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NEW OIL BLOCK IS COMPLETED NEAR CROWELL

James Blair Baker, Jr., of Wichita Falls, independent oil operator, has completed a block of approximately 700 acres, which begins at a point about four miles north of Crowell. The H. Schindler farm, here Fred Halenak lives, is about the center of the block. In securing this block, Mr. Blair has agreed to begin a 3,500-foot oil well on it within 150 days from Jan. 1, 1934. This block is about the same as the one formed by the Marland Oil Co., this locality in 1927 and covers the same structure upon which an oil test was drilled on the Tom Beverly farm in 1919. This test was about five miles north of Crowell and was drilled to a depth of 2,390 feet by the Mid-Continent Exploration Corporation. Drilling operations stopped at that depth as a result of the hole being ruined.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Bobbie Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown, of Rayland is in the hospital for medical treatment. Fannie May Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis, of Thalia, Mo. was operated on for the removal of the appendix, is reported as doing nicely. Maxine Fleisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Fleisher, of Thalia was removed to her home, following an appendix operation.

Miller Sentenced 3 Years in Two Cases In Court Last Week

Que R. Miller, former sheriff and collector of Foard County, was sentenced to three years imprisonment at hard labor in the State penitentiary by a jury in district court here last Thursday afternoon. The jury deliberated from 3:50 to 5:05 o'clock in coming to a decision after Miller had pleaded guilty to the first of the four cases in which he was charged with the mis-application of public funds.

While the jury was out Miller pleaded guilty before the district judge, W. J. Stokes, to the other remaining case on the Foard County docket, hence two of the cases were transferred on a change of venue to the Harman County docket in May, 1933. Upon announcement of the jury's verdict, Judge Stokes also sentenced Miller to three years, to run concurrently with the term assessed in the first case.

Miller was scheduled to begin serving in the State penitentiary on Monday morning of this week.

On May 24, 1933, Miller was given seven-year sentence by a Harman County jury. The only one of the four cases that has not been disposed of now remains on the Harman docket.

A Foard County grand jury returned four bills of indictment against Miller in September, 1931, following his resignation on Aug. 31, 1931, after a shortage had been found in his books by John B. Allred, accountant of Wichita Falls who was auditing the county's books at that time. Numerous delays had since resulted from continuances and appeals.

Five Hundred Trees Donated By Maxon Nursery of Vernon

Five hundred Chinese elm trees have been donated to the Foard County highway beautification program by the Maxon Nursery of Vernon, according to Curtis Ribble, maintenance man for the State Highway Department in Foard and Knox counties, who is in charge of the tree-planting program.

He reports that up to the present time over 70 trees have been planted on Highway No. 28 in Foard County, most of which are between Crowell and the Wilbarger line. The trees have been planted a distance of about four miles west of Crowell on Highway 28.

Mr. Ribble reports that the public in general responded wonderfully to the appeal he made recently through The News for trees for this work and that many individuals throughout the county have co-operated in the program.

The tree-planting program is now being slow-up on account of the Highway Department's work in widening the shoulders on the right-of-way of State highways, beginning this week. Ditches will be made smaller and less deep in connection with this work. First work in this respect under Mr. Ribble's supervision will begin in Knox County on Highway No. 30 east of Munday.

PADUCAH M. E. PASTOR TO CONDUCT MARGARET REVIVAL

Rev. H. W. Hanks, pastor of the Paducah Methodist Church, has been engaged to conduct a revival of two weeks at the Margaret Methodist Church, beginning on Easter Sunday, April 1. Local forces of the Margaret church will have charge of the singing and other details connected with the revival.

Working on Rig for New Test; Gas Plant Nearing Completion

Work is now taking place on the rig for the new oil test that is to be drilled by the Texas Company on the L. K. Johnson ranch in the west part of Foard County.

The new test will be about 2,000 feet northwest of the Texas Company's L. K. Johnson No. 3. The Johnson Gas Plant, which will be ready to start operation soon, will be located between the two wells.

Electricity will be used in drilling the new test, the power coming from the West Texas Utilities high line that runs from Crowell to Paducah.

Gas Plant Work. Most of the work at the gas plant has been completed, however, the operation of the new Foard County industry is awaiting the arrival of a number of special fittings and other material.

Due to the fact that no rain has yet been received to furnish a supply of water in the lake that will be created by the Texas Company's 610-foot dam on Good Creek, about 4 miles northeast of the plant, a water line has been completed to a spring on the Leslie McAdams ranch to furnish a temporary water supply for operation of the plant.

Dollar Day Bargains And Contests Will Be Trades Day Features

A hog-calling contest for men and husband-calling contest for women are two of the contests that will take place in Crowell on Trades Day, Monday, March 5. Other interesting contests are also being planned by a committee composed of Claude Dodd, A. W. Lilly and Fred Rennels. Suitable prizes will be given in all instances.

For the first time in a number of years, Crowell merchants will feature Dollar Day bargains in connection with Trades Day. Although the government says that the U. S. has a 50-cent dollar, local merchants propose to show the people of this section that a dollar will be worth considerably more than 100 cents here on the combined Trades Day and Dollar Day.

Horse trading also promises to be one of the outstanding features of the day.

Massed Band Concert Here Sun. Afternoon

The public is invited to a free massed band concert that is to take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the district court room in Crowell.

The high school bands of Paducah, Margaret and Crowell will play as a single band under the direction of L. T. Edwards, local band director, at that time.

FARMERS HAVE BETTER CREDIT SYSTEM FOR '34

The 1934 crop season will mean the beginning of a better system of credit for many farmers who are preparing to finance the year's farming by means of shorter loans through the production credit associations which are being organized under the Farm Credit Administration throughout this State.

Under the Farm Credit Administration the Federal Land Bank of Houston will continue to make long-term real estate mortgage loans; but the administration is also providing a long-needed system of short-term production credit for farmers and stockmen—loans to be used for producing crops and for the breeding, raising and fattening of livestock. This is a comprehensive credit system and it is designed to be permanent.

Farmers and stockmen in this locality will be served by the Crowell Production Credit Association, which was chartered on January 11, 1934, to serve producers in Cottle, Foard, Hardeman and Wilbarger counties. About four or five counties is the average size of an association. There is no fixed number of counties standard for all associations, but each must include enough territory to give a volume of business sufficient to secure efficient organization and low cost of operation.

The Crowell Production Credit association was organized through the co-operation of representative farmers of the counties included, with the assistance of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston. There is one of these corporations in each of the 12 land bank districts in the country. The local association will obtain loanable funds from the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, which will discount well-secured notes of farmers and stockmen. All of these institutions are a part of the Farm Credit Administration.

A production credit association does not lend Government money. The funds that will be loaned are obtained by the Intermediate Credit

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FOARD COUNTY MEAT SHOW ON MARCH 2, 3 & 5

Foard County's annual meat show will be held in Crowell on Friday and Saturday, March 2 and 3, and on First Monday, March 5. Last year this event took place in the showroom of Lilly Motor Co. and proved to be a very interesting affair. Self Motor Company's showroom will serve as the location for the meat exhibits this year.

Everyone is urged by the local Extension Service agents, Miss Myrna Holman and Fred Rennels, to enter both cured and canned meats. An entry in the canned meats section will consist of two cans of the same product canned by one person. One will be opened and judged and the other placed on exhibit and returned to the owner. All canned products should be labeled.

Those entered by members of home demonstration clubs should carry the Texas home demonstration pantry label, which is obtainable at the office of the home demonstration agent, and should have on the label the name of the product, name of the owner, and the county.

Hams and Bacon

The hams entered will be in two classes, those weighing 14 pounds and over and those weighing under 14 pounds. The bacon should be 9 pounds or over. All cured meats will be better if smoked. Information on smoking may be obtained from the county agent's office.

Prizes to be offered in the various classes will be announced next week. All entries should be in place by 3 p. m., Friday, March 2. "Bring your products whether they seem to you to be first class or not. Let's put the show over the top," request the local agents.

Black Rabbit Drive Tuesday, Feb. 28

A rabbit drive will be held in the Black community Tuesday, Feb. 27, to which the public is invited to come and take part. All participants in the drive will be furnished plenty of barbecued beef at noon.

Those taking part in the drive are requested to bring their own shot-guns and shells. The drive is to begin at 8 a. m. from the home of Tom Bursay.

Perry Hunter, C. E. Gafford and Mr. Bursay are in charge of the drive.

MASONS PLAN TO ATTEND VERNON MEETING TONIGHT

A number of Crowell and Foard County Masons plan to attend the George Washington birthday anniversary program that will be held in Vernon tonight in connection with the February meeting of the 90th Masonic district.

W. A. Browning of Dallas, 33rd degree, I. G. H., will deliver the principal address on the program. The meeting is to begin at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Temple.

Many Applications For Loans Received By Crowell PC Ass'n.

T. N. Bell, secretary-treasurer of the Crowell Production Credit Association states that a great many applications for loans are now being taken in the four counties, Foard, Hardeman, Wilbarger and Cottle, that are represented in this association.

The loan board, consisting of T. S. Gibbs of Chillicothe, president of the association, J. M. Collins of Odell and J. M. Marr of Foard County, met in Mr. Bell's office Saturday and approved a number of applications for loans.

E. V. Halbert has been approved as Foard County inspector by Production Credit Corporation officials at Houston and is busy making inspections on applications.

Application Writers

The following application writers are now at work for the association: W. O. Jones, Jr., Paducah; John T. L. Jones, Quanah; L. N. Allred, Chillicothe; Sam H. Williams, Odell; H. B. Boswell, Harrold; R. B. Gibson, Vernon.

Mrs. Josie Bomar Is Taken By Death Wed. At Fred Bomar Home

The funeral of Mrs. Josie Bomar, who died last night at the home of her son, Fred Bomar, will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Church of Christ at Vernon, of which church Mrs. Bomar was a member. The funeral party will leave Crowell at 1 p. m.

Mrs. Bomar was born in Nashville, Tenn., on Jan. 18, 1855. She has resided in Texas for more than 50 years and in and near Crowell for the past 20 years. Further details concerning Mrs. Bomar will appear in next week's issue.

Crowell High Team to Leave Friday Morning For Dist. Tournament

Coach Grady Graves and his Crowell Wildcats will leave Friday morning for Childress to participate in the basketball tournament of District No. 3 of the Texas Interscholastic League, which is to begin Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The final game of the tournament will be played Saturday night.

Last year Crowell tied Estelline's record by winning the tournament for the third consecutive year. This will make the sixth consecutive year for Crowell to represent Foard County in this tournament. Four years ago the Wildcats lost to Estelline in the final game. Since then Crowell has stood on top in District 3, however, the Wildcats are not as heavy favorites to win as they were during the last three seasons, nevertheless, local fans believe that Crowell again has a good chance of coming through on top.

Crowell in District 3 are: Cottle, Hardeman, Childress, Hall, Collingsworth, Motley, Wheeler, King and Foard. As a result of King High's victory over Quanah in the Harman County tournament, that team is regarded as a strong contender along with Crowell, Carey, Turkey and Wellington.

Foard County Junior Boys Tourney Here Friday and Saturday

The Foard County Junior boys basketball tournament will be held at the Crowell gymnasium Saturday, beginning at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, according to Clyde Fincher, director of athletics of the Foard County Interscholastic League.

Mr. Fincher also announced that there will be a county track meet for rural schools, four teachers and under, in Crowell on Saturday, March 10. Playground ball will also be played the same day, with the ball games during the morning and the track meet in the afternoon.

On March 16 and 17 the regular county meet will be held. Playground ball will take place on Friday, March 16, and the track and field events on the following day. Playground ball this year is also open to senior boys. A twelve-inch ball is to be used this year.

Foard Farmers Sign 402 Cotton Contracts

A total of 402 contracts, involving 12,150 acres, were signed by Foard County farmers in connection with the government's 1934-35 cotton program, up to the time for the close of the sign-up period last Thursday night.

This is short of the county quota, which was approximately 15,000 acres, or 35 per cent of the cotton acreage for the past five years. Fred Rennels, county agent, stated that 95 per cent of the regular cotton farmers signed up.

One of the principal reasons that Foard did not secure more acres for the sign-up is the fact that many wheat acres are being put to cotton this year.

Local Baptist Church To Have Improvements

The Baptist Church of Crowell voted Sunday to purchase new pews for the church auditorium. It is proposed to buy a total of thirty-eight oak pews, 26 of which are to be 12 feet in length and twelve pews 14 feet in length. J. C. Self is chairman of the committee to raise funds to purchase the pews.

Further improvements at the Baptist Church are to be made to remedy acoustical conditions in the auditorium and some material has already been ordered for this purpose. Fred Rennels is chairman of the committee on acoustics.

KINLOCH COLE OF CHINA TO VISIT HERE IN APRIL

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole are in receipt of a letter from Mr. Cole's brother, Kinloch Cole, of Tsengtas, China, stating that he and his three children leave Shanghai on March 17 and will arrive in San Francisco on April 3. After spending a few days there, they will come to Crowell for a visit. On July 8 he will again leave the States for China.

"I have kept putting this trip off from year to year, waiting until I felt I could better afford it, but I find I am no better off than I was five years ago and I can't see the use of waiting longer," Mr. Cole wrote. "Things here in China are still on the downward grade and any improvement in business conditions is immediately offset by additional taxes by the Chinese government. Recently they doubled the cigarette tax within less than 24 hours notice," he added.

Mr. Cole is a native of Foard County, however, it has been over 19 years since he was here. After serving in the World War with the U. S. forces he went to China and his relatives here have not seen him since. He is now an official in an English cigarette factory.

CROWELL WINS FOARD COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

The Crowell High School Wildcats defeated Margaret High, the county Class B champions, in two straight games to win the official championship of Foard County and the right to enter the district tournament at Childress on Friday and Saturday. Crowell had previously beaten Thalia for the Class A championship of Foard County.

In one of the most closely contested games played here this season, the Wildcats beat Margaret 25 to 22 last Friday and then repeated with another victory Tuesday night by the score of 28 to 20. The gymnasium was packed for both games.

Final Game
In the final game Tuesday night, Russell put the visitors in the lead with a field goal. Dunagan tied the score shortly afterward, however, his field goal was the only one made by Crowell in the initial quarter, while Hunter and Taylor added two more for Margaret to make the score 6 to 2 at the end of that period.

Another field goal by Russell and a free toss by Taylor gave Margaret a 9 to 2 lead early in the second quarter. For the remainder of the period Margaret was held scoreless and Crowell took the lead with three field goals by Middlebrook, two by Meason and a free toss each by Todd and Dunn to make the score 14 to 9 in favor of Crowell as the half ended.

Crowell continued to hold the lead for the rest of the game, the third quarter ending 22-15. Capt. T. P. Hunter of Margaret accounted for two field goals in this period, as did Middlebrook of Crowell. Margaret's scoring in the final quarter was limited to a field goal by Russell, two free tosses by Taylor and one by Hunter. Meason accounted for Crowell's two field goals in this period, while Dunagan and Dunn made a free toss each.

First Game
In the first game the two quintets battled on even terms throughout the fray. Margaret gained a 4-point lead at the opening of the game as the result of field goals by Bell and Hunter. This was the greatest lead held by either club during the game.

Margaret continued to hold the lead until the third quarter, when

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Thalia M. E. Sunday School Is Growing

Without a campaign of any kind, the Methodist Sunday School at Thalia is showing excellent growth. For six Sunday's, prior to last Sunday, the attendance ranged from 104 to 126. Previous to that time the attendance had averaged about 75. Sunday school and church attendance was cut one-fourth in some instances over the county last Sunday, however, the Thalia attendance was 42.

W. B. Wood is the superintendent of this fine Sunday School.

MARGARET GIRLS WIN FOARD CO. CHAMPIONSHIP

Featured by the accurate goal shooting of Faye Ingle, the Margaret senior girls won the championship of Foard County in senior girls basketball with a 31 to 5 victory over Thalia at the Crowell gymnasium Friday night. Ingle scored 20 of her team's points.

The first quarter ended in a 1-1 tie. Margaret led 11 to 5 as the half ended and held Thalia scoreless for the remainder of the game.

The line-ups for the two teams follow:
Margaret—Gladys Russell, Faye Ingle, forwards; Alice Ruth Shaw, Eva Belle Morrison, Alene Payne, centers; Lottie Bradford, Edna McCurley, Juanita Boman, Nadine McCurley, guards.

Thalia—Lona Goodman, Allie Lee Huntley, forwards; Mary Wisdom, Mildred Townley, Frances Davis, centers; Emma Wisdom, Madge Mason, guards.

Referee—R. D. Umback of Eldorado, Okla.
Miss Ina Smith of Thalia and W. A. Smart of Margaret are the coaches of the two teams.

New Stucco Office for Local Farmers' Gins

Construction was started Tuesday on a two-room stucco office for the Farmers Co-Operative Society of Crowell. The 20x34 structure will be located a short distance north of the office now being used for the organization's two gins.

A set of scales is already located at the site for the new building. Besides the main office, there will be a smaller room in the rear of the building to serve as the dieters' room. L. I. Saunders is in charge of the construction.

Three Penitentiary Sentences Given In District Court Here

After a recess of over a week the grand jury for the February term of district court in Foard County will assemble again Friday to complete its work for this term.

Three penitentiary sentences have resulted so far for this term, the first of which was a 3-year term assessed against Que Miller last Thursday.

F. C. Foster, alias Dave Webb was given a five-year sentence last Friday afternoon when found guilty of forgery. The jury was out an hour and a half in this case.

J. B. Kelley, who was charged with burglary in connection with the theft of clothing from the Wright Cleaners several weeks ago, was given a three-year sentence in the penitentiary.

Jodie Foster was given a one-year suspended sentence on a charge of driving while intoxicated. The indictment charging him with the possession of intoxicating liquor for sale was dismissed on motion of the district attorney.

The trial of Chas. Loyd, charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Bob Scott in Crowell on Jan. 13, was continued to the May term of district court here on motion of the defendant.

Ok. Woman Tries to Locate People Who Lived Here in 1909

In an effort to locate members of a family that once lived in Crowell, Mrs. Adella Merideth of Cement, Oklahoma, has sent The News the following letter:

"Will you please put this in the paper to see if you can locate any of the Rhodes who lived there in 1909? Their mother was a widow. Don't know her name, but the children's names were Ben, Tom, Nannie and Phillip. Ben's age would be about 45 now and Nannie's about 35. Any of their addresses would be appreciated by Mrs. Adella Merideth, General Delivery, Cement, Okla."

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. John Teague, Crowell, Feb. 21, a boy, Fred Stokes.

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Edens, Thalia, Feb. 12, a boy, Raymond, Jr.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vicer, Crowell, Feb. 11, a girl, Mary.

To Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rae Owens, Crowell, Feb. 8, a girl, Patsy Ann.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Ledford, Thalia, Feb. 8, a boy, Bolie Chism.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Patton, Crowell, Feb. 15, a girl.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued from the office of the county clerk, Grady Magee, during the past week:

Thomas Clarence Porter and Bertha Floyd, both of Crowell, Feb. 17.

Alfred Jackson and Mrs. Mamie Myrtle Saunders, Crowell colored couple, Feb. 17. After securing their license they were married by Vance Swain, county judge.

Kenner Cash Drawer Robbed Wednesday

The cash drawer at the Kenner Service Station was robbed of small change to the amount of about \$5.00 Wednesday at about 11 o'clock. M. N. Kenner, the station owner, was out of town and Edwin Greening was the only employe at the station when a car stopped containing several men and women. While Mr. Greening was busy at the front, one of the men took the cash drawer to the rear of the station and removed the change. He overlooked several dollar bills that were under the drawer containing the change.

Flying Squadron of Zone 2 M. E. Church Begins Duties Sunday

The "flying squadron" for the Kingdom Extension program of Zone No. 2 of the Vernon District of the Methodist Church will begin its work Sunday to help the missionary program of the Methodist Church.

The Zone No. 2 workers and their schedules follow:
J. H. Williams and J. W. Sampley of Quanah—Foard City, Feb. 25, night; Crowell, March 4, morning; Marshall, March 18, night.

S. J. Boman of Margaret and W. F. Wood of Thalia—Acme, March 4, night; Mr. Wood—Odell (date open.)

Claude Callaway and M. S. Henry of Crowell—Quanah, Feb. 25, night; Lazare, March 18, night.

C. Hatchitt and W. M. Barfee of Acme—Thalia, Feb. 25, night; Hookeyan, March 11, night.

Rev. Marvin Brotherton of Margaret—Truscott, March 4, night.
Mrs. T. B. Masterson and Rev. O. C. Stapleton of Truscott—Medicine Mound (date open.) Rev. Stapleton—Margaret, March 4, night.
Black, afternoon of Feb. 25.

Items from Neighboring Communities

FOARD CITY (By Mrs. G. M. Canup)

Mrs. Henry Springle spent last Sunday with Mrs. Claude Callaway at Crowell. Mrs. T. F. Welch attended the zone meeting at Paducah Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glover were called to Crowell Monday on account of illness of Mr. Glover's brother, John Glover. Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Halbert attended the funeral of "Uncle" Joe Beveridge at Crowell Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Callaway visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of Crowell last Sunday. Mrs. Blakemore and daughter, Mrs. Guy Easley and children, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wallen Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Washburn from Quanah are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Canup. Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis and children visited relatives in Amherst last week-end. Ben Jenkins and Mr. Stimpson and daughter of Boyse City were looking for their farm business here this week. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wallen, A. Gatherrall and Frank Weatherall attended the funeral of Joe W. Beveridge at Crowell Monday. The foundation for the loading rack of the Texas Oil Company has been completed. Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDaniel spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Garner of Truscott. Mrs. Tom Ferguson was called to Truscott Wednesday on account of illness of her father, Mr. Myers. Herman Rennels and Johnny Smith from Portales, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Callaway this week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Callaway spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Baker of Crowell. Mrs. J. L. Hunter and children of Argaret spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Owens. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Trawick and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rader Sunday night. J. C. Langston entertained his friends with a party Saturday night. For games were played, cake and refreshments were served to twenty-five guests. The lake which was made by the C. & A. has been completed. We are

GAMBLEVILLE (By Opal Carroll)

D. M. Shultz and son, Dave, visited Mr. and Mrs. Silas Shultz of Vernon Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cargill and C. A. Gibson made a business trip to Wichita Falls Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Alice Bell of Crowell and Carless Gibson of Harrold. Sim V. Gamble happened to the misfortune of getting a toe broken Wednesday when a mule stepped on it. Wayne Diggs, who has been visiting in parts of Oklahoma for the past five weeks, spent the week-end with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haney of Five-in-One. Elton and Lelia Carroll attended church at Thalia Sunday night. On account of the bad weather there was no Sunday school here Sunday morning. Everybody came next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Miss Rebecca Shultz and Miss Estell White of Rayland visited Rebecca's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tarver, of Thalia. Mrs. B. F. Whatley and Mrs. Roland Whatley of Thalia spent Monday with Mrs. F. J. Jonas. Miss Margie Davis of Rayland spent Saturday night and Sunday with Opal Carroll. Mildred Solis, R. G. Edwards, Opal Carroll, Wayne Diggs, Evelyn Solis, Jimmie Edwards, Margie Davis and Morris Diggs went to the singing at Vivian Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Starnes and son, Gady Wayne, and daughter, Lavene, of Thalia spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alston. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. George L. Carroll of Abilene visited in the home of their uncle, C. W. Carroll, and family Sunday morning. Everybody is invited to come to singing here Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Gracie Solomon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Derrington of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips of Ayserville. Miss Ethel Hause spent the week-end with homefolks at Margaret. WEST RAYLAND (By Bonnie Schroeder) Mrs. L. B. Dunson and son, Tom, moved from Vernon to the J. S. Ray farm Wednesday. Ben Bradford suffered a heart attack Wednesday. He is better at this writing. Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughters attended a meeting of the Lutheran W. M. S. at Lockett Thursday afternoon. Elmer Key and Wallace Scales attended court in Crowell Thursday and Friday. Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Owens and Mrs. Sudie Bradford of Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr and

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS on Agricultural Adjustment Plans Prepared by Texas A. and M. College Extension Service

Cotton Plan

Question—If the producer is not satisfied that the county committee has given him his fair allotment, has he any recourse? Answer—Yes. If the difference is over the correctness of his figures of acreage or production he may present evidence of production to the county committee and their decision shall be final. If the question is one regarding rules and regulations, then a statement of the facts agreed upon shall be submitted to the Cotton Section, Production Division, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Washington, D. C., for final decision. Q.—What is the farm allotment? A.—The farm allotment is forty per cent (40%) of that figure (expressed in pounds) which results from multiplying the average number of acres planted to cotton on the land in the years 1928 to 1932, inclusive, by the average yield (expressed in pounds) per acre during said years. Q.—If a part of the farm is sold or a part disposed of in any other way during the term of the contract, how will the farm allotment be divided? A.—In proportion to the cultivated area suitable for cotton on each part as the Secretary of Agriculture or his authorized agent may determine. Q.—Can a producer sell or transfer his allotment to another producer who has signed a contract? A.—No. Q.—Will the farm allotment be changed in 1935? A.—No. Allotment made in 1934 will remain unchanged in 1935, except for the correction of errors. Q.—When is the rented acreage released from the terms of the contract? A.—The rented acreage is released from the terms of the contract in 1934 and in 1935 for the purpose of planting crops for harvest in the year following such release. Q.—What are the payments for 1935? A.—In the event that the Secretary prescribes any reduction in the acreage to be planted to cotton in 1935, payments similar to those for 1934 will be made for the year 1935 on approximately similar dates. Q.—Can a claim for payments be assigned? A.—No; except that the producer may pledge any rental payments due him under this contract for the purpose of obtaining funds for carrying on the current operations of his farm. Q.—What is the procedure if the producer receives any payments and then fails to reduce his cotton acreage? A.—His contract is canceled, he receives no further payments, and any payments already made to him must be returned to the Government.

BLACK (By Lois Nichols)

Miss Margaret Calvin spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Calvin, of Crowell. Claud McLaughlin of Crowell was in this community Friday and Monday setting up radios for Grover Nichols and Charlie Gafford. Miss Vetrice Collier visited homefolks over the week-end at Medicine Mound. J. G. Thompson of Thalia spent Wednesday and Thursday with his daughter, Mrs. Grover Nichols, and family. Rev. Allen of Crowell came out Sunday afternoon to fill his appointment, but due to the sand storm there was no church service. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursley of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bursley and family Sunday. Leonard Boren, Tom Bursley and Grover Nichols are attending court in Crowell this week.

CLAYTONVILLE (By Victoria Owens)

Mrs. Corinne Hutton spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Propps, of Seymour. Miss Winnie Howell is on the sick list this week. Mary Ermine, Betty Jean and R. J. Owens spent Saturday night with Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh of Good Creek. Jim Polk was a business visitor in Paducah last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Foster and children of Plainview are visiting Mrs. J. T. Foster. Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler, who have been living in this community, have moved to Antelope Flat. Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh of Good Creek visited Mrs. J. M. Speck Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Connell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Owens of Foard City Friday night.

If Your Toes Itch

you are probably suffering with ATHLETE'S FOOT. This disease is a form of ringworm that is deeply imbedded in the inner layers of skin, causing small blisters that spread the disease when opened by scratching. BROWN'S LOTION will stop the itching instantly and heal any case of ATHLETE'S FOOT within fourteen days or your money will be refunded. No bandage is necessary after using BROWN'S LOTION. 60c and \$1.00 bottles at Reader's Drug Store and all good drug stores. No. 2

Andrew Brone of Los Angeles had James Simpson arrested as a nuisance for snoring so loudly that he was kept awake.

When thieves visited the home of John Covert, of Chicago, the only thing they took was the back door, including the hinges.

Sing for President



CLEVELAND: . . . Miss Nan Johnson, (above) has been invited by President and Mrs. Roosevelt to sing at the White House, some day soon and she has accepted. Nan, a victim of infantile paralysis since 6, was prevailed upon to give up piano and study voice. She appeared before the Cleveland Rotary Club recently, which appearance brought the White House invitation.

HOW'S YOUR GEOGRAPHY

Few of us know much about geography, except in a most vague way, and this being the case a little inquiry into the latitude and longitude of various places often reveals facts which are somewhat surprising, as a few examples may illustrate.

We think of "sunny Italy" as a warm, southern country, yet Rome and Chicago are in exactly the same latitude. Other pairs of places of equal latitude are Paris and Quebec; Berlin and Attu Island, Alaska; New York and Istanbul (Constantinople); Florence, Italy, and Toronto, Canada. Venice, famed for its canals, is in the same latitude as Montreal.

In the matter of longitude, also, our casual impressions often might be found faulty. A classic example, pretty well known by this time, is that the Pacific end of the Panama Canal is farther east than the Atlantic end, owing to the peculiar curve of the isthmus.

Due to the eastward sweep of South America's western coast, we find Santiago, Chile, to be 200 miles farther east than New York. Reno, Nev., is farther west than Los Angeles, Washington, D. C., is due north of Nassau, Bahama Islands.

A good many persons, when they first heard of it, were surprised to learn that Tokyo, Japan, is some 1,100 miles farther east than Manila, Philippine Islands.

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Outside white paint \$1.45 per gallon.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Supt. I. T. Graves has been absent from school this week on account of illness.

Mrs. A. H. Kennedy and sister, Mrs. Fred Guy, of Chillicothe visited Mrs. Kennedy's son, Earl Kennedy, and wife here Tuesday.

J. M. Russell has returned from a trip to Los Angeles, Calif. He left here the first of the week for Fort Worth.

Big tube of cold patch for 15c.—H. S. Henry & Co.

Miss Faye Callaway, student in Amarillo Junior College, spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fisch of Floydada were visitors over the week-end in the home of Mrs. Fisch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thomas.

Bill Elliott, Gordon Gribble and Tom Beverly left last Thursday for a visit of about two weeks in Hollywood and other California points.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds of Chillicothe were here Wednesday visiting Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Loyd.

Luther McMillan, independent oil operator of Tyler, was here most of last week looking after his interests in connection with land he recently leased in this county.

C. H. McClellan was called Ledbetter Wednesday on account of the death of his father, Frank McClellan, 70, who died suddenly at his home there.

Fixall enamel for any surface 15c per can.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. Daisy Burton, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association of Quanah, visited Miss Lennis Woods in the Leo Spencer insurance office Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gover and children have recently moved from the Foard City community to the home of Mr. Gover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gover, 1 mile northwest of Crowell.

Mrs. T. S. Patton left for Dallas Saturday to visit her daughters, Ella and Frances, who are nurses in the Baylor Hospital. She was accompanied by Chas. Patton of Dallas, who had been visiting his brothers here.

Mrs. Claude Brooks of McLean, former resident here, arrived in Crowell Sunday night to spend the week here working for J. R. Beverly in his abstract business. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks moved to McLean a few weeks ago.

Miss Fern Kennedy and Dewey (Dood) Kennedy of Chillicothe had as their guests, Misses Ida Lee and Emily Tabor, also of that city, during their visit over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy.

Van Browning was here from Truscott Monday morning.

Mrs. Hub Speck and father, C. M. Willis, visited relatives and friends in Abilene last week-end.

Fay and Ray, twin babies born to Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Spears on Monday were buried the same day in the local cemetery.

Mrs. C. E. Hutchison and Mrs. Luther Roberts left Friday afternoon of last week for their homes in Covina, Cal., and Dallas, Texas, respectively. They spent Friday night with their brother, L. A. Beverly, and family of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Effie Stroud and daughter, Mrs. Texie May Goodgame, returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Paducah. They were called home on account of illness of Mrs. H. Kenner and were accompanied by Maurice Kenner.

Miss Ruby Mashburn of College Station, district home demonstration agent, visited in the office of Miss Myrna Holman, home demonstration agent on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. This was Miss Mashburn's first visit to Foard County as district agent for this section. Miss Minnie Mae Grubbs, former agent for this district, is now the agent for a district in East Texas.

LOCAL P. T. A. TO SPONSOR VANISHING "42" PARTY

The Crowell P. T. A. will sponsor a vanishing "42" party, beginning Friday, Feb. 22, at the home of Mrs. Oscar Boman with three tables. All of the guests will have two tables at their homes and their guests in turn will have one table each at intervals ending Saturday, March 10. A small admission will be charged.

Former Resident of Crowell Married Sun.

Sidney Collins of Vernon, former resident of Crowell and son of Mrs. T. L. Collins of Crowell, was married to Miss Marie Ramsey of Vernon Sunday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. J. H. Hamblen, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Vernon, performing the ring ceremony.

Miss Nina Ruth Terrell, cousin of the bride, and T. E. Crabb of Leonard, Texas, were the only attendants. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ramsey of Vernon and has lived in and near that city all her life. She is a graduate of Vernon High School.

Mr. Collins has lived in Vernon for a number of years since leaving Crowell and is employed as a pharmacist at Cockerell's Drug Store. He is a graduate of Crowell High School and studied pharmacy in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Collins will make their home in Vernon.

QUANAH MAN MAY CONDUCT VOCAL CLASS IN CROWELL

Rev. T. M. Cunningham, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Quanah, was a visitor in Crowell Monday. While here he inquired as to whether there would be sufficient interest in Crowell to enable him to conduct a one-day per week school of vocal instruction here, individually or collectively.

Rev. Cunningham is now conducting vocal classes in Quanah and Vernon. He received his vocal training under Sergi Klibanski in New York and under Rulon Y. Robinson of Boston and has taught voice in Gainesville, Fort Worth, Thurber and other points.

Anyone interested in having Rev. Cunningham to instruct them in voice may write him at Quanah. He also plans to be in Crowell next Wednesday, Feb. 28.

NEGRO MINSTREL AT THALIA

A negro minstrel is being sponsored Friday night at the Thalia school auditorium by the girls' choral club of Thalia High School. There will be a small admission charge.

Lost 20 Lbs. of Fat In Just 4 Weeks

Mrs. Mae West of St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I'm only 28 yrs. old and weighed 170 lbs. until taking one box of your Kruschen Salts just 4 weeks ago. I now weigh 150 lbs. I also have more energy and furthermore I've never had a hungry moment."

Fat folks should take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast—an 85 cent bottle lasts 4 weeks—you can get Kruschen at any drug store in America. If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back. 1

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- BANANAS, Golden Fruit, doz. 19c
- POTATOES, peck 32c
- MILK, 7 cans 25c
- PORK and BEANS, each 5c
- PRUNES, gallon 39c
- MUSTARD, qt. jar, each 15c
- PEANUT BUTTER, bulk, bring pail, lb. 10c
- SYRUP, East Texas Sorghum, gallon . . . 55c
- SYRUP, East Texas Ribbon Cane, gallon 65c
- FLOUR, Breadmaker, 48 lbs. \$1.65

FOX BROTHRES

ATTENDS SEYMOUR MEETING ROTARY BIRTHDAY IS OBSERVED AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. R. L. Kincaid went to Seymour Friday to attend a dinner given for P. T. A. officials of Baylor County, at which time plans were formulated for the 13th District conference which will convene at that place on April 17 and 18. She also spoke on Saturday morning at a County Council meeting. Mrs. Kincaid was accompanied to Seymour by Miss Thelma White and Mrs. Esca Brown, who visited relatives.

New Equipment Added At Wright Cleaners

Several hundred dollars worth of new machinery has been installed this week at the Wright Cleaners of this city and is now in operation. A. F. Wright, proprietor, states that the most delicate materials and colors can be handled with perfect results through the use of the new equipment. He invites the public to inspect his new improvements.

FIDDLERS' CONTEST AT CHILDRESS ON MARCH 2

Fiddlers from a wide territory around Childress are expected to gather at Childress, Friday night, March 2, for a "fiddlers' contest," which will be under the direction of W. A. Glenn and H. R. Henderson.

This will be the first fiddlers' contest to be held at Childress in several years, and indications now point to a contest with many entries. Fiddlers from all over this section are invited to attend.

Prizes will be offered for the best fiddlers, jig dancers and the contest will be followed by an old-fashioned square dance.

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Tired mothers welcome the relief when somebody volunteers to assume the responsibility and "mind the baby" for a while.

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In the last analysis, a checking account is a privilege as well as a pleasure.

CROWELL STATE BANK

Locals

Outside white paint \$1.45 per gallon.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. A. N. Vernon of Dallas was here Saturday visiting friends.

Rockers \$2.00 to \$12.50.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Mrs. H. Bell and Carlos Gibson visited Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. C. H. Melton and Mrs. E. P. Omar of Henrietta and Mrs. S. E. Woods of Wichita Falls spent Tuesday and Wednesday here visiting relatives and friends.

A few light bulbs left, 3 for 25c.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. Sherman Smith of Carter, Okla., is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Josie Bomar, who is seriously at the home of her son, Fred Bomar.

Outside white paint \$1.45 per gallon.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Sheriff Arch Holmes of Seymour was a visitor in Crowell this week.

Genuine Diamond rugs in 9x12 size for only \$6.95.—M. S. Henry & Company.

Mrs. A. B. Calvin and daughter, Miss Margaret, went to Archer City Saturday, returning Sunday, where they attended to business matters for Mrs. Calvin.

Martin Kamstra returned to Crowell last week from St. Louis, Mo., where he had resided for more than a year.

W. L. Campbell, a former resident of this county, and D. M. Deen of McLean, were here last Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts and son, John Clark, of Gladewater, and Mr. Roberts' mother, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, of Altus, Okla., all former residents of Crowell, spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Crowell. Mr. Roberts is a former county and district clerk of this county. They returned to Altus Saturday morning.

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WANTED—To rent, residence in Crowell.—S. R. Roy at Lilly Motor Co.

Sewing

WILL MAKE BUTTONS—I have received a machine for making buttons. See me if you need buttons of any kind or size.—Mrs. J. T. Billington.

Lost

LOST—Span of mules, 1 black and 1 gray. Please notify A. F. McMillan.

Electrical Work

FOR ANY kind of electrical work, see Valton Wallace.

SEEDS

HALF AND HALF Cotton Seed for sale.—T. L. Ward, Thalia. 38p

FIELD AND GARDEN seeds for sale at Ballard Produce Co. Will also pay highest prices for your poultry and hides.—Ballard Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Second-year Georgia strain Half and Half cotton seed. 75c per bu. at my place 4 miles east of Thalia.—W. F. Hlavaty. 37p

Wood For Sale

WOOD FOR SALE—See Bill Russell. 36

WOOD FOR SALE—I have approximately 20 loads of wood for immediate sale. See me at once.—A. F. McMillan.

Used Cars

FOR SALE—1930 Ford Tudor, 1929 Ford Coupe, Willys-Knight Phaeton, Buick roadster.—J. C. Self Motor Co.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington setting eggs.—L. Kamstra.

FOR SALE—Livestock and farm tools.—Crowell State Bank. 34

FOR SALE OR TRADE for farm, business in Crowell. Write box 182, Crowell. 34

RAWLEIGH PRODUCTS—I will sell Rawleigh Products on Saturday afternoons and First Mondays. Will sell for cash only.—A. B. Calvin. 35p

FOR SALE—Few tons good, heavy Plains maize for sale. We will trade 3,000 lbs cottonseed hulls and 600 lbs cottonseed meal for 2,000 lbs cotton seed.—Crowell Gin. 34

WILL TRADE gift for a bear.—Otto Haseloff, Margaret. 34p

WORK MULES—I have a good supply of good work mules on hand.—T. D. Roberts.

CUSTOM SEWING and altering shop in back room in Bank of Crowell building.—Mrs. Earl Logan. 35p

LIVESTOCK—Horses and mules bought and sold. Good stuff.—T. D. Roberts, Old Hunter livery barn. 34

Wanted

WANTED—Reliable man age 25 to 50 to supply established demand for Rawleigh Products in Foard, Hardeeman counties, Quanah and Crowell. Other good localities available. Company furnishes everything but the car. Good profits for hustlers. Write Rawleigh Co., Dept. TX-335-OD, Memphis, Tenn., or see Z. C. Cornell, Paducah, Texas. 36p

No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 34

No wood hauling, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on land owned or leased by me. Any violators will be prosecuted to fullest extent of law.—W. B. Johnson. 39p

CHURCHES

Christian Science

Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject for Sunday, February 25, 1934. Subject: "Mind."

Sunday School at 9:45. Reading Room open Monday, Thursday and Saturday 2 to 5 p. m. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Baptist Church

9:45 Sunday School, T. H. Russell, Supt. 11:00 Sermon, "The Forgotten Man." 6:15 B. T. S., Mrs. Vernon Pyle, Director. 7:15 Sermon, "The Bible." Monday 3:00 o'clock, W. M. U., Mrs. R. D. Oswalt, President. Wednesday night, 7:15 Prayer meeting. Study of the Books of Titus and Philemon. O. L. SAVAGE, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Are you willing to have your church attendance record compared with Quanah and Chillicothe on a percentage basis? Sunday these last named places will begin their contest. Let's make it a three-way contest. The attendance Sunday morning, evening, at Sunday School and Young Peoples League will be added together and compared with the other churches. Chillicothe having approximately 400 church membership, Crowell 500, and Quanah 600, the proportion will be on the 4-5-6 ratio. When Chillicothe has 133, Crowell 166, and Quanah 200, our percentage will be the same. Let every Sunday School Class and each individual begin to boost for a record attendance. The improvement in our choir is making our singing and each part of the services of the church more attractive. Can we count on you, Sunday? GEO. E. TURRENTINE.

First Baptist Church, Thalia

On Monday, Feb. 12, the Thalia Baptist W. M. S., met at the home of Mrs. E. D. Shaw. A mission program, which had been previously planned, was rendered and was enjoyed by all, especially the host, and Mrs. Webb. There were fourteen ladies present.

Sunday, Feb. 18, Bro. Reed filled his regular appointment. Owing to the inclement weather the crowd was not so large, but the services were good. By request a duet, "Face to Face," was rendered by G. B. Neill and Mrs. C. D. Haney at the morning hour. The messages for both the morning and evening hours were very inspiring and helpful. At a short business session after the evening services the church voted to have our spring meeting begin the first Sunday in April, continuing through the third Sunday. Visitors are welcome.—Reporter.

Christian Science Churches

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 25. The Golden Text is: "Be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous" (I Peter 3:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counsellor?" (Romans 11:34).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "There can be but one Mind, because there is but one God; and if mortals claimed no other Mind and accepted no other, sin would be unknown. We can have but one Mind, if that one is infinite. We bury the sense of infinitude, when we admit that, although God is infinite, evil has a place in this infinity, for evil can have no place, where all space is filled with God." (page 469.)

Black Christian Endeavor

Program for Feb. 25, 1934. Text: Gal. 1:11-24. Great Religious Leaders of Today. Leader's talk—Aubbe Hacker. Scripture and comment—Roy Huckabee. 1. Comparing present leaders with the leaders of the past—Annie Mae Hall. 2. Modernism has taken their power—Margaret Calvin. 3. The qualities of leadership—Moody Bursley. 4. Our heritage of sacrifices—Tom Nichols. 5. The minister's influence—Doris Gentry. 6. The self-sacrificing missionaries—William Simmons. Quotable poetry—Raymond Horn.

Foard City Methodist Church News

There will be a laymen's program Sunday night, Feb. 25, at 7:30 o'clock in the Foard City Methodist Church. Speakers will be present from Quanah, Texas.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

by Charles E. Dunn

The Twelve Sent Forth. Lesson for February 25th, Matt., Chap. 10.

Golden Text: Matt. 9:37-38. As we think of the twelve disciples we are reminded of that impressive word of the apostle Paul, "Not many wise men, not many leading men, not many of good birth, have been called!"

Not one of these twelve was a college graduate. Not one belonged to the professional or upper classes. They were humble, obscure souls, common folk of Galilee assembled from the rank and file. At least four of them were fishermen. One was a despised tax collector, one was a militant, zealous antagonist of the Roman Empire, and one was a traitor.

Yet these apostles of lowly origin heralded the gospel with such signal success that the Christian movement, although it lost its footing in Jerusalem, spread rapidly as a conquering force through the Gentile world. To quote again from the noble-hearted Paul, "God has chosen what is weak in the world to shame what is strong."

Here we have an illustration of one of the striking lessons of the Bible. The Good Book is eager to point out the power of a resolute minority. "The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong." Abraham was told that Sodom would be spared if ten righteous men could be found therein. Jeremiah sought for one conscientious man in Jerusalem, confident that his presence would save the city. And Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego successfully defied the burning fiery furnace of Nebuchadnezzar. So the disciples, though very few in number, boldly and triumphantly challenged the pagan world of their day.

Of course, the field of their operation was limited, for Jesus bade them go only "to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Their ministry was wisely centered by the Master on the local neighborhood and its immediate need. The time was not ripe for a foreign missionary tour. But it was not long before their message had been carried to the ends of the earth.

Tex. Interscholastic League Continues to Gain In Membership

Austin, Texas, Feb. 21.—Membership in the Texas Interscholastic League continues at a high level, thereby actually recording a percentage gain, in view of the fact that each year there are fewer public schools in Texas, due to the large consolidation program that is sweeping the State, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the University of Texas Bureau of Public School Interests. There are approximately 5,600 schools enrolled in the League this year, about the same as last. This indicates that the League each year is gaining as members a higher percentage of the schools operating in the State. This, coupled with the fact that limited finances are keeping a considerable number of schools either closed or operating on a short term basis, illustrates the remarkable vitality of the League.

Approximately 1,400 high schools are participating in League basketball, also about the same as last year. This figure does not, however, cover anything like all schools which sponsor basketball teams. Mo Bedichek pointed out, since no fee is charged rural schools for this sport, and consequently no record is kept in the State League office of the number of schools of this character which participate.

A large increase has been recorded in the League one-act play contest, enrollment this year totaling 340 schools, as compared with 280 last year. A slight increase is shown in registrations for the Interscholastic

There will be special music. Come, and tell your neighbors and friends.

Services Sunday morning: 10 a. m.—Sunday School. 11 a. m.—Preaching by the pastor; subject, "How We May Know Jesus Better." The W. M. S. meets Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church. O. C. STAPLETON, Pastor.

Christian Endeavor

At Christian Church next Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Subject: Great Religious Leaders of Today. Subjects for impromptu discussion: Today's leadership versus yesterday's leadership. What makes a great leader? What is the true test of great leadership? Some outstanding religious leaders today. All young folk are invited to attend.—Program Committee.

League Press Conference, and enrollment in the typing contest likewise gained. This year for the first time the State office is requiring a report on the results of the county League meets, so that hereafter data will be available on the actual number of schools and individuals participating in each event.

At Ashland, Neb., a bridge belonging to the Hunter Bridge and Iron Works, weighing 60,000 pounds, was stolen.

For 25 years a game of whist has been played in West Boylston, Mass., and the players intend to continue indefinitely.

Mrs. Mary Barrow of Belfast, who found and returned \$10,000 lost by a banker, was given a reward of 25 cents.

Miss Elsie Schuman of Chicago had James Durher arrested when he taunted her for having "skinny legs."

Mrs. Eleanor Bush of Glasgow was sent to prison for four months for making false accusations against another woman for spite.

A News Want Ad gets results.

Why the Sudden Change to Liquid Laxatives?

Doctors have always recognized the value of the laxative whose dose can be measured, and whose action can be thus regulated to suit individual need.

The public, too, is fast returning to the use of liquid laxatives. People have learned that a properly prepared liquid laxative brings a perfect movement without any discomfort at the time, or after.

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The wrong cathartic may often do more harm than good.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a prescription, and is perfectly safe. Its laxative action is based on senna—a natural laxative. The bowels will not become dependent on this form of help. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is at all druggists. Member N. R. A.



DES MOINES: Above is Lieut. Gov. Nels G. Kraschel of Iowa who has been indicted by a federal grand jury on charges of having conspired to defraud the U. S. as executive secretary of the Iowa Public Works Board.

Snappy Stuff

Asked if he wanted a lawyer, Crew of Chicago, accused of robbing a bank, thanked the court and said he wanted to have a couple of wives.

Mrs. Ada Gloran of Detroit, charged with cruelty to her husband, would she have to support tired husband.

Because his daughter was late at night Vaclar Kramsterling, Ill., branded her with a hot iron.

Five gypsy babies yelled when the gypsy band was in a La Porte, Texas, jail. Authorities released the babies to get rid of the noise.

Bert Nevins of Manhattan charged with cruelty to a turkey was found in a room strapped to a chair.

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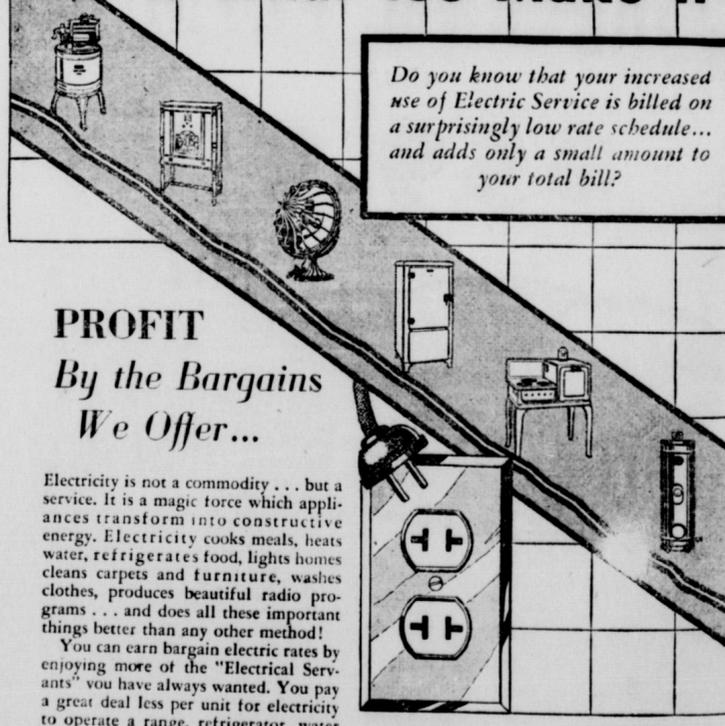
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To get fifteen thousand dollars to save the family honor, Nancy Gordon promises to marry the well-to-do Dr. Richard Morgan. Her beloved brother, Roddy, has come home from New York to confess that he has taken an amount from the bank where he works—because a woman needed it and that he will be jailed if he is found out before he returns it. So Nancy, in love with the penniless nee Roemer, decides to borrow the money from Morgan, and pledges herself to marry him in return. He agrees to the bargain, feeling sure she can make her love him. While they are talking at his house, Roemer comes to see him. "Oh, Richard, don't let him come in here," begs Nancy when she hears his name. And as Richard looks at her the pitiful little secret of her love for Page is revealed to him.

HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"Nancy, you don't quite hate me do you?"

She blushed; she remembered suddenly her cry to her father: "I hate it man!" And she was going to cry. She felt ill and weak and trembling, but she remembered her father's ashen face in his sleep. "N-no, I don't hate you!" she answered, faintly. "I—oh, don't ask me."

He did not; he was silent for a moment, looking at her, and then he remembered.

"I'm going to get that money for you, Nancy. Fortunately, I have it in the bank, in such shape I can get it, the whole of it, today. But only eight o'clock, the banks aren't open, won't be for an hour. Will you breakfast with me? I've got Mammy Polk here, but she's a good cook. Come to breakfast with me, Nancy, for the first time."

Then she raised her eyes involuntarily to his and her heart seemed to stand still. How his face had changed! She would never have known it. She smiled. If he loved her like that it was a terrible treat to her; to come to his life and wreck it—for money! Every noble instinct in her nature revolted against it, and there was Roddy and her mother and her father! Suddenly she covered her face with her hands and groaned.

"Oh, Richard!"

He was startled; he felt a change here, and his flush deepened. Something almost like hope quickened in his heart, but he did not speak.

Neither did she, they had no time. Mammy Polk came to the door. "Breakfast's a ready, Mist' Richard!"

She was a tall, old black woman, bent and erect in her striped purple apron and her long apron. "Mammy Polk, we've got company breakfast," said Richard quickly. "Miss Gordon is going to eat breakfast with me."

Mammy Polk courtesied. "Howdy, Miss Nancy? We've got coffee; do doctah, he don't noffin mornin's. Can't I drop you on a bit ob bacon, Miss Nancy?"

"No, no! I like waffles, Mammy Polk. I'll take anything you have."

Mammy Polk smiled. "I reckon I'll like de waffles," she said proudly.

"Mammy's famous for them," said Richard. "Come, Nancy, let's go out breakfast."

He bent over her, his face aglow, bringing his arm. Nancy took it and led him to look at him. Together they walked into the dining room, leaving the tall figure of Mammy Polk.

Richard led her to a chair opposite her own. Nancy sat down weakly, hardly daring to lift her eyes, she was afraid the old negro woman would see the traces of tears.

"Try to eat something, Nancy, you'll be ill if you don't," she heard Richard's voice.

"Indeed I can't eat, Richard!"

She felt his eyes on her and tried to hide her own, toying with her fork. Her lips trembled. Was he wondering why she wanted that awful meal?

"Don't ask too much, Richard!" she cried, agonizingly.

He shot a look across at her, and his own color died away slowly.

"I wish you'd try to eat—see these waffles," he offered Mammy Polk's.

Nancy took one and sat looking at her lips still trembling.

"I don't want to cry into a waffle," she said in a choked voice, "don't ask me, please don't!"

"I can't—there's someone at the door now to see me," Richard rose. "I'll send him off in a jiffy—why, it's nee Roemer!"

Nancy sprang up, her face white. Oh, Richard, don't let him come in here!" she gasped.

Richard, who had started for the door, turned and looked at her, his heart in his eyes. For a full minute they stood thus, looking at each other, and Nancy's pitiful little secret told itself. Richard knew it. He seemed to hesitate, to be thinking hard, and his strange eyes deepened and darkened wonderfully.

"I shan't bring him in here, Nancy," he said quietly, and went into the next room.

Nancy sank down again into her chair at the table. Every nerve in her body throbbled and quivered, she heard Page Roemer's voice, then

Richard's, then the movements of the two men out there in the hall. Richard was sending him away and she felt like death. If Page came into the room, if he dreamed what she had done—her face burned with shame. Horror seized her, she clung to the arms of the old mahogany chair in which she sat. It seemed to her that she had lost all power of thought and action. Then she heard the front door shut and Richard coming back alone. She did not look up, she could not. He came in slowly and stopped beside her.



Every nerve in her body throbbled and quivered when she heard Page Roemer's voice.

"Nancy," his voice was kind, but there was emotion in it as deep as hers. "I'm going out now—to the bank. Stay here, please, with Mammy Polk. I'll bring it straight back—the sum you need."

She tried to answer him but she could not. She had risen and was standing weakly, and he made her sit down again. His touch was gentle and his face, close to hers, flushed and paled almost like a woman's. Their eyes met, and for the first time, he kissed her.

"Nancy!"

She was trembling violently and she could not raise her eyes. He held her close, pressed to his heart, and she felt his breath soft and warm on her cheek.

"I'll make you love me!" he said again. "If I thought I couldn't—I wouldn't dare—but I will, Nancy, I will!"

Her head sank lower and there was a little silence more eloquent than words. Then she gasped. "Please don't—not now, Richard! I—I can't bear any more."

"I know—forgive me!" He was up and half way to the door, then he leaped back, his heart in his eyes, hot with wrath. He was thinking of Page Roemer. But something in her attitude, in the appealing profile, the air of grief and helplessness, went to his heart. He did not speak; he opened the door and went out.

To Nancy the shutting of that door snapped the tension. She sank lower in her chair, her eyes fixed on a space of sunshine outside the window where she could see the soft green turf, and here and there the yellow flame of a crocus.

Those yellow crocuses out there leaped up like tongues of flame, she watched them, fascinated. If she could only get out of that window and run away—she caught her breath at the thought. It would be so easy! Could she? But there was Roddy to go to jail, and her father! She remembered and shuddered, hiding her eyes.

She heard Mammy Polk's voice but the words were blurred, the old woman was babbling about Richard. Nancy's ears were strained, listening for his step coming back; she heard, instead, the clock strike, a single flute-like bell, half past nine.

Mammy Polk set a dish down and turned quickly.

"Clare's goodness, dere's Mist' Richard coming back now!" she exclaimed.

Nancy sank lower in her chair; a deep blush mounted. Then she rose slowly to her feet, gripped the edge of the table and stood, swaying a little, her face turned toward the door, waiting for this man who was so soon to be—her husband!

Richard had brought the money, all of it, and he had asked no questions, not even when he saw the haste that invaded her like a tempest, the secret haste that she wanted to hide from him and could not.

"Richard, I've got to go home!" she cried trembling. "I—I must go alone, too. Don't ask me why!"

And he had not asked. Suddenly his voice and his eyes were kind, as if he knew. The passion seemed to have died out of them, but there was tenderness.

"I'd come if I could help—could I, Nancy?"

She shook her head, speechless, poised for flight, and he was generous. He let her go unquestioned and undelayed.

Fear winged her feet; she almost ran down the long street; she was possessed with a horror of being too late, of having done it all in vain!

Her imagination, a vivid, restless thing at best, pictured Roddy's arrest just as she entered—or, whose still, he'd be on his way to New York with the detectives.

She turned the corner, had a glimpse of the old house and garden, quiet under the fine old trees, and drew a breath of relief. When she opened the gate she saw Roddy walking up and down inside the lilac hedge. He paced restlessly, but with a dragging, dejected gait. He wanted to escape it all, but there was no escape—except by the road. He had promised Nancy not to go until she came back. And then it might be too late.

Nancy was thankful that he was alone! She could tell him so much more easily than she could tell her parents. They were her real problems.

"Roddy," she breathed in catchy gasps, "I ran all the way—here's the money—go to New York and pay it all back!"

Roddy, utterly amazed, stood staring blankly as she thrust the bulky package into his hands. She had never looked smaller or more childlike; her pale face a little drawn, tears of excitement misting her blue eyes, only her lips touched with red, moist and trembling. She must have gone mad, he thought soberly.

"Take it, take it, Rod! It's all right—bonds and securities as good as gold, you can cash them, take them and go—quick, quick, before it's too late!"

He took the bundle, glanced at its contents and stared at her with his mouth open.

"Where in mischief did you get it, Nancy?"

"I—I got it—" she stopped, leaning against a tree, breathless. She was so pale that her blue eyes looked dark. "It doesn't matter—I borrowed it. You can have it, Roddy."

He was turning the papers over, bonds and securities and cash. His amazement deepened as he counted and assured himself that all were genuine. Fifteen thousand dollars—the whole sum—from the gods! How in the name of heaven—? He stared at his sister, the red glinting in his wine-brown eyes.

"What have you been doing? Where in the world did you get this, Nancy?" he demanded hoarsely.

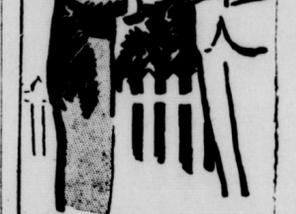
"I didn't steal it!" she said in a low voice.

He turned on her. "Don't rub that in!" he cried almost fiercely. There seemed to be no gratitude, no response in him. He stared at her as if he thought her a thief, she had hurt him cruelly.

Her face crimsoned under his eyes. "It's mine!" she repeated with stiff lips. "Don't stand there, don't stare at me, go back to New York. Oh, Roddy, go before it's too late!"

A light broke over his perturbed face. Relief or something akin to it.

"Oh, Lord, I'm thankful!" he breathed, folding the envelope up and staring at her. "I'm going—but—"



Roddy, utterly amazed, stood staring blankly as she thrust the package in his hands.

Nancy, where on earth did you get it? I must know that!"

Her eyes darkened suddenly, she choked back a sob.

"I'll never tell—unless you trust me and go—right away."

Roddy stared, his jaw dropping, he turned white and then red. "Nancy Virginia, did you tell—to get it?"

Nancy, who felt his shamed misery, threw her arms about him.

"I didn't—I vow I didn't, Rod! I just borrowed it."

"Borrowed it—on no security? Lord, Nancy, how can we pay it back?"

Anger welled up again in Nancy. She had suffered and he took it this way—without thought of her!

"We'll do it somehow, Rod! Can't you trust me—I won't tell, I won't truly! Oh, Rod, do you want to go to jail? Can't you wake up, take it and go—go!"

Their eyes met. She was clinging to his arm, pushing him away, urging him to go, and they were very close together.

"I did it for father," she said flatly, "it was killing him. Now go—go. There's a train, you can just catch it!"

He hesitated, in an agony of shame. He wanted to fling the borrowed money back, to say he'd face jail first, but his courage ebbed as the temptation pressed against his heart, he held the package gingerly, but he knew the money was there—the money to save him!

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

Robert Clayton of Philadelphia was ordered to pay for a pair of shoes bought by his wife two years before he married her.

Walter Charton of Chicago testified in his divorce suit that "my wife kicked me, bit me, scratched me, pulled my hair an then kissed me."

The News Want Ads get results.

Chevrolet Produced Over 23,000 Units During Past Month

Detroit, Mich.—Production of the new 1934 commercial cars and trucks by the Chevrolet Motor Company in January exceeded 23,000 units, with prospects that the same or a higher rate of output would be maintained in February, March and April, according to William E. Holler, general sales manager.

Sale of trucks at retail reported by dealers in the month just ended set a new high January mark in the history of the company, Mr. Holler added.

As an indication of the growing importance of the truck share of Chevrolet's total volume, Mr. Holler pointed out that in 1933 the company built 130,200 commercial cars and trucks, more than twice the number built in 1932 and the highest annual truck production since 1930.

Original projections for 1934 were considerably above the 1933 output, but the rate at which retail orders are being booked by dealers indicates that even the larger 1934 quota will have to be revised upward, Mr. Holler stated. He pointed out that of some thirty companies building trucks, the output of Chevrolet from the first of this year to date exceeded the total 1933 production of every other manufacturer, with but one exception.

Half a million square miles of Arabia remain to be explored by foreigners.

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DOORN, Holland: . . . Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, in exile here since the World War, celebrated his 75th birthday on January 27th and released this recent picture to show himself still " hale and hearty."

Federal and state penal institutions of the United States contained 158,947 prisoners in 1932.

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Mrs. Tuttle Surprised With Birthday Dinner

Four generations were present for the surprise birthday dinner given Mrs. W. R. Tuttle at her home here on Feb. 12. Mrs. Tuttle's daughters and granddaughters prepared the dinner for this delightful occasion which was attended by the following: Mrs. H. L. Jinks of Valley View, Mrs. E. L. Howard of Quanah, Mrs. D. E. Thomson of Quanah, and Mrs. C. E. Gafford of the Black community, all daughters; Mrs. R. R. Swindell of Quanah and Mrs. George Davis of Crowell, granddaughters; Larry Swindell, great-grandson, and C. E. Gafford.

Mrs. Womack Honored On 83rd Birthday

Mrs. R. P. Womack was honored on Valentine Day with a party at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida Reavis. It was the occasion of Mrs. Womack's 83rd birthday and her daughters and daughters-in-law who reside here, were hostesses. They are: Mrs. Reavis, Mrs. Ben Greening, Mrs. Curtis Ribble, Mrs. Clarence McKown, Mrs. Edgar Womack and Mrs. Will Womack.

rated with red hearts, arrows and cupid. A beautiful birthday cake, with 83 candles, was served with ice cream to several guests, former neighbors of Mrs. Womack. They were: Mrs. Rucker, Mrs. Duke Wallace, Mrs. J. R. Edgin, Mrs. Jas. Ashford, Miss Myrna Holman was also a guest.

Misses Louise McKown and Bertha Womack, granddaughters, were present and assisted in entertaining. Little Ruth Ribble and Dorothy Greening also assisted by passing the napkins.

Mrs. Womack's children have long made it a practice to honor their mother on her birthday. She received numbers of nice gifts on the occasion of her 83rd birthday.

Program on Founders' Day at PTA Meeting

Founders' Day was celebrated by the Crowell P. T. A. on Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the High School auditorium.

Mrs. R. L. Kincaid paid tribute to Mrs. Berney and Mrs. Hearst, founders of the Congress of Parents and Teachers, in an address on Monuments. She contrasted the great monuments of the world war memorials and monuments to great men and ideals, with the wonderful monument of character and culture being developed in the lives of millions of children each year.

A playlet depicting a dream of a

modern mother was given. In the dream Mrs. Berney, Mrs. Hearst and Mrs. David Mears, originator of the Founder's Day idea, reviewed the aspirations, difficulties and accomplishments of the organization inspiring the modern mother to renewed consecration and effort. The part of Mrs. Berney was played by Mrs. Kincaid, Mrs. Hearst by Mrs. T. B. Klepper, Mrs. Mears by Mrs. L. A. Andrews, and the modern mother by Mrs. Pete Bell. The play closed with an appropriate solo by Mrs. A. F. Wright.

Mrs. N. J. Roberts gave items of interest concerning P. T. A. and spoke of the Texas Centennial asking those interested in seeing the Centennial successfully carried out to write to Senator Oneal or Mr. Moffett this week.

The three prize attendance plants went to Misses Black and Schlagal's rooms and the freshman class respectively.

Mrs. I. T. Graves was leader for the afternoon and third grade mothers and teachers had charge of the social hour.

Party Honoring Sisters At Saunders Home Wed.

Miss Ira Pearl Saunders was hostess at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday evening as a compliment to her sisters, Mrs. R. Nickolich and Miss Zell Elizabeth Saunders, who are guests in the home. Mrs. Nickolich has been residing in Amarillo for the past few years and is en route to Carlsbad, N. M., to join her husband and reside. Miss Saunders will accompany her sister to Carlsbad and will be her guest there.

Contract bridge was enjoyed thru-out the evening, with Miss Florence Griffith high scorer among the ladies and Cotton Griffith among the men, for which favors were salt and pepper shakers and a key case.

A delicious buffet supper was served at the conclusion of the diversion. A beautiful centerpiece of pansies and fern adorned the dining table which was attractive with a cellophane cover and silver appointments. Pink tapers in silver holders were placed at either end of the table.

The menu consisted of canapes, cold meats, cheese, stuffed celery, eggs, olives, pickles, cakes, nuts and coconut tea biscuits. Coffee was poured from a silver service.

Guests on this delightful occasion were the honor guests, Misses Gusta Davis, Ila Lovelady, Florence Griffith, Lottie Russell, Lennis Woods, Mrs. Marie Rider; Messrs. Joe C. Root, Vance Swaim, Charles Ferguson, Jack Roberts, Jr., B. K. Garrett, Cotton Griffith, Henry Black and Henry Borchardt.

VALENTINE PARTY FOR FRESHMAN CLASS FEB. 13

Mrs. W. H. Moyer was hostess to the Freshman class at her home Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, with a valentine party. Games of "hearts" were enjoyed throughout the evening. Frances Welch won the prize for high score. While the refreshments were being served, Miss Ball, the class sponsor, was presented with a box of valentine candy by the class in appreciation of her good sponsorship.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to: Misses Myrtle McKown, Dorothy Erwin, Frances Welch, Maudie Dawson, Edith Hutcheson, Ann Mabe, Mary Frances Green, Evelyn Lee Cauthon, Julia Bell Erwin, and Adolph Slovak, Glenn Shook, Fred Mabe, Raymond Horn, Arthur Campbell, Ray Thomas, Lyle Oneil, Richard Veera, Raymond Gibson, Dock Jonas, Bob Moyer, and the class sponsor, Miss Louise Ball.

SENIORS ENTERTAINED WITH VALENTINE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Todd entertained the Seniors February 14th, with a Valentine party. Games of "hearts" were played by the largest number of seniors that have yet attended a class party.

Tiny mint hearts were hidden about the rooms in which games were played and Margaret Cates won the race in the collection of these hearts. After several other appropriate games and relays, delicious refreshments consisting of red-and-white heart-shaped sandwiches, white-and-red cake and tea were served. The Valentine box seemed to make the evening complete, and the seniors declared that Mr. and Mrs. Todd certainly made a charming host and hostess.

SOPHOMORE CLASS HAS PARTY AT MCKOWN HOME

The Sophomore class had an entertainment at the home of Mrs. Clyde McKown Wednesday night of last week at 7 o'clock. "Hearts" and other games were played and enjoyed by everyone. The refreshments consisted of sandwiches, cookies and punch. Miss Louise Ball was present as a visitor.—Reporter.

This-That, Etc.



By Typo Wrighter

Local Boy Makes Good

The name of C. C. McLaughlin, local electrical contractor and wise-cracker deluxe, has been carried to every state in the nation as a result of Claude's response in signing and returning one little post card.

Last November the "Electrical Mirror," published in New York and claiming the largest circulation of any electrical publication, mailed 33,000 cards, along with the paper, to those engaged in the electrical industry, requesting that they return the card if they wanted the "Mirror" to continue coming to them.

In the February issue the "Mirror" carried a story about the thousands of cards that had been returned, together with a picture of great piles of them. In the foreground of the picture a few cards are scattered about in such a manner as to make it possible to read the names on them and among this "very select" group is none other than "C. C. McLaughlin, Crowell, Texas."

And that wasn't all. Claude also crashed another part of the publication which carried a few comments about the "Mirror" from various parts of the nation. It quoted the Crowell contractor as stating "You certainly have a fine publication." We imagine that Claude thinks the "Mirror" is finer than ever now.

Big Air Circus

Due to the "postponement" of the arrival of a famous pilot and his big tri-motor plane in Crowell, T. P. Duncan, Jr., evidently decided that the air-minded citizens of the town should be given some source of satisfaction in this respect this week.

Considerable attention was attracted Tuesday afternoon as a result of a kite flying high above the business section. Investigation revealed that the string holding it was anchored several blocks south at the elevator of T. P. Duncan & Son and that "Pilot" Duncan had taken advantage of a strong south wind, 1,800 feet of twine, and the enjoyable practice of years past to send his kite high above the town.

Spectators of the "substitute air circus" were treated to a number of

DINNER PARTY

Miss Allison Self was hostess to a few friends at a delightful dinner party at her home on Friday evening.

A delicious dinner was served to Misses Barbara Cryer, Louise Ball, Ruth Patterson, Frances Hill, Martha Schlagal, Frankie Kirkpatrick and the hostess.

Following the dinner the remainder of the evening was spent in games.

unique maneuvers, including the dropping of four flour-sack parachutes from the kite.

Another Prediction

So far the Wildcats have not failed Typo in any prediction he has made in regard to them. In important football games, such as the Chillicothe game in 1932, the Olney, Seymour and Graham games in '33, and last year's basketball tournaments, the Wildcats have been mighty kind in doing just as predicted. (Thanks to the little birdie that told us not to predict on the Rockwall football game.)

Now that the Wildcats are entering the most important event of the season thus far, we here and now predict that they are going to break all District 3 records by winning the championship again this season at Childress, thus hanging up four consecutive District 3 championships. At present Crowell is tied with Estelline, who had the same record just before Crowell stepped in and took charge.

Sort of Personal

To you Wildcats—"Now Capt. Todd, this is your fourth and final season as a Wildcat basketball player and we not only want to see Crowell set a new District 3 record, but we want it also said the Wildcats won the District title each of the four years that you were on the team.

"And to you other Wildcats—Bill Dunagan, Frank Meason Lance Middlebrook, Bill Dunn, George Owens, Curtis Barker and Millard Marr—we know that you have the fighting spirit that can work wonders when it really gets to working and that's why we really believe that you are going to win that championship. Follow Coach Graves' advice, get in there and really fight and we'll be for you—win or lose."

Boys, we sincerely believe that the above remarks represent the sentiment of the hundreds of local fans that are backing you.

A Real Sport

Possibly very few noticed the incident, but just the same it was one that will long be remembered by us. We refer to the action of Capt. T. P. Hunter of the Margaret basketball team when the final whistle sounded in the first game of the Crowell-Margaret series.

Closely fought all the way and ending with a 23-22 score, naturally the game would have been a heart-breaker for either team to lose, especially when an official championship hinged on its result.

However, that made Capt. Hunter's action seem all the more admirable when the game ended. Before the echo of the final whistle had faded away, he summoned a broad smile and said to the Crowell boy nearest him: "Congratulations, that was a fine game." Maybe we misunderstood

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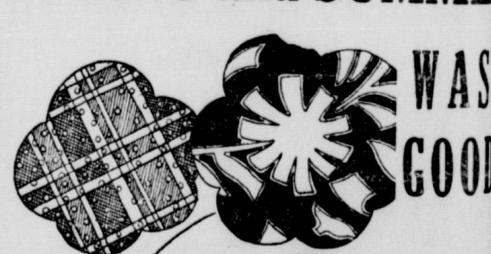
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Thursday and Friday
WALTER WINCHELL
in
"BROADWAY THROUGH A KEY HOLE"

SPRING and SUMMER



- Printed and Plain Peques
Per yard 35c
- New Material—Sport Corduroy
Prints
Per yard 39c
- A New Fabric, Peek O' Law
Plain and Prints,
Per yard 29c
- Summer Ladies' Lace Cloth
Per yard 39c
- Printed Seer Sucker, just the
thing for Spring,
Per yard 49c
- Embroidered Organdie,
40 inches wide,
Per yard 98c
- New Collar and Cuff Sets
29c and 49c

Harwell's Variet