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# THE CRANE



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## 'Opening Night' To Be Theme Of Annual Beauty Contest



The beauties pictured above are as follows from left to right seated, Shirley Tooke, Doris Dean, Sharon Middlebrook, Lucy Crawford, Martha Johnson, Sandra Box, Joyce Woody and Sondra Mark. Standing, Jerene Crumley, Charlotte Caskey, Patty Knaell, LaNelle Van Zandt Ruby Smith,

The annual beauty contest to select the most beautiful girl in Crane High School is to be held November 23, and is sponsored by the Student Council and the Annual Staff. The theme for this gala event is to be 'Opening Night'.

Larry Stiger was chosen as master of ceremonies. Out-of-town judges are being selected. The contest will be held at 8:00 at the high school auditorium.

There will be a dance held afterward in the junior high cafeteria. The theme of this is "Fan-

Penny Dulin, Patsy Preslar, Gloria Rogers, Elaine, Plate, Linda Jourdan, Sue Eiltin Davis, and Patsy Preslar. Those not pictured are Dell Snyder, Nina Gayle Barr, Jan Parker, and Dannes Hickey. The contest will be held in the Crane High Auditorium, November 23, at 8:00.

with Norma Horne runner-up; Library Club, Joyce Woody with Pat Holleman runner-up; Dramatics Club, Dannes Hickey with Norma Horne runner-up; Student Council, Jerene Crumley; Pep Squad, Nina Gayle Barr; Math Club, Penny Dulin with Diana Leaman runner-up; Science Club, Sondra Mark with Jowanna Shipman runner-up; Audio-Visual Club, LaNelle Van Zandt with Sandra Box runner-up; Industrial Arts, Dell Snyder with Gloria Evans runner-up; Junior Historians, Patsy Preslar

with Patsy Edwards runner-up; National Honor Society, LaNelle Van Zandt; Annual Staff, Patsy Preslar with Nancy Wilmoth runner-up; FTA, Patty Knaell; Girls Athletic Club, Linda Jourdan, with Teresa Copeland runner-up; Golf Club Gloria Rogers with Diana Leaman; C Club Lucy Crawford; FHA, Shirley Tooke with Sue Townsend, runner-up; Busy Body Club, Jan Parker with Dana Glenn runner-up; Rodeo Club, Sharron Middlebrook; Stage Band, Martha Johnson.

Both the contest and dance promise to be spectacular. Each class elected a beauty for the seniors, Charlotte Caskey with Nina Gayle Barr runner-up; for the juniors, Elaine Plate with Gloria Rogers runner-up; sophomores, Ruby Smith with Sharron Middlebrook runner-up; and the freshman, Doris Dean. Each organization and club elected a beauty and they are as follows: Choir, Sue Ellen Davis

## El Ave Campaign Of Sales Ending

Up to now El Ave salesmen have sold 174 annuals with some four more days left in the campaign.

Patsy Preslar has sold 47 annuals which is the most, and LaNelle Van Zandt has sold 33 which is the next highest.

Nancy Wilmoth was top salesman in annual sales last year which reached approximately 240.

The staff voted to make their division pages this year as cartoons, whereas last year they were of shrouded effect and the year before they were pictures.

The Monday night meetings have been handicapped by the junior play practices, but the staff is making some progress on the class sections.

The annual staff still has not collected 100 per cent on their picture money and those who owe money will have their report cards held up unless they turn in their money or their pictures.

With only 174 annuals sold it is possible that some of you intend to buy one and this must be done within the next four days as their campaign definitely closes November 15.

An annual may be obtained at the price of \$3.50 from Patsy Preslar, Larry Stiger, Nancy Wilmoth, LaNelle Van Zandt, Joyce Woody, Jerry Evans, Gary Edmiston, or Charlotte Caskey.

After several years the staff also hopes to have a natural colored picture to serve as end sheets.

C. A. Carroll, Crane High School principal, and Mrs. Carroll will attend the Texas State Teachers Convention in Dallas during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. Carroll will go as an official delegate for District 6.

## Art And Crafts Short Course Held In Crane

The Industrial Arts Department of the Crane High School obtained the services of The Tandy Leather Company and the American Handicrafts Company to give to the leaders of various groups, a short course in the use of handicrafts. This course was open free of charge to all leaders of any group that is planning to use handicrafts in their group activity. Especially was it recommended to the teacher who does a bit of crafts work in his or her grade level. Also we feel that it was of value to leaders of scout groups, vacation Bible school leaders and other group leaders.

There were five crafts taught during the day with all materials and supplies furnished free of charge by the companies as well as the instructors. Coffee and cookies were served throughout the day. The five phases of crafts that were taught are as follows:

Leathercraft from 9:00 to 12:00  
Copper Tooling from 1:00 to 2:00  
Copper Enameling from 2:00 to 3:00  
Reed and Wrought Iron from 3:00 to 4:00  
Pencil Magic from 4:00 to 5:30

For those of you who do not know what the above crafts entailed this brief explanation will help. In the Leathercraft section the student was given tools and leather and shown how to use finished project. Copper Tooling is the making of copper pictures from thin sheets of copper by the use various sticks and tools. Also oxidizing of copper to get the antique look was explained and performed. Copper enameling is the art of putting glass on copper to produce cuff links,

bracelets, ash trays, and many other beautiful products. Reed and Wrought Iron is the practice of using sets of reed and wrought iron to make many attractive items. Such as bowls, lamps, magazine racks, etc. Simple to do yet very effective. In Pencil Magic the student used specially developed pencils to color wood-entwain pictures. The meeting was held in the Crane High School Gymnasium from 9:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 9, 1957.

## Woody And Smith Make Rifle Team

Johnny Woody and Darrell Smith, who are graduates from Crane last year and now attending A&M College this year, announced they had made the Freshman Rifle Team. Johnny placed third, and Darrell placed fourth.

These boys were on the rifle team in 4-H last year. When they attended the 4-H Round-up at College Station the Crane team placed third in State.

Three projects were sent to the National Contest. Two of these received recognition and the other received honorable mention. A certificate was presented to the school. John Webb, the president of Student Council received this certificate.

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George McCasland received a gold pin and a check for \$20.00. George made a plug cutter. This will be in the shop teachers' magazine this spring.

Mike Phillips was best man with Ginger Tolar as bridesmaid. The church was decorated with candles and an arch covered in flowers. Mary Ellen was dressed in brown and beige.

A reception was held afterward at the Community Hall.

Mary Ellen is a sophomore and Will is a junior this year. They plan to live in Crane. Will is working for Crane Well Service. The Crane takes this opportunity to wish this couple all the happiness they deserve.

## Awards Presented To Shop Students

Bill Mayes, the shop teacher, presented awards to three boys in assembly, November 7. These boys were George McCasland, Charles Watkins, and John Hinnant. The awards were given by the Ford Motor Company. The boys who received these awards were industrial art students.

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## Jr. HISTORIANS MAKE MAP OF CRANE COUNTY

Out of the 14 clubs, which have been organized in Crane High School, the Junior Historians have established themselves as a very active club. Pat Edwards, Margie Kirkham, Charles Shirley, Carlos Pina, and Annita Kirkham have made a salt map of Crane County. This map will be hung in the journalism room when the boys of the club make a frame for it. This club has also received books which have different stories in it.

**STUDY CLUB**  
Some people don't consider this a club, but it surely does help those students who don't have a study hall. It also helps those students who don't have time to study over the weekend. If they use this time they can get a lot of studying done. C. A. Carroll keeps order in this club.

**MATH CLUB**  
This club learns to use different instruments to work math problems. Charles Swinson, the petroleum engineer for the Gulf Oil Company, talked to this club about the importance of the slide rule.

**GIRLS' ATHLETIC CLUB**  
The flu bug has hit this club with a bang. There is approximately 28 members in this club, but there have not been enough present to start their tournament. They are having practice games until the flu is gone.

**BUSY BODIES**  
This club has four places lin-

ed up to go to this year. They are the Crane Theatre, Crane Food, News Paper Office, and Holiburtons. This club plans to go to one business place each week.

**FTA**  
FTA has just recently been organized. They are planning to go to the District meeting in Alpine. This club meets outside of school hours.

**STAGE BAND**  
The members of the Stage Band have been receiving new arrangements and are rehearsing them now.

**INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB**  
The hobby night of this club was dropped last Tuesday because of the teacher's meeting. The hobby night is re-scheduled for Wednesday night November 6, at 6:30 till 8:30. Refreshments will be served. Saturday, November 9, there will be a session on Industrial Arts from 9:00 till 5:30. Coffee and donuts will be served. The Tandy Leather Company is giving these sessions on leathercraft, copper tooling, copper enameling, reed and wrought iron and pencil magic.

**C CLUB**  
In each meeting of the C Club the boys discuss the next ballgame and they watch football films.

**GOLF CLUB**  
In the meeting Monday, November 4, this club discussed playing a scotch foursome tour-

nament. In this tournament each boy has a girl for his partner, but there are only two girls in the club. They may have to get some girls from other clubs to be in the tournament. They are going to have one of the men from the Crane Golf Club come and speak to them.

**RODEO CLUB**  
This club will be having their steak fries again this year. Some of the students in this club will be participating in high school rodeos. Bill Teague will be showing films of some of the rodeos in which he entered. There are approximately 25 members in the club.

**AUDIO-VISUAL**  
This active club has been working with the tape recorder and the care and operation of slide production. This is an all male club.

**SPEECH CLUB**  
The Speech Club is preparing the one act play which will be presented at the annual beauty contest. Almost everyone in the club will be in the play.

**FHA**  
This club had a meeting November 2, to work on a flag and coke aprons. The coke aprons will be sold around Christmas time. The flag is a Texas flag which is a state project. Delois McDougal and Molly Watkins will go to Big Spring November 3, to help make plans for the Area meeting.



The above pictured are the members of the journalism staff for the 1957-58 term. They are from left to right James Williams, David Harris, Martha Johnson, Delois McDougal, Dell Snyder, Jowanna Shipman, Vanetta Lowery, Rae Nell Tooke, and Cindy Burrows.

At the present time of the picture they were busy trying to get the paper ready to go to press.

## GOLDEN CRANE BAND PRESENTS HALFTIME SKIT NOVEMBER 8

The Golden Crane Band presented a very cute half-time skit at the half-time of the Fort Stockton game. The title of this skit was "Gabriel Was a Texan."

After playing a fanfare, the band took the field and marched to mid-field. Here they formed a map of Texas and played "Deep in the Heart of Texas". After completing this formation, they formed a ten gallon hat and played "I'm an old Cowhand". The next formation was a heart and the band played "Yellow Rose of Texas". After marching into the outline of an oil derrick, the pump came to life and pumped several strokes until the roar of distant thunder could be heard and suddenly, a gusher blew out! The gusher was formed by the twirlers while the drum rank simulated the thunder accompanying such a blowout. As the twirlers reached the top of the derrick, the band played "Happy Days Are Here Again".

The last formation was a box "T", similar to the famous Texas A&M formation. In this position, the band played "The Eyes of Texas", while the crowd rose. After the end of our state song, the giant "T" was march-

## Nix, Ex-Crane Is Initiated Into The Alpha Phi Sorority

Gwen Nix, sophomore of Texas Tech, was initiated into the Alpha Phi, Friday, October 18. The presentation took place in the Palm Room with their theme as "Jewel of the Sea."

The girls appeared through a large sea shell which was lined in aqua velvet. Decorations in the Palm Room included the sea shells and palm leaves.

For the first time, Alpha Phi also presented the president or a representative of each fraternity and sorority.

The pledges were introduced as they ascended from the sea shell and were then escorted down the aisle by their escort. Either the pledge's date or father, according to the preference of the pledge, escorted her in her presentation. Gwen was escorted by her father, Brady Nix, Crane superintendent of

## Journalism Class Attends Workshop

The journalism class of C.H.S. will go to Odessa, December 7, to attend a Journalism Workshop for all the journalism classes of the schools of the Permian Basin.

The workshop will be held at the Odessa Junior College. The Interscholastic League Press Conference will sponsor this meeting.

J. Roy Moses, Jr., a specialist from Austin, and Dr. Norris Davis, head of the Journalism Department of the University of Texas will be the speaker.

The Crane now has a circulation of approximately 375. You can buy a subscription for only half-price, which is 25 cents. This is a real bargain as there are still 11 or 12 more issues to come out. You can buy a subscription from any of the following people: Martha Johnson, Delois McDougal, Cindy Burrows, James Williams, David Harris, Rae Nell Tooke, Vanetta Lowery, Jowanna Shipman, or Dell Snyder.

ed off the field intact. Thus concluded another interesting half-time show of the Golden Crane Band.

## Be Good, Stay Out Of O. H.

At the first of the year it looked as though the behavior of the kids of C.H.S. had improved over last year and that an Opportunity Hall would not be necessary at all. But as the days and weeks have sped by we kids are getting a little more careless about our behavior so this week Opportunity Hall will start again.

I can think of a lot more pleasant and profitable things to do with that hour right after school besides spending it in Opportunity Hall. And also after six and one half hours of school I'm ready to do something different. So for one I'm going to stay out of it. And I hope all of the rest of you will.

Come on kids let's show the teachers of C.H.S. we can behave by staying out of trouble and out of Opportunity Hall. What do you say.

But to those that prefer to fritter away that hour every afternoon off their life while others are out having a little recreation I'd just like to say that I'm glad it's you and not me.

## Love Is Old But Always Shining

"In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love."

Everyone is probably well acquainted with this old saying for it dates back some 200 years, and has been true ever since the beginning of time.

It seems as most of the new love affairs in Crane High blossom with football season and flourish with the same. Even tho a few last until basketball season and then they change to some starry-eyed girls setting in the cheering section, each cheering for some special boy, who has just never caught their eye before.

It usually happens the way the girl has it planned and soon she has caught her hero's eye and the next day the deliciously-happy couple are walking. (Or should we say slowly strolling) down the halls of Crane High. The member of the fairer sex is wearing her newly-found boyfriend's ring, which has a good six inches of tape around the back of it so it will fit her third finger on the left hand. Yes, this must be the real thing, the true love they have been waiting for. But, as usual track and baseball come up next and unless the present beau can run the 880 or knock a homerun, he is bound for the gang of boys again, while a member of the gang is surprisingly snatched into the love-lorn circle.

And so, that is the way it goes around and around, year after year, the same thing happens and will always continue to do so.

I am not condemning love, but I frown upon the way some of it is made.

The majority of boys and girls find their true and life-long loves after high school and if the husband or wife could see their beloved mate back in the high school days, walking down the halls with their arms around someone, standing behind doors or huddling in the dark tunnel with one of their six weeks girlfriends or boyfriends, they might be going home to Mother for the first and last time.

As the old saying goes, "love is blind" but people who have to witness these tender scenes are not and it is extremely disgusting to them.

So let's all watch the way we act because we never know what the future holds for us and it is usually just the opposite from what we expect.

## Just Because

**By DAVID HARRIS**  
Just because you are blue, shivering, and shaking on the bend bus,  
They say, "Are you cold?"  
Just because one-half of the school is absent,  
Someone asks, "Has the flu hit your school yet?"  
Just because you come out of civics class crying and shaking,  
They say, "Was the civics test hard?"  
Just because F. H. gets embarrassed when he looks at picture books in civics,

J. W. asks, "What do you think about those pictures, F. H.?"  
Just because the senior boys have parties every night,  
The senior girls say, "Every boy in the Senior Class is a sot!"  
Just because you wear a dress you haven't worn in years,  
Someone asks, "Is that a new dress?"  
Just because you drive around tearing up the streets,  
People ask, "Do you like to drive fast?"  
Just because the senior boys are standing around in small circles mumbling in very low voices, J. E. comes up and says "Are you boys telling secrets?"

## Emery, Class Beauty; 2nd Best All-Around



### LIKES STEAK

Carolyn chooses as her favorite color, lavender. Her favorite car is an orange and white Buick.

To make Carolyn happy just serve her chicken-fried steak, onion rings, french fries and iced tea.

Then to keep her happy take her to see "Giant" or if that isn't available any show starring Tony Perkins, or Kim Novak.

Carolyn has had many exciting moments but her most exciting was when she received the American Legion award for runner-up of the Best All-Around Girl in school when she was in the ninth grade at Midland.

This very cute girl pictured here is the one and only Carolyn Ann Emery, or better known around C.H.S. as "Cuny".

This bright-eyed girl brightened this old cruel world up on August 16, 1940, when she was born in Clarksville, Texas.

Since then she has grown into a very pretty girl. She is 5 feet 2 1/2 inches tall, has green eyes and brown hair.

"Cuny" lived in Clarksville for eight years then she became restless and moved to the city of Fort Worth. Soon tiring of all the hustle and bustle of a big city she moved to a smaller town, Midland. She lived there for four years and decided to better herself by moving to Crane where she has lived since the summer before her junior year.

She has held many honors since she has been living in Crane. One of them is being elected beauty of her class her junior year. She has also been in the Future Teachers of America and Stage Band. She has acted as secretary of the Science Club and also for the Golden Crane Band.

Her most embarrassing moment happened the first time she marched in public with the Golden Crane Band. She dropped one of her drumsticks and then got mad and threw the other one down.

**HATES SNOBS**  
"Cuny" is very easy to get along with but if you want to get her good and mad show her someone who thinks they are better than everybody, as this is her pet peeve.

Carolyn's pastime is to be with a certain guy, as she puts it.

Two sports share the spotlight for favorite, those being football and baseball.

"He's Mine" takes the position as her favorite song.

Carolyn doesn't have any plans for the future yet, but she states if she goes to college anywhere it will be to Texas Christian University.

The Crane would like to say in closing that it knows this sweet girl will be a success in what ever she decides to do and also to wish her the best of everything in life.

WHO  
—caught A. B. and J. S. climbing the water tower?  
—will win the Beauty Contest on November 23?  
—told on the boys that were caught with the fire extinguishers Halloween night?  
—threw eggs all over Mr. Hogg's car Halloween?  
—does G. M. whistle at during civics class?

WHAT  
—senior girls had dates with McCamey boys Saturday night?  
—did the senior boys in back of B.S.'s pickup do Halloween night?  
—is the Whatnik?  
—are the seniors planning to do after graduation exercises?

WHEN  
—will Mr. Hogg quit giving such hard civics tests?  
—will all the girls in C.H.S. quit getting married and engaged?

WHERE  
—did D.M., V.L., and D.S. go Friday night?  
—will all the seniors be this time next year?  
—are the band members planning to go during the Christmas holidays?

WHY  
—did the senior boys get so mad at K. S.'s mother Halloween night?  
—did M. J., C. B., and L. C. hitch when A. B. and J. S. got caught on the water tower, even though they weren't doing anything wrong?  
—did S. S., D. K., B. F., and M. B. suddenly start being so good?

—aren't the juniors going to receive their rings this year?

HOW  
—will the seniors ever get enough money for the senior trip?  
—much money will the juniors make from their play?

Bill Mathes was visiting his parents November 2 and 3. Bill is an ex-Crane and is attending Texas University.

Garland Balles broke his foot in the McCamey game.

## Exchanges

Alta: Last night I had a dream that I had died.

Maaha: And the beat woke you up.

Then there were the two corpses who loved in vein.

The Yell "O" Jacket Boyd High School  
The freshman "child" so shy and coy

Admiringly stares at the sophomore boy;

While the sophomore boy has his head in a whirl

All because of a junior girl.

The junior girl in sleek sedan, Boldly pursues the senior man;

But the senior man, so dashing and wild,

Secretly (???) loves the freshman "child".

The Gale  
Winters High School

(Boy and girl at show)

He: "Comfortable?"  
She: "Yes."  
He: "Can you see alright?"  
She: "Perfect."

He: "Then let's trade places."  
Angry father: "What do you mean by bringing my daughter in at three in the morning?"

Jerry Dean: "I have to go to work early in the morning, sir."

Little Johnny entered in the poster contest with the following inscription: "Be Careful! Don't run over our children! Wait for our teachers."

"Germ Warfare" is Indonesian for a kiss.

The J TAC

The little girl was sitting on the couch very demurely, watching her mother smoke a cigarette. Her blue eyes had an expression of wistful disillusionment. Finally, unable to stand any longer she burst out in her childish falsetto: "Darn it, Mother, when are you going to learn to inhale?"

This is the third operating table this month, Dr. Polunger. You must learn not to cut so deeply.

These are my grandmother's ashes.

"Oh, then the poor soul has passed on?"

"No, she's just too lazy to look for an ashtray."

First tonsil: "It's so pitch dark in here I haven't the slightest idea where we are."

Second tonsil: "I think we're in Capistrano. Here comes another swallow."

Russian Hit Parade

1. Throw Mama Under the Train

2. Red Guns In The Sunset

3. Red Monday

4. See You Later, Investigator

5. A Rose and A Hand Grenade

6. Friendly Persecution

7. Scardust

8. Since I Shot You Baby

Student Council

Bucks Campaign

"Go To Church"

The Crane Student Council has been busy for the past few weeks. In their October 30 meeting Harold Sheldon from the Chamber of Commerce talked to them on how the Student Council could help the community. He also discussed with them how the Student Council could help in the Civil Defense Organization.

The Student Council voted to delay action on the project until they learn more about how they can help.

In the November 6 meeting they discussed several projects. The first was to have apple day for the teachers during education week.

The "Go To Church" campaign was suggested by Joyce Woody, project chairman. It will be a project in which each class will take part. The number of students from each class that attend, Sunday School, morning services, and evening services each Sunday will be counted in each homeroom and the of the homeroom will turn the count in to the secretary of each class. Then it is reported to the Student Council and points will be given respectively.

The Student Council will keep score by a thermometer, on a percentage basis, which will be shown by the degree that it has reached every six-weeks. The class with the highest temperature in the end will be the winner.

The committee for the "Go To Church" campaign is, Elaine Flate, Jean Woodbury, Larry Stiger, and Jimmy Leo.

Another project is the Christmas Door Decoration. It will be conducted as it was last year. The first period class will decorate the door and a prize of

## McDougal; Active Senior Girl; True Football Fan



### EXCITING MOMENT

When she was a sophomore, she was chosen as class favorite and was in the Annual Coronation for that year. Delois states that this was her most exciting moment. Her most embarrassing moment was when her treading pants ripped and she had to go to Mrs. Mayes' office to sew them up. Mrs. Mayes had to tell her fifth period teacher what happened and then Delois had to go to class, after sewing up her pants, and face her teacher. This incident occurred last year.

Her favorite colors are brown and blue and her favorite subjects are algebra and shorthand. She says that she likes all of her teachers. As a favorite song she chooses "It's You I Love" with Pats Domino as her favorite singer.

The girl you see pictured above is none other than Delois Jean McDougal. Delois was born in Crane on August 13, 1939. She has grown to an appealing height of 5 feet 5 1/2 inches and has long brown hair and blue eyes.

Delois has received all of her schooling in Crane except for about six months. She moved to South Carolina during her sixth grade year during the Christmas holidays. Delois stated that she liked South Carolina very well, but she moved back to Crane as soon as school was out that year and has been here ever since.

She is a very active girl in school and out of school. In Science Club for one year, the Girl's Athletic Club for two years, and is in the Study Club this year. Also she has been in FHA, FBLA, National Honor Society, and the Pep Squad.

Last year she was volleyball manager and did a very good job. In FHA, she has been historian, treasurer, vice-president, sergeant-at-arms, which was an area office, and was chosen as Girl of the Month last year. She was an usher at the junior play last year also.

Her favorite pastime is riding around or going to the church parties in Odessa and being with the young people who attend the same parties. Her hobby is keeping a scrapbook of things happening in school.

As her favorite sport Delois chooses football, which she enjoys very much. She is a true football fan as she has only missed one or two games since she has been in high school.

Delois plans to work this summer in Odessa and then attend Southwestern Bible Institute in Waxahatchie.

The Crane would like to take this opportunity to wish a very sweet girl lots of luck and the best of happiness.

## MASSEY: SCIENCE CLUB FUTURE PLANS: NAVY



Jimmy likes almost all foods but his favorite dish is chicken fried steak with plenty of gravy and hot rolls.

**Basketball Favorite Sport**  
Jimmy's favorite sport is basketball. You can easily see why because he plays basketball and he is on the A Team. He states that his pet peeve is for people to foul while playing basketball.

Jimmy's favorite song is "Wake Up Little Suzie" and his favorite singer is Pat Boone. His favorite subjects are algebra and speech.

**PASTIME**  
His favorite pastime is riding around in cars with the radio turned up loud, and good music with Ginger Toier.

Jimmy, not being very easily to embarrass, could not think of an embarrassing moment.

**FUTURE PLANS**  
Jimmy's future plans are to join the navy and go to school to be an electrician.

"The Crane" takes this opportunity to wish the best of luck and happiness to this senior.

Crane High Gains Five; Loses Four

Many new faces have appeared in the halls of Crane High and many are being missed. The juniors and sophomores were the only ones who were affected by the increase and decrease.

The sophomores lost Ronald Howry and Andrea Trull. The juniors lost Johnny Seyffert and William Mason, who quit school to get married.

New students that were added to the sophomore class are: Wilda Bowen, who moved from Vanadium, New Mexico; Barbara Addicks who moved from Andrews; and Ronald Lightfoot from McCaulley.

The juniors received Johnny Cooper, who moved from Longview; and George Thompson. Both Johnny Cooper and George Thompson have attended school here this year but transferred and now they have moved back and re-entered.

Even though these students who have moved will be missed around Crane High School, we are glad to have these new students.

## THE CRANE



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To be strong that nothing can disturb his peace of mind.  
To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person he meets; to make all his friends feel that there is something in them; to look at the sunny side of everything and make his optimism come true.

To think only of the best; to work only for the best, and to expect only the best.

To be as enthusiastic about the success of others as his own; to forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To give so much time to the improvement of himself that he has no time to criticize others; and to be too large for worry too noble for fear, and too happy to permit troubles.

ARE YOU A CRANE?

### MYSTERY GIRL

Height — 5' 7"

Weight — 130 Pounds

Eyes — brown

Hair — brown

Likes — boys

Dislikes — snobs

Type of walk — prissy

### MYSTERY BOY

Height — 5' 3"

Weight — 130

Eyes — blue

Hair — blond

Likes — girls and to explore

Dislikes — homework

Type of walk — bouncy

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# SEMINOLE INDIANS AND GOLDEN CRANES MEET

The Seminole Indians and the Golden Cranes will meet in a battle Friday night, November 15, in Seminole. This game might depend on whether Seminole or Crane wins second place in district. It will be between the two teams if Crane defeats Fort Stockton and Seminole beats Denver City.

The Indians have won one and lost one of their district games. They beat Fort Stockton and were defeated by McCamey. The Golden Cranes have also won one and lost one of their district games. They defeated Fort Stockton and were defeated by McCamey.

The Seminole line-up is: Ends — Archie English, senior, letterman; Paul Skidgel, senior, B-team; Don Belding, junior, B-team; Hardy Williamson, senior, B-team; Jimmy McDonald, senior, B-team.

Tackles — Haskell Yardell, junior, B-team; Harry Beavers, junior, B-team; Tommie Hamilton, junior, B-team.

The Cranes will have a scrimmage game with Pecos November 29, here in Crane about 4 p.m. and one with Monahans sometime in November. This district will have some pretty rough basketball competition this season with Seminole, McCamey, and Fort Stockton to be the roughest.

The average height for the team this year is 5 feet 10 inches to the man. Coach Freeman expects about 20 more boys to come out for basketball when football is over. Those boys who are already working out are as follows: Jerry Evans, Emmy Massey, Dwaine Neill, Chuck Woodbury, John Webb, Larry Campbell, Ronnie Lightfoot, James Dean, John Bostwick, Carlos Pina, and Gary Gay.

Coach Freeman says that he needs some managers for the A and B teams. If you want to be a manager, talk to Coach Freeman.

The basketball schedule for the following season is as follows: Dec. 3 Imperial — there; Dec. 6 & 7 Monahans tournament; Dec. 10 Imperial — here; Dec. 13 & 14 Rankin Tournament; Dec. 17 Iraan — here; Dec. 19 Iraan — there; Dec. 30 Grandfalls — here; Jan. 3 Rankin — there; Jan. 4 Grandfalls — there; Jan. 7 Rankin — here; Jan. 9 & 11 Reagan County Tournament; Jan. 14 Open.

# Formal Opening For Jr. High Gym Set By Tournament

The Crane Junior High Gymnasium will have its formal opening with the first Crane Invitational Eighth Grade Basketball Tournament to be held January 24 and 25.

The plans are under way for an eight-team tournament with invitations having been sent to the following schools: Iraan, Rankin, Grandfalls, Fort Stockton, Big Lake, McCamey, Monahans, and the host Crane. If eight teams are unable to be present, the tournament will be held on January 25 with only four teams participating in the action.

The boys that are eligible for play in this tournament are not to have been 15 or over before school started this year and they must not be any higher in school than the Eighth Grade. There will be trophies awarded in this tournament to the First, Second and Consolation winners.

When January 24 and 25 rolls around, Crane Junior High urges all to go out and support the Eighth Grade Basketball Team. They will appreciate the gesture very much.

## Eleven Junior High Football Player Move To Senior High

Crane Junior High football team really did a good job this year. They chalked up five victories, one loss, and one tie record for the 1957-58 season. They beat Grandfalls, Big Lake, Pecos, Rankin, and Monahans. They lost to Fort Stockton when they played them the first time, and when they played them later in the season, they tied with them.

This is the last year that many of these boys will be playing with the junior high football team. Boys who will move into senior high football next year are Paul Lively, Scott Coffield, Jack Marshall, John Russell, Gary Birdsong, Charles Peck, Earl Pearson, Tommy Sales, Pete Walker, Johnny Hoestebach, and Ronnie Spradling. Others will leave the junior high this year, but will probably be playing with the junior high team.

## Science Classes Look For Bugs, Learn Lots

Your true and loyal reporter is determined to get her stories. So after being assigned to get a story on what the science classes are doing, she went speeding up the stairs to investigate. The professor was busy so your reporter thought she'd just ask one of the students what they were doing. But no one in the class seemed to know either. Finally after a third degree questioning some bright youngster said they were looking for little bugs. (-) Your reporter being a veteran biology student caught on though. They were looking through microscopes to find little amoebas. One student was having a fit and screaming "I found a worm. I found a worm." O well, so she found a worm — uh, amoeba.

The professor meanwhile was trying diligently to give instructions. But some talkative little girl was talking, naturally, it seemed she talked every time he tried to give instructions. The professor proceeded to put down some dainty little marks in his grade book while the little girl screamed she was being dealt an injustice. So much for the discipline (?) of the class, back to the science side of the story.

The class has been inspecting one-celled animals through the microscopes. They also looked at cross sections of some roots, leaves and stems. Through their microscopes they come across some things as protozoas, amoebas, Euglenas, and hydras. If you don't know what they are, don't feel bad because the class didn't seem to either.

Not to let the biology class get ahead of them, the chemistry class has been doing several interesting experiments. They rigged up the cutest little contraption and it purified water, of all things. The chemistry professor gives them terribly hard tests and goodness is that class smart. (?) you should see those grades. (I wouldn't recommend it to the weak stomached (enough).)



By JAMES WILLIAMS

## BEAT SEMINOLE

Let's get out on the football field and end this '57 football season with a win. Seminole has a fair record this year, and they will be out to get Crane because we beat them last year. We were pretty confident when we went to Seminole two years ago and we got a good licking. We do not want that same thing to happen this year.

## SUPPORT THE BASKETBALL TEAM

The basketball team has started working out for their 57-58 season. Since they are putting an all-out effort to win this year, we should back them all the way, by going to all of their games, don't get down on them. They just ran into some bad luck. If you think you could do a better job, you should have gone out for basketball.

## 58 GOLDEN CRANES

The Golden Cranes will lose 11 boys from this year's roster. Even with this loss, if they will get out and work as a team, they will come up with a good team next year. They have several boys that can do a good job for them.

## EX-GOLDEN CRANE LOST

A car wreck close to Del Rio took the life of Hawley Van Court Jr., an Ex-Golden Crane. Hawley played football for Crane his freshman year and had a very good record that year. The next two years Hawley went to NMMI to study and was captain of the football team there. He came back to Crane his senior year and ran track for Crane High School. Hawley was a '56 graduate of Crane High School and was well known by everyone. This was a great shock to everyone and a great loss to the community.

## GOOD WORK PEP SQUAD

The Pep Squad has done a very good job this year by being at every football game and supporting the team whether they win or lose. They have handled the Pep Rallies very well during the year and everyone should show their appreciation to Mrs. Mayes and the Pep Squad girls.



## PARENTS URGED TO VISIT FOR TEST INFORMATION

The Iowa Test of Educational Development which was recently taken by the entire high school will prove of immense value to both students and teachers and counselors to keep themselves more intimately and educationally developed of each high school pupil. Second it will provide the school administration with a more dependable and objective basis for evaluating the total educational offering of the school.

Since the school is responsible for every major phase of the child's development — intellectual, emotional, social, moral, and physical this test will be of the utmost importance. Each teacher, regardless of assignment, shares in this responsibility. The teacher of physics, for example, is also to some degree of reading, of correctness in speech and writing, of mathematics, of social studies, and so on. This applies to all teachers.

## BETHUNE REPORTS GOOD BASKETBALL TEAM THIS YEAR

The Bethune basketball team has been doing very well so far this season. They have played only five games and have obtained a one win — no loss record. They started the season out by beating Ozona in a practice game by a score of, approximately, 70-40. Then the All-Stars followed up by winning their game by a score of 68-73. Last Tuesday, November 5, they won their game with the First Baptist team from Midland by a score of 63-51.

The All-Star point man of the All-Stars is Charles Foster. Each week a Most Valuable Player of the Week will be chosen. The boy who obtains this honor the greatest number of times during the season, will be chosen as the Most Valuable Player of the Season. Charles Foster was elected Most Valuable Player of the Week in a poll which was taken last week.

The coach has not yet received an official schedule for the season, but the games that they are sure they will play through December are: Dec. 19 Midland — There; Dec. 14 Midland Tournament — There.

December 19 Odessa — Here. The Halloween Carnival which the school held on October 31 was reported to have been very well attended and enjoyed. At the masquerade, Elmo Jean Morris won the prize for being the Best Dressed Halloween'er. He was dressed as a typical bum.

Mr. Powell, principal of the Bethune School, attended a principal's meeting at Port Arthur on October 30. He said the trip was very enjoyable and satisfactory.

## Crane Defeating Stockton 13-0 Saves 5-AA Title

Crane's Golden Cranes retained a chance for a chunk of the District 5-AA championship here Friday night by stopping the Fort Stockton Panthers, 13-0.

The Cranes, with two wins and a loss on their conference record, could still mathematically tie for the district, but McCamey already owns the loop's district rights.

Fort Stockton finished its season with the Crane encounter, losing all four conference tilts. Larry Stiger opened the scoring for the Cranes with a keeper from two yards out. Richard Hinnant accounted for the extra point.

The two teams battled through a scoreless third quarter before Crane scored again. James Byerly, defensive linebacker, plucked a Fort Stockton pass out of the air and returned it 51 yards for the Crane touchdown. The extra point was no good.

Crane could take a share of the 5-AA title if Denver City beats McCamey Friday in the regular-season finale. The Cranes fell to undefeated McCamey in the 5-AA opening round of conference play. Crane travels to Seminole for its final contest this Friday.

# TEN SENIOR BOYS PLAY LAST GAME FRIDAY NITE

This year there are ten senior boys who will be playing their last high school football game Friday night against Seminole. Here is the way each boy feels about his last high school football season.

Williams — "I wish we had had a better season to help the ones who were trying to get scholarships for college. It would have also helped the school rating. Crane has had a winning team since my sophomore year. If we had tried harder we might have had one this year."

Ash — "I have enjoyed playing football this four years and I am looking forward to playing in college."

Trosper — "I really enjoyed playing with all the gang this year and I wish this wasn't my last year."

Mergeson — "I wanted to play every game I could and I tried to make this my most enjoyable year."

Webb — "Wish I had another year to play McCamey."

Wade — "I have enjoyed this year, wish we had all done better."

Mayes — "Wish we had done better and wish I had another year to play."

Parler — "Wish we had had a better season. But I am glad it is my last."

McCasland — "I wish I had a couple more years to play. One of my biggest disappointments was when McCamey beat us but I have had more fun this year."

Byerly — "I hate that it is my last year in high school but I am looking forward to playing in college."

# Brown Leads Pep Squad Honor Society Three Years

The above-pictured attractive, well-liked Jannye Ruth Brown, a cheer leader, was born August 5, 1940, in Bryson, Texas.

Living up to her last name, she has brown hair, brown eyes and is of dark complexion.

From Bryson she moved to San Diego, California, then to Crane. She has lived here five years and states that she is a true Crane.

Jannye has many hobbies, some being swimming, listening to records, mostly popular and pop, keeping a scrapbook which contains many interesting articles, playing volleyball and leading the Pep Squad with the cheers.

She has worked in the library four years and holds the position of president this year. Jannye is also in the National Honor Society and has been for three years. She was also in the cast of the junior play and represented the speech on TV last October 28.

Jannye enjoys school, especially English, but just like all of us she also has her scruples against studying so she dislikes Algebra II.

MEXICAN FOOD ADDICT

If you want to make this Brown girl happy take her to see her favorite actor or actress which is James Dean and June Allyson, or maybe take her to see "Giant." Then finish the evening by feeding her lots of Mexican food and ice tea and chocolate cake.

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If you want to make Jannye very mad just act stuck-up; or act like you think you are better than everyone else. This is her pet peeve.

Her most embarrassing moment came when she went swimming last summer with her bathing suit unzipped. The pool was very crowded and the first person to notice the condition of her suit hollered from across the pool. "Jannye, your bathing suit is not zipped up!", so of course almost everyone in swimming looked over at her (to look her over) and that made the situation even worse.

But then she has also had her thrilling moments, one being the crowning of the Pep Squad sweetheart this year.

Jannye's future plans are to spend the summer in New Jersey helping supervise a children's summer camp there. Then in the fall she plans to attend business school.

The Crane wishes Jannye Ruth Brown lots of nappiness and luck in future years.



JANNYE RUTH BROWN



George McCasland, up and running against McCamey, but to no avail. The old rivals won the game 22-12 and haven't been headed off yet.

Winiford Whittaker is home from college until next Fall. Winiford goes to school at Texas University. Stanley Holcomb, ex-Crane, is home on a 30 day-leave. Stanley has been in the Navy two years.

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# GIRLS GIVE PICTURES OF THEIR IDEAL BOY

Boys, are you wondering why you just don't rate with some of the girls? Well, just take a look at the "ideal boy" that they have dreamed up!

**LANELLE VAN ZANDT** — 6'1", black hair that is cut in a flat-top, real pretty blue eyes, dark complexion, wears T-shirts (to show off his muscles), levis, and loafers, and drives a '58 Cadillac.

**DELOIS McDOUGAL** — tall, good-looking, real friendly, and neat.

**VANETA LOWERY** — lots of fun and thinks almost as much of me as he does of himself. I want him to be good-looking, too.

**CINDY BURROWS** — I've got mine!

**NANCY BOWER** — About 6'2", black hair, brown eyes, and have a good build.

**CAROLYN EMERY** — About 5'6", roun hair, good build and drive an orange and white Buick. And most of all I want him to be real sweet.

**ELAINE PLATE** — blonde hair, blue eyes, about 6' tall, long eyelashes, thoughtful, good personality, and drive an Oldsmobile.

**NANCY WILMOTH** — about 6' tall, dark hair, blue eyes, good build, neat and drive a green and white '55 Ford.

**ALTA BARTON** — about 6' tall, black curly hair, blue eyes,

long curly eyelashes, and drive a red Mercury.

**FENNY DULEN** — about 6' tall, dark complexion, brown eyes, black hair, and drive a '56 red MG.

**PATTY KNAELL** — black hair, about 6' tall, real blue eyes have a flat-top curly eyelashes, and wear loafers, T-shirts, and levis.

**CAROL BIRDSONG** — dark hair that is cut real short, about 5'1", dark eyes, good build, wears Ivy Leagues, and drives a blue '57 Chevrolet.

**SANDRA BOX** — about 6'1", dark complexion, handsome, brown eyes, and drives a red '57 Chevrolet convertible.

**JOWANNA SHIPMAN** — about 6'1", black curly hair dark eyes, dark complexion, drive '57 Ford, and have a good personality.

**MARTHA JOHNSON** — about 6'1", real good build, real pretty brown eyes, dark curly hair, likes to have a lot of fun and laugh.

Well, there you have it! Do you fit into any of these categories? It would really be nice if there were enough of these to go around, wouldn't it? Next issue, we'll inquire around and find out what the boys want their "ideal girl" to look like. We'll see if their ideals are set as high as the girls!

# Damage Done To Junior High On Halloween

The students in the junior high building have been very busy the past few weeks campaigning and voting for their Student Council officers. Those elected are as follows: Paul Lively, president; Tommy Sales, vice-president; and Freda Bishop, secretary. They will, in the near future, elect representatives from each of the classes.

The junior high and played for the junior games November 2. This is the first time this year that the junior high band has performed in public.

On Halloween night there was some damage done to the new junior high building. There were some 11 windows broken by rocks with the estimated damage set at about \$50. The building where the damage was done is the newest building in Crane Public School System setup.

The above news was given to your reporter by Jacky Hickey.

# Can You Imagine?

—Easter Middlebrook being 6 feet tall?

—Crane and McCamey getting along together?

—The freshmen of C. H. S. being seniors?

—Mr. Hogg giving easy civics tests?

—Sharon Middlebrook with ducks?

—The Football boys being home by 9:00 p.m.?

—Dell Snyder weighing 150 pounds?

—Mr. Andereg being dressed sloppy?

—Jerry Dean Ash not flirting with all the girls when Lucy is absent?

—Don Bardin not being funny?

—The seniors not selling something all the time?

—The girls not wearing blue-jeans on Friday?

—Mrs. Williams being grouchy?

—George McCasland leaving Gary and Diana alone?

—Mrs. Elmore not being busy?

—Mrs. Mayes being a toe dancer?

—Elaine Plate not being on the Honor Roll?

—Everybody keeping off the grass?

—Anyone liking homeroom?

—Jan Parker wearing Humphrey's shoes.

—Having escalators instead of stairs.

—Pop McLean with thick, black hair.

# CRANE 4-H GIRLS MAKES PLANS FOR COMING YEAR, '57-58

The girls 4-H Council met Saturday, November 2, at 9:30. Patty Stiger was in charge in the absence of Joyce Woody the president.

Mrs. Edith Hughes talked to the girls about what the council is, what it is made up of, and the purpose of the council.

This meeting was the first meeting of the year. All new members were introduced at the meeting.

After Mrs. Hughes talked to the girls, they made the plan of the year. According to the plans the girls are going to be very busy this year.

When the girls talk about livestock, the boys' 4-H Club will be attending their meetings.

# Crane 4-H Boys Elect C. Wilmoth President, '57-'58

The boys' 4-H Club has been organized again this year. The officers of this club are as follows: Charlie Wilmoth, president; Joel Damron, vice-president; David Currie, secretary-treasurer; Durwood Jones, reporter; and Paul Lively, song leader. This club has 24 members.

The 4-H boys met October 2, 1957, in the Crane County Exhibition Building. Twenty-one members were present. Steve Johnson was elected for the County Council. The County Agent told the boys 20 different points about taking care of their lambs. The meeting was closed with the 4-H prayer. The prayer was led by Gary Cook.

This club has five goals for '57-'58. These goals are farewell parties, father and son banquet, awards picnic, fishing trip, and a Christmas party.

October 22, 1957, twenty members were present for the 4-H meeting. This meeting took place in the Crane County Exhibition Building. The boys were nominated for the different committees that will be carried out this year. These boys were Damron, Kirkham, Johnson, Ashburn, Webb, Cook, Fisher, Brock, Bond, McLaughlin Lively, Damron, and Jones.

Only 14 members were present for the meeting on November 5, 1957. The vice-president, Joel Damron, called the meeting to order in the absence of Charlie Wilmoth. Refreshments were served by Adcock and Ashburn. The boys learned to shoot the shotgun at targets 50 feet away and they also learned four positions to shoot the .22.

# Pearce Wins First In Shop I Contest

The first period shop boys have held a contest. They all made clip boards and the winners received small baseball bats. "Champion wood project in Shop I," was written on them.

The winners were Robert Pearce, James Coker, and Lenwood Tarpley.

The Eighth Grade boys are making dominos and the domino boxes, cookie cutters, and bowtie knives.

The advanced metal shop boys are finishing up the required paper punchers. Some of the boys are making ceramic tops for wrought iron frame work tables.

# Song of the Week

**AIN'T THAT LOVE**

Now, baby, when you sigh  
I want to sigh with you,  
When you cry  
I want to cry some too,  
Now ain't that love  
Oh, ain't that love that I feel  
In my heart for you.  
When you friends turn their  
back on you,  
I'll be here just to see you thru,  
Now ain't that love  
Ain't that love baby,  
That I feel in my heart for you!  
Now when you walk  
I want to walk with you,  
When you talk  
I want to talk some too,  
Now ain't that love  
Oh, ain't that love that I feel  
In my heart for you.  
If you ever, ever need a friend,  
I'll be with you, yes, until the  
end,  
Now ain't that love  
Ain't that love baby,  
That I feel in my heart for you.  
Baby, won't you let me hold  
your hand,  
I want to squeeze you as tight  
as I can  
Baby, don't you need me by  
your side  
To protect you and be your guide  
Baby, I'm so in love with you  
I'll do anything you tell me to  
Now ain't that love  
Ain't that love  
Come on now ain't that love  
Tell me now ain't that love  
Baby, that I feel in my heart for  
you.

# Three Students Added To CHS Move Away

Crane High School has gained three new students and lost two since school started.

Those new to CHS are Bill Klinge, a freshman who came here from Andrews also.

The two withdrawals from CHS are Johnny Cooper, a sophomore, who moved to Longview, and Linda Dunn, a sophomore, who withdrew and moved to Winfield.

# SOPHOMORE CLASS TOPS 'FLUNK' LIST

The first six weeks grades show that 28 percent of the high school students are failing from one to three subjects.

The Senior Class has the least number of failures with five percent. The Freshman Class is next with 17 percent, the Juniors are next with 21 percent and the Sophomores have the largest percent of failures with 28 percent.

# BARR TOPS JUNIOR HIGH WITH AVERAGE OF 96.8

The junior high students are going very well for the first six weeks of school. There were 23 students in the Sixth Grade, 15 students in the Seventh Grade, and ten students in the Eighth Grade who made the Honor Roll the first six weeks.

The order, by grade level, of those who made 90 or above for an average are listed below:

GRADE	NAME	AVERAGE
SIXTH GRADE	Sheila Barr	96.8
	Michael Jones	95.5
	Janis Hoestebach	95.2
	Ronnie Poole	94.6
	Linda Newth	94
	Martha Wisdom	93
	Sherry Smith	93
	Carol Smith	93
	Jewel Ladyman	93
	Melanie Osborn	92
	Anetta Steadham	92
	Billy Butler	92
	Patricia Guest	92
	Danny Dillard	92
	Bill Elder	91
	James Smith	91
	Jimmy Short	91
	Linda Garner	91
	Dorothy Hamilton	91
SEVENTH GRADE	Linda Crane	96
	Jackie Smith	95
	David Williams	95
	Nancy McCurry	95
	Kerry Von Murphy	95
	Mary Ann Kelly	95
	Mary Weiser	94
	Prenda Quesenberry	93
	Ronnie Prewitt	93
	Jerry Box	92
	Glenn Wimberley	92
	Calvin Kirkham	92
	Tony Dodds	92
	Donna Birdsong	92
	Sammie Taylor	91
EIGHTH GRADE	Richard Rogers	96
	Nancy Webb	95
	Scott Coffield	95
	Johnny Hoestebach	92
	Glynda Steadham	92
	Billy Hogsett	91
	Paul Lively	91
	Ronnie Spradling	90
	Tommy Sales	90
	Jackie Hickey	90

# Juniors To Present Play On Monday, December 9

The Junior play "You Can't Take It With You," has been cast and will be presented on Monday, December 9 at 8:00.

"You Can't Take It With You" is a celebrated comedy, one of the most popular and successful plays of modern times. It has been presented on Broadway, and has been presented in Crane about 17 years ago.

At first the Sycamores seem mad, but it is not long before we realize that if they are mad, the rest of the world is madder. In contrast to these delightful people are the unhappy Kirbys. The plot shows how Tony, attractive young son of the Kirbys, falls in love with Alice Sycamore and brings his parents to dine at the Sycamore home on the wrong evening. The shock sustained by the Kirbys, who are invited to eat cheap food, shows Alice that marriage with Tony is out of the question. The Sycamores, however, though sympathetic to Alice, find it hard to realize her point of view. Meantime, Tony, who knows the Sycamores are right and his own people wrong, will not give her up, and in the end Mr. Kirby is converted to the happy madness of the Sycamores, particularly since he happens in during a visit by an ex-Grand Duchess, earning her living as a waitress. No mention has as yet been made of the strange activities of certain members of the household engaged in the manufacture of fireworks; or of the printing press set up in the parlor; nor of Rheba, the maid, and her friend, Donald; nor of Grandpa's interview with the tax collector when he tells him he doesn't believe in the income tax.

Characters for the play are: "Essie," Joyce Woody; "Tony," Jimmy Box; "Penny," Patsy Preslar; "Rheba," Gloria Rog-

ers; "Paul," Gail Hunnicut; "D. Pina," Larry Hagler; "Ed," Don Bardin; "Donald," Tom Coffield; "Grandpa," Jerry Mills; "Alice," Suellen Davis; "Henderson," Larry Stiger; "Kolenkhov," Jim Carroll; "Gay," Joan Woodbury; "Mrs. Kirby," Jane Woodbury; "Mr. Kirby," James Dea; "Grand Duchess," Diana Leaman; "G-Men," Jerry Swift; Harvey Heiser and John Griffin.

The play will be under the direction of R. E. Erwin and the student director will be David Harris.

Randal Bailes visited his parents November 2 and 3. Randal is attending school at Texas Tech.



By RAE NELL TOOK

Read the editorials in the paper and take heed. Lots of thinking goes into them.

**WELCOME NEW STUDENTS**

The Crane would like to welcome all the new students. Hope you enjoy going to school here.

**WATCH FINES**

Be careful and don't keep any library books over time. It's three cents every day over the due date.

**BUY AN ANNUAL**

The annual staff has been working real hard this year so plans to have a good year book.

**KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN**

Notice the bulletin boards in the Homemaking window at the library.

**STUDY HARD**

Did you notice the large number of students on the Honor Roll this six weeks? Good work!

**WELCOME BACK**

Welcome back to all the students who have been ill the past week. Work real hard and make up the class work you missed.

**BUY A RAH RAH CARD**

They only cost a dime and they will help the seniors get the money for their trip as well as help school spirit.

**SCALP THE INDIANS**

Only one more game left of the football season so let's work real hard and win this game.

**SUPPORT THE JUNIORS**

Be sure and buy something from the juniors at the football game.

**BUY A PAPER**

The Crane staff has been working hard to make the school paper better for your reading.

**LET US KNOW**

If your paper hasn't been arriving every two weeks.

# Homeroom Topics Have Wide Variety

The various Homeroom topics that were discussed Wednesday, October 30, range from colleges that are going to be attended to the flu that is going around the schools of the county this year. The topics and the various Homerooms are as follows: Mr. Grounds; Evils of Halloween How to have a safe and sane time.

Mr. Hogg; Being Independent.

Miss Davis; Growing Up.

Mr. Harrison; Flu?

Miss Featherston; Film.

Mr. Teague; Dating Can Be Fun.

Mr. Underhill; Being a Bleacher Athlete Is Not Enough.

Mr. Warren; Colleges that the seniors are going to attend.

Mrs. Mayes; Why Study English?

Mr. Crane; Expense of College, Amounts of Money Made in Summer, Balanced Equation for next four years.

Mr. Atkinson; Capital Punishment and World Peace.

# Jukebox Personalities

Mr. Fire Eye — Jerry Mills

Ease the Pain — after the Flu Bug hit

To the Aisle — Mary Ellen and Will.

A Fallen Star — Sputnik

My Little Pretty One — Baxter to Pat

Down Mexico Way — we know who

Be Bop Baby — Jovanna

My One and Only Love — Jerry and Lucy

Chances Are — Jenny and Chuck

Old Fashioned Love — Faye and Clyde

Wish I Had My Baby — Cindy

Wake Up Little Suzie — Herbie

Remember You're Mine — Jimmy to Ginger

I'm Looking For Someone to Love — Duane Neill

You're Not the Same Sweet Girl — Tommy G. to Martha

Play Thing — Lou Sides

The 12th of Never — Graduation day

Love Will Make You Fail In School — Gary E.

I Am — The Big Wheels of CHS.

High School Dance — after the Beauty Contest.

Stardust — After a drag race.

Diana — George.

Party Time — Hallowe'en night.

My How the Time Goes By — to the kids that park.

Up Above My Head — kids in the library.

Forsaking All Others — Jr. play cast at rehearsal.

Keep A Knockin' — Carol Birdsong.

The Story Of My Life — interview seniors.

My Special Angel — Jerry to Carolyn.

I Fell Pretty — Gail G.

Let It Be Me — beauty contestants.

Don't Gamble With Love — Sherrie and Walter.

I'm Available — Norma to Red.

Wear My Ring — Larry S. and Doris Dean.

Lota' Lovin' — between classes.

Have I Told You Lately — Mr. Andereg to his boys.

Love You So Much — Sue A. to Billie L.

Treat Me Nice — Freddy to Sondra.

Don't Be A Fool — Tom to Ruby.

Going Steady (?) — Punk and Beverly

Swingin' Sweethearts — Freshman dance

Whole Lot of Shakin' going On — Cheerleaders.

Allen Taylor visited his parents November 2 and 3. Allen is an ex-Crane and is going to school at Texas Tech.

# GRADE NEWS

**Mrs. Carroll 2-5**

No one seemed to be carried away by the spooks.

Our room enjoyed a most pleasant party on Halloween day. Mrs. M. E. Hyche, assisted by the other roommothers, entertained the group with "Pin the Tail on the Donkey," and "Fish-ing" for the favors.

Mrs. Louis, Dabbs appeared dressed as a witch. She told the children an interesting story. Her costume was really clever.

The other roommothers who helped were Mrs. J. R. Dickason, Mrs. J. R. Field, and Mrs. R. R. Batson.

Mrs. W. E. Ogle, Mrs. J. W. Pierce, Mrs. E. C. Clayton, and Mrs. O. H. Pearl were also present to enjoy the party.

The next day the class wrote letters to Mrs. Dabbs. They wanted to thank her for being such a good witch.

We have had seven students out of school with the flu. Three are still out.

We are working hard to learn the words in our new Second Grade Reader. We are so happy to be working on these words.

Mrs. Lively 3-3

We had a lot of fun at our Halloween party. We played games and had refreshments.

Now we are making fire posters and hoping to win a prize. We are studying about foods and how to be healthy and strong.

Mrs. Blount 4-3

We had a new pupil who enrolled last week. Her name is Patsy Vicars.

We are proving by experimenting in science that air is real.

In our geography class we are

# DRESSES CHOICE OF ATTIRE FOR GIRLS OF CHS BY BOYS

There has been much discussion around C. H. S. about whether the girls should wear levis to school or not. In fact C. A. Carroll went to a principals' meeting at Fort Worth where this very subject was discussed.

After this The Crane got busy and inquired around school and found out from the boys that out of 25, nine preferred dresses, six preferred levis and 10 didn't care.

Some of the answers to this question are:

James Williams — Levis.

Fred Webb — It's according to who the girls are.

Eddie Price — Depends on how tight the levis are.

Gayle Morgeson — tight skirts.

Sammy Shipman — It doesn't matter.

John Alexander — Dresses.

Billy Mayes — No comment, because my mother reads this paper.

Ken Swafford — No comment.

Lee Edd Womack — Levis.

Mr. Crane — Ordinary dresses, but when the weather is bad it would be permissible to wear bluejeans or slacks.

Larry Hagler — Dresses. They look more feminine.

Baxter Middlerook — Dresses. Because boys should wear the pants of the family.

Mr. Odom — Dresses. Bluejeans are all right in their place, but not at school.

Don Bardin — Doesn't matter to me.

Jerry Dean Ash — Dresses, because they look neater.

James Byerly — Levis look better when they are sitting down.

Lynn Thompson — Levis or tight dresses.

Don Kinsey — If they have to wear loose dresses I had rather see them wear levis.

Jim Elder — Doesn't make any difference to me.

Duane Neill — Doesn't make any differences to me.

Mr. Hogg — Dresses. They are more appropriate.

Dickie Trosper — Dresses.

Benny Clayton — Levis.

Johnny Griffin — Levis.

Jerry Swift — Levis.

Well, girls, now you see how some of the boys think of your appearance on dresses or levis.

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