

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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## Funeral Services Held Monday for Mrs. Ramona Villa

Funeral services for Mrs. Ramona Rodriguez Villa were held Monday, February 6, at 3 p. m., in the Spanish Assembly of God Church with Rev. Julian Menchaca, pastor, officiating, assisted by A. C. Enriquez of Munday. She passed away in the Foard County Hospital Feb. 5 following a long illness.

Pall bearers were Rey, Lupe and Robert De Los Santos, Joe Brown Jr. and Chon Catona.

Burial was in the Crowell Cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

Born Ramona Rodriguez on May 4, 1933, in Wichita Falls, she was married to Manuel Villa at Seymour in 1946. Four children were born to this couple.

Mrs. Villa is survived by her husband; one son, Frankie; three daughters, Olivia, Juanita, Estela, of Crowell; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Santos Rodriguez; four sisters, Mrs. Chon Villa, Mrs. Willie Garza, Mrs. Rosenda De Los Santos and Mary Rodriguez; two brothers, Willie and Bennie Rodriguez, all of Crowell.

Relatives from Munday and Tulsa were present for the services.

## 4-H Girls to Have Food Show Feb. 11

The Foard County 4-H girls will hold their annual Food Show this Saturday, February 11, from 9 to 3 o'clock at the Self Motor Company building, in connection with the 4-H and F.F.A. Project Show, according to an announcement made Monday by Mrs. Mary D. Brown, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Divisions for the event will be iced cakes, sponge cakes, rolled cookies, bar cookies, and drop cookies.

Prizes will be given for first, second and third place winners in each division.

## Sandifers Observe 70th Anniversary of Marriage

The 70th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sandifer, Foard County pioneers, was reached Tuesday, Feb. 7, 1956.

Charles P. Sandifer and Miss Cora Campbell were married on the north banks of Red River, north of Denison, on February 7, 1886, just as the sun was rising in the morning.

They had eloped from the bride's home in Dallas County and had traveled in a horse and buggy conveyance to the river and crossed over on a ferry pushed by two men.

Mr. Sandifer has been confined to the Foard County Hospital for several weeks, but his condition is satisfactory.

As has been his usual custom for many years, he sent a check to the Methodist Church for \$70.00, one dollar for every year they had been married, as a token of gratitude for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandifer are pioneer members of the church and both taught Sunday School classes in the church in their younger days.

## Mothers' Basketball Teams to Play at Thalia Tonight

The Crowell and Thalia mothers will play a basketball game tonight (Thursday) in the Thalia gym, proceeds to go to the March of Dimes. Time of the game has been changed from Friday night to Thursday night and will start at 7:30. A team of Thalia men will play the grade school team.

## 19TH ANNUAL F. F. A. AND 4-H PROJECT SHOW TO BE HELD HERE NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

### Snow and Freezing Temperatures Hit Foard County Last Week; 43 Inch Moisture to Be of Great Help to Wheat

A surge of cold air which hit this area Tuesday of last week, lowered temperatures and turned drizzling rainfall into ice to create hazards Wednesday for motorists as well as pedestrians.

The freezing temperatures continued through Sunday night. A light snow fell in this county Thursday, although it was never heavy enough to cover the ground. Snow began falling early Friday morning, and by mid-morning, the ground was covered. A fairly strong north wind caused the snow to drift, but many farmers report that a large amount of the snow stayed on the fields.

Farmers say that the light moisture has done much to keep the wheat and oat crops alive, but that the moisture penetration is shallow.

Moisture realized from the snow amounted to .43 of an inch, according to the government gauge at the Crowell State Bank.

The northerly temperatures here to below 20 degrees both Wednesday and Thursday nights, with the mercury staying below the freezing mark both days. The snow was partially melted Sunday afternoon, but with a freeze Sunday night, sidewalks and streets were especially dangerous early Monday morning. A light snow fell Sunday morning, but it melted on the streets as it fell.

Highways Kept Open  
The local highway maintenance crew kept all highways out of Crowell open during the snow.

### 903 Poll Taxes Paid in Foard Co.

Nine hundred and three poll tax receipts were issued for 1956 by the tax assessor-collector's office before the deadline date of January 31 arrived. This is nearly twice the number issued last year, 541. However, 1955 was not a general election year.

In 1954, the last year for election of county officers, 1,046 poll taxes were paid. In 1952, the last presidential election year, 1,229 poll tax receipts were issued, which was 326 more than were paid this year, when another presidential election will be held in November.

Deputy tax collector R. R. Magee estimated that there are about 150 exemptions for persons over 60 years of age, and between 75 and 100 for those just reaching voting age.

### CHS Band Students Attending State Meet in Dallas

Two members of the Crowell High School Wildcat Band are in Dallas this week participating in the All-State Bands. Bobby and Elizabeth Davis, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davis of this city, were selected for the All-State Bands at the regional level held in Abilene last December.

Bobby, a senior, has been a member of the local band six years. He has been selected to the Region Band three years and a member of the All-State Band two years.

Elizabeth has been a member of the local band 2½ years. She has been a member of the Region Band two years and selected for the All-State Band one year. She is a sophomore.

These students, accompanied by E. L. Rickard, band instructor, left for Dallas on Wednesday for the four-day meet. They will return early Saturday.

The All-State Band is an annual event sponsored by the Texas Music Educators Association and is held in Dallas in conjunction with the Texas Music Educators Association Convention.

### Funeral Services Held Feb. 2 for A. D. Campbell Sr.

Funeral services for A. D. (Pete) Campbell Sr. were held in the Crowell Methodist Church Thursday afternoon, February 2, at 3 o'clock conducted by Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Grady Adcock, pastor of the church, and Gene Segroves, minister of the First Christian Church.

Mr. Campbell, pioneer resident of Crowell and Foard County, passed away in the Foard County Hospital at 2 a. m. Wednesday, February 1, following a short illness, although he had been in failing health for several years.

Pall bearers were Henry Borchardt, Floyd Borchardt, Fred Borchardt, T. S. Haney, Frank Mabe and Darvin Bell. Those who assisted with the flowers were Mrs. Darvin Bell, Mrs. Henry Borchardt, Mrs. Floyd Borchardt, Mrs. T. S. Haney, Mrs. Evelyn Campbell, Mrs. Marion Crowell and Mrs. Fred Borchardt.

Burial was in the Crowell Cemetery beside the grave of his wife, who died in 1942. Womack Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Archie Downey Campbell Sr. was born June 1, 1888, in Dallas County. He came to Foard County with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Archie David Campbell, at the age of 2. He attended Crowell Schools and was a member of the first graduating class. After finishing school he worked as a tinner and was employed in the tin shop of M. S. Henry & Co. for many years.

On March 27, 1912, he was married to Miss Mary Eubank, who was one of the victims killed in the tornado that struck Crowell April 28, 1942. Three sons were born to this couple, one dying in infancy and two survive.

During his younger days, Mr. Campbell was an accomplished cornet player and was active in Crowell musical circles, playing in bands, orchestras, church choirs, etc. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

After retiring from the tinning business, Mr. Campbell devoted his time to farming and ranching. He is survived by two sons, Archie Campbell of Crowell and Banks Campbell of Midland; four grandchildren, Sandra, Kenneth and Paul Campbell, of Crowell, and Banks Campbell Jr. of Midland; one brother, H. K. Campbell; and one sister, Mrs. C. P. Sandifer, both of Crowell.

### Grand Jurors Listed for February Term of District Court

Notices have been sent to sixteen Foard County residents notifying them to appear for service on the grand jury for the February term of district court on February 13, beginning at 9 a. m.

Those notified are C. T. Hord, N. E. Kenner, T. F. Hughton, A. B. Calvin, Bill McClain, John Wishon, W. B. Abston, R. G. Gribble, Mrs. John W. Wright, Guy Todd, Ray A. Brown, Robert Smith, Otto Davenport, Glenn Goodwin, Nelson Oliphant and Mrs. R. H. Borchardt.

### ROTARY CLUB

Visitors at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Rotary Club were Rotarian Raymond Drews of Hollis, Okla., and Bill Bell of Crowell. New student guests were Dale Keith Jones and C. T. McDaniel. Miss Jo Helen Aly served as piano accompanist.

Program in charge of Claude Callaway was an interesting talk on highway maintenance by Rotarian Vance Favor of Quanah.



MEMBERS OF CROWELL WILDCAT FOOTBALL TEAM HONORED AT BANQUET—Members of the 1955 Crowell High School football team, coaches, and managers, who were honored recently with a banquet by the Crowell Booster Club are: Top row, (l. to r.): Assistant Coach Gordon Erwin, Assistant Coach Glen Taylor, James Doyal, Jimmy Thaxton, Ray Gibson, David Carpenter, Eugene Monkes, Jerry Pittillo, Lindell McBeath, Dale Rettig, Ronald Yarbrough, Jerry Clifton, Edward Howard, Harvey Smith, Louis Rettig, Ray Thomson, Don Lee Daniel, Duane Boren, and Head Coach Thayne Amonett. Second Row (l. to r.): Printess Gidney, Roy Don Payne, Melvin Washburn, Billy Everson, Floyd Bice, R. H. McCoy, Duane Johnson, Delton Parkhill, Gerald Bradford, Larry Sledge, Gordon Cates, Charles Todd, Joe Calvin, Henry Faska, and Grady McDaniel. The three managers in front of the football players are Jerry Bob Sellers, Malcolm Jacobs, and Duane Orr.

## CHILDREN'S PICTURES TO BE TAKEN NEXT WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH

Wednesday, February 15, is the day for the picture taking of your youngsters! The Foard County News is having pictures taken of all children who are brought by their parents or other guardian to the City Hotel lobby between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., absolutely free of charge. The Woltz Studios of Des Moines, Iowa, a nationally known portrait studio, will be in charge of the photography. The News wants a picture of your child to print in its forthcoming series, "Citizens of Tomorrow," a series of photographic studies of local children. The more we get the better the feature will be, so the cooperation of the mothers and fathers is urged.

It often seems to parents that children are little one minute and are grown up the next, so fast does a child's growing stage pass. Here is a splendid opportunity to catch a likeness of your child or children at the present stage for the pleasure you will get out of it in future years and for the pleasure you will enjoy in seeing it in print. You will want to clip it from this, your home town newspaper, and preserve it for the youngster when he or she grows up.

There is absolutely no charge or obligation for taking the pictures. Parents don't even have to be a subscriber to the News, nor even a reader. You do not have to purchase pictures either, although you may obtain additional prints by arranging direct with the studio representative if you want them. That is entirely up to you!

Appointments are not necessary, but anyone desiring one may do so by phoning 43.



### The Crowell High



## WILDCAT

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### "SIXTEEN TONS"

"And what do you get—another day older and deeper in debt"—why couldn't it be further behind with them, typing assignments, learning the constitution, practicing for the band's Variety in Review—this could no go-on-on.

This song, second on the Hit Parade, depicts a human tragedy. We may as well face it.

Teenagers, don't come calling because I can't go; I owe my soul to typing, Spanish, geometry, physics, English, history, or one of the extra curricular activities.

You load sixteen grade points, what do you get? You will probably get to graduate. After loading sixteen grade points, the strong boss (your mother or dad) says, "Well, bless my soul!"

All of these things are happening to all of us. Sometimes we may ask ourselves, "What do you get?"

What do you get out of going to school, studying hard, or trying to be good in class? The rewards may seem futile while we are doing these things; we think that everything will be different when we get out into the world—no lessons, no homework; but when that day comes, we find but that the world is a school itself. Later on in life, after a good education has helped you

land a good job and put you in a financially secure bracket, you will see the advantages of all of this work. You will probably have a family, and you will know that without your basic schooling you couldn't have gotten any of these things of which to be proud.

The question of "what do you get?" will change to "what haven't I got?"

by J. C. McCoy.

### FUTURE HOMEMAKER OF TOMORROW

In December the girls of the senior class took a Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow fifty minute written examination, which tested their homemaking knowledge and attitudes. CHS winner is Patsy Mechell. She received a golden award pin designed by Trifari, and the school will receive a "Betty Crocker Good and Easy Cook Book." Patsy will be entered in competition to name Texas' candidate for the title of "All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow" and will be considered for the state runner-up award.

Congratulations and good luck, Patsy!

### JOTTINGS BY JAN AND MARKINGS BY MARKETTA

Judging from the crowded halls, everyone survived the three week tests. Contributing to this was the fact that school was turned out at 2:30 most of the week. We wish that this turning out at 2:30 would get to be a habit.

The long lines at the water fountain Tuesday morning made it evident that those attending the Spanish supper had worlds of fun and took advantage of all the good, hot food that was served.

Flash! Monday morning Mrs. Kenner requested that her junior and senior Homemaking III girls wash their hands? No, no one had offensively dirty hands, but this was the primary point of learning in Red Cross Home Nursing. The girls are learning to take care of future sick family members.

All the girls are dropping hints, and all the boys are saving money for the boxes of candy. Plans are being made to celebrate Valentine, the day of romance, by attending the Sweetheart Banquet held at the Christian Church or Cupids-Capers being sponsored by the Sub-Junior Columbian Club, both on Tuesday night. Another festive Valentine banquet will be held Saturday night at the Baptist Church.

Seen in CHS halls during the

mid-term break were Chun Gaford, Marcia and Fran Kincaid, Robert Graves, Jean Whitby, and other ex-CHSites.

Everyone put on his best smiles amid the confusion of picture taking last Tuesday.

We have one objection to the wonderful snow; it wasn't deep enough for school to turn out as it did in some places. It was deep enough for some of the CHSites to get stuck in their own driveways. (A. B. C.)

Posies go to the girls who helped with the March of Dimes drive last Monday night.

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### SENIORS OF THE WEEK

**Bobby Hopkins**  
 Bobby Hopkins, five feet eight inches, is topped with sandy colored hair and enlivened, mischievous blue eyes.

When asked what his hobby was, Bobby answered, "Trying to get away without turning in my homework; but you had better not print that." (We wonder if he's been successful). Actually, Bobby has two hobbies, hunting and reading. Although it may seem strange to team Bobby's favorite author, William Shakespeare, with a twelve gauge shotgun, he enjoys both.

Bobby likes all music from opera to hillbilly. In the hillbilly field he considers Hank Snow tops. As for food, this student likes everything except boiled cabbage. When he isn't hunting or reading, this senior spends his spare time watching TV or swimming. Last year Bobby was a member of CHS's dairy judging team and made trips to Wichita Falls and Stephenville.

Bobby has taken all of the science that CHS offers and has a record to be proud of in these courses. He plans to make some branch of science his life work and hopes to attend ACC next fall.

**Dana Roberts**  
 When first she arrived in this world, the elegant title of Dana Loy Roberts was bestowed upon this tiny bundle of femininity, but when Dana enrolled in CHS, the "title" changed because all the "kids" know that everyone

must have a nickname. So Dana Loy Roberts, with her glistening red hair and sparkling eyes became zany "Danie."

Danie is always in a whirl over playing or watching basketball or relating what happened in the last Rock Hudson - June Allyson movie or describing Elvis Presley or playing the piano and a "gillion" other things, and everyone loves her for it.

Nevertheless, there are some things that she never gets mixed up. (well, not very often, anyway), such as liking popular music, chicken fried steak with french fries, and formal attire.

She could never forget the headaches physics gives her, and what a relief it is to study general science.

Filling her busy school life, Danie plays basketball and is an active member of the FHA and Dramatic Clubs.

In the future, Danie would like to attend Arkansas Harding College, and we're quite sure that if she happily confuses everything there as much as she does here, the campus will be a gay "mixed up" mess, and everyone will love the red headed whirl wind, zany "Danie," as do we.

### CLUB NEWS

**Sub-Junior Adolphian Club**  
 The Sub-Junior Adolphian Club met on February 1 at the club house. The leader, Peggy Long, presented Latrelle Duckworth, who gave an interesting book review on "Gold Mountain." Jana Black gave a Federation counselor report. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Barbara Borchardt.

**Sub-Junior Columbian Club**  
 The Sub-Junior Columbian Club met Feb. 1 in the home of Roxie Adkins. An interesting program on driving was given by Arleta Teague.

It was decided that the club would have a Valentine Dance on Feb. 14. "Cupid's Capers" was chosen for the theme.

Delicious refreshments were then served by the hostess. The meeting was adjourned until Feb. 15.

**BASKETBALL BITS**  
 The Crowell Wildcats went to Chillicothe to play the Eagles. The Crowell five won by a slim margin of 56-44. Larry Sledge was the high point man for the Crowell team.

The Crowell girls stomped the Eagles by a margin of 13 points. Judy Vaughn was the high scorer.



ON "SELL IRELAND" TOUR — William Norton, Irish Deputy Premier and Minister of Commerce, who is visiting the U. S. on a "sell Ireland" good will tour. Norton is presently in the Middle West, attempting to interest U. S. big business in establishing itself on Irish shores.

### Truscott MARY K. CHOWNING

Mr. and Mrs. Derral Harper of Panhandle announce the birth of a son, Allan DeWayne, on Jan. 29. She is the former Miss Rosie Marrow, sister of Mrs. Bud Myers of this community.

Mrs. Bud Myers and children, Dianne, and Buddy, and Mrs. Farris Caddell and Mary K. Chowning were Vernon visitors Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Ellis has announced that the Ground Observer Corps will be on watch from 1 to 5 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 12. She urged all members to attend.

Carl Wayne Hudson of Jayton spent several days here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quintana and children, Jimmy and Linda.

Jim Jones spent several days in Wichita Falls recently visiting his brother, Bill Jones, and family, and his father, J. C. Jones. J. C. Jones underwent an operation in the hospital there.

Mrs. T. C. Watson and sister, Jewell Haynie, spent Monday in Wichita Falls on business. They were taken to Wichita Falls by Mrs. Watson's son, Wayne, of Kaul City.

Mrs. Handy of Holliday spent several days here visiting her daughters, Mrs. H. C. Ellis and family and Mrs. H. C. Lavelle and family.

### KNOTHOLE NEWS

With all the short classes, last week wasn't so bad.

Betty Duncan surely has been happy the last couple of days. Couldn't be because of Lavert, could it?

There's the glad, here's the sad. Linda Ferguson because Karl Wayne's gone.

Two boys surely wish Dianne had come to town Saturday night. Wonder how the Howard-Rummel combo is making out?

Say, "Twich," have you had any letters lately?

C. T., seems as if you don't know what six means.

In the show Saturday night were Roxy and Bettie Linda, all by themselves. How did you like that African picture?

Jo Helen and Robert Love were seen making the town Saturday night.

Gayle, who are you chasing now?

Looks like Jo Helen is in love with Love.

Barbara, what color nose did you say Jimmy had?

Bettie Linda thinks that snow makes good shampoo.

Karen Rose, what did you do Sunday night? The Knothole knows.

Halbert, what did you do at your house Saturday night?

Davis must be sick. He just went to Vernon once last week.

Page, who is it you want to go with at Vernon?

Looks like Roma Jan and Karen Rose are chasing the same fly boy.

Gibson's got it made. Wonder how he likes Betty's cooking?

Seeing "Skabenga" Saturday night were Ray - Betty Jane, Jackie - Sandra, Winford - Peggy, Dale Keith - Jerry, and Bill Don - Zonell.

Who was Nelda with Sunday night. The knothole knows.

At the local theater Sunday night were Betty Jane-Ray.

Doris seems to be having a real good time while Jon is gone. All the poor girl does is baby sit.

**GAYLON'S GIGGLES**  
 Mrs. Gafford: "And what happened to your older son — the backward one."  
 Mrs. Wishon: "Oh, he's up to Paris University now."  
 Mrs. Gafford: "What's he studying."  
 Mrs. Wishon: "Nothing, he're studying him."  
 Tiny: "Where in blazes did all your grocery allowance go?"  
 Mrs. Taylor: "Here, my dear... stand right there. Now... turn sideways, and look in the mirror!"  
 Mr. McBeath: "Why are you eating with your knife, son?"  
 Lindell: "My fork leaks."

family. Mrs. Lavelle and three children were overcome by gas fumes from a heater in their home here Monday. They are doing fine.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hudson and daughter, Tommie Floyce, of Jayton spent one day this past week visiting old friends here. Their son, Carl Wayne, returned home with them after visiting here. Rev. Hudson is a former pastor of the Truscott Methodist Church, and is now pastor at Jayton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Black have recently visited their daughter, Mrs. Billy Johnson, and family in Thalia.

Mrs. E. J. Jones, chairman, announced that \$82.00 was received for the March of Dimes. She wishes to thank the people of this community for their cooperation in making the drive a success.

C. A. McNeese of Seagraves spent the week end here visiting his wife and friends here.

Mrs. Gwynn Hickman is in the Foard County Hospital at the time of this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green were in Abilene Tuesday to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee of Plainview spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones, and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chowning were in Abilene Saturday on business.

George Solomon is in the Foard County Hospital at the time of this writing.

Mrs. J. G. Adecock and Miss Mary K. Chowning visited Mrs. Adecock's mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Adecock, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young awhile last Monday in Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quintana and children, Jimmy and Linda, spent last Sunday visiting Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hudson and children in Jayton.

Mrs. T. C. Watson has returned to her home in Knox City after spending some time here visiting her sister, Mrs. Carlton Browder, and family and her mother, Mrs. A. Haynie, and sister, Jewell, and others here. Mrs. Watson is recovering from undergoing surgery on both eyes.

Murry Bullion was dismissed Wednesday from the Foard County Hospital after undergoing tonsil operation.

Miss Martha Fish of Vivian recently visited Miss Linda Dell and other friends here.

Mrs. A. Caram and sons, and Obdella, of Fort Worth, last Monday night visiting daughter and sister, Mrs. Quintana, and family here.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trimble their daughter, Mrs. Ed and husband of Benjamin Mrs. Nolen's sons, E. W. and family and Leon Nolen wife, all of Odessa.

Mrs. Clyde Bullion and daughter, Margaret, have recently visited in the home of Mr. and S. O. Turner in Panhandle.

Warren Haynie of Vivian awhile Tuesday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl and attended to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford and daughter, Marilyn, of L spent last week end visiting omi Brown and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chowning were Abilene visitors last Monday. Mrs. Oscar Boykins of Abilene, S. C., spent several here visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Hickman, and his Mrs. Boykins plans to go husband overseas very soon.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. G were Mr. and Mrs. Elmo G. Gildewell, Jr. of Fort Worth. Gildewell, who is statesman Germany with the Army his wife of Maryland.

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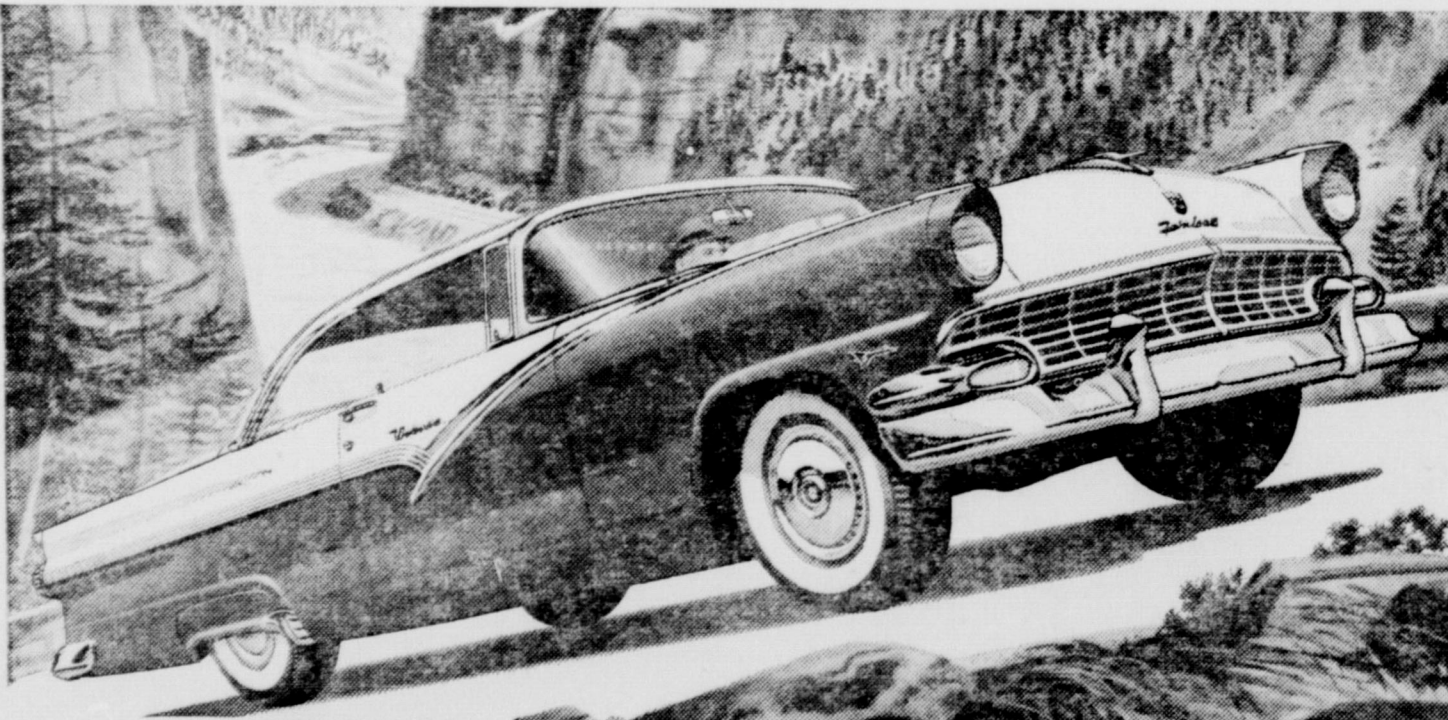
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<b>BACON</b> Wilson 3 lbs.		<b>\$ 1</b>
<b>SAUSAGE</b> 4 lbs.		<b>\$ 1</b>
<b>PORK STEAK</b> lb.		<b>45¢</b>
<b>OLEO</b> Kimbell lb.		<b>25¢</b>
<b>TOMATOES</b> ctn.		<b>23¢</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> bag		<b>39¢</b>
<b>CELERY HEARTS</b>	Cello Bag	<b>23¢</b>
<b>U. S. GOOD STEAK</b> Loin lb.		<b>59¢</b>
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<b>VEL</b> Large	<b>29¢</b>
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<b>BEST MAID PICKLES</b> Dill or Sour Qt.	<b>28¢</b>

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by VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex.—An Austin district court has cleared the way for liquidation of the assets of US Trust and Guaranty Co. This means that creditors may get back at least a part of their investments from the defunct concern.

Judge Charles O. Betts ordered the company and two subsidiaries, US Automotive Service and Arkansas Fire and Marine Insurance Co., into permanent receivership.

What exact percentage creditors will recover is not yet known. Rep. Bert McDaniel of Waco, US Trust attorney, filed a petition for certified draft holders asking that they be given priority. If the petition is granted, said an Insurance Commission attorney, they will get all their money back.

Some 5,600 draft holders put in an estimated \$5,800,000.

State testimony on US Trust operations cited many examples of unorthodox bookkeeping, annual statements bolstered by borrowing, blown-up real estate values, and minutes of board meetings never held.

Judge Betts released personal assets of six company directors from an injunction banning disposal. But he made it clear they were not dismissed as defendants or freed from liability as directors.

Refund of attorney's fees by members of the Texas Legislature is helping to increase the assets of the defunct US Trust and Guaranty Co. Two state senators started the ball rolling by announcing they were sending to the liquidator all legal fees received from US Trust—to be divided by creditors. Senators William Shireman of Corpus Christi and Carlos Ashley of Llano said they had not been given an opportunity to earn their retainers. Shireman received \$3,000; Ashley \$10,000. Both were paid in cash.

A four-pronged investigation is under way by committees from both the House and the Senate to: (1) check functions of the Insurance Commission, (2) study circumstances surrounding operation and collapse of US Trust and Guaranty Co., (3) determine if remedial legislation is needed, and (4) investigate lobbying practices.

A. B. Shoemaker, US Trust president who shot himself through the head Jan. 7, was moved from a private hospital in Waco to the Veterans Administration Hospital in McKinney. Family spokesmen said they were no longer able to pay heavy hospital bills. Doctors would not comment on whether they thought Shoemaker, apparently the only person who knows, or ever knew, the ins and outs of US Trust, would ever recover sufficiently to testify.

Insurance Commissioner Garland A. Smith, hospitalized with a stomach ailment two weeks ago, has resigned. His doctor recommended indefinite rest. Smith said he felt he had been made the "whipping boy" in the current controversy. Critics of the administration had sought to strike at the governor through him, he said.

Gov. Allan Shivers and Com. Chmn. J. Byron Saunders refuted "scandal" charges in luncheon speeches last week. "Whenever there is a violation of the law and the commission takes action against a company, there seems to be a scandal," said Saunders. He predicted results of the "solvent call" due by May 31 will reveal only about 5 per cent of Texas' 1,400 companies to be unsound.

Taking a similar tack, the governor said that in the past six years only 15 out of 29,000 state employees had been fired, suspended or indicted for dishonesty. It is unfair, he contended, to smear the honest majority, because of the action of a few.

Every day brings with it evidence of the commission's new "get tough" policy.

Hearing was set for April 3 to consider revising credit insurance rates. These have come in for sharp criticism recently as providing a legal means of greatly increasing charges on small loans.

Blunt warnings were issued to persons violating the new securities law. "Although bona fide personal investments are not subject to registration," said a letter to insurance company executives, "securities owned by officers, directors or salesmen cannot be sold unless registered."

Land, Insurance Trials Set

Trials involving two statewide issues, insurance and veterans lands, are scheduled for Austin district courts.

B. R. Sheffield, Brady land dealer, is to be tried March 5 on nine indictments charging felony theft in connection with the veterans land program.

Paul and Leslie Lowry and D. H. O'Fiel of Beaumont will come to trial April 2 on charges of committing perjury in sworn statements to the Insurance Commission. They were connected with three companies placed in receivership in late 1953.

Short Snorts

February 22 has been designated by Governor Shivers as U.

## Easter Seal Drive to Be Held from March 10 to May 10

New timing for the 1956 annual Easter Seal appeal in behalf of crippled children was announced this week by Euclid Hudson, president of the Texas Society for Crippled Children, the Easter Seal Society in Texas.

Hudson said that the traditional appeal which in 1955 marks 35 years of service to America's crippled population will be conducted from March 10 to May 10. The new schedule has been adopted to avoid conflict with other fund-raising campaigns.

Previous Easter Seal appeals have closed on Easter Sunday, opening a month before that date.

S. Army Reserve Day in Texas. The date, Washington's birthday, also is National Guard Day in Texas and the final day of National Defense Week. Public Schools Week has been proclaimed by Governor Shivers as March 5-10.

License to operate Girltown USA has been revoked by the State Department of Public Welfare. But enforcement awaits a study by an advisory board. In question is responsibility of management. Girltown is a home for wayward girls at Whiteface, Texas. Screening of applicants for its \$15,000-a-year directorship is under way by the Texas Commission on Higher Education. Final selection will be made on Feb. 20. Building material and labor costs were 24 per cent lower in 1950 than in 1955. So, although Texans spent 13 per cent more on construction in 1955 the actual volume of building done was 9 per cent smaller than five years ago.

An improved law to protect fresh water reservoirs from pollution has been suggested by the Texas Water Resources Committee. A bill will be submitted to the Texas Legislature in 1957 specifying that any person or firm found guilty of polluting fresh water shall be fined \$100 a day or given 30 days in jail, with each day a separate offense. J. Earl Ruder, chairman of the Veterans Land Board, announces acceptance of bids on 14 tracts of land reclaimed by the state under the veterans' loan program. Dr. Frank P. Bertram is the new director of the division of dental health in the State Health Department. He has held a similar position with the Oklahoma Health Department, where he worked for 18 years.

## Texans Participate in Prayer Breakfast

Four Texans participated in the Fourth Annual President's Prayer Breakfast sponsored by the International Christian Leadership organization last week, and Senator Price Daniel was elected president of the group.

The Texans were all at the speaker's table with President Eisenhower, and all took part in the inspirational meeting attended by 800, including the Cabinet and most of the members of Congress.

In addition to President Eisenhower, the Texans were identified with the Society and its work that all over America it is known simply as "the Easter Seal Society." Many would probably not recognize its official name of National Society for Crippled Children and Adults. The Texas Society is one of 52 associated state and territorial units.

Offering the first organized aid to America's physically handicapped, the generous public support given to the Society's work since its founding has accomplished more for the crippled in the last 34 years than in all past generations of man's civilization.

This year's colorful messenger for crippled children will reach 1,000,000 Texas homes, Hudson said. 100,000,000 seals will be used, as there are 100 to each sheet.

Seals are not sold; no specific donation is expected from those who receive them. The Society feels that each individual knows his pocketbook best, and, being told of the need, will give as generously as he can.

Contributions to the appeal will be used in Texas to support the Society's programs of medical treatment, rehabilitation, education and research for crippling conditions of all types; the Society operates 29 treatment centers in Texas. Ninety per cent of the funds remain in the state for direct services and 10 per cent supports a nationwide program of education, organization, and the national Easter Seal Research Foundation.

however, who was born at Denison, and Senator Daniel, there was Howard E. Butt Jr. of Corpus Christi, noted Baptist layman who made the main address. The fourth Texan was Conrad Hilton, owner of many of the nation's leading hotels, who was host for the annual breakfast.

## SCHOOLS. THE AWFUL TRUTH

Ten years from now 23 per cent more children will be entering elementary schools than today, 55 per cent more in high schools and 40 per cent more in colleges. We will need some 600,000 more classrooms to accommodate them—a jump of about 60 per cent, according to the Kiplinger Letter.

We'll also need 200,000 more teachers every year for ten years to cover school growth and to replace those who quit or retire.

The main problem, of course, is money, which in the end means more taxes. The total cost of schools, public and private, now is eight to ten billion dollars a year. In the next ten years this may double and most of it must come from taxes.

What kind of taxes will support the schools? Mostly property taxes for already nearly 45 per cent of the property taxes collected in states go to the schools. So there will be higher local taxes, higher property assessments, and fewer exemptions.

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For many years the Texas Press Association—of which this newspaper, along with a vast majority of all Texas newspapers, is a member—has suggested laws that would require governing bodies of the state, various districts, and municipalities, to open their records to the public.

In many instances, publication of minutes would be required, and in the case of agencies handling public funds, publication of a financial statement would be mandatory.

Some progress has been made in these efforts, but not nearly as much as the importance of the project justifies. There never has been a great deal of opposition to the TPA proposals. But they have been shunted aside for other matters.

Anathy—not opposition—has kept them off the statute books.

Now all Texas is concerned over the numerous, unsavory circumstances that have come to light the past few years. There have been the Duval County revelations; the veterans land investigations; the U. S. Trust and other insurance debacles; to say nothing of smaller local instances of corruption and abuse of public trust of which there have been many.

Men who are in a position to know—such as the Attorney General of Texas—say that none of these things could have gone on for long had there been adequate laws governing PUBLIC NOTICE. It is doubtful that any of them would have been attempted, had there been requirements that of official actions be made public.

Proper public notice laws will prevent such things in the future. Such laws automatically lead to good government.

This is an election year. If you think public business should be made public, ask each candidate for the legislature how he feels about secrecy in government affairs. Vote for and support men who pledge themselves to help pass legislation requiring publication of financial reports by insurance companies, county treasurers, and any and all persons who handle public funds.

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**Series E and H Savings Bonds Sales Highest Since War**

Nathan Adams and Ed Gossett, state co-chairmen of the U. S. Savings Bonds Committee, stated this week that Series "E" and "H" Savings Bonds sales during 1955 were the highest in the ten post-war years.

A total of \$193,154,377 of Savings Bonds were purchased in Texas during the past year, as compared to \$163,851,000 in 1954. Sales of Series "H" Bonds, which are current income bonds, last year exceeded 1954 by more than 50 per cent.

Mr. Adams said, "The sales of U. S. Savings Bonds, which are the safest investment in this nation, will continue to increase through the coming year."

"We have a fine organization of volunteers and we want to thank them for the work they have done. It was their interest and efforts that made our 1955 sales record possible," Mr. Adams continued.

Mr. Gossett paid tribute to newspaper, radio, television, theater, outdoor and transit advertising people over the state. "Last year the Savings Bonds program received throughout the nation over \$50 million in free advertising. Advertising media donate their services to the U. S. Treasury as a public service. Without the fine cooperation and support of Texas' advertising media we could not have made this 1955 Savings Bonds record," Mr. Gossett concluded.

**OPENINGS IN ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE**

The Texas Military District has announced that an increased number of beginning spaces in the Army Medical Service Residency Training Program will be available on July 1. Vacancies are available in practically every specialty except Ob-Gyn, general surgery and radiology.

These spaces are available to Reserve Medical Corps officers not on active duty who have had six months or more of past active duty in tactical units as Medical Corps officers.

Further information may be obtained from Major Clarence L. Sweeney, Medical Personnel Procurement Officer, Texas Military District, 200 West 8th Street, Austin.

**WATER FOUNTAIN AFIRE**

Lexington, Ky. — The fire department was recently called to put out a fire in a water fountain at all places. It seems that an electric motor in the fountain, located in a book store, had developed a short circuit.

**In the News . . . 30 YEARS AGO**

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, February 12, 1926:

The grand jury for the February term is R. B. Lilly, G. J. Benham, C. E. Dunn, A. H. Fish, A. H. Martin, O. N. Baker, F. H. Crow, T. R. Cates, Clarence Ross, Roy Ayers, Claude Nichols, Ben Stokes, H. K. Edwards, J. E. Young, H. C. Roark, W. C. Erwin.

Miss Winnie Jewel Norwood, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Norwood of Vernon, and niece of Mrs. Hines Clark of Crowell, and granddaughter of Mrs. Bettie Thomson, of this city, was married last Sunday to Lee A. Probst, also of Vernon.

Crowell gets a fire credit of 15 per cent, according to a news item in Wednesday's Dallas News, along with 72 other towns in the state.

Hugh McLain is a candidate for county and district clerk, and E. M. Crosnoe is a candidate for reelection to the office of commissioner of Precinct No. 3.

Mrs. Luther Roberts is here for a few days visit with her father, Joe W. Beverly, and other relatives. She is en route to Dallas to make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimsey were called to Fort Worth Monday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Kimsey's little niece.

Mrs. Ida Cheek and daughter, Miss Marian, returned Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cope in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. M. Allee returned last Friday from Rockwood where she made an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Hart, and family.

The Thalia Missionary Society met Monday, Feb. 8, 1926. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. W. G. Chapman, with 17 members answering to roll call.

C. P. Sandifer, who has been sick at his home for several days, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Womack arrived yesterday from Dallas on a visit with relatives here.

John Myers of Crowell is a candidate for district judge of the 46th Judicial District.

Folks can't be expected to live up to their ideals if they have none.

**ATTENDS DALLAS MEETING**

C. V. Barker of Barker Implement Co. has just returned from the Statler-Hilton Hotel in Dallas where he attended a one-day management meeting conducted by top officials of the Tractor and Implement Division of Ford Motor Co.

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For District Attorney, 46th Dist.: JACK E. HIGHTOWER.

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For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1: W. R. (BILL) MOORE.

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**FRENCH POLITICS AGAIN—** Premier-designate Guy Mollet (L) will meet with ex-Premier Mendes-France in Paris to plot strategy which would give France a government acceptable to the badly divided National Assembly. They are shown above after being called to the Elysee Palace by President Rene Coty after two days of political jockeying to be asked to form France's 22nd post war government.

**Farm Operators Must Pay Social Security Tax Before April 15**

Self-employed farmers and ranchers can become eligible for insurance benefits under the social security law by mid 1956 if they have earned as much as \$400 from farming in both calendar years 1955 and 1956. A. B. Wooten, extension economist, reminds Texas farm operators.

Along with this goes the responsibility to report earnings from farming and pay the 3 per cent social security tax not later than April 15, 1956. The Social Security Administration has suggested that payments be made as early as possible after January 1.

The form for making a report and remitting the required tax for social security insurance (Schedule SE) comes with the Federal Income Tax Return, Form 1040.

If your net earnings from farming were as much as \$400 in 1955, you are obliged to fill out and file this return and pay the social security tax, according to Wooten, even if you do not owe any Federal income tax for 1955.

Older farmers—those 65 or older—can retire after mid 1956 and start getting monthly old-age insurance payments if they have met the earnings requirements and paid their tax. Other farmers, regardless of age, will acquire family protection in the form of monthly payments to surviving dependents in the event of their death, provided they meet the same requirements.

In either case, the payment of the social security tax must accompany your income tax declaration or return. This responsibility is required by law.

Further information on social security taxes may be obtained at the nearest Internal Revenue Service office or from the local county agent. Information about benefits can be obtained from the social security district office.

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**F. H. A. Broadens Lending Authorities**

The Farmers Home Administration has broadened its lending authorities to meet the special needs of established small farmers who, due to drought and other adverse conditions, have been forced to work part-time off the farm in order to make a living for the family, Walter T. McKay, the agency's state director, announced this week. The extension of credit to these small farmers, who are in need of credit primarily for farm operating expenses which cannot be obtained from their usual source of credit, together with the income from their off-farm work will permit them to continue farming and to maintain a satisfactory standard of living, McKay said.

These loans are short-term credit designed to help farmers finance one year's operations. Credit may be extended to farmers who are operating units no larger than a family type farm.

**BOY SCOUTS IN ACTION**

In the eastern floods in the Boy Scouts engaged in delivering food and good water, and served as messengers for relief officials.

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# PERSONALS

Ray Pruet of El Paso is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drabek.

George Wright left Sunday for Farmington, N. M., to visit her son, Minyard Wright, and family.

Mrs. Silas Moore returned home Tuesday after a two weeks visit to her son, C. R. Moore, and family near Plainview.

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Cates and daughter, Mrs. Kay Callaway, and son, Wendell, attended the Southwestern Farming and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. C. T. Aly Jr. and daughter, Mrs. C. T. Aly, and Jimmie Carroll and Dasha, of Brownwood spent the week end here visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Aly.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyndon Johnson spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, and his grandmother, Mrs. Maude Rasberry, and her relatives.

Daily and Sunday Star-Telegram bargain rates on Ft. Worth and Sunday is \$9.50 for eight days, daily and Sunday; \$8.50 for seven days without Sunday. Give your subscription to the News, 43.

Mr. and Mrs. DuWayne Elliott, students in Draughon's Business College in Wichita Falls, spent the week end at home. Both Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were in the high school in their classes in the last semester of the business college.

The Star-Telegram is offering a 6 months bargain rate for regular and new subscriptions. The daily and Sunday is \$9.50, and the 6 months rate now being offered is \$54.00, a saving of \$2.50. The News will be glad to send in subscriptions. Phone 43.

Joe Drabek returned last Thursday from Dallas where he attended a meeting of the Advisory Board of Governors of Catholic Charities of the 63-county Diocese of the Dallas-Fort Worth area Friday afternoon, January 29, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Dallas. This in that vicinity, he visited his old home at Ennis and also Corsicana.

Mrs. Helen Russell visited her father, Mrs. Jeff Hardin Jr., and family of Slaton the first part of last week, and spent from Tuesday until Sunday with another daughter, Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth, and family of Sweetwater where she attended the program of her class, Theora Hollingsworth, who was presented as senior favorite, also Senior Duchess in the High School Yucca Coronation.

## CARD OF THANKS

I am truly grateful for the flowers, cards and letters I have received during the time I have been in the hospital. All the kindnesses shown me have been greatly appreciated. Mrs. Sandifer and I observed our 70th wedding anniversary Tuesday, Feb. 7, and have lived in this community most of that time and we love the people here and appreciate the friendships enjoyed down the years and the many, many kindnesses shown us during our long residence here. May God richly bless each one of you.

C. P. Sandifer.

## CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to each one of the many friends who remembered me so kindly during the time I was in the hospital. Everything was deeply appreciated. I also want to thank the doctors and nurses for their kind attention. May God bless you.

Mrs. W. C. Erwin.

## NOTICE

The Steak House Cafe is now open Monday through Sunday. I serve lunches, steaks, sandwiches and home-made pies. — Frances Andrews. 30-1tp

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ferguson and three children, Steve, Mike and Jamie, returned Tuesday from a two-months' visit at their home in Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. Claude Callaway went to Wichita Falls Tuesday to take her grandson, Mike Fuller, who had been visiting here. They were met there by Mike's mother, Mrs. J. V. Fuller, of Sherman, and he returned home with her.

## Army Needs Men with Leadership Ability

The United States Army is in need of men with leadership ability to operate one of America's biggest business holdings.

Military property held by the Army is valued at 34.1 billion dollars. The Army holds 8,253,000 acres of land in the United States and another 1,575,000 acres at overseas bases.

In the Fourth Army area of Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, the Army controls 4,296,441 acres of land.

"The Army wants high quality personnel to man this valuable property," M-Sgt. W. D. Abbott of the Childress recruiting station pointed out. "Most of this equipment is held by the combat forces, the artillery, armor, combat engineers, airborne and infantry divisions. Men with leadership and technical abilities find steady advancement with these branches."

"In order to maintain the necessary number of qualified men, the Army has established more than 100 training schools and has allowed new recruits to pick a training school before enlistment," Sgt. Abbott added. "A man can choose his branch of service or a particular technical school when he enlists in the U. S. Army."

Details on enlistment for a branch or a school assignment may be obtained at the recruiting station in the City Hall at Childress.

## Subscriptions to The Foard County News Since January 23rd

Subscriptions to The Foard County News received since January 23rd follow:

C. S. Carpenter, Thalia; E. L. Carpenter, Germantown, Ohio; Robert T. Brown, Dayton, Ohio; C. E. Merriman, Route 1, Crowell; Mrs. M. A. Ross, Wichita Falls; W. N. Cato, Fort Worth; Max Miller, Childress; Mrs. Jim Davis, Route 2, Crowell; J. L. Shultz, Thalia; Mrs. E. L. Thompson, Crowell; Mrs. Gussie O. Adams, Austin; Mike Rasberry, Crowell; General Telephone Co., Seymour; E. B. Patton, Bryan.

Mrs. L. M. Henderson, San Angelo; Mrs. A. T. McWilliams, Crowell; Ira Tole, Route 1, Thalia; Coy Hughes, Lubbock; W. B. Tysinger, Crowell; Cecil Davis, Crowell; Mrs. J. M. Denton, Abilene; Texas Natural Gas Co., Fort Worth; C. W. Carroll, Crowell; W. L. Morgan, Elkins, Ark.; E. F. Burk, Vernon; V. A. Johnson, Route 1, Crowell; L. C. Wisdom, Hecator, Ark.; Jim Moore, Thalia; Loyd Fox Jr., Thalia; Ewald Schroeder, Route 1, Thalia; George C. Fox, Route 2, Crowell; Mrs. J. V. Fuller, Sherman; O. D. Rader, Vernon; F. W. Mabe, Crowell; Mrs. A. W. Barker, Route 1, Crowell; B. F. Barker, Houston; Mrs. Jule D. McClain, Fort Worth; Mrs. Blake McDaniel, Route 1, Crowell; S. E. Mills, Fort Worth; Mrs. Finis Thompson, Meadow, S. D.

Mrs. A. J. Powers, Kermit; J. C. Jones, Thalia; Mrs. M. F. Jackson, Snyder; R. G. Nichols, Crowell; Mrs. A. L. Davis, Crowell; Mrs. J. L. Adams, Simla, Colo.; Mrs. Fred Dennis, Quanah; Mrs. Walter Williams, Crowell; Homer Johnson, Seagraves; John Wheeler, Crowell; Mrs. George Scott, Lamesa; Mrs. W. F. Marlow, Crowell; Mrs. Kate Hinds, Mineral Wells.

Billy John Rader, Paris; Gail Knox, Paris; O. B. Davis, Crowell; Robert Kubicek, Route 1, Thalia; Mrs. Clarence Oster, Big Lake; Mrs. Virgie Gibson, Odessa; C.

## Record Set by Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District During 1955

A report released this week by Roy Ayers of Margaret, chairman of the district board of supervisors of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, revealed that more conservation practices were established on district cooperators' farms in Hardeman and Foard counties, which make up the district, during 1955 than ever before in history.

Terracing, one of the more popular practices, was established at the rate of 231 during the past year. Fourteen miles of diversion terraces were constructed to protect systems of terraces and cropland below diversion terraces. Another important practice was summer and winter legumes. A total of 22,244 acres were planted during 1955. Eighty-seven acres of waterways were constructed as outlets for terraces to carry off excess water that collects on the land. Thirty-nine farm ponds were constructed on range land for better distribution of grazing and five of these ponds were stocked with fish.

Brush control on range land was applied to 11,150 acres. On 1,411 acres, different grasses were planted to reduce wind and water erosion and to furnish more grazing for livestock. Some of these grass plantings were old fields turned back to grass. Fifty-two acres were established as protection for wildlife during the year.

New conservation irrigation systems were developed on 397 acres and approximately 20 different elevation maps were made. These maps will be used to complete designed irrigation plans during 1956.

All of the above practices were applied on 641 farms in the district during 1955 with technical assistance furnished by the Soil Conservation Service.

Another feature of the program will be presentation of an oil portrait of Past Grand Master Moffett to the Chillicothe Lodge. The portrait is a gift from the Scottish Rite Masons of Texas, and it will be presented by Past Grand Master John McKee of Dallas. Mr. McKee, a 33rd degree Mason, will make the principal address of the evening.

Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting and all masons are invited.

M. Carroll, Thalia Star Route; Jeannette Johnson, Lubbock; Daniel Brisco, Fort Worth; Mrs. Jack Walker, Route 2, Crowell; Mrs. Zelma Hulise, Hamlin; Maye Andrews, Crowell; Mrs. Lorena Harrison, Paducah; Mrs. J. B. Andrews, Amarillo; Mrs. T. N. Bell, Crowell; Lester Patton, Route 2, Crowell; Herman Sandlin, Beeville.

St. Crispin is the patron saint of shoemakers.

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Vote Campaign  
Boy Scouts will hold a non-partisan Get-Out-the-Vote Campaign in 1956.

## STRONG CHAIN

The USS Forrester's anchor chain could sustain the combined weight of four of the largest locomotives. The modern warship was commissioned Oct. 1.

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## Boy Scouts Mark 46th Birthday



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### OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER

More than 4,100,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers, and adult leaders throughout the nation will observe Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12, marking the 46th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Since 1910, Scouting has served over 24,500,000 boys and adult leaders. The new Four-Year Program, "Onward for God and My Country," is launched in 1956 to help prepare America's boys to live in today's world and to prepare them to carry their full share in the years ahead. Boy Scout Week observances will feature rededication ceremonies to be conducted by each of the nation's 104,000 units at their meeting places on February 8, the actual birthday of Scouting in America. Demonstrations and exhibits will dramatize the purposes of the Boy Scouts of America and its rich heritage.



### Thalia

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor and Mrs. J. C. Taylor took Mrs. Russell Taylor and son, Rusty, to their home in Oklahoma City Monday of last week and visited there until Wednesday.

Don Lamb of Wichita Falls and Lester Hutchinson of Weinert were Sunday guests in the home of Don's parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Lamb.

Rev. E. E. White, District Superintendent, will preach at the Methodist Church here next Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and children of Floydada visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom and

children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Streit, in the Five-in-One community.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins was taken to the Crowell hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Black, at Truscott.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble moved their sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Wood, out of the fruit stand she has been operating in East Vernon on Tuesday of last week as she will not operate the stand any longer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scales paid their son, Hearrell Scales, and family a farewell visit Tuesday of last week as Mr. Scales, who is employed by the Lone Star Gas Co., was transferred from Vernon to Abilene where they will make their home.

Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds of Meadow spent Tuesday night of last week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Paul Norman of Crowell spent Tuesday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson.

Ross Shook of Denver City visited last Thursday with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Will Johnson, in the Crowell hospital. He was en route home after visiting his father, Ben Shook, who underwent an operation in Wichita

Falls. Mr. Shook is a former Thalia resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson and children, Sherry and Terry, of Crowell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Thursday night.

Duane Capps of Austin spent the week end with his family here.

Guests in the G. C. Short home Sunday were the Fred Glovers of Crowell, the Doyle Fords of Goodlett and A2C Benny Short and Teddy Hunt from Perrin Air Force Base at Sherman, and Ray Short of Borger.

Kenneth Ray Oliver and Rufus Whitman of Wichita Falls spent the week end with their families here.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Lamb visited Mrs. Will Johnson in the Crowell hospital last Thursday.

Ray Short of Borger spent last week and through Tuesday of this week with his father, G. C. Short, and family.

Mrs. G. W. Scales visited Robert Mobley in the Vernon hospital Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Finnie Tarver is in Vernon this week with her daughter, Mrs. Deloyan May and infant daughter, Kathryn Denise, born Friday, Feb. 3.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Lamb left last Sunday for S. M. U. at Dallas where they will attend Ministers Week through Thursday. They spent Sunday night with friends at Rhame.


Mrs. Blanche Sims of Wichita Falls recently visited Mrs. G. W. Scales.

Jana Black of Crowell spent Sunday night with her cousin, Mrs. Billy Johnson, and family.

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### Home Demonstration Notes

MRS. MARY D. BROWN

Don't forget that this Saturday is the big day for the 4-H boys and girls, so you will want to see the 4H and PFA Project Show, the 4-H girls bake show and help the clubs by buying something at the 4-H food sale.

Now is a good time to organize your shrubs into screen or foundation plantings around the home. Any shrubs that dot the lawn and complicate mowing or that are too crowded may be reset at this time.

Consider potential size of the tree or shrub, when choosing a location for setting or re-setting. Large growing plants are not suited for planting around the walls or foundation of the average home.

They do make excellent screen plantings to give privacy to the work or recreation area of the landscape. Some large plants that require very little water are the althea, ligustrums, Arizona cypress, cherry laurel, crape myrtle, evergreen sumac and others. Nearly all of the hollies should be used in screen planting rather than placed around the house.

Shrubs for foundation plantings should be in proportion to the size of the house. For the low, ranch type house, which is very popular now, true shrubs, that is shrubs that will not grow over 8 to 10 feet, are best suited. There are many true shrubs that are drought and insect resistant. Among these are rosemary, lavender, the dwarf junipers, spirea, dwarf pyracantha, nandina, abelia, native agarita and others.

Proper location of shrubs will not only save work in pruning and care, it will add to the attractiveness and comfort of the home grounds.

Our recipe this week is:

### News from the Congress

by Congressman Frank Ikard

The House unanimously adopted a measure which would exempt gasoline and diesel fuel and other fuels from Federal excise taxes last week. The bill that finally passed the House was one that was written by the Committee on Ways and Means after the hearings that had been held on the bill that I introduced and others that would have had the same effect.

It has again been proposed that first class mail rates be increased so that a stamp for an ordinary letter would cost four cents instead of the present three cents. First class mail has historically made a profit for the Post Office Department, and it would seem that it would be better

**Sweet Orange Marmalade**  
4 oranges, 4 lemons or limes, 1/8 teaspoon salt, water, sugar.  
Select fruit with smooth thick skins free from blemishes. Wash fruit, remove the peel, and slice thin.  
Cover sliced peel with cold water. Boil until tender, adding more water as it boils away.  
Change water frequently if bitter flavor is objectionable.  
Cut fruit pulp into thin slices. Remove seeds and rag.  
Combine the sliced pulp and the parboiled peel.  
To each packed measure of mixed fruit pulp and parboiled peel, add twice the quantity of water, and 1/8 tsp. salt.  
Boil rapidly for 25 minutes. Weigh or measure this mixture and to it add an equal weight or measure of sugar.  
Boil 15 minutes or until jelly stage is reached.  
Cool slightly, stir, and pour into hot sterilized jars to 1/4 inch of top of jar if paraffin is to be used. If not, fill to top of jar.  
Seal, label and store.

### Rayland

MRS. BUCK CLARK

Buddy Bomar of Amarillo visited in the M. T. Carter home Tuesday. Mr. Bomar and Mr. Carter were World War I buddies.

Mrs. Lee Harris and Mrs. C. A. Schmoker were visitors in Wichita Falls Monday.

Miss Joy Riley, H. D. agent, and Mrs. Ed Lehmann, THDA chairman of Wilbarger County, and Mrs. Barney Martin, council chairman of Wilbarger County, attended the THDA training school at Benjamin Monday.

Melvin Schoppa and son, Donald, of Dallas were week end guests of his aunt, Mrs. Emma Schulz, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bergt and Linda visited last week with his sister, Mrs. W. J. Wood, and family of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Lambert of Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Drought of Levelland visited over the week end with their brother, T. F. Lambert Jr., and family.

Mrs. Lee Harris returned Monday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. V. Huffman, of Wellington.

Mrs. Otto Drought of Levelland visited recently in the H. D. Lawson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Lambert of Abernathy visited recently with her brother, Oliver Holland, and family.

Clois Cato of Lockettville visited Wednesday and Thursday with his mother, Mrs. C. H. Cato, and sister, Mrs. Reed Lewis. He also visited in the J. B. Lockett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Strickland have moved from the Lockett community to Lockettville.

Mrs. C. R. Dale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Haynes, and husband of Zacaweista.

ter to thoroughly investigate the possibility of raising the other classes of mail before increasing the only one that has ever made a profit.

Hearings are slated to begin around the middle of February on various bills dealing with the Federal highway program. Undoubtedly these hearings will be lengthy and possibly will consume several weeks. The Administration's original plan to finance this program by a long-term bond issue has been abandoned by them. It now seems reasonably certain that whatever kind of bill is passed in this session will be based on the idea of paying for the highway construction as it is built. This, of course, will mean that there will probably be an increase in taxes on fuels and tires. It would be impossible now to know, of course, the exact amount of these taxes or how they would be imposed.

The Department of Agriculture has published a bulletin entitled "Conquest of the Land Through 7,000 Years." This bulletin was written by Dr. W. C. Lowdermilk, formerly Assistant Chief of the Soil Conservation Service, after an eighteen month world tour in which he visited areas where land had been cultivated for hundreds or even thousands of years. This bulletin is a report of his studies and nothing that I have ever seen upon so well what can happen through continued bad land use and what the real benefits of soil conservation are. This bulletin is only thirty pages long. It is well worth anyone's time to read it. If anyone would like a copy, if they will write me, I will be glad to send them one.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
The extreme kindness, thoughtfulness shown us by friends and neighbors during recent sadness helped so much to comfort us. We are sincerely appreciative.  
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<b>GOLD MEDAL—Pillow Case Bag FLOUR</b>	<b>25 lbs.</b>	<b>\$2.05</b>
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<b>MORTON'S FULL QUART SALAD DRESSING</b>	<b>39¢</b>	
<b>WAPCO WHOLE—303 CAN GREEN BEANS</b>	<b>2 for 39¢</b>	
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<b>KIMBELL'S—303 CAN CHERRIES</b>	<b>2 for 39¢</b>	
<b>TIDE Giant Size</b>	<b>69¢</b>	
<b>RANCH BRAND BACON</b>	<b>lb.</b>	<b>31¢</b>
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**TRESPASSING** — No hunting or fishing on any land owned or leased by — W. B. Johnson. 1-57

**TRESPASSING** — No hunting or fishing on any land owned or leased by — Leslie Adams. 1-57

**TRESPASSING** — Positively no hunting or fishing on any of my land. Trespassing will be prosecuted. — Leslie Adams. 1-57

**End of an Old Wives' Tale**

Meat and wholesale meat prices have been declining of late, a result of abundant supplies. Decreases have been especially marked in the case of pork, and all cuts are being offered at extremely attractive prices in the stores.

This is good news for the millions of people who relish pork one or another of its forms. And it is good news for an additional reason — sound and healthful diet.

Pork, like many other foods, has been the victim of old wives' tales that are part of legend but have no basis in fact. Among the mistaken ideas that have been handed down over the generations is the belief that pork should not be eaten by women during pregnancy and the nursing period. At one time even professional people believed this. Now, however, it has been scientifically established that the opposite is true—that pork is of major value to the mother-to-be and the new mother.

The reason is found in the requirements of nature. Pregnant and nursing women require larger than usual amounts of certain vital nutrients. During and after pregnancy the body stores up increased quantities of protein, iron, lactose and minerals. Pork meat is an excellent source of many of a woman's special requirements. Its high thiamine content is especially important — few other foods contain as much. So are the fatty acids found in the fat of pork.

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**Crowell Chapter No. 276, RAM**

Stated meeting on Thursday after second Monday in each month.  
February 16, 7:00 p. m.  
JOHN W. WRIGHT, H. P.  
W. B. CARTER, Sec.

**CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE**

Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. at the Odd Fellows' hall. All members urged to attend.  
ED MANARD, N. G.  
C. A. LANGFORD, Sec.

**Crowell Chapter No. 916, OES**

Meets second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month.  
February 14, 7:00 p. m.  
Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors.  
ZERNE CATES, W. M.  
LOTTIE RUSSELL, Sec.

**THALIA LODGE NO. 666**

A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday night, Feb. 25, 7:00 p. m.  
Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.  
T. R. CATES JR., W. M.  
JOHN W. WRIGHT, Sec.

**Crowell Rebekah Lodge**

meets the second and last Fridays of month at IOOF Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome.  
BERTIE TATE, N. G.  
MARGARET CURTIS, Sec.

**CROWELL LODGE NO. 840**

A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting February 13, 7:00 p. m.  
Second Monday each month. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
FRED COLLINS, W. M.  
W. B. CARTER, Sec.

**Gordon J. Ford Post No. 130**

Meets first and third Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m.  
CURTIS BARKER, Commander  
GLENN GOODWIN, Adjutant

**Allen-Hough Post No. 9177.**

Veterans of Foreign Wars  
Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Veterans Building.  
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## Vivian

MRS. W. O. FISH

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cowan of Borger spent Tuesday night with their daughter, Mrs. John Fish.

John and Bill Fish were Fort Worth visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling went to Lubbock Wednesday where R. L. received a medical check-up.

Clyde Bowley was dismissed from the Crowell hospital Friday.

Gordon Fish spent Tuesday night with Curtis Stone of Foard City.

Mrs. John Fish spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Anglin of Paducah.

Mrs. W. O. Fish spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Henderson, and family of Vernon.

Miss Janet Ann Rasberry attended the basketball games in Chillicothe Friday night and spent the night with her uncle, J. B. Rasberry, and wife of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell were dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Marr, and husband Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr visited friends and relatives in Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Hall of Black, Mrs. L. R. Werley of Thalia, Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Mrs. Donald Werley and Mrs. C. M. Carroll of Crowell attended a quilting in the home of Mrs. Carl Shultz Tuesday.

Those from this community attending were Mrs. J. A. Marr, Mrs. Warren Haynie and children, Mrs. Ernest Boren, Mrs. Raymond Rasberry and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Everson and Billy Everson of Crowell visited their aunt, Mrs. Ernest Boren, and family Saturday.

Mrs. Hartley Easley and Mrs. R. S. Carroll visited Mrs. A. P. Barry and Mrs. Annice Bell of Charlie Thursday.

John Bowling of Sycamore, Ill., visited Otis Gafford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gable and son, Norman, of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and son, Billy Doyle, and Johnny and Eugene Kajs of Riverside visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shultz and son, Jerry, Saturday night.

Miss Zonell Eddy of Crowell spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Fairchild, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bowley left Monday for their home in Charleston, Ark., after spending last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Owens, of Foard City last Thursday.

The Vivian H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. J. B. Fairchild Thursday afternoon, the weather permitting.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and children, Paula Sue and Richard Ray, of Crowell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and son, Jerry, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddy of Crowell spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Fairchild, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin and Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin visited Clyde Bowley in the Crowell and Cottle Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M. February 20, 1956, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman, or mechanic employed on this project.

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**Humphrey Bogart continues a remarkable pace of activity, carrying on the same busy film streak this year as he did last. His "Caine Mutiny" interpretation of Queeg won honors last year just about the same time he was gallivanting in comedy with Audrey Hepburn and Bill Holden in "Sabrina." Now he's up to his old tricks, being dramatic in the current "Left Hand of God," opposite Gene Tierney at the Rialto Theatre February 14, 15, and 16, while cavorting comically in "We're No Angels," the screen version of "My Three Angels" of stage fame. Soon he'll be up to his old menacing ways in the film version of "The Desperate Hours."**

## Riverside

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, Wednesday en route to their home in Floydada from a vacation trip to South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray and family of Iowa Park visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gable and Norman Shultz, all of Arlington, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz, and Billy Doyle.

Bill Swan of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan, last week en route to Ada, Okla., on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller visited her father, W. W. Carr, and Mrs. Carr of Rayland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Werley and children of Thalia were supper guests of her daughter, Mrs. Dave Shultz, and family Sunday night.

Miss Bernita Fish, who teaches in the Alamo School at Paducah, G. C. Owens, of Foard City last Thursday.

## Texas Tech Professor Gives Description of Rocket Take-Off

Watching a real rocket take-off is like being in a combination earthquake and thunderstorm, according to Dr. J. H. Rush, Texas Tech physics professor.

Dr. Rush and 32 Tech students and faculty members recently witnessed three rocket firings at White Sands, N. M., Proving Grounds—one Nike missile and two Honest Johns.

"I thought I knew what a rocket take-off was like from watching television and films—but I didn't," Dr. Rush declared. "It's like nothing you can describe or imagine, really."

The Tech party observed the White Sands take-offs from a spot about one-half mile from the launching site.

There was complete silence as a missile left the launching platform, Dr. Rush said.

"It was farther away from the launching site than we were when the sound hit," he continued. "We suddenly were engulfed by a tremendous roar and buffeted by shock waves of sound."

While on the field trip, the Tech group also stopped at the Air Force's Upper Air Research Observatory atop Sacramento Peak, southeast of Alamogordo, N. M.

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## Margaret Boynton Married in Quanah

Miss Margaret Boynton, daughter of Mrs. Fred Swindell of Quanah, was married to Jack Schmidt of Childress in a candlelight ceremony on Saturday evening, Jan. 28, in the First Christian Church in Quanah.

The bride's mother is the former Miss Mary Meason and was reared in Crowell. She was the daughter of "Uncle" Ben Meason, but has lived in Quanah for many years.

Mrs. Schmidt is a graduate of Quanah High School and is now employed in the First National Bank of Quanah. Mrs. Schmidt attended the Childress schools and is manager of the Panhandle Ice Co. of Quanah.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the church parlors with relatives and close friends as guests. After a trip to points in Old Mexico, the couple returned to Quanah to establish their home.

## CO-LABORERS' CLASS

The Co-Laborers' Class of the Methodist Sunday School were guests in their monthly social meeting on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 1, with Mrs. Ed Sharp and Mrs. R. R. Magee as co-hostesses. Mrs. A. R. Sanders, class president, conducted a brief business session during which reports of officers and committee chairmen were made.

"Precious Name" was sung by the group with Mrs. Sanders playing piano accompaniment and Mrs. C. W. Thompson directing. Mrs. Will Jones was program leader on the Bible characters, "Ruth and the Woman at the Well." Mrs. Charlie Bryson was assistant leader. Mrs. Jones talked on Ruth and told the story from the Bible book, "Ruth." Mrs. Bryson took her scripture from John 1 and talked on "The Woman at the Well." Both gave very interesting reports.

During the social hour, the dining room was thrown open and revealed a lovely table, laid with

cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and white carnations. Miss Jenny Wehba poured spiced tea from one end of the table which was laden with various small sandwiches, cookies, olives, pickles, candies and nuts. Eighteen members were present for the social meeting.

## B. & P. W. CLUB

The Business and Professional Women's Club met in the home of Mrs. Dorothy McClain on Feb. 2 with eleven members present. Viola Biggerstaff presided over a short business session and read the club correspondence.

The Health and Safety Committee had charge of the program and Mrs. Audrey Collins served as leader. "What Happened to Your Dream?" was the subject of an article reviewed by Mrs. McClain and she presented also some secrets of good health. Mrs. Louise Fisch presented some interesting pointers in her talk on "It's Smart to Be Healthy and It's Smarter to Be Safe." Speaking on Mental Health, Audrey Collins told the group "You're Young at Any Age" and gave some suggestions on how to "Act Your Way to Better Health."

The hostesses served refreshments at the close of the program.

## W. S. C. S. MEETS

The group singing of "A Charge to Keep I Have" was the opening number of the program presented at the social meeting of the Pioneer Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Hines Clark. Mrs. J. H. Minnick and Mrs. T. B. Klepper were joint hostesses with Mrs. Clark.

Mrs. Lewis Ballard was devotional leader on Col. 3:14-17. She closed with a prayer. Mrs. S. S. Bell, program leader, gave an enlightening discussion of labor and our relation as Christians to labor problems. She reminded her hearers that this is distinctly a machine age and one must keep abreast of the times in order to accept the responsibilities of the age.

Mrs. A. V. Beverly talked on "The Social Creed of the Methodist Church," basing her thoughts on the latest copy of the Discipline of the Methodist Church.

During the social hour, the hostesses served a refreshment plate to nineteen members.

## INDIAN SUPPER

An Indian supper was given for the young people of the Methodist Church in the home of Mrs. D. R. Magee Wednesday, Feb. 1. Indian food was served Indian style, which was eating while sitting on the floor in a tribal circle around the fire place. The blessing was given by Bobby Davis. The devotional was given by Carolyn Monkres, "An Indian Version of the Twenty-Third Psalm."

The Indian American study, "The Shepherd Knows his Sheep," was given by Mrs. H. E. Monkres. Those present were Jenney Wehba, Delton Parkhill, Jimmy Rader, Aldon Garrett, Betty Davis, Carolyn Monkres, Judy Hollenbough, Fredrick Youree, Eugene Monkres, Jack Wishon, Don Hunter, Bobby Davis.

## WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

A poem, "Don't Give Up," written by Mrs. R. B. Holdman of Ft. Worth, sister of Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, was read by Mrs. Charlie Bryson as opening exercises for Mrs. Charlie Bryson as opening exercises for the West Side Home Demonstration Club when it met January 24 in the home of Mrs. Dunagan.

Council report was given by Mrs. Dunagan. Mrs. Baylor Weathered gave the EEE report and Mrs. Jack Lyons gave the financial report in the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Donald Norris.

"What every wife should know about her husband's finances" was given by Mrs. Walter Thomson. Refreshments of cookies and drinks were served to 11 members and 1 visitor, Mrs. Charlie Bryson.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. S. E. Tate Feb. 14 with a program on planning the home grounds by Mrs. Mary D. Brown, H. D. Agent.

## SURPRISE SHOWER

Mrs. A. W. (Gray) Owens was delightfully surprised Monday evening of last week when a group of friends unexpectedly called at her home southwest of Quanah and complimented her with a handkerchief shower, according to a news item in the Quanah Tribune-Chief.

Mrs. Owens is a former resident of Crowell when she was employed as bookkeeper for the Texas Natural Gas Co. Mr. Owens owned and operated the Owens Auto Supply in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Owens moved to Wichita Falls last Friday where he will be connected with an insurance firm.

## THALIA W. S. C. S.

The Thalia W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met recently with Mrs. T. R. Cates Sr. as hostess, with 13 members present.

Following an interesting program, refreshments were served to Mesdames C. H. Wood, C. G. Lamb, T. R. Cates Sr., W. G. Chapman, Earl McKinley, Milton Adkins, B. A. Whitman, H. W. Gray, Robert Hammonds and Leotis Roberts.

## Margaret

### MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Dorothy Jean Burrow and Miss Sophie Alexander of Abilene spent the week end with Dorothy Jean's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor.

Hack and Oak McCurley of McLean visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, through the week end.

Dr. John Raines of Crowell was called to see W. A. Priest Monday.

Dink Russell made a business trip to Vernon Tuesday. Earl Orr and son, Duane, spent the week end with Mrs. Orr and daughter, Carole Marie, in Vernon.

Joe Couch of Vernon was a Margaret visitor Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and daughter, LaVoy, were dinner guests of her brother, Karl Schoppa, and family of Lockett Sunday.

Joy and Richard Ingle of Quanah spent the week end visiting in the A. B. Owens and Buss Ingle homes.

Mrs. R. A. Bell and son, Kenneth, were Wichita Falls visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Streit and children and Mrs. F. A. Streit of Lockett spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr.

Willie Barnett was a visitor in Wichita Falls Wednesday. Mrs. Willie McWilliams visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Tamplin and son, J. T., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis visited his mother, Mrs. Mary McGinnis, in Vernon Monday.

Mrs. A. B. Owens and Mrs. Buss Ingle visited in Quanah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and Judy visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr visited C. P. Sandifer in the Crowell hospital one day last week.

Kenneth Bell was dismissed from the hospital at Crowell Sunday.

W. A. Dunn made a business trip to Vernon Monday. Greer Reinhard of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell Friday.

Mrs. Geneva Owens and son, Danny, are visiting her father, Dick Smith, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bounds of Crowell visited Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Bounds Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Ross returned home Thursday from Matador after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lisenby.

A. B. Owens made a business trip to Medicine Mounds Tuesday.

H. D. Club meets February 10 with Mrs. Joe Bledsoe.

Hack McCurley of McLean spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cora Dunn and son, Johnny.

## THALIA IDLE HOUR CLUB

The Thalia Idle Hour Club held its January 26 meeting in the beautiful new home of Mrs. W. J. Long in Crowell. All present were shown through the house. Pictures of the group were made, also one of Mrs. Long in her beautiful kitchen. The next meeting will be with Mrs. B. A. Whitman.

Mrs. Long served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames H. W. Banister, C. H. Wood, W. A. Johnson, B. A. Whitman, T. H. Matthews, John W. Wright, Bill Moore, Raymond Grimm, T. R. Cates Sr., G. W. Scales, Maggie Capps, Leotis Roberts and three visitors, Mrs. Abb Jones, Mrs. Bob Abston and Mrs. John Long.

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