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CHRISTMAS SEASON OPENS HERE TONIGHT

Veterans News

World War II veterans desiring to study abroad can qualify for benefits at the same time under both the GI Bill and the Fulbright Act administered by the Department of the Veterans Administration ruled this week. The VA ruling held that payments of education and training benefits under the GI Bill may be applied to student-veterans regardless of any grants made to them under the Fulbright Act, since the act used to administer the Fulbright Act were not secured from the United States government appropriations.

The Fulbright Act, passed by the 79th Congress, provides for grants in aid to American students for study abroad or to foreign students for study in this country with costs defrayed by grants acquired through sale of surplus property abroad.

The act also specifies that veterans of World Wars I and II must be given preference by the 10-member Board of Foreign Scholarships which awards the study grants.

It is hoped that a limited number of grants will be made under the Fulbright Act for the academic year 1948-49. Applications are being received at this time, and persons desiring information on the program may obtain it from the Division of International Exchange of Persons, Department of State, Washington 25, D. C.

Almost all of the 2,013,000 World War II veterans who completed or dropped out of school or training courses they began under laws administered by the Veterans Administration are eligible for additional training.

It is said this week that all but 100 of those veterans interested or discontinued their training before they had used all of a training time for which their war service qualified them. Of those not eligible for further training, 20,600 are disabled veterans who were declared ineligible. The remaining 8,400 are GI Bill trainees who used all their available entitlement.

Children Should Be Immunized Against Diphtheria Early

AUSTIN. All children should be immunized against diphtheria as early as possible, according to a statement on the subject received this week by the Texas Department of Health, explaining that toxoid, which can be administered easily and without danger, can safeguard youngsters against this serious and killing disease of childhood.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges all Texas parents have their children, who are already protected, immunized immediately.

"Babies should be immunized at the age of eight or nine months," Cox advised. Authorities on the care of infants recommend a dose by the age of eight or ten months, and sometimes as early as six months. A second dose usually given later.

To maintain complete immunity, Cox said that a reinforcing dose of toxoid is advised when a child is old enough to enter school. A Schick test reveals the need for kindergarten this year without additional safeguard or without ever having been immunized. It should be protected without further delay, the State Health Officer declared.

New Library Books Received Recently

New books recently added to the shelves of the Foard County Library include "The Grass" by Conrad Richter; "Zotz" by Walter Kariz; "Praise at Morning" by Mildred Peterson McNeilly; "Nothing So Strange" by James Hilton.

New books are continually being added to the library and the members are urged to use them.

We Invite

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gamble
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wehba

to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Rialto Theatre in Crowell.

We want you to be our guests.

THE RIALTO THEATRE
The Foard County News



PETRIFIED FOREST . . . Chimneys rising grotesquely skyward are silent sentinels of the flaming disaster that struck the Maine resort center of Bar Harbor. They mark the site of the once beautiful Malvern hotel. Hungry forest fires were responsible for the deaths of at least 22 persons throughout New England and wrought 32 million dollars damage. In Maine, 831 permanent homes and 297 cottages were destroyed and 100,000 acres of forest were consumed by the flames. Bar Harbor itself was two-thirds destroyed in the fire that raged for days.

Crowell Loses Football Game to Archer City, 12 to 0

The Archer City Wildcats defeated the Crowell Wildcats 12 to 0 in football here on Wednesday night of last week to end the 1947 season for both schools. Bob Lewis and John Bell, backfield stars for Archer City, lived up to pre-game publicity. However, it was Bob Patrick, right halfback for the Archer County team, that sparked them to their two touchdowns.

Archer City threatened to score early in the game but good defensive playing on Crowell's one yard line by the Crowell boys held this score off. Dalton Biggestaff faked a kick and ran the ball out to the twenty yard line where he could kick out of danger. Late in the first quarter, Patrick ran a touchdown over from the five yard line after a series of line plays had carried the ball to this point. The half ended 6 to 0 for Archer City.

The third quarter produced another touchdown for Archer City, when Danny Powell threw a thirty yard pass to Bob Lewis and the final score of the evening. The final count was 12 to 0 for Archer City.

Crowell did not threaten to score at any time during the game. However, several first downs were registered by the Crowell team. Ray Black, Thomas Templen, and Marvin Briscoe were playing their last game for the Black and Gold. All three of these boys played an excellent game at their respective positions.

Crowell has twenty-nine of the thirty-three boys on the squad back for next year's team. Kenneth Ownbey is the other senior on the squad.

A sense of humor will reduce your troubles to their proper proportions.—Unknown.



OXFORD ACCENT . . . Monocled Sheila Howarth, Hollywood correspondent for British newspapers, sued a taxi driver for assault and battery. She said he kidnapped and beat her because he didn't like her Oxford accent.

Three Members of Colored Family Perish in Fire

Seven people were seriously burned in a fire Thanksgiving afternoon when the four-room house in which they resided near Thalia burned, caused by the explosion of an oil stove. Three of the burned had died.

Fay Ruth, 9, David, 2, and Estelle, 1, children of Lige Phylow and wife, have died and were buried Sunday afternoon. Two more Phylow children, Lucy and Ray, and a daughter-in-law and her infant child, remain in a serious condition at the Foard County Hospital. Hopes are held for their recovery.

The parents were pulling cotton in a near-by field when the explosion occurred.

John Deere Dealer to Play Host to Farmers and Families

Self Implement Co., local John Deere dealer, is inviting all farmers and their families in this and neighboring communities, to attend his big John Deere Day Program to be held at the Rialto Theatre on Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 1:30 p.m.

According to George Self, owner, this year's John Deere program will be of special interest to anyone who has anything to do with farming.

The main attraction is a new specially produced Hollywood feature "Dr. Jim," which stars Stuart Erwin, a leading entertainer on the screen for many years. "Dr. Jim" is a friendly, warm-hearted picture that pays a fine tribute to a small community's leading citizen—the country doctor. "You'll like Doc and his wife, Sally—they're human folks who will tug at your hearts and provide plenty of chuckles, too," Mr. Self said.



HE SEES REDS . . . Dapper actor Adolphe Menjou is shown as he told the house un-American activities committee that Hollywood is a hotbed of "un-American, anti-capitalistic, anti-free enterprise activities." Menjou said he was in favor of shipping the Communists in America back to Russia.

Baptist Ass'n to Hold Conference Here Tues., Dec. 9

A worker's conference program of the Wilberger-Foard Association will be held at the First Baptist Church in Crowell on Tuesday, Dec. 9, with 17 churches and a membership of 6,500 represented. The occasion will be an all-day affair and lunch will be served by the local church. Dr. E. S. James of Vernon will be the main speaker.

PROGRAM
Song and devotional, 10:30 a.m., led by W. G. Gilbert; Foreign Missions in 1948, 10:50 a.m., Carl Wright; Report of District Missionary, 11:15 a.m., Sid Martin; Special music, 11:40 a.m.; 11:50 a.m., sermon, "New Testament Message on Giving," Dr. E. S. James; 12:30 p.m., lunch; 1:15, p.m., board meetings.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital
Patients in:
Miss Nora Banister
Mrs. F. C. Borchardt
Mrs. Boggs Trawek
Mrs. M. E. Dockins
Mrs. Grover Owens
Mrs. W. C. Golden and infant son
Floyd Borchardt Jr.
J. W. Klepper
Mrs. Maggie Killen
Josephine King (col)
Ira Lee King (col)
Nancy May Phylow (col)
Roy Lee Phylow (col)

Patients Dismissed:
Mrs. Milburn Carroll
Betty Jean Moore
Mrs. H. E. Black
Mrs. Jack Anderson and infant son
Miss Irene Hunter
Mrs. Robert Lee and infant daughter
Mrs. Nova and infant son
Gary Lee Owens
Mrs. M. G. Garvin and infant son
Paul Glover
J. J. McCoy
Mrs. G. M. Canup

ROTARY CLUB

R. S. Griggs, Fort Worth attorney, was a visitor at the Friday noon meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club at the DeLuxe Cafe. With Rude Magee as program chairman, Henry Ferguson told of his summer vacation spent in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Most people thought the Yankees won the World's Series, but a check up reveals that it must have been the U. S. Treasury. Figures show that the tax paid on admissions totaled \$356,000. From the Yankee's share of \$270,000 Uncle Sam will claim \$77,000. From the Dodger's share of \$138,000 he will claim \$44,000. From the \$148,000 received by the individual players the Treasury Department will claim about \$41,000. The Yankee and Dodger Owner corporation split a Series

N. F. Pittillo, Foard Pioneer, Succumbs Friday

Funeral Services Held in Thalia Church Saturday

Death came to N. F. Pittillo, Friday, Nov. 28, at the home of Mrs. Tennie Reed, his sister-in-law. He had been in failing health for some time but seriously ill only a short time.

Funeral services were held at the Thalia Baptist Church on Saturday Nov. 29, at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. T. M. Johnston, District Superintendent of the Vernon District of Methodist Churches, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. W. G. Gilbert, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church, and Rev. L. B. Taylor, pastor of the Thalia Methodist Church.

A special song, "My Latest Sun is Sinking Fast" was rendered by Gus Neill. He was accompanied by Mrs. Neill who also accompanied the choir songs, "Does Jesus Care?" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Pall-bearers were Woodrow Johnson, Oneal Johnson, Bill Russell, Tom Russell, Nolan Swan, and Bill Swan, all nephews. Honorary pall-bearers were S. V. Gamble, P. T. Gamble, Mack Gamble, O. M. Grimm, E. M. Cates, T. R. Cates, W. L. Ricks, Henry Ferguson, W. S. J. Russell, W. L. Johnson, H. L. Swan, and John Jobe.

Flower-bearers were Mrs. Doug Tucker, Mrs. Ross Shook of Denver City, Mrs. Charles Neill of Abilene, Mrs. Marvin Price, Mrs. Fay Tarver, Mrs. Herman Sandlin, Mrs. Hugh Jones of Childress, Mrs. Tom Russell, Miss Barbara Wilhite of Tyler, Mrs. Reed Johnson of Colorado City, Miss Johnnie Swan, Miss Peggy June Pittillo, Mrs. Nolan Swan and Mrs. Glendon Russell.

Interment was made in the Thalia cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Home. Frank Pittillo was born in Foard County in 1868 and came to Foard County a number of years later. He was married to Miss Lottie Mae French in Crowell on June 10, 1908, by the late Rev. S. O. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Pittillo resided at Thalia many years, going from there to Littlefield, then to Houston from which place they returned to Crowell to make their home. They had only recently purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore but had not been able to move because of Mr. Pittillo's illness.

Mr. Pittillo was among the organizers of Foard County and took an active part in the county's affairs while residing here. He had many friends here and in every place he lived. He was present at the first observance of the birthday of the county, and, with a number of other men, had a picture made on the Court House steps. Only a few of the group are yet surviving.

Survivors include the wife, one daughter and six sons: Mrs. H. O. Wilhite of Tyler, J. R. Pittillo of Crowell, C. H. Pittillo of Fort Worth, Clyde of Littlefield, A. F. of Houston and N. W. of Portales, N. M., and one niece, Mrs. Thomas Hughston of Crowell, a half-sister, Mrs. Emma Ham of Fort Worth, and 19 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren, also surviving.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present included Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wilhite and son and daughter of Tyler, Mrs. Emma Ham, Bridgeport; Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Pittillo and family of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittillo of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pittillo of Portales, N. M.; Audie Pittillo of Houston; Mrs. Kate Gimmel and son of Littlefield; Rudell Russell of Grandfield, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Penny Neill and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Johnson of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shook of Carlsbad, N. M.; Mrs. Hugh Jones and daughter of Childress; Mrs. Charlie Pickrell and Mrs. Dutch Hays of Littlefield.

Of this the government will get \$96,000. Add these up and you will have the government's share of Series money at about \$614,000. Add to this the tax received by the Department from the sale of concessions and the government's share will crowd \$750,000.

In the twenty years following the discovery of gold in California around a billion dollars in gold was mined.

Music of the Chimes at Methodist Church Will Announce the Arrival of Santa for a Short Visit in Crowell

The Christmas shopping season in Crowell will open tonight with the annual visit of old Santa Claus with the children of this and adjoining communities. Santa will arrive at 7 p. m. and will bring with him 1,500 bags of candy to be distributed among the children present.

Santa Claus will come from the North Pole to Wichita Falls by plane and will be met there by Roy Barker, who will transport him to Crowell by private plane in time to make his genial appearance at the appointed time. His public entrance into Crowell will inaugurate the official Christmas shopping season and will put the Christmas spirit into young and old alike.

The show windows of the business houses are already being dressed in gala fashion for the big occasion and will all be opened to the public eye in time for the parade of Santa and his helpers.

The chimes of the Hammond organ of the Methodist Church will announce the coming of good old Santa Claus instead of the fire siren as has been used in years previous. When the chimes begin to play, everyone may begin to look for good old St. Nick.

A contest is being staged by the merchants for the best show window display and also for the best decorated yard tree in Crowell. The judging committee will make the prize awards.

Assisting Santa Claus to distribute his gift bags to the children will be George Self, Glendon Hays, Marion Crowell, Jack Seale, T. S. Haney, Virgil Smith and Jim Cates. The bags were filled by the members of B. & P. W. Club.

At the time this story is being written, the long-wished-for rain is falling, but, rain or shine, Santa Claus will be here to mingle with the boys and girls of Crowell, Foard County and the adjoining counties.

Ex-Resident of Crowell Dies at Home in Vernon

Mrs. M. L. Bird, a former resident of Crowell, passed away suddenly at her home in Vernon on Tuesday, November 25. She had been in apparent good health and her death was a shock to her family and friends.

Funeral services were held in the home on Friday afternoon, Nov. 28, with Mrs. Loyd Barker, Christian Scientist of Wichita Falls, conducting the last rites. Interment was made in East View Memorial Park in Vernon.

Three sons, Woodrow, Philip and Douglas Bird and three grandchildren survive. All were present at the funeral services. Several friends from Crowell attended.

Mrs. Bird was born Nov. 1, 1881, in Navarro County. She had lived in Vernon since 1920 when she, with her family, moved there from Crowell. She was married to Marcus L. Bird at Corsicana in 1901. She had many friends here.

Daniel Lee Pruitt Dies in California Naval Hospital

Daniel Lee Pruitt, son of Arthur Pruitt of Margaret, died in a Naval Hospital in San Diego, Calif., Saturday night, according to a telegram received by Mr. Pruitt, who left Saturday night for San Diego.

Daniel Lee was 23 years, 2 months and 10 days old at the time of his death. He enlisted in the Navy at the beginning of the war and received a discharge in March, 1946, and re-enlisted in March of the same year.

He is the grandson of Mrs. Sarah Pruitt of Margaret and the late Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wright. Three sisters and one brother, living in Morgan Hill, Calif., survive along with a number of other relatives. Another brother, William Pruitt, who was in the Merchant Marines, has been missing since 1944.

Local Boy Made District President of FFA at Seymour

Floyd Borchardt, president of the local FFA chapter was made District president at a meeting held in Seymour on Tuesday, Nov. 25, which was attended by Borchardt, president, Grover Yocham, secretary, Ray Black, treasurer and Bobby Stinebaugh, reporter and by Marvin Myers, FFA instructor and Grady Graves, superintendent of schools.

Floyd Borchardt presided over the meeting held before the Training School. It was decided to hold an invitational basketball tournament on Dec. 19 or 20, to be sponsored by Seymour. Each group of officers met in separate rooms and studied the particular duties and responsibilities of his office in the chapter.

The boys appreciate having been taken to the meeting by Mr. Graves, Mr. Myers and Mr. Myers attended the Vocational Agricultural Teachers Meeting held at the same time.

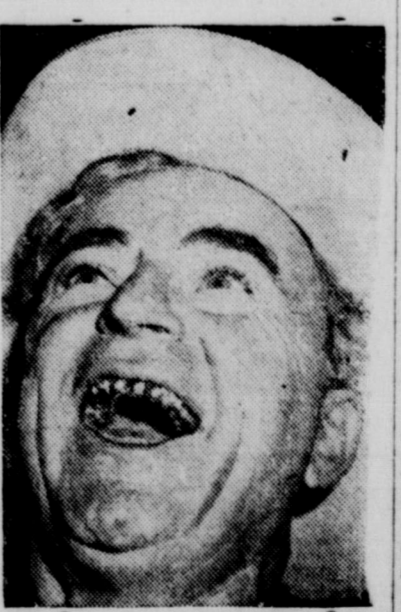
Governor Proclaims Nov. 24 to Dec. 25 Xmas Seal Month

AUSTIN, TEXAS (Special)—In a proclamation officially designating the period from November 24 to December 25 as Christmas Seal Month, Governor Beauford Jester has pointed out that tuberculosis takes an average of 3,000 lives in Texas each year and kills more people between the ages of 15 and 45 than any other disease.

The Governor called attention to the fact that the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated county association are waging an effective and continuous campaign to control this communicable disease, stating that the funds to carry on their work are derived from the annual sale of Christmas Seals. He urged Texans to be generous in their support of the campaign against tuberculosis by buying and using Christmas Seals.

Discussion is an exchange of knowledge; argument an exchange of ignorance.—Robert Quillen.

Success is a journey—not a destination.—H. Tom Collard.



DIAMOND-STUDD . . . Plenty of sparkle emanates from the mouth of "Diamond" Ted Lewis of Gallup, N. M., when he lets go with a hearty guffaw like this. He has \$10,000 worth of diamonds in his teeth.

Items from Neighboring Communities

RAYLAND (By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

Mrs. Hattie Saunders of Fort Worth visited her niece, Mrs. W. A. Daniels, and brother, Mr. Burch this week. Mr. and Mrs. James Dutton and son of Knox City are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dutton. Mrs. Louis Kieschnick attended a church social at her sister's home, Mrs. Otto Street, in South Lockett Thursday. Horace Abston of Lockettville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baldwin and children visited his mother, Mrs. E. H. Baldwin in Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Patten Kimbrey and son, John Wayne, of Plainview visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baldwin, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson and daughter, Barbara, and Mrs. Horace Abston and son visited in

Vernon Sunday. Jean Beazley of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna of Quanah visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haynes and children of Electra visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Garvin announce the birth of a baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lawson and children took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Davis and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sitton and children of Kirkland visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston took Sunday dinner with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Abston of Five-in-One. Doris Ann Opperman visited in Wichita Falls Tuesday. Mrs. W. A. Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson attended a banquet in Vernon Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna of Quanah visited in San Antonio and Poteet last week. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin visited in Bowie last week-end. Mrs. T. F. Lambert returned from Dallas after visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lambert. Wilbert Joe Wood of Wichita Falls visited his mother, Mrs. T. E. Lawson over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor, Bonnie Jean Dutton and Foy Edwards of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Dutton of Los Angeles, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. John King and Mr. and Mrs. James Dutton and son, Jimmy, of Knox City were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dutton. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sitton and granddaughters of Kirkland visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carr. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lambert of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Drijck and children of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert Jr. and daughter, were Thanksgiving guests of their mother, Mrs. T. F.

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MEASURING A MILLIONTH! IN ORDER TO MAKE REFRIGERATOR PARTS PRECISE, GENERAL ELECTRIC HAS DEVELOPED INSTRUMENTS TO MEASURE A MILLIONTH OF AN INCH! WITH SUCH CARE, G. E. BUILDS PRODUCTS THAT LAST. GENERAL ELECTRIC

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. What is a deciduous tree? 2. What state was once known as "The Dark and Bloody Ground"? 3. In what year was gold discovered in California? 4. What state leads the nation in the production of corn and hogs? 5. What state leads the nation in the production of wheat and flour milling? 6. What state claims to have over 11,000 lakes? 7. What lake is the source or head waters of the Mississippi? 8. Which one of the New England states is without a seacoast? 9. In what presidential campaign was the issue of sixteen to one employed? 10. In what state is the city of Boise? (Answers on page 3).

Lambert Sr. Gene Baldwin of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baldwin through the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Schoolcraft of Oklahoma City and Norma Jean Beazley of Wichita Falls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley, over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis and son, Carl Wayne, of Kirkland visited here Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis and children of Nocona, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis, Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clark, Sunday. Mrs. Noel Sitz and daughter, Sharron, of Vernon visited her sister, Mrs. T. C. Davis, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewellen and J. T. Lewellen of Pampa are visiting here. Horace Abston and Joe Jernigan of Lockettville were here this week. Mrs. Horace Abston and son returned home with them. Those taking Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Abston were Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston, Mr. and Mrs. Clure Flowers and children of Fredrick, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce and sons of Vernon, Mrs. Horace Abston and son of Lockettville, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Abston and children of Northside. Levi Lewellen and sons, Raymond and J. T., are making a business trip to Arkansas this week. Wanda Ruth Abston of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston, through the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson and daughter, Barbara Ann, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers of Vernon Sunday. Karon Davis visited her cousin Sharron Sitz of Vernon through the Thanksgiving holidays. Lester Martin of Levelland visited his mother, Mrs. A. H. Martin, over the holidays.

TRUSCOTT

(By Special Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davidson and children, Frank and Nora Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryant were in Asperment Tuesday and Wednesday on account of the death of Mrs. Davidson's father, J. E. Kingery. Jack Whitaker was brought from the Knox City Hospital Thursday where he had been for treatment. John Glascock of Clovis, N. Mex. visited his brother, J. H. Glascock and family. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ben Qualls and daughter of Seagraves visited her mother, Mrs. J. N. Chilcoat, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Collier of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Collier and family Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Oby and children, Clifford Jr. and Martha spent Thanksgiving with friends in Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randolph and family of Muleshoe spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glascock and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chowning and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning Sr visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitaker and family at Haskell Saturday. Charlie Gwynn Hickman of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Hickman. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chowning of Vernon and Lynette Chowning of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stover and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chowning. Vandlyn Browning of Hardin College, Wichita Falls, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blevins and son, Calvin, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins Sunday. G. E. Clark of Lubbock is visiting his son, Bill Clark, and wife. Leo Jones of Dallas visited his father, L. P. Jones and sisters, Lela, Lucille and Mrs. Johnnie Lynch. Mr. and Mrs. Debs Johnson and family of Rochester visited her sister, Mrs. Pet Davidson, and family. Rev. J. V. Patterson visited Charles Burton in the Knox City Hospital Tuesday, it being Charles' birthday. Friends sent many gifts to him. While all the rest of the states hold their elections in November, Maine holds her election in September. Nine out of ten American automobiles are made within a distance of 42 miles of Detroit.

FOARD CITY (Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Owens and son, Ronnie, moved to Crowell recently. Mr. and Mrs. Midge Adecock and daughter, Gena, of Truscott visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson last Tuesday night. Mrs. Luther Marlow spent last week with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Manning, of Crowell, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin Sr. and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin Jr. and children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin of Ft. Worth, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and family of Vivian. Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and family spent the week-end with relatives at Benjamin. Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and sons, Billy John and Jimmy, of Crowell spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson. Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner of Truscott. Mrs. J. L. Farrar spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patton of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson of Crowell spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson. Grady McLain spent from Wednesday until Sunday deer hunting near Junction. Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McBeath and daughter, Paulette, of Thalia spent Saturday night and Sunday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson. Joe Farrar went to Amarillo last Sunday where he entered the Veterans Hospital. The Foard City Women's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Virgil Johnson Monday afternoon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Glen Shook Dec. 15 at which time a Christmas program will be presented.

MARGARET (By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

H. A. Taylor from A. & M. College, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz and son, Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cline of Vernon visited Mrs. Shultz's brother, Elmer Watts, and family of Iowa Park Friday. Mrs. J. W. Spotts of Hico is here with her father, John L. Hunter Sr., and sister, Irene, who are ill. Mrs. G. C. Bradberry of Pauls Valley, Okla., came Sunday to be with her mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford. Miss Irene Hunter was dismissed from the Crowell hospital Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vantine of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Jones Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney of Quanah visited in the J. H. Taylor and G. C. Wesley homes during Thanksgiving. Joyceene Smith spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed of Vernon were visitors in the S. O. Jones home Sunday. Mrs. Louis Painter and children of Black visited her grandmother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford, Sunday afternoon. Leo Havaty of Temple, Bill Havaty and daughters, Dorothy and Marie, of Vernon, and Mrs. James Cooper of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger Saturday. Mrs. W. A. Dunn, Mrs. W. R. McCurley and Mrs. Lax Middlebrook visited Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook in the Vernon hospital during Thanksgiving day. Mrs. Carl Ingle and children of Quanah spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gee of Fort Worth were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owens last week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and daughter, Gayle, visited in Wichita Falls Friday. Mrs. Joe Orr and daughter, Audrey, were Vernon visitors Saturday. Janis Gayle Middlebrook, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook, who died in Vernon Monday, was brought to Crowell Tuesday for burial. Mrs. J. S. Smith and daughter, Ruby, of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Anderson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore, while en route from Portsmouth, N. H., to Fort Worth where he will enter college. Mr. and Mrs. Moore had a family reunion Thanksgiving day with all their children present. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jonas and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dolberry and children of Wichita Falls spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright. Edwina Ross from McMurry College, Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford and daughter of Lubbock visited relatives here over the week-end. H. L. Blevins from Denton spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Belle Franz, and other relatives. Mrs. Jim Owens visited Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook in the Vernon hospital Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and

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Selling government buildings at the rate of 600 per hour on the last day of a three-day sale at leading 3,000 acres of land back to agricultural uses. More than 4,000 buildings were sold by War Assets Administration in a successful, whirlwind sales effort at this well known time army camp. Many of the buildings went in blocks of a hundred or more to Texas contractors. On the two first days of the sale individuals had their opportunity to purchase one or more of the houses. Registrations reflected 1,200 active bidders.

Approximately 800 tons of structural steel and glass for industrial lighting purposes will be offered to commercial channels and the priority group at fixed prices until December 19 through the Customer Service Center of the Grand Prairie office of War

Boom in Divorces Sweeps U. S. in '46

Crack Up in War Marriages Is Held Responsible.

WASHINGTON. — A sampling of representative cities and counties across the nation showed most points reporting the highest number of divorces for 1946 in their history. Harried divorce judges worked overtime settling the postwar problems of those who failed to recon-vert to peacetime matrimony. The judges themselves cited a variety of reasons for the record number of divorces, but the most commonly mentioned was "hasty G.I. marriages."

At Atlanta, middle-aged Judge Bond Almand said there were "too many marriages where a man and woman met, got drunk and marry the same day." At Miami, Judge Miles Lewis said cases involving wife-beating had increased. He blamed many divorces on "too much money."

At Boston, State Representative Edmond J. Donlan (Dem.) filed a bill in the Massachusetts legislature to abolish divorces in the state.

In his inaugural address to the Rhode Island legislature, Gov. John O. Pastore cited an "alarming increase" in divorces and advocated abolition of "divorce by deposition."

The divorce mecca of Reno reported a total of 11,000 divorces in 1946, surpassing the previous record of 8,900 in 1945. The state as a whole reported a new record of 20,000 compared with 14,500 the previous year.

District Judge William McKnight of Reno said that "as far as I can see we'll have an even bigger total in 1947." District Judge Anthony Maestretti of Reno blamed "inflated wartime economy as well as the war itself."

Other factors cited by the divorce judges were the housing shortage and its cramped living quarters, relaxed public opinion on divorce, dwindling religious influence and inability of former soldiers to adjust to the routine of marriage.

District Judge Clayton Parks at Minneapolis predicted that four out of every five war marriages eventually would end in divorce.

Assets Administration. All of this surplus property is located at Camden, Arkansas, and may be inspected at the property location.

Commercial Motor Transportation in Texas Big in 1946

Austin, Texas, November 28: The commercial motor transportation business in Texas fell only slightly short of being a one-billion dollar enterprise in 1946, according to figures released by the Railroad Commission on for-hire carriers under its jurisdiction.

Operation revenue was \$225,615,121, and operating expense was \$208,486,064, leaving the carriers a net income of \$17,129,057 for 1946.

Emphasizing the economic importance of the motor transportation business to the State, Lynn R. Shaw, General Manager of the Texas Motor Transportation Association, pointed out that the industry paid \$17,781,605 in taxes and licenses.

This item alone was greater than the 1946 net income of the operators, Shaw said.

Included in the report were motor buses, common carriers of commodities, specialized motor carriers and contract carriers.

The report does not include farm trucks and privately owned fleets, since these are not subject to Railroad Commission regulation.

On the whole, the report showed

that the 18,967 vehicles paid an average of \$935 in taxes and license fees, including the gasoline tax. Taxes in all forms amounted to \$14,243,422 and license fees amounted to \$3,538,183, to arrive at the total of \$17,781,605.

The industry spent nearly \$1 1/2 million advertising its wares, the exact figure being \$1,400,341. Direct wages paid to 34,321 employees amounted to \$60,513,513, and in addition the four divisions of the industry paid out another \$2,978,469 for solicitation of business.

The enormous merchandise requirements of the industry, which contribute to prosperity of other business in the State, is reflected in purchases of \$24,406,357 for \$12,172,793 worth of gasoline, not including taxes; \$9,257,078 worth of tires and tubes, \$1,537,476 worth of garage supplies, and \$1,439,010 worth of lubricants.

In addition, the carriers paid \$9,564,299 in insurance premiums to protect the public against bodily harm and cargo loss.

Expense of terminal operation cost the four industry divisions the sum of \$25,663,436 in 1946, the report showed.

The United States leads the world with the number of motor vehicles per 100 inhabitants with 25. New Zealand is next with 16.7. Other countries show: Canada 12.5, Australia 11.1, The United Kingdom 5.6, Union of South Africa 4.2, Sweden 3.4, Norway 3.1, Belgium 2.9, Germany 2.1. Records were compiled before the war.

VETERANS' QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. I am a World War I veteran and would like to know if I am eligible for medical care and hospitalization in a Veterans Administration hospital?

A. You are eligible for hospitalization in a VA hospital if you have a service-connected disability. If your disability is non-service-connected, you must state under oath that you are financially unable to pay for private treatment. Then you must wait until a bed is available in a VA hospital.

Q. What veterans have preference to Veterans Administration hospital beds?

A. Veterans suffering from service-connected disabilities and those requiring emergency treatment are given preference to hospital beds.

Q. Am I eligible to benefits under Public Law 16 if I was discharged for a service-connected disability before I had served 90 days in the armed forces?

A. Yes. For purposes of Public Law 16, service of 90 days in the armed forces is not required.

Q. Can you tell me what the deadline is for a disabled veteran to apply for one of the specially equipped automobiles?

A. The last date on which applications can be approved is June 30, 1948.

Q. May a veteran receiving disability compensation, receive at the same time subsistence allow-

ance under Public Law 346? A. Yes.

Netherlands leads all the world with the lowest annual death rate per 1,000 inhabitants with 8.7. Other countries in order are: New Zealand 9.2, Union of South Africa 9.4, Canada 9.6, Australia 9.9, Norway 10.1, Uruguay 10.2, United States 10.8, Argentina 11.4. Records were compiled before the war.

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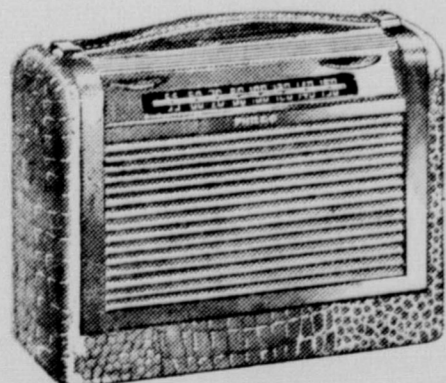
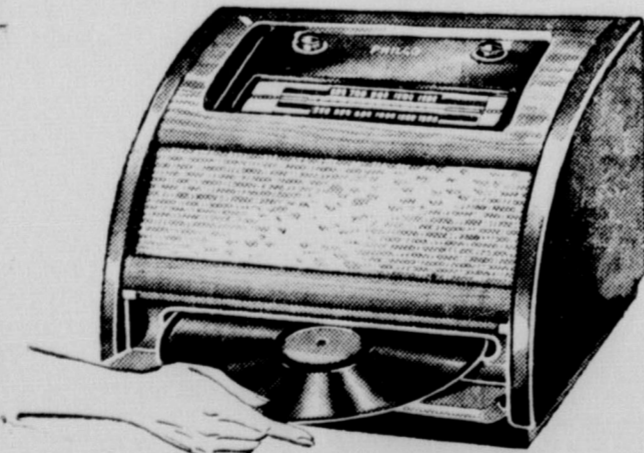
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(By Mrs. C. H. Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins and grandson, Milton Howard Boyd, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pitman of Clarendon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Robins of Kaysville, Utah, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Robins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seales.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Willhite

and children of Tyler attended the funeral of her father, Frank Pittillo, here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray and children of Hereford, Loyd Gray and wife and Beverly Gray and wife of Vernon and Fred Gray and family of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and daughter, Reba of Clayton, N. M. and Mrs. W. G. Chapman were guests in the H. W. Gray home Thanksgiving day.

Wanda Gilbert of McKinney visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Gilbert, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Newsome and Billy Tarlton of Hobbs, N. Mex. spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Short. Ray Short returned home with them for an extended visit.

Oneal Johnson, Walter Ramsey and Albert McWilliams went to South Texas on a hunting trip Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford visited

his father, J. R. Ford, in Pritchett, Colo., last week.

Mrs. Dale Snyder of Okmulgee, Okla., and Mrs. Lewis Lindsey and daughter of Granite, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Saturday night.

Sim Gamble visited his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Durham in Littlefield last week-end.

Mrs. McKeaver and daughter, Lillian of Altus, Okla., visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jack Woodson and husband last week. Lillian returned home and Mrs. McKeaver remained for a longer visit.

Billy Dean Brown, student at A and M spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Stamps of Littlefield spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan.

Mrs. Emma Slay Ham of Ft. Worth attended the funeral of Frank Pittillo here last Saturday.

Patsy Fox spent Thanksgiving with her uncle, Herman Fox, and family in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seales were

Wichita Falls visitors one day

last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursley took their son, Charles Howard back to A and M College after he spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Powers visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers, in Benjamin Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burson of Loveland visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley Saturday.

G. B. Neil, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts of Clayton, N. Mex. who have been visiting relatives here for several weeks, took their daughter, Reba, to Wichita Falls last week for a tonsil operation. Mrs. W. J. Long accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blevins were Fort Worth visitors recently.

Mrs. R. E. Main is visiting her son, Frank, and family in Mills, N. Mex.

Mrs. Burkhardt of Thackerville, Okla. visited her sister, Mrs. C. C. Wisdom recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler visited in San Antonio and Mineral Wells last week.

Mrs. Horace Rodgers and Mrs. Dalton Railsback and daughter, Barbara, returned recently from Pampa for an extended visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Railsback, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Earl Neill and Mr. and Mrs. Reid Johnson of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shook and children of Denver City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Quillan and son, Bryan, of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones Tuesday night of last week.

Mrs. Mary Ruth Boyd of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood returned home Sunday after spending Thanksgiving with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Snowden and Charles Wood, of Tyler. Larry Wood of Denton accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones and Doris Jones of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Quillan of Vernon spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones.

RIVERSIDE

(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Pfc. Eldon Wayne Wheeler of Chenualt Field, Ill., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pyle, left last week for a few weeks stay near Floydada where he is sowing wheat for L. H. Hammond.

Wanda Rawls of Lubbock spent from Wednesday until Saturday in the Cap Adkins home.

Mrs. Ernest Cribbs has been confined to a Vernon Hospital for medical treatment the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Swan attended funeral services for his uncle, Frank Pittillo, at Thalia Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Buckley of the state of Washington, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Houston Adkins and family of Thalia spent the week-end with her nephew, Reid Pyle and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons spent the week-end with relatives at Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Veera of family of Crowell visited her daughter, Mrs. Edd Mechell and family of Crowell visited her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rellige and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne Friday night.

Edward Stultz has returned from a visit with his parents of Leaky and a deer hunt.

Mrs. A. R. Haley and son, Paul, of Sudan visited with her sister, Mrs. Frank Ward, and husband awhile last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cox and daughters spent the week-end with friends in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Joe Johnson and family went to Tipton, Okla., Sunday afternoon to take her sister, Mrs. Jessie Miller, and children home.

Morris Johnson of H. S. U., Abilene, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barnes and children of Vernon spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Edward Socora, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Pryor and baby of Irving spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and Ward spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and daughters spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rummel of Five-in-One.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tillery and baby of South Vernon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibit Grishom and son of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Pryor and baby of Irving spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Witherspoon of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Machac were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hrabel of Crowell Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Jim Sansberry and husband of Durant, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Ward and children of Fort Worth spent the Thanksgiving holidays with

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2.)

1. A tree that sheds its leaves at the approach of winter.
2. Kentucky.
3. In 1848.
4. Iowa.
5. Kansas.
6. Minnesota.
7. Lake Itasca.
8. Vermont.
9. The campaign between William Bryan and William McKinley.
10. Idaho.

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Making Eggs Froth Better.—If a pinch of cream of tartar is added to whites of eggs when they are being beaten they will froth more quickly and stand up better.

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his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Farrar and Mrs. J. L. Farrar of Brownfield spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Farrar during Thanksgiving.

H. C. and Kenneth Payne of Decatur spent a few days last week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. Bert Cerveny of San Antonio spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Matus and family.

Douglas Adkins of Phillips spent from Wednesday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle of Floydada.

Bill Spruill, student of Decatur Baptist College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. John S. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Pyle and baby and Mrs. Minnie Buckley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson of Crowell. They also visited Mrs. Bell Hysinger of Crowell, a life-long friend of Mrs. Buckley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huntley, Bobbie Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. "Stud" Hemphill and small son, Mike, all of Vernon, visited in the Cap Adkins home Thursday night.

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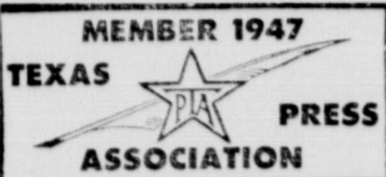
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Foard County News

T. B. KLEPPER, Owner-Editor

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Crowell, Texas, Dec. 4, 1947

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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For the Lord God is a sun and shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no good thing will be withheld from them that walk uprightly.—Psalms 84:2.

We believe that it is advisable that this country put on every ounce of pressure of which we are capable in building up a strong national defense, but at the same time we would be most deliberate and patient with Russia. We can easily create the idea in this country that war with Russia is unavoidable and the first thing we know it will seem the only thing to do.

We would settle the Communist question by bundling up all of the Communists and sending them back to Russia the birthplace and breeding ground of Communism. Here in the fellowship of their kind they could enjoy life to its fullest with the knowledge that if they stepped out of line as they are doing in this country and attempted to promote something hostile to the government of the land they would be sent to Siberia where they would have plenty of time to figure out what fools they were in trying to establish the Russian form of government in this country.

HISTORY

Christmas, December 25: Christmas celebrates the birth of Christ. Through the years that have elapsed since the event that gave birth to the day, many customs for its observance have come into common use. Among these is the giving of gifts to friends and the arrangement of entertainments and programs for children, decoration of the Christmas tree, the legend of Santa Claus and similar things that have become a fixed part of the observance of the day. Around the theme of Christmas there has been written the most beautiful music of all time. The Christmas songs have no equal in any music mankind has produced. For this reason the programs heard over the radio during the Christmas season are the most beautiful of the whole year. The Christmas tree is of German origin. The first authentic mention of the Christmas tree was made in 1605 when one was set up in Strasburg. It was not until 1840 that the Christmas tree was introduced into England. It was introduced into the United States at an earlier date by German immigrants but was not used extensively until about 1860 when John C. Buschman, a German, set up a tree in Westfield, Massachusetts, and invited the people to see it. The belief that Santa Claus is the distributor and giver of gifts comes from the Germans. It is derived from the legend of St. Nicholas. The idea that Santa travels in a sleigh drawn by reindeer was introduced by Dr. Clement Clarke Moore, a professor in the General Theological Seminary in New York. It began with the poem he wrote for the entertainment of his children, "The Visit of Saint Nicholas," which begins with the words: "'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house," etc. A friend saw the poem and got Mr. Moore's consent to make a copy of it. She sent it anonymously to the editor of the Troy Sentinel in the holiday season. The following year the verses were reprinted in many newspapers throughout the country. From this poem came the idea that Santa made his visits to the homes on Christmas Eve in a sleigh drawn by reindeer.

We hear much of the migration of persons displaced by the war in Europe, but not much is heard of the fact that because of the religious differences between the Hindus and the Moslems a mass migration has been set in motion in India, involving 10,000,000 refugees, Hindus moving out of Moslem territory, and Moslems moving out of Hindu dominated areas.

The Sault Ste Marie canal connecting Lake Superior and Lake Huron is the busiest canal in the world.



— and the Worst is Yet to Come

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

A friend of mine who is in a business that has many dealings with people of foreign countries showed me two letters he had received that week from customers in China and England. The letters described the desolation that has resulted in China because of the inflation and the critical need that exists in Europe because of the lack of food and clothing and fuel. The letter from China stated that inflation had reached such a point that one dollar of American money would buy \$45,000 worth of Chinese money. A single sheet of writing paper costs \$300, an envelope \$300, ordinary letter postage \$1,100, a loaf of bread \$7,000, a new suit of clothes \$7 million dollars, an apple costs \$5,000, an orange \$10,000, a ball \$10,000, a toy \$15,000, a doll \$20,000. The letter closed with a plea for aid to the reader to assist in providing Christmas for some 800 Chinese children by sending one dollar of American money.

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

Fifty cars of cattle were shipped from Crowell from last Friday until Sunday. Ten cars went out Thursday, 15 Saturday and 25 Sunday. A large portion of these went to Kansas City, some to Ft. Worth, and some to other pastures.

Grover Cole was in the office Saturday and said he would make about six bales of cotton. Grover is near the Foard City community where it did not rain as much as in other localities.

Edwin Sanders of Los Angeles, Calif., a former Crowell resident, was married to Miss Glea Hoyes on Tuesday, Nov. 27, in Los Angeles.

Three thousand six hundred bales of cotton have been weighed by Public Weigher C. W. Thompson in the Crowell yard. It is expected that 4,000 will be weighed by the time it is all in. Approximately 2,000 bales will be weighed at Thalia and Margaret, making the total crop 6,000 bales for 1917.

Mrs. B. J. Smith died in Colorado Springs on Nov. 6, according to a telegram received here from Mr. Smith.

Ozie Turner was here Saturday from Camp Bowie. He had been visiting his parents in Truscott.

Ebb Seales of Camp Bowie, Ft. Worth, was here the latter part of last week visiting his parents.

Miss Mina Walling of Vivian spent several days here last week visiting Miss Maye Klepper and other friends.

Miss Eva Hallmark left Thursday for Thalia to accept a position with the Thalia Telephone

VIVIAN (By Mrs. W. O. Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Brock and sons of Lawton, Okla., spent Thanksgiving with his uncle, T. W. Cooper, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sosebee and sons, Lee Allen and Jimmy, of Anson spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family. Mr. Sosebee and Lee Allen returned home Thursday afternoon but Mrs. Sosebee and Jimmy remained until Sunday.

Mrs. T. C. Sivells of Ogden visited her father, A. T. Fish, and family Thursday afternoon.

Miss Glenna Self of Wichita Falls spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lawhon of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Walling, and her brother, R. L. Walling, and wife.

Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family.

Announcements have been received here of the birth of a daughter, Mary Ellis, to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Goble Jr. of Lubbock on Nov. 18th. C. L. formerly resided in this community.

Mrs. Darwin Bell and children visited her mother, Mrs. F. C. Borchardt, in the Crowell hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish and Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and family.

Miss Neoma Fish of Abilene spent from Wednesday until Sunday with her father, A. T. Fish, and family.

A. T. Fish and daughters, Myrtle and Neoma, Mrs. A. L. Walling and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling visited Mrs. Wm. R. Henderson of Vernon Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson have moved recently into their new home which they have built at 1701 Nabers Street in Vernon.

Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah visited Mrs. W. O. Fish Friday.

Mrs. A. L. Walling is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Lawhon, and husband of Wichita Falls.

Maurice Kenner and wife returned Tuesday from Elk City, Okla.

Jim Clifford and mother left Wednesday night for Camp Bowie in Ft. Worth, in answer to a message that Paul Clifford was dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Sam Russell went to Fort Worth Sunday. He was accompanied to Vernon by Joe French.

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Misses Bessie and Bernita Fish of Paducah spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home. Mrs. W. O. Fish and sons, John and Bill, spent Monday and Tuesday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wm. R. Henderson, and husband of Vernon. Mrs. A. L. Walling, A. T. Fish and daughters, Myrtle and Neoma, were Quannah visitors Friday. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin Jr. and daughters, Patricia, Nell and Elaine of Dallas, George Crimm, and Texas Martin of Fort Worth spent Wednesday night and Thursday with their sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish have moved into their new home which they built recently. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin Sr. and sons, F. D. and Henry, of Fort Worth and Nolan Martin of Dal-

NOTICE A representative of the Hardeman-Foard National Farm Loan Association will spend each Saturday in Crowell for the purpose of taking applications for loans and for the transaction of any other business incident to its operations. Office in court house, southwest corner room, in the basement. HARDEMAN-FOARD NAT'L. FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION

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DANCE The Panhandle Cowboys, 6-piece orchestra, will play for a dance at the American Legion Hall on Thursday, night, Dec. 11, at 8:30 p.m.

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A special price on all radios this month. — Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Milton Cooper of Canyon visited relatives here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Dr. Hines Clark has been in Houston this week attending lectures at the Southern Clinical Society. He returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Manard Bumpass and family of Quanah spent Thanksgiving in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Olds and family.

Special Christmas sale on floor lamps. Makes a nice gift at Womack's.

R. L. Ballard and M. W. Waggon, students in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter and Mrs. J. R. Allee of Fort Worth spent the week-end here in the home of G. A. Mitchell.

One man saved \$20.25 on two watches he bought from Mary Ennis Carter. Phone 99-R. 20-1tc

Mrs. F. S. Hofues of Dallas visited last week in the home of her brother, W. C. Thompson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Olds of Dallas were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Olds, and family.

See our assortment of coffee tables for Christmas gifts. — Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Roark of College Station spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. L. Thurston has returned from an extended visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Beck, and family in Lubbock.

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Mrs. Ted Burrow of Lubbock spent several days of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, her brother and sister-in-law.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends in Lubbock. They returned Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Joe Ricks and son, David Carroll, of Colton, Calif., visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks, last week. They were en route to New York State to visit relatives of Mrs. Ricks. Roy Joe will attend a school of dentistry in Dallas after January 1.

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Dr. and Mrs. Dan H. Clark and two daughters, Paula and Diane, of Corpus Christi are visiting in the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Emery of Sterling City spent Thanksgiving here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter, and other relatives.

Mrs. Clifton French of Woodboro spent the week-end visiting in the home of her father, H. C. Roark, and family. Edward Roark of Meagale also spent the week-end in his father's home.

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H. K. Edwards of Tulsa, Okla., was a visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edwards during the Thanksgiving season.

Tom A. Andrews of Tulsa, Okla. spent Thanksgiving week-end visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Andrews.

Bill Klepper, who has been attending the Southwest School of Printing in Dallas, has returned to Crowell and will be employed in the Foard County News office through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Green returned Wednesday of last week from a vacation trip to Mango Fla., where they visited for two weeks with his brother, J. T. Green and wife.

Mrs. Bill Norman and daughter, Genelle, of Dougherty spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks. Mr. Ricks celebrated his 80th birthday Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and daughter, Virginia, of Ft. Sumner, N. M., spent Thanksgiving here and visited several days with his mother, Mrs. J. J. Brown, and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Traweck Jr. and three children, Frances, Doyne and Frank, of Matador spent Sunday afternoon and evening here visiting Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison.

Richard Bird and Albert Bird, students in the University of Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bird.

Miss Edwina Ross, who is attending McMurry College, in Abilene spent Thanksgiving Week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ross and daughter, Edwina, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ross' sister, Mrs. Jack Lacy and family, and also visited in Matador during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Griggs of Fort Worth spent the Thanksgiving week-end in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ferguson, and their daughter, Betsy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cumley and son, James Hines, of Dallas, visited in the home of Mrs. Cumley's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark during Thanksgiving.

Bobby Cooper and Bill Cooper, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper, who are students at Texas Tech in Lubbock, were at home during the holidays.

Mrs. H. Schindler, Mrs. T. N. Bell and Mrs. W. L. Thurston went to Fort Worth Wednesday to spend a few days. They will also visit in Dallas.

Miss Reba Bartley, who attends McMurry College in Abilene, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bartley, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Jim A. Hart, an instructor in John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent the Thanksgiving week-end with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Hart, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee.

Hardy Sanders, a student at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sanders, and family.

Misses Sharon Haney and Ruth Barker, who attend Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, spent from Wednesday until Sunday in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hocker and sons, Don, Bill and Joe, of Gainesville spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sloan. Mr. Hocker is a brother of Mrs. Sloan. Their mother, Mrs. J. E. Hocker, is visiting in the Sloan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Thompson Jr. of Austin spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and in the home of Mrs. Thompson's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly.

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BACK YOUR SCHOOL

Are you doing your part to help build your school? Before you cast this question aside, think about what it takes to build up a good school. In building, an individual or group of individuals cannot hope to lay more than a few bricks. The bricks must be laid one by one. This is just as true in building up the right spirit in the school. In this you take small deeds and duties and lay them to form the foundation of a well-balanced school. Always be sure not to leave a duty undone as you would not leave a brick unaided, for this would cause a weak building, and the duty undone would destroy rather than build up the school.

You may not consider the swell gymnasium we have and our accommodating candy store as being part of the bricks of our school, but such extras as these help make our school, although a small one, a nice place. Be sure that the bricks you lay in a school will also help you later, as you begin laying the bricks in a home in later life. If you do your share, the school will be a better place because you have attended, and you will help yourself as well as others.

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STUDENT OPINION

Attention, girls! This is what we've been waiting for. Personal opinions of some of our "Wildcats" about the opposite sex.

Marvin Brisco said that this subject took lots of concentration, but he seems to have done all right on his final analysis. He prefers a girl about five feet five inches tall, good personality, and an hour-glass figure. She shouldn't wear make-up three feet thick! She should also like football above other sports, and either be in the pep squad or on the volleyball team. Last, she shouldn't wear long skirts.

Clifford Ohr and Walter Caddel seem very easy to please. Any color of hair or eyes will do just so she is pretty and has a good figure. She should have a good personality and be a good conversationalist.

Baxter Gentry and John Potts prefer a girl about five feet eight inches tall, with dark hair and girls that are not silly and do not wear levis too often.

Billy Bond says "I like a girl about five feet eight inches tall, hair, cute clothes, nice personality; always full of fun, and one who likes to do the things I do."

Ward Kuehn prefers a girl about five feet eight inches tall, with black or brown hair, and no particular color of eyes. Just any good girl is all right.

Richard Brock says, "I prefer a girl of medium height, light brown hair, blue eyes, good disposition, neat. I also prefer them to ride the Riverside bus."
 Ray Gable's favorite girl is Mary Ray Ayers — period.
 J. C. Autry says, "I like a girl about five feet four inches tall, well stacked, green eyes, blonde hair, without too much temper and no giggles. One that

doesn't wear long dresses or levis, and one that is true and doesn't try to attract attention all the time, doesn't act conceited, doesn't flirt (with anyone else) and one that is experienced in home-making. For a perfect example I say look under the L's in the sophomore class list.

Bob Edwards likes a girl that is clever, has good moral character, is not silly or a show-off. I like them to be well behaved. She shouldn't mind cold weather and must like sports.

Carol Cato says, "I like blonde, brunette, or redhead, with blue, green, gray or brown eyes. Between 5'3" and 5'7". (Shapely, of course). Their dresses, I think should not be above the knee or down to their ankle, but below the knee. They should wear cute dresses. I especially like a friendly girl."

Freshmen Head Honor Roll

"Say, Mr. Black, how many points do you have to have to be on the A honor roll?"

"Twenty-five."

"Oh, boy, I made it!" That was a common exclamation in the freshmen class Wednesday morning.

That's right! For the second time the little "Fish" lead in placing the greatest number on the honor roll in C.H.S. Out of our three students on the A honor roll nine are freshmen, and on the B honor roll the "Fish" again lead with thirty students out of the fifty-seven.

Come on, you upper classmen, let's show them who's superior.

FALSE ALARM

Monday, as we were sitting quietly in English III, sweating laboriously over an editorial for our English lessons, a piercing scream filled the air. Students flew to the window. It was a siren. All the students from grammar school stood shivering in the cold. The fire truck soon arrived to discover no fire. The cause of the disturbance was a broken gas pipe in the cafeteria. The women, acting calmly in the face of danger put out the fire with a bag of salt by the time the fire truck arrived.

C.H.S. POINTS WITH PRIDE

As I was walking down the halls of C.H.S., I suddenly noticed a tall, quiet mannered senior girl. She has dark hair, brown eyes, and is seventeen years young.

She firmly stated that she had rather ride horses than anything except watch the Wildcats play ball (Football, that is.)

This five-foot, six-inch senior girl is co-editor of the Wildcat, president of F.R.A., member of the pep squad, and the Sub-Junior Adelpian Club.

She prefers Gary Cooper and Jeanne Crain as cinema stars while "Till The End of Time" rates as number one on her hit parade.

She'd be content any rainy day with a western book and a jar of dill pickles. She also likes brightly colored glasses.

She has one of the highest scholastic averages in her class. Who could this be but Mary Norman?

After graduation Mary plans to attend Southwestern University in Georgetown.

How I feel after Thanksgiving
 To be frank, I feel like a duck with a bucketful of buckshot in him. I feel that if we had Thanksgiving every day, I wouldn't live to tell the tale or to tell what I ate. I feel sad that Thanksgiving is gone, but oh boy, what I feel like when I think of Christmas.

A Freshman Boy

RIALTO THEATRE
 The Rialto Theater invites Mary Jo Short and Bob Edwards to attend the show, "Fiesta," Sunday or Monday, December 7 and 8.

WHAT IF—

Bobby was railfrost instead of Railsback.
 Patsy was a wolf instead of a Fox.
 Elizabeth was sad instead of Joy.
 Gene was iron instead of Wood.
 Mary was weak instead of Huskey.
 James was straight instead of Bice.
 Ray was green instead of Black.
 Norma Lou was long instead of Short.
 Wanza was swords instead of Spears.
 Jack was Helperson instead of Henderson.
 Virginia was a whistle instead of a Bell.
 Edna was kind instead of Dunn.
 Jimmy was a duck instead of a Swan.
 LaVerne was a cheater instead of a Farrar.
 Joyce was a bugler instead of a Harper.
 J. C. and Kenneth didn't have the Magazine Digest to get their game of volley ball without fail-jokes from.
 Myrtle Bartley could play a lng, especially when James W. walks into the gym. What you say, "Frog."

ADVERTISEMENTS

Seniors say you should advertise your school team by buying a tag for your license plate that has Crowell Wildcats with letters that shine at night against a black background. Price 50c.
 Mrs. Stutzer's music classes are presenting a musical program

Friday night at 7:30. The admission is 20c and 40c. This program will be better than the one presented here at school and will last till 8:30. Proceeds will go toward buying a record player for the music department. Come one, come all.

LOCK AT THE BIRDIE

Wednesday at noon the pep squad posed for pictures. The sun was so bright that some of the girls had sun grins or had their eyes closed. Even then the pictures were good. Wednesday of this week Jimmie Ashford will take some more pictures of the Pep Squad in their uniforms.

STITCH AND SEW

The day of reckoning is at hand. That was Wednesday, November 27 when the Home Economics I class had a style show.

First place winners were Anna Rea Owens in a blue plaid gingham with cute three quarter length sleeves with cuffs, stitched belt and gibson girl collar. Ann Haney wore a gray and yellow striped chambray with yellow buttons. Christine Hanks modeled a pink cotton dress with white eyelet laced with black grosgrain ribbon and a square neckline. Ruth Slovak's plaid gingham had attractive push up sleeves. She wore this dress with a cute black leather belt.

Runners up were: Mary Alice who looked fresh and sweet in a blue chambray with white stripes. Frankie Mabe's dress had push up sleeves cut on the bias and was made of blue and yellow check. Laverne James and Beulah Edens looked "super" in blue dresses trimmed with red and blue checked trim with a checked pleatum.

Third place winners were Mildred Tappelen, Martha Ohr, Virginia McKewen and Joyzelle Thomson. Those who were in fourth place were Rozella Autry, Betty Barker, Bobbie Abston and Iris Abston.

All the dresses were unusually attractive and well made. We hear the judge, Joyzelle Sauls, had a hard task making the decisions.

WILDCAT PURRS

Sitting up here in the first period study (did I say "study"?), I'm feeling really mean. As I gaze down the hall, I see Edna Curtis talking to some guy in the cutest uniform—R. C. Schlegel, to be exact. Just one moment please, here come two more uniforms. This time the occupants are none other than Charles How-

ard Bursley and Billy Dean Brown from Texas A. & M., Hubba, Hubba.

The way to hold a boy friend we hear is: nag em; neck em; and neglect em.

In the four-point "twosome" of last week, Doris Cox ranks first with Thomas Whittymore, judging from how things stood after the game Wednesday night.

Would you like to buy a car tag? (I guess I fooled you). See a senior for a display complete with a sales talk and guarantee.

Mary Short and Bob Edwards report a nice time during the holidays. Marvin Brisco, Rouse Todd, and Patsy Fox accompanied them. Don't we all like blonde-haired boys with a good build. (That will be a quarter, Marvin.)

A cute blonde with green eyes is on the loose. For details on hair, eyes and build preferred, see Jimmie Swan. (paid Adv.)

Juanita James seems to have two on the list now. We could be speaking of Norman Short and Billy Joe Hudgens.

Laverne James and Harley Hopkins are seen around, and seem to be clickin' pretty well.

Mary Edna, could Bob be over-timing you? We saw him over the holidays with Frances Rogers from San Angelo.

Mary Payne, we miss you, but we know those letters from Bob are helping your throat to get well again.

Just eleven more days until we get out for Christmas. Wonder what Santa will bring us chilluns?

Question to "Eddy" Dunn—What are you so happy about lately?

From all reports, Dale Eversen wants a date with one Doris Rummel.

Have you noticed the nice, new door mat and foot scraper at the entrance to the building?

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

"He is a Wildcat from old CHS and a heck of a football player."

That's Grover Yoeham starting full back on the Wildcat squad.

Grover is sixteen years old, five feet eleven inches tall, and tips the scales at one hundred sixty-five.

He starred on the "B" team last year as half back and made his debut to the "A" team this year in the fullback position.

Grover is classified as a sophomore and has two more years to play for the black and gold team.

His biggest thrill came when he met Betty Barker, and she still holds first place in his life.

If you want to satisfy his appetite just give him fried chicken and lemon cake. Wearer of num-

ber 38 jersey states that among his favorites are football, basketball, Cornell Wilde, and Jean Crain.

To you, Grover, we say "We'll be looking for you next year and the Wildcat team of '48."

Civilization faces the prospect of being one world or none, Daniel A. Poling, editor of the Christian Herald and president of the World's Christian Endeavor Union, told his audience at Pittsburg, Kan., State Teachers College. "War," Mr. Poling continued, "cannot be isolated, it is universal. Now we must realize that peace cannot be isolated. It, too, is universal. The great discovery of the last was unity, the realization that by working together in a common cause man may uplift himself. The idea of unity must be written into our peace. If it is not we stand to lose the value of the lessons we have learned." "No one won the war," Dr. Poling asserted. "What we did win," he asserted, "was a fighting chance to win the peace. To that end Americans must reconcile their Christian idealism with reality. We must be unified ourselves as an example to the world and we must maintain our strength."

As a reward for returning a billfold containing \$11,500 to its owner, G. L. Calhoun, 29 year old service station attendant, received \$5 from the owner of the billfold. It isn't hard to see how a person of this type originally came into possession of the billfold and \$11,500.

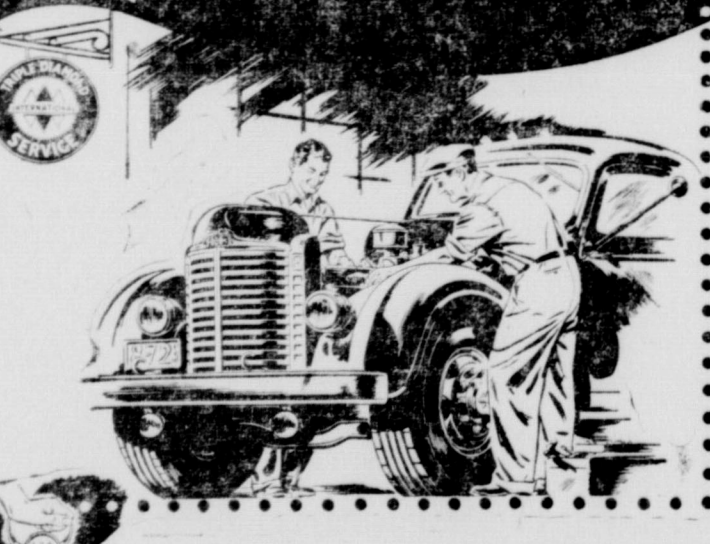
Even the big boys make mistakes, and when they make them they make them big. An instance of this is the contracting of Pleasantville, New York, was awarded a contract for \$5,133,857 for building a bridge. A check up after the bids were opened disclosed that a little over 1,000 each was omitted. The contracting firm forfeited the \$1,000 it had posted, and the contract. New bids were called for and the Foley state that they will try again.

Upon returning to the States tourists may bring worth of merchandise duty if not for resale or consumption. Liquor is limited to one gallon and cigars to 300.

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 Creomulsion relieves promptly cause it goes right to the seat of trouble to help loosen and germ laden phlegm, and aid to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to send you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the quickly relays the cough or you to have your money back.
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No Auction Sale On Christmas Eve
 We will not have an auction sale at the Crowell Stockyard & Commission Co. on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, but all other sales this month will be held as usual.
 We are doing this so that our employees and customers may celebrate a real Christmas. We appreciate your support and patronage and extend to you every good wish at this Yuletide Season.
Crowell Stockyard & Com. Co.
 Jeff Todd Dick Todd

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CHURCHES

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches preaching services will be every Sunday at Foard City at 10 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

Church services at Truscott are the first, second and third days of each month. Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

J. V. Patterson, Pastor.

First Baptist Church Sunday Schedule

Sunday School, 9:45. Morning Worship, 11:00. Training Union, 6 to 7 p. m.

N. B. MOON, Pastor.

Good Creek Free Will Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. each day.

C. C. LAMB, Pastor.

Assembly of God Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m.

WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

Attention, Men

We invite you to attend the Bible Class at the Assembly of God Sunday School at 10 o'clock every morning.

Elmo Hudgins, Class Teacher.

First Christian Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Communion at 11 a. m.

M. O. O. F. M.

Meet tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

A. A. MANNING, Noble Grand BEN K. BARKER, Secretary.

CROWELL ENCAMPMENT No. 18

Meets at I. O. O. F. Hall the first and third Tuesday nights in each month.

H. E. Hilburn, Chief Patriarch. R. L. Ballard, Senior Warden. Clyde Langford, Scribe.

Thalia Lodge No. 666 A. F. & A. M.

STATED MEETING Saturday Night, December 27, 8 p. m.

Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.

C. D. HANEY, W. M. LOYD FOX, Secretary.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M.

Dec. 8, 7:30 p. m. 2nd Mon. each month.

Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

LEE BLACK, W. M. J. A. STOVALL, Sec.

CROWELL CHAPTER, U. D. O. E. S.

Regular meeting, second Tuesday night, 8 p. m.

Study and practice meeting, 4th Tuesday night, 8 p. m.

MABEL STOVALL, W. M. ELLA RUCKER, Secretary.

CROWELL ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER

Regular meeting, Friday night after 2nd Monday, Dec. 12

Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 35c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle. Call phone 90-M.

FOR SALE—Good 1936 Chevrolet coupe, new tires. — Charlie Durham. 20-1tp

FOR SALE—Lots 17 and 18 and block 13, north of W. L. Rick's. 20-2tp

FOR SALE: Two good gentle saddle horses and one saddle. Priced right.—Howard Dunn. 20-2tc

FOR SALE—Maytag deep freeze. See Carl Haynie, dealer, Truscott, Texas. 18-1tc

FOR SALE—16-runner John Deere drill.—Carl Haynie, Truscott. 18-3tp

FOR SALE—Electrolux ice box, 7-ft., all porcelain. Price \$195.00.—B. J. Woodington. Call sheriff's office, Vernon, Texas. 20-1tc

FOR SALE—Butane Grand cook stove with double drum hook-up. See Mrs. J. B. Raspberry or Womack's Store. 20-1tc

FOR SALE—One new blue and white chenille bedspread. Also, rose chenille robe, size 44, practically new.—Mrs. Frank Moore. 20-1tp

FOR SALE—Lots Nos. 10 and 11 in block No. 17, in northeast Crowell. Call Hotel Premier. 18-1tc

FOR SALE—4-room stuccoed house on gravel street in southwest part of Crowell. Small orchard and good rock cellar. — Charlie Durham. 20-1tp

FOR SALE—F. L. Carrol is offering his place of business for sale, with or without residence. Four blocks west of square on Paducah highway.

FOR SALE—20 1/2 acres of land, 110 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture land, 6 1/2 miles southwest of town.—Tom Vecera. 18-4tp

FOR SALE—Ward's Sea King 5-horse out-board motor, bought in February this year. Price \$85.00.—B. J. Woodington. Call at sheriff's office, Vernon, Texas. 19-2tp

FOR SALE—One 1937 model 2-door Plymouth worth the money. See us today. Also terms if desired.—Lambert Finance Co. 15-1tc

FOR SALE—Male Cocker Spaniel pup, 12-gauge pump shotgun, round dining table, 2-burner oil heater. Phone 49-J.—Forrest Burk. 19-2tc

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Wanted

WANTED—Ironing to do at my home.—Mrs. H. P. Perkins, 2 blocks west and one south of elevators. 20-1tp

WANTED—Carpenter work of all kinds. I specialize in cabinet and finish work. Inquire at Kethersid's Barber Shop. 20-3tp

Lost

LOST—Chiffon scarf, white with coral design. If found, please return to News Office. 20-1tc

LOST—Parker "51" fountain pen between Fire Station and Grammar School building. Reward.—Leon Speer. 20-1tp

For Rent

FOR RENT: A small furnished house.—Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin. 20-1tp

Speaking for the railroads the Missouri Pacific points out that since 1921 the average wages paid railroad workers have gone up better than 84 per cent; the price of railroad materials and supplies have gone up 58 per cent; railroad taxes have gone up 76 per cent; but the average charge for hauling a ton of freight one mile has gone down 28 per cent. And yet there are those who advocate government ownership and operation. During the same time postage rates, the only business operated by the government, have increased. During the same period first class letter postage had advanced 50 per cent and every other office an equal or greater per cent.

Louisiana leads the nation in fur trapping.

Notices

NOTICE—We have job for several D-8 caterpillar tractors on contract work. Must be in good condition. Working and living conditions excellent.—Equipment Rental Co., Box 148, Tel. 206, Goldthwaite, Texas. 20-2tc

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that effective November 7, 1947, I. O. W. Davenport transferred all of my right, title and interest in and to the Owens-Davenport Lumber Company in the town of Crowell, Texas, to T. L. Owens, Crowell, Texas, and that I am no longer connected with such Lumber Company and my responsibility therein hereafter terminated. 17-4tc O. W. DAVENPORT

Trespass Notices

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

NOTICE—No fishing or hunting on land belonging to the A. A. Harrell Estate.—Roy Fox. 28-1tc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 11-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land, owned or leased by me.—W. B. Johnson. 11-1tc

NOTICE—No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on my place.—Leslie McAdams. 15-1tc

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Two Minutes Sermon

(By Thomas Eastwell)

A Recipe for a Wonderful Christmas: I am going to ask my readers to indulge in a new adventure this Christmas. Instead of putting so much in gifts to those from whom you expect gifts in return, and many of whom are able to buy all of the things they need and more, I am going to ask you to try a new adventure. Select from your acquaintances some needy young person who is worthy, who perhaps is working hard for an education, and is having difficulty financing the job, and give to them a needed gift or a sum of money, something that will help make their task easier. Give in such a way that the recipient will never know from whence it came. Also no one else must know, must never know. This is to be your secret and yours alone. You may send with it a carefully worded, unsigned note. I will guarantee if you do this you will get a thrill out of Christmas such as you have never before known. As long as it remains a secret you will profit by it, and thrill over it, and so will the one who receives it. If you want a truly wonderful Christmas, try it.

Uncle Sam Says

Many tributes will be paid newspaper boys on annual Newspaper Boy Day this month. Thousands of newspaper boys are members of thrift clubs, sponsored by the International Circulation Managers' Association. Perhaps no greater honor will come to these boys than to point them out as school boys who are demonstrating how to go into partnership with their Uncle Sam in building a growing fund for future education. By investing their newspaper boy earnings in U. S. Savings Bonds regularly, they are getting their Uncle Sam to pay part of the expense. Your bond officer or banker will explain how regular bond buyings can provide four years of college education, one year of which will be paid for by your Uncle Sam as interest on your investment. U. S. Treasury Department

Kansas leads the nation in the production of wheat and flour milling.

THE BIBLE TODAY By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D.D. International Union Sunday School Lesson

SCRIPTURE: III John. DEVOTIONAL READING: I Corinthians 1:10-17.

Christian Fellowship

Lesson for December 7, 1947

SUNDAY'S lesson is based on the short third Epistle of John. You can read it in two minutes, but you will not exhaust its meaning in a lifetime. Link with III John the devotional reading found in First Corinthians 1:10-17, and you have a great and glorious picture of Christian fellowship. Note these words: "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same things, and that there be no divisions among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment." I Corinthians 1:10.

And these words from III John, second verse: "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth."

Here we have the basis for Christian fellowship.

Let Us Love One Another

What is the first test of Christian fellowship? Read I John 4:7. Love one for another is the first and last test of Christian fellowship. Of course, love one for another is dependent upon love toward God. We do not really love one another until we first love God. And we do not love God until we realize that he first loved us.

Why do we keep certain letters? Because they are from those who love us, and whom we love. Boys and girls can help to make this a better world if they will express their love one for another in letters.

In Ecclesiastes 10:12, we read: "The words of a wise man's mouth are gracious."

Christmas will soon be here. There will be many Christmas cards and Christmas letters. Let us think carefully of some lonely boy or girl in our community who may not receive such a message unless you send it.

More than that, think of the lonely boy or girl in the hospital, in the orphan home, in the underprivileged tenement. Think what a letter from you to such a lonely neighbor would mean!

Doing Good

Christian fellowship, in the last analysis, is doing good. "He that doeth good is of God," says John, and we know that it is true. Intermediate boys and girls can prove their Christian attitude as we come on toward the Christmas season. Discuss with your teacher next Sunday the idea of providing Christmas gifts for underprivileged boys and girls of your age. If not in your community, somewhere.

While in Europe last summer, I was impressed with the fact that there will be very little Christmas for the young people in many of those lands this year. War has left its frightening desolation. The people are without money and without homes and without clothing and without food.

May I suggest that you discuss plans by which you may send packages through care of some lonely, needy neighbor in Europe this Christmas, thus proving your sense of Christian fellowship.

Furthering the Gospel

As we grasp more fully the meaning of this lesson next Sunday, our hearts will gladly respond to the opportunities for furthering the Gospel of Jesus Christ, even as Gaius and Demetrius impressed John.

In every community are crying needs for Christian ministry. Your newspapers will be telling of special opportunities for Christmas help. Your Community Fund chairman can give you names of worthy neighbors who need help.

"I thank God for your fellowship in furtherance of the Gospel from the first day until now," wrote Paul to the Philippian Christians.

How did they show this fellowship? In many, many practical ways, some of which Paul names. They sent food, books, clothing. More than that, they gave themselves in personal visitation to lonely friends. They cheered the faint.

How happy we shall be if after the study of this lesson we go out to do with all our might what our hands find to do.

From the beginning of American history Massachusetts has led the nation in the manufacture of textiles.

Uncle Sam Says

There's no question about the umpire's decision when you come home with a United States Savings Bond in your pocket on pay day. Each additional savings bond you acquire through your participation in the Payroll Savings Plan where you work or the Bond-A-Month Plan where you bank is another score for you and your family. Get safely to home plate as many times as you possibly can now while your hitting power in the automatic savings bond league is at its greatest strength. U. S. Treasury Department

Hartford, Connecticut, is the insurance capital of the United States. Its insurance companies receive \$2,000,000 each day in premiums.

Sweden leads the world in the matter of infant mortality. per 1,000 live births with 29, other countries in their order are: New Zealand 31, Australia 36, Netherlands 40, United States 40, Switzerland 40, Denmark 45, Union of South Africa 48, United Kingdom 52, Canada 54. These statistics were compiled before the war.

Section No. Three: The fact that the City of Crowell, Texas, is now flooded with fireworks of every kind and description and further that such fireworks have been carelessly exploded without regard to public safety and property thereby causing possibility of personal injuries and enhancing fire hazards, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the rule requiring ordinances to be read at three several meetings be suspended, and that this ordinance take effect, and be in force from and after its passage and publication, this the 18th day of November, A. D., 1947.

W. H. MOYER, Mayor, City of Crowell, Texas.

Attest: ELLA RUCKER, (Seal) City Secretary. 19-3tc

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance prohibiting the shooting of fireworks in certain areas within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell, in Foard County, Texas, providing a penalty for violation thereof, and declaring an emergency.

Section No. One: Be It Ordained By the City Council of the City of Crowell, Texas, that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to shoot, ignite and explode fireworks in or under or around the public square of the City of Crowell, Texas, in, upon or around any area within two blocks of said City Square, and in, upon, around or near any public building or public grounds within the said city limits, City of Crowell, Texas.

Section No. Two: Any person or persons violating this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$25.00 for such offense.

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You may suffer nagging backache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, tingling up nights, leg pains, swelling, indigestion, frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning in another sign that something is wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 43

Miss Valeria May Owens and J. W. Sollis Take Vows of Marriage Friday Evening, Nov. 28, at Home of Bride's Parents

Before an improvised archway over the mantel in the living-room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Owens, their daughter, Miss Valeria May Owens became the bride of J. W. Sollis on Friday evening, November 28, at 6 o'clock in a pretty candle light service. The archway, covered with yellow chrysanthemums and ivy, was flanked with graduated candelabra, holding yellow tapers. The kneeling bench was placed between the candelabra, before the fireplace. The piano was arranged with the same floral scheme, yellow chrysanthemums amid greenery. Brown and yellow predominated in the decorations of the entire house.

T. L. Owens and Bill Owens, brothers of the bride, were ushers and met the guests at the door. Candle lighters were Miss LaVerne Owens, cousin of the bride, and Miss Mary Alice Rader.

As pre-nuptial music, Mrs. L. B. Taylor sang "The Rosary" and "Because." She was accompanied by Mrs. Abb Dunn, Miss Anna Rea Owens, sister of the bride, played the wedding music, using "The Flower Song" to precede the wedding march for the bridal party. During the exchange of vows, she played "Berceuse" from Joplin. Rev. D. D. Denison officiated with the impressive double ring ceremony. Mrs. Bob Gobin, attired in a tan suit with which she wore brown accessories, was matron of honor and the groom was attended by Hugh Sollis, his brother. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a pal-

mino wool suit with brown and palomino accessories. She carried a white Bible atop of which was a brown orchid and from the Bible fell brown and yellow streamers. She carried out the tradition of wearing something old, new, borrowed and blue.

A reception at the home followed the marriage. The dining table, covered with a lace cloth, held the crystal punch bowl and the pretty bride's cake, a three tiered white cake with yellow roses ornamenting it. Flowers in the chosen colors were used on the buffet. Yellow candles furnished the only illumination.

After the cutting of the cake by the bride and groom, Mrs. Bill Owens was in charge. Mrs. T. L. Owens poured punch and Misses Anna Rea Owens, LaVerne Owens and Mary Alice Rader served. The colors were in evidence on the tiny napkins.

Other members of the house party were Mrs. Ray Hysinger and Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr. All wore corsages in the chosen colors.

Following the reception, the bridal couple left for a short wedding trip to points in Texas. They plan to make their home in Crowell.

Mrs. Sollis is a graduate of Crowell High School and attended Texas Tech at Lubbock. She is now an assistant in the Sheriff's office. Mr. Sollis, also is a Crowell High School graduate, and is now attending Decatur Baptist College in Decatur. He

"MICKY" AND HIS GANG



By Sam Iger

served three years in the U. S. Navy and spent part of that time on duty in the South Pacific. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McCaslin of Lamesa were present for the wedding.

Marriage Date of Daughter Told by Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mildred, to Tom W. Neal, Jr., son of Mrs. Tom Neal of Carlsbad, N. Mex. The wedding is to be an affair of the Christmas season in Crowell.

Miss Cogdell, a former teacher in Crowell High School, is now High School Librarian in Carlsbad. Mr. Neal is an electrician for the United States Potash Mine, also of Carlsbad.

The announcement was made at a family dinner on Friday, November 28. Those present for the occasion were Miss Mildred Cogdell and Mr. Neal of Carlsbad; Miss Lillian Buxtaert and Miss Nancy Cogdell of Wichita, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cogdell and children of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cogdell and children of Floydada; Mrs. James Brothers and children of Shamrock and the host and hostess of Crowell.

Bridal Shower in Honor of Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Thalia

Mrs. Waldon Johnson, formerly Miss Joyce Owens, of Vernon, was the honored guest at a lovely bridal shower given in Thalia Friday afternoon, November 28, by Mrs. R. H. Cooper Jr., Mrs. Glen Gamble and Mrs. Raymond Grimm. The guests were greeted by Mrs. Grimm after which they registered in the pretty bride's book where Miss Dorothy Gamble presided. On the register table was a bouquet of tiny white chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Cooper directed the guests into the dining room where the table was laid with a beautiful crocheted cloth. Punch was served by Misses Jane Cooper and Bobbie Abston from a crystal punch bowl which was surrounded by yellow chrysanthemums.

The lovely gifts were displayed in the gift room by Mrs. Glen Gamble and Mrs. Bob Abston. The entertaining rooms were decorated throughout with autumn flowers. Miss Norma Gamble provided incidental music during the afternoon with a record player. Among the out-of-town guests for the shower were Mrs. R. H. Owens and daughter, Miss Sarah Owens, of Northside, Mrs. Mollie Gamble and Mrs. Zola Greening of Crowell and Mrs. Beverly Gray of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeibig Announce the Coming Marriage of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Zeibig are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty Jo, to Clark O. Hitt Jr., son of Chaplain and Mrs. C. O. Hitt of Little Rock, Ark.

The marriage is to take place at the First Baptist Church on December 19, at 5:30 o'clock in the evening. Chaplain Hitt, father of the groom-elect, will officiate.

Miss Zeibig is a graduate of the Crowell High School and of Howard Payne College. At present she is employed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Brownwood.

Mr. Hitt is a graduate of Lancaster High School and he is now attending Howard Payne College.

Remember that when you're in the right you can afford to keep your temper, and that when you're in the wrong you can't afford to lose it.—J. Graham.

Mrs. Grady Magee Entertains for Miss Owens, Bride-Elect

Another pretty pre-nuptial compliment to Miss Valeria May Owens, whose marriage to J. W. Sollis took place on Friday evening, November 28, was a personal shower given by Mrs. Grady Magee at her home on Tuesday morning of last week from 10:30 to 11:30.

Hot coffee, apple sauce muffins and doughnuts were served to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Leo Owens, Mrs. Marion Crowell, Mrs. H. E. Thomson, Mrs. Mike Rasberry, Mrs. J. T. Brooks, Mrs. J. M. Crowell, Mrs. Crews Cooper, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry, Mrs. Jack Seale, Mrs. T. N. Bell, Mrs. Oscar Gentry, Mrs. Richard Hunt, Mrs. Charles Ferguson, Mrs. Karl ten Brink, Mrs. Evelyn Campbell, Mrs. Gordon Bell, Mrs. Fred Youree and Mrs. Ray Shirley.

C. C. Martin Family Has Reunion at Home of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin of Fort Worth, former residents of Foard County, and their children had a family reunion at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Henry Fish, in the Vivian community on Thanksgiving day. This was the first time in about eleven years that the entire family had been together.

A turkey dinner was served at the noon hour, pictures were taken of the group and a general good time was had. The house was decorated with flowers. Twenty-five members of the family were present, including the sons and daughters-in-law and grandchildren.

They were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin and Henry, George, Crimm and F. D. of Fort Worth, Nolan Martin of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Martin Jr. and daughters, Patricia Ann, Nell and Elaine, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Martin of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton and children Carolyn, Marilyn and David, of Foard City and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and children, Robert, Gordon and Martha Elizabeth, of Vivian, and Miss Texas Martin of Fort Worth.

B. & P.W. CLUB MEETS

The Business and Professional Women's Club met in a business session at Fisch's Department Store on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2.

Mrs. Gussie Turner, vice-president, served as president. Mrs. Ella Rucker was elected president to fill out the unexpired term of Miss Elizabeth Elliott, who resigned recently.

Following the business meeting the members sipped candy for Santa for the Christmas Opening on Thursday night.

TRUSCOTT H. D. CLUB

Mrs. S. O. Turner was hostess to the Truscott Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, Nov. 26, at 2:30 p.m. Eleven members enjoyed the program.

Achievements were registered and plans for the Christmas party were made. Mrs. Bill Owens will be hostess for that party on December 11.

An invitation was accepted by the club to be guests at Benjamin on Friday, Nov. 27, to display achievements.

Delicious refreshments were served.

Those who expect to reap the blessing of freedom must undergo the fatigue of supporting it.—Thomas Paine.

I see where we have harnessed atomic energy for purposes of peace. All we have to do now is to harness man.—Dave Boone (New Yor Sun).

Mrs. Ferguson Honors Parents

Mrs. Richard Ferguson complimented her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Griggs, of Fort Worth, who were her house guests during the Thanksgiving holidays, with informal open house at the Ferguson home Thursday evening.

Coffee, Cokes, cookies, stuffed dates and candies were served by Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

Mrs. Van Browning was hostess to the Columbian Club members on Wednesday, November 26, at her lovely new ranch style home south of Truscott. The members enjoyed the convenient arrangement and beauty and harmony of the lovely home.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid presided at a short business session and the leader of the afternoon's lesson on Natural History, Mrs. H. A. Smith, took charge.

Roll-call was answered by expressing thanks for the blessings of peace and plenty of the homeland.

"Desert Dwellers" was discussed by Mrs. Jack Welch and Mrs. Smith told of the beautiful flamingoes of the semi-tropical waters. Mrs. Crews Cooper described the great forests of Joshua trees which lift their arms heavenward in the deserts of New Mexico and Arizona.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. H. A. Smith at her home in Truscott on Dec. 10th.

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SEW-N-SEW CLUB

Mrs. Howard Ferguson entertained members of the Sew-N-Sew club at her home in Foard City on Thursday, November 20.

Year books for the coming year were made and the time for the meetings was changed from 2:30 to 2:00 o'clock.

Hot spiced tea and sandwiches were served to Mrs. Bob Myers, Mrs. J. C. Rader, Mrs. Harry Tra-week, Mrs. Glen Shook, Mrs. Dolmar McBeath, Mrs. James Jobe of San Antonio, a visitor, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Kenneth Halbert on Dec. 4.

The members of the family that have to decide each Sunday morning whether or not they will be at church or not, as a rule, regular church attendants. The regular church attendant is the person who habitually attends church on Sunday come rain or shine.

WEST SIDE H.D. CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met in an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. E. E. Tate November 26th with the lesson subject "Around the Dining Table."

Mrs. Tate and Mrs. C. R. Brownson gave a demonstration on coffee, setting and serving. A delicious covered dish luncheon was served to eight club members and the following guests: Mrs. B. F. Blagold, Mrs. Claude Brooks, Mrs. Grover Cole, Mrs. Tom Patterson, Mrs. Mattie Summerford and Earl Manard, Miss Elizabeth Elliott was also a guest.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. M. O'Connell.

The will of the people is the only legitimate foundation of government, and to protect free expression should be our object.—Thomas Jefferson.

GREETINGS

Christmas time is giving time. The two are inseparably linked, because the true Christmas Spirit can never be hidden away but must be given expression, and as it is shared it blesses the one who gives as well as the one who receives.

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