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# THE CRANE

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VOLUME XXX CRANE HIGH SCHOOL, CRANE, TEXAS — TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1958 NUMBER 12

## CRANE 4-H CLUB MEMBERS FEEDING NINETY-SIX LAMBS

There are 35 members in the Crane County Boy's 4-H Club this year.

The boys will have many different projects during this year. The main one will be lamb feeding and raising. Approximately 96 lambs are being fed, and four girls will be feeding part of these lambs. The girls are not allowed to feed at the county barn. They must feed at their own home.

David Fisher has started the year off by taking two South-down lambs to the Dallas Fair. Many of the boys' lambs come from as far as the state of New York. This year some of their lambs came from Colorado.

There will also be calf and hog raising. Five calves are on the feeding list and Billy Edmiston has two hogs to raise.

Each of the boys has a goal of getting Grand Champion lamb at one of the various Livestock Shows. The major shows this year are Odessa, January 2; Crane County, January 21; Ft. Worth, January; Abilene, February; El Paso, February; San Antonio; Houston, March; and San Angelo is the last show.

District shows have been cut out this year.

Another project is a Livestock Judging Contest. The boys

## Twenty One Ex-Cranes Attend Odessa College

Twenty one of the exes of Crane High School are now enrolled in the Odessa College.

These exes are Jannye Brown, Lee Ed Wommack, "Shorty" Bratton, Dewey Delaney, Paul Henderson Jr., Allen Taylor, George McCasland, Don Kinsey, Vaneta Lowery, Shirley Wallender, Jack Damon, Richard Box, Benny Patterson, John Hinnant, Don Hinde, Johnny Woody, Jimmy Hay, Larry Moore, Joyce Hendricks, Jim Swift, and Bill Preslar Jr. Bill Preslar is the only one who is going to night school.

## '58 Rainfall 11.58 Inches; Short Of 1957's 25.05

The rainfall thus far for the 1958 year, according to Hawley Van Court's records has been approximately 11.58 inches. The months recordings are as follows:

January	1.90
February	1.10
March	.85
April	.50
May	1.95
June	.00
July	2.20
August	.90
September	1.70

Last year's fall was 25.05, but in the months of May and October we received five inches or over. In May the fall was almost eight inches.

The average for the last few years has been 12 — 13 inches per year.

## TWENTY-SIX GRADS OF '58 ATTENDING TEXAS COLLEGES

Some 26 graduates of last year are attending college, with North Texas State Teachers College and Texas University being the most popular colleges.

Those attending North Texas State are Gary Edmiston, John Webb, Freddy Ward, James Bee Williams and David Harris.

Those attending Texas University are Fred Webb, Jerry Ash, Dianne Hall, Jimmy Elder and Butch Freeman.

Odessa College has three graduates attending, they are George McCasland, Vaneta Lowery, and Jannye Brown. Nina Gayle Barr, and Char-

## '58-'59 Iowa Test Given To All CHS For Second Year

The Iowa Test of educational development is now being given to all Crane High School Students and will require four half days to administer.

In 1953 these tests were given for the first time in Crane High School. They were given last year and will be repeated to the entire student body for the next four years.

In last year's test results, all the classes ranked above the 50 per cent group. The seniors were in the upper 86 per cent of the national average.

The major purposes of this test are: 1. To enable the teachers and counselors to keep themselves more intimately and reliably acquainted with the educational development of each high school pupil. 2. To provide the school administration with a more dependable and objective basis for evaluating the total educational offering of the school. 3. To determine educational growth for 1958-59 school year.

## P. Preslar, Leo Lead El Ave Sales

The leading salesman of the annual staff is Patsy Preslar. She has sold 17 up to the present time.

Jimmy Leo is running her close second with 16 sold. Carrie Lou Chaney has now sold eight. Joyce Woody is fourth with seven. Larry Stiger and Jeff Henderson are in a tie for fifth with four each. La Nelle Van Zandt is coming up, with three and Penny Dulin is just getting started with one.

There have been 60 annuals sold at this time and usually 85 per cent of the student body buys annuals each year. This means that there are about 200 more annuals to be sold before they go up in price. (Buy an annual)

With 285 students and 23 faculty members in high school, only 60 annuals sold means that many buyers are yet to purchase their El Ave of '59.

Grover Little, photographer, will be here Thursday, Oct. 23, to take pictures of the student body and the football team.

## Life Of A Locker Is Heartbreaking

Ah, well; Another day arrives!

Oh No!! Here they come again! I hope they aren't feeling mean today.

Slam!! Bang!! OUCH! That book hurt when it slammed into my back! I really hate having my books thrown at me. Wouldn't you?

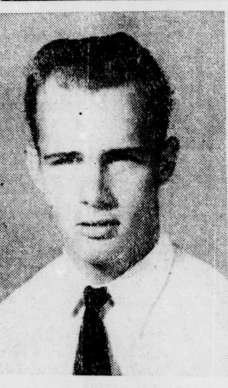
They dent my sensitive door and scratch their initials on me until I'm damaged for life. I'm beginning to rebel though. Sometimes I won't shut and sometimes I won't open for certain students.

I'm really very nice to have around, I'm very useful though most students don't seem to appreciate me, I hold their books, papers and anything else they happen to throw in my direction and I never have complained before now.

I think it is time for all students to realize just how important a locker is to them. If it weren't for us lockers, the students would have to carry all their books to every class or leave them in every room and risk having them turn up missing just when they need them most.

I have to close now, class is nearly over.

**OUCH! HERE THEY COME AGAIN! MAN YOUR BATTLE STATIONS!**



**JIMMY CARROLL CRANE FINALIST IN SCHOLASTIC TEST**

Jimmy Carroll was the only one of Cranes 23 seniors who took the National Merit Scholarship test last spring who reached the finals.

Jimmy had a composite score of 99 which means he was in the top one per cent of all seniors who took the test. Jimmy will travel to Midland on December 6, of this year to take his final test. The final tests are given all over the United States on the same day and at the same time.

Four hundred and seventy-eight thousand high school seniors in the United States and its territories took the National Merit Scholarship test last Spring and about 10,000 were selected for the finals. From this group only about 1,000 students will be selected to receive scholarships. The 10,000 selected for the finals represented only about one half of one per cent of all the high school seniors in the United States.

After one is chosen to receive a scholarship his personal high school record is examined and it helps to determine how much he receives or if he receives a scholarship.

Some 1,000 scholarships ranging from 100 dollars to 1500 dollars are given each year by some 84 companies. The winners of the test will be notified some time in March of 1959.

The National Merit Scholarship test will be given again this year and perhaps Crane will have another finalist.

## Eight New Students Enroll In Crane High

Eight new students have enrolled since school started to the 16 who have withdrawn.

From these eight new students four have checked out within a very short time of their enrollment. Those students who have withdrawn have gone many different ways. Some to the United States armed forces, some to be married and many others have just moved from Crane.

Those checking in and out are at follows: Dorothy Webber, Walter Blackwell, and Jimmy Don Caudle.

LaRue Simmons, Denny Sanders, and Sammie Dutton have enrolled since school started and are still here.

These students have withdrawn: Margie Rhodes, Sue Abernathy, Larry Campbell, Robert Robinson, Eugene Tarpel, Geraldine Welch, Mike Phillips, Bobby Roberts, Onad Shipman, Sammy Shipman, Lynn Simon and David Sellers.

## STOCKTON DOWNS CRANE B TEAM

B team went to Ft Stockton to meet a team that was ready for all the Cranes. Ft. Stockton downed the Cranes 20 to 0.

The Cranes led the score till halftime. Ft. Stockton then came back in the last half to win the ballgame.

The Rockafellers played for a dance at the Crane Youth Center, Saturday, Oct. 11.

## 248 Subscriptions Sold By Journalism Class For 58-59 School Year

Twelve hard working journalism students along with their hard working teacher, Paul Patterson, have managed to secure 248 subscriptions to "THE CRANE" so far in the 1958-59 school year.

"THE CRANE" is sending out 248 papers not counting the exchanges which number 37. Twelve of these exchanges are sent out of the United States to such far off countries as Japan, Scotland, Africa, India and Canada.

Five hundred issues of "THE CRANE" are printed each time it comes out so there are still issues available. You can get yours from any member of the journalism staff for only 50 cents.

A contest was held by members of the journalism class in selling subscriptions. Margaret Ausbern was first with 32 subscriptions and Jimmy Box second with 31, followed by Gloria Rogers and Don Bardin each with 25 subscriptions. Mr. Patterson also finished high on the list of top sellers.

There are still approximately 14 issues of "THE CRANE" to be printed so if you haven't got your subscriptions GET IT NOW.

## Reverend C. H. Browning Gives Devotional Oct. 7

Mr. C. H. Browning of the Assembly of God Church gave the devotional last Tuesday, Oct. 7. He spoke on the fruits, or benefits of love from the 91st Psalm.

He pointed out the six benefits of love those being to deliver, to exalt, to answer, to honor, to satisfy. The Reverend Browning was introduced by Sharon Middlebrook, vice-president. F. F. Hogg gave the invocation.

Last Thursday, Oct. 2 we saw a film of "Progress of American," which informed us on many things we did not know.

Carrie Lou and Larry Chaney attended the State Fair and The Texas-OU game in Dallas over the weekend.

Larry Stiger, Jimmy Leo, and Tom Coffield attended the Texas-OU game in the Cotton Bowl.

## Crane High Classes Elect 58-59 Officers

Crane High School classes have elected officers and sponsors for the coming school year. Billy Irl Butler is to head the Senior Class as president. This is Billy Irl's third consecutive year to lead his class. Larry Stiger is vice-president; Elaine Plate, secretary; Barbara Wagnon, treasurer; Tom Coffield, reporter.

The seniors were so well-pleased with the officers of last year, that they kept the same ones for this school year.

Senior Class sponsors are Larry Freeman, J. P. Harrison, Billy Mayes, and Miss Mollie Watkins.

The Junior Class voted to keep their same officers who are Billy Liverman, president; Jeff Henderson, vice-president; Karen Turner, secretary; Sammy Chaffin, treasurer; John Rogers, Sgt. at arms.

The Junior Class sponsors are D. O. Warren, Fred Barrett, Miss Lorene Davis, and Charles Burnside.

The Sophomores elected Gene Griffin, president; Stanley Baggett, vice-president; Patty Stiger, secretary; and Frank Van Court, parliamentarian.

The Sophomore sponsors are Bill Teague, and Mrs. Ann Mayes.

The Freshmen officers are: Jackie Hickey, president; Paul Lively, vice-president; Nancy Webb, secretary; Dick Rogers, reporter; Tommy Sales and Scott Coffield, Sgt. at arms.

The Freshmen sponsors are: Charles Stooder, and R. E. Erwin.

## Wallace Johnston Featured Speaker At SC Installation

Wallace Johnston president of the Crane Independent School District's Board of Trustees was the featured speaker for the Student Council Installation October 13.

Butch Freeman, 1958 C.H.S. graduate now attending the University of Texas, will receive the Student Councils \$200 scholarship which was originally awarded to C. B. Curry. C. B. has decided not to attend college. This \$200 scholarship is financed by the Student Council Hawley Van Court and Ken Spencer, \$100 coming from the council and \$50 each from Mr. Van Court and Mr. Spencer.

Other projects and activities to be sponsored by the council this year are football programs, handbooks, X-mas tree in hall, collect toys, food, clothing for needy families at X-mas, door decorations, March of Dimes, Coronation ceremonies and coronation dance, coke and pencil machine, buy records for school parties, and Devotional Assemblies.

The Council meets each Wednesday in the library with Elaine Plate, president, presiding.

## Superintendent Nix To Austin Meeting

Brady Nix, superintendent of Crane schools, and Hawley Van Court, Sr., vice-president of the local school board, plan to attend a joint meeting of the Texas Association to School Administrators and the Texas Association of School Boards.

The meeting will be in Austin, October 12-13.

Crane Choir went to Dallas only to come back facing six weeks test.

## C.H.S. Clubs In Full Swing For School Year Of 58-59

Approximately 16 clubs are working on projects pertaining in full swing this year with the Industrial Arts Club's installation last Thursday night as a fitting opening to a busy season.

This club boasts six new members, with dues set at \$1.00 per semester. They have two trips planned, one to A&M and the other to Abilene Christian to enter their projects. Their officer are Gail Hinnicut president; Ronnie Harris vice-president; Joan Woodbury, secretary; Steve Johnson, treasurer; Patsy Brown, reporter.

The Archery Club has ordered some bows and arrows and is waiting for them to come in. However now they are learning to hold a bow and string it.

The Math-Slide Rule Club is going over some number-sense tests that they will take at the district contest.

The Speech Club students are giving humorous monologues also they plan to give three one-act plays during the year.

The Football Club has been watching films and going over their mistakes.

The Girls Intramural Club has been practicing basketball and getting ready for some tournaments, also some have been boxing.

The Junior Historians are

by Corben, Joyce Hazle, Barbara Davidson, Barbara Bailes, Almeda Fauschmann, Jo Ann Rogers, Pat Hilleman, Linda Cook. The buffet table was laid with brown linen cloth with orange pyracantha in green bowl, yellow napkins. Place mats were brown and place cards made by Joyce Woody were autumn leaves. Sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, ice tea and cake were served.

F. H. A. club has nine girls to attend a district meeting. Jean Woodbury, district parliamentarian, gave the invocation. Elaine Plate gave a 20-minute speech about her trip to Kansas City, Missouri.

Shirley Tooke led a discussion group "What Contributions can P.H.A. Make to the School?" Mary Rita Corbell acted as recorder and at the afternoon session gave a report of their discussion.

Others attending the meeting were: Miss Mollie Watkins, sponsor; Joe Ann Price, Glenda Grissam, and Barbara Rice.

At the Oct. 6 meeting they discussed plans for attending the Dallas Fair Oct. 11. Miss Imogene Price Miss Mollie Watkins, and Miss Inez Balentine are the sponsors for the trip. They will leave Friday at the close of school.

### Don't Chew Gum Like A Bum, Chum

Chewing gum at school this year is a privilege everybody enjoys since it was against the rules the years before, but is now left up to the discretion of the teacher.

It is also a disadvantage too, the custodians have to go around cleaning up after the students that have scattered gum wrappers in the halls and rooms, and stick their gum under the desk and seats, it is also very disturbing and annoying the students and teachers when some people make all kinds of noises and sounds while chewing their gum.

Students, let's take special advantage of this privilege that we have been given and remember to throw our gum and wrappers in the trash cans, then our halls and rooms will look a lot better. Also, let's remember to chew our gum in the right manner. If we will all remember to do this, then I am sure that our teachers and custodians will deeply appreciate it.

### What Makes Up School Spirit?

What is school spirit?

It is composed of many things. School spirit is that something that makes you choke with pride when the school song is played or sung. It is the will to win, to be the best whether in sports, choral and band activities, or clubs, so that you will bring honor to your school.

School spirit is your pride in your school, its activities, faculty, and the system under which it is run.

School spirit is the force that compels alumni to travel many miles to return for a homecoming game, and to follow with interest articles in the paper concerning school activities.

School spirit is working together so that greater accomplishments may be achieved.

Do you have school spirit?

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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.
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### Bouncing Petticoats Out; Sack Dresses In Style

Boy's can't you remember when you were knocked to and fro by the bouncing large petticoats of the girls, in the halls of "CHS"?

Well no more; Now you see the girls walking very slowly down the hall taking very tiny steps.

If you boys have been wondering what the trouble is, here's a little hint: Their new sack dresses are so tight at the bottom the girls can't walk very fast.

So, if you see a girl trying desperately to climb the stairs in her new "sack", so up and ask her if she needs any help?

Now girls if you've been wondering what the boys think of sack dresses, here's just a few of their opinions.

Jerry Swift — The girls look like they are trying to fool somebody.

Leonard Ivy — They're worse than wearing the second button on shirts unbuttoned.

Jimmy Box — Some are alright but some I don't like.

David Currie — The chemise is O.K. but the sack is terrible.

### FILES

1932—A comedy and tragedy will be given in the high school auditorium Friday evening, November 4, at 8 o'clock sponsored by the Crane Athletic Assn.

1938 — The song of the week was "The Mulberry Bush".

1940 — Band students heard the U. S. Marine Band in H.S.U. auditorium.

1947 — Stanton smashed by Cranes 37 to 0 in the 1st conference game.

1948 — Crane buses travel 285 miles a day.

Hit Parade for C.H.S. Heartbreaker — Bill Teague My Happiness—Doug Crane King Size papa — Joe Weatherly.

Coach Underhill made the junior high's backs carry a football to every class for one day for each fumble which they made in the ball game against Midland.

Coach Underhill moved here in 1948.

1949 — Bill Teague was shop foreman of the first period shop.

Barbara W.: "My dates are just pouring in."

Nancy G.: "So are mine, drip by drip."

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

### U.S. Civil Service Urge Senior Students To Take Examinations

The U.S. Civil Service Commission urges qualified persons to apply for the following positions for which examinations have just been announced:

Student Trainee (for positions in the scientific, technical, agricultural, accounting, and statistical fields) \$3,255 to \$3,755 a year. Some positions are located throughout the United States; others, in the Washington, D. C. area only. College students and high school seniors who are enrolled in appropriate courses may apply. They will take a written test. Applications may be filed until April 2, 1959. See Announcement No. 172 for full details and where to apply.

Student Trainee (Veterinarian), \$4,040 a year for positions in the Department of Agriculture at locations throughout the United States. Applicants must be junior students in veterinary medicine and must pass a written test. Applications will be accepted by the Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C., until November 19, 1958. Full information is contained in Announcement No. 173B.

Training Instructor (Electronics) \$4,040 and \$4,980 a year for positions at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Mississippi. Ap will be accepted by the Board of U.S. Civil Service Examination is required. Applications appropriate experience or educators, Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Mississippi, until further notice. Full information is contained in Announcement No. 5-118-4(58).

Announcements and application forms are available at many post offices throughout the country and at the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D.C.

### Fashionettes

By DORIS DENNIS  
MARGARET AUSBERN looked lovely in a beautiful turquoise dress with white trim.

JOAN WOODBURY looked smart in a green skirt and pink snow flakes setting it off.

THE CRANE GOLDEN CRANE CHOIR looked very neat in their purple and gold choir robes the day their pictures were made.

"GOOD GOING CHOIR"  
DORIS DENNIS wore a beautiful gray skirt with a bluish tint, with a light peach sweater to top it off.

THE TWIRLERS looked nice in Pep Rally Friday. "KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK GIRLS!"

CHEERLEADERS, JERENE CRUMLEY, SHARRON MIDLEBROOK, AND PATSY BROWN always look nice in their purple corduroy slacks and white blouses with purple ties.

ELAINE PLATE looked real nice in Pep Rally wearing a brown, tan and black set of quilted slacks and over-blouse trimmed with black rick rack, which really set off her short blonde hair.

GLORIA ROGERS AND SONDRAMARK were exact opposites last Friday. Gloria wore dark purple velvet slacks with a light purple blouse and Sondra wore light purple slacks with a dark purple blouse. Coincidence?

GLYNDA STEADHAM looked very nice in a print skirt and solid blue blouse ensemble with a dark blue corduroy jacket to top it off.

JUDY RIVES looked smart in a royal blue match set skirt and blouse.

### SONG OF THE WEEK PUSSYCAT

Oh I was born in a little old house In a town called Barrel Bay I was eight years old when I fell in love

And it seems like yesterday Down the old Mule Road in a pretty house Lived some folks not far from me

And they had a child only one year old And a pretty babe to see. They called her pussycat, puss puss pussycat

For her hair was soft and fine Pussycat, puss puss pussycat, How her two big eyes would shine

She had a smile so sweet And a great deal more than that. And she'd coo and purr when I smiled at her

With her milky skin like silky fur, My puss puss puss pussycat. Now bears went by and I grew quite tall,

For I shot up like a vine And I used to watch over pussycat Till she reached the age of nine

When I said, "Goodbye" for I left one morn For a town in 'oway' And I didn't see anyone I knew

Till I came back one fine day. Well there she was, like a pretty rose, And my goodness how she'd grown

But her sparkling eyes and turned up nose Were the same though years had flown

Then I knew at once she belonged to me, And I knew she felt the same

So our lives were joined and our first new-born Was a girl who bore her name.

### Names Are Same; Different Person

The first name is the same but the face is different. Mrs. Maxine Brooks has replaced Mrs. Maxine Williams as Mr. C. A. Carroll's secretary for the 1958-1959 school year.

Mrs. Brooks was born in Colby, Kansas and lived there up until three years ago. She attended secretarial school in Kansas City, Kansas, and also worked for a Kansas lawyer and the Kansas State Employment Service.

Upon moving to Texas, she worked for a law firm in Wichita Falls and then for the Federal Civil Defense Office in Denton, Texas.

Then Mr. Roy Brooks accepted the job of junior high band director and they moved to Crane, where she now holds the job of high school secretary.

"THE CRANE" would like to wish Mrs. Brooks the best of luck and happiness in her new home and job.

### Exchanges

A test is a thing made up by devils corrected by morons, to test the intelligence of an idiot.

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

The amount of sleep required by the average teenager is 10 minutes more.

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

Mr. Carroll: "Swift what are you looking for?"

Swift: "A wock."

Mr. Carroll: "What is a wock?"

Swift: "It's a wock. A wock to two at a wabbit."

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

Mr. Burnside: "A fool can ask more questions than a wise person can answer."

Jimmy Box: "No wonder so many of us flunked the test."

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

Prof. Atkinson: "What is the difference in a little boy and a dwarf?"

Suzy: "There might be a lot of difference."

Prof. Atkinson: "For instance?"

Suzy: "The dwarf might be a girl."

The Rowel, Spur, Texas

### GOING STEADY

He says: Will you go steady with me, darling?

He thinks: I'll kick you in the teeth if you don't.

She says: Yes, I'll go steady with you, dear.

She thinks: What can I lose? He's the first to come through.

He says: Here's my class ring. He thinks: It's beginning to turn my finger green anyway.

She says: I'll get you a friendship ring.

She thinks: He'd probably lose my class ring.

He says: I can't believe we're finally going steady.

He thinks: At last I've found someone to do my homework for me.

She says: I was surprised you asked me.

She thinks: It's about time; I was running out of hints.

He says: Say that you'll never break up with me.

He thinks: So that I'll be able to break up with you first and save myself any embarrassment.

Eagle's Eye Seagraves, Texas

Mr. McLean: What is the most outstanding contribution that science has given to the world?

Bardin: BLONDES! Cat Tracks Ballinger, Texas

Mr. Freeman: I went to that swanky hotel for a change and a rest.

Mr. Andregg: Did you get it?

Mr. Freeman: Well, the bell-boy got the change and the hotel got the rest.

The Rowel, Spur, Texas

Mr. Atkinson: What do hippopotamuses have that no other animals have?

La Nelle: Little hippopotamus.

Yellow Jacket

"Listen, Captain," said the perspiring police officer "we've been giving that ventriloquist the third degree for an hour and a half; and a plainclothesman, three cops and a police lieutenant have confessed to the crime—shall we continue?"

The Yell 'O' Jacket Boyd High School Boyd, Texas

### Film Schedule

9-18-58 — Deep Roots.

10-1-58 — Powering America's Progress.

10-9-58 — Map of An Empire.

10-23-58 — The New Paul Bunyan.

10-29-58—The All-Star Game of '57.

11-6-58 — The Enemy Underground.

11-12-58 — Drama of Portland Cement.

11-20-58 — The Story of Twine.

12-5-58 — Prelude to Plenty.

12-12-58 — No Traveler at All.

1-7-58 — Let's Take a Trip.

1-15-58 — Endowing Our Future.

### October Calendar

2 Jr. High game with Kermit

3 "A" game with Big Lake.

4 "B" game with McCamey.

6-8 Choir trip to Dallas.

9 "B" game with Fort Stockton.

9-10 Six weeks tests

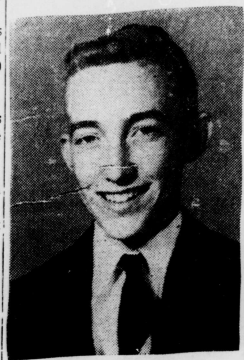
16 "B" game with Pecos.

17 "A" game with Alpine.

24 "A" game with Denver

25 "A" game with Seminole

## BARDIN TO THE FORE IN OPERETTA PINAFORE



DON BARDIN

Recognize him? Yeah it's Don Bardin, doing one to twelve in Crane High School.

Don was born on February 23, 1941, in Denver City and soon after started his famous career which eventually led to his imprisonment. Don moved to Crane in 1945 and two years later his capture was completed by the boy next door who told certain authorities that Don was six.

He has served 11 years of his time and with good behavior (and high grades) expects to be released in the Spring of 1959.

ACTIVE STUDENT  
Don has been very active in

the Crane High School Choir, having been a member since his freshman year. He was a member of the choir which attended the State Fair in 1955 and also attended this year as a member of the group. Don, also, held a leading role in the choir's production of HMS Pinafore.

Don is staff photographer for "THE CRANE" this year and a member of the speech club. He expects to join the Golf Club later in the year.

### JUST FACTS

Don is easily pleased, gives him a nice warm day without any homework, a good car and a few hundred dollars spending money and he is living the life of Riley.

Don's favorite sports are baseball, football and golf. He played baseball both in Little League and Pony League and spends a good deal of his free time on the golf course.

When asked what he liked to do, Don replied, "There is nothing better than pretty girls, a fast car, good food and lots of money."

After his release Don plans to attend college and studying in the field of Pharmacy. Here is wishing good luck and happiness to another scoundrel from "THE CRANE."

## JUKE - BOX PERSONALITY

By JERENE CRUMLEY

"Night After Night" — Onal-dah Shipman.

"It's All In The Game" — Sandy and Louise.

"Over The Week-end" — Pat Mohon.

"Shippin' Around" — Ruby and Tom.

"Straighten up and Fly Right" — Mr. Burnside to the 2nd period Civics students.

"Over The Mountain" — Sandra to Bob.

"Bird-dog" — Larry Campbell.

"Just a Dream" — Seniors who hope to graduate.

"Born too Late" — Freshmen.

"If Dreams Came True" — Carolyn and Leonard.

"Aint That Love" — All engaged couples.

"Sitting and Thinking" — Mr. Burnside.

"Little Mary" — Mary Ann.

"Yakety Yak" — Study Halls.

"Fever" — Billy Irl.

"Hard-headed Woman" — Mrs. Elmore.

"Purple-people Eater" — Leonard.

"Johnny B. Goode" — Johnny Griffin.

"Tom Dulle" — Bob Roberts

Ju Judy" — Benny Clayton.

"Don't Ask Me Why" — Penny to Richard.

Gloria Looney, reporter for "The Crane", and student of the Senior Class is in the Crane Memorial Hospital because of sickness.

## Mrs. Patricia Ann Mohan Easy To Get Along With

Crane High School is honored to have within her halls a very sweet, well-mannered girl who goes by the name of Patricia Ann Mohan. Though her real name is Mrs. Jere Don Mohan, Pat is much easier to say.

Pat was born February 14, 1940, in Chickasha, Oklahoma and was given the name of Patricia Ann Eakes. Since then she has grown to a height of 5 feet 6 inches and tips the scales at a mere 125 pounds. She has brown hair and hazel eyes.

PART-TIME CARHOP  
Pat is married to Jere Don Mohan, a sophomore at Texas Tech College on a football scholarship. Pat is living with Mrs. Myrtle Cook while she attends school. Pat is employed at the Dairy Mart and works several nights a week besides keeping up her school studies.

Pat has attended four other schools before coming to Crane. She attended Panhandle High three years, then divided her junior year among Spearman and Monahans, Tex.; and Chickasha, Oklahoma, spending the last two weeks of the year in Chickasha. She then moved to Crane, where she will live until she finishes school. She will

## A Lamb In A Lions Den Scene Of Much Activity

By JERENE CRUMLEY

Zip! Zing! Splat! Small missiles are flying everywhere: Is it an invasion? A scene from a war movie? No! Not! It's only a Lions Club meeting. If you've never visited one you've missed an intriguing experience.

When you arrive you think that the meeting will be just like any other club meeting held at mealtime. However, before the end of the meal you are being bombarded on all sides with bits of rolls, a man called the tail-twister is running around with a pot collecting a dime from anyone he catches throwing bread, and men are running from table to table trying to steal everyone else's dessert. You also get fined if you forget to add Lion before a man's name when you speak to him, or if you start eating your dessert before the pie bell is rung. There are probably some more but as I'm a new addition I haven't learned all the ropes yet.

When time for the program comes you would never believe that the room was filled with the same men because a more refined sedate group you'll never find.

If you find all this hard to believe, don't take my word along, ask Mollie Martin, the night Lion's Club Sweetheart.

So every Tuesday I look forward to returning to this active scene; and I'm even learning to throw a few chunks of bread myself!

Gloria Looney, reporter for "The Crane", and student of the Senior Class is in the Crane Memorial Hospital because of sickness.

Pat shows herself to be a real Southern girl by choosing fried chicken with all the trimmings for her favorite food.

### NO PET PEEVE

She is very easy to get along with as she could think of no pet peeve.

Pat chose as her favorite movie "Bridge on the River Kwai" with Jane Wyman and Jeff Chandler as her favorite actress and actor. Her favorite pastime is eating (though this can't be proved by looking) and her favorite book is Evangelicalism.

Pat has been very active in the various schools she has attended. She has to her credit membership in FHA, three years; FTA, two years; FBLA, one year; Cheerleader, one year; Annual Beauty, one year; Football Queen, Attendant two years; Class Officer, three years; and she has played Girls' Basketball three years.

The Crane wants to take this opportunity to wish a real sweet girl the very best of everything in life.

### Gold Birds Host 4-AA Mustangs In 2nd District Game

On October 24 the Golden Cranes will play host to the Denver City Mustangs. For the past two years the Gold Birds have come out with the odds in their favor. In 1956 the scoreboard read 40-7 and in 1957 it read 32-14. But the Mustangs are not to be taken lightly because at present time they still have their first defeat to suffer for 1958.

The Mustangs are considered the biggest squad in class 4-AA. They also have the experience to back up their size with 13 returning lettermen. The Birds have neither size nor experience, but they do have the desire and spirit to play the game of football. They have proved this many times when the odds were down. The Crane's fought Monahans and Pecos to a 0-0 deadlock, stomped Winters and Big Lake, 24-9 and 48-14 and lost a hard fought game to Lamesa 30-6. The Mustangs have won their games consisting of Lovington, Tahoka, Wink and Sundown.

The Cranes enjoyed a week end off before taking on their first Conference game with Alpine. Denver City will be the second.

### District 5AA Plans All Spring Meets; To Be Held Here

The superintendents, principals, and some of the coaches in District 5AA met at Crane, October 6, in the administration office at 3:00 p.m. to plan the spring meets.

Brady Nix was elected district director. C. A. Carroll was chosen secretary.

Crane is to conduct all events, and the contests will be held in Crane with the exception of the track meet April 18. The site for the track meet will be determined later.

The literary events will be held April 4 one-act plays March 24, tennis April 3-4, golf April 7 and volleyball April 2-3.

The directors chosen for the events are Bill Estes of Crane, tennis; C. A. Carroll of Crane, golf; Mrs. Ann Mayes of Crane, volleyball; Mrs. Myrtle White-side of Alpine, debate; Paul Patterson of Crane, journalism; John Borden of Fort Stockton, typing; Owen C. Lawrence of McCamey, slide rule; Douglas Crane of Crane, number sense; Mrs. June Dyke of Alpine, spelling; Mrs. Christine Nelson of Seminole, shorthand; Francis Wommack of Denver City, poetry reading; Robert Ervin of Crane, one-act plays; Dan Anderson of Crane, junior and senior track and field; Harlan Hall of McCamey, extemporaneous Denver City, poetry reading; and Miss Janet Reves of Seminole declamation.

The Critical List  
Lamesa gave our boys a rough time when they played them. Four boys reported with injuries.  
Richard Whittaker received a broken thumb while Larry Joe Stiger and Billy Liverman received head injuries. Bruce Boyd hurt his shoulder.

### Golden Craneites Whip Kermit 24-0

Thursday, October 2, the junior high of Crane sent the Yellow Jackets back to Kermit with a 24-0 defeat.

The Yellow Jackets fighting a losing battle gave the Craneites some bad times the Cranes being stubborn about their goal line being crossed held the Jackets back from the pay dirt.

Johnny Hoestenboach, scoring 14 points, led the Craneite attack. Tommy Elliott was next having six points. Phil Williams and Charlie Bowers each had two points. Johnny Hostenback scored the longest run covering 50 yards.

Crane's seventh graders suffered an 8-0 defeat, but played a very good ballgame.

The Junior High traveled to Fort Stockton October 9, and the seventh grade played host to Iraan.

The tennis balls have begun to fly as three tennis members begin to get in shape for the coming season.

Joyce Woody, Suelen Davis and Ed Harned have started work out early this year in order to get in shape and to polish up their form. The tennis team will open its season in February with four returning starters. They are as follows: Joyce Woody (two letters), Suelen Davis (two letters), Ed Harned (two letters) and Nan Crittenden (one letter). Larry Stiger, another returning letterman has indicated that he may not play this season.

Last year the tennis team won district in Boy's doubles, Boy's singles and Girl's doubles. The Boy's doubles also won Regional but were defeated in the State meet.

The tennis team is playing in the Sun Bowl Tennis Tournament during the New Year's Holidays.



### Pep Rally Skits Making Big Hits

The Cheerleaders and Patty Stiger brought a skit during the fourth Pep Rally for the Pecos game, held September 28.

Patty Stiger came into the gymnasium and announced the program while the Cheerleaders brought the skit.

Patty read: "We don't know whether you know it or not but they are having a National Cheerleaders Convention in California. Now we thought it would be nice if you had a chance to see some of the girls perform so we have invited a few of them here to our Pep Rally today. Oh by the way, we flew them here on C. H.S. Golden Airlines."

Our first cheerleader is from China so here's our cute Chinese girl. (JERENE CRUMLEY)

Our second cheerleader is from Hawaii grass skirts and all. (SHARRON MIDDLEBROOK - PICTURED)

The next cheerleader is from outer space. (PATSY BROWN)

Our next guests are from Russia. (JERENE CRUMLEY AND SHARRON MIDDLEBROOK)

Last but not least, we have a cheerleader from Alaska. (PATSY BROWN) Before the cheerleader could get through with her yell she froze and Patty concluded: As you know, they always end everything in a FREEZE.

### Cranes Pluck Owls In Battle Of Birds, 48-4; Alpine Bucks Next

The Golden Cranes staged a first quarter scoring spree to down the Big Lake Owls 48-14. Winston Freeman on the first play scampered 49-yards for a touchdown. Larry Stiger ran over the conversion. Moments later Jimmy Leo ran 23-yards for another Crane touchdown. Richard Hinnant plunged over for the conversion.

Richard Hinnant scored on a 52-yard run, and Larry Stiger added the conversion.

Just before the end of the first period Jimmy Leo charged 11-yards for Crane's fourth touchdown, and Stiger added another conversion to his credit. Crane held a 32-0 lead at the end of the first quarter.

The Crane's second and third units played most of the second quarter, to keep their 32-0 lead at the half.

The third quarter was a standstill in scoring until late, when Richard Hinnant fired a 55 yard scoring pass to Jimmy Leo.

Late in the last quarter the Big Lake Owls scored their first touchdown.

Jimmy Leo received the kickoff and raced 75 yards for his fourth touchdown. The Owls took the kickoff and scored again, but the game ended a few plays later.

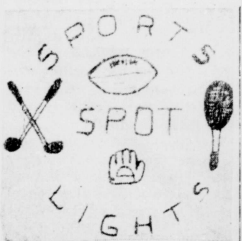
### Gridders Graded On Performance By Study Of Film

Movies are the best means ever devised for confronting a football player with his mistakes or proving to him of his excellent play.

Moving pictures are taken of each Crane football game by Doug Crane and then showed to the players by the coaches. This year the players are being given a grade according to the game they played, the coaches reach this grade by carefully studying the films of each game.

Based upon careful observation and re-observation by the coaches the following boys received high grades for the Big Lake game on offense: Billy Liverman, Paul Lively, Scott Coffield, Bobby Gage, Bruce Boyd and Allen Jourden. Receiving high grades on defense were Larry Stiger, David Green, Paul Lively and Allen Jourden.

Movies are shown in the coach's office of the previous Friday's game and these films have attracted quite an audience, especially from the ranks of the most rabid of Crane fans.



### CRANES LOOKING GOOD

The Golden Cranes held another Class 4AA foe, Pecos, to a 0-0 tie. This makes the third time the Crane team (Crane has played this year and has made a fine showing against all three. Pecos Monahans 0-0, lost to Lamesa 20-6 and tied Pecos 0-0.

The Cranes finally began to roll when they took a 48-14 game from a mediocre Big Lake team on October 3. Jimmy Leo was high man in the game with 24 points followed by Larry Stiger and Richard Hinnant with eight a piece. Also in the scoring column was Spooky Freeman with six points and Gene Griffin with two.

The Cranes finished out their non-conference schedule with two wins, two ties and one loss. Crane starts its conference play this week with Alpine and from here on it will be all uphill if we are to win district. All of the teams Crane will face in district will be good with Seminole fielding one of the best teams it has had in the past few years. Good luck team and keep up the good work.

During the game they work

Many people think it is a snap job, but just watch them at one of our ballgames sometime. They have many jobs to do and to be a good manager must be on their toes at all times.

Before the games, they have the shoes polished, all the equipment ready, and then hand it out. They also put up the flags and the down markers. They help bandage the boys' wrists and ankles and give them rub-downs.

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### Heiser, Harris, Managers Minister To Beat-Up Birds

Harvey Heiser and Ronnie Harris are the Golden Crane football managers for the 1958 season.

The boys are chosen by the coaches after talking to Mr. Carroll about their ability.

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### 'Pebble On Beach' Livens Pep Rally

Marsha Plummer, Judy Rives, Sherry Johnson, Patricia Hightower, Dana Glenn, Darlene Byrd and Legene Burns brought a skit called "Did You Sneeze?" October 3 during the Pep Rally for the Big Lake game, with the Crane High Cheerleaders helping.

Jerene Crumley, Norma Horne, Linda Poole, Patsy Brown, and Sharron Middlebrook brought another skit.

Jerene (judge) called the court to order. Her first case was a sophisticated man (Patsy Brown). Jerene asked what the charge and the man replied; "picking up pebbles on the beach." The judge brought the sentence of \$30 or 30 days then the next case was brought in. Sharron Middlebrook entered the court room dressed like a cool cat. The judge asked what the charge was and the cat answered; "picking up pebbles on the beach." The judge then brought the sentence against him of \$30 or 30 days, the cat paid. The next gentleman was a neatly dressed janitor (Linda Poole). The judge asked the accused what the charge was and the janitor replied "picking up pebbles on the beach." The judge brought the sentence against the janitor which was \$30 or 30 days the janitor didn't have \$30 so the judge sentenced him to 30 days. The next case was brought into the court room, a sexy looking girl (Norma Horne) was asked what she was charged with and she replied "nothing I'm Pebbles". So as Pebbles faded into the background the skit ended.

Glenda Looney, a reporter for "The Crane" has been ill for the past week. She underwent surgery last Friday morning at the Crane Memorial Hospital.

### Thirteen Members Attend Pre-Dawn FHA Breakfast

A breakfast was held for four new FHA members on October 2.

At six o'clock four old members were by the homes of Joe Ann Price, Barbara Rice, Glenda Grissom and Shirley Gosnell and dragged them out of bed. They were allowed only to grab a robe and a pair of shoes. Like that they were taken to the homemaking lab for their breakfast.

Martha Brown led the pajama models with their morning exercises.

The breakfast menu consisted of cinnamon rolls, donuts, orange juice and hot chocolate.

To carry out the theme of "Good Morning" the letters covered with gold glitter were placed on the wall above a pretty bouquet of flowers. The place cards had comic faces on them.

The new members were taken home at seven o'clock so they could get ready for school.

For their initiation they were required to wear no less than six ribbons in their hair, a sign across their back which read "I Am A FHA Initiate", a kitchen utensil around their neck, two shoes that didn't match and two different colored socks.

When they approached an old member they had to start repeating the creed and continue until give permission to stop. At noon in the bleachers of the gymnasium they had to sing an FHA song which was led by Jerene Crumley and Jean Woodbury.

FORMAL INITIATION  
An impressive formal initiation was held in the small auditorium the night of September 29.

A table decorated in red and white (the FHA colors) was used on the stage. A bouquet of white roses was placed in the center of the table and eight red candles were placed in a semicircle.

### Box, Football Knocks Forces Him Into Golf

money and pretty girls. Jimmy spends most of his spare time on the golf course and he says he is going to turn pro someday.

TYPICAL DAY OF A JUNIOR  
Ho Hum! Another dull day, same as ever. Up in the morning and off to school.

Sleep through chemistry without getting blown up; skip out of activity period and go get a coke; run like mad to get back in time to pretend you know your history; Ah, finally the bell. At last — dinner, then you find out what they are having. OH! NO! THE SAME OLD STUFF! YOU HAD LAST WEEK! Well, maybe you can get your mind off it by playing a little basketball. After a friendly game you pick up the remains of your shirt, hunt for what's left of your glasses and make for the study hall. Here you make a stab at your algebra then doze off to dreamland, the land of racing cars, BEAUTIFUL GIRLS, and money. You are awakened by the teacher who doesn't like your tune of snoring. So you wait for the bell to ring and then march off to fail another of those unreasonably hard tests in algebra. When that's finally over, you walk slowly back to your locker, pick up your books and then off to your everloving P. E. class. With that over you run home, jump in the family car and you're off to the races — knowing that tomorrow will be the same as ever.

November Calendar  
Nov. 1: Jr. High and 7th grade football Sat. morning at 9:30 second game at 10:30 in Monahans.  
Nov. 7: C.H.S. boys play Ft. Stockton there.  
Nov. 11: Local T.S.T.A. Meeting.  
Nov. 14: C.H.S. boys play McCamey there.  
Nov. 20-21: Six Week Test.  
Nov. 27-28: Thanksgiving Holidays.

JIMMY BOX  
Jimmy Box was born in Santa Anna on January 20, 1941.

At the age of four this handsome lad moved to Crane. Jimmy has attended the Crane schools all twelve years of his school career.

SPORTS  
Jimmy rates football and golf his favorite sports, he lettered last year in football, but injuries kept him out of football for this season. He was a member of last year's golf team. He is in the Speech Club, but plans to join the Golf Club later on.

Jimmy plans on becoming a lawyer after his graduation and plans to attend the University of Texas.

He is a member of the Choir, that traveled to Dallas to the State Fair.

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# SENIOR MEN TO JUNIOR HIGH REASON: SENIOR WOMEN

(By LEONARD IVY) The Big Bopper, a student at Crane High School, gets up in the morning about 6:00 o'clock and goes out to his lamb pen to feed.

He then returns home at about 6:30 and gets ready to go to school. Big Bopper, driving a '57 black Ford, gets to school gets to school at about 8:05 and then goes and picks up The Flat Top Kat, and they return to school to ride around the junior high to look at the cute girls, which, unfortunately we don't have in High School.

The Flat Top Kat sits on the right side of the car and all the girls start turning flips when the Kat waves. These two boys are seniors of this school and the senior girls are making these boys rob the cradle.

### UNHAPPY LADS

These boys walk up and down the halls talking to themselves. They are wishing that they were just about four years younger so that they could go to school at junior high. They are about the most unhappy boys at this school.

Well they get out for dinner and hurry home for lunch. After riding around the junior

high and wishing. The junior high goes in at 12:30 and the Kat and Big Bopper sit out in front of the building looking in at the girls and wishing until the high school bell rings. High school takes up and they're back in class as unhappy as ever. This has gone on ever since school started and will probably still be going on until school is out. They make it through another day and the Bopper goes to football practice and the Kat either goes home or rides around looking for the cute little girls of junior high. This is the daily routine of these two. Poor Boys, aren't you Senior Girls ashamed.

### Five Cranes Sign Up For Armed Services

Four senior boys checked out of school September 24, to join the Army. They are Mike Phillips, Bobby Roberts, Larry Campbell and Sammy Shipman. One other Crane boy also joined, but he did not attend school. He is George Thompson.

Mike, Bobby, Larry and Sammy left Monday, September 29, for Fort Carson, Colorado. George went in unassigned and will go wherever he is sent.

# WHAT WOULD YOU DO IN ELVIS' BLUE SUEDES

95% of the boys in Crane High School cannot stand the name of Elvis Presley let alone his wonderful singing.

Now just speaking to the boys:

What would you do if you had a voice and could not sing unless you could move around a little? Like Mr. Odom says: "You cannot sing a song like people want it unless you put some feeling into it." That is what Elvis does. If the music makes him want to move around just a little bit he moves.

What would you do with all the money you receive? Wouldn't you buy the best looking house you could find in Crane? Wouldn't you buy a purple and gold Cadillac? Of course you would.

Would you mind your name up in lights or your picture in every paper you pick up? Of course you wouldn't.

Now just speaking to the girls:

Why do you pass out everytime you see him sing? Why do you miss the whole show that way. How can you say he sings divine and can sing and dance out of this world, when you are passed out on the nice clean floor?

How can anyone hear what he is singing when every girl (that is awake) is screaming her lungs out?

When our Crane High Rock and Roll singers are singing please hold the noise down. Most people can't understand what they are saying anyway and with every student screaming it surely doesn't help the matter a bit.

After one of Elvis' great shows, he is usually swamped with girls for autographs, but not only get his name but every piece of cloth they can get a hold of.

Now girls after the Great Rock and Rollers finish with their show and you want their autograph, please don't harm the merchandise.

### I Can't Sing, And Won't You Can't, But You Will

How often have you heard someone say "I can't sing or I just can't do this or that?" If you are like most of us, then you hear it many times a day in some very unusual places.

One night at a meeting here at school, we were discussing some unique methods of advertising, when the idea of singing commercials came up. Everyone seemed to like this idea and was at least willing to try.

Then one fellow member said "I'll announce, cause I can't sing," an answer came back, "You can do it as well as I can", then the I can't replied, "Yes, I know that but...". That is about all that was said 'cause everyone else laughed.

So all of you "I can't's" just remember, you can do it as well as some who at least try.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mayes were in Houston over the week end visiting their son Billy who is attending Rice Institute on a merit scholarship. Billy was graduated from Crane High School, as salutatorian, last Spring.

# THE CRANE SEIZ: FIRE DRILLS

The fire drills are to the students advantage, so co-operate with the school officials and make them worthwhile.

The Crane High School wants to thank the Crane Volunteer Fire Department for a fine exhibition given Thursday, October 10, by giving a practice fire and rescue behind the school building. One of the volunteers that helped with the rescue was Winston Freeman a senior in Crane High School.

### DETECTION

Students, be sure you attend opportunities because for each time you're absent you get two demerits and still have to make it up.

"THE CRANE" ON SALE You still have time to buy your school paper, the cost is only 50 cents a year. See a journalism student soon. Their names are listed on the bulletin board.

### IOWA TEST

Do your best on these tests they are for you, so get all you can out of them.

### DISTRICT GAMES

The conference games are beginning, so keep the boys' spirits high.

### BE FRIENDLY

Howdy week is over, but it doesn't hurt anyone to smile now and then. Try it.

### CHOIR SPIRIT

The Choir spirit this year is better than before, but it could be even better. Let's get behind them and encourage them all we can, that includes the parents also.

### CHOIR STUDENTS

Thanks for the co-operation displayed during the Dallas trip. See if you can't recruit some more boys for next year, you know how bad we need them.

### Brooks Harmon, Lawyer Featured On Program Of Permian Basin Men

The first meeting of the Permian Basin Men Teachers was held in the High School Auditorium after a meal served in the Junior High Cafeteria on October 6.

Julian Dawson from Termit is president of the meeting, Claude Arnold from Iran is vice-president, and Joe Young from Seminole is secretary-treasurer.

Brooks Harmon from Odessa was the featured speaker for the evening. He spoke on the Hale-Aiken Committee of 24, of which he is a member. Mr. Harmon was introduced by Ken Spencer, a local lawyer.

The total attendance for this meeting was 251, with men attending from Andrews, Barstow, Big Lake, Crane, Denver City, Ft. Stockton, Grandfalls, Imperia, Iran, Kermit, McCamey, Monahans, Pecos, Pyote, Rankin, Seminole, and Wink.

These meetings are a tri-yearly happening. The next meeting will be held in Denver City sometime in January, and the third and last meeting of the school year will be held in Ft. Stockton in April.

Kay Keltner, a '57 graduate is home from Tech, due to illness. She will re-enroll at mid term.

# No Horses At Crane High The Cowboys Have Their Horses Under Hoods

Students have many different ways of going to and from the house of learning.

Altogether there are some 85 vehicles brought to this school. There are about 70 cars five pickup trucks, one jeep, four motor scooters and five buses. Ford, Chevy, and Plymouth are the top three; Ford having about 23 vehicles, Chevy having about 19, and Plymouth about 10. A few other kinds of automobiles are Buick, Mercury, Oldsmobile, Pontiac and Studbaker.

There are many different types of transportation here at school, from hopped-up motor scooters to broken down hot rods. The paint jobs on some of these fancy looking creations come in many different colors, such as red, pea green, sunshine yellow, blue and black. Most students seem to like to have the insides of their autos about as red as you can get it, some just don't care what color it is. But no matter what the color, shape or size these cars do their duty (well, most of the time).

Students who think they are hot rodders need to be extra careful around the school because of the extreme heavy traffic and the small children running across the street. There hasn't been too much complaining about the way the cars are being parked so let's keep up the good work and stay on the right side of the big bosses.

Is It Flying Saucers? Or Maybe It's Soutnik Intercontinental Missile? WHIZ! SPLATTER! RIGHT IN THE HEAD! Singing comes from one direction, yelling from another, snoring from another, and giggling from yet another.

Do you wonder what this commotion could be? Well, it could be any one of many, many things that go on around school. It could be the Pep Squad or the Football boys returning from a game they won. It could be the Choir returning from a trip or even the very well-disciplined Band acting up as they very seldom ever do.

In this case, it is the Crane High School Choir returning from the Dallas trip they took October 6-8.

In the front of the bus quite a few girls and Mr. Odom had several rounds going, every one of them a different one. About halfway back, several choir members were sleeping, if you could call it that from the positions they were in. For instance, Dannes and Jerene were lying sprawled out face-down in the aisle. Jeff Henderson was sitting on one seat and had his head on someone else's shoulder across the aisle.

In several groups at the back of the bus with about four to a group, there isn't much telling what was going on. Was it studying or joking? YOU'LL NEVER KNOW, 'CAUSE THEY'LL NEVER TELL!

Did I overhear several snide remarks passed between the bus driver and a few of the passengers sitting close to the front of the bus or was that just my imagination working overtime, again?

That's just a few samples of the hilarious happenings overheard on the trip home from Dallas that I took with the Crane High School Choir!

# CHS CHOIR BLENDS VOICES WITH 3,000 MORE AT FAIR

cut bright and early Monday morning, October 6 to attend the State Fair in Dallas.

The choir arrived in Brownwood at 10:30 a.m. for an excellent meal then went on to Fort Worth. They arrived at the Park Plaza Motel around 4 p.m. where they registered and went to their rooms. After taking a cool shower and changing clothes, most of the students settled down and studied or took a swim in the pool at the motel, while others took a bus to downtown Fort Worth and window-shopped or took in a movie.

The next morning every member got up eager to attend the fair. After a long ride over the Dallas-Fort Worth Turnpike the bus pulled into the fair grounds. All members had the privilege of the fair until 1:45 when the choir sang a concert in the Hall of State. Immediately after the choir had successfully completed their concert, they rushed to the Cotton Bowl, where they practiced under the blistering sun for three hours to make the evening program a great success. The 3,000-voice choir was dismissed about 5:25, then they went to the Picnic Pavilion where they were served a meal. They had to report back to the Cotton Bowl at 7:25.

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# ARE YOU TIRED OF BACON AND EGGS - TRY THESE

By BARB WAGNON Are you tired of eating toast, bacon, and eggs for breakfast? Would you like to have something a little more pleasant than the bright yellow of a half-cooked egg glaring in your face? The solution is to cover the egg with catsup. Many people do. If you have enough courage to try it, you might find that it tastes quite different. Perhaps you wouldn't want a bright colored or like red flashing in your tired, sleepy eyes so early in the morning either. So, rummage around in the icebox. You will probably find mayonnaise, ice cream, mustard, strawberries. My, what a lovely assortment to garnish eggs with.

Oh! Don't you like eggs? The answer to your problem might be hominy grits, or better still, mustard with molasses. Chili pepper, tabasco, or just plain black pepper in the grits add a special whang and a very nice spicy taste.

Some people simply can never be satisfied. For them there is a still nicer dish. Fried bacon, orange slices, bananas and canteloupe make a beautiful and also colorful dish. Place this on a piece of buttered toast with jam and you have an exciting

The Golden Crane Choir left press box side of the bowl, while the bands formed a huge trombone and the letters 76, the song "76 Trombones". While the choir sang "This is My Country" the bands formed a map of the United States of America. Each state was in outline and Texas was filled in. The choir then sang "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You." The lights were turned out while spotlights were focused on a flag of the United States and the choir sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Then a huge display of fireworks were set off at the South end of the bowl which ended the largest and most colorful show ever given in the Cotton Bowl.

The choir got out of the bowl around 9:30 p.m. and stayed at the fair until 11 p.m. where they either lost or spent all their money.

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# Student Council Minutes For October 1 Meeting

The Student Council met on Oct. 1, in the library with Elaine Plate, president, presiding.

Jean Woodbury announced that the date for the Student Council Installation would be on Oct. 28.

Sharon Middlebrook, vice-president, reported that her committee have the list of ministers and will have a speaker for the next devotional assembly.

As C. E. Curry will not attend college this year, the Council voted to give the Scholarship fund to Butch Freeman who was runner up.

Penny Hill and Nancy Webb were appointed as a committee to send cards to students who are ill. The Council voted to send cards to student council members also instead of flowers.

Jeff Henderson, finance chairman, reported that \$41.24 was made on sale of programs at the last ballgame.

Student Council's gavel was lost so Gene Griffin was appointed to have another one made.

# GULF LEASE ROADS PROVE DANGEROUS

One Sunday afternoon a Senior girl went to visit her friend in one of the camps north of town. She took an oil field road to avoid the traffic on the highway.

She was traveling at a fairly high rate of speed (a bit too fast) when all of a sudden she slammed on the brakes. A cow was walking across the road and received a slight jolt from the car but continued on its way. The car remained unharmed.

The morale of this story is to remember that when you travel on oil field roads you travel at your own risk.

Names were not mentioned in order to protect the guilty.

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# Work On Bethune School Coming Along Smoothly

Brady Nix announced that progress on the Bethune school is coming along very smoothly.

The foundation, floors and approximately half of the walls are completed. The construction work consists of the addition of two classrooms and one large shop room.

The work should be finished by mid-term, Mr. Nix announced Friday.

# UNUSUAL EXPERIENCES HAPPEN ON SCHOOL BUS

Do you ride a bus to school? If you don't you don't know what you are missing.

It never fails that the passengers who get off first sit at the back of the bus. Someone always manages to get up in front of those trying to get off.

Last week several Junior High boys took their P.E. socks home. They stuffed all their socks into one sock which they used to hit the nearby person in the head. Darrell Warren, bus driver quickly put a stop to their act.

On a Friday morning recently Linda Cannon found that she could sell a rah-rah card to Alice Burns. It so happened that Alice was sitting at the front of the bus and Linda was sitting at the back. The situation involved passing the card to Alice and the dime to Linda by a number of hands. The dime was dropped once (just before it reached Linda) but was found.

Every once in a while someone gets the idea that it is fun to push the person sitting next to the aisle into the floor. This is usually done when a favor

able corner is turned.

Since no specific place is provided for the band instruments which are taken to and from the band hall they are piled by the door of the bus. This sometimes makes it inconvenient for persons trying to get on or off the bus.

Several seats have been broken because of carelessness on the part of a few riders. One seat in particular makes it uncomfortable for those who sit in it or the one directly behind it.

If you think that riding the bus is all 'peaches and cream' that's where you are wrong. In the winter on the coldest day of the year the heaters quit working and the cold wind comes in around the windows.

On hot days when all the windows are down as far as they will go it is your tough luck if you don't want your hair to blow and you don't have a headscarf.

It is quite an experience to ride a bus to school, especially if you ride it for eleven years.

# STUDENTS FOR STUDY HALL TEACHERS AGAINST THEM

Do you think we should have study halls in Crane High School?

LANELL VAN ZANDT: Yes, I do. I get my lesson in study hall. I also learn the daily gossip.

GINGER TOLER: I like them. I like to talk.

PAUL LIVELY: I like them. NEWT IVY: Yes I do, if there are cute girls in them.

JIMMY BOX: Yes I do. It give the journalism students a class to get out-of.

DON BARDIN: Yes it gives me time to flirt with the cute girls.

PAUL PATTERSON: No the good students study anyway and the poor students won't study.

GEORGE GROUNDS: No because the majority of the students use them improperly anyway.

JOYCE WOODY: Yes, so I can play tennis.

GLORIA ROGERS: I think they are real nice.

JOHNNY GRIFFIN: Yes, it is a good rest period.

SHARRON MIDDLEBROOK: Yes, so I can get my lessons.

SANDY WARD: Yes, just 'cause.

EMILY IRL BUTLER (Flat Top Cat): Yea man they're cool.

RANDY MASSEY: Yea, I guess so. There is nothing else to do. RIGHT?

LARRY CAMPBELL: Yes, I like to go to the library.

BOB ROBERTS: Yes they're ok but I won't ever see one.

FARRELL HOGG: Usually the people that are in study hall don't use them to advantage and if the people really wanted to study they will have another time to do it out of school.

MARTHA JOYCE: Yes, if we don't have them I wouldn't have any place to go and talk.

BARBARA WAGNON: Yes, I want study halls.



The Junior High Pep Squad has yelled the Junior Cranes to victory several times this year. Left to right are the heads, Connie Cook, Katy Wilkinson and Katherine Cook. The last triumph they shouted out was against Fort Stockton 34-14.

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