

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Brazil Train Wreck Kills 22



RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL—Twenty-two persons were killed and 55 others seriously injured when several coaches of a jam-packed excursion train jumped the tracks in a mountainous area near Victoria and plunged down a steep ravine.

Deposits in Crowell State Bank Jan. 1 Above Jan. 1, 1950

Individual deposits in the Crowell State Bank at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1950, were \$2,931,421.64, which was \$267,238.09 more than the statement showed at the close of business on December 31, 1949.

Total assets of the bank at the close of business on Dec. 30, 1950, were \$3,068,629.41, and the total assets at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1949, were \$2,787,279.86, an increase of \$281,349.55.

George L. Thompson Dies Wednesday, Jan. 10th, in Abilene

George L. Thompson of Abilene, brother of Mrs. Pearl Carter and of the late Charlie W. Thompson of Crowell, passed away at his home on January 10, following a lengthy illness.

Survivors include his wife and one son, George L. Thompson Jr., and one grandson, George L. Thompson III; the sister, Mrs. Carter, a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held in Abilene on January 11, today, and interment will take place in Abilene.

George Thompson was born in Dallas County on Sept. 24, 1869. He came to this section with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thompson, in 1887. He had large ranching interests in Crockett County and lived in San Angelo for many years. He retired about six years ago and moved to Abilene two years ago.

He was converted and united with the Christian Church. He was a kind-spirited, generous man and had a host of friends.

Eighty-Two Births Recorded During 1950

Eighty-two births were listed in the vital statistics records of Foard County during 1950, according to figures released by Mrs. Fern McKown, county and district clerk. The births exceeded the deaths by 46, as there were 36 deaths recorded.

This does not include children of Foard County people born in hospitals outside the county.

SERVING IN KOREA

Cpl. Billy J. Akers, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Akers of Route 1, Crowell, has recently arrived in Korea and is now serving with the combat echelon of the 27th Fighter-Escort Wing there, according to a news item received from the Public Information Office of that organization, dated Jan. 3.

Pilots of Cpl. Akers' unit, equipped with the hard-striking Republic P-84E Thunderjet fighters, are flying daily combat missions against the Communist aggressors in North Korea, it was stated. The machine gun fire, bombs, rockets and fire bombs directed at the enemy on these missions have resulted in countless destroyed enemy troops, defenses and industrial resources.

AT PUSAN, KOREA

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin have received a letter from their son, Sgt. Paul Gobin, who recently was called back into the service. He arrived at Pusan on Dec. 27. He is in a radio battalion. Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Gobin, Pvt. Marion Gobin, is in San Antonio in the Air Force.

Guy Crews, Roy Barker, Homer Johnson, Ebb Scales, Joe H. Scales and Buster Cates returned Monday from a fishing trip to the Rio Grande River.

Mother Sees Quadruple Amputee



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Mrs. Clara Smith of Middleburg, Pa., is shown at the bedside of her son, Pfc. Robert Smith, 20, the nation's first quadruple amputee of the Korean war, in Walter Reed Hospital. Looking on is Pennsylvania American Legion Commander Joseph McCracken, who escorted Mrs. Smith on Legion-sponsored flight from Middleburg to the capital.

Charlie Thompson Taken by Death Saturday Night

Funeral Services Held Monday at the Methodist Church

Charlie W. Thompson, beloved merchant of Crowell for many years, passed away in the Foard County Hospital on Saturday night, January 6, at 11:40, after an illness of three months.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon, January 8, with Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor, officiating. He was assisted in the services by Rev. Barnard Franklin, pastor of the Crowell Baptist Church. With Mrs. Paul Shirley playing accompaniment, a large choir sang "The Unclouded Day" and "That Will Be Glory for Me." As a special number, Mrs. D. R. Magee and Mrs. Fred Carr sang "The Pearly White City." Mrs. Shirley and Mrs. Allen Sanders played an organ and piano duet.

Pall bearers were N. J. Roberts, H. C. Roark, J. T. Brooks, Roy Fox, Rob Cooper and R. R. Magee. Flower bearers were the members of the Co-Laborers' Sunday School class of which Mrs. Thompson is a member.

Interment was made in the Crowell cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Service.

Charles W. Thompson, familiarly known as Charlie, was born in Denton County on Dec. 9, 1880, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thompson, pioneer residents of this section. The family moved to what is now Foard County in 1887 when Charlie was six years of age. He had resided here since that time.

In the early days, he was employed on the Witherspoon Ranch. He later entered the grocery business and at the time of his death, was in that business with his son-in-law, Crockett C. Fox.

On May 21, 1911, Mr. Thompson was married to Miss Mary Ragland and to them three children were born, all of whom were present.

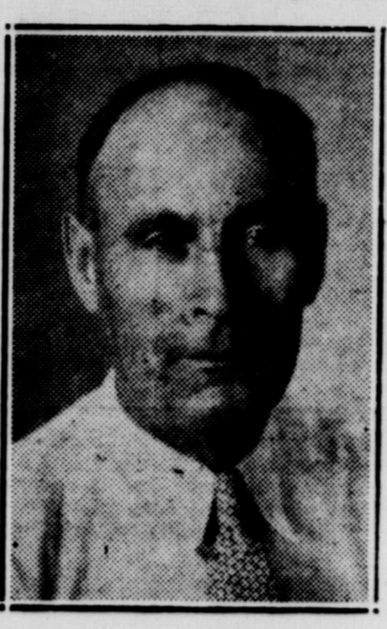
Charlie Thompson was of a rugged, pioneer family, who have had a part in all development of the town and county. He was converted and united with the Baptist Church in Crowell when quite young. He had remained a consistent Christian and exemplified his beliefs in his everyday living. He joined the Methodist Church in 1919 with his wife. He was a loyal member of the choir as well as other activities of the church.

He was noted for his cheerful, optimistic disposition with a kind word of greeting to all. He made friends with whomever he came in contact, was always helpful to the needy and those whom he could help in any way. He will be sorely missed in the home, the church and the entire community. Being a family man, his home and his family came first in his thoughts.

Survivors include his wife, the three children, Miss Mary Ragland Thompson of Commerce, Mrs. Crockett Fox of Crowell and Charlie Thompson Jr. of San Angelo; two grandchildren, Tommy and Sandy Thompson; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Carter of Crowell; a number of nephews and nieces and a large host of friends.

Present for funeral services from out-of-town were George Carter of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter and children, Jan, Sandra and Jonny, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Moore of Pilot Point; Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Pampa; Carroll Thompson of Cleburne; Mrs. Ted Burrow of Lubbock; Mrs. H. W. Cotner and son, Tommy, of Altus, Okla.; Carvel Thompson of Dumas; Mrs. J. H. Cope, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cope and Ross Edwards of Lubbock; Buddy Macafee of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nichols of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Womack of Carrollton; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wells of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thomson of Paducah; Mrs. Louise Fox of Bryan; Jim Roark and Dexter Bevers of the Y Ranch in Cottle County, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grishom of Childress, and many others.

Veteran Groceryman



CHARLIE W. THOMPSON

Governor Will Take Oath of Office for Full Term Jan. 16

Austin — A simple "swearing-in ceremony" here January 16 will start Gov. Allan Shivers on his first full term in the state's highest office.

The Governor will take the oath of office at noon that day on the front steps of the state capitol. It will be administered to both Shivers and Ben Ramsey, Lieutenant-governor elect, by J. E. Hickman, chief justice of the state supreme court. Both Shivers and Ramsey will make brief inaugural addresses.

The only state function to be held in connection with the inauguration is a reception at 7 p. m. in the capitol rotunda, where the public will have a chance to meet Shivers, Ramsey and other state officials.

No inauguration invitations are being sent out, as a result of the Governor's request for a simple ceremony.

Because of the international situation, Governor Shivers asked the Citizens' Inaugural Committee to abandon plans for the usual elaborate festivities normally scheduled for a Governor's inauguration.

"In view of the president's proclamation of a national emergency," Governor Shivers told the committee, "I feel it advisable that the inauguration be limited to a simple oath-taking ceremony. I know that all of you will join with me in the thought that we should devote all of our energy to the solution of the grave problems we now face."

The inaugural committee had made detailed plans for a long parade, a reception, six balls and other pageantry in connection with the inauguration. About 20,000 engraved invitations were to have been sent out.

Thus, for the second time, Shivers will take the governor's oath of office without fanfare. On July 16, 1949, he was sworn in as successor to the late Gov. Beauford Jester. That ceremony took place on the Shivers farm near Woodville.

"The seriousness of our situation," the Governor told the inaugural committee, "is emphasized by the president's action. As we concentrate upon essential elements of an all-out mobilization effort, an elaborate inauguration would be out of place."

Work of Foard County Chamber of Commerce to Be Continued Without Services of Paid Secretary-Manager

At the annual meeting of the Foard County Chamber of Commerce held recently, it was decided to dispense with the services of a paid secretary-manager. President Foster Davis announced the work of the chamber of commerce would be continued through the officers, directors and committeemen. Ted Stafford, secretary-manager since October, 1949, assumed his new duties as manager of the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce on Jan. 1, 1951.

Present plans for operating the chamber of commerce call for a luncheon meeting periodically to discuss and foster projects that are for the betterment of Foard County.

The officers and directors thought it best at this time to give up the lease on the L. D. Fox building and store the equipment, in order to cut expenses. Many worthwhile projects are in the making for the Foard County Chamber of Commerce and most of them will be carried out as the occasion arises.

It is planned to have an annual banquet in the near future to discuss further plans for the chamber and to elect officers for 1951.

Auto Accident Dec. 31 Takes Life of Jim Gamble

Jim A. Gamble of Kermit, who was injured in an automobile accident near his home on Dec. 31, passed away in a Kermit hospital on Wednesday, January 3.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church on Saturday, January 6. Interment was made in the Kermit cemetery.

Mr. Gamble was born in Hamilton County on Feb. 5, 1882. He came to this section with his parents in 1887. He resided here for many years and has lived in Kermit for the past fourteen years.

Survivors include his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Johnny Raines and Mrs. Wayne Adams of Kermit and Mrs. Theresa Johnson of Washington, D. C.; eight grandchildren; four brothers, Pete, Mack and Sim Gamble of Thalia and Rufus Gamble of Oregon, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey of Thalia and Mrs. Mollie Sansbury of Calera, Okla.

Attending the funeral from Thalia were Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble, Pete Gamble, Mrs. Morris McCarty and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble and son, Mike, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble, and Mrs. Zola Greening and Mrs. Willie Garrett and son, Dennis, of Crowell.

"Men in Service" Column to Be Run in Foard Co. News

Due to the large number of the young men of this community who have entered the different branches of service since the start of the Korean war, it has been suggested that the News carry a column telling of the activities of these young men. All parents of these men are urged to bring or send to this office information on their sons in service, such as: when enlisted or inducted, where he received basic training, age, all camps where he has been located, present location, branch of service, rank, previous military service, etc.

With the assistance of the parents, the News will attempt to inform its readers of the location of our many servicemen.

Modern Bassinet Is New Feature of Foard County Hospital

Shiny new and the last word in design is the Simmon's rooming-in bassinet that has been added to the equipment of the Foard County Hospital this past week. In the lower part there is a roomy cabinet with plenty of space for all of the newcomer's clothing and toilet articles. The stand can be anchored to the mother's bed, and is so designed that she can pull the bassinet basket over her bed in order to lift the baby in and out without assistance.

This bassinet is designed to keep mothers and newborn infants together in accordance with the most advanced medical teaching. The only limitation imposed is on the visitors that call on the mother during her hospital stay. They should be restricted to members of the family, and children under fifteen should not be brought into the room at all. It goes without saying that none of the family with head colds, or other infectious conditions, would think of visiting the mother and new baby until they were completely recovered from their illness.

Brother of Local Men Dies in Wylie Jan. 1st

Jesse Callaway, brother of Claude Callaway, Will Callaway and Tom Callaway of Crowell, passed away at his home in Wylie on New Year's Day. Funeral services were held at the Wylie Christian Church on Wednesday, Jan. 3. Attending the funeral from Crowell were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and small son, Leon Callaway, also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Callaway of Sayre, Okla., who joined the Crowell group here.

Survivors include his wife and one son, one grandson, the three brothers of Crowell, one from Sayre, and John Callaway of Wylie.

New Cars Registered Since December 18th

New automobiles registered at the office of J. L. Gobin, tax assessor and collector, since Dec. 18, follow:

Dec. 18, Thos. L. Tamplin, 1951 Ford tudor; Dec. 18, Billy Earl Lynch, 1951 Ford club coupe; Dec. 18, D. D. Gravelly, 1951 Chevrolet sedan; Dec. 19, C. T. Murphy, 1951 Kaiser club coupe; Dec. 22, Merl Kincaid, 1950 Oldsmobile 88 4-door; Dec. 26, Ella Patton, 1950 Plymouth Special Club Coupe.

Dec. 30, Beverly Gray, 1950 Chrysler club coupe; Jan. 1, M. L. Steele, 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 1, Borchardt Chevrolet Co., 1951 Chevrolet sedan; Jan. 2, Ernest Elliott, 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 2, Borchardt Chevrolet Co., 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 4, R. W. Borchardt, 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 5, Noel Chapman, 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 5, Borchardt Chevrolet Co., 1951 Chevrolet 2-door; Jan. 5, R. G. Gribble, 1950 Oldsmobile 4-door.

Elephants, alligators, turtles and poll parrots have an average life span of 100 years or more.

Evacuate Korea Troops



HUNGNUM, KOREA—UN troops are pictured boarding an LST in Hungnam harbor, which evacuated them safely in the face of heavy enemy fire. An army of 105,000 with weapons intact, and 100,000 civilians have been removed from this flaming beach-head.

Crowell High School Basketball Team Wins Over Seymour and Vernon Past Week; Meet Chillicothe Here Friday

Seymour and Vernon were both victims of the Crowell High School basketball team the past week. The Wildcats gave the Panthers a 51 to 20 shellacking at Seymour in a conference game last Friday night and they came out on the long end of a 38 to 31 score here with the Vernon Lions on Tuesday night. The Seymour team presented very poor competition and Coaches Amonett and Erwin used reserves freely in this first conference game of the season. Gordon Wood Bell scored fourteen points in this game. Jon Sanders got hot against the Vernon AA boys here Tuesday night and scored seventeen points. The entire

Crowell team showed more hustle in the Vernon game than it has shown this season. Ramon Towery scored thirteen points for Vernon.

"B" Game

Crowell "B" squad also came through with two victories over Seymour and Vernon with identical scores of 34 to 21. Martin Langham and Ginger Johnson led the way in these victories. Boys representing Crowell in these four game were: Jon Sanders, Roy Whitley, Jim Paul Norman, Clinton Marlow, Gordon Wood Bell, Jim Tom Cates, Billy Marlow, Arthur Lee Marlow, Martin Langham, Charles Wishon, Ginger Johnson, James McBeath, Don Gobin, James Hall and Wannie Hall.

Volley Ball

The Crowell volley ball girls dropped their first conference game of the season at Seymour by the narrow margins of 16 to 14 and 15 to 12. The Crowell girls have split games with the Chillicothe girls and the conference game that is to be played here Friday night should be well matched.

Play Here Friday Night

The Wildcats will be playing their first home conference game of the season here Friday night when the Chillicothe Eagles come to Crowell. Both of next week's games are away from home, at Vernon on Monday night and at Archer City on Friday night.

FINISHES TRAINING

Marine Private First Class Gerald L. Culbertson, son of A. H. Culbertson of Fort Worth, recently completed his initial training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Calif., according to a news release from the Southern Recruiting Division in Dallas.

Upon completion of his training he was promoted to the rank of Private First Class, an honor bestowed upon every Marine who finishes his training with a clean record.

Culbertson has been transferred to a casual platoon where he will soon be assigned to one of the many duty stations where Marines service our country.

Clifford M. Holland engineered the Holland tunnel.

ROTARY CLUB

The Wednesday noon luncheon of the Crowell Rotary Club was held at the Club Cafe, presided over by President Glen Goodwin. The singing was conducted by Vete Yates with Miss Bobbie Abson serving as pianist.

Jon Sanders of Crowell High School attended for the first time as Junior Rotarian for the next three months. Jim Tom Cates finished three months as Junior Rotarian with this meeting.

The new program chairman is Dr. Durwood E. Sanders. He introduced Rotarian George Self, who made his annual forecast for 1951 in an interesting but not too optimistic manner.

Out-of-town visitors were Rotarians Vance Favor and E. R. Blair of Quanah and Rotarian Bud Harvel of Vernon.

St. Peters Cathedral in Rome is the largest in the world.

NEW RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pigg moved to Crowell last Thursday from Thalia and are located in the home they bought from the T. S. Jernigan Estate in the northwest part of town. They had been residents of Thalia for many years.

GARDEN CLUB WILL MEET

The Crowell Garden Club will meet on Friday, January 12, at the Rialto Theatre. Flowers will be on parade, day lilies, irises, peonies and other flowers. Each member is urged to attend and to bring a guest. The meeting will be held at 3 o'clock.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients In:

Glen Doyle Goodwin
L. Kamstra
Mrs. John Leija
Mrs. Harriet Moody
Mrs. Mary Flesher
C. C. Wheeler

Patients Dismissed:

Duke Wallace
Mrs. Duke Wallace
Allie Martin
Thomas S. Black Jr.
Miss Scottie Martin
Mrs. J. H. Barnebee Jr.
William E. Wells
Charlie H. Reynolds
Burl Hall
Crockett Fox Jr.
Charlie McNeese
Mrs. C. C. Fox
Mrs. H. C. Chapman

TRUSCOTT

ELBA JOYCE CADDELL

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Illseng and children of Dallas visited last week with his mother, Mrs. P. G. Illseng, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb and son of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Clark and Charles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bullion and son and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Bullion of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bullion recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Eubank took their baby daughter to Dallas to the hospital for several blood transfusions. She is doing fine now.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning visited their daughter and husband of Berger recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank and their granddaughters, Denise and Mary Margaret, visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McLaughlin and daughter of Carlsbad, N. M., recently.

Mrs. Herman Kinney of Cottonwood spent last week with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaefter.

Pfc. James Casey of Sheppard Air Field of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schaefer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley spent some time in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baker and children and Mrs. Minnie Bumpass of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberson spent last Saturday night in Vera with his mother.

Mrs. Tommy Roach and Bobby Kay of Waco spent a few days last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and Mary C. of Odell visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short of Wichita, Kansas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Solomon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Penhall and Mrs. S. G. McRoberts of Amarillo spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts.

Mrs. C. C. Browning is in the Quanah hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley were visitors in Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caram were in Vernon Monday. They returned home driving a new Chevrolet.

Stan Westbrook came home Saturday from the Knox City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McConnell of Floresville and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens of Margaret spent one week last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins.

Mrs. W. O. Solomon, Mrs. C. M. Guynn and Mrs. W. T. Blevins were in Vernon Thursday.

Mrs. V. W. Browning attended the Parent-Teacher Association convention Austin this week.

Mrs. Bud Myers and sons and George Myers spent Sunday with Mrs. Lula Myers and sons of Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubanks were Quanah visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Markham and children of Stamford visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie Sunday. They all spent Sunday evening in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Olliphant.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bates spent Sunday in Quanah with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Max Burch and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Densel Hord and sons spent Sunday in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hord.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and baby of Vivian spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie. Donna Kaye Haynie returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Killion have moved from our community.

Mrs. Velma Laquey and son of Lubbock attended the funeral of Sherman Cook at Gilliland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and baby of Vivian Monday night.

Mrs. H. T. Cook of Gilliland spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Etta Pogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner of Amarillo are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner. Joe will remain here until he has to report to Dallas to re-enter the Navy. During the last war he served three and one-half years in the Navy.

Charlie McNeese is ill in the Crowell hospital.

Miss Winnie Turner of Amarillo and Pfc. Jim Groves of California, who is stationed at Sheppard Field in Wichita Falls, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner. Pfc. Groves is a buddy of Wayne Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel of Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and sons and Mr. Leon Taylor and George Myers were Vernon visitors this week.

ULCERS IN PIGS

About five out of every hundred hogs that go to market have a special reason for squealing. The reason, it seems, is that they're suffering from ulcers of the stomach. All species of large domestic animals, as well as pets, are susceptible to the type of stomach ulcers that afflict human beings. However, there are fewer cases in farm animals than in people, due to environmental factors and to the apparent ulcer-preventive effect of fresh green feeds.

The greatest number of home accidents—25 per cent—occur in the bedroom, according to a recent National Safety Council study.

Prince Albert introduced the Christmas tree into England.

RIVERSIDE

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Machac spent New Year's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Machac Sr., of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haseloff, of Lockett Sunday night awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole and son, Jerry, went to Dallas last week where Mr. Tole will receive medical aid.

Mrs. Bob Miller and Mrs. Charley Machac spent Monday with Mrs. Willie McWilliams of Crowell.

Mrs. Russell Taylor of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Jessie Miller of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bice of Vernon and Miss Doris Rummel of Vernon spent the week end with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shumate of Amarillo, Mrs. W. B. Huffman of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harris and daughter of Lockett visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs and Veda Sunday.

Bennie Lou Hopkins of A. C. C. Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins. She visited S. L. Ward in the Chillicothe Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and Ward and Mrs. Leon Taylor have been visiting their nephew, S. L. Ward, who is very ill in the Chillicothe hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Woolfe and children of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice Sunday.

Joe Richter and family have moved from the Beazley farm at

Rayland to the Mrs. Mary Richter farm.

Mrs. Bruce Gardner and son, Ray Spruill, of Albuquerque, N. M., are here for an extended visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. John S. Ray, and Mrs. W. A. Mussetter.

Jimmy Hopkins enlisted in the Air Corps and left Friday for San Antonio, by way of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole spent Sunday attending the bedside of their grandson, S. L. Ward, who is very ill in the Chillicothe Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tillery and family of South Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Simmonds of Vernon visited his sister, Mrs. R. G. Whitten, and Mr. Whitten Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charley Gray is in a Wichita Falls hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. Walter Long of Thalia and Mesdames Matthews and Heath of Vernon were visitors in the Cap Adkins home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher were dinner guests of his father, Willie Karcher, and Mrs. Karcher, of Lockett Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. McBeath Sr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath of Thalia visited Grannie Huntley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Matthews and son, Lanny, left Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins and family of Fort Worth.

Mrs. John S. Ray and mother, Mrs. Bruce Gardner, and son of Albuquerque, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts of Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson and Phil spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor.

George Washington owned a set of the third edition of the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

(Answers on page 3)

1. In what sport or game is the tee used?
2. In what body of water is the island of Malta located?
3. In what American city is the area known as the Loop located?
4. What baseball team is known as the Red Birds?
5. In what country is the bagpipe a popular musical instrument?
6. In what American city is the area known as Harlem located?
7. Where is the resort area known as the Riviera located?
8. What is a young whale called?
9. Polio is another name for what malady?
10. What is a female deer called?

PRIMER ON MEAT PRICES

The American National Live Stock Association has published a readable little pamphlet which answers a number of important questions concerning meat that often arise in the minds of consumers, and particularly those who are not familiar with the workings of this complex industry.

One question is, "Does the cattleman fix the prices at which he sells his beef?" The answer is No! Cattle are sold in the open market, the price varying by grade and weight. Many factors influence the price. No one can anticipate in advance what the price will be on any given day. Furthermore, the cattleman can not hold his stock in the hope of a better price. Once an animal reaches top condition, it can become a liability if held. It must be disposed of quickly, regardless of market prices.

Another question is, "Do the meat packers conspire to fix the prices of beef animals and the wholesale price of meats?" Again the answer is No! More than 4000 packers and slaughterers are competing for the available meat supply—and they must also compete

on the other end for the business of retail meat dealers. They deal with a highly perishable product which must be moved at lightening-like speed. Price fixing is impossible.

A third question is, "Does the retail meat dealer fix the prices at which meat is sold to you, the consumer?" Once more the answer is No! He too deals in a perishable produce which must be sold almost at once. And he too is in an intensely competitive business. If his prices are too high, his trade will move on down the street.

Who then, fixes meat prices? The answer is simple. In a free economy, they are fixed by supply and demand. And that makes for the fairest possible price structure for everyone concerned. — Industrial News Review.

KNOWLEDGE PAYS IN SEARCH FOR URANIUM ORE JACKPOT

Samples of uranium — the magic ore of the Atomic Age — are arriving at the U. S. geological survey in cookie jars, candy boxes, perfume bottles and cigar boxes.

At least the senders of these packages hope their offerings are say 20 per cent or more uranium oxide. For there is a thirty-two thousand dollar jackpot, including a ten thousand dollar bonus from the government, at the end of the rainbow for the lucky prospector who can turn up a 20-ton deposit with the required uranium content.

But all is not uranium that registers bonanza hope with the would be fortune hunters. The 300 to 400 samples of rock and sand which the public sends monthly to be tested for fissionable materials in the geological survey's Washington laboratory are mostly "junk," according to John C. Rabbitt, chief of the trace elements

section. Letters accompanying samples often reveal current information.

One farmer wrote that he believed there was uranium on land because he felt badly that the cows were jumpy when started milking.

Another correspondent sent some rocks with the explanation that he had caught the sun on the wall where they lay on his farm. Uranium make the sun act strangely.

Still another had seen a strange blue light one night in a mine on his farm. It was — it must be uranium, he declared.

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(One of a series of articles published in the public interest to explain and illustrate the practice of Scientific Chiropractic, written by DR. JUNE M. COOK, CHIROPRACTOR, whose office is located at 308 East Commerce Street, Crowell, Texas, Telephone 117.)

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FOARD CITY PAULINE WHEELER

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner of Amarillo spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel.

Blake McDaniel and John Wheeler attended the sales barn at Munday last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daniels visited in the home of Mrs. Pearl Doyle and children in Crowell Sunday.

Leta Merl and George Scott, Gaylor Whitley, Joyce and Rudy Hinkle, Katie Sue and Carol Polk, all of Crowell, and H. D. and Rachel Haston of Paducah visited Billie Jean and Robert Love Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Scott of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and children Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel were visitors in Truscott Wednesday.

Gerald Myers of Truscott spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathered and children.

Mrs. Wilson Myers and children of Truscott spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathered while Mr. Myers made a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Tommy Roach and son, Bobby K., of Waco are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner of Truscott and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Turner of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel.

Wanda Myers of Truscott spent the week end with Linda Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Delmar McBeath, and family of Thalia Sunday.

John Wheeler and daughter, Pauline, were visitors in Vernon Sunday. They were accompanied to Vernon by Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Haston of Paducah and Rev. Clark Brown and son, Peddie, of Crowell and Mrs. George Brown, and all attended the singing convention there.

Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children of Thalia visited in the home of her father, Luke Marlow, Friday.

Several people attended the funeral of their friend, Charlie Thompson, at Crowell Monday afternoon.

John Wheeler and daughter, Pauline, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Clark Brown and children of Crowell recently.

Mrs. C. C. Daniel visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clark Brown, and family of Crowell Friday.

Mrs. Roy Ferguson and R. B. Lilly visited Mrs. W. L. Ferguson, who is ill at Crowell, Thursday.

Wilson Myers of Truscott had the misfortune of turning his pickup over in this community near Allison Denton's farm Sunday afternoon. Mr. Myers was the only one in the pickup and he was not hurt. The pickup was battered up pretty badly.

Mrs. Minnie Bumpass of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Baker of Copesville spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathered.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Erwin and children, Ronnie and Connie, of Jacksboro spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, and family.

Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children of Thalia and Mrs. Howard Ferguson left Monday night for San Antonio where they will spend the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McLain and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patton and son, Danny, of Crowell Saturday night.

Otis McLain and Jack Martin of Melissa visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McLain and children and Mr. and Mrs. Grady McLain of Crowell.

Floyd Borchardt Jr. left last week for San Antonio where he entered an Air Force training center.

Mr. and Mrs. George Owens and daughter of Los Angeles, Calif., visited his brother, Clyde Owens, and wife here last week.

Byron Darnell of Decatur spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Traweck. Mrs. Darnell, who has been recuperating after an operation in the home of her parents, and her daughter, Sandra, accompanied Mr. Darnell home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barker and son, Keaton, and Tom Callaway made a business trip to Wichita Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson and Luke Marlow made a business trip to Knox City Monday morning.

Luke Marlow visited in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Delmar McBeath, and family of Thalia Monday afternoon.

Earl Stumer of Medicine Mound and Charlie Hinkle visited Luke Marlow Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Runwell and son, Weldon, of Farwell visited in the home of Mrs. E. V. Halbert recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway and children of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert and children, Bill and Hollis, Sunday afternoon.

MARGARET MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Owens of Knox City visited his mother, Mrs. Valeria Owens, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards Jr. of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ross of Crowell visited

his brother, Clarence Ross, and wife Wednesday.
 T. M. Johnston of Vernon was a Margaret visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Louie Kempf, Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers and daughter, Janie, visited Mrs. Crisp at Childress last Sunday. Mrs. Crisp returned home with them and spent the week here. She also visited old friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins and daughter of Vernon spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ella Ingle.

Rev. Joe Green and family have returned home from Brownwood where they spent the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Thomas (Ham) Tamplen left Tuesday for Dallas where he was inducted into the Navy. He was then sent to Chicago, Ill., to the Great Lakes Naval Base.

Joe Orr and daughter, Miss Audra, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ladd in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude McLaughlin of Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden Sunday afternoon.

Pfc. Jack Murphy, Pfc. Glen Anderson, Pfc. Lyle Meade and Pfc. Fred Johnson from Sheppard Field visited Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tamplen and daughters, Mildred and Virginia, visited relatives near Chillicothe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Painter and daughter of Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hunter spent the week end with Mrs. Abby Rambo and husband and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Hunter in Odessa.

J. W. Bradford from Fort Sill, Okla., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford, and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huskey and daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, Saturday.

Billy Barnett from Sheppard Field spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Cora Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Jackson and daughters visited relatives at Chillicothe Sunday.

Mrs. Dink Russell, Mrs. John L. Hunter and Mrs. Woodrow Evans left Monday for Avery to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Halenack and children visited her mother, Mrs. Amil Kubicek, and sons, Joe and Adolph, in Rayland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford and daughter, Glenda Sue, and Alton Bailey of Vernon and Sandra Custer of Rayland visited Mrs. Sudie Bradford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley and family of Iowa Park visited Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor Sunday.

H. D. Club meets with Mrs. Arthur Bell Friday, January 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kubicek and Mrs. Lonnie Halenack and daughter, Barbara Ann, and son, Thomas Ray, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kubicek and son, Amil, in Electra Saturday.

Ben Bradford and Jimmy Hopkins of Thalia spent Monday night

VIVIAN MRS. W. O. FISH

Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish Jr. and daughter, Darlene, of Paducah visited his father, A. T. Fish, and family Sunday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son, Danny, and Mrs. A. L. Walling spent Wednesday with Mrs. M. C. Gaudin of Vernon.

Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish visited the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Fillingim in the Paducah hospital Sunday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, Miss Bernita Fish and Herbert Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and family of Anson Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Fields and daughter, Melba, of Chalk visited A. T. Fish and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton, and family of Paducah.

A. T. Fish and daughters, Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish, were Vernon visitors Saturday.

The ocean is 1.7 feet higher on the Pacific coast than on the Atlantic coast.

with his mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Connell and son, Mike, of Lubbock spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack.

Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Halenack Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford and daughter of Lubbock visited relatives here last week end.

Sgt. James Ross of San Antonio visited relatives here Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Meggs and Dorothy and Theresa Halenack of Rayland were visitors in the Frank Halenack and Mrs. Sudie Bradford homes Sunday afternoon.

Dr. J. H. Barnebee Jr. was called to see J. H. Taylor Saturday night.

Rev. E. R. McGregor has resigned as pastor of the Methodist Church here and has accepted the pastorate of the church at Booker and is leaving this week for that place.

ANSWERS (Questions on page 2)

1. Golf.
2. The Mediterranean.
3. Chicago.
4. The Columbus, Ohio, team.
5. In Scotland.
6. New York.
7. In southern France.
8. A calf.
9. Infantile Paralysis.
10. A doe.

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How deeply does water seep into the ocean bottom? A great deal of the ocean floor is covered with sediments, of sand or mud, ranging from a few feet to many thousands of feet in thickness. The spaces between the individual grains are filled with sea water which was trapped when the sediments were deposited. Subsequent biological and chemical activity may often have modified such water so that it differs from that in the ocean above. Where there is no sediment, as on the edges of continental shelves and isolated banks and ridges, the sea bottom may consist of solid rock. Here the penetration of the water may vary from a fraction of an inch to several feet, depending on the porosity and permeability of the rock.

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For the lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.—Revelation 7:17.

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GEORGE AND ED

We frequently hear it said that the dollar is worth only fifty cents today when it comes to purchasing power as a result of inflation. Before we get to feeling too badly about this, it might be well to remember that we only work half as long for a dollar as we did when the dollar was worth a hundred cents. We should know that there is no way of beating the economic law of values. We can't get two dollars for wheat and a dollar and a half for corn and twenty dollars a hundred for hogs and two dollars an hour for labor and expect prices to remain the same. That would be contrary to a natural law. When the prices of farm products advance and the prices of labor advance, the cost of everything else is going to advance. The price change, but the ratio does not change. Regardless of price schedules it requires about so many hours of wheat and corn, and so many hundred pounds of beef or pork to buy a given article. This, regardless of the unit price of these items. Inflation affects the price we pay or the price we receive, but it doesn't affect basic values. If you want to know the basic value of an item divide the price by two and in some instances three. Under inflation we get to handle more money, but it takes correspondingly more of it to do business.

There are two sides to this inflation threat. It is true that the dollar has depreciated to the point that it is worth only about fifty cents, when it comes to purchasing power. It is also true that every employed person is receiving twice the wages that were paid in normal times when the dollar was really worth a dollar. It is also true that one of these fifty cent dollars will pay a whole dollar's worth of debts. This is the best time that we have seen for many years to pay off debts.

In Connecticut 9 per cent of all the money derived from liquor taxes is put into a fund to rehabilitate alcoholics. The cost of treating patients is about \$70 each. Last year the state allocated \$225,000 a year to the program. Recently a 50-bed hospital exclusively for the use of alcoholics was opened in New Haven.

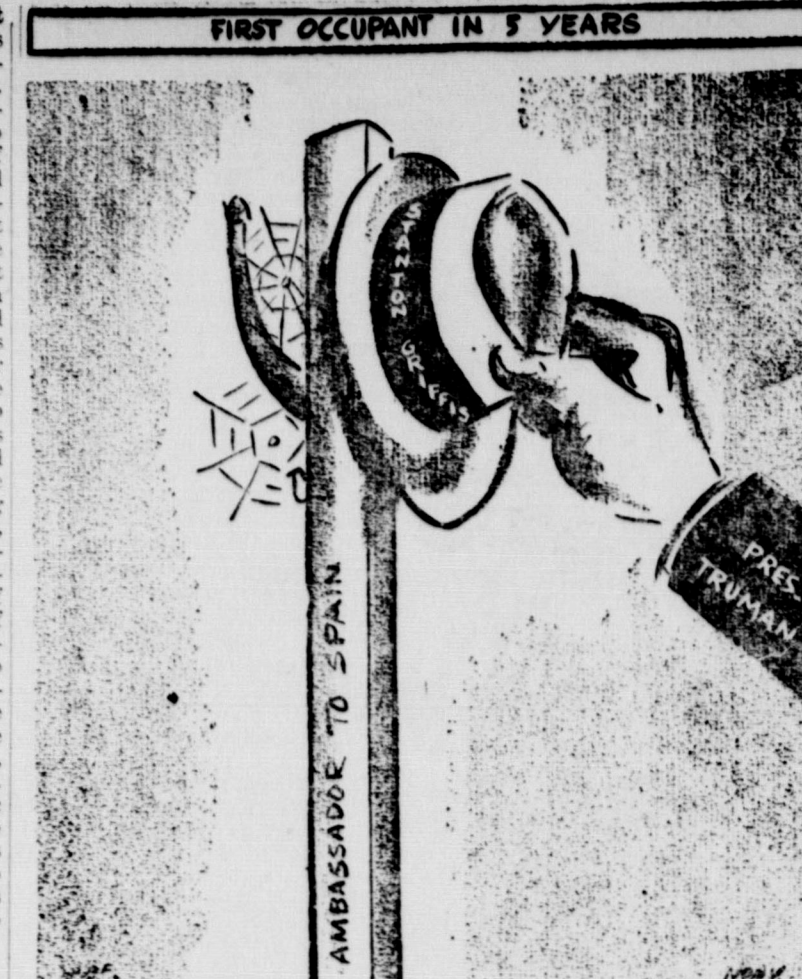
This thing we've noticed: the young men who served in the past wars in which this country has been engaged are the strongest exponents of a preparedness program. We never talked to one of them, no matter what he had been through who was a pacifist or who believed that a program of pacifism and no-preparedness was desirable on the part of this country, or that Communism should be appeased.

The government has published a booklet on what to do in the event of an atomic bomb attack both before and after the attack. The booklet is written in simple language and explains clearly what to do for one's protection. The booklet title, "Survival Under Atomic Attack." The price is ten cents a copy from the Superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D. C.

Whether he likes to think about it or not, the day will come to every man when he will be referred to as, "the remains."

If we could see ourselves as others see us we would look a good deal more miserable and discouraged than we do.

With black pepper selling at four dollars a pound, and coffee at eighty cents, the fear that buyers will resort to hoarding these items seems negligible.



In The News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Jan. 14, 1921:

Two hundred and twenty-one births and 43 deaths is the record for Foard County during 1920. This report does not include Thalia, the record not being available.

A change in the weather has brought a splendid season in the form of a light snow, which will be of great benefit to the wheat crop.

Adcock-Matthews Grocery broke its own record Saturday when it bought 150 dozen eggs from the farmers of the county.

J. Y. Welch and S. H. Ross have bought the interest of D. R. and L. H. Smith in the grocery store operated by the Industrial Transportation Co., and will assume management next week.

Miss Flora E. Goodwin, home demonstration agent for Foard County, is pleased with the way her work has started off.

Individual deposits in the First State Bank on Dec. 29, 1920, were \$293,557.45, according to the official statement. M. L. Hughston is active vice president and S. T. Crews is cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dunagan returned Saturday from a visit with Mrs. Dunagan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryson, in Snyder, Okla.

Mrs. Allen Fish and children and Mrs. S. S. Skidmore and little son of the Vivian community were shopping in Crowell Monday.

Mrs. C. R. Ferguson returned last week from an extended stay in Houston on account of the serious illness of her sister.

H. E. Ferguson left Monday for Lubbock to attend the big sale of the Panhandle Swine Breeder's Association.

John Shirley and wife were over from Roaring Springs last week visiting relatives and friends.

The late Will Rogers often said he never knew a man he didn't like. It should be remembered, an exchange points out, that both King Farouk of Egypt and Jacob Malik were after his time.

The best definition for a foreign policy we have seen: An administration's foreign policy is something the opposition party believes we do not have.

EVERY MAN'S BATTLE

John T. Flynn, the author of the best-seller, "The Road Ahead—America's Creeping Revolution," which was a staggering revelation of the strides socialism has been making in this country, recently addressed the Association of American Physicians and Surgeons. He spoke of the menace of socialized medicine. And then he said this:

"The point I want to stress is that this is not just a fight for socialized medicine . . . The field of medicine is just one battlefield in a general war . . . The war is upon our whole economic and social system . . . There is another battlefield in this same war—to socialize the power industry . . . There is another one in agriculture, under the incredible terms of the administration-backed Brannan Plan . . . There is still another battleground in the field of industry where through the administration-backed Spence bill they propose to make the first dangerous steps in government-owned and government-planned industrial plants . . . There is still another in the field of credit . . ."

"The Federal government is now planning to get its hooks into the schools by gradually invading them by means of tax grants . . . Unfortunately, each of these battlefields is more or less neglected save by the group which happens to be involved in any given attack. What I want to impress on you is that each of these battles is every man's battle . . ."

"The doctor, the educator, the free workingman, the banker, the farm, the manufacturer, the free citizen must each of them realize that no more battles can be lost and that wherever the attack is pressed all must fly to the defense."

That is one of the best and clearest statements on American socialism that anyone has yet made. There are no isolated skirmishes in this ideological war. Each is part of the whole—and the whole is found in the clear intent to socialize and regiment all the resources and energies of the nation. The emphasis may periodically shift from one place to another, but the purpose is never forgotten. And all who believe in freedom and justice must join in the defense if socialist strategy is to be exposed and defeated. —Industrial News Review.

REALLY VERSATILE

Take a guess at the number of chemical products which have their origin in coal.

Unless you're well informed as to this versatile natural resource, your guess won't be within shooting distance of the right figure. The number of products actually is in excess of 200,000—ranging from materials such as nylons and the plastics, to medicines such as novocaine and the fabulous sulfa drugs.

Coal derivatives are used by every person in this country. Thus coal makes a very direct contribution to our living standards, whether we ever burn a piece of it in its original state or not.

Of much greater importance at this time is the fact that coal is one measure of our war potential. Recent studies indicate, for instance, that the Soviet Union is far below us in its ability to produce steel. And the reason for that is insufficient coal. Our enormous steel production is made possible because the coal industry can supply the steel makers with all the coal they can use—and is ready to step up production almost overnight if that is needed. The strength and security of any country is largely decided by

PRICES AND INCOMES

It is only human nature for consumers to look back on "the good old days" when the cost of living was far lower than it is now, and when, for example, first-class steaks sold for twenty-five cents a pound or some such attractive figure. But when we mentally compare one era with another, it is also human nature for us to forget certain highly important facts which make all the difference.

An interesting illustration of this is found in a tabulation, made up of official figures issued by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, which shows how much the average person spent for meat in every year from 1913 through 1949, and what proportion of his disposable income the cost of meat represented. In 1913, the per capita meat bill came to \$23.10, while in 1949 it was \$70.70. That's obviously a whale of a difference—but there was also a whale of a difference in per capita income between those two far-spaced years. Actually, in 1913, meat took more of the disposable income than it did last year—6.6 per cent as against 5.5 per cent.

Moreover, the percentage of disposable income accounted for by meat changed very little over that 1913-1949 period. In most of the years, it ran between five and six per cent. And that's where it still is.

What this all adds up to is that the price of anything is meaningless unless the purchasing power of the consumer—in other words, his income—is brought into the comparison. That's true of meat and all other commodities. When everyone—including the farmer, the worker, and the consumer—is making more money, and the cost of carrying on business rises accordingly, prices are naturally higher. But we'll usually find that our incomes will buy as much or more than in former times.—Industrial News Review.

APPREHENSION MAY CAUSE MOTION SICKNESS

Few persons suffer from motion sickness, but those who do find only misery in travel.

Alcohol taken before a trip disposes one toward motion sickness in any of its forms. People who think they will not be sick if they have empty stomachs when embarking on a flight, a rail trip, an automobile jaunt or a steamship voyage use false logic, he says. A light meal of easily digestible food is preferable to no food at all.

Motion sickness is the general term for the nausea that afflicts some travelers no matter what kind of transportation they use. It goes under the name of air sickness for air travelers and sea sickness for steamship passengers and various terms for other modes of locomotion. But it is all the same thing.

The cause of motion sickness, like the cause of the common cold, has never been pinned down to an ultimate source. Some authorities believe motion sickness results from a confusion between the eyes and the body's stabilization mechanism. Others believe that abnormal motion, such as the swaying of an automobile or the pitching of a ship at sea, affects the organs of balance.

There is no question that apprehension plays a large part in many cases. But one's physical condition is perhaps more important at any given time. Alcohol, greasy foods, apprehension and morbid physical condition predispose the traveler toward illness.

HOW TO CHECK STRENGTH, QUALITY OF TURKISH TOWEL

Samson's strength was in his hair; that's a well-known fact. Unlike Samson, the strength of a Turkish towel is in the backbone or ground weave of the towel. That's something many women don't know.

Women with no knowledge of this hidden towel strength fail to examine the fabric underneath the loops of a terry towel which makes up the ground weave or underweave. Yet, it is this ground or underweave which best indicates how well the towel will wear.

What this underweave does is to hold the towel loops in place, take the strain of pulling which accompanies towel use, and act in the capacity of a sponge in absorbing water from the surface loops. Only an underweave which is firm to the touch, closely and tightly woven, will impart strength to a Turkish towel and hold the loops securely.

the productiveness and vigor of its coal industry. — Industrial News Review.



Distinctive new styling of both front and rear of the new 1951 Fords is shown in this photo of the Convertible and the Custom Club Coupe. The dual-spinner grille and longer, wrap-around bumpers give the front end a wider, more massive appearance and additional chrome and wider tail lights add to the rear end appearance. The 1951 models feature Fordomatic Drive, the new automatic transmission, as optional equipment.

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"Gang rule" is never stronger than in childhood. The wise parent who wants to combat an undesirable group influence on his child can use this very strength of the "gang" to his own advantage. His job is to redirect the interests of the entire group into wholesome channels, rather than to forbid his child to play with others. In doing so, he achieves a lasting victory, and one of community benefit.

AGILE WIRE WORKERS

In 1874 boy tree climbers were employed to carry strands of wire to treetops at America's first barbed wire factory in DeKalb, Illinois. They strung barbs on each strand which workmen on the ground later clamped in place.

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Passenger cars range in length from about 60 feet to 88 feet, average length being approximately 72 feet, outside over-all measurements. Most of the newer passenger cars are 85 feet in length.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF
Crowell State Bank
of Crowell, Texas

at the close of business Dec. 30, 1950, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,144,896.24
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	582,846.89
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	22,006.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and Discounts (including \$6,573.88 overdrafts)	\$1,307,180.28
Bank premises owned \$3,700.00, furniture and fixtures \$5,000.00	8,700.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,068,629.41

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,715,106.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	35,344.88
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	180,970.70
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	None
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,931,421.64
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$2,931,421.64

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital *	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	37,207.70
Total Capital Accounts	137,207.70
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$3,068,629.41

* This bank's capital consists of: First preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, Second preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, Capital notes and debentures \$ none, Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$174,500.00
Obligations subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors, not included in liabilities None
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of None

I, LEE BLACK, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LEE BLACK.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
J. M. HILL,
R. L. KINCAID,
MERL KINCAID,
Directors.

State of Texas, County of Foard, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1951.

J. M. HILL, JR.
Notary Public

PERSONALS

For hospitalization, see Bill Carter.

Earl Steele of Dallas is here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Franks of Meadow were holiday guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Magee.

I am buying hatching eggs on Saturday, January 13. Heavy breeds preferable. — Moyer Produce.

Mrs. Wayne Cobb and little daughter, Sallye Mae, of Vernon are visiting this week in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb.

Just received — New Norge 15-cu. ft. home freezer, holds 525 lbs. meat. — Hays - McLain Farm Eqpt. 25-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Palmer and son, Col. Ivan Palmer, of Dallas recently visited in the home of Mrs. Palmer's brother, Claude Callaway, and Mrs. Callaway.

Plenty of money to loan on farms and ranches. Liberal prepayment privileges. No charge for inspection. See us.—Roberts-Beverly Abst. Co.

Mrs. J. H. Shults spent the Christmas holidays in Oklahoma City, Okla., visiting her sons, Glynn and Garland, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Magee spent Sunday visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Jim Franks, and husband in Meadow. They also visited in Lubbock.

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Mrs. T. M. Beverly of McKinney is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston, and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of the Vivian community were honored with a Christmas dinner at the home of their oldest daughter, Mrs. E. L. Thomas, and family near Floydada on Christmas Day. All of Mr. and Mrs. Evans' four daughters and their husbands and their four sons and their wives, and ten grandchildren, a total of twenty-eight, were present for the occasion.

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For hospitalization, see Bill Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stripling of Lubbock visited during the holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seale.

Buy your Servel gas refrigerator now at Womack's.

Rev. and Mrs. Ed Tharp of Lubbock are visiting in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Magee.

B. B. air rifle shots at Womack's.

Guests in the Claude Callaway home during the holidays included Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Fuller and three sons of Sherman.

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E. W. Kidd Jr. returned to his work in Midwestern University at Wichita Falls last week after spending the holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Stevens and daughter, Claudette, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bolin of Clarksville visited in the home of Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway, last week.

See the Zenith radio phonograph Cobramatic changer at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Webster and daughter, Toni, of Alta, Calif., spent two weeks here during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Webster. They left for their home on January 1.

Samson luggage in four colors and in all patterns at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stark and daughter, Sandra, of Sand Springs, Okla., visited during the Christmas holidays in the home of Mrs. Hunt's father, G. A. Mitchell, and Mrs. Stark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter.

South Bend six-mallet croquet sets at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kidd attended the funeral of Dee Lightsey of Chillicothe, who died on New Year's Day after a lengthy illness. Mr. Lightsey was the brother of Mrs. J. J. Kemp, who is well-known in Crowell. Other survivors are his mother and another sister.

Lane Cedar Chests in walnut and limed finish at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Callaway returned Saturday from McKinney where Mr. Callaway submitted to the removal of the cast from his leg and also the removal of a screw from his knee which became necessary when he broke his leg at the knee while on a hunting trip in Wylie several months ago. It will be necessary for him to use crutches for walking for some time yet.

Martin Kamstra of McCamey is here on account of the illness of his father, L. Kamstra, who is in the Foard County Hospital.

Henry G. Hays Jr. is visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hallford, in Amarillo.

For hospitalization, see Bill Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitaker and Mrs. John Teague and children, Henry, Arleta and Linda, attended a birthday dinner for Mrs. Kamstra and Wayne Cobb of Vernon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague in the Five-in-One community in Wilbarger County last Sunday.

Dedication of Perkins School of Theology at SMU to be Held Feb. 8

Dallas, Texas — Dedication of the seven-building, \$3,500,000 Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University will be held Feb. 8, climaxing Ministers' Week scheduled to begin Feb. 5.

At the same time the first official homecoming for alumni and ex-students of the Perkins school will bring to the campus hundreds of ministers in the Southwest.

The dedication ceremonies will mark the first time that an entire separate plant for a theology school has been constructed at one time, SMU officials believe.

A record attendance of Methodist churches from all over the U. S. is expected for the occasion.

Dean Eugene B. Hawk has announced these speakers for Ministers' Week: Dr. Nels F. S. Ferrel of the School of Religion at Vanderbilt University, to deliver the Fonden Lectures on Missions; Dr. Harold A. Bosley, First Methodist Church, Evanston, Ill., for the Peyton Lectures on Preaching; Dean Clarence T. Craig, Drew Theological Seminary, giving the Jackson Lectures on the Bible.

The Fonden Lectures on Missions were established by the late W. W. Fonden of Houston. The lectureship on Preaching was set up by Mrs. George L. Peyton of Mexia. The Jackson Bible lectureship was founded as a memorial to their parents by the six children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Jackson of Palestine; Ben D. and Rev. Mims J. of Beaumont, Mrs. Margaret Sue Hodges and Mrs. Lizzie Davenport of Palestine and the late Sam J. and R. J.

The school is named for Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Perkins, Wichita Falls, who made the new quadrangle possible. The Bridwell Library was given by Mr. J. S. Bridwell and daughter, Margaret, of Wichita Falls; the classroom building is named for Mr. and Mrs. Harper Kirby who donated the original home of the theology school.

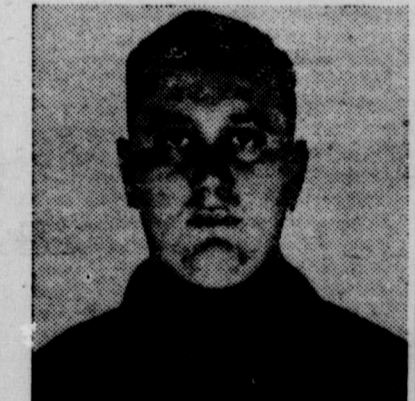
Four dormitory and apartment buildings are named for Bishop Paul E. Martin, Little Rock, Ark.; Bishop A. Frank Smith, Houston, chairman of the Board of Trustees; Dean Hawk and the late S. B. Perkins, brother of Mr. Perkins of Wichita Falls.

Manager of Panhandle-Plains Branch WTCC to Resign February 1

Abilene (Spl.), January 11—Raymond Lee Johns has resigned from the position of manager of the Panhandle-Plains Branch of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, effective February 1. He has held the position one year and has maintained offices in Plainview, serving some 40 counties in northwest Texas. No successor to the post has been named.

Johns will become actively associated as President and Publisher of "Southwestern Crop and Stock," farm and ranch magazine published in Lubbock. He has been part owner of this firm since 1946. Besides his Lubbock interest he will look after farming interests in Lynn and Hale counties

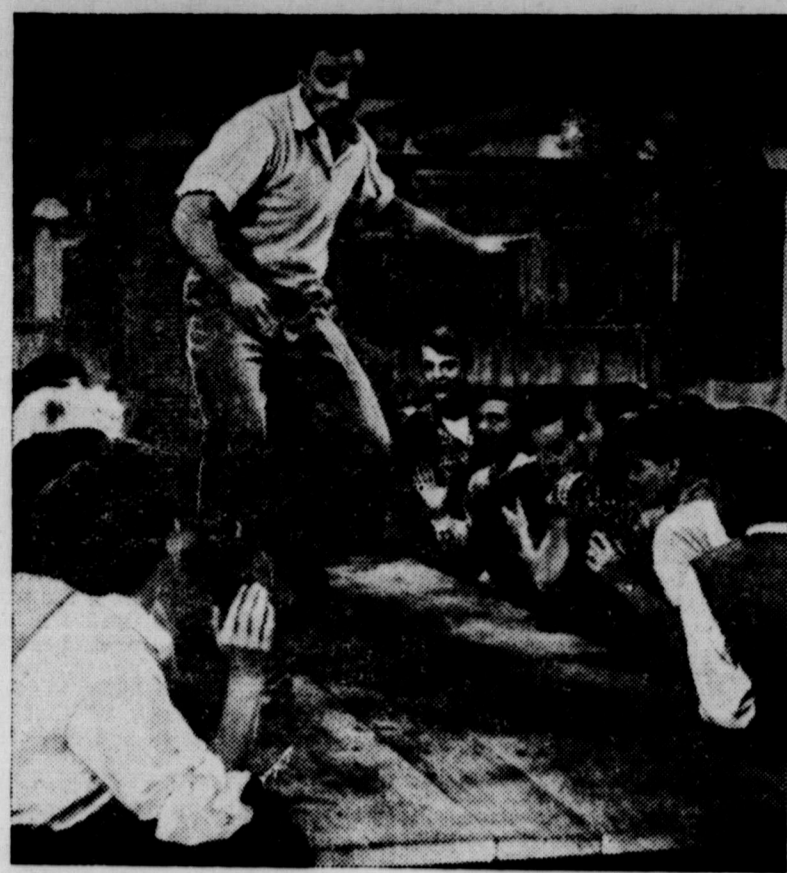
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INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF STOLEN PROPERTY
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DESCRIPTION
Age 25, born March 29, 1925, Knoxville, Tenn. (not verified); height, 6' 3"; weight, 240 pounds; build, heavy; hair, brown, receding; eyes, brown; complexion, ruddy; race, white; nationality, American; occupations, grocery clerk, supply clerk, carnival worker; characteristics, round face, thick lips, habit of twisting key chain and shuffling



Gene Kelly, who can dance anytime, any place, anyhow, chooses the top of an old-fashioned farm kitchen table for an unusual routine in "Summer Stock," M-G-M's happy new Technicolor musical, at the Rialto Theatre, January 14 and 15. Judy Garland plays a farm gal who becomes an actress in the melodic offering, with other top roles played by Eddie Bracken, Gloria De Haven, Marjorie Main and Phil Silvers.

and Chinchilla ranching in Plainview.

While associated with the West Texas Chamber, Johns served five months as Acting General Manager, immediately following the resignation of the former General Manager in July of last year.

Johns is a graduate of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, of year 1938 with a degree in Journalism. He is a past president of the Texas Tech Alumni and Ex-Students Association and of the Tech Press Association.

Named manager of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and Board of City Development in 1938, Johns has served as a professional chamber manager in Texas, his native state, more than 12 years. He held positions with the Lamesa and Plainview civic organizations before going with the West Texas Chamber in early 1950. While in that profession he served as president of the South Plains Secretary's Association, was manager of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show at Plainview five years, served one year as president of the Chamber of Commerce Managers' Association of West Texas, and was awarded the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce gold key as Plainview's outstanding young man of 1947. He has maintained membership in several state and national chamber of commerce organizations and served in 1949 as an instructor during the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce Institute in Dallas. He is a graduate of that school. He has appeared on several regional and state chamber of commerce convention programs and in 1949 authored a training pamphlet for use by the Texas Association of Fairs and Expositions. He is a past director of that organization.

For three years Johns served as secretary-treasurer of the Hale County Water Users and Conservation Association. He served as a director of the Plainview Rotary Club and as secretary of the Slaton Rotary Club while there. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and of the Methodist Church, having served the latter in Plainview four years as Secretary of the Board of Stewards.

A veteran of World War II, Johns served three and one-half years in the Army Air Corps in Texas, Oklahoma, South Carolina and Indiana. "Who's Who in the South and Southwest" honored the 35-year-old publisher with a biographical sketch in its 1950 edition. Johns recently purchased a home in Lubbock where he will reside with his wife and one child, Jo Anna, aged two. He is the son of W. L. Johns, Slaton dairy farmer and business man.

Chrysler Shipments Set All-Time High

Chrysler Division, Chrysler Corporation, set an all-time high for domestic shipments in the calendar year of 1950 with 164,730 cars bearing that name leaving the factory. This exceeds by 26,440, or 19.19 per cent, the previous peak of 138,290 achieved in 1941. It is 27,815 units, or 20.3 per cent higher than the mark for 1949, the best previous postwar year.

In addition to the growing popularity of the complete line, production was stimulated in June by the introduction of the Imperial model, a car that offers all the luxury of the Crown Imperial on a shorter wheel base. This newcomer to the line met with enthusiastic acceptance from the public and Chrysler Division dealers and although it was in production only six months, its sales were close to the 11,000 mark.

While the heaviest volume of production remained in the Royal and Windsor lines, which are the two lowest priced lines that Chrysler offers, the increased number of new Yorkers, Imperials and

CAUTION

Leak is armed and dangerous.

A complaint filed before a U. S. Commissioner at Tampa, Fla., on April 24, 1950, charges Leak with violating title 18, U. S. Code, Section 912, the Federal Impersonation statute. In addition, Federal warrants are outstanding at Phoenix, Ariz., Austin, Tex., Texarkana, Tex., Fresno, Calif., Harrisonburg, Va., Salisbury, Md., and Missoula, Mont.

Any person having information which may assist in locating this individual is requested to immediately notify the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C., or the Special Agent in Charge of the division of the Federal Bureau of Investigation listed on the first page of your telephone directory.

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For the tender thoughtfulness, the beautiful flowers, the ministry to our physical needs, we want to say a heartfelt and grateful "Thank you." To the doctor and nurses at the hospital who were so faithful to our loved one, "thank you." Also we want to thank the preachers for their goodness to us in our time of grief and sorrow. God bless every friend of Charlie's.
Mrs. Charlie Thompson and family,
Mrs. Pearl Carter and family.

APPRECIATION
The colored people of Crowell are taking this method of thanking the Lions Club, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sandifer and other white friends for the gifts they gave them for Christmas. They were appreciated to the very highest extent.

DIESELS ON ORDER
From October 1, 1949, to June 1, 1950, Class 1 railroads placed orders for 1,566 new diesel locomotives.

MARCH OF DIMES
FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS
JANUARY 15-31

To my friends in Crowell, Foard County and far-away places: I take this means of thanking each and every one who ministered to me in any way while I was in the hospital. To all who sent cards, flowers, or lovely food, to those who visited me, I thank you. The memory of it will linger long in my heart. I trust that you and yours will enjoy many blessings during the coming year.
Sincerely, Your Friend,
Agnes McLaughlin.

Crown Imperials ordered by dealers showed a definite trend toward the larger and more luxurious models, with 24.9 per cent of total production in these classes. Prestomatic Fluid Drive, which was standard on the entire line except the Royal, in which it was listed as special equipment at extra cost, was installed in 98.1 per cent of production as against 1.9 per cent with the conventional gear shift transmission, which was available on the Royal only.

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- Pencils
- Rubber Bands
- Index Tabs (All Kinds)
- Listo Marking Pencils and Listo Leads
- Pocket-Size Notebooks (Plenty of Refills)
- Manila File Folders Letter and Legal Size
- Wire File Baskets
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- Ledger Binders
- Large Manila Envelopes
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CHARACTER

There is a quotation that goes something like this: "Make you the world a bit more beautiful and better because you have been in it." These words are inscribed at the base of the Singing Tower in Florida.

People often have the feeling that they are not doing their part to ease the heartache and suffering of those about them. Being very young and not really very wise, they sometimes forget that there is more in the world than their small, everyday duties and pleasures. They tend to ignore, through their ignorance, the suffering and unhappiness that war has left in its wake, and cling

only to those safe, commonplace ideals they feel to be quite secure. There are many people alike. They are selfish and neglect the little kind things that would ease the burden of others.

"Make you the world a bit more beautiful and better because you have been in it." The key to character lies in those words. To live to better the world, one must have love and sincere kindness in his heart. If a man has love for his country, and love for his fellowman, he will automatically possess the necessary elements of good character. He will have courage to do what he believes is right for the good of all; he will be loyal to his country and to his ideals; he will respect authority; he will be tolerant of his fellowman; he will be honest in himself and in our country's leaders; he will be religious as well as unselfish.

If people would do all this, they would truly possess character.

GRAVES ATTENDS MID-WINTER CONFERENCE ON EDUCATION IN AUSTIN

Supt. Grady Graves, along with 500 other superintendents and board members, attended the 1950-51 Mid-Winter Conference on Education held in Austin on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Eight problems in education were studied by the group. These problems were presented to the State Legislature which is now in session. These problems were as follows: A transportation system for Texas, a system of records, reports and audits, small high schools, certification, teacher education, curriculum development services, a state plan for vocational education, and foundation progress special services.

The headquarters for the conference was Hotel Stephen F. Austin. The general sessions were held in Paramount Theater.

The conferees met in general sessions in the morning. In the afternoon groups were formed to study the eight problems on education.

On Saturday morning, R. B. Anderson, chairman of the State Board of Education, was the principal speaker. A summary was given of the accomplishments of the group meetings on Saturday afternoon, and the conference adjourned.

MEDITATION

The New Year is two weeks old. The month of January is well on its way. By some, New Year's

resolutions have already been broken. Thoughts of dreaded midterm exams already trouble others.

But in a more abstract frame of thought, there is the thought of the two-headed Roman God, Janus, one head looking forward, the other backward. January was obviously named in this manner, for in January we look forward to a New Year, but yet back at the preceding one.

What do you hope to gain from the New Year? Is it going to be time well spent? Will every hour in every day be packed with worth while things to do? Will each day be packed with something in your life and personality that wasn't there before? Life is too short, too wonderful, too much worth living to allow it to slip uselessly away.

Or will you look back and find, regretfully, that time, like sand, has slipped through your fingers and that you have nothing to show for those precious lost moments?

What will you gain in the coming year?

CORRECTION

Last week through error the Wildcat failed to give credit for our excellent editorial, "Americanism" to the McMurry "War-whoop."

IN MEMORIAM

The faculty and students of our school express their most sincere sympathy to Miss Mary Ragland Thompson, ex-teacher of CHS, and the entire Thompson family for the loss of their father and husband.

We regret the passing of a good citizen who always spread cheer and good will to all with whom he came in contact.

SNOOPING AROUND THE SENIORS

How would you like to wake up in the hospital and have a little blue-eyed blond holding your hand? (Of course she would only be taking your pulse). Such a girl is one of our students at CHS whose ambition is to be a nurse.

A decade and six years ago, this senior was born in Crowell. At the age of four her family moved to Truscott where she attended elementary school. Since 1947 she has favored CHS with her presence. This year she is co-editor of the annual and a reporter on the Wildcat Staff. At Truscott she is a member of the Sub-Deb Club.

A few favorites of this favorite are french fries with catsup, books, and the music of Ralph Flannigan. "Tennessee Waltz" is at the top of her hit parade while biology is her most interesting school subject. She has no special boyfriend, but just "likes them all."

After graduation from CHS, she plans to attend St. Anthony's School for Nurses at Amarillo. Because she is considerate, fun, and a "game" girl with initiative, we think she will be a great success.

Boys, don't get ideas about banging your head against a brick wall just so you have a free ride to the hospital. We can't blame you, however, for who wouldn't enjoy having Pat Owens for his nurse?

SNOOPIN' AROUND THE SENIORS

Who is that little man that spreads joy all over CHS? Is it Santa Claus? Is it the Easter Bunny, or maybe Bob Hope? No, it's Don Reynolds—that guy who is always ready with a giggle.

The only definite thing we found out about Don while interviewing him was that he can make more wisecracks in three minutes than ordinary people can make in three years. This six foot two, blue-eyed and blond haired senior, asked what he liked most about girls, came forth with, "Girls, period." Don't get the idea that Don is girl-crazy, for he is not. Although he is friendly with all the girls, he has been known to give special attention only to Peggy Weaver.

Modest Don refused to give any credit to himself during the interview, but we managed to wiggle out with the "valuable" information that he likes "anything that's good," and that he "isn't particular." In V.A. Don has done superior work, and in typing leads the class by being on lesson 124. For a pet peeve, Don stated that English teachers rate first, and added, "I know Mrs. Sloan will appreciate that."

One of three boys, Don is the "baby" of the family. A senior this year and 18, he is making plans to attend college at West Texas State or John Tarleton. These plans are to be fulfilled, he says, if his uncle (Sam that is) doesn't have other ideas for his profession. Don chooses teaching agriculture.

This is all the information we could beg, borrow or steal from Don. He says, "If you want to know more," a first edition of the life of Donald Reynolds is now on the newstands in Ethiopia and Afghanistan."

HOOK, LINE AND CELL DIVISION

The day was drowsy—the students were the same.

Questioning his biology class, Mr. Sollis asked, "What is Fish?" "Where I would like to be right now," came a sleepy answer.

STUNT NIGHT

Five different clubs will participate in Stunt Night at the

FHA meeting Tuesday night, January 29. Sub-Junior Adelpian Club, Sub-Junior Columbian Club, Dramatic Club, FHA and Sub-Deb will be the clubs represented in the stunts.

Each club is working hard to do the cleverest stunt. This will be an outstanding meeting of the year.

DO YOU COVET THAT 'MODEL' LOOK?

Want to be beautiful? Now, that is a silly question to ask high school girls or any other member of the female sex, young or old, for that matter, but it is rather necessary in order to get something over to you. Just remember one thing—you are only as beautiful as you think you are. This statement comes from the head of a large and well-known beauty school, so surely it's worth thinking about. A girl can have perfect facial features, beautiful hair, and a trim figure, but all of these assets to being beautiful aren't worth much if that girl doesn't have poise and self-assurance.

Beauty radiates from within. That sparkle in the eye and the ability to give with a sincere, radiant smile at the least little pleasure is the result of thinking beautiful things.

The girl that sees so much make up that she looks like a walking cosmetics store is likely to run into trouble when her friends choose her for the one to be rolled in the snow.

Suppose that you started taking a beauty course. The first thing they would have you do would be to take "limbering up" exercises for better posture: shoulders back, chest out, tummy in and head held high.

Of course, you've been told this so many times before, but what you eat has more to do with your beauty than anything else. Try to think of it in this way: each green and yellow vegetable you eat for lunch is a little beauty treatment in itself. The meat, potatoes and bread are the energy foods, and milk, of course, will help in every department. If every girl could switch the importance she puts on cosmetics to what she eats (or what she doesn't eat; for example, chocolate candy) she's taken a big step toward being the beautiful girl she's always wanted to be.

FAREWELL TO JOAN

The CHS student body wishes to extend to Joan Dixon a friendly farewell. She is moving to Phoenix, Arizona, and we are going to miss pretty, blond haired Joan. We wish you much luck, Joan, and success in Phoenix.

HEY, YOU!

IF YOU HAVE: eloped, died, moved, sold out, bought a jalopy, been born, been drafted, been robbed, had company, lost your hair, lost your teeth, been in a fight, had an operation, sold your hogs, got a new boyfriend, got a new girl friend, IT'S NEWS! TURN IT IN SO WE CAN PRINT

IT, THE WILDCAT NEEDS NEWS!

SEYMOUR DEFEATS GYM JANES

The A and B volleyball girls went to Seymour Friday night. The A string played two games and lost both to Seymour. The scores were 15-8 and 15-13.

The following girls saw action in these two games: Geraldine Schmittou, Mary Bergt, Betty Barker, Frankie Mabe, Joyzell Thomson and Peggy Weaver.

Monday the girls journeyed to Chillicothe for both A and B games.

CHS CAGERS WIN TWO GAMES

The Wildcats again emerged victorious by winning their first conference game of the year and "huddling" Electra in a practice game at the Wildcat gym.

The Crowell boys have improved immensely since the first game with Matador. Their passing is quicker and their shooting more efficient.

Electra scored only 22 points to Crowell's 35 with "Bubba" Bell making 14 points for Crowell.

Roy Whitley made a basket from the half-way mark, just as the buzzer for the half sounded, which made only a five point lead at half-time for the Wildcats, but ole CHS got busy in the third quarter and pulled away from the Electra Tigers to bag another victory.

At Seymour Friday night the Wildcats had a 16 to 0 lead at the end of the first quarter and began playing substitutes in the first half.

Crowell went on to beat the Panthers 51-20 and win the first conference game of the season. "Bubba" Bell again carried away high scoring honors with 14 points.

Crowell meets Vernon Tuesday, Jan. 9 and Chillicothe Friday, January 12.

THE PEEPER

Y'know, people say that after you've been in a certain place for any length of time, you can always recognize the place with your eyes closed just by the smell (?) of the place or the sounds you hear. I decided that I would try that, so one day I did and made the amazing discovery that the saying was true. Too true!

Well, here I was, in the hall, and was it ever crowded! All this time, remember, I had my eyes closed. I heard someone yelling, "Let's scatter, folks." Mr. Black! Just then I felt a light on my eyelids. You know what I mean even if I can't express myself. I decided then that it could be nothing but the glow from Mr. Graves' head.

I next heard two people going down the halls whispering words of love in each other's ear. I couldn't quite make up my mind who that was, so I opened my eyes. Yep, Buster Laquey and Betty Barker! I closed my eyes again. I felt someone give my shoulder a friendly tap and decided it was Mary Cooper. After I got up off the floor, I heard

the rattle of typewriters and I knew I was nearing the typing room. I opened my eyes to see what was happening, and to my horror, the students had their typing covers over their heads! What will Mr. Black think of next?

The bell rang just then, and during the stampede I decided to continue the experiments. I felt a long, low whistle walk by, and it must have been Jon Sanders. That silence that whizzed by was Don Brown.

I heard a feminine voice saying, "Oh, you should have seen Billy. He looked so cute!" I couldn't make up my mind whether it was some sophomore talking about Billy Cates or some freshman talking about Mr. Sollis. Speaking of freshmen (Gad, what a terrible subject!), each year they get worse. The freshman boys have a lot more convincing line than the seniors, and the girls out-wolf any class of girls I've ever been around. What is this world coming to? Perhaps the good ole senior class is just more bashful than the preceding classes. Something's changed! Anyway, I'll bet this group of freshmen will be a little more subdued when they get to be high and mighty seniors and have to go through as much as they have.

To get on with the experiments, I've proved pretty well that you can tell the place by sounds, and now, what about smells? Well, Frankie almost died the other day when Maurine started cutting up worms! I walked by the home economics room at about the fourth period and I smelled something burning and knew that it was Norma Jones, Faye Black and Mary Lou Woods. I couldn't resist opening my eyes and seeing the rest of the girls in their aprons.

Any time you smell "Desert

Flower," it's Peggy Traveek. (No offense, Peggy). Just kidding! Well, I didn't count the day as wasted, as I proved my point and now there isn't a doubt in my mind as to the answer. By the way, what was I trying to prove in the first place? Cat's Tail.

BIG NOISE FINDS FLAWS

The wide use in industry of sound waves too shrill to be heard by the human ear was recently described. These high frequency sound waves are becoming increasingly important as a tool for material testing and gaging. Flaws hidden deep inside structures as large as the driving wheels of a locomotive are readily located by scanning with ultrasonic waves to spot the offending fault. This versatile technique can also be used to measure the thickness of coatings as thin as the polish on a lady's nails.

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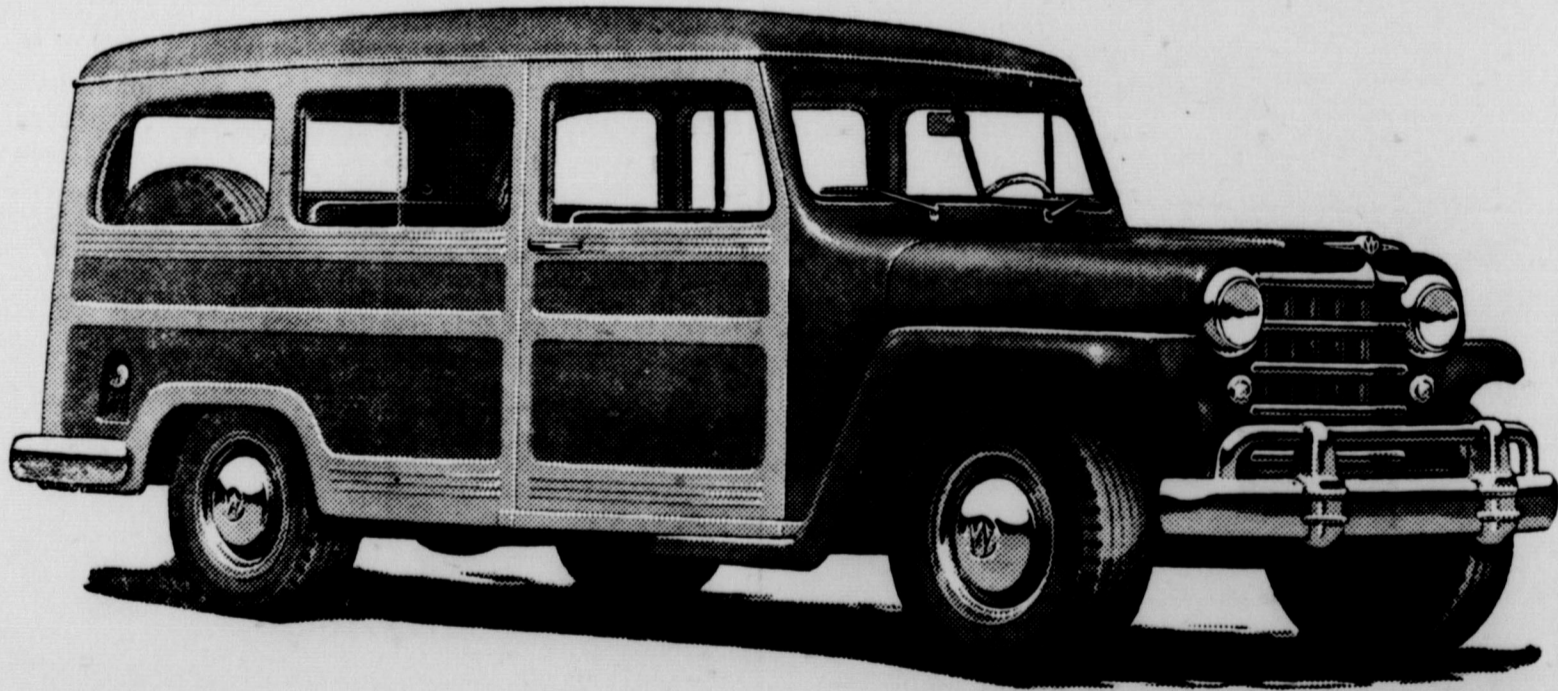
NEXT YEAR? WHAT?

Next Christmas you may not have as much money to spend as you had this year. Times may be different with you—who knows? The smart person today is either buying government bonds or starting a savings account—to take care of any shifting of financial conditions, should they occur. This bank is ready and anxious to help you in your financial matters at any time. Drop in and we'll give you any advice we can—and willingly.

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FOR SALE OR LEASE - Cafe and station.—Grady Spivey. 25-2tc

WANTED - Ironing to do at my home.—Mrs. Shelby Wallace, ph. 186-R. 25-3tc

FOR SALE - 1941 Plymouth pickup, good shape. — George Randolph. 25-1tp

FOR SALE - 50 acres of good land, 3 mi. N. E. of Thalia. Write J. F. Matthews Jr., Box 2172, Wichita Falls, Texas. 24-2tp

FOR SALE - Upright piano in very good condition.—Mrs. C. N. Chatfield, phone 208M. 21-tfc

FOR SALE - Two lounges, Edison record player, R. C. radio, imitation fire place, good as new. Cheap.—Ed Cates. 24-2tp

SPECIAL - Used 12-ft. Krause plow, 1948 model. Good shape and new paint, \$350.00.—Hays-McLain Farm Eqpt. 25-1tc

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FOR SALE - Practically new two-bedroom house, also one business building, well located. Will sell together or separately.—F. E. Hudson, Phone 122-M. 24-3tp

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NOTICE - Will care for children in my home by day or in parents' home in the evening.—Mrs. A. H. Lax, Tel. 41-M. 25-3tc

NOTICE

The Singer Sewing Machine Co. will have a representative in Crowell each Tuesday.
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48-tfc

NOTICE

HORSES, COWS, MULES removed FREE. Our trucks operate 7 days a week. — **VERNON RENDERING CO.**, Phone 1630, Vernon, collect. 27-tfc

Lodge Notices

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE
Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.
W. J. GARRETT, Noble Grand
H. E. HILBURN, Secretary.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, Jan. 20, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

JNO. W. WRIGHT, W. M.
IRA TOLE, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE
meets the second and last Friday's of month at I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome.
JUANITA GARRETT, N. G.
MARGARET CURTIS, Sec'y.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840
A. F. & A. M., STATED MEETING
Second Monday each month. February 12, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

GRADY HALBERT, W. M.
W. B. CARTER, Secretary.

GORDON J. FORD POST NO. 130
Meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m.
RICHARD DAVIS, Commander
CECIL CARROLL, Adjutant.

Trespass Notices

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Mrs. R. T. Owens. 10-52tc

TRESPASS NOTICE - No trespassing of any kind allowed on any land belonging to Lee and B. A. Whitman, Thalia, Texas. 24-52tp

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

TRESPASS NOTICE - No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Johnnie Fay Easley. 46-1-1-51.

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

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

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 trespassing of any kind allowed on land belonging to me.—Dr. J. M. Hill. 39-tfc

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

TRESPASS NOTICE - No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on any of my land.—T. R. Cates, Thalia, Texas. 25-52tp

NO TRESPASSING - Positively no hunting or fishing on any of my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Leslie McAdams. 24-tfc

NO TRESPASSING - No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land or land rented by me.—Guy Morgan. pd. 3-1-51

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—W. J. Long. 18-52tp

It is being predicted that the next three months will see the country undergo a transformation from abundance of almost everything to a scarcity of many things. The trend will continue with increasing scarcity for some time.

Most of last year's resolutions to do the Christmas shopping early were broken this year.



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 7 p. m. Give God a chance at your life. Attend church regularly.
E. R. McGregor, Pastor.

Truscott Baptist Church
Come thou with us, and we will do thee good.—Num. 10:29.
10 a. m., Sunday — Sunday School.
11 a. m., Sunday — Morning Worship.
6 p. m., Sunday — Training Period.
6:45 p. m. Sunday — Evening Worship.
2:30 p. m., Tuesday — W. M. U. Meeting.
Ralph E. Branum, Pastor.

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. Shooka, Pastor.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at 11 a. m. and 7 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 8 p. m.
Carl Hudson, Pastor.

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.
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Margaret Baptist Church
Joe R. Green, Pastor
C. T. Murphy, Sunday School Supt.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week Service, 8 p. m.

Temple Gethsemane
Assembly of God Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Evangelic Services at 2:30 p. m.
Young People's Services at 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday Prayer Service at 7:45 p. m.
Thursday Woman's C. M. F. Service at 7:45 p. m.
Saturday Evangelistic Service at 7:45 p. m.
Daniel Enriquez, Pastor

Eastside Church of Christ
Minister will bring lesson from Old Bible, connecting it with the New Testament, using diagrams on blackboard. You will get much good out of this if you will come and study with us. This coming Lord's Day, "The Language of God's People."
Bible Classes, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; communion, 11:45 a. m.; preaching, 7 p. m.; Wednesday Classes, 7:30 p. m. Come, bring your friends.
C. Y. Pettigrew, Minister.

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: "Christian Joy and its Results."
The Primary and Juniors Boys and Girls meet at 6 p. m.
All units of the MYF meet at 6:15 p. m.
Evening worship service, 7:00 p. m. Subject of the sermon: "Love Essential."
Prayer meeting, Wed., 7 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wed., 7:30 p. m.
Come, worship God with us.
Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Sunday morning worship service, 11 a. m.
Training Unions at 6 p. m. Sunday evening Worship Services, 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00.
Barnard Franklin, Pastor.
Ray Baker, Educational Director.

Mrs. Martin F. Jones, Secretary.
Glen Goodwin, Chairman Board of Deacons.
C. C. Graves, Sunday School Superintendent.
J. B. Harlan, Training Union Director.
Mrs. Glendon Hays, Pianist.
Miss Betty Barker, Assistant Pianist.
Mrs. Glen Goodwin, W. M. S. President.
Mrs. W. O. McDaniel, Custodian.

THALIA
MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mickle and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Price of Vernon were recent guests in the Percy Taylor home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, Jesse Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abston and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm spent Monday in the Bob Abston home near Crowell.

Rev. R. I. Hart and wife of Ropesville spent last Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown, Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell and daughter of Vernon also visited awhile Friday night in the Brown home.

Roe Bird and wife of Hale Center visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan, last week end.

Mike Hudgens and Glen Swan visited Carlos McBeath and wife in Fort Worth last week end.

Celeste Johnson and Mrs. Glen Gamble and daughters, Dorothy and Norma, visited in Dallas and Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Abston and daughter, accompanied by J. B. Burgess of Chillicothe, spent a few days last week visiting relatives at Amarillo and Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Keenan and children of Sweetwater spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Alton Abston, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm and O. M. Grimm attended the funeral of C. W. Thompson in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Jesse Moore of Thalia and Junior Poyner of Rayland made a business trip to San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Farrar of Riverside and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Poyner of Rayland spent Sunday in the Jim Moore home.

Rev. H. E. Cook of Oklahoma City visited in the Rev. H. N. Estes' home Saturday night and preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers of Benjamin spent Sunday in the home of their son, Dee Powers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews Jr. have moved to Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Sim V. Gamble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morris McCarty, Pete Gamble, Sim Gamble and wife and the Walter Ramsey family all attended the funeral of Jim Gamble in Kermit last Saturday.

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ALPHA CLUB MEETS

An interesting and instructive program on "Art - American Crafts" was presented at the meeting of the Alpha Club of Truscott on Wednesday, January 3, with Mesdames J. E. Stover, D. S. Ellis, T. B. Masterson and Jack Whitaker as hostesses.

There was a short business session at which Mrs. Whitaker presided over as president. Mrs. Stover, as leader, directed an interesting and instructive lesson on the subject, "American Crafts." Mrs. A. S. Tarpley gave the history of American Glass, showing some interesting pictures of several patterns of early glassware.

Mrs. Oscar Solomon discussed American Pottery from the clay stage through China of today. Mrs. T. B. Masterson presented many interesting pictures showing the influence of various periods of American furniture on present-day furniture.

Mrs. Stover discussed identification of American antiques. At the close of the program the club members were invited into the dining room where refreshments were served from Smorgasbord.

On January 18, the club will meet with Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, with the members of the Sub-Deb Club as models of American fashions.

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GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met on Friday, Jan. 5, in the home of Mrs. Andrew Calvin, with five members and the following visitors present: Mrs. Omar Cure, Mrs. A. J. Navratil and daughter, Norma Jo, Mrs. Elton Carroll and son, Kenneth, Mrs. E. G. Navratil and daughter, Lynda.

Mrs. Ray Brown, Foard County Demonstration Agent, was present and gave out the new year books which were discussed and filled out. Mrs. Archie Campbell, the new president, conducted the business meeting.

Several songs were sung by the group after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

New members and visitors are always welcome at the meetings. Mrs. Milburn Carroll will be hostess at the next meeting on Friday, January 19.

SEW-N-SEW CLUB

The Sew-N-Sew Club of Foard City met last Thursday afternoon to re-organize the club and elect new officers for the year. Mrs. J. C. Rader, out-going president, called the meeting to order and election of the following new officers took place: Mrs. James Sandlin, president; Mrs. Bob Myers, vice president; Mrs. Fred Bonhardt, secretary, and Mrs. Martin Thompson, reporter.

Unknown friends were revealed and gifts exchanged. Nine members and four children enjoyed refreshments of Cokes and doughnuts, served by Mrs. Rader as hostess.

The club voted not to have club meetings during the months of January and February, due to bad weather. The next meeting will be held March 1.

U. S. Presidents Wilson, Tyler and Cleveland married while in office.

Home Demonstration Notes

MARY DEEB BROWN

This month we are starting our regular home demonstration plan of work for the year. During the year we plan to work on improving our living rooms and improving and varying the breads and cereals in our diet. All of the clubs would welcome new members so if you would like to join now is the time so that you would not miss any of the year's work.

Several town ladies have said they thought you had to live in the country to be a member of one of these clubs, but since Crowell has less than 2,500 people, it is considered predominately rural and all women interested can join. Both the West Side and Gambleville clubs meet close to town or if there are enough women here in town interested, we can organize our own club. Won't you let me know how you feel about this so we can organize another club if necessary or if you'd rather join one of the other clubs it is now at the first of the year.

I received a letter from Miss Bonnie Cox, Organization Specialist for the Extension Service, and she wrote that on January 24 she will be in Paducah to train all club presidents, council chairmen and vice chairmen of Foard and Cottle counties. I think we would all benefit from this training so please make plans to go. I'll write you the details later, but mark it on your calendars now so you won't forget.

Santa Fe Railway Now Using Two New Ultra-Modern Cars

Two of the most unusual and modern railway passenger cars ever built will go into service on the Santa Fe Railway's all-new Super Chief operating between Chicago and Los Angeles on Sunday, January 28th. These are a dome-lounge and a diner of advanced design.

A completely newly-designed lounge car is divided into five rooms—the Turquoise Room, lower cocktail lounge, main lounge room, parlor observation dome and a private writing desk room.

The Turquoise room is for dining and cocktail service catering to private parties. The room features turquoise, silver and gold decorative treatment consisting of vinylite on the side and end walls with accordin type sliding doors covered with the same material in harmonizing color. These doors can be left open or can be closed for privacy, whichever suits the occasion. Golden tint plate mirrors line the side wall above the banquet seating arrangement. Gold-colored textured draperies distinguish the open view of the windows. The same material is used for a door portiere at one end of the room, segregating the Turquoise room from the lower cocktail lounge. The tables can be arranged for cocktail service or dining.

Specially designed service plate, which fits in with the decorative treatment of the room, will be used when tables are arranged for dining service. The room is fully carpeted in turquoise color. A full color reproduction of a genuine turquoise medallion on the forward end wall is encased in a modern shadow box incorporated in the structure of the wall.

The lower cocktail lounge is modernistic. The front of the bar is covered with a vinylite material in a cherry red of quilted design, accomplished by the use of brass colored oval shaped snap-on moldings, typical of the southwest. A large portion of the side wall is covered with flesh-tinted mirrors which add to the beauty and warmth of the room and give a feeling of spaciousness. The cherry red color is carried out on several of the stainless, semi-barreled chairs and window drapes. The exposed wall surfaces are covered with vinylite material in a con-

trasting color. The floor is covered with a tete de negre carpeting.

The main lounge room is a spacious room for lounging and has a new and unique arrangement of furniture. A specially designed diagonal seat for card playing, with pull-up chairs, is located at the forward end of the room. Done in colors of the romantic Southwest, this room contains two modern sofas, several lounge chairs, and a built-in seating unit, all of which have a different arrangement to permit occupants to observe the scenery directly out of the window without having to view the person directly across from them. A warm color scheme is carried out in this room with arch green and terra cotta upholstery covering the furniture. Side walls are warm beige, ceiling creamy yellow, and lighting indirect. The window draperies are of California seashells design in southwest colors that tie in with the color scheme of the entire room.

The main lounge color scheme is also carried out in the parlor observation dome. The outstanding feature in the dome is a revolving parlor-type chair that adds extensively to the comfort of the occupants and enables them to view the scenery from every angle. This is one feature that has not as yet been carried out in other dome cars. The car was built by the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company.

The private writing desk room provides privacy for anyone desiring to write letters, or working space for the busy executive during his 39 and three-fourths hours trip between Chicago and Los Angeles.

The new dining cars feature color schemes in the colors of the romantic Southwest, through which the train operates.

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THE COUNTRY PRESS SAYS

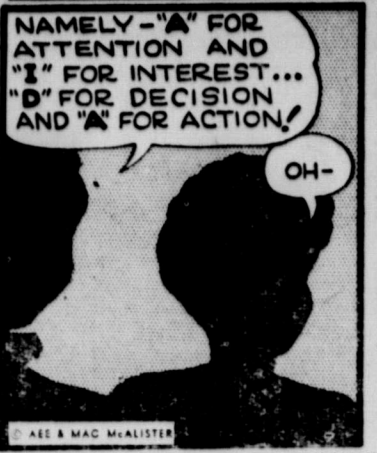
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Port Gibson, Miss., Reveille: "We . . . don't mind putting our money in national security—but deliver us from some of the bureaucrats."

Winter Park, Florida, Herald: "The ammunition we need for this war is a demand on Congress for adoption of the recommendations for cutting waste in Federal expenditures."

Scottsburg, Ind., Chronicle: "The most obvious proof of the excess profits tax's awkwardness is the fact that 45 per cent of the taxes raised by the excess profits tax during World War II are still subject to litigation in the courts! Never before in history has a tax system caused so much trouble nor has there ever been a tax more difficult and costly to collect."

Carved in stone at Mount Rushmore in South Dakota are the faces of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln.



Health Letter

Texas State Department of Health, Austin, Texas, Geo. W. Cox, M. D., State Health Officer.

Austin — Texas wound up 1950 by setting a grim new record in polio incidence—2778 cases for the year.

Never before in state history have so many cases been reported during a 12-month period. Eight new cases occurred during the last week in December.

That in itself is significant, for not a single week passed that didn't see at least one case of the so-called hot weather disease being diagnosed in some part of the State.

The total 1949 incidence of the dread disease reached 2355 cases, establishing a record up to that time. But there were 53 weeks in 1949 instead of the normal 52, and that figure includes cases occurring all 53 weeks.

Two hundred and 3 counties out of the state's 254 were involved in the 1949 outbreak. That's comparable to the 201 counties which experienced polio in 1950.

The counties of Coleman, Harris, Jefferson, McCulloch, Nueces, Tarrant and Tom Green each reported a single case of polio the last week of the year. A Veterans Administration hospital had one case as the year ended, bringing the total for the week to 8 from all sources.

The disease reached its peak on August 12, when 131 Texans fell ill. That marked the greatest single weekly incidence ever to be reported. At that time State Health Officer George W. Cox ruefully predicted that 3000 cases would be diagnosed before the year ended. He missed his estimate by 222.

Twenty-eight counties had 20 or more cases; ten had more than 50 cases; six had more than 100 cases; and three counties—Dallas, Harris, and Tarrant—had more than 200 cases each. Those three areas represent the most populous regions in Texas. Early in the polio season, Dr.

Cox pledged the facilities "of the entire State Department of Health" to local communities in combating polio. The health agency's laboratory and field personnel, working in cooperation with civic organizations and local health units, were credited with keeping the epidemic from reaching even greater proportions. State health department death

records show 201 polio deaths through the first 11 months of 1950, and 192 deaths from that cause during all of 1949. Complete death figures are not yet available for December, a department spokesman said.

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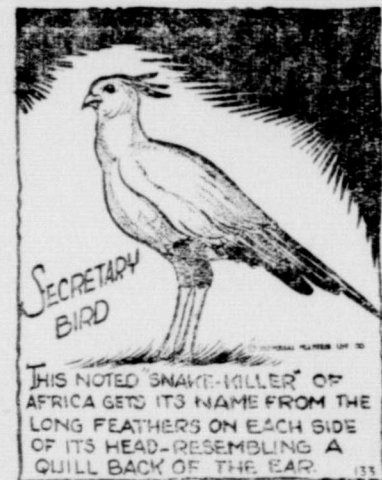
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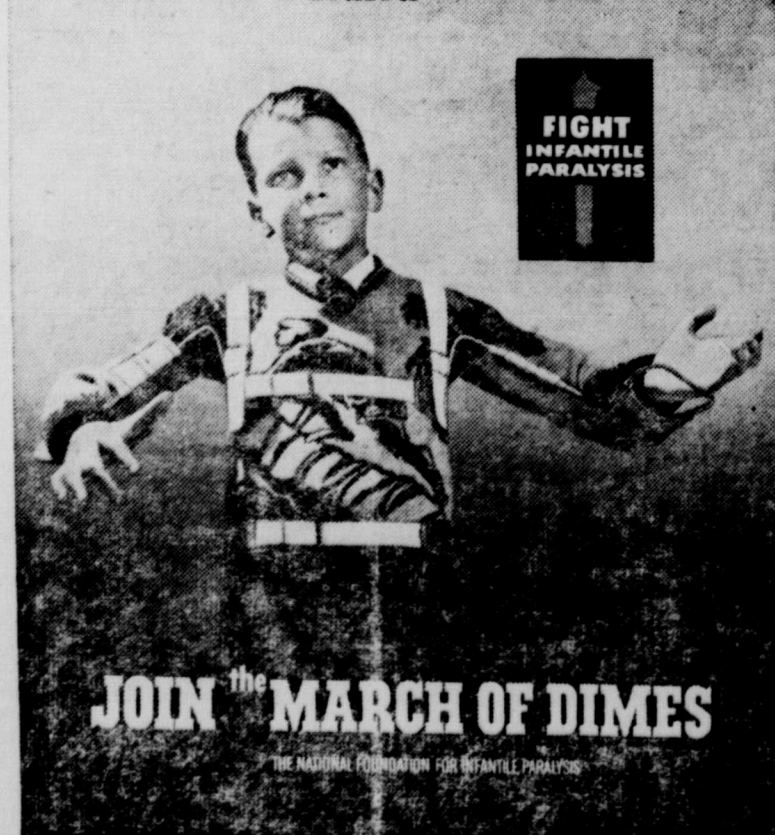
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