post No. 9177**  
Veterans of Foreign Wars  
Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Center.  
J. H. GILLESPIE, Commander.  
T. O. ELLIS, Quartermaster.

**Trespass Notices**  
NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. pd. 1-65

No trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Walter Cates. 30-4tp

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by us.—Johnson & Ekern. pd. 1-65

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell & Son. pd. 1-65

NO TRESPASSING, hunting or fishing on any land owned or leased by E. C. King. pd. 10-4

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Leslie McAdams Estate. pd. 1-65

POSITIVELY NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on land owned by Alton and/or Gordon Bell. pd. 7-64

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing on my land or land leased by me.—Juanita Gafford. pd. 6-64

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned, rented or leased by me.—M. L. Hughton. pd. 2-64

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by me.—Merl Kincaid. pd. 1-65

TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in the Margaret community.—Mrs. R. T. Owens. pd. 1-65

NOTICE TO PUBLIC—Any non-members caught fishing in the Spring Lake Country Club will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. This lake is for members only and others will stay out.—Board of Directors.

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**STATE CAPITAL**  
*Highlights*  
*AND Sidelights*  
by Vern Sanford  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin, Tex.—Capital talk is centering around Texas' new double-standard for voter qualification.

There's a lot of speculation and some concern in political circles. Ratification by South Dakota will place into effect a Federal constitutional amendment abolishing the poll tax as a requirement for voting in future federal elections.

1. Texans who want to vote for state and local, as well as federal officials, still must have poll tax receipts or appropriate exemptions.

2. Those who are content to vote for president, vice president, U. S. senator and congressman only, won't have to pay. But still they must get a free poll tax receipt from their tax collector.

The new "registration" requirement for federal elections takes effect after the U. S. General Services Administrator certifies that the amendment is officially part of the federal constitution.

Thirty days will be allowed voters, after the amendment goes into effect to obtain the special receipts stamped "poll tax not paid."

These "tickets" admit one to vote in federal elections. After this year, they must be obtained during the regular poll tax period of October 1-January 31.

For tax collectors and election officials these additional headaches will be presented:

Separate poll lists must be compiled for those who have paid the poll tax and those who have not; non-paying voters must get a ballot containing only the offices and propositions which they are eligible to vote on; all propositions except federal offices must be "locked out" on voting machines; and election returns must show separately those voting on free receipts.

Legal experts think the state law passed in anticipation of the federal amendment's ratification takes care of most emergencies and will prevent chaos, if not confusion. Detailed instructions soon will be sent to county tax collectors by Secretary of State Crawford Martin.

Gov. John Connally, meanwhile, warned Texans that failure to pay the poll tax commits them to "only half a vote in the 1964 elections."

Connally joined groups on all sides of the political fences in the final week's campaign to pump up lagging payments.

**CONGRESSIONAL RACES UNDISTURBED**—Governor Connally anticipates no disruption in congressional district races this year, since the U. S. Supreme Court recessed until February 17 without taking action on pending redistricting cases.

Filing deadline for Texas primaries is February 3. Connally and other state officials do not think the high court will interfere with election machinery already in progress.

Last October a Houston federal court held Texas congressional district boundaries unconstitutional since they are not based on equal population.

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**INVESTIGATION CONTINUING**—A half dozen state investigators are looking into activities of Corpus Christi promoter Paul Amos Sandblom, who is charged with dealing in unregistered securities.

Additional charges may be filed against the South Texas financier, according to State Securities Commissioner William King. He has four agents combing the tangled financial affairs of Sandblom, 39. And the state auditor has assigned a court-appointed receiver of the bankrupt promoter's estate estimates he took in over \$25,000, but now has assets of only \$27,000.

**Honor Rolls Listed for Third Six Weeks of Crowell High School**

High School Principal Henry Black has announced the following high and low honor rolls for the past six weeks term:

**High Honor Roll**  
Suzetta Abston, Nancy Archer, Dan Mike Bird, Jean Burkett, Ella Ann Cates, Frances Cates, Marilyn Cates, Pat Cates, Nelda Chappell, Sandra Chowning, Elaine Crowell, Charlotte Drabek, Jo Wynn Ekern, Kathy Eubanks, Evelyn Faske, Arcina Garrett, Doyle Goodwin, Schery Goodwin, Janell Gray, Steve Gray.

Hollis Halbert, Seth Halbert, Patsy Hall, Carolyn Hickman, Sharon Hoffman, Ricky Hooper, Janice Jackson, Patricia Jackson, Debra Jones, Betty Kajs.

T. F. Lambert III, Lanette Lemons, Woody Lemons, Lee Looney, Mike Manard, Ruth Sanders, Sherry Sandlin, Gayle Smith, Sueella Smith, Mary Sue Speer, Vickie Spikes, Virginia Stapp, Joy Tra-week, Rickey Tra-week, Sandra Weathered, Betty Ann Welch, James Allen Welch, Philip Welch, Barbara Womack, Larry Wright.

**Low Honor Roll**  
Claudia Aranda, Barry Barker, Bobby Bond, Paul Wayne Campbell, Kenneth Carroll, Jon Ann Carter, Margaret Collins, Jill Cooper, James Corder, Renee Daniel, Ken Ferguson, Mike Gamble, Dennis Garrett, Beverlie Gray, Joylyn Haynie, Janis James, Tommy Kajs, Nancy Ketchersid, Stephen Kralicke, Rosa Lee Latimer, Rosa Lopez, Ernest Magee, Junior

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George Myers, Billye Sue McClain, Jean McCurley, Toye McCurley, James Neeley, Kenny Ownbey, Elizabeth Pittillo, Mary Ann Ramsey, Albert Santos, John Schilling, Mike Shrode, Fleta Smith, Otis Smith, Gary Taylor, Trinidad Villareal, Freddie Wehba, Melvin Chappell, Sharon Mapp, Randy Smith, Geraldine Bradford, John Carl Borchardt, Shirley Mike Rasberry.

**Agent Recommends Soil Testing Program**

The soil is a good place to start farm income improvement for 1964. A soil inventory, points out County Agent Joe Burkett, should include a close study of the acres to be farmed or grazed since soils may vary in their production capacity and adaptability to crops.

A logical first step, he says, is a soil testing program. The determinations from the soil testing laboratory will give needed information on the amounts of plant food required to provide the planned crop or pasture with the nutrients for top production. The fertilizer recommendations for a particular field will be based upon the analysis made of the soil sample submitted to the testing laboratory.

The county agent emphasized the importance of submitting soil samples which are representative of the field or pasture. The results of the laboratory analysis, he explained, will be no more accurate nor representative than the soil sample submitted.

Producers are invited to contact the county agent for detailed information on how to take soil samples and also for report forms and soil sample containers. He also reminded gardeners that soil testing would help them solve soil fertility problems connected with their activities.

**Nurses Association to Meet in Vernon**

Sub-District No. 11 of the Texas Graduate Nurses Association will meet in the Sky room of Wilbarge auditorium in Vernon Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Owen C. Berg M. D. of Wichita Falls, will speak on "Recent Development in Urology." Dr. Berg is one of the outstanding urologists of this area.

The educational program will be open to all nursing personnel in the area. All registered and vocational nurses are invited to attend.

**Thalia Cemetery**

The Thalia Cemetery Association met Thursday, Jan. 23, at the school house for the annual meeting. President O'Neal Johnson presided. Mrs. H. W. Gray made a motion and Lee Sims seconded to re-elect all officers. Motion carried. Lee Sims was re-elected as caretaker for the season. It was decided to put a cable around the cemetery to keep stock out. The president will investigate about getting the cable.

A motion was passed to lay a pipe down in the center of the cemetery to have water for those who would like to use it.

Mrs. Cap Adkins reports the following donations, and says "if you haven't donated recently, we will appreciate your donation to help with the expenses:"

Catherine and Alvin Williamson, Vernon, \$5.00; Mrs. Fred Rennels, Bryan, \$10.00; Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, \$10.00; O'Neal Johnson, \$10.00; Mrs. H. W. Gray, \$5.00; Mrs. Knoxie Brown, \$5.00; Mrs. Clyde Self, \$5.00; Robert Hammonds, \$5.00; Mrs. Cap Adkins, \$5.00; H. H. Hopkins, San Diego, Calif., \$5.00; Mrs. H. W. Banister, \$5.00.

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**Deaths on Texas Highways Hits All-Time High in 1963**

Austin—The Texas Department of Public Safety reported this week that a preliminary count of traffic deaths in the state for 1963 shows that 2,703 persons were killed—by far the greatest toll in history.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS director, noted that this means 282 more persons died in traffic last year than in 1962, or an increase of approximately 12 per cent. He also pointed out that the 1963 toll of lives was 92 greater than the previous all-time high of 2,611 in 1956.

DPS Statistical Services said it is estimated that when all reports are received for the year 1963, the death figure from traffic accidents in Texas will be 2,725.

"To attempt to place the blame for this great tragedy on one single factor would be pure speculation," Garrison said. "The records indicate consistently that speed too fast for conditions is the most prevalent law violation involved in fatal accidents. The second most frequent factor involved in fatal accidents is driving while drinking, and the third is driving on the wrong side of the road. A combination of these things often is involved. And we do know that in almost every fatal accident there is at least one violation of some traffic law involved."

"There, it would seem that the best explanation for the upward spiral in traffic fatalities, both in Texas and in the nation, would be a combination of general carelessness and disregard for the law."

"As for the matter of speed, we cannot over-emphasize that Texas law clearly states that no vehicle shall be driven at a speed greater than that which is reasonable and prudent for existing conditions. This holds true regardless of what the posted limits may be."

"In other words, the law clearly places the responsibility for not exceeding safe driving speeds upon the driver himself."

"With these things in mind, we wish to appeal to all Texans to recognize the seriousness of the traffic situation with which we are faced, examine the facts, and determine to resolve the matter in the true tradition of responsible Texas citizens."

**Grade School Cage Teams Win Four Out of Five Last Week**

The Crowell Grade School basketball teams won four out of five games played last week. The girls won the first place trophy at the Northside (Vernon) tournament. They had a perfect week of play with victories over Knox City (25-16), Lockett (18-14) and Northside (47-27).

The boys broke even in their games with a 33 to 20 victory over Knox City, and a 43 to 36 loss to Iowa Park.

The girls representing Crowell in these games were Kay Looney, Cindy Erwin, Janis Whitley, Pam Borchardt, Mary Sue Carpenter, Lela Jo Cates, Margaret Kralicke, Ann Russell, Mary Adams, Sue Eubanks, Judy Whitley and Betty Woodward.

Crowell boys that play basketball are Ronnie Eavenson, Dale Bradford, Lynn Rader, Rockne Wisdom, Gary Toke, Paul Stapp, Joe Burkett, Larry Hughton, Joe Mike Fish, Carl Chappell and Michael Eubanks.

The Crowell girls are coached by Mrs. L. H. Wall. The boys are coached by L. H. Wall and Printess Gidney.

**MARGARET W. M. S.**  
Margaret W. M. S. met Monday for the royal service home mission program. A box of cookies was sent to Mexican Baptist orphans home in San Antonio. There were five women present.

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**Historians Will Be Puzzled**

Ralph T. Moore writes Oregon Voter: "Historians bound to be puzzled by our persistent refusal to practice what we preach and to use the fruits of enterprise we so loudly claim. In fact there are few us contemporaries who can logical answer to this question. Probably, the main reason is almost stupid intransigence this line is our infatuation big government."

**Predicts Another Sharp Rise in Crime**

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, is deeply concerned with increasing abuse and aimed at the nation's law enforcement officers. He says: "We witness a radical change in behavior patterns of our 180 million population, 1963 bringing another sharp rise in crime."

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