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Polio Poster Children Form March of Dimes Honor Guard

1950 drive, following nation's worst epidemic, will be led by Wanda Wiley, escorted by poster children of past four years.



1946: Donald Anderson, Ore.



1947: Nancy Drury, Ky.



1948: Terry Tallos, Minn.



1949: Linda Brown, Texas



1950: Wanda Wiley, Texas

MARCH OF DIMES poster children, whose plight and progress depict the fight against polio will tour seven cities in the 1950 drive, January 16-31. They will make a concerted appeal for greater contributions to provide effective continuation of patient care, research, and educational programs sponsored since 1938 by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Luther W. Reagan Dies in McKinney Veterans Hospital

Funeral for War Veteran Held Here Wednesday P. M.

Luther W. Reagan, veteran of World War II, who passed away in the Veterans' Hospital in McKinney Monday, Jan. 16, was buried in the Crowell Cemetery Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 18.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church in Crowell with Rev. J. D. McDaniel, pastor of the Baptist Church in Claude, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor of the Crowell church, and Rev. Claude Harris, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Mineral Wells.

Mrs. W. F. Statter sang as a special number, "Beyond the Sunset." Favorite songs of the family were sung by a choir. Mrs. Glendon Hays was accompanist for all the songs.

The Womack Funeral Service was in charge of arrangements. Military graveside rites were conducted.

Luther Reagan, the son of Charlie Reagan of Abilene, and formerly of Truscott, was born Dec. 9, 1921, in Gilliland. He enlisted in the Army Medical Corps on Nov. 12, 1942, and served in the Pacific theater of operations. He was discharged on May 27, 1945. He was not well after being discharged, but became worse and had been hospitalized for several months.

He was married to Miss Marie Davis on Dec. 14, 1946. He was known as an honest, hard-working man who always did his best at whatever he attempted.

Survivors include his wife, his father, two sisters, Mrs. Inis Strunk of Chillicothe, Mrs. Ruby Tapp of Artesia, N. M., a brother, Charles Reagan Jr. of Abilene, a step-mother and two step-sisters of Abilene.



D. R. Magee

D. R. Magee Attends Masonic Meeting in Ft. Worth Saturday

D. R. Magee, newly-appointed District Deputy Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Texas, 90th Masonic District, spent Saturday in Fort Worth attending a meeting of the district deputies. The meeting was presided over by Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, Albert J. DeLange, and was held at the Masonic Home and School in Fort Worth.

The 90th Masonic District is composed of the Masonic lodges of Quanah, Chillicothe, Odell, Vernon, Thalia and Crowell.

Mr. Magee was accompanied to Fort Worth by W. B. Carter who spent the day visiting relatives.

Have You Paid Your Poll Tax?

Only 625 Poll Tax Receipts Had Been Issued from the Tax Collector's Office Up to Wednesday Afternoon

Out of 1200 to 1300 persons in Foard County eligible to pay poll taxes, only 625 receipts had been issued up until Wednesday afternoon, according to information obtained from R. R. Magee, deputy collector. However, about 125 persons have paid their poll tax during the past week.

In order to vote in elections in 1950, persons eligible to pay poll taxes must pay them by Jan. 31. It will be too late after that date and voters of the county should not neglect this important duty. Paying a poll tax and having the opportunity to vote in a free country is a responsibility that should not be overlooked.

Jack Roberts Jr. Seriously Injured in Auto Accident on Lamesa-Lubbock Highway Near Lamesa Last Thursday

Jack Roberts Jr. of Lamesa, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts of Crowell, was seriously injured last Thursday evening about 6:30 o'clock in an automobile accident on the Lamesa-Lubbock highway, seven miles from Lamesa. Mr. Roberts' car had a head-on collision with another car carrying three men, two of whom were seriously injured and one has died since the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were notified Thursday night and they left early Friday morning for Lamesa to be at their son's bedside. Alton Bell and Hubert Brown returned from Lamesa Monday and report Jack's condition as critical. An attempt will be made to take him to Dallas as soon as it is possible.

Educational Motion Pictures Will Be Shown by C. of C.

The Foard County Chamber of Commerce is completing work this week on a convertible motion picture exhibit room in that organization's office and a series of films will be shown here for various groups in the near future, according to an announcement made Wednesday by Ted Stafford, manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

The need for such facilities has been acute in the past since a satisfactory place for film exhibition was not available. There are now many sources of educational films which are obtainable by the organization.

The film series which will be ordered cover many fields. Among the important motion picture documents which will be scheduled are those devoted to agriculture and ranching. The exhibition of these pictures will be arranged at a time when the farmers and stockmen of the county will be able to attend the showings. There will be no admission charges for the series since it will be a regular feature of the Chamber of Commerce.

Holidays to Be Observed During 1950 Recommended

The Retail Committee of the Foard County Chamber of Commerce meeting in its first session of 1950 outlined plans for observing holidays during the year and recommended days for closing business houses.

Mike Bird, chairman of the committee, announced that days to be observed in Crowell by closing will be the Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day. Bird stated that this schedule of closing days will be published several times during the year as a reminder to the public.

BLOOD DONATIONS

The city of Chaffin, Kansas, a town of 857 population, set the national record for the donation of blood to the Red Cross blood bank. A mobile unit which recently visited that town obtained from the community a total of 156 pints of blood.

District Governor Visits Rotary Club Here Wednesday



District Governor Grover C. Boswell made his official visit to the Crowell Rotary Club on Wednesday of this week.

An assembly was held in the Chamber of Commerce office at 11 o'clock at which time officers, directors and committee chairmen made their reports. The meeting was presided over by Governor Boswell. This meeting preceded the regular weekly luncheon at the DeLuxe Cafe where President J. A. Stovall presided. The Governor, introduced by Mr. Stovall, made an inspirational Rotary address which was greatly enjoyed by local Rotarians and visitors.

Visitors at this meeting were Rotarians Quinn Baker and Roy Harper of Quanah and Ted Stafford, E. L. Ballard, senior in Crowell High School, was introduced as the Junior Rotarian to succeed Rouse Todd.

President of Ranger Junior College and Superintendent of Ranger Public Schools, Dr. Boswell is well known as an educator in Texas. He is listed in Who's Who in America and has been a delegate to the Methodist General Conference in Birmingham, Alabama, and to the United Conference in Kansas City. He also has been President of the Texas Junior College Athletic Association and is Chairman of the Ranger Chapter of the American Red Cross. He is a member of the Texas Commission on Co-ordination of Education.

Dr. Yoshimune Abe Will Speak Jan. 23 at Methodist Church



Dr. Yoshimune Abe of Tokyo, a former bishop of the Japan Methodist Church and one of the founders of the United Church of Christ in Japan, will be the guest speaker at the Crowell Methodist Church on January 23 at 7 p. m. Dr. Abe arrived in San Francisco in August, and will spend several months in visiting churches and conferences in all parts of the United States that are supporting Methodist work in Japan under the "Advance for Christ and His Church" program of the Board of Missions and Church Extension.

Operetta Will Be Presented by 5th and 6th Grades

The fifth and sixth grade music classes of the Crowell Schools will present an operetta, "The Maid of the Golden Slipper," on Friday evening, Jan. 19, at 7:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium. It has been announced by Mrs. Charles Davis, instructor.

The cast of approximately 45 characters includes Barbara Fairchild, godmother; Bill Halbert, cupid; Joanne Fox, cinderella; Bill Knox and Betty Jane Ingles, the step-sisters; Kay Rasberry, step-mother; Larry Don Rader, prince charming; and a large number of lords, ladies and fairies. Sixth grade girls, Sharon Chatfield and Dana Loy Roberts, will be piano accompanists for the operetta.

In addition to the operetta, the evening's entertainment will include a one-act comedy, "Sparky," presented by the High School Speech Department. The cast includes Patsy Carroll as Granny, Gene Bruce as Leslie, Donald Reynolds as Orry Sparks, and Bertha Johnson as Leslie's mother.

Proceeds from the evening's entertainment will be used in framing the pictures which the school received from the art exhibit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youree and daughter, Miss Maurine, and son, Frederick, spent last Sunday visiting in Lubbock, their former home.

Basketball Team Won Two Practice Games Last Week

The Crowell High School basketball team won two more practice games the past week to extend their victories up to fifteen out of seventeen played. The Wildcats had a close call at Iowa Park last Friday night when they defeated the Hawks by the score of 38 to 36. They had very little trouble defeating Munday here on Monday night by the score of 45 to 20.

The Crowell boys got off to a 20 to 14 lead in the Iowa Park game by halftime, but Rouse Todd and F. L. Ballard had four fouls by this time and had to let up on their defensive work during the last half. The game was tied 36-36 near the end, but Jim Paul Norman made his only field goal of the game as the final whistle sounded to cinch the Wildcat victory. Todd and Ballard both were forced from the game in the last quarter due to five fouls against them. Jon Sanders' floor play and Ballard's sixteen points contributed immensely to the Crowell cause. Gerald Cope scored fifteen points for the Hawks.

Munday got off to a good start against Crowell here Monday night but the Cats had a 15 to 12 lead at the end of the first quarter and a 30 to 23 lead at halftime. Clinton Marlow led in scoring for Crowell with fourteen points. Jim Paul Norman, freshman center, looked better at his position in this game. Jack Meyers scored twelve points for Munday.

Crowell "B" team defeated Iowa Park "B" team by the score of 38 to 14, and the Munday "B" team 39 to 31. Bobby Jack Stinebaugh, Gordon Wood Bell, Charles Wislon, Arthur Lee Marlow, Jim Tom Cates, James McBeath and Don Brisco represented Crowell in these games.

The Crowell girls lost another close volley ball game at Iowa Park by the score of 15 to 12, and 17 to 15. They will get a chance to even this score up when the Iowa Park girls come here for an exhibition game Feb. 7th.

The Crowell basketball boys and volley ball girls will be playing conference games at Chillicothe this Friday night. Both will be playing their next home conference games against the Burkburnett teams here next Tuesday night. Burkburnett has been picked to win the district championship in basketball and the local fans should be in for an interesting evening of entertainment.

Quartet Will Give Program Here Next Wednesday, Jan. 25

The Ozark Stamps Quartet of Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, sponsored by the Crowell Free Will Baptist Church, will give a good, clean program of gospel and secular songs at the high school auditorium on Wednesday night, Jan. 25, at 7:45 o'clock.

Proceeds from the program will be used in paying for the piano for the church. The admission is reasonable and everybody is invited to attend.

Oil and Gas Leases Filed for Record Since January 1

Oil and gas leases and deeds filed for record in the office of the county clerk of Foard County since Jan. 1, 1950, follow:

Allen Holley, et ux, to British-American Oil Producing Company, 295 acres in Section 25, Block "M." R. M. Thomson Survey, 160 acres out of Survey No. 99, Block A. T. & N. O. Ry. Co.

Mary McGinnis, a widow, to A. L. Andree, of Wichita Falls, Tex. All of the north-east quarter of Section No. 290, Block A. H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

A. L. McGinnis, et ux, to A. L. Andree, of Wichita Falls, Tex. 298.48 acres of Section No. 317, Block A. H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

W. E. Johnson, et ux, et al, to Cities Service Oil Company. All of Section No. 9, Cert. No. 16-7 S. P. R. Co. Survey.

Deeds Filed for Record Mrs. W. L. Fagg, of Collin County, Texas, to James Clark Fagg, of Dallas County, Texas. Lots No. 1 and 2 in Block No. 3 in the town of Foard City, Tex.

Otilio Castro, et ux, of Foard County, to Santos Rodriguez, of Foard County, Lot No. 3 in Block No. 98, in the original town of Crowell.

G. A. Shultz, et ux, et al, of Wilbarger County to B. A. Whitman, of Foard County. 142 acres of the Sarah Chappell Survey of Section No. 269, Block A.; and 195 acres of the John M. Seaton Survey of Section No. 269, Block A.

Cora Thompson, of Foard County, to W. W. Nichols of Foard County. Lot No. 1 and the north one-half of Lot No. 2 in Block No. 6, in the original town of Crowell.

Mary A. Neill, et al to Lucile Johnson of Foard County. Blocks No. 11 and 14, in the original town of Thalia.

C. M. Carroll, et ux, et al, of Foard County, to Cecil D. Carroll of Foard County. 318 acres of the south one-half of William Tyler Survey.

J. C. Woody of Lubbock County to V. P. Mangion of Foard County. All of Lots 3 and 4 in Block 82 in the original town of Crowell.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil D. Carroll, a girl, Janet Sue.

Lions Club Members Guest of Vernon Club at Friday Meeting

The following members of the Crowell Lions Club were guests of the Vernon Lions Club on Friday at their noon luncheon in the dining hall of the Canton Cafe: Leonard Speer, Henry Borchardt, Kenneth Halbert, Winston Simmonds, Henry Jones, Foster Davis, Pete Gobin, Dan Callaway and Ted Stafford.

The speaker for this occasion was Sam Furr of Olney, district Governor of Lions International.

WHY DOWNING STREET

Downing Street, Westminster, official residence of the English prime minister, was named in honor of Sir George Downing, parliamentarian and ambassador who served under both Cromwell and Charles II.

Funeral Services for Chas. Pechacek to Be Held Today

Funeral services for Chas. B. Pechacek of San Antonio will be held at Womack Funeral Home this morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Ed Schopka, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Mr. Pechacek became ill on Dec. 27 and died in Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio on Jan. 16. He is a former resident of Foard County and has lived in San Antonio since 1929.

He is survived by his wife and daughter, Virginia, besides several brothers and sisters.

Deposits Increase in Crowell State Bank During 1949

Individual deposits in the Crowell State Bank increased almost \$100,000.00 during 1949. Deposits in the local bank at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1948, were \$2,566,265.64 and at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1949, they were \$2,664,183.55, making a gain of \$97,917.91, according to bank statements printed in the Foard County News.

Total assets of the bank at the end of 1948 were \$2,671,270.38 and at the end of 1949 they were \$2,787,279.86.

At the regular annual meeting of the stockholders last week, former directors and officers were elected. The officers are R. L. Kincaid, president; J. M. Hill, vice president; Merl Kincaid, active vice president; Lee Black, cashier; Charles Davis, assistant cashier; J. M. Hill Jr., Misses Doris Cox and Martha Johnson and Mrs. Mary Lou Simmons comprise the balance of the bank's staff. The directors are R. L. Kincaid, J. M. Hill, Lee Black, Merl Kincaid, Mrs. Edna M. Hill and H. E. Ferguson.

At the annual meeting the certified surplus of the bank was raised to \$50,000.00, making the total capital and surplus \$100,000.00.

RE-ENLISTS IN ARMY

M-Sgt. Wayne M. Canup, son of Mrs. G. M. Canup of Crowell, re-enlisted in the Regular Army on January 6, for a three year term at Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, where he has been assigned to duty.

Canup, who has a prior service of nine years, will leave shortly for his new assignment in the European Command.

Polio Expenses for Year of 1949 Set Record Mark

Last year's record infantile paralysis epidemics virtually drained the nation of its March of Dimes epidemic aid resources. Mrs. Ella Rucker, Foard County campaign director for the 1950 appeal, stated today.

Stressing the vital importance of a record March of Dimes this year, Mrs. Rucker said that expenses for patient care in 1949 soared to \$31,000,000 and by last October had wiped out treasuries of local chapters in 43 states and Alaska.

"Appeals for emergency funds poured into the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis from these chapters," she reported. "At the height of the epidemic, \$100,000 was being spent every 24 hours for patient care alone."

"We all know that infantile paralysis is one of the most expensive diseases to fight, both in its acute and convalescent stages. Continuing care for thousands of years who were stricken in 1949 is estimated at \$20,000,000."

Research Needed "Added to this will be the unknown cost of caring for the thousands unhappily destined to be stricken in 1950. We do not know how serious this year's epidemic will be, but we must be prepared for any eventuality. And we must prepare now by giving with increased generosity to the 1950 March of Dimes."

California and Texas, both hit heavily for the second successive year, and Minnesota received the top amounts of epidemic aid: almost \$2,500,000, to these three states alone. North Carolina, which had a great number of cases in 1948 but was relatively spared last year, called for almost \$1,000,000 in 1949—primarily to pay the heavy bills for after-care.

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Kenner Building Being Lengthened

The E. Kenner building, southeast of the square, is being enlarged by the addition of fifty feet on the rear. The concrete floor and foundation has been laid. The additional structure will be a frame structure and stuccoed, and when the work is completed the building will be 25 by 110 feet.

The building is occupied by the Phelps Motor Co., dealer in Willys Jeeps and other Willys motor vehicles, which is owned and operated by Horace Phelps.

GOOD RAIN FALLS

Foard County received another good rain last Thursday night, Jan. 12, which measured .98 of an inch by the Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank.

The severe cold wave predicted for this area Sunday night lost its fury before arriving here, however a norther Tuesday night sent the mercury below the freezing mark Wednesday morning. No precipitation fell with either of the cold snaps.

Crowell High School WILDCAT

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ANNUAL FOOTBALL BANQUET HELD WEDNESDAY

The annual Crowell High School Football Banquet was held Wednesday, January 11 at 7:30 p. m. in the Home Economics dining department of the Crowell High School.

The tables were covered with a lovely white linen cloth. Each corner of the table was decorated with a CHS football trophy. Miniature gold footballs served as place cards. The small footballs con-

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tained the menu consisting of orange cocktail, baked chicken and dressing, giblet gravy, carrot and pineapple salad, mashed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, angel food cake, fruit parfait salad, hot chocolate and hot coffee.

Mrs. Crockett Fox opened the program with two songs, "Faraway Places" and "Dear Hearts and Gentle People."

Principal speaker of the evening was Dick Todd, former Crowell football star, now the assistant coach of the Texas A & M College football team. Grady Graves was the master of ceremonies. Coach Thayne Amonett and assistant Coach Gordon Erwin each made a speech of appreciation to the football players for their outstanding work during the season. Each boy was introduced individually by Coach Amonett.

Other guests were Henry Black, who gave the invocation, Marcus Mills, Jeff Bruce, L. A. Andrews, Crockett Fox, Mrs. Gordon Erwin, Marion Crowell, Charles Sylvester and J. W. Solis.

The delicious food was prepared by the Home Economics Classes I, II and III under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Kenner. The decorations were also prepared by the Home Economics classes.

CHS EX-STUDENTS AND TEACHERS NEWS

In a recent issue of The Wichitan, the weekly newspaper of Hardin College, an article appeared about Dr. Helen Yeats, which is of interest to the CHS faculty. Dr. Yeats taught Spanish in Crowell High for several years, leaving in 1941. She is now head of the department of Foreign Languages at Hardin College.

Dr. Yeats did work for her doctor's degree at the National University of Mexico. While doing work for her master of Arts degree, Dr. Yeats collected a vast number of Mexican legends and stories for which she has become noted and with which she lulls her Spanish classes.

Richard Bird, a 1941 CHS graduate has recently been appointed the city attorney of Childress, Texas. After graduating from CHS in 1941, he graduated from the Law School at the University of Texas. Mr. Bird is the son of the late D. N. Bird.

John Rasor Jr. is a rising young businessman in Vernon. He is now a partner with his father in the grocery business in Vernon. Until recently, he was with the Rasor Motor Co.

Anna Jo Lankford is the name borne by a certain senior girl who is eighteen and has brown hair and green eyes. We don't know how long she'll stay a Miss, though, because she gave "housewife" as her ambition.

On Anna Jo's ideal day, she goes window shopping in the morning and eats a lunch of southern fried chicken and fixings with her ideal escort paying the check.

This ideal escort is about six feet tall, slender, with brown hair and green eyes. His name is Gilbert Collier.

That afternoon Anna Jo and Gilbert attend a movie with a romantic plot, starring June Allyson and Robert Mitchum. After the show they ride around for a while, perhaps discussing the volley ball game (Anna Jo has made the team three years) or maybe listening to Bing Crosby on the radio.

Then Anna Jo returns home for a couple of hours before the evening begins. She reads a funny short story while listening to a program of popular music. She would especially like to hear "I've Just Gotta Have My Baby Back."

When Gilbert calls for her in the evening, he finds Anna Jo

wearing a taffeta dress of her favorite shade of light green with a purse, hat and gloves of black. The evening is spent dancing to the music of Xavier Cugat on the roof terrace of a glamorous night club. Sounds like fun, yes?

SCRAPBOOK SCANNING

Rushing from class to class we had only a brief time out to get the lowdown on this friendly senior girl whose white buckskin moccasins are her trade mark. That's right, she's Myrtle Bartley, a senior girl who loves sports.

In summer you'll find her at the ole swimming hole. Last fall she was one of our four cheer leaders, and now you'll find her battling it out for dear ole Crowell High on the volley ball team where she has been the last three years.

This green-eyed sixteen year old bundle of vitality is keeping a scrapbook of her high school days (date?) for future reference. If we got past the padlock, here are some of the facts we might find about Myrtle.

She likes dancing (any kind), popular music, and the song, "I Can Dream, Can't I?" Due to sentimental reasons, "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" is her favorite movie. Ah, sentiment! However, her favorite stars, June Allyson and Dan Dailey, weren't in that movie. Her ideal boy seems to be tall, dark and handsome with a yen for square dancing.

After graduation from CHS, Myrtle will attend McMurry College where she will major in Speech. Myrtle's ambition is to be a speech director, someday maybe.

CROWELL GYM JANES

The Crowell volleyball girls were not so fortunate as the basketball boys, when they journeyed to Iowa Park Friday night and were defeated by the Hawks in a non-conference game.

Jeannie Davis, coach, reported that the girls played a good game, although they were defeated.

Girls seeing action in the game were Betty Brock, Myrtle Bartley, Joline Lanier, La Verne Owens, Betty Barker, Tommie Meason, Violet Rummel, Anna Jo Lankford, Joyzell Thomson and Peggy Weaver.

The volley ball girls along with the basketball boys will journey to Chillicothe, Friday, January 20. They are expecting to meet strong competition in this game.

EVER HEAR OF A TIE BASKETBALL GAME?

If you haven't ever heard of, or seen a tie basketball game, you should have been in Iowa Park Friday night when the Wildcats played the Hawks. The score ended 36-36. (That is the gospel truth.) Explanation—Because of a dispute, the overtime period was not played.

The Wildcats played very steady ball the first half to lead by six points at the half.

Then in the third quarter when

the Hawks took possession of the ball, they chalked up a lead of five points. By the official time out, the Wildcats were within two points of the Hawks. Finally tying it up with 45 seconds to go—just as the whistle sounded the end of the game, Norman scored two points that would have won the game had the score keeper not ruled it was shot after the whistle.

SONG DEDICATIONS

Anna Jo Lankford to Gilbert Collier—"Gotta Have My Baby Back."

Camille Todd to Don Morgan—"Don't Cry Joe."

Hack to Margaret—"My Happiness."

Joline to J. P.—"It's Been so Long, Darling."

Dee to Rosemary—"Slippin' Around."

Billy Joe to LaVerne—"Sunflower."

Vernon to Rondyn—"Always."

Floyd to Peggy Eavenson—"Won't You Canoe Me Down the River?"

Nile to Josephine—"It's Been a Long, Long Time."

Clara to Jack—"Bonaparte's Retreat."

Jimmy to Tommie—"You're so Understanding."

Norma to Wayne—"Why Does It Get So Late So Early?"

LaVerne to Junior—"Old Masterpainter."

Jenny to James—"Because."

Jimmy to Mary Alice—"Faraway Places."

F. L. to Maurine—"A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody."

Travis to Sweetpea—"I Can Dream Can't I?"

THE WILDCAT PURRS

Now that exam week is over everyone is ready to blossom out again and have fun. This is some of the results.

New case over the week-end was Montez and Don Morgan.

Noma Kelly was seen with Phillip Troublefield over the week-end.

Seen taking in the drive-in Saturday night were Gordon Wood Bell and Faye Black, Jon Sanders and Bobbie Abston.

We were sorry to hear that Don Wilkins and Mary Cooper were in the hospital over the week-end.

Mary is progressing nicely after an appendectomy; however, Don was back in school Monday.

Has anyone else played canasta and drunk ginger ale all afternoon besides Bobbie and Rondyn?

Seen around town over the week-end were Marcia Kincaid, Jimmy T. Cates and Betty Barker, Bobby J. Stinebaugh.

Mary Alice and Frankie seemed to enjoy their week-end, especially since it was spent in the great city of Dallas.

Doris, who has been taking up your time this week? Buster or Bob?

Everyone had oodles of fun at the newly formed square dance club Thursday night.

Fred Barker and Carolyn Bell and Jimmy Stinebaugh and Clovonne McKown made cute couples

at the show Sunday night. Betty Barker and Jimmy Shackelford have called it quits. Shame be upon you, Mr. Black, for standing up that poor, tired lady the other night.

It is rumored that Patsy Carroll and Donald Reynolds made eyes at each other.

Travis and Sweetpea and Joe Harris and Neva Lou had a good time at the Flame Saturday night.

We wonder who accumulated a new nickname, "Guterslaw," Sunday afternoon?

Joe Ray and Joyzell are still (Continued on Page 3)

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Petroleum Recovery Research in Colleges Being Overlooked

Austin, Texas, Dec. 12—Oil-state universities are overlooking petroleum recovery research, Dr. G. H. Fancher, University of Texas petroleum engineering professor, declares.

He terms the policy "penny-wise and pound-foolish" and says 60 million barrels of oil may be left in the ground in the U. S. unless researchers find new secondary recovery means.

"About 2500 students are study-

ing petroleum engineering in oil-state schools each year," Dr. Fancher declares. "They need the benefit of teaching inspired by research and of obtaining perhaps some research experience themselves to serve better the country in increasing oil recovery."

The Pennsylvania legislature is the only state law-making body appropriating money for either fundamental or applied oil recovery research, except in pitifully inadequate amounts, despite the recognized importance of petroleum production to oil-state economies, he says.

Dr. Fancher reported the re-

search information as a member of the Advisory Committee on Secondary Recovery, set up in 1947 by the Interstate Oil Compact Commission.

The committee is directing a nation-wide research project into secondary oil recovery operations.

NEW MINIMUM WAGE

The new seventy-five cent minimum wage will go into effect January 25. Under the new plan learners and beginners will be paid from 55c to 65c. Application must be made by a business to secure this rate for learners and begin-

THE WILDCAT

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topping the date list.

A new flame popped up Friday night. It was none other than Presley Thomson and Mary Bergt.

Congratulations to LaVerne Farrar and E. D. Poyner Jr., who are negated to be married.

The reason F. L. Ballard had a lonely look all week-end was because Maurine was in Lubbock. This reminds me that Rouse and Myra Don were seen single dating.

Jean and Jim Paul still see each other in their eyes.

Charles, Kildee, Jon, Bubba and Bobby Jack all got them a date. It's your time now. We're waiting.

Who have Rusty and Billy been going with lately?

Billy Johnson (freshman) and Kay Cribbs made a "cute" couple. Luck to ya, kids.

Anna Jo was unhappy Saturday night. Why? Because she didn't receive a telephone call from Gilbert. She recuperated when she went to the mail box and found two letters from him.

Posey, will you tell us your secret on how to keep a boy so long. You're doing fine.

It seems to be a habit with Tommie and Myrtie to spend afternoons in Quanah.

It seems as though Joe Howard and Deeda Ann have an everlasting romance.

Harold Dean, it's about time you "fotch" up on you a girl. There are lots of girls available.

The Cat's Tail.

SIDE SPLITTERS

Mr. Lanier was buying a fountain pen for Joline's Christmas present. "It's to be a surprise, I suppose," observed the clerk.

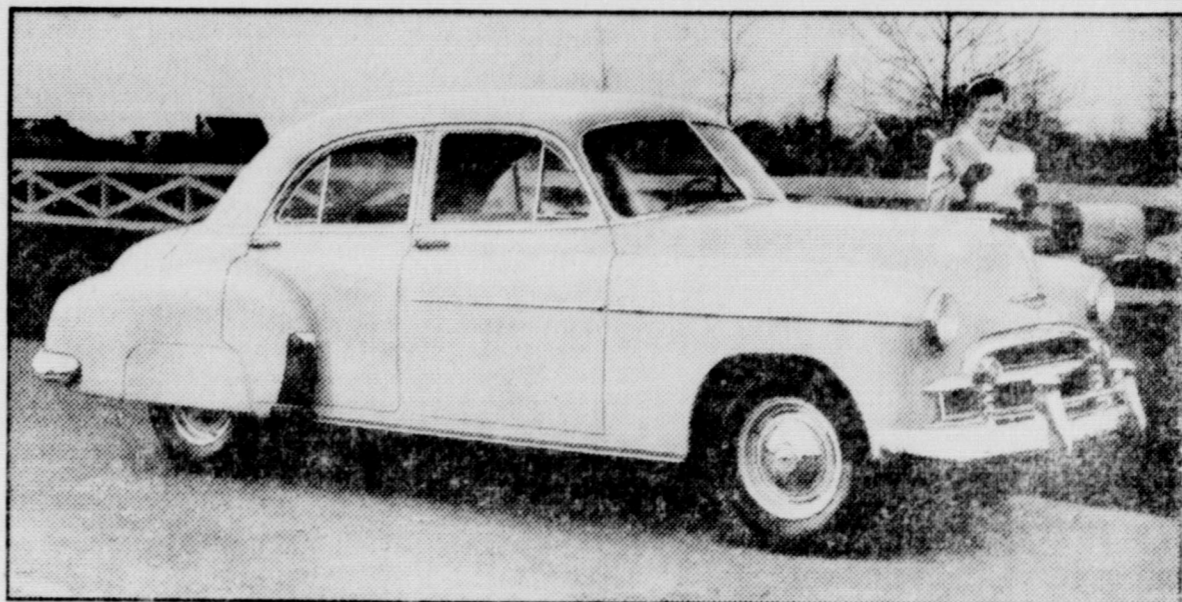
"I'll say it is," said Mr. Lanier. "She's expecting a convertible coupe."

Sweet Pea approached a saleswoman at the yarn counter of a department store for instructions on how to make a dog's sweater. "How big is your dog?" asked the saleslady.

Sweet Pea tried unsuccessfully to describe the size of the dog and finally the saleswoman suggested: "Why don't you bring him in and let me measure him?"

"Oh, I couldn't do that," Sweet

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VIENNA SAUSAGE Old Bill Can **10c**

TOMATO JUICE Curtis 46 oz. Can **25c**

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For thou hast trusted in thy wickedness; thou hast said, None seeth me. Thy wisdom and thy knowledge, it hath perverted thee; and thou hast said in thine heart, I am, and none else beside me.

An American industrialist returned recently from a trip to England. He had gone to England with the intention of locating a factory there. While there he talked with plant foremen and workers and English industrialists. He discovered that production in English plants was far below that in American plants.

Political Announcements

- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: J. L. (PETE) GOBIN (Re-election)
For County Clerk: MRS. FERN MCKOWN (Re-election)
For County Treasurer: MARGARET CURTIS (Re-election)
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: TOM BURSEY (Re-election)

advances that threaten to push coffee to a dollar a pound. There is not, and never will be, a time when there will be enough coffee to permit every householder to lay in a stock of ten pounds.

The new series of strikes which industry will be plagued for the next period will not be so much for an increase in wages as pensions, medical insurance, unemployment insurance, severance pay, disability pay, vacations with pay and guaranteed work which is a modified form of guaranteed annual wage.

At the present time the field of nursing offers the greatest opportunity to young women. At the present time there is a great lack of nurses and there perhaps always will be. The reason is that not all young women are attracted to this profession.

Workers receive less "take home" pay since the first of the year at which time the Social Security tax was increased from one per cent to one and one-half per cent.

When the present water supply for New York City was constructed, a large area was laid out in the Catskill mountains. Eighteen towns and eighteen cemeteries were moved to other localities out of the water shed.

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

I think it would amaze a good many people if they should discover how much of their discontent and restlessness and unhappiness exists only in their minds. There are so many examples of this truth that when the preponderance of evidence should convince even the most skeptical.

For example there is the intensely jealous person. Such a person is in for much unhappiness because of the fact that he or she cannot endure seeing anyone else receive notice or attention from others without being burned up with jealousy and disturbed by a devastating internal turmoil.

Another destroyer of much happiness is covetousness, dissatisfaction with one's lot and the things one has. A belittling of one's own possessions and a magnifying of the possessions of others. This internal weakness can destroy a great deal of happiness.

Internal peace, and this is just another word for happiness, is disturbed by many other things. By the desire to do things obviously far beyond one's means, to travel in luxury to the four corners of the earth, to move in social circles which one cannot afford and for which one is not fitted.

I am a firm believer in the principle that we each of us can create a heaven or a hell about and in our daily lives—the one requires courage and effort and will power, the other is an evidence of a weakness, an indifference, a careless living.

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Jan. 16, 1920:

Yuma, Ariz., had the first sunless day in 45 years on Jan. 4, according to persons who had lived there that long.

While a woman has as much right to smoke as a man, she has no place to strike matches.

A. Y. Beverly and Miss Runie Maude Wallace were quietly married at 8 o'clock Saturday night at the home of Mrs. S. O. Woods, with Rev. J. H. Hamblen performing the ceremony.

Foard County produced 4,962 bales of cotton in 1919 and 1,150 in 1918.

Lawrence Kinsey has accepted a position in the Bank of Crowell.

Walter Moore of Knox City has accepted a position as manager of the Haskell Telephone Co. here and will move his family to Crowell soon.

Gordon Witherspoon is here this week from Seymour on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. J. G. Witherspoon.

On Tuesday afternoon the home of Mrs. M. S. Henry was the scene of a delightfully arranged reception and shower to honor Mrs. A. Y. Beverly.

Miss Jode Brian has gone to Austin since Christmas to attend the University of Texas.

Miss Gladys Benson has returned to Paducah as bookkeeper for Hall-Scruggs Dry Goods Co. after recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Rex Golston and family spent last Friday night in Crowell en route from Quanah to their new home in Ranger. Rex lived in Crowell many years ago.

Mrs. Harry Schlagal is thought to be slowly improving from a serious illness.

E. Swain has the agency for the Dort automobile and expects a car in sometime this month.

Mexicans are reported to be in Europe buying arms for the Carranza Government.

Austin Highlights

By Senator George Moffett

Soon after the arrival of each New Year, we find many people taking inventory and checking their profits and losses.

The same should be done regarding our government. Whether in Washington, Austin, or in a local community, it takes money to run the government and most of it is tax money.

There are three general classes of taxes: Federal (U. S.) taxes, State taxes; and local taxes, such as county, school and city. The Federal (U. S.) income tax is the heaviest of all and produces by far the largest sum of money of any tax levied in the entire United States.

Many states also levy a State Income Tax. In fact, all but five have either the State Income Tax or a state general sales tax, and approximately one-half of the states have both. Texas has neither. All the states adjoining Texas have a general sales tax and some of our neighbors have to pay a nine-cent gasoline tax and a seven-cent tax on a package of cigarettes.

Our Texas State Government spends a large sum of money each year, eighty-nine per cent of which goes for three purposes—schools, pensions and roads. In comparison to the other forty-seven states, however, Texas ranks third from the bottom in the amount collected per person living within the state.

The people voted last November to keep the poll tax in Texas, and it is hoped that our local citizens will remember that poll tax payments must be made before February 1. It is certainly advisable for us to keep the voting strength in our area at a high figure, for some other parts of Texas are growing faster than Northwest Texas.

In George Washington's time, eighty-five per cent of the people lived on farms or in small communities. At this time, the large cities are growing by leaps and bounds. Therefore it is highly important for the citizens of the rural areas and smaller cities to keep their voting strength at the highest possible point.

to attend church gatherings. He was a fraternal delegate from Japan to the Methodist General Conference of 1928.

WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

(By Congressman Ed Gossett)

Washington, D. C., Friday, January 13, 1950 — While the day on which this is written is considered by some to be unlucky, I have never gone in for superstitions. I recall a day some years ago on which I was driving in Vernon. Two big black cats ran across the road in front of me.

Yesterday, the House Committee on Agriculture reported out an amendment to the cotton acreage allotment law. The proposed amendment does three things; notwithstanding other provisions of the law.

This morning, I went with Senators Connally and Johnson, and most of the members of the House of Representatives to the office of Secretary of the Air Forces, Mr. Stuart Symington.

While speaking of foreign competition, a New York Congressman this week made an impassioned speech, saying that some 200 onion growers in his District were being run out of business through the importation of onions, grown in Hungary by communist slave labor.

In 1936 we were net exporters of crude oil and crude oil products to the amount of 200,000 barrels per day. That means we exported 200,000 barrels more than we imported.

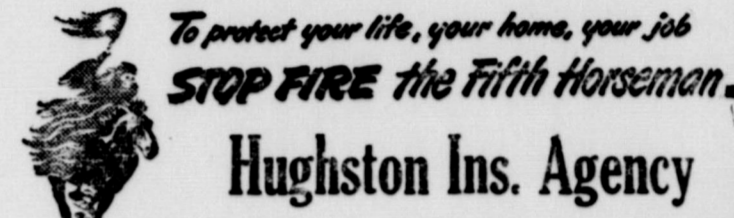
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will unquestionably be a very strong factor in maintaining reasonable taxation and promoting good government in our state.



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ment and will perhaps afford the small oil producers, oil field labor, and Texas in general some protection from the cheap labor, non-conservation in foreign oil producing areas.

Reports were current several months ago that Ford might encounter competition in the low-price eight-cylinder car field. The manufacturer considering such a development, however, apparently has decided against it.

Ford remains alone in low-price "Eight" field

"The temptation to enter competition for this market is strong. Ford derives considerable sales appeal from ability to offer an eight as well as a six in the low cost bracket. Buyers are attracted by the additional smoothness and power performance afforded by the extra cylinders.

"In pioneering the low-price V-8 the Dearborn producer had to strike at the heart of the cost problem. The company was the first to evolve a method of making an integral V-block and crankcase casting.

"The Ford production technique involves a high degree of precision. Vendors regard the company as a 'tough customer' because of the rigidity of inspection standards.

"With the use of advanced production methods the company has been able to hold expenses within reasonable limits. This is true even though use of the larger engine means two more cylinders—with more pistons, rings, 'con' rods, sparkplugs, etc.—for each car produced.

"The precision, together with the extra power of the engine, accounts for the unusual performance of the Ford V-8. Ford's ratio of applied horsepower to gross vehicle weight has long been a favored design characteristic. Other manufacturers have found this power plant too difficult to build inexpensively enough for a small car.

"From present indications, it may be a long time before competitors can challenge Ford in the low-priced eight-cylinder field."

Reprinted from Woods' Automotive Reports, Sept. 12 issue.

A CONDENSED STATEMENT OF Memphis Production Credit Association

DECEMBER 31, 1949

Assets table: Loans and Interest \$678,262.97, Less Provisions for Bad Debts 8,041.40, Government Bonds and Interest 248,182.09, Cash 36,087.39, Other Assets 5,029.24, TOTAL ASSETS \$959,520.29

Liabilities table: Money Due Federal Intermediate Credit Bank \$646,341.86, Provisions for Taxes 2,444.83, Other Liabilities 465.64, TOTAL LIABILITIES \$649,252.33

Net Worth table: Class A Stock \$86,890.00, Class B Stock 130,755.00, Accumulated Earnings 92,622.96, TOTAL LIABILITIES and Net Worth \$959,520.29, Total Amount of Loans Made 1949-\$2,850,366.94

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DR. YOSHIMUNE ABE—

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sion of the Methodist Church. Dr. Abe, who had previously served as pastor in Japan, as dean of theology at Aoyama Gakuin, Methodist's principal educational institution in Japan, and as president of the college, was elected bishop of the Japan Methodist Church in 1933. With the coming of the war in the Far East, and the amalgamation of the Protestant forces into one Christian church, he became chairman of the executive committee of the Church of Christ in Japan. During the war period he visited Shanghai and elsewhere in China, and worked for the amalgamation of the Christian forces there. He was in communication with Methodist Bishops Ward and Kaung in China during these years.

After the war, Dr. Abe returned to Japan, was editor of the "Japan Christian Monthly" issued by the United Church; was adviser to the Christian Education Association of Japan, and to the Minister of Education in the new government; and is at present, chairman of the Japan Christian Peace Association. One of the objectives of the Association is the erection of a Christian Peace Center in Hiroshima—a Christian shrine dedicated to world peace on the site where the first atom bomb fell.

Dr. Abe is a native of Hiroaki where he was born on a Christmas day. After graduating in arts and theology at Aoyama Gakuin, he came to the United States and entered Drew Theological Seminary. He received his Bachelor of Divinity degree there and a Master of Arts degree from New York University, Ohio Wesleyan University awarded him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. Dr. Abe has been in the United States and in Europe on several occasions

LOCALS

Mrs. J. R. Allee of Fort Worth is here visiting with relatives and friends.

John Clark Long of Houston was a week-end visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Long.

Mrs. J. M. Hill and Mrs. A. V. McCombs left Tuesday morning for Oklahoma City to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Clark.

Mrs. J. H. Minnick has recently returned from a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. D. Adams, and family in Bell, Calif.

Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Sanders were in Wichita Falls last Thursday where Dr. Sanders attended a District Dental Association meeting.

Mrs. Ernest Weaver, who submitted to an operation in a Vernon hospital recently, was returned to her home last week and is making satisfactory improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCracken and two children have moved to Crowell from Childress and will make their home here. He is employed by the Humble Pipe Line Co.

Merrill Allee of Fort Worth spent a few days of last week with his grandfather, G. A. Mitchell, and family.

Mrs. Payton Powers of Lockney spent the week-end as the guest of Miss Gusta Davis and other friends in Crowell.

Bob Cooper, a student in S. M. U. in Dallas, visited over the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper, and family.

Miss Nancy Cogdell returned to Wichita, Kan., Sunday after having spent a week here with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, who is ill in the Crowell hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rader and daughter, Mary Alice, Mrs. Eunice Jones and daughter, Wanda, and Miss Frankie Mabe spent the week-end visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore of Dallas and Mrs. Will Harris of Graceport, Okla., were here last week on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. J. D. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Statser and baby son, Don, attended the funeral of W. F.'s grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Draper, at Roswell, N. M., Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Draper is survived by two sons and five daughters, 16 grandchildren and one great grandchild, Don Statser, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickerson of Abilene visited over the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Tom Allen of Wichita Falls visited over the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Long.

Clarence McKown, of Dumas spent the week-end here visiting his father, J. H. McKown, and other relatives and friends.

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Mrs. W. A. Cogdell had as visitors, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. James Brothers of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cogdell of Floydada, also four granddaughters, Mary and Lucile Cogdell and Nancy Ann and Maxine Cogdell of Paducah. Mrs. Cogdell is ill in the local hospital.

Mrs. B. W. Self and Mrs. Herbert Edwards were in Lubbock Wednesday. They accompanied Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Reeder Jr. and son to Lubbock en route to their home in Newport Beach, Calif., following a visit of two weeks with relatives and friends here and at Vernon.

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Rheumatic Fever Attacks Children of School Age

Austin, Texas — Rheumatic fever causes more deaths than any other disease in children of school age, declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The first attack usually occurs in children at the age when they are in the first or second grade and recurrences are most common up to the age when children are leaving high school. The insidious onset of so many cases during the school year suggests that teachers and others in daily contact with school children should be aware of early signs and symptoms which may mean acute rheumatic fever.

Dr. Cox said, "There should be more and improved examinations of school children by physicians or parent teachers, the nurse or teacher and parents to plan with the physician for any needed medical attention."

"School absence due to illness or vague disorders, if investigated, may disclose early cases of rheumatic fever. Teachers need to be more alert to visible signs and symptoms suggestive of substandard health. Among the signs and symptoms which should bring children to the attention of teacher or parent are: Failure to gain weight; pallor; poor appetite; fatigue; frequent colds and sore throats; scarlet fever or any known streptococcal infection; unexplained nosebleeds; unexplained fever; pain in arms, legs and joints; unusual restlessness; history of previous rheumatic fever; behavior changes; decreasing achievements in school by a child who has previously done well.

"Children reported by the teacher as showing evidence of substandard health should be medically reviewed by the physician and needed medical care arranged for such children as soon as possible."

POLIO EXPENSE

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Mrs. Rucker explained that, although care of patients is imperative, research to find a means of preventing infantile paralysis also must be continued at an ever-increasing pace.

"During the past 12 years," she continued, "the National Foundation has allocated more than ten million, eight hundred thousand dollars for research."

Activities Listed Funds also must be allotted for education of professional personnel, she said. The disease seems to have changed its pattern and spread out to more areas, Mrs. Rucker, explained, so that more medical experts were needed in more places in 1949. March of Dimes funds provide scholarships and fellowships for the training of these professional workers, she said.

Mrs. Rucker also listed these activities of the National Foundation and its chapters:

Special polio aid teams are sent to epidemic areas at the request of local and state health authorities to help organize treatment at local polio centers.

Six National Foundation supply centers, strategically situated across the nation, keep vital equipment on hand and ready for shipment. In the first ten months of 1949, there were 647 special shipments of respirators, as compared to 143 in all of 1948. A total of 505 hot pack machines was rushed from these centers to hospitals up to mid-October, 1949, as compared to 146 in all of 1948.

Not one emergency request went unfulfilled. When equipment ran out, new machines were purchased. Last year, the National Foundation purchased 139 new "lungs," at an average cost of \$1,500, and 279 hot pack machines, at a cost of \$300 each.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the friends who were so thoughtful and kind with ministrations during my recent illness in the hospital. For the cards, letters, flowers, gifts and visits. I am very appreciative and thankful.

Mrs. Ernest Weaver.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who ministered to us in any way during our bereavement in the loss of our dear mother and grandmother. Your words of sympathy, the flowers, the food and your presence make it easier to bear. May God bless each one of you.

The Earl Steele Family.

Weekly Sermon

WHAT IS A CHRISTIAN? by Alfred Martin, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

The statement is often made that So-and-So is a real Christian even though he does not profess to be. The idea behind such a statement seems to be that a person's moral character and winning personality make him a Christian.

Such an idea is contrary to the teaching of Scripture. A Christian is not a Christian because of his character; he is not a Christian because of anything that he has done or can do. "Not by works of

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Seven Midland Donors Give \$50,000 Building to Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children

Gonzales, Texas, Jan. 16—A \$50,000 addition to the present seven building plant of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children has been announced by foundation officials.

Funds for the new structure were donated by seven residents of Midland, center of an area from which came much of the institution's 1949 patient load. A one-story fireproof building, Midland Hall, will serve foundation patients as reception, entertainment and recreation center. Present plans call for it to be located near the center of Gonzales' present buildings adjacent to a new kitchen and dining hall. Architecturally, Midland Hall will conform to the foundation's mission.

ter development plan. Commenting on the gift, Ross Boothe, president of the Gonzales institution, said: "Ordinary words of gratitude hardly suffice to tell those Midland folks how grateful all of us here at the foundation are. We think that gratitude includes all of Texas, as well. The new building will be especially useful as an activities center for patients. And now our children will be able to greet their families in privacy and comfort. It is just another example of Texas taking care of its own."

Governor Allan Shivers, general chairman of the foundation's state wide fund raising appeal, acknowledged receipt of the gift in a telegram to Roy A. Minear, Midland County chairman for the foundation.

"Congratulations to you and your committeemen and to all whose earnest efforts made possible the Midland Hall addition to the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation."

According to Hulon Black, director of the University of Texas development board and chairman of the Gonzales development committee, the new structure "will go far toward alleviating a space shortage which was fast becoming critical."

BRITAIN WILD OXEN

Chillingham cattle are a breed of cattle preserved in the park of the Earl of Tankerville, supposed to be the last remnant of the wild oxen of Britain.

Each year some 30,000 men and women in this country go blind. Between 50 and 75 per cent of them, says Dr. Franklin Foote, head of the National Society for the prevention of blindness, must blame their blindness on their neglect or abuse of their eyes.

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SPECIALS - Good Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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U. S. Savings Bonds Good Investment for Insurance Refunds

Dallas, Jan. 14—Texas veterans will be asked to "salt away" part of their national service life insurance dividends in U. S. Savings Bonds, Nathan Adams of Dallas, state Savings Bonds chairman, announced today.

Mr. Adams said that principal veterans organizations of the state will participate in the campaign, beginning Monday (Jan. 16) to urge ex-service men and women to use their dividend money as nest-eggs for the future. This is the date on which the Veterans Administration has announced that it will begin mailing dividend checks. A total of \$2.8 billion will be distributed in the next six months, with about \$150,000,000 going to the 700,000 veterans in Texas.

State commanders of service organizations that are taking part in the drive are Joe Spurlock of Fort Worth, American Legion; J. H. Barneburg of Camp Hood, American Veterans of World War II; E. D. Whitley of Dallas, Disabled American Veterans; and Julian Dickenson of Austin, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

In letters to 1500 posts throughout Texas, they have asked local commanders to initiate activities within their own communities and to distribute Savings Bonds literature to all veterans, as well as members.

Mr. Adams said that similar campaigns are being held in all of the states, with cooperation from national commanders of veterans organizations. He said that dividend checks will bear the campaign's slogan "Use It Wisely—Buy U. S. Savings Bonds" on the endorsement side.

"It is not the purpose of this campaign to tell the veteran how to use his dividend money," Mr. Adams said. "It is our purpose, however, to remind him that his NSLI dividend gives him an opportunity to begin, or add to, a sound savings plan to provide future financial security for himself and his family."

Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell)

Opening the Door to a Successful Happy Life: I have heard a good many times during my life the statement by different persons that they had had bad luck all their lives, that things never went right with them, their business ventures were a failure and everyone seemed to be against them. I have taken the trouble to analyze and compare them with others who have done better. In most instances—in by far the most instances—I have come to the conclusion that the fault lies with the individual and not with the world and with other people. Instead of conforming to the established rules of success they have persisted in doing otherwise—following their own wishes and inclinations. They seemed to have the idea that they would force the rules to be changed and would bend the world to fit their own way. It just isn't done that way. Prominent among the things that contribute for success in any line of activity is a cheerful, happy, friendly manner—a ready smile and a warm human quality. Any one who desires to, can create this thing within themselves and, by it, open a lot of doors to success that the gloomy, cold, self-sufficient and self-contained introvert will never open.

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THALIA

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wisdom and children moved from this community to the Grimsley farm near Chillicothe last week.

Bobby Cato and Pfc. Ray Gable of Wichita Falls visited their families, the Royce Catos and Mrs. Ruth Hammonds, last week-end.

C. D. Haney and children, David and Carolyn, and Joyce Howard of Lubbock visited friends here last week-end.

Judy Tole, who recently moved to Wichita Falls, visited the E. J. McKinnies here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long and sons visited in Post last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright and son, Bryan, visited Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. P. W. Derrington, and family in Plainview last week-end.

Mrs. Jessie Whitfield of Anton visited her sister, Mrs. W. G. Seales, and her brother, Eudale Oliver, and their families last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Matthews were Wichita Falls visitors Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Mattie Patterson, in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Reed of Vernon visited her daughter, Mrs. Roland Taylor, and family last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford went to Burk Burnett's last Sunday after his father, J. R. Ford, who had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Tom Worley, there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman left Sunday for San Antonio for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Duward Benham, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble visited her brother, Frank Wood, and family in Vernon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Whitman and daughter left for their home in Clovis, N. M., Sunday after a 2-weeks' stay in Vernon and in the home of his brother, B. A. Whitman, and family.

Ray Short of Borger spent last week-end in the home of his father, G. C. Short, and family.

J. T. Martin of Vernon spent Wednesday night with his daughter, Mrs. Roy Shultz, and family.

Dr. R. E. Main of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps and small daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Mason of Vernon visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. May Self, and attended church here Sunday.

Burt Abston of Rayland and Jim Abston and daughter of Five-in-One, Rex Kyker of Abilene and Ben Hopkins of Riverside were guests in the home of Mrs. J. A. Abston and the Les Abston home Sunday.

Carl Eley of Vernon spent Friday with the Roy Shultz family.

Mrs. Isa Belle Thompson and daughter, Theresa, of Vernon spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. M. L. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell of Four Corners attended services at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn and Ralph and Roberta visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Dunn and infant daughter, Judy Kay, in Pampa last week-end.

Mrs. H. L. Swan has been ill the past week.

Howard Bursey was taken to a Vernon hospital Sunday night, but was able to return home Monday.

Mrs. Roy Shultz and son spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shultz and

son brought them home and visited here Saturday night.

Oran Ford and R. E. Main made a trip to the Plains Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Owens, of Northside last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eley and Miss Camilla Eley spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Shultz, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom King and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King and daughter visited T. J. King and family in Cee Vee, Texas, Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Gamble and daughters and Mrs. R. H. Cooper and daughter were Frederick, Okla., visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Celeste Johnson and daughter, Judy, and Miss Irene Doty visited relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fox of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shultz of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood visited Mrs. Don Weber and children, Mike, Mary Pat and David, in the home of her parents in Vernon Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Donn Day and Mrs. M. H. Jones at Rotan and Martin Jones and family and the Mitchell Jackson family in Abilene last week-end.

MARGARET

MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sellers of Paducah visited Mrs. Sarah Pruitt and Mrs. Jack Roden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Beck of Lubbock spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. R. Moore, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn visited John Taylor in the Quanah hospital Friday.

Mrs. Cora Barnett spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Clark Golden, and family in Crowell.

Mrs. Jim Owens and Mrs. Cressie Erwin were Vernon visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Jackson and daughters of Black visited Mrs. Studie Bradford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Moore and children and Mrs. Allan Tucker of Wichita Falls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley, last week. Mrs. Tucker returned home while Mrs. Moore stayed with her mother, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gunter and children of Five-in-One spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook in Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ferguson of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kempf and Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers and daughter, Janie, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Love and family visited relatives in Chillicothe Sunday. Her mother, Mrs. Broadus, returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. Jack McGinnis, Mrs. C. F. Bradford and Mrs. R. H. Blevins attended a birthday dinner for Mrs. Mary McGinnis at her daughter's, Mrs. Ernest Flowers, in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford and daughter, Glenda Sue, and Sandra Custer of Vernon spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Studie Bradford.

Mrs. Bobby Long and daughters of Thalia visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Hunter, Saturday.

Mrs. Dink Russell and Mrs. Belle Blevins visited John Taylor in the Quanah hospital Monday.

Ben Bradford of Thalia visited his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford, Monday afternoon.

Alton Todd of Crowell was a Sunday visitor in Margaret.

Mrs. W. O. Moore has returned to her home in Laresa, after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest McGregor, and family.

Mrs. W. H. Tamplin and son, J. T., were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buss Ingle and children, Bettie Jane and Don Keith, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Echols and son, Terry, in Lubbock over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen and Sherry Haseloff visited Mr. and Mrs. Haskell McCurley and family of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McCurley and family of Shamrock last week.

Frank Dunn Jr. was here last week from Shamrock where he has bought a grocery store.

Rayburn Taylor of Dallas is here with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Taylor while his father is in the hospital.

Miss Emma Belle Hunter and Guy Bounds were married at Booker, Texas, Saturday by his brother, Rev. Clarence Bounds.

FOARD CITY

MRS. LUTHER MARLOW

Mrs. Henry Fish and daughter, Martha, of Vivian and Alta Nell Bartley of Crowell spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton and family.

Mrs. Luther Marlow and Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Luther Jobe and Mrs. Freeland Jobe near Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rader and daughter, Gail, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Lewis,

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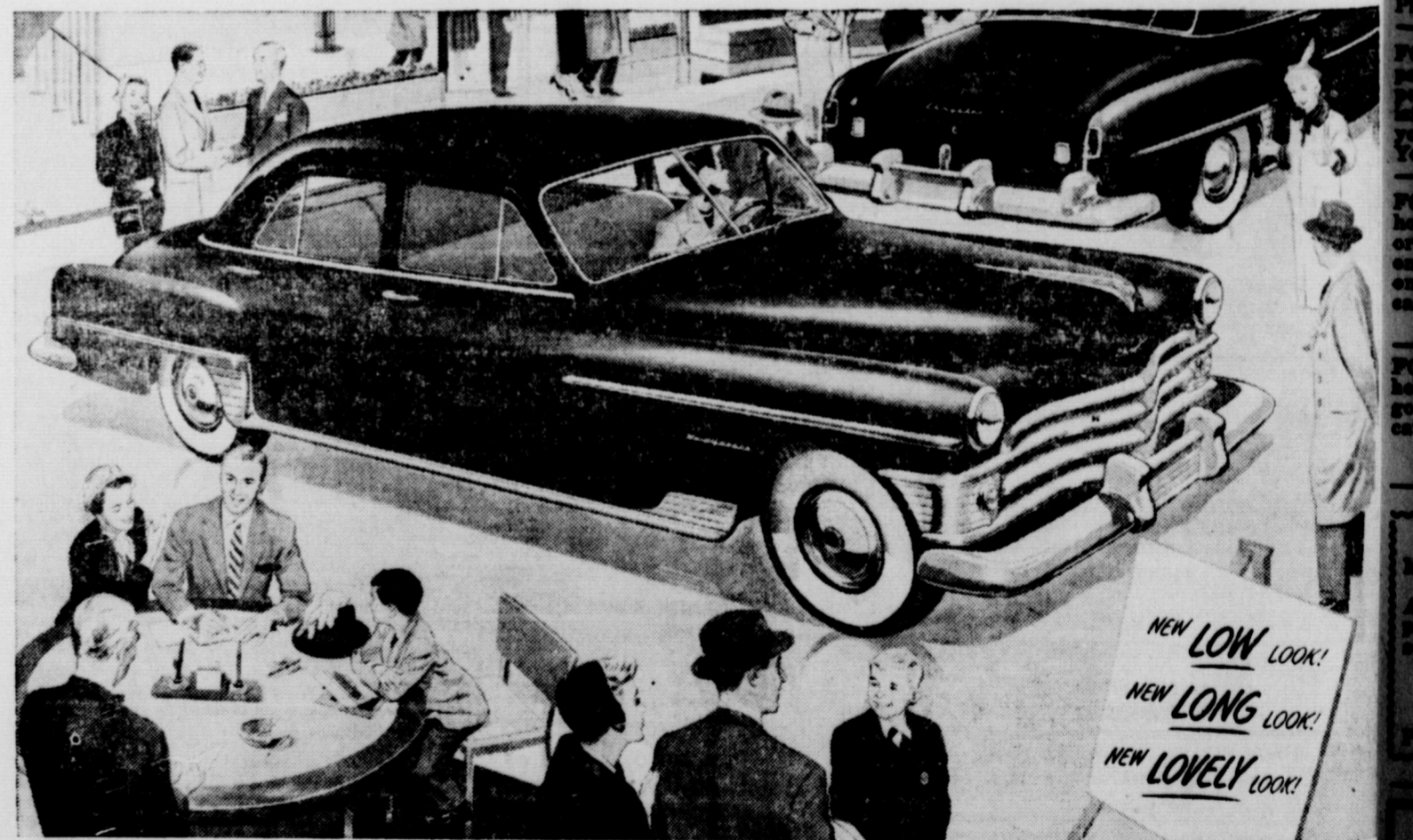
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FOR SALE—Elgin Sewing machine, in good condition.—Mrs. W. L. (Boss) Johnson, Foard City. 25-2tp

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Lost
LOST—Female Airdale dog, Reward. Call Guyann Hickman, Truscott, collect, phone 2162. 25-2tp

LOST—\$20.00 in business section of Crowell or in stores Monday. Reward. Would appreciate it if finder would return it.—Mrs. Jordan Petsoff, Lanier Apartments. 26-1tp

Wanted
WANTED—Ironing to do.—Mrs. John Wheeler, Foard City, Texas. 26-3tp

WANT TO BUY—Used kitchen cabinet.—Mrs. G. W. Wright. 26-3tp

WANTED—Man for Watkins route in Foard County. Can make from \$8.00 to \$15.00 per day. Write or see C. H. Presnall, Watkins Dealer, Knox City, Texas. 26-1tp

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Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.
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THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, Jan. 28, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.
IRA TOLE, W. M.
W. M. WISDOM, Sec.

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A. F. & A. M., STATED MEETING Second Monday each month. Jan. 9, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.
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GORDON J. FORD POST NO. 130
Meets second Tuesday in each month at American Legion Hall, 7:30 p. m.
CLYDE JAMES, Commander.
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Trespass Notices
TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on any land belonging to Lee and B. A. Whitman, Thalia, Texas. 25-52tp

TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on my place north of town.—J. H. Carter. 24-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my place.—L. Kempf. 24-4tp

NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on F. L. Reed's place, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Thalia. 51-tfc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 45-tfc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind on Carrie G. Crawford land, 3 miles southwest of Thalia. No trash dumping.—Mrs. T. N. Bell. 28-23tp

CHURCHES

Truscott Baptist Church

Schedule of Services
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Sunday.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday.
Training Union, 6 p. m. Sunday.
Evening worship, 7 p. m. Sunday.

W. M. U. Meeting, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.
Teachers and Officers Meeting — 6:30 p. m. Wednesday.
Hour of Power, 7 p. m., Wednesday.

R. M. BOWEN, Pastor.

Thalia-Margaret Methodist Churches

Church School each Sunday morning, 10 a. m.

Preaching Services
Margaret, 1st and 3rd Sundays.
Thalia, 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Time, 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.
Give God a chance at your life. Attend church regularly.
E. R. McGregor, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
N. B. Moon, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6 p. m.
Evening worship, 7 p. m.
Prayer service, 7 p. m., Wednesday.

Crowell Methodist Church
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Bring the family and stay for the morning worship service.
Morning worship service, 10:50 a. m. Subject of the sermon: "The Question of Jesus Christ." There will be special music. A nursery is maintained for small children during the morning worship service.

Primary - Beginner, MYF, 6:30 p. m.
Junior MYF, 6:30 p. m.
Young People, MYF, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship service, 7 p. m. Subject of the sermon: "Bridges Jesus Christ Built." Don't miss this sermon. Bring a friend.

Announcements of the meeting places of the Circles of the W. S. C. S. are in the church bulletin each week.
Dr. Yoshiumne Abe will preach Monday, 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
The Methodist Men, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
A cordial, sincere welcome awaits you at each service of this church. We need the church and the church needs us. Come, worship God with us.
Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor.

Church of Christ (West Side)
"For if the word spoken by angels was steadfast, and every transgression and disobedience received a just recompense of reward." (Under law of Moses). "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation, which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed unto us by them that heard him?" Lord's Day services 10:30 and 6:00.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
Schedule of masses and services: Mass on the first, third and fifth Sunday of each month at 10 a. m. from October to April. From May to September at 9 a. m. Mass on holidays of obligation at 8:30 a. m.
Confessions before mass. Catechetical instructions each Sunday after mass. Sick calls—call Vernon 418.
E. J. Shopka, Pastor.

Assembly of God Church
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Sunday Evening, 7:45 p. m.
Prayer service Wednesday night, 7:45.
Young people's service, Saturday night, 7:45.

Freewill Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Church services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Everybody invited.
H. H. HASTON, Pastor.
Thalia Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
B. T. U. at 6 p. m.
Preaching at 7 p. m.
W. M. U., Monday at 2:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.
Church services at Truscott are held the first, second and third Sundays of each month. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m.
J. V. Patterson, Pastor.

First Christian Church
J. Fred Bayless, Minister
John E. Long, Supt. Bible School
SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible School 10 a. m.
Communion-Worship 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service 7:15 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.
The Christian Church extends a cordial welcome to all services.

RIVERSIDE

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler and sons, Eldon Wayne and Buford, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wheeler at Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and children of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Farrar Sunday.

Mrs. Kebe Short of Thalia visited Grannie Huntley and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. King have moved from the Joe Coufal farm to Thalia.

Carl Shultz was returned home from a Wichita Falls hospital last week and is improving.

Cpl. Eldon Wayne Wheeler and brother, Buford, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday visiting at Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins honored their daughter, Bennie Lou, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were Rex Kyker and Bill Wiley of Abilene, James King of Northside, Floella Locke, Edith and Nadine Farrar of Lockett and Ward Kuehn.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor spent last week-end with his mother of Garland, Texas.

Henry Huffman of Quincy, Cal., spent Friday night with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs, and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Haley of Muleshoe spent Sunday night and Monday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Ward of Quanah announce the birth of a daughter, Carolyn, on Jan. 11.

Mrs. Ben Bradford and grandson, Jimmy Hopkins, are visiting her daughters at Abilene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freudiger and family of Megargel and Edd Richter of Electra spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Mary Richter.

T. J. Cox of Portales, N. M., has been a visitor in the Ben Bradford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice Jr. and children of Dumas spent Monday night and Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs attended a singing at the Free Will Baptist Church in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Ben Bradford visited his mother, Mrs. Sadie Bradford, of Margaret Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradford spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henderson, of Vernon.

Mrs. Wayne Wheeler was honored with a surprise birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins Friday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and children, all of Thalia; Mr. and Mrs. B. Huntley of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and Reta Sue, the honoree and family. Cakes and Cokes were served.

VIVIAN

MRS. W. O. FISH

Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin spent from Tuesday until Friday of last week in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gauldin of Goodlett spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Felty of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. Berny Fish and family Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Denton and daughter, Fay, of Paducah spent last Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Misses Lula and Deulah Bowley of Crowell visited their brother, Clyde Bowley, and wife last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish Jr. of Paducah spent Saturday night and Sunday of last week with his father, A. T. Fish, and family.

Judy Sandlin spent from Tuesday until Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Owens, of Foard City.

Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert visited Mrs. O. L. Thomas of Ogden Tuesday afternoon.

Allen Fish and B. L. Smith were Fort Worth visitors Monday and Tuesday.

TRUSCOTT

MRS. CLYDE BOWLEY

Harold Fish spent Monday night with I. D. Gilbert Jr. and A. T. Fish Jr. of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley were visitors in the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Y. Downing, of Wichita Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Allen Fish spent Monday and Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton, and family of Paducah.

Mrs. Bert Mathews of Crowell visited her sister, Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family Sunday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. I. D. Gilbert and Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish attended the Ogden Club in the home of Mrs. Walter Holley Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughter, Suzanne, of Vernon spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Fish, and family.

I. D. Gilbert Jr. of Fort Worth spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert, and family.

Mrs. W. O. Fish, John and Bill Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughter, Suzanne, of Vernon Tuesday evening.

Miss Neoma Fish and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert visited Mrs. H. T. Latimer of Paducah Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. J. Benham, Mrs. T. S. Patton and Mrs. Maude Rasberry of Crowell spent Thursday in the home of Mrs. Clyde Bowley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish Jr. are the proud parents of a baby girl born on Saturday, Jan. 14, in the Paducah hospital. A. T. formerly resided in this community.

Mrs. Dave Boren returned to the home of her son, Ernest Boren, and family after visiting her daughter in McKinney.

Weekly Sermon

REST OF SOUL

by Alfred Martin, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

"Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light" (Matthew 11: 28-30).

These words of the Lord Jesus Christ extend a gracious invitation and offer a precious promise.

First, the invitation. Who gives it? None other than the Son of God, who left heaven's glory and became a man among men in order that He might redeem us by shedding His precious blood on the cross. Since it is He who speaks, should we not listen? He will not deceive us. He will not fail us.

To whom is the invitation given? "All ye that labor and are heavy laden." Are we loaded down with

TRAFALGAR

MRS. ALLEN FISH

What is the invitation? "Come unto me." He does not tell us to do some mighty work; He does not ask us to pay some tremendous price; He does not require us to adopt some elaborate ritual. He says merely, "Come unto me."

Christ Himself is the solution to all our problems. If we look for satisfaction in ourselves, to men about us, to religious systems, we shall be disappointed and disillusioned. Christ is the answer.

Second, the promise. "I will give you rest." He will rest us. He will refresh us. "Ye shall find rest unto your souls." Rest of soul—what a necessity; yet comparatively few people find it. When we come to the Lord Jesus Christ in simple faith, taking Him as our Saviour, depending upon Him alone for salvation, trusting His finished redemptive work, then truly we do find this rest which He has promised.

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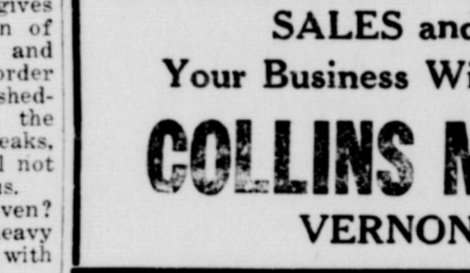
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Miss LaJuan Denton Will Wed Edgar D. Johnson on Jan. 20

Miss LaJuan Denton of Crowell, bride-elect of Edgar D. Johnson of Iowa Park, was named honoree Friday evening at a beautifully planned prenuptial shower. This lovely courtesy was given at the home of Mrs. Donald Short in Wichita Falls with Mrs. Short, Mrs. Wayne Short of Iowa Park and Mrs. Ellis Haganan sharing hostess duties.

Guests calling between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock were greeted by Mrs. J. C. Johnson, mother of the groom-to-be, who introduced the honoree and hostess.

For the occasion the reception suite was attractively decorated with floral arrangements in blue and white, colors chosen by the bride-elect. A large ribbon banner over the mantle was created in the chosen colors and revealed the message, "LaJuan — Abbie, Jan. 20." The bride motifs and colors were used in the appropriately appointed refreshment table decorative scheme.

Mrs. Wayne Short attended the punch bowl and was assisted in serving duties by Mrs. Haganan.

Announcements revealed that the wedding is to be an event of Friday evening, Jan. 20, in the First Baptist Church in Wichita Falls with Dr. James H. Landes, pastor, officiating. Miss Denton

has chosen Mrs. Donald Short as her matron of honor, and Erwin Onstead will serve as best man for the groom.

Miss Denton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake B. Denton of Crowell. She is a graduate of Crowell High School and is now a junior student in Hardin College where she is active in the Home Economics Club projects. Her groom-to-be also attends Hardin College. He is a graduate of Iowa Park High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson of Iowa Park. The young couple plan to make their home in Wichita Falls and continue with their college studies.

Piano Musical Given by Pupils of Mrs. Sam Crews Monday Night

The following musical program was presented Monday evening at the High School auditorium by the piano pupils of Mrs. Sam Crews.

"The Organist" by Karen Davis, "Chop Boogie" by Janis Crowell, "Sunrise in the Valley" by Neida Brooks; a trio, "Pop Goes the Weasel" by Marcia, Frances and Robert Kincaid; "Santa Claus is Coming to Town" by Frances Kincaid.

The second part of the program included "Valse" by Sharon Chatfield; "The Rosary" by Robert Kincaid; "Piano Concerto No. 1,"

a duet by Marcia Kincaid and Bettie Guthrie; "Liebestraum No. 3" by Marcia Kincaid and "Bumble Boogie" by Bettie Guthrie.

VIVIAN H. D. CLUB

"Three ways to be well-dressed" was the subject discussed by Miss Neoma Fish at the Vivian Home Demonstration Club which met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Bowley on Thursday, Jan. 12, in an all-day meeting.

Miss Fish said, "Classic clothes, current high-fashion favorites and highly individualized garments are the three ways in which to be well-dressed. Classic clothes include the shirt waist dress, softly tailored suit, simple tailored hat, spectator pumps and skirts and blouses. These are always fashionable. Current high fashions are more expensive and bought at the beginning of new styles. If these fashions do not become you, do not buy them just to follow a fad. Highly individualized garments are often extreme and high in cost."

"For the current spring season, look for big-sleeved jackets, roomy bloused backs, deeper armholes, large collars, capes and flared boleros. The slim skirt will be more fashionable but there will be plenty of full skirts and skirts will be a little shorter, fourteen to sixteen inches from the floor."

Eight members were present and two guests, Mrs. G. J. Benham and Mrs. T. S. Patton. Mrs. Leslie McAdams was present as a new member.

The club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Fish on Wednesday, Feb. 1, in an all-day meeting. "Ironing the Easy Way" will be the demonstration given by Mrs. Dee Gilbert. Miss Neoma Fish will demonstrate steam ironing. Mrs. Bowley and Mrs. Sandlin gave a demonstration on coat hangers by crocheting around them with heavy cotton or wool thread.

SEW-N-SEW CLUB

The Sew-N-Sew Club of Foard County met on January 12 in the Recreation Room with Mrs. Fred Borchardt and Mrs. Bob Myers as hostesses.

Each member brought a gift for a grab box which was enjoyed by all. The club voted to have a sewing project and each member is to make a wash dress and have the judging at the last meeting in February.

Names were drawn for unknown friends and a 25¢ gift will be brought by each one, once a month, for the next three months.

Delicious refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to Mesdames R. J. Owens, Marlin Thompson, Howard Ferguson, J. C. Rader, W. L. Johnson, Kenneth Halbert, James Sandlin, Junior Chowning, Harry Trawick, John White, Eugene Owens, Glen Shook, Clarence Garrett and the two hostesses.

The next meeting will be on January 26 with Mrs. Howard Ferguson and Mrs. Clarence Garrett as hostesses.

TRUSCOTT H. D. CLUB

Mrs. W. O. Solomon was hostess to the members of the Truscott Home Demonstration Club on Thursday afternoon, January 12.

This was the first meeting of the year and the year books were looked over and hostesses were assigned for the outlined programs.

Mrs. S. O. Turner, outgoing vice chairman, served during the business session and thirteen members answered to roll call. Each member evidenced a renewed interest in club work therefore plans were made for some outstanding work during this year.

Mrs. J. M. Chowning, parliamentarian, asked that each member answer roll call at next meeting with a portion of parliamentary law.

Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting will be on January 26 in the home of Mrs. J. M. Chowning and one of the highlights of the meeting will be the installation of officers for the coming year. All members are urged to be present.

MARGARET W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Margaret Methodist Church met on Monday, Jan. 16, in the home of Mrs. Grover Moore with Mrs. Roy Ayers as leader of the program, on "Take



GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS PCA WEEK — Commemorating the retirement of all government capital in the 36 Productive Credit Associations in Texas, Governor Allan Shivers (seated above) proclaimed the period from January 22-28 as Productive Credit Week. In his proclamation, Governor Shivers

noted that the Texas district was the first of the 12 production credit districts to return all government capital and called upon the people of Texas to "join in the observance of this laudatory achievement on the part of the 33,000 farmer-rancher members of the production credit associations of our state."

My Love." The call to worship was given by Mrs. Silas Moore and a prayer was offered by Mrs. Grover Moore. Mrs. Raymond Bell led the singing of "Take My Life" throughout the program.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to nine members. The new lesson study "Women of the Scripture" will begin Monday, Jan. 23, at 2 p. m. at the church. Everyone is invited to attend the first study of the new book.

JUNIOR COLUMBIAN CLUB

The Sub-Junior Columbian Club met on January 11 in the home of Barbara White. A travel program was led by Genevieve McDaniel.

"Arizona Highways" was reviewed by Sue Meason. Bettie Guthrie played a piano solo. In answer to roll call read by Nova Lou Parks, each one answered with the name of a state flower.

Refreshments were enjoyed by the members and Mrs. M. N. Kenner.

Winter Diseases Are Dangerous to Very Young Children

Austin, Texas—Seasonal health hazards for young children are to be guarded against in the wintertime just as carefully as they are in the summertime in the opinion of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Every mother is familiar with so-called summer complaints which affect small children but certain winter diseases can be just as harmful and are just as likely to make their appearance unless proper precautions are used," Dr. Cox said.

In the group of winter diseases Dr. Cox included influenza, tonsillitis, pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma and even diphtheria when a child has not been immunized. Any such disease affecting a child's respiratory or breathing system is apt to be very serious and only too often fatal. Pneumonia often develops from a neglected cold or may follow a severe case of measles or whooping cough. Bronchitis condition may also prove to be an after effect of these diseases and these respiratory ailments are much more difficult to combat successfully than the digestive ailments which are prevalent in the summertime and known as summer complaints.

"These winter diseases are especially dangerous to babies and very young children," Dr. Cox stated. "Nearly all of them are spread from the secretions of the nose and mouth. Children not in vigorous health are naturally more susceptible to these complaints and the first line of defense against them is to strengthen the child's power of resistance against disease," Dr. Cox advised. "The second step is to keep them under medical supervision and the third is to make sure that they avoid contact with those who have coughs, colds, or fevers."

Women's Group of Christian Church to Meet January 23

The Woman's Missionary Group of the First Christian Church will hold their missionary lesson in a study at the church on Monday, Jan. 23, and Mrs. C. B. Graham will serve as program leader.

The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and all ladies of the church are cordially invited to attend.

The last meeting of the Missionary Group was held on Monday, Jan. 2, in the home of Mrs. M. T. Gray. Mrs. John E. Long was program leader and introduced the book for the study, "The Church of the New Testament." The leader prefaced her study with a devotional on the subject, "The Essence of Christianity."

Mrs. Long was assisted by Mrs. Marion Crowell and Mrs. J. Fred Bayless. Following a short business session a lovely plate of refreshments was served by the hostess.

JAP PRISONERS OF WAR

General Douglas MacArthur has pressed for an independent investigation of the fate of 376,000 Japanese war prisoners still being held by Russia. General MacArthur has requested this government to begin negotiations for an investigation either by a neutral nation or the International Red Cross. All requests to the Russian government have been ignored. Japanese who visited the Russian embassy in Tokyo were denied any information. The belief is that the barbarous, callous, and inhuman treatment of the Russians has resulted in the death of most of these prisoners.

U. S. AID TO RUSSIA

It is reported that the United States aided Russia in her development of the atom bomb. The action is defended by the fact that at the time Russia was our ally against Hitler and we were going all out to provide her with every means of defense within our power. Now that the war has been won and the Hitler danger

is past, we are faced with a danger every bit as disturbing as was Hitler. It is difficult to conceive now any reason that should have helped Russia who turned out to be an even greater potential threat than Hitler was. Mount Ararat, which is depicted in the Bible as the landing place of the Ark, is located in northern part of Armenia.

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