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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1940

NUMBER 25

Hinkle Killed Pipeline Accident Here Wed.

Employee Of Wiggins And Kriss

Hinkle, 38, member of a prominent north Wichita county family, was crushed to death Wednesday afternoon about 3:30 p. m. when he was caught in a pipe cleaning machine about one-half mile west of Electra.

Hinkle, an employee of the Wichita Pipe Line Construction company, was feeding the pipe into the jaws of the large machine. He became entangled in the jaws of the cleaning machine and was crushed before fellow workmen could stop the apparatus.

Bible Class Baptist Church Have Contest

Members of the Men's Bible class of the Baptist church here are preparing for an attendance contest which is to run from Feb. 19, when the losing team will entertain the winners at a supper to be held at the church. The contest is being held to raise funds for the church. The contest is being held to raise funds for the church. The contest is being held to raise funds for the church.

To Have Comic Show

Regular meeting of the club Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, announced that they are sponsoring a Magic Hardin Grade school on the evening of Feb. 28th. The show will be a benefit for the club's regular benevolence fund.

Browning and Earle had charge of the program. The Burk Burnett high school orchestra played several numbers which were followed by a song by Roy Magers and Hugo. The program was a success and the club's regular benevolence fund was increased by \$100.00.

Sales Ball Are Up

V. P. Sims, local chairman of the ticket sales committee, stated that ticket sales, which have been very slow, had picked up the last two days and the committee now has hopes of a successful response. Tickets sold here for the dance on January 31st are \$1.00 for dances in Wichita and \$2.00 for dances in the country. The tickets are being sold at the home of Mrs. Sims here.

to the Forum dance are a couple and may be from Mrs. Sims here. The tickets are being sold at the home of Mrs. Sims here.

CALENDAR

Bible class to hold regularly at the home of H. Brumley Thursday, Jan. 25, at 2:30.

Class social Thursday at 2 o'clock at the home of D. B. Wofford. Exchange.

of Central Christian to meet at the church after 3 o'clock.

ted Missionary society to the First Baptist church January 29th, at 2:30

PROMOTED



J. V. BROOKSHEAR

J. V. Brookshear, who came to Burk Burnett from Wellington, Texas, several months ago, to accept the vice-presidency of the Farmers State Bank, was elected president by the board of directors at their annual meeting last Friday.

Hygiene Week To Be Observed By W. P. A. School

Hygiene Week, which has been designated as the first week in February by the W.P.A. schools over the state, will be observed in Burk Burnett Friday, Feb. 2, at Avenue E and Second, from 7 to 9 p. m.

New Form Of Recreation For Burk Burnett

H. A. Mills who has successfully operated bowling parlors in Texas and Oklahoma, will open a bowling parlor in Burk Burnett Friday in the building formerly occupied by the Unique Cafe on Main street.

Mr. Mills states that the parlor will be run strictly on a high plane and that the ladies are especially invited to visit their parlors.

They are installing three first-class alleys and after the first week tournaments will be arranged between local teams and teams from other towns.

YOU WANT TO VOTE, DON'T YOU? PAY YOUR POLL TAX NOW!

According to local and state political observers 1940 will go down in history as one of the most important local and state election years in a decade — not only for Burk Burnett and Texas but for the entire nation as well. Vital issues in regard to local, state and national policies and party platforms are to be decided upon by Texas voters at the polls during the coming months.

Every citizen in Burk Burnett should pay his or her poll tax now. Every citizen in Burk Burnett should exercise the sacred right to vote — the right that is theirs in a free, peace-loving Democratic nation.

The Star reminds its readers that only six more days remain in which current poll taxes may be paid. Last day is January 31st.

So — pay your poll tax now! Have a part in helping Texans and all Americans to determine the future of their government and its principles.

\$1,200 Worth Of Food Stamps Are Issued Here

The City reports that Mr. Felder distributed \$1,200 in orange and blue stamps from this office Monday and Tuesday of this week. Those people who are entitled to purchase these commodity stamps, and fail to do so, are passing an opportunity of saving some real money.

The City Hall reports that they served ninety customers this week, the largest purchaser of the stamps received \$32.00 in stamps, which means a lot of groceries, for one family.

High School To Have Contest For Class Favorites

Plans are being completed by members of the staff working on the high school annual to stage a contest to determine the school favorites.

Votes for candidates will be one penny each and payments on the annual will entitle the purchaser to votes equal to the number of cents he makes on the payment.

Pictures of those selected as favorites will appear in the annual. Classes are expected to select their candidates in the near future.

Burk Burnett Star To Sponsor Shower For "Dad" Kellow

The Burk Burnett Star invites everyone in town to participate in the shower for "Dad" Kellow who lost all his belongings in a fire last week which destroyed his shop and his home.

Bring your gifts to the Burk Burnett Star and they will be presented to Mr. Kellow when he moves into his new shop on February 1st.

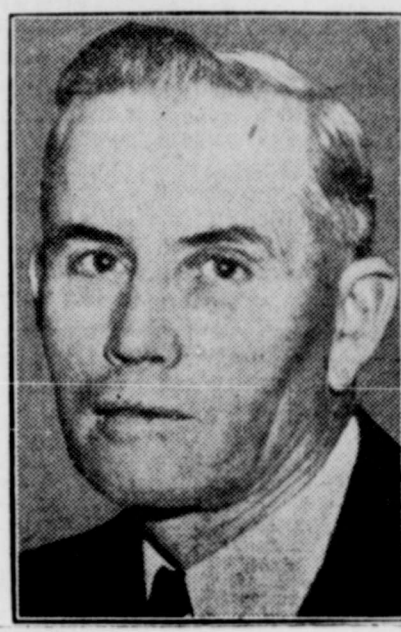
Anything that he can use in the house or can wear will be acceptable.

Rhyme Pastor To Preach Again At Baptist Church

O. L. Clark, chairman of the board of Baptist deacons, stated that the Rev. Jack Manning of Rhome, who preached here three weeks ago, will be here again on Sunday, January 28th, to hold morning and evening services.

It is of vital importance that every member hear the Rev. Manning.

PRESIDENT



O. L. CLARK

O. L. Clark, prominent farmer and civic worker, was elected president of the First National Bank last Friday. He succeeds the late I. E. Harwell.

Burk Basketeers Win First Half Of Round Robin

The Burk Burnett Bulldogs won their first round of the Wichita County round-robin matches with an unmarred basketball record here Friday night as they swamped the Iowa Park Hawks by a score of 38 to 22.

Russell Clements was high point man for the Dogs, making 13 points. Brandon accounted for 11 points. The outstanding player for the Hawks was Miley, who accounted for 8 of the Hawks' 22 points. The Bulldogs were never in trouble and led at the half 18 to 13.

The Bulldogs are the only team to enter the second half of the round robin undefeated. All other teams have at least two defeats. They will play the first game of the second half with Valley View here Friday night.

On Tuesday of next week they will play Fairview here and on Friday, February 2 they will play the Electra team on the local court.

Bowie Tournament

The Bulldogs split the four game tournament held at Bowie last week with two victories and two defeats. According to their coach, Polk Robinson, the defeats were probably due to the fact that the games came in such swift succession that the regulars were played down. They played the last game with Odell almost entirely with second string players, but even at that, the whole squad acquitted themselves brilliantly.

Freddie Brown, guard, won the tournament cup for sportsmanship and Russell Clements, star forward, was high point man for the tournament and made the all-tournament team. These honors were accorded on a vote of the coaches. The Bulldogs defeated Rhome in the first game 31 to 24 and Slidell in the second game 38 to 36; the third game they dropped to Bowie 38 to 31 and the last was won by Odell, 29 to 21.

The Bulldogs will enter a tournament at Graham on Saturday of this week. The first game will be with Bryson.

R. K. Ayers Addressed Burk Boy Scouts

R. K. Ayers, Field Executive for the Northwest Boy Scouts, was present at the last meeting of Troop No. 35 and addressed the boys.

Stephen Marchand and Leroy Story passed First Class tests and Donald Dodson passed five Second Class tests.

Ed Schroeder, advancer of the Burk Burnett Scout board, was present at the meeting. O. L. Clark, chairman of the board, and L. L. Harris were also present.

Scoutmaster Bill Estes, assistant scoutmaster, W. C. Hensley, and 14 boys were present.

The meeting went through the regular routine and was closed with the Scoutmaster's Benediction and taps.

Clark, Brookshear Elected Presidents Of Local Banks

Many Students Absent Because Of Illness

Enrollment following mid-term examinations at Burk Burnett high school has been hampered somewhat on account of the cold weather and illness resulting from the weather, according to Guy C. Pryor, principal, who stated that thirty-five absentees on Wednesday was the smallest number recorded since mid-term. Sixty absentees in one day were reported last week.

A total of 510 students enrolled at the first of the school year. Since that time 86 have withdrawn. Thirteen new students were enrolled at mid-term, which brings the total enrollment at the present time to 447.

Regular class work has been going on for a week now since examinations were finished and schedules arranged.

Only 148 City Poll Taxes Paid

One hundred and forty-eight City poll taxes have been paid to date, according to J. J. Blackstone of the City Hall. City officials said that the number of receipts issued each day have been gradually increasing and they anticipate a last minute rush next week.

W. R. Hill of the chamber of commerce, stated that he has issued 242 state and county poll tax receipts and has 8 registrations of exemptions under the "under age" ruling.

There are only six more days to pay poll taxes, and city, county and state taxes must be paid before you can vote. This is election year and you will want to exercise your right to select your representatives.

Scout Executive Talks To Local Rotary Club

Dick Ayers, of Vernon, scout field executive of this area, was guest speaker at the local Rotary luncheon last Tuesday.

Fred Brookman had charge of the program and presented Mr. Ayers, who made a talk on "What Scouting Is Doing For The Boys." His talk was instructive and well delivered.

President Tucker made several announcements. Paul Browning has the program for next week.

Rotarian from Wichita Falls attending were John Sullivan, J. K. Estes and Dave Lebermeth.

Burk High To Be Represented In 'Who's Who'

Burk Burnett High school will have ten representatives in the 'High School Who's Who' this year, according to Guy C. Pryor, principal, who also stated that the ten representatives will be selected at an early date.

Members of the high school faculty vote on candidates for the honor and all representatives are chosen from the Senior class. 'High School Who's Who' is assembled by Baylor University.

Lester Hughes To Work For American National Insurance

Lester 'Looney' Hughes, who has been employed at Cannon's drug store since 1934 accepted a position with the American National Life Insurance company last week and went to work for them on Monday of this week.

Mr. Hughes will work out of Wichita Falls and has been assigned part of this district as his territory.

O. L. Clark, prominent farmer of this community, and J. V. Brookshear, vice president, were elected presidents of the First National Bank and Farmers State Bank, respectively, at a meeting of the directors of the two banks last Friday.

O. L. Clark has been prominent in this area for more than 25 years. He has been a resident of this area since 1893. He was elected to succeed the late I. E. Harwell, who died Jan. 3.

Mr. Clark is president of the Burk Burnett school board, a deacon in the Baptist church and teacher of the Men's Bible class. He is also a member of the board of directors of the Mary Hardin-Baylor college, Belton; Howard Payne college, Brownwood, and the Buckner's Orphans Home, Dallas.

C. J. Brannon of Wichita Falls was elected to board of directors of First National bank. F. H. Harwell, L. L. Harris, A. R. Hill and P. B. Browning were re-elected as directors.

J. V. Brookshear, who recently came to Burk Burnett from Wellington, Texas, to accept the vice presidency of the Farmers State Bank, was elected president of that institution to succeed J. H. Brumley, who resigned.

Mr. Brookshear has made many friends during the time he has been in Burk Burnett, not only with the business men but with the people of the entire community, and especially with the farmers of this territory.

O. R. Tipps of Wichita Falls was elected to the board of directors. Other officers and directors elected were Harold Van Loh, cashier; J. H. Brumley, vice president; Henry Grace, chairman of board of directors; O. W. Prechel and A. H. Lohofener, directors.

Cecil Allen Is Seriously Ill In Wichita Hospital

Cecil Allen, local welder, was removed to the Wichita General hospital shortly before midnight Wednesday in a critical condition. Examination indicated that he was suffering from a ruptured appendix.

He has been ill for several days and grew steadily worse on Wednesday when a physician was called and he was taken to the hospital.

Latest reports state that he is resting well but is still in a serious condition. No operation has yet been performed.

Mrs. Wiley Browning Receives Word Of Mother's Death

Mrs. Wiley Browning was called to Dallas Monday on account of the death of her mother, Mrs. D. Kuchenkaker, 72, who died at 9 o'clock in the morning of that day.

Burial was in the Henrietta cemetery Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the family lot where her husband, Rev. D. Kuchenkaker, who died September 6, 1939, is buried.

The Rev. and Mrs. Kuchenkaker were residents of Dallas for nearly twenty years. They were pioneer residents of Henrietta, having settled there in 1900.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Wiley Browning of this city, Mrs. J. C. Gentry and E. H. Mayfield of Dallas and two sons, Arthur and Walter of Dallas.

Billie Boyd Moves To Farm Near Byers

Billie Boyd, who has had charge of the grocery department of the Boyd Bros. Department store for the past 15 years left the first of the week for his farm near Byers, Texas, where he will make his future home.

Jim Boyd, who has operated their Thrift store for the past several years, will take over Mr. Boyd's place in the grocery department. The Boyd Bros. sold their Thrift store to Mr. Dick Leonard.

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A New Industry For Texas

The Lufkin Daily News last Sunday published a special edition celebrating the completion of the first mill in the South which will manufacture newsprint from native pine timber. In the cut-over lands of the South there are millions of small trees which are unsuited to lumber manufacture which can be used in this new industry.

The Lufkin mill gives every promise of being a success from the beginning and the event may well be expected to mark the beginning of a great industrial development throughout the pine belt in the South. In every Southern state there is considerable timber which can be utilized for this purpose. Much of it would otherwise be wasted because the growth is a type which is not adapted to other uses.

This is important from another standpoint. It will relieve the publishing business from the necessity of depending on foreign newsprint. At the present time mills in the United States are unequal to the task of meeting the demand. Most of our imported newsprint comes from Canada but some also comes from Europe. The uncertainty of this source of supply doubly emphasizes the need for developing a domestic supply.

Texas leads the way in this important development, and both Lufkin and the publishers of the Lufkin Daily News deserve praise for issuing the edition of 288 pages celebrating the opening of a great new industry in the South.

More About The Neely Bill

The Neely bill "would outlaw . . . compulsory block booking and blind selling . . . This simply means that the exhibitor must buy not one particular picture which he may want, but a series of pictures. There is blind selling in the practice because motion pictures are sold before they are made. It is the only device that industry has found that will take excessive gambling out of production. If you can think of a better one, the movies will be glad to know it.

"Exactly why is the practice (block booking) a matter with which government should take concern? Bear in mind that there is nothing in the world to prevent anyone from going into movie production and selling single pictures . . . block booking does not prevent them (exhibitors) from buying where they can. There is no monopoly in movie-making.

"But motion picture houses must have a large turnover in pictures . . . Not without enormous losses can the producers supply so many on the hazard that they will be bought. The first result of Congress' outlawing block booking would be to increase the cost of production, the charge to exhibitors and the boxoffice price to the moviegoer who must foot the bill.

"The Neely bill . . . is merely another of those senseless measures introduced in response to the universal urge, 'There ought to be a law.'—Dallas News.

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE

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HAVE BEEN GIVEN UP
BY MANY PEOPLE IN
HOLLAND—
BUT THE
FARMERS
HAVE TO
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ONLY KIND SUITABLE FOR
THE WET AND SOGGY
SOIL.

RAPID AMERICAN
PROGRESS

IN 1900, ONLY ABOUT 4,000
MOTOR VEHICLES WERE
TURNED OUT IN THIS COUNTRY.
TODAY, THIS NUMBER WOULD
HARDLY SEEM A TOWN
WITH A POPULATION OF
20,000.

A JOB IN ONE INDUSTRY CREATES
JOBS IN OTHER INDUSTRIES.
FOR EVERY 10 MEN EMPLOYED IN MAKING STEEL, 5 ARE
KEPT AT WORK SUPPLYING THEM WITH RAW MATERIALS.

THE ANNUAL COST OF ALL
GOVERNMENT IN THE
UNITED STATES IS EQUAL TO THE
TOTAL INCOME RECEIVED BY ALL INDIVIDUALS
IN EVERY STATE WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI.

IN BOSTON
IT'S ILLEGAL
TO HAVE
A DOG
HIGHER
THAN
A FOOT
HIGH
ACCORDING
TO AN
ANTIQUE
LAW
STILL ON
THE
STATUTE
BOOKS.

Burkburnett . . . History

As revealed by the files of The Star 10 years ago.

(From the Burkburnett Star, issue of January 24th, 1930.)

Water pails, bottles and kegs are very much in evidence here; they may be seen in all directions in the hands of citizens carrying water. It is estimated that there are frozen pipes in five hundred homes here. Tuesday night the thermometer dropped below the zero mark for the second time during the present cold spell. One thermometer here registered 7 degrees below according to a report, however, the Texas Electric Service company observatory at Wichita Falls reported only zero. The observatory's lowest report this winter was three degrees below. The ground is frozen in places two feet deep under the surface.

The ginning record for Burkburnett this year surpasses all previous records with a total of

more than 6500 bales of cotton ginned at the local gins.

Dr. Carl Morrison was unfortunate in having his feet frozen Monday when his car, with a number of others, was stalled in a snowdrift on the Wichita pavement. He is fully recovered at this time.

R. H. Henry, who sustained several broken ribs in a fall on the ice last week, is recovering.

Mr. Knauth stated that an effort had been made to secure a snow plow to clear the almost impassable roads in this precinct but that there is no such thing in Texas. Mail service on the routes has been hampered but Mr. Knauth and his men are working on the worst places and the situation should be much better within the next few days.

I Give You Texas

By Boyce House

Every time I see Sterling Holloway, successful Fort Worth attorney, an incident of years ago comes to mind.

Holloway graduated from the University of Texas law school, was delegate to a Y.M.C.A. convention in Europe and then went to Eastland to serve as assistant district attorney. One morning a plainly-dressed, middle-aged woman whose features told a story of hardship and lack of opportunity entered. He did not recognize her as having been defendant in a sensational case some time previously when she was acquitted because of unsoundness of mind nor did he know that her neighbors, with a queer idea of humor, had told her that, if she took possession of a piece of land and held it for four years, the State would buy it from her.

After the young lawyer had listened long enough to see that his visitor had nothing to present which was any business of the district attorney's office, he said: "There's nothing we can do."

But this didn't please her at all and she declared:

"I don't want any trouble; of course, I killed my husband but—"

The naturally rosy-complexioned Holloway turned pale and stammered:

"You—you—you killed your husband?"

"Yes," she calmly replied. "I hit him in the head with an axe and then I cut his throat with a knife because I couldn't stand to see him suffer."

"Sit down, madam, sit down," exclaimed Holloway, grabbing a pencil and paper. "Now just tell me all about this land of yours."

This-and-that:

Well-known Juilian Capers of Dallas, who has been writing a column on politics and public affairs for a number of years entitled "Nobody's Business," has been named publicity director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Wonder if Bill Yarbrough of Austin is going to run for district attorney? He intended to make the race two years ago but Judge Ralph Yarbrough of Austin, (no kin) announced for Attorney General and Bill figured that, if he involved the name of Yarbrough in a hot county race, it might cut down on the vote that the judge would receive in his home county.

Ever see a rodeo from an announcer's stand? This observer did, at Graham last fall. The chutes were right under the platform and when a horse began pitching before the rider could get in the saddle, our stand would shake like a boat in a heavy sea. Once, I got so interested watching two men trying to persuade some Brahmas to enter the chute that I missed seeing one of the events of the arena. Incidentally, the steer-riding championship was won by 16-year-old Joe Hale, Archer City schoolboy who got permission to miss his classes in order to compete. He's five feet, four and looks just like Ted Read, Jerry Sadler's secretary, even to the smile.

In that book of forgotten men of American literature, whoever writes it ought not to forget Brann the Iconoclast, a Texan, whose devastating prose makes the lauded Mencken seem like the pale glimmer of a tallow candle compared to the glare of a bolt of lightning.

Lawyers are the subject of more stories than anybody except the two Irishmen, Pat and Mike,

so here are a few for our old joke contest:

A stranger, visiting a small town cemetery one Sunday afternoon, read an inscription, "Here lies a lawyer and an honest man" and then commented:

"Ground seems to be scarce around here; they're burying 'em two to the grave."

Equally ancient is the story of the old lawyer who was giving some advice to a newly admitted attorney.

"When the law is on your side and the facts are against you, bear down in your argument to the jury that justice must be done though the heavens fall," the veteran barrister said.

"If the facts are on your side but the law is against you, ask what the world would be if it were not for mercy, for pity, for the sympathetic feeling of man for his fellow man?"

The young lawyer said, "But suppose both the law and the facts are against me?"

To which the old-timer answered: "Then give the other side a hand."

Another antique is the one about the witness who was being cross-examined, and the lawyer bellowed:

"What do you do for a living?" and before the witness could answer, the attorney continued, "You don't work at all, do you? And isn't it a fact that your father is a loafer, too?"

The witness said, "Well, you might ask him; he's sittin' over there on the jury."

And did you ever hear the story of the newspaperman who slipped into heaven and the others up there didn't like it and were going to ask St. Peter to put him out but when they looked around for a lawyer to draw up the petition, there wasn't a single one in heaven?

Christian Science Services

"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 28.

The Golden Text is: "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth" (Isiah 25:1).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Have I not written to thee excellent things in counsels and knowledge, That I might make thee know the certainty of the words of truth; that thou mightest answer the words of truth to them that send unto thee?" (Proverbs 22:20, 21).

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: "The understanding of Truth gives full faith in Truth, and spiritual understanding is better than all burnt offerings." (page 286.)

"Pat," said the manager of the factory, "I want you to report to me at six o'clock tomorrow morning. Here's an alarm clock." The next morning arrived. Pat was met by a frowning manager. "Well, what was the matter? Didn't the alarm clock go off?" "Oh, yes, sorr, it went off all right but the trouble was that it went off while I was asleep."

"PERCE STRINGS"



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By George Mc

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Dated at Wichita Falls, Texas, this 5th day of Jan., A. D. 1940.

PAT ALLEN, Sheriff,
Wichita County, Texas.
By H. F. Hawkins, Deputy.

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HAWKEYE Writes Again! ...

From Liberty Hill Community



ple, Okla., Jan. 21, 1940. Thursday at 12 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Darter misfortune to have their home and everything inside but about ten of Mrs. Darter's quilts, destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$2,000 and \$2,500 with a fire insurance to cover the loss. The home was burned in 15 minutes to the ground. Dartersville. This community as well as their own community extends their heartfelt sympathy to their great loss.

Darter motored over to Little City, Burk. Saturday afternoon to locate through the city of commerce a three or four house which he could have moved over to live in.

Grady Benson's aged father, Phillips, who lives in Dartersville neighborhood and some time past has been taken to the hospital with pneumonia, was taken to the hospital Wednesday. His host of friends is glad to know that he is on the road to recovery.

folks, one of those blue came straight from the

north pole last Wednesday. Believe me, it was some cold and I don't mean maybe, either. Still Hawkeye and his family stood the storm fine as they were well protected from the wind, as there is a five wire barbed-wire fence running by the house south, north and west, also on the extreme south a fine four wire fence all around, so you see, folks, Hawkeye made it just fine and dandy.

O. H. Darter of Dartersville and L. C. Hooper of the same neighborhood were honored guests over to the big barbecue which was held Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. at the Marshall Young farm north and west of Our Friendly Little City's bridge. This grand feast was sponsored by the city's chamber of commerce. O. H. told Hawkeye that he was sure his friend, L. C., would sure burst. O. H. did say that he snapped off two of his pants buttons from eating so of that well prepared and barbecued mutton, hog and beef. There were over three hundred on the grounds who partook of that bountiful feast. Hawkeye says he would bet it was just nip and tuck between O. H. and L. C. when it came to eating a real barbecue like Our Friendly Little City puts on. Anyhow, everyone

MISPRONUNCIATION IS SOCIAL DISGRACE

YOU'RE not liable to a jail sentence for committing the crime; you won't be fined or even censured by the law; but society, in its own intolerant way, will take care of you. You will receive a penalty more painful than sitting in a jug: you will be banished socially. The crime? Mispronunciation.

"Nothing in all the world is so betraying as mispronunciation," writes Archibald Rutledge in the February Good Housekeeping. "If a speaker fumbles for the right word, we have a fellow sympathy for him; if a writer misspells one, we feel a personal jolt; but when someone mispronounces a word, we are embarrassed by him and for him."

Mispronunciation can be traced directly to one of two reasons: carelessness or ignorance.

Correct pronunciation can be acquired, says Mr. Rutledge, by listening to those who are considered authorities, and by reference to the dictionary when in doubt. Below is a test of twenty words on which "even the fairly well-educated is likely to stumble". Count 5 for each word pronounced correctly. Over 60 is fair. Over 80 is excellent.

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| 1. Quintuplet | 11. Alias |
| 2. Respite | 12. Hirsute |
| 3. Penalize | 13. Coupon |
| 4. Incognito | 14. Mausoleum |
| 5. Lamentary | 15. Mischievous |
| 6. Placid | 16. Robust |
| 7. Formidable | 17. Corral |
| 8. Theatre | 18. Secretive |
| 9. Indictment | 19. Conciliatory |
| 10. Poignant | 20. Frigate |

See Correct Pronunciation, page 6

who attended sends their thanks and appreciation for such a feed.

Wedding Bells Ring in Temple.

Okla., as they did down on Big Rabbit Creek as Mr. Richard Evans and Miss Vennie Ruth Darter were joined together as man and wife last Sunday afternoon, January 14th, at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. Hooper officiating. Those two young people were reared and educated in Temple, both of them graduating from the Temple high school. Mr. Evans finished his business course as bookkeeper in Oklahoma City last fall. Mrs. Evans finished her business course at Stillwater, Oklahoma. Both of these young people come from very highly respected families. Mrs. Evans is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Darter of Dartersville. Mr. Evans' parents reside in Temple. Mr. Evans is head bookkeeper in the largest lumber yard in Temple. Mrs. Evans' brother, Harold acted as best man and Mrs. Harold Grace Darter as bridesmaid. It is the wish from the Liberty Hill neighborhood as well as the Dartersville community that those fine, esteemed young people, Mr. and Mrs. Evans will live a long and happy married life; furthermore that they live to a ripe old age and they will walk side by side all through their further life; that their path of life will be strewn with roses and never will they find a thorn in it. Just one more word: Hawkeye has known Mrs. Evans since last March. I wish to state to each and everyone that Hawkeye has never been associated with any nicer, more refined young lady as Mrs. Evans is. Listen to me, Richard, you are a very lucky young man to get the life helpmate you have chosen. Mr. and Mrs. Evans will make their home in Temple, Okla.

The past ten days or more of more or less hard freezes that comes nearly every night is working an awful hardship on the grain crop over in this part of this old world.

All of those big herds of white, face cattle in this part of the country is sure nice and fat. You won't find a poor whiteface anywhere.

Say, folks, Hawkeye sure does like their new location. I can stand out on the west side of our house and I can see over in New Mexico; looking down south you can see right into Fort Worth and Dallas; looking north you can see Mt. Scott west of Lawton; looking east we just have a small visibility of eastern Oklahoma. Over three thousand cars pass our house in 24 hours on the Temple-Waurika highway.

While Hawkeye was down to Dartersville Saturday afternoon who drove up to give their old boat a good drink of gas to get home on but his old friend Tobe Hardin, Mrs. Martha Nails and her son, Charlie. They were enroute home from Our Friendly Little City. They had been shopping and, believe me, they had their car full of all those good eats that you can get over in Our Friendly Little City at a very low rate in price. Hawkeye was pleased to see them. Brother Tobe is farming for the Boyd Brothers this year over in Texas.

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Randlett News

By Beulah M. Wilson

Mrs. Marshall Tompkins and Walter Myers visited in Waurika and Snyder, Okla., Sunday of last week.

The Daisy club met with Mrs. Mozelle Baldwin Tuesday, January 16th with twenty members present. The lesson on "School Lunches" was led by Mrs. Esther Carter. The White Elephant prize was won by Mrs. Vera Fuls. Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Daisy Dunn February 6th after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Burton announce their marriage which took place October 26th, 1939. Mrs. Burton is the former Miss Geraldine Upchurch, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Upchurch. Mr. Burton, better known as "Shorty," is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ott Burton who reside north of town.

Miss Lena Patton was ill from Wednesday until Sunday. She was able to be back in school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson were business visitors in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Clint Dunn, Misses Myrtle Capps and Alta Mae Braden and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson visited Mrs. Spencer Steele, Jr., of Wichita Falls Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Jimmie Fender was reported ill Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Eastman and Mrs. Jennie Fender visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Weaver and family of Devol Wednesday of last week. All the Weaver family have been ill with 'flu.'

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Best and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Penwell were Wichita Falls visitors Tuesday of last week.

Randlett's "Big Boy" independent basketball team played the Haliburton cements on the local court Wednesday of last week and were defeated 36 to 33.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilkenson were in Wichita Falls Tuesday of last week, for Mr. Wilkenson to receive medical treatment.

The Randlett-Union Valley aame scheduled to have been played Thursday, January 18th, had to be postponed until Wednesday, January 24th on account of the cold weather.

Lanell Wilson was ill over the week-end suffering an attack of the 'flu.'

Virgil Halley left for California Saturday where he will be employed.

J. D. Due and H. T. Bentley left Friday to attend school the second semester at Edmond State Teachers' college.

Miss Irene Loveless received treatment at the Wichita General hospital Saturday night for a cut on her forehead and bruises and shock suffered in a car wreck at Burk Burnett Saturday night. Her brother, Jesse Lee, ran into the rear of a parked truck. He escaped with minor bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kirkpatrick, Sherman and A. B. Kennedy, visited in Lawton Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mills of Charlie, Texas, attended church here Sunday morning and spent the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mills.

The home of O. H. Darter was completely destroyed by fire on Thursday of last week. Due to high winds they were unable to save much of the contents of the house. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline cook stove.

The Rev. Harvey Lewis of Fort Worth filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday and was a guest for the day of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dilbeck.

Richard Carter and Scott Johnson were business visitors in Temple, Saturday.

Patsy Patterson was reported ill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Penwell, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Best and son, Carl Owen, were Lawton visitors on Saturday.

Ray Bentley is visiting an aunt in Arizona.

Tommie Campbell was a business visitor in Walters Friday.

B. S. W. Jones, L. S. John, Leo Price, Tom Stafford, Mrs. Jesse Lee Seelig, Mrs. Marguerite

Browning, Miss Eleanor McClarty, Miss Margie Hollis and Miss Virginia Price attended teachers' meeting held at Temple Friday.

Rodney Whitehead, who is attending school at Weatherford, visited home folks last Friday until Wednesday.

Floyd Wilkenson and Fred Riley made a business trip to Oklahoma City Sunday.

Mrs. George McCarty and children and Miss Cleo Guthrie of Burk Burnett, Texas, visited Mrs. J. P. McCarty and Eleanor McClarty, Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Prough and daughter of Geronimo and Miss Gladys Zachary of Temple, Okla., visited Miss Lena Patton Tuesday night of last week.

George Beavers had the misfortune to lose his car by fire a few days ago.

Bud Harwell and children of Wichita Falls visited her sister, Mrs. C. B. Ressel, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson visited Mrs. Belle Hawkins and Enola at Walters Sunday.

Juanita Ashton, who is attending school at Edmond, spent the week-end at home.

Mr. T. S. Best was a business visitor in Temple, Okla., Saturday.

Mrs. P. R. Fuls and Mrs. L. S. John attended a Methodist missionary meeting at Lawton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Boles were business visitors in Lawton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. John visited relatives in Walters over the week-end.

Raymond Underwood was a Lawton visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. L. S. John and Mrs. Jim Whitehead spent Monday of last week in Wichita Falls.

Guy Blair of Addington, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. T. W. Capps and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stanford and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Oran Walkup of Iowa Park, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dilbeck's daughter from the plains is visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Under-

wood and family moved to the farm west of town belonging to C. R. Underwood Monday.

New 'bleachers' are being built on the south side of the school auditorium. The north side was completed some time ago. The men of town are donating their work. This means a much larger seating capacity, which will likely be needed for the Union Valley game Wednesday night.

Dorma Lee Baggs, in the hospital at Walters, is reported to be somewhat improved.

Mrs. Rome Brown entered the Clinton hospital Tuesday. Mrs. Brown has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism for three weeks.

Harry Fuls and daughter and Mrs. Anna Fuls of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fuls of Holliday, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Fuls and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Rexford Pfeiffer and daughter, Bonnie, of the Riverland community spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Tompkins'.

Devol News

By Lorene Mowery

Miss Maxine Odom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Odom, formerly of Devol, became the bride of Alvin Hand, son of Stella Hand of Walters, on December 1st. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Blackburn, pastor of the Methodist church in Ada, Okla. Mrs. Hand formerly resided in Frederick, Okla., with her parents. She attended school in the Cameron college at Lawton, and was a member of the College Synopsators and the Cameron Triple Trio. Mr. Hand is a graduate of the Walters high school and has played on the Cameron football team for the past two seasons. The young couple plan to continue their college education.

Melvin Charboneau visited his brother-in-law, who underwent an appendectomy last week in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Mozelle Beck is reported ill with the 'flu.'

Betty Lou Stevens visited Edna Shirley, Friday afternoon.

Wendle Bryant, who is working in Shawnee, Okla., spent last week-end in Devol with his mother.

Mr. O. P. Gammill was honored with a birthday dinner Wednesday.

day, January 17th, given in his home by his daughter, Ethel. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Gammill, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gammill, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gammill, Mr. Joe Warsham, of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frye, Jr., Lynn Gammill, and the hostess, Ethel.

Inez Whitney visited her mother in Walters, Monday evening of last week.

Miss Lois Stevens from Oklahoma City, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens.

Homer Tanner is reported ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Frye, Jr., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glendinning at Mountain View, Okla.

Mrs. Beasley is ill with the 'flu.'

Rev. Ferguson has been ill with the 'flu.'

Mrs. F. M. Willenbrug and son from Shawnee, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cook.

Marceline Turnbow from Burk Burnett spent Thursday and Friday in Devol with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cozby entertained the following guests last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Green Wilson of Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Munk Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morrow, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Postelwait, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dunnigan, and daughter, Mrs. Emma Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and children.

Charles Woodley was at home last week-end from Cameron.

Mrs. Scott Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Carl Powell and children, Mrs. K. B. Uthe and Patsy, Mrs. Dodd and son, Mrs. Reeves and son, and Sybil Woodley visited with Mrs. Mowery and daughters Tuesday night.

The Brotherhood met last Tuesday night at the Baptist church. The men report a wonderful fellowship meeting. Alton Ellis, John Rigby, of Burk Burnett, and Bro. Jordan of Grandfield were speakers.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at the Baptist church. We urge all who will to come and be with us in our services. Rev. Mowery is pastor.

This month's absent-minded contest was won by the druggist who was asked if he had a wife and replied, "No, but I have something just as good."

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- SOCIETY -

Mrs. Deforest Ashton Honored
With Lovely Bridal Shower Friday

Mrs. Deforest Ashton, a recent bride, was honored with a lovely shower at the home of Mrs. E. Jeffers on Friday afternoon, January 19th.

Assisting Mrs. Jeffers in her duties as hostess were Mesdames R. L. Gragg, S. S. Reger, and L. O. Campbell.

Mrs. Ashton is the former Miss Ruby Parkson. Her marriage took place on December 24th at Grandfield. She was presented with a lovely assortment of household and personal gifts.

Misses Dorothy Preston, Mamie Browning, Janice Caffee, Mary Frances Gamblin and Dorothy Loring entertained with songs and readings.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Roy Wilson, T. Guy Willis, Loyd Ifland, D. M. Morris, Chris Morris, N. H. Harris, Ralph Brookshier, D. C. Jones, Clyde Elder, W. P. Boydston, James Bohner, A. Jeffers, Hugh Preston, John Ashton, J. D. Ashton, and Misses Tia Juana Ashton, Noida Johns, Gracie Bell Jones, Dorothy Moore, Helen Copher, Geneva Campbell, Betty Jo Gilchrist, Wanda Boydston, Helen Ashton, Martha Beth Utts, Lanelle Elder, Helen Justice, Naomi Banning, Jessie May Brady, Thelma Dunaway, and the honoree.

Those who sent gifts but were unable to attend included Mesdames B. M. Cropper, R. M. Gilchrist, Fletcher Baber, L. E. Sims, J. R. Chatham, R. C. Tevis, P. A. Wiggins, J. C. Adams, Clarence Bridges, A. R. Hill, Wade Boggy, Joe McKenzie, T. A. Banning, R. W. White, Terrell Deckard, Leonard Mattingly, J. T. Brady, L. J. Loring, Jack Isbell of Paducah, Texas, P. B. Browning and Miss Betty Jane Hill.

Mrs. Hugh Jones
Hostess To Current
Literature Club

The Current Literature club met with Mrs. Hugh Jones on January 11. Mrs. B. M. Cropper was leader for the afternoon and presented Mrs. C. J. Morrison who reviewed "Life of the Diones."

Mrs. B. F. Gilchrist appointed the nominating committee who will nominate candidates for officers for the new year.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames Glen Bear, B. M. Cropper, D. C. Dodson, R. E. Ebbs, Herman Engelmann, B. F. Gilchrist, A. H. Lohofener, Roy Magers, C. J. Morrison, Frank Riley, Joy Sessums, Eddie Young, L. L. Harris and J. L. Caffee.

Circle No. Three
Baptist W.M.S. Met
With Mrs. Salter

Mrs. A. W. Salter was hostess to Circle No. 3 of Baptist W.M.U. Monday afternoon. The meeting opened with a song, Mrs. J. G. Cheney gave the devotional and Mrs. W. A. Strickland led in prayer.

Mrs. Salter presided during a brief business session.

Those present were Mesdames O. A. Nichols, B. L. Turner, Otis Hash, Hattie Buchanan, W. A. Strickland, "Mother" Harwell, and the hostess.

Mrs. Buchanan dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Garden Club
Members Back
From Conference

Mesdames J. M. Pogue, George Kerr, Clifford Dodson, C. J. Morrison and Tom Boyd returned last week from a garden conference sponsored by the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs and Texas State College for Women of Denton.

The meeting featured lectures on all topics of interest to gardeners and garden club members. They report a very successful, enthusiastic and well attended conference.

Mrs. Gilbow Hostess
To W.M.U. Circle

Circle No. 2 of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon January 22, with Mrs. Gilbow. The opening song was "Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus."

Mrs. Suttles brought the devotional from John, and Mrs. Lohofener led in prayer. Following a short business session, Mrs. Suttles dismissed with prayer.

Those present included Mesdames Suttles, Goodlett, Keith, Walling, McMurry, Beldon, Lohofener, and Gilbow.

Study Club Elects
1940-41 Officers

The Junior University Study club elected officers at a regular meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Walter Morris.

The 1940-41 officers are Mary Kimbrow, president; Estelle Morris, vice president; Mattie Dell Aulds, recording secretary; Stephany Robison, corresponding secretary; La Rene Davis, parliamentarian; Evelyn Felty, reporter.

"Death Comes For The Archbishop" by Willa Cather was used as basis for discussion by three members, Guinn Van Loh outlining the career of the Bishop; Stephany Robison discussing the part of women in the plot; and Gladys Wesbrooks revealing the legends which were worked into the story.

Refreshments were served to Doris Cropper, Ethel V. Allen, Evelyn Felty, Florence Foster, Mildred Garland, Mary Kimbrow, Stephany Robison, Guinn Van Loh, Gladys Wesbrooks, Estelle Morris.

Hardin Club Met
With Mrs. Peed

Members of the Hardin club met at the home of Mrs. Clyde Peed Wednesday afternoon for a regular meeting. In the absence of the demonstrator, members read and discussed the by-laws and exchanged names for Sunshine Friends for the ensuing six months.

The recreation chairman, Mrs. J. C. Muller, conducted an interesting spelling contest and the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. W. T. Stapp on February 14th.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Dave G. Holtzen, J. C. Muller, E. A. Marten, A. A. Evert, A. C. Houser, J. T. Brady, A. R. Allen, J. J. Blackstone, W. T. Stapp, Richard Pink, James A. Johnson, Ada Wesbrooks, Wid Phillips, Fred Minick, F. W. Farley, Fred Bunjes, M. R. Hewell, Lawson Gilger, Newton T. Crane, Frank Vaughn, and Misses Clara and Millie Kiesling, and the hostess, Mrs. Peed.

Mrs. Landers Hostess
To Baptist Circle

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. B. A. Landers Monday afternoon. The meeting opened with song and Mrs. O. L. Clark read the devotional from the 25th chapter of Matthew. She also gave a stewardship talk and led in prayer.

The Circle made plans to entertain the Junior R.A. Monday evening and appointed the refreshment committee as follows: Mesdames O. L. Clark, J. C. Hinkle, and Mary Cauthorn.

Mesdames F. M. Watkins, L. E. Bundy, and B. A. Landers were appointed as the committee to prepare, plan and prepare menu for the all day meeting to be held at the church on the first Monday in February.

Mrs. F. M. Watkins dismissed with prayer.

Those present were Mesdames Murphy Dean, McBride, O. L. Clark, Roy Magers, L. E. Bundy, L. Coats, G. W. Ferguson, Mary Cauthorn, F. M. Watkins, J. C. Hinkle, and B. A. Landers.

Walther League
Party At Clara

Miss Marcella Engelmann entertained for members of the Walther League of the Clara Lutheran church at her home on Wednesday evening, Jan. 17.

Games and contests were arranged for the amusement of the guests. Delicious refreshments were served to Albert Brockriede, Charlie Fritsche, Junior Ramming, B. A. Dorland, Fritz Goetze, Weldon Minick, Max Goetze, Jr., Floyd Marten, Paul Goetze, James Walling, Marilyn Klinkerman, Emma Goetze, Nora Muller, Lavonia Schroeder, Velma Klinkerman, Ida Mae Fritsche, Rosa Goetze, Margaret Goetze, Eveleen Schroeder, LaNelle Klinkerman, Alvina Klinkerman, Irma Kiesel, Edwin Muller, Eugene Schroeder, Wilburn Glass, Norman Schroeder, Virginia Hibbs, Oscar Schroeder, Juanita Wright, Mildred Kaspas, Marjorie Faye Klinkerman, Mrs. J. J. Engelmann and the hostess, Marcella Engelmann.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★



An all-around dress that will keep a young housewife looking trim and fashionable at the same time is this two-piece rayon with a washable shirt and flared skirt. January Good Housekeeping tells us that it comes in green, copen or red stripe with solid skirt.

Former Burk Girl
Weds At Weslaco

Mrs. and Mrs. O. B. Duggins of Iowa Park received word from Mr. Duggins' sister, Mrs. Leona South, of Weslaco, Texas, that her daughter, Frances, was recently married to Mr. Cletus Rhohr of Alice, Texas. The couple is at home in Pharr, Texas, where Mr. Rhohr is employed. Mrs. South and her daughter are former residents of Burkburnett.

Junior G. A.'s
Elect Officers

The Junior G. A.'s of the First Baptist church met Monday, January 22, at the church. Songs were sung, business attended to and officers were elected.

Those attending were Christine Suttles, Nell Gibson, Lucille Lassiter, Anna Mae Bennefield and Mrs. C. B. Beldon.

Presbyterian Church

The pastor will give the second in a series of messages on the first Psalm, Sunday morning, 10 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. "Delight in the Law of the Lord."

7:30 p. m. "The Plagues of Mankind."

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THRIFT NEWS

By B. F. Jackson

Mrs. W. M. Free, Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and Miss Nell Free of Megargel visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Edwards last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McCullough, Mrs. B. F. Sanders, Mrs. Cloma Lawrence and daughter, Charlene, of Wichita Falls, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hughes and children are home after a visit of several days with relatives and friends in Dallas.

Wanda Ludington is on the sick list this week, suffering from a light attack of the 'flu.'

Floyd Bright, Jr., of Beggs, Okla., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson this week.

A. C. Whigham, Jr., is on the sick list this week with a light touch of the 'flu.'

Mrs. T. F. Gifford is reported to be on the sick list this week.

Fairview Posts 1st
Conference Win

In one of the best games of the current conference race, Fairview registered their 1st conference victory Tuesday night in their own gym. At the end of a highly exciting thrill packed game with the Electra Tigers the Fairview Polar Bears emerged on the long end of a 12 to 9 score. One of the unusual points of the game was the fact that the Electra team was held scoreless in the first half of the game. The game at the end of the first quarter was a scoreless tie. Fairview counted five points in the second quarter to lead 5 to 0 at the half. The second half saw both teams playing a rough, fast game with players on both sides fouling out.

The final score showed Electra 9, Fairview 12.

The Fairview girls made the night a complete success by defeating the Electra lasses in two straight games in volleyball by the scores of 15, 4 and 15, 8.

Fairview goes to Iowa Park Friday night for their second game of the last half and then to Burkburnett next Tuesday night.

Boys Town

By BYRON REED

A beautiful coat of snow covers Boys Town—the city of Little Men—today. The avenue of Birch trees on the main drive entering Boys Town in its wintry garb certainly is an answer to an artist's prayer.

Father Flanagan this week spoke over the radio in Omaha in behalf of the Infantile Paralysis campaign. He urged everyone to cooperate in this worthy undertaking by attending the President's Birthday ball, to be held in Omaha, as well as other cities throughout the nation, to raise funds to fight this dreaded disease.

Boys Town, you know, is unique because the boys govern themselves. One of the 13-year-old lads here recently appeared before the judge of the municipal court, on a petty charge of failure to wear his sweater. Jesse Ruiz, the boy judge, dismissed the case with a warning that should the lad continue to neglect to wear his sweater he would be given one to wear and one to carry around for a couple of weeks. "A similar punishment once cured me from forgetting to wear my sweater," Ruiz admitted after court session.

Father Flanagan announced this week that 1,718 boys sought admission to Boys Town during the year 1939. Four hundred twelve boys were cared for during the year by Father Flanagan. These boys represent 25 nationalities and they came from 43 different states, Canada and far away Albania.

There were 1,341 applications for admission to the Home in 1938; 820 in 1937; 657 in 1936. Because of this increased demand Father Flanagan is just now completing a new building program which will enable him to care for 500 boys, instead of the present enrollment of 200. These new facilities, for which Father Flanagan has gone into debt considerably will not be ready for occupancy, however, until early spring.

Jottings: Milton White, is the new Boys Town ping-pong champion; Father Pat McDermott, of

Atlantic, Iowa, national of the American Legion visited the Home and spoke to the boys; several members of Commerce are planning to visit Boys Town in a bus; Nick Loncaric, the Big High start athlete, has 15 points per game in current basketball season; plane building is pressing collecting for top honor favorite hobby at Boys Town; Peter "Tex" Downie, 13, the title of Boys Town's satile musician . . . he the organ, piano, clarinet and violin.

"Mirandy," said the preacher, as he led the brook for baptism, "to lead you out here in an wash all youah sins." "Lawdy, Pashon," the erstwhile frolicsome creature said, "dat li'l ole shallow creek."

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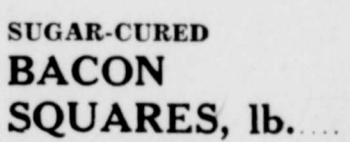
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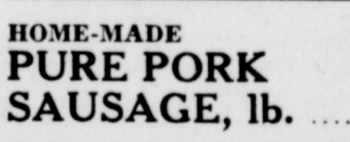
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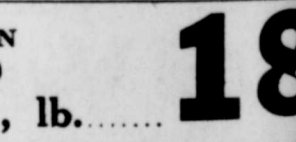
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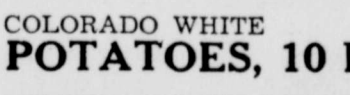
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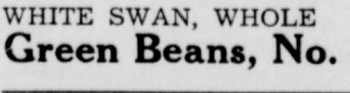
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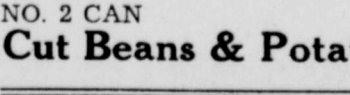
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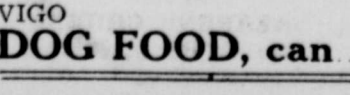
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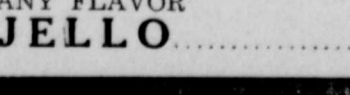
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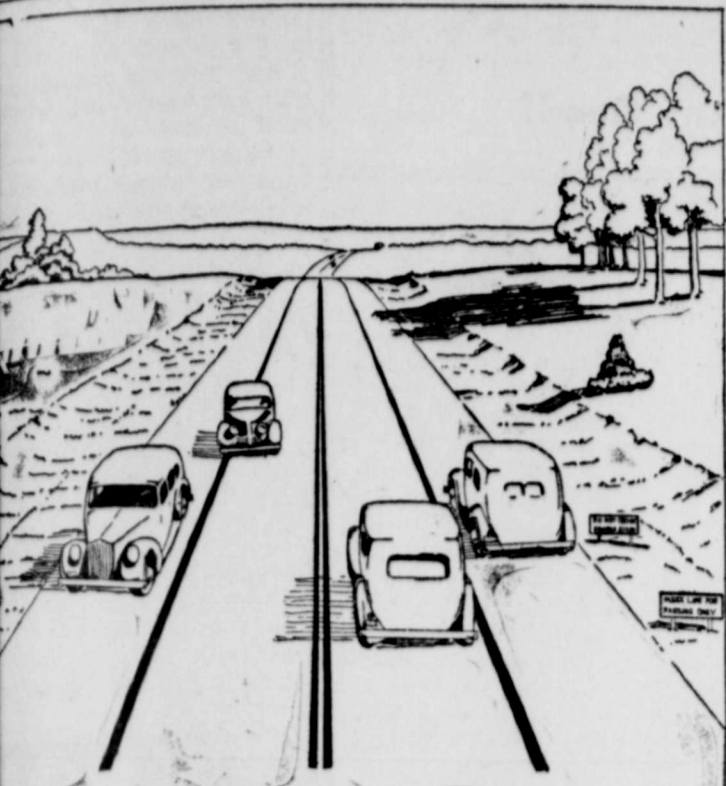
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Gas Consumption Increases With Low Temperatures

Burkburnett is going into the fourth week of the longest spell of really cold weather that many of us recall. About the only ray of light in the prevailing gloom is the fact that we lived through the 'spell' of 1930 (see Burkburnett History in this issue) and if we stood that we can stand this.

The thermometer has stood at freezing for so long that some of us have begun to wonder if it has frozen.

Statistics on this cold spell include a report from R. W. Lindsey, district manager of the United Gas Corporation, which states that all past records for natural gas deliveries have been broken.

Mr. Lindsey also stated that United Gas has adequate manpower, facilities and supplies to meet this or even greater emergencies.

New Scout Troop To Be Organized

R. K. Ayers, Scout Field Executive of Vernon, stated Wednesday that a new troop is being organized here under the leadership of Pearce L. Burns, pastor of the Central Christian church.

There is already one troop here, Troop 35 sponsored by the First Baptist church. Mr. Ayers and the Rev. Burns both stated that they are especially anxious to get another troop organized and urge all boys who are interested in the work to meet with executives at the Legion hall Friday evening, February 2, to organize.

This troop will also be sponsored by some civic group, announcement to be made later.

Bulldogs' Growl

SENIORS RESUME LESSONS

By John Rigby
This week the Senior class enrolled for the last semester which will be the last lap, so to speak. For many in the class, this semester will be the busiest in the many years of enrollment in public schools. Combined with the routine schedule of the Senior class, this year we have taken upon ourselves the huge task of publishing a school annual, the third ever published in Burkburnett.

At The Churches

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. Pierce J. Burns, pastor
Bible school at 10 o'clock.
Preaching services at 11:00 a. m.
Communion services, 11:15 a. m.
No evening services.
Bible Study Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Aid on Monday at 3:00 o'clock.
We have a Men's class for you where you will be welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Atwood A. Hyde, pastor
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Busy Bee Class, 2:30 p. m.
Second Wednesday.

CHURCH OF GOD
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 o'clock, Sunday morning.
Sunday evening services at 8 o'clock.
Wednesday night prayer services at 7:30.
YPE service Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Calvary Baptist Church
Corner College and Ave. B
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
Preaching Services—11:00 a. m.
Young People's Service—7:00 p. m.
Adult Bible Class—8:00 p. m.
Evangelistic services—8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service—8:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
O. D. Dial, Minister
Sunday School at 9:45.
Sermon at 11 o'clock.
Evening services at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting and Bible Study on Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. C. W. Thomas, Pastor
Sunday school meets promptly at 9:45.
Morning services at 11:00.
League services, 6:00 p. m.
Evening services, 7:30 o'clock.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Otto C. Perry, Pastor
Regular Services:
Sunday school 9:45.
Preaching at 11 o'clock.
Evening services, N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m., preaching at 8 o'clock.
Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 o'clock.

Determined to Live in New York, Texas Girl Writes Her Way There

A PICTURE of the Singer Building in an old geography book set the heart of a little girl in Texas to beating double time. The indefinable atmosphere of Manhattan had caught Margaret Cousins of Dallas in its sophisticated grip and she determined that some day she was going to live in New York. And she is.

Starting at the ripe old age of four years when she tossed off an



Margaret Cousins

occasional bit of verse, Margaret Cousins literally wrote her way to New York. When she was graduated from the University of Texas in 1927, she went to work for a trade magazine and wrote and wrote. Finally she started selling fiction stories, the latest of which "Words Without Music" appears in the January Good Housekeeping.

Through her stories, the editors of Pictorial Review became inter-

ested in their Texas contributor and offered her a job with the magazine. So she got to New York. She is still there on the staff of Good Housekeeping Magazine and writing her stories.

"Words Without Music" is a tender little tale of a child who made friends with a philosopher. He was supposed to be a failure by the adults in the town but to the turbulent, wistful child he was a wise counselor and a beloved friend. Miss Cousins takes her characters and episodes from reality and deftly weaves them into a story that lingers in the heart.

Safety Picture To Be Shown Here

"It Can Happen To You," a thrilling film driving home the lesson of safety, will be shown in the local theatres here for a few days beginning January 28th through February 2nd.

This film is brought here by the local Safety council and is furnished without charge by the Texas Safety council of which Pierce Brooks of Dallas is president.

The council has previously released a two-episode film on "Death Takes No Holidays," which is being shown throughout the state as a part of the Safety campaign work.

"This film is in no sense commercial and carries no commercial hook-up," President Brooks said, in making the release. "It is the

story of a young man who twice was brought before the court for reckless driving, and although admonished by the court and his family to exercise the rules of safety, he continued and in the end ran down and killed his own baby sister.

The primary purpose of the production is to call the attention of boys between 15 and 21 to the need of careful driving. It has met with an enthusiastic reception wherever shown."

The film is brought here in conjunction with the campaign of civic clubs and other interested persons in bettering the safety record of the city and county and in the hope that it will be the means of causing thought upon the part of our young and old drivers.

This and the other two films have been universally indorsed wherever shown, and the demand for them is such that they are booked far in advance.

Concert Of Wichita Falls Orchestra Is Postponed

Due to the fact that they will play for the San Francisco ball on February 5th, the City Symphony Orchestra of Wichita Falls has postponed their concert scheduled here for February 6th.

The concert will be presented at a later date, probably about two weeks after the 6th, according to Mrs. M. E. Lewallen, local musician who is a member of the orchestra.

Fire Dept. Makes Second Call In Week To Same Residence

The local volunteer fire department was called the second time within a week to the residence of E. L. Taylor on West Main to extinguish a blaze caused from a defective flue. Only a small damage was done.

The first fire happened last week and was caused from a cook stove.

Office Supplies at The Star.

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The Burkburnett Star

Hardin Grade School News

Bobby Morris ably described how cold it was Thursday morning when he said, "I felt like some one was throwing blocks of ice at me when I was coming to school. While practicing on our thrifty play which we are going to give next week in assembly, we have been learning what it means to save and how we boys and girls can be thrifty. (Miss Ingie.)

We are working on a little play, Penny Lane, for assembly program. Since we began to study thrift in our play we have decided to practice it in our room. We have a penny bank in our room and instead of spending all of the pennies our mothers give us for candy and chewing gum and such, we put it in our bank to save until we have enough to buy us a story book for our library. A new pupil, Lauretta Ashmen entered our room Monday. (Miss Billingslea.)

We are glad to welcome a new pupil. She is Alvina Walker from Archer City and is in the second grade. The second grade is enjoying the new science reader, "Winter Comes and Goes." (Miss Parris.)

We are so glad to have new readers. We are sure we are going to like reading "Wheels and Wings." It has so many pretty pictures and stories about things boys and girls like. Row I won the most stars in our Health contest for this term. Those who made the honor roll for this past six weeks are W. L. Gibson, Hazel Lee Beckham, Georgia Ann Hrazdil, Lacieta Jennings, Mary Frances Kent, Betty Jean Matthews, Wanda Lou Meeks, Daisy Nan Nolen, Wanda Tyler, and Beverly Wyant. (Mrs. Moore.)

W. A. Simons entered school last week in the second grade. Row II remains ahead in the cleanliness contest. Their lead is threatened by rows 4 and 5. Pupils of L 2-2 are enjoying a new basal reader, "In Animal Land." They want to be like Playmate who is kind to animals. Mary Ann Moore's name has been added to the spelling honor roll. (Miss Lassetter.)

The pupils of H 3-1 have been studying how to write poems. The following are some poems members of the class selected as the best ones written in class:

"My Puppy"
He is fluffy.
When I come out to play;
He comes up to me so gay.

He stays in his pen,
He is one of my best friends.
—Melvin Gragg.

"On The Farm"
Down on the farm, we have chickens and cows,
And a big black cat that always meows.
We have horses to ride
And calves that play,
And woolly lambs that eat all day.

We have flowers, and birds in the trees.
What little child could want more than these?
—Gloria Minick.

Gene Earl Brown, Gene Groves, Tibby Hauger, Nell Jenett Story, and Benny Jack Turner have been neither absent nor tardy during the past semester. These boys and girls are striving for the certificate given at the close of school for perfect attendance. (Miss Majors.)

Due to the cold weather our attendance has been much lower this week than usual. Five new pupils have been admitted to our room during the past week. (Miss Lorette Smith.)

Pupils of H4-2 are happy to have new readers, "First Families of America," and "Let's Stay Well." Roy III won in our good health contest this semester. Ervin Abbott, Wanda Lou Story, Eva Jo Evans, Dorothy Marie Bates, Donald Starnes, Tommy Gwinn and Vesta Lea Green made perfect score in spelling this week. (Miss Solomon.)

Quite a number were absent last week from school in our room during the cold weather. Our room wrote letter to Lonnie Jo Arthur, who has been very ill since last November. (Miss Isbell.)

Fifty-five enthusiastic boys and girls met in the music room to start practicing on Choral singing. Last year Burk won first place and went to the district meet. These boys and girls have set their goal to win the district this year. (Miss Allen.)

Jimmy Beckman visited in Chickasha, Okla. Ramona Milford's grand-father from Oklahoma is visiting with her. We have several sick the past week and we are glad to have them back. Janet Thompson has been sick. Jackie Shuffler has been sick with a cold. Joyce Nichols has been absent. Bobby Lee Miller is ill with the chicken-pox. (Miss Smith.)

This slack in bad weather is increasing our home room enrollment.

ment. We had 17 absences the other day, but we are rapidly returning to normal. The Physical Education classes have a new game Ping Pong, which they have added to their games. When the girls have learned more about it, we will run off a tournament to decide who is the best player. (Miss Hyden.)

Nellie Mae Vaughn was carried to the General hospital Monday. The pupils in this room sold all of their hundred copies of their class paper. (Miss Griffin.)

We are sorry to report that George Smith and Ila Frances Prinzing are absent due to illness. We are glad to have Wilma Jean Boyd join our class. (Miss McGinnis.)

Those who spent the week-end out of town were: Doris Mae Grace, Graham; Colleen Mattingly, Graham; Lenora Cassell, Walters, Okla. Wayne Mullins has been absent a week because of illness. (Miss Gibson.)

Glenda Moore has been elected news reporter for our room. Betty Williams has been ill. Marcella Kramer went to visit her brother who is in the hospital at Fort Sill over the week-end. Mary Barton, Grace Meek, and Wanda Marshall will represent our section in the Ready Writers contest. (Mrs. Vann.)

Has John's school music been a waste of time? Research shows that it requires 736 separate mental and physical operations to play one verse of a well known hymn — thirteen operations per second. When we stop to consider that these physical and mental operations must be coordinated in a most marvelous way it becomes apparent that a musical skill is no ordinary skill. Let us say seeing that we lack a better way of putting it, that musical expression brings out the very best of our physical and mental emotions. It compels discipline, it molds character. It subordinates undesirable personal traits and puts good ones in their place. No John has not thrown away his time. He is emotionally more mature. His coordinated faculties give him poise and surety which he otherwise might not have. The discipline of his part experience will carry on into his every day life. He will find it easier to cooperate with others. By all means let John play in the band. (Mr. Woodall.)

Correct Pronunciation

1. Quintuplet (QUIN-tup-let, not quin-TUOP-let or quin-TUP-let)
2. Respite (RESS-pit, not re-SPITE)
3. Penetrate (PEE-nal-ize, not PEN-al-ize)
4. Incognito (in-COG-ni-to, not incog-NEE-to)
5. Ignominy (IG-no-min-y, not ignom-in-y)
6. Placid (FLACK-sid, not FLASS-id)
7. Formidable (FOR-mid-a-ble, not for-MID-a-ble)
8. Theatre (THE-a-tre, not the-ATE-er)
9. Indictment (in-DITE-ment, not in-DICT-ment)
10. Poinignant (POIN-yant, not POIG-nant)
11. Alias (ALE-ee-as, not a-LIE-as)
12. Heinous (HAY-nuss, not HEE-nuss)
13. Coupon (KOO-pon, not CUE-pon)
14. Mausoleum (mau-so-LEE-um, not mau-SO-le-um)
15. Mischievous (MIS-chie-vous, not mis-CHEE-vous)
16. Robust (ro-BUST, not RO-bust)
17. Corral (cor-RAL, not COR-ral)
18. Secretive (se-CREE-tive, not SEE-cre-tive)
19. Condolence (con-DO-lence, not CON-dol-ence)
20. Khaki (rhymes with stocky, not with wacky)

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HERE'S SOME ADVICE FOR YOUNG BRIDES

THE young bride who pads her idle brain with the thought, "I don't care how I look, I'm married," is in for a fall. It may not come for months, but one day her husband is going to awaken to the fact that this woman sitting opposite him is not the same girl he fell in love with. Before their marriage her hair was always combed and it shone lustreously; her nose was never streaked with dust, and her face had a soft loveliness to it. And now...

This question of personal appearance and its importance to a lasting marriage, was the subject discussed at the third meeting of the Good Housekeeping Brides School, reports Helen Weisheimer in the February issue. To keep monotony out of marriage, the girls were warned, "let your husband look at you with a fresh eye now and then. What he really wants in his heart is for you to continue to be the leading lady of his life. And it is up to you to play your role beautifully."

In other words, the girls were told, as the old saying has it, "not to let themselves go". In the morning, send your husband away with the bounding, joyous feeling that he'd rather work for you than for any other woman in the world. All that you need do is to look fresh and clean, awake and cheerful. This doesn't mean any elaborate hair-comb or any unnecessary makeup. Just look neat and alive.

And before he comes home in the evening, take time to spruce up. He's vain enough to want you to look even prettier than when he left you in the morning. Walking into the house after business is really his big moment of the day. Don't let him down by looking untidy. He'll grin and bear it; but for how long? And see how his kisses fall off if you continue to look untidy.

Some men can't stand the sight of cream on a face, even if it's a lovely face. If your husband is that kind, use the cream during the day when he isn't around. And the same holds true for curlers, or any beauty method distasteful to a man. After all, the vow was, "till death do us part." It's a lovely vow. Why endanger it?

Wichita Falls Is Becoming Ballet Conscious

Wichita Falls, Jan. 24—Northwest Texas is becoming more "ballet conscious," as evidenced in the demand that brings the San Francisco Opera company ballet to Wichita Falls Monday, February 5.

The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo proved the outstanding success of the 1938-39 cultural season. The San Francisco ballet, though not as old and as famous, will prove even more popular in the opinion of its sponsors.

HOME EDUCATION

"The Child's First School is the Family"—Froebel
Issued by Nat'l. Kindergarten Association, 8 W. 40th St., New York City. These articles appear weekly in our columns.

Is Scolding Any Good?

BY LAURA GRAY

"I've given up scolding altogether. It's no use!" declared my friend, Mrs. Wright, as we sipped coffee by the fire.

"What do you do then to make children behave and do what they're told?" I asked, looking at her serene and happy face. She was the mother of six lively youngsters.

"I try to keep from getting into a rut, by changing my procedure from time to time. Children like this, and it keeps them alert. I weave fun into almost everything. So long as we can laugh, even trying situations can be met bravely."

"But you surely can't laugh at everything?"

"Almost everything has a funny side," she declared. "But I

members of the Wichita Falls Junior chamber of commerce.

In the first place, tickets have been priced so that every one may attend the ballet. In the second place the repertoire of the San Francisco company is less classical.

"We hope to make money from this engagement. It is part of our year's objectives to bring the finest entertainment to Wichita Falls and its area neighbors," Harold Story, Jaycee president explained. "We are making another art, music, beneficiary of the ballet's appearance. All proceeds will go to benefit the Wichita Falls Symphony orchestra—an orchestra which, incidentally includes musicians from other communities."

The community plan under which the San Francisco dance company operates is worthy of patronage, because some day Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, perhaps even Wichita Falls, may wish to pattern after it a like sponsorship of a dance training school.

Out-of-town reservations may be made by writing Mrs. Hal Yeager, Box 1982, Wichita Falls. Ticket prices are \$2, \$1.50 and \$1 for the lower floor and first balcony and 50 cents for the second balcony.

The San Francisco ballet has as its ballerina the famous Janet Reed and as its choreographer and director William Christensen. Although the ballet is principally American, it is a thoroughly cosmopolitan company.

find I must be decisive. When together we fix upon a course of action or when an important principle is involved, there must be an exceedingly good reason in order for a lapse to be excused. So the boys and girls know what to expect. If seven o'clock is unalterably bedtime, they accustom themselves to that and go to bed at seven and not at seven-thirty or eight. I learned very early that if I kept changing my mind for this reason and that, weakening under pressure, the children didn't really know what I was likely to require of them and so simply did what to them was the easiest."

"Well, what do you do with a five-year-old who is always pinching and teasing the younger ones—like my sister's boy?"

Mrs. Wright smiled. "That's just my Tommy! I used to be repeatedly saying, 'Stop that! Don't be so unkind! Stop teasing Flossy!' until my voice might as well have been the wind blowing. I felt sure there must be a better way. So then I tried sending Tommy to his room to play alone, until he could be kind to the rest. I didn't say anything—just took his hand and led him out. Once he kicked and screamed and wouldn't be led. We took our things and left him alone in the playroom, where the children were not usually allowed to play. After a few minutes of solitude he always comes out sunny and smiling. No remarks or comments are ever made. But when this method fails I'll look for another."

"Your methods sound reasonable," I answered. "Scolding soon grows monotonous and ineffective."

"I've found, too," continued my friend, "that to give a command once and wait, expecting performance, is more effective than to keep on talking."

"How do you mean?"

"If I say, 'Don't go out any more tonight, please,' that is

enough. A decisiveness expressed that the boy sees Tommy looks at me, then to his friend that he can't and that ends the matter. I say, 'No, you can't go out late last night. I do you to go out now. I wouldn't come over here my boy senses indecision own mind and plays up to it.'"

"Aw, heck, why can't a disagreeable argument my power is lessened, and one's nerves are disturbed."

"You're absolutely right, knowledgeable thoughtfully."

Clara Luther Church

Sunday school, 9:30 a. Morning service, 10:30 a. In view of the Sunday teacher's institute, held at on Sunday afternoon, the service will be dropped. Ladies' Aid meets T afternoon at the home of Arnold Holtzen.

A storekeeper had his insured against fire and one day his shop and all his dis were burnt up in a fire. All seemed a bit unusual, president of the company lieve his mind, wrote the keeper the following letter: sir: You took out an policy at 11 a. m. and you did not catch fire until 4 p. m. Will you kindly explain lay?"

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Bronchitis, acute or chronic, is an inflammatory condition of the mucous membranes lining the bronchial tubes. Creomulsion goes right to the seat of the trouble to loosen laden phlegm, increase secretions, aid nature to soothe and soothe, inflamed bronchial membranes. Tell your doctor you have a bottle of Creomulsion. You are understanding that you are the way it quickly always or you are to have your own CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, etc.

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TAKING reflection pictures, with the aid of a mirror, is an amusing camera pastime... and you can obtain many novel effects, quite simply.

For simplicity, place your subjects quite close to the mirror, as in the picture above. Then simply focus for the distance between camera and mirror, and shoot. Provide enough light so you can use a small lens opening.

If the subject is farther away from the mirror, you must make certain allowances in focusing. Just remember that the reflection lies beyond the mirror. For example, if your subject stands two feet in front of the mirror, the reflection is two feet back of the silver surface. In such a case, it is best to focus for a point about midway between the subject and mirror; then use a very small lens opening.

Either light from amateur flood bulbs or flash bulbs can be used in taking mirror pictures, and in some cases, daylight can be used. Flood bulbs are probably best for your first mirror pictures. They are simple to adjust, and can be used in inexpensive cardboard reflectors. In taking the pictures, be sure the

bulbs are properly shielded, so that direct light does not shine on the camera lens.

Wall mirrors are not the only ones that can be used for these shots. If you have a large tray with a mirror bottom, picture someone carrying it—and choose a camera angle that also includes the subject's reflection. Too, if you happen to have in your home a dressing-table with three mirrors, you can adjust them to pick up multiple reflections of a subject.

Here's another idea for some fun. If you have an old mirror, with a frame resembling an old-fashioned picture frame, use it to create some "period portraits." For example, make up a subject in comic side-whiskers, then pose him where you can pick up just his reflection framed in the mirror—not showing the subject himself. This is a good idea to keep in mind for a camera party this winter.

Those suggestions are good for a start—now cook up some mirror ideas of your own. That's the real fun of "doing it with mirrors"—and it's surprising what you actually can do.

John van Guilder

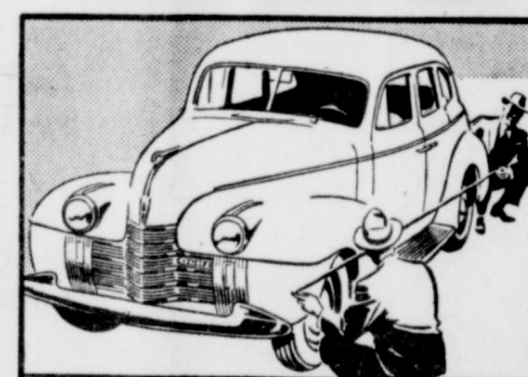
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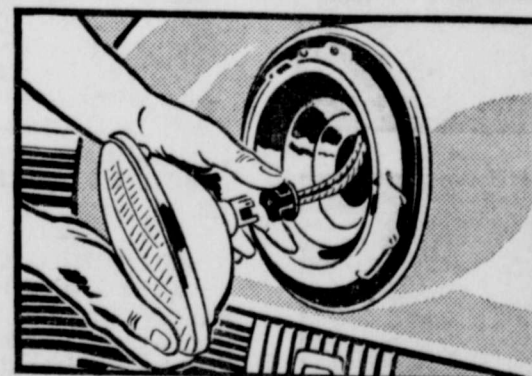


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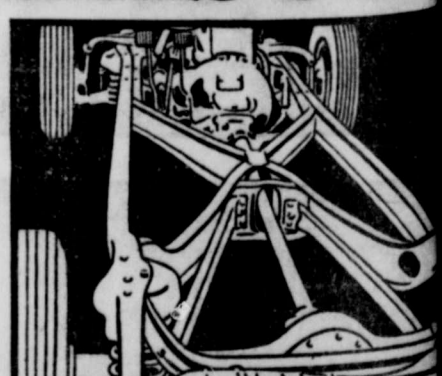
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Mrs. M. W. Majors, who has been very ill for some weeks, is reported to be somewhat improved. She has a very bad cold.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henry visited in Oklahoma last week-end.

Sam Davis is confined to his home suffering an attack of the 'flu'.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dodson spent Monday in Dallas attending the Spring style shows.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mattingly spent Monday in Dallas attending the Spring style shows.

Miss Marita Capers of Phoenix, Arizona, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and family.

You will have to have one of those lovely blouses at OPAL'S. Organdy and silk batiste. \$2.00. 25-1tc

Dick Ayres, Scout executive of Vernon, Texas, was here on business Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thomas of Wichita Falls were business visitors here on Monday.

Robert Dunn, who was employed by the United Gas Corporation here, has accepted a position with the Shasta Oil company at Coahoma.

Harrison Goble, Levi Garrett, and Truman Garland attended the Frigidare convention in Fort Worth last week. Mr. Garland and Levi Garrett are attending the training school there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Beth, at the Burkburnett

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FRI.-SAT., JAN. 26-27

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Chapter 4
"THE SHADOW"

clinic on January 19th. The little girl is a granddaughter of Mrs. Charles Hall.

Miss Agnes Crowley, who was injured in an automobile accident on Christmas eve, is still confined at the Wichita General hospital where she is reported to be rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cecil and family of Vandevork, Arkansas, have moved here to make their home.

Mrs. Horace Hinkle who has been critically ill, has recovered sufficiently to be up for awhile each day.

Misses Earline and Jerline Smith of Wichita Falls spent last week-end visiting Miss Jonita Majors.

Dr. I. D. Russell has been confined to his home this week suffering an attack of the 'flu'. He was reported to be much improved Thursday.

Miss Hazel Pinkston was returned to her home here Wednesday afternoon from the Wichita General hospital where she recently underwent an operation for the removal of her appendix.

J. C. Welborn of McKinney, Texas, visited his sister, Miss Mabel Welborn, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bookbinder spent last week-end in Marlow, Oklahoma, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Paul Browning went to Denton the first of this week to see her daughter, Pauline, who has had an attack of the 'flu'.

The Rev. A. J. Quinn of Bowie, deputy district governor of Lions, was here calling on members of the local club Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mallette moved here from Wichita Falls last week. Mr. Mallette is employed by George Griffin who opened a new cafe here this week.

Kellow's Shop To Be Rebuilt When Weather Permits

"Dad" Kellow stated Wednesday that work will begin on the reconstruction of his blacksmith shop and living quarters as soon as the weather permits. The building will be built on the site of the one which burned two weeks ago.

Mr. Kellow had hoped to be in his new place by the first of February but since the weather has been so unfavorable, he does not know just when he will be able to go back to work.

Local townsmen are planning to help him in the rebuilding of his shop.

Jane: I hear you were out golfing with Eddie. How does he use the wood? Mildred: I wouldn't know. We played golf.

City Of Longview Abolishes Poll Tax

Poll Tax Receipt For State, County Will Be Required To Vote

Longview, Jan. 18—Climaxing a series of swift moves in order to secure immediate action on the matter, the Longview city commission abolished the city poll tax, subject to the approval of the attorney general's department at a special meeting here Saturday morning.

As a result of the commission's action, no city poll tax will be required to vote in this year's city election. The commission did not include a previously proposed 25-cent registration fee in ordering the \$1.00 poll tax abolished.

The vote of the commission was unanimous after the motion to abolish the poll tax was made by Commissioner R. B. Williams and seconded by Commissioner Leroy Ziegler, these two voting for the motion along with Commissioners O. Thomas Welch and J. Willis Booth.

In order to vote in the city election, however, a state and county poll tax will be required. This requirement is made under the law statutes of the state.

The commission acted on the matter after hearing an explanation by City Attorney R. O. Kenley in which he said that a member of the attorney general's department in Austin had given him his personal opinion that Longview's city poll tax could be

abolished, despite the fact that the levy has already been made and some citizens have already paid their poll tax for 1940.

Persons who have already paid their poll tax for the current year will be refunded the amount of the poll tax in the event the attorney general's department approves the action of the city commission.

Because of the fact that cities are not entitled to opinions from the attorney general, the ruling will be secured for the city by the office of Gregg County District Attorney Fred Erisman.

A young Scottish recruit was put on sentry-go outside the general's tent. In the morning the general rose, looked out of his tent, and said in a stern and loud voice: "Who are you?" The young man turned round smartly and replied, "Fine Sir. Hoo's yerself?"

Roustabout: Ginger ale.

Waiter: Pale? Roustabout: No, just a glass.

Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, July 27, 1940.

The cost of announcement, including write-up is: State office, \$20.00; for district and county offices, \$15.00; for precinct offices, \$10.00—Invariably, Cash.

For Commissioner, Prec. 2:
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For District Judge
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Women of Warring Nations Meet the Emergency Brave

THE "unsung heroes" of the present European war are the women of the warring nations. More than ever before, women are an active part in government, daily labor and actual warfare. Their feminine shoulders in England, France and Germany rest on the battle lines that will play a large part in the ultimate outcome of the war.

The gigantic evacuation of children in England, which, according to Mr. Hewitt, is more of a problem than their own, is a testament to the courage and sacrifice of the women of these nations.

The average American housewife, was something seen in a newsreel and forgotten, was, perhaps, one of the most revolutionary departures from tradition and custom that England has ever undergone. In the first four days of the war, 3,000,000 boys and girls under seventeen years of age were removed from England's "target cities." The stupendous task was performed entirely by women who had prepared the way in six weeks' time. Any American mother who has taken a child down-town on a busy day can imagine what the English women were faced with in removing children from their homes and mothers, taking them to strange places and leaving them in charge of people in most cases, by birth and habit, entirely foreign to the children.

France's women are taking their share of the war a little less dramatically than the English women, but no less efficiently. Plenty dramatic, however, is the French group of Parachute Nurses. In training since 1936, this group is composed of society sportswomen, Olympic stars and dancers from the Folies Bergere. The women must be trained nurses as well as registered pilots.

Their perilous duties include parachute jumps from fast planes to give aid to wounded pilots, often even behind the German lines. Charles Hewitt, Jr. describes the calm efficiency of all these women in his article "Housewives and War" in the February issue of Good Housekeeping.

German women and girls have been drafted for farm work, as for work in the arms industry. In France and England, women are doing the same work but are voluntarily. In the two latter countries, the women's auxiliary are, to a great extent, under command of women. In Germany, men officer every branch of women's industry, including carrying, acting as street conductors, street cleaning and, of course, in their factory work.

The Women's Auxiliary Air Corps in France is only one of the groups doing men's work. Corps includes thirty-five women pilots and twenty efficient women engineers. Their work is training thousands of women mechanics to replace men in the aviation service.

England has a similar corps which has recently announced that women pilots for transport are in flying ships across the Channel to the war zones.

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