

# Chillicothe Valley News

CHILICOTHE, HARDEMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 3, 1935

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## COMMUNITY BUILDING'S CONSIDERED HERE

### "THE NEWS" SUBSCRIPTION LIST IN BEST SHAPE FOR MANY YEARS

**BEVERAGE—IF IT BE COFFEE ENJOYED HERE**

Citizens Imbibe Freely in Drink Furnished by South America

Chillicothe for all its "dryness" in so far as intoxicating liquor is concerned has its beverage, and it is revealed there are quite a number of addicts.

How many cups of coffee per week do you think is consumed by Chillicotheans? Then, multiply for the month, or four weeks, and you will understand why the south American countries are recovering rapidly from the depression, and why North Americans are still in the throes of solving the problem.

But, to go on with the main subject, it is found there are approximately 30 pounds of coffee used each week at Chillicothe restaurants, which usually makes about 30 cups to the pound. Thirty cups of coffee times the 50 pounds gives an answer of 1,500. Therefore, 1,500 people in Chillicothe together with a few transients, consume that much in one week. For the month—well, figures show 4,000 cups of coffee are drunk in that period of time.

Figured on the basis of five cents per cup shows local restaurants receive \$75.00 per week, or \$300.00 for the month.

### NEW YEAR GETS GREAT WELCOME IN CHILICOTHE

Fireworks Display, Sounding of Whistles, Other Noises Mark Beginning

Chillicothe celebrated in a big way Monday night the ending of the old year of 1934, and remained awake until after the twelve o'clock hour that night to welcome a brand new year with shooting of fireworks and the sounding of whistles.

Not for several years past has there been such a demonstration, and all have taken on new hope as their dreams in a large measure faded during the old year. But that is the way—every year—the belief that times will be better, and sorrows less; that with the ending of the old year all the past is to be dropped into history.

Therefore, with the coming of 1935 Chillicothe citizens are energized full steam ahead. Prospects are more favorable for a wheat crop, and with additional moisture, it is felt a fairly good yield will be the result. Moreover hopes are held high for a good yield in cotton, and this too, hinges on moisture, but Chillicothe people believe they have been overlooked long enough by the gentleman, Mr. Jupiter Pluvius, and that he will be more friendly. Should this prove true, then agriculture in the Chillicothe valley will prove beneficial.

**School Is Resumed**  
Mrs. Lee Womack, one of the instructors in the Center Point school, announced school was resumed Wednesday, following the Christmas holidays.

**Davis Ill Last Week**  
J. Early Davis was confined to his home all last week with illness. His condition has improved sufficiently, however, for him to return to work at the store.

Matt Davis and family were visitors in Vernon Sunday.

Hundreds of New and Renewals Listed; Value of Paper Realized

### GOES INTO MANY HOMES OF AREA

Is Dominant Factor in Bringing People to City to Do Their Buying

In spite of the low cotton yield in the Chillicothe area this last season, a check-up of the subscription list of the Valley News reveals the best paid-in-advance line-up had in the last five or six years.

Throughout last Fall there were many new names added along with renewals, and this has continued up to date, thus making a good list of readers. Moreover, the most important feature is, especially during times faced this past year when money was scarce readers of the Valley News want the paper or else they would not pay for it. To want it is to read it, and therein lies the advantage of a paid subscription list compared to free distribution.

As a result The News begins the New Year of 1935 with a coverage of the local community in a very satisfactory way, although 100 per cent circulation is the goal.

The management of The News, therefore, would remind Chillicothe merchants that this is an opportunity year for business-getting, and The News, as the official Chillicothe mouthpiece, carries your message into the homes of its readers where a close reading is given. Your local newspaper is one of the best—and for the size town—is claimed as the best in the state. Whether the average business man of Chillicothe appreciates that fact is not known, but it is a fact in every sense of the word. No newspaper in Texas works harder to bring people to their town as does The Chillicothe Valley News, and as a consequence, the Chillicothe business houses should support it as much as they possibly can.

Chillicothe stores should cooperate, and while the following is published in a humorous way, it still carries a meaning no one should forget.

Two old mules—now get this done. Were tied together with a piece of rope.

Said one to the other, "You come my way."

While I take a nibble of this new mown hay."

"I won't," said the other, "you (Continued on Page Eight)

### GENERAL CLEANUP OF CITY IS URGED

Public Asked to Place Old Cans and Rubbish in Alleys

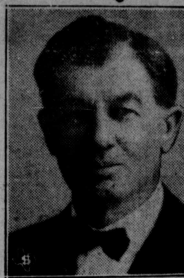
In order that a general cleanup of the city may be carried out Mayor W. L. Ledbetter, speaking aid from the residents, urges that all old cans and rubbish be placed in the alley between now and Monday, as the city trucks will be used for hauling the waste matter on Monday and Tuesday.

### DEMONSTRATION WILL BE GIVEN

January 10-11-12 Dates for Showing Avery Implement Line

John S. Hayhurst, manager of the Chillicothe Farmers Co-Operative Association, announces there will be an Avery implement demonstration at the store three days. (Continued on Page Eight)

### Texan Honored



Dean J. Thomas Davis of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, Texas, was elected vice-president of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools at the recent convention of the association in Atlanta, Ga. (Texas News Photos.)

### TAX EXEMPTION PAPERS HELD AT OFFICE OF AGENT

Final Notice Given—May Be Returned to State Allotment Board

Unless the following persons call for their tax-exemption certificates this week the certificates must be sent back to the state allotment board. This is the final notice, declared the county agent, J. C. Byers, G. W. Radford, Mrs. J. B. Farrington, Roy E. Barnes, Hiram Insalls, Roy E. Eter, S. E. Draper, Horace Woods, W. M. Morris, A. W. Ratliff, Mrs. G. H. Alexander, Zara Molten, A. F. Somer, J. Claiborne, E. C. Weeks, C. F. Taylor, Brown Harwell, Mrs. W. F. Dickey, Joe Pickens, Jim Alford, J. E. Kearley, F. D. Clisbee and W. B. Johnson.

### PRECIPITATION IS VERY LIGHT

Four Hundredths of Inch Is Recorded at Station for December

The following is a summary of the weather conditions prevailing during the month of December, 1934, at Chillicothe, as recorded at the Experiment Station.

Maximum temperature, 74 degrees; minimum temperature, 20 degrees; mean temperature, 45.6 degrees; normal mean temperature for December, 41.3 degrees; departure from normal, 4.3 degrees.

Mean relative humidity, 65.2 percent; normal mean relative humidity for December, 69.1 percent; departure from normal, -3.9 percent.

Total evaporation, 2,672 inches; normal evaporation for December, 1,786 inches; departure from normal, plus 886 inches.

Total wind movement, 5320 miles; normal wind movement for December, 4531 miles; departure from normal, plus 789 miles.

Number of clear days, 22.

Number of partly cloudy days, 5; number of cloudy days, 4.

Total precipitation, .04 inches; normal precipitation for December, 1.21 inches; departure from normal, -1.17 inches.

Total precipitation for the whole calendar year, 22.27 inches; normal precipitation for the year, 25.00 inches; departure from normal, -2.73 inches.

L. W. Wefer, living north of Chillicothe, was a visitor in Chillicothe Monday, and asserted he had a mighty fine Christmas. In answer to that ever inquiring Charley Rutledge, said he would have his friends out next Christmas, which was what Charley wanted him to say so long as he was included.

### CONTRACT LET FOR HARDEMAN HOSPITAL BLDG.

Bid of \$46,775 Let to Hair Construction Company, Wichita Falls

### GOVERNMENT TO LOAN \$80,000.00

Hardeman County Bonds to Be Sold to Protect Amount to Be Borrowed

General contract for the construction of the Hardeman county \$80,000 hospital has been awarded to the J. L. Hair Construction Company of Wichita Falls. The building is a Federal project.

A bid of \$46,775 won the contract for the Wichita Falls concern. Two other contracts were also approved by the commissioners court, meeting in a special session, and announced the contract for plumbing and heating goes to J. D. Villyard Plumbing Company of Quanah, the bid being \$9,251.20, while the other, erection of the elevator, was awarded to the Otis Elevator Company with a bid of \$3,807.00.

The court acted unanimously on these contracts following the recommendation of Veeleker & Dixon, Inc., architects, who had made a preliminary examination of the bids.

One wiring bid was rejected because it was not accompanied by sufficient bond. A bid by an electric shop was also rejected as being excessive.

The commissioners court authorized County Judge Magee to sign the loan and grant agreement whereby the government, through the Federal emergency administration of public works, will extend \$80,000 credit to the county for the hospital building. As a protective measure for the loan Hardeman county is to issue bonds.

**Weds Couple at Merkel**  
Rev. and Mrs. Ira L. Parraek returned to the city Tuesday evening from Merkel where the minister had been called to perform a wedding, the couple being R. A. McCollum, superintendent of the Textline schools, and Miss Alva Wheeler, who for the past five years has been an instructor in the Roscoe schools. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents in Merkel, long-time residents of that city.

**Were Here Tuesday**  
Rev. G. S. Hardy, former pastor of the First Methodist Church here, and his son-in-law, M. R. Allensworth, one time cashier of the Bank of Chillicothe were in the city Tuesday meeting their many friends. They reside in Clarendon. Rev. Hardy stated Clarendon was quite new after the holidays.

### THIEVES ROB GIN OF COTTON SEED

Farmers Co-Operative Loses Approximately Ton Last Night

Thieves broke into the Farmers Co-Operative Gin Wednesday evening and took away approximately one ton of cotton seed, Sheriff Mack Wilson declared this morning.

He came to Chillicothe in company with Deputy Sheriff M. C. Owens, and also Garrett Hawkins, former sheriff, to investigate.

**Ill In Hospital**  
Mrs. McSpadden, mother of Mrs. Earl Green, who resides in the King High community, is quite ill in a Wichita Falls hospital. Mrs. Green is now at the bedside, and Mr. Green plans to go there Saturday.

### FIVE NEW ONES TO ASSUME WORK COUNTY OFFICES

Judge, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, Clerk, Attorney, Affected

### TWO OFFICES ARE CONSOLIDATED

Jack Brazil to Handle Work of Both Collector and Assessor

Five new faces will be on hand to welcome you in the county court house with the change taking place this month in the different offices, and this is caused by the fact the voters decided to make changes in the offices of the county judge, treasurer, attorney, county superintendent and clerk.

O. L. (Lark) Bell, who for the past two terms has served as county attorney relinquishes this office to Jean Rogers, while Bell goes downstairs to the county judge's office, taking the place held by Joe Magee, I. R. (Irl) Hollingsworth, who has been connected with the Chaney Chevrolet Company in Quanah, tired of selling automobiles, decided to run for the office of county clerk, coming out victorious over the incumbent, John D. Mahoney, long-time in Hardeman county politics. Rev. P. P. Lewis, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of Quanah, outscored his opponents to be elected as Hardeman county's superintendent of schools. He is a former school teacher, well acquainted with rural conditions.

He succeeds the former Miss Myrtle Porterfield. Mrs. Daisy Scarborough takes over the office of county treasurer, succeeding Mrs. Barton Williams. Jack Brazil was unopposed in the 1934 election. However, he takes an additional work with the consolidation of two offices, tax collector and tax assessor. O. C. (Red) Christie, who has served for the past two terms as assessor, has found other connections by being elevated to a state job for the Young Democratic organization, and as a consequence Christie will leave the county.

In the local precinct J. Luther Potts remains as the commissioner, as does M. J. Brock as weigher, while Jake Lowe, unopposed until the last minute for re-election as constable, continues as a result of winning over his opponent.

### Attends Funeral

Joe Meharg was called to Wichita Falls Wednesday where he served as an honorary pall bearer at the funeral service for E. H. Ramey, 61, who died in a Wichita Falls hospital Tuesday morning. Mr. Ramey was supervisor and appraiser for the Federal Land Bank at Houston.

### LEGION TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

All Ex-Service Men With Adjusted Certificates Urged To Attend

All ex-service men now holding their adjusted insurance service certificates, are asked to be in attendance at the meeting set for next Monday night, January 7, at the American Legion Hall, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Important matters in reference to the certificates will be discussed, and the desires of ex-service men explained.

### Here for Holidays

Ernest Cabe, Jr., an instructor in the Pampa city schools, has been here during the Christmas holidays visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cabe, on East Worsham.

### KENNEDY BUYS BURRO 'STEAD OF COLT MULE

Unaware of What Had Been Done, However, Until Next Morning

"This is a story about a trade completed between C. C. Acton and Gene Kennedy.

According to reports Kennedy was in the market for a mule, or rather a colt. Acton learned about it and decided he had just what Kennedy ought to have, and thereupon hauled it to town. It was dark when he reached the city. However, he sought out Kennedy and advised him he had just what he was looking for. Anxious, Kennedy rushed immediately to a truck that had transported the "mule" to town. He glanced inside of the truck and saw the "mule" was about the size desired. Asked the price, was told, and then said, "Okeh, carry him down to the lot—because Friend Acton you have made a trade and there's no backing out."

Acton did as requested. The next morning Kennedy could hardly wait until he had (Continued on Page Eight)

### OFFICERS FOR CANTON II TO BE NAMED HERE

Session to Be Held at Local Hall of I. O. O. F. January 17

Annual election of officers for the Canton No. 11, I. O. O. F., embracing Hardeman, Wilbarger, and Foard counties, is expected to be held in this city January 17, it was decided at the annual inspection in Vernon last Thursday night.

At the Vernon meeting C. H. Hayes, captain, was inspecting officers and was assisted by J. T. Martin and B. F. Johnson. All are from Canton No. 16, Wichita Falls.

Election of state department officers, with W. R. Francis, Dallas, as commander, A. L. Honeycutt, Chillicothe, Colonel of the Second Battalion, and O. C. Blanton as Lieutenant Colonel of the Second Battalion, was featured.

Out-of-town visitors were A. L. Honeycutt of Chillicothe; W. M. Owens, and O. K. Buckholt, of Quanah.

### Red Fork Baptist Missionary Union Meets In Paducah

Woman's Missionary Union of the Red Fork Baptist Association, will meet in Paducah Wednesday, January 9. The quarterly session will be held from 10 to 12 o'clock. Beginning at 1 o'clock the following program will be rendered: Theme: "The Banner of the Cross."

Devotional: Mrs. E. B. Caskey. "Lifting the Banner Through Missions," Mrs. C. Sammarjian. Vocal Duet: Mesdames R. L. Smith and H. A. Dilman. "Lifting the Banner Through Benevolence," Mrs. W. O. Neal. Music: Mrs. J. E. Woodbright. "Lifting the Banner Through Education," Mrs. T. D. Frizzell. History of W. M. U. song: Mrs. Marvin Estes.

Members of the association are earnestly urged to be in attendance at the quarterly meeting.

**Leaves Chillicothe**  
R. C. Lovelace, who has been connected with the Continental Oil Station on East Worsham Street, has been transferred to Paducah where he has been placed in charge of the company's station there. He left Saturday. However, his family will not follow him until later.

**Miss Edna Nelson**, who has been in Dallas for the past two months, was here on New Year day for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Maudie Nelson.

### PLANS OUTLINED HOW STRUCTURE MAY BE SECURED

Carl Walters, Construction Consultant of Austin, Here Last Week

### C-C DIRECTORS TO MEET FRIDAY

Plans to be Outlined Before Members and Discussion Will be Had

Carl Walters, construction consultant of the rural rehabilitation division, with headquarters in Austin, was in Chillicothe last week and met with the works committee of the

of commerce as to how to carry out a rural work plan, and any purp might be had. A bo have The the be cham morn plan ter w be p of t' con pur im m' f'at test

greatly handicapped in the future," one of the chamber of commerce officials, declared.

### DIVISION OF PARITY PLAN IS EXPLAINED

Share Cropper Due Portion of Cotton Grown on Entire Farm in 1934

The proportion of the cotton parity payment due to the share cropper or share tenant on farms covered by cotton acreage reduction contracts in 1934 is that portion which his share in the acreage grown to cotton last year by him bears to the total acreage permitted to be grown to cotton on the whole farm under the terms of the 1934 and 1935 reduction contract, according to information received here from Washington by F. E. Lichte, Senior Administrative Assistant, Cotton Production Section, Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Parity payment checks are being mailed out to farm demonstration agents direct from Washington at the rate of 20,000 per day and will be distributed by them to the producers as soon as proper forms for receipts are received from Washington, Mr. Lichte said.

When the landlords receive these parity payment checks they sign an agreement which covers distribution to share croppers and tenants. They also agree to report within 30 days the distribution of the parity payment, including signatures of tenants and share croppers who were entitled to a share of the payment. Instructions on procedure are included in the forms which are provided at the time of delivery of the check.

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### THAT THIRTY-FOUR HOUR WEEK

Though a thirty-four working week was  
thought of before the coming of the NRA,  
attention has been given to it, how-  
ever, and today it begins to look as if  
the country will adopt thirty hours as a  
norm. It is presumed to add more em-  
ployment and thus relieve the unemployed sit-  
uation.

Thirty-four hours and then forty hours has  
been given a trial and worked satisfactory so  
that a fair level on a thirty-hour basis. It  
is fought by employers, however, be-  
cause it will reduce excessive profits. Presi-  
dent Roosevelt is said to favor this as a  
norm working week. Because Mr. Roose-  
velt encourages the plan it is believed more  
by proponents that it will go  
thru.

### JOBS FOR ALL

When Congress convenes one of the first  
things will be to ask that all "unemployables",  
numbering between 3,500,000 and 4,000,000,  
be put on the relief rolls to work. However it  
is expected there will be some elasticity in  
the request, which will allow private business  
to take the job-creating task as can be as-  
sured. The jobs will be created on projects  
funded in whole or part by the Federal  
Government.

It is a situation, say the least, of which  
no one enjoys, and yet cannot turn  
back. To pay these "unemployables" the Govern-  
ment must raise money through taxation,  
and go to have more taxes to pay, and  
something else must be done. We need  
rumble and argue. We may not like it,  
but that's beside the question. People, men  
and families who have been unable to work,  
must be on charity or else put to  
work. The latter is the wise thing.

It brings to mind that act of spending  
money. Already we have exceeded past ad-  
vances in going to spend more  
money. One of the projects in mind,  
worthy one, is the removal of grade  
crossings. This program should have been  
completed sooner. \$500,000,000 is the sum  
needed and it will take a long  
time to complete, thus keeping workmen  
earning money, feeding their families.  
Fruits of their labor, the money being  
used for necessities of life from their home-  
merchants. And the merchants, helped  
by manufacturers, thereby, once  
the ball is in motion, should be kept  
going for quite a time.

As just grin as we are forced to dig  
into our pockets, because every time  
it is to help some other less fortunate.

### LET'S GO FORWARD

Only because conditions in the Chillicothe  
area, and these conditions brought on  
through low agriculture production,  
be no reason why we should halt in  
our effort, earnestly striving to work for one  
another, to bring to this community better  
in life.

Get what you work for, and without  
you are doomed to failure. It is so with  
the getting of business for your store,  
the going industries to a town, where a  
business is assured the year round. Here, we  
depend solely on agriculture. In bad  
years we feel the effects more greatly. It  
is quicker. Having faced the poorest year  
of agriculture yield for many years, and  
through it, the lesson should have  
been learned on all of us that we must im-  
mediately start doing something that will insure  
annual returns during every month of  
the year, and not for a short time in the  
year, or three or four months during the  
part of a year.

Chillicothe merchants should not, in con-  
junction to another, complain of conditions,  
argue we are worse off now than ever  
before, and that we have yet to face the  
part. That don't set well with anyone,  
though it be known by him. Instead of  
complaining about business this same mer-  
chant should be in the throes of a fight for  
business—and there is always a little  
business to be had if you will go and  
not wait for it to come.

Chillicothe is not the biggest town in the  
area, nor is it the smallest. We have enough  
business men here, without a weak  
column, who are going to continue to  
fight for their town, to cooperate to make  
Chillicothe a better town, and a better town  
to live with business. Consequently, we are  
going to lose good time complaining about  
times. That time along with the other  
things to be well spent—we are going out  
to business to make Chillicothe better and  
stronger.

New Year's is a good time to start.

### CONFIDENCE—THE MISSING ELEMENT

Twelve months ago the American people  
entered a New Year. They entered it with  
the profound hope that it would witness in-  
dustrial recovery, that it would prove the  
success or failure of the governmental ex-  
periments that were inaugurated in 1932,  
that the great problems of unemployment,  
declining purchasing power, distressed agri-  
culture, and uncertainty on the part of prop-  
erty-owners, investors and industrial leaders  
would be, to at least some extent, solved.  
They hoped the year might be the turning  
point of the long period of depression—that  
it would show where we were going.

The greatest experimental twelve months  
in the history of our nation has ended and  
another New Year looms. During the past  
year there has been progress in some direc-  
tions—there has been retrogression in oth-  
ers. Some businesses have been stimulated,  
some have sunk deeper into lethargy. Whether  
there has been any increase in regular em-  
ployment is questionable. During the current  
winter close to 21,000,000 are being sustained  
by organized public relief. Reports from  
fact-gathering organizations show that those  
industries which sell perishable goods to the  
consumer—shoes, packaged foods, clothing,  
fuel and so on—are doing better than at any  
time since depression. But the reports like-  
wise show that our basic industries—those  
which employ the bulk of labor in normal  
times and represent the greatest amount of  
invested capital—are either static or are  
sinking back toward the abyssal levels of  
1932. In some instances, industries are do-  
ing a greater volume of business—but, due  
to higher taxes and legislated increases in  
operating costs, are earning less profit,  
which results in growing hardships on mil-  
lions of investors who depend on earnings  
from savings for living expenses.

The most difficult aspect of the recovery  
problem is this: There can be no recovery  
without CONFIDENCE, and as yet uncer-  
tainty, not confidence, remains uppermost in  
the minds of millions. People who have  
money that would ordinarily be invested in  
industrial undertakings, who would create  
jobs, buy supplies, build homes and stores  
and factories and develop farms, are frankly  
afraid. They are afraid that their capital will  
be taxed out of existence, or regulated out of  
existence, or condemned by legislative fiat,  
or destroyed by governmental competition  
with industries in which they might place it.

The element of fear extends down from  
the largest industries and affects the whole  
industrial structure. The railroads and util-  
ities, for example, face, on the one hand, the  
very definite problem of reduced business,  
rising taxes and diminishing earnings, while  
on the other hand they are threatened with  
the potentiality of government ownership.  
Under such conditions, who can be expected  
to invest money freely and without fear, to  
develop industries and bring back payrolls  
to normal levels?

The security of banks, insurance compan-  
ies and similar institutions is absolutely de-  
pendent upon the security of basic American  
industries, in which their depositors' and  
policyholders' money is invested. Anything  
which strikes at the welfare of basic indus-  
tries strikes immediately at their welfare—  
and therefore at the welfare of every person  
who has a dollar in the bank or is the owner  
of an insurance policy.

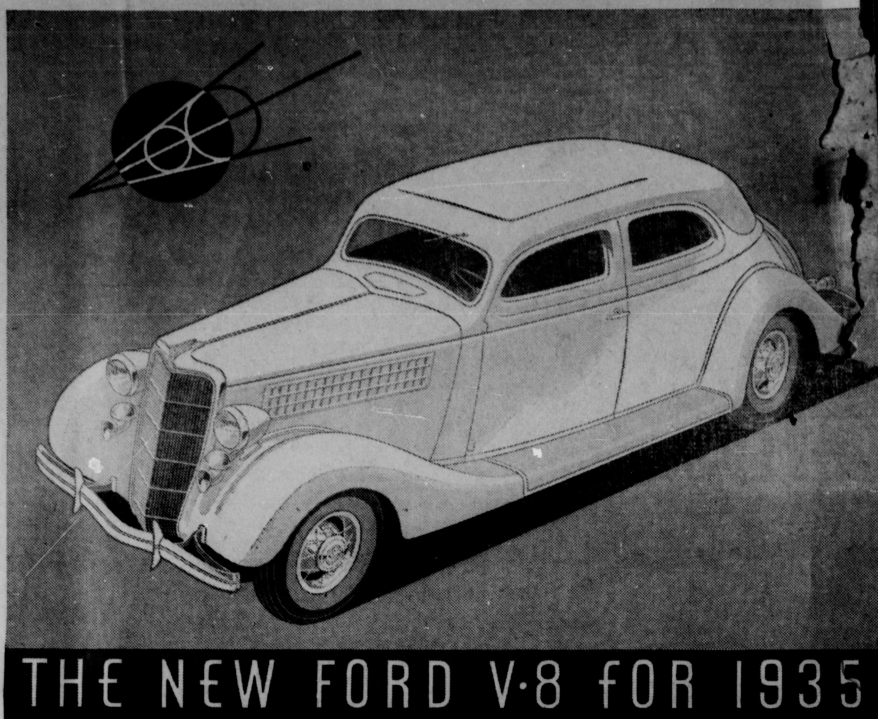
To blame these conditions on a man, a  
party, or a group would be unjust. National  
distress naturally breeds experiment—the  
need for alleviation is so great that it seems  
as if anything were worth trying. But a great  
responsibility falls upon those given high  
public office in such times—namely the re-  
sponsibility of protecting our constitutional  
rights and privileges. There can be no greater  
duty, and no more necessary public task.  
If mistakes are made, they will be forgiven  
—but they should be corrected, not contin-  
ued.

There are signs that this is being done  
now—signs pointing to a rapprochement  
between political and industrial leaders. If  
these groups honestly seek to cooperate to  
iron out misunderstandings and differences,  
our nation will make real progress toward  
recovery—we will regain the priceless ingre-  
dient of good times, CONFIDENCE. Let it  
once be known that investments will be en-  
couraged and protected by government, that  
the honest business has nothing to fear from  
political influences, that savings will be held  
inviolate by those trusted with the manage-  
ment of our national affairs, that private  
property rights will be held sacred, and the  
road to prosperity will stretch clearly ahead.

There should be no despair on the part of  
the people. Our land is still fertile. Our in-  
dustries are still great. Our intellectual ab-  
ilities have been increased by the ordeal of  
depression. Only that intangible element—  
CONFIDENCE, based on the knowledge that  
our constitutional ideals will be maintained,  
not destroyed—is needed now.

Trying to cover up your sins beneath a religious  
appearance confuses all but one.

Husband may complain life is terrible on this  
earth, but think what it will be in the hereafter.



## THE NEW FORD V-8 FOR 1935

The New Ford V-8 for 1935 is  
the biggest and roomiest Ford  
car ever built. It is a strik-  
ingly handsome car, with mod-  
ern lines and new, luxurious  
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WHAT FARM FOLKS ARE NOW DOING

Timely Tips on What Farm- or Folks are Doing in Texas

Midland: A sport coat has been made from a white woolen blanket at a cost of 80 cents by Mrs. H. Gwyn, former wardrobe demonstrator of the Busy Bee Home Demonstration Club in Midland county, according to Mrs. Myrtle Miller, home demonstration agent. Two packages of dye and one of brown were used, and hand carved buttons made from an old table leg completed the coat.

The sport coat, another coat, and a suit made from two discarded woolen suits were valued at \$50 by a local saleswoman. The cost to Mrs. Gwyn was \$3.15 for dye, thread, buttons for the suit, and pressing.

Wharton: Ten Indian currant plants from "just over the fence" have been transplanted to the base of the home of Pauline Villaseal of Wharton county as a part of her work as yard improvement demonstrator for the Macay 4-H club. Pauline worked out the plan for her yard with the help of Miss Madeline Reector, home demonstration agent. Hedges are to be used to make the borders of the yard and to screen the outbuildings. A cutting bed is to be started to grow some plants that she does not have, and all rose bushes will be planted in a rose garden.

Ranahandle: Twenty-four cans of peas were exchanged for 24 cans of spinach by Mrs. E. Matshell of Carson county in order to complete the required amount of leafy vegetables for her pantry, according to Miss Dalton Burleson, home demonstration agent. Although Mrs. Hatchell lives in an old camp, she has a garden which has furnished vegetables for canning and for sale. From her 15 by 50 foot strawberry patch she gathered 177 quarts of fresh strawberries of which she canned 65 quarts. Mrs. Hatchell had 344 containers of food left over from last year, making a total of 637 quarts in her pantry this year.

Refugio: After feeding ensilage from a trench silo to his dairy cows for two weeks, Raymond Gillespie, Refugio county dairyman, is a firm believer in trench silos, according to L. A. Wells, farm demonstration agent. Mr. Gillespie reports that his cows have increased about 25 percent in milk production, and that from now on his feed will always go into a trench silo instead of being stacked out in the weather as in the past.

Jefferson: Fifteen bushels of corn to the acre were produced on the terraced farm of W. F. Fowler of Marion county this year, while about five bushels of nubbins per acre were produced on unterraced land on adjoining farms, according to John H. Erickson, farm demonstration agent. The Fowler farm was terraced soon after it was put under cultivation, and as it is a rather steep hillside farm the terraces are placed about 80 feet apart. While the farm is small, it is one of many on which terracing proved its real value to Marion county farmers this year, Erickson says.

Lubbock: A flock of 225 white leghorn hens belonging to Ernest Shelly, Lubbock county 4-H club boy, made a net profit of \$258.70 in 1934, according to R. N. McElain, farm demonstration agent. Young Shelly sold 1944 dozen eggs for \$313.67 and broilers and fryers amounting to \$33. He has learned through experience that he can mix his own feed according to recommendations from the farm demonstration agent. He has kept improved poultry and brooder records and reports that he is going to make a real record with his flock this year.

Former Resident Is Seriously Ill

Dave Williams, son of John Williams, former Chillicothe resident, and at one time operated a grocery store here, is confined in the Legion hospital at Leagin, Texas, seriously ill with pneumonia. Late reports are that he is slowly improving.

W. J. Stevens was a business visitor in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Holloway, formerly of this city, were visiting friends here over the weekend. They reside in Petersburg.

BUILDERS OF TEXAS

(IN THE AGRICULTURAL, AMUSEMENT, EDUCATIONAL, FINANCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, POLITICAL, PROFESSIONAL, AND RELIGIOUS FIELDS)

Portrait of Bruce Carter with various biographical text boxes. Text includes: 'BORN ON TOBACCO PLANTATION SPRINGFIELD, TENN. IN 1892 MOVED TO TEXAS IN 1905 BOYHOOD JOBS—BOOTBLACK TO MESSENGER BOY TO R. R. CALL BOY TO R. R. BRAKEMAN.', 'IN 1912 WAS STEEL WORKERS HELPER ON CONSTRUCTION OF SOUTH'S LARGEST AND FINEST HOTEL, THE RICE, WHICH HE NOW MANAGES.', 'STARTED AS BELL BOY AT RICE HOTEL WITH COLLEGE DIPLOMA IN ONE HAND AND ICE BUCKET IN THE OTHER BECAME 1ST LIEUTENANT IN INFANTRY DURING WORLD WAR RETURNED TO RICE AND ADVANCED TO BUYER, SERVICE SUPERVISOR, PURCHASING AGENT, ASST. MANAGER.', 'REWARDED FOR HIS EFFORTS—BECAME MANAGER OF LAMAR HOTEL, EQUIPPED AND OPENED THREE OF HOUSTON'S PRINCIPAL HOTELS.', 'WAS GIVEN MANAGEMENT OF THE LOOD ROOM RICE, "HOST OF THE SOUTHLAND" IN 1933.', 'J.C. LEWIS', '©1934 HARPER FEATURES'

BRAND NEW YEAR AND WITH IT LIONS CLUB MEMBERS MAKE NEW RESOLUTIONS

CATTLE DYING NEAR PADUCAH

Lack of Pasturage and No Funds to Buy Feed Said to Be Cause

Those conditions have reached a serious stage in the Paducah territory is related by two local men on their return from a hunting trip in that vicinity, saying they saw cattle that were slowly dying from starvation. "One particular instance was when we saw four or five head of cattle that were too weak to stand, and were nearly dead. Lack of pasturage, lack of funds on the part of the cattlemen to buy feed, is the reason for this terrible condition," one of the men said. And yet, the Paducah section is not the only one affected because of drought. The plains section as well as in the Southwestern part of Oklahoma, which is closer to Chillicothe, reveals a condition that is causing considerable alarm.

LET US NOT BE FORGOTTEN

(By Theoda Hart Stackhouse) Let us not be forgotten, we who wait Sad-eyed and wistful, chained to a lonely bed. Exiles from life by this mad Jest of Fate, Weary with lost dreams, we the living-dead. Send us then some small token, only say We are remembered, that somewhere hearts still yearn At our long absence, as day by weary day Grow into months and years ere we return. We will fight on then smiling, knowing life. If we be not forgotten in the end Is worth the lonely hours of pain and strife. While love abides, and we have yet a friend.

For the past two years Miss Stackhouse has been a shut-in. Her case is typical of thousands of tuberculosis patients who are "taking the cure" in hundreds of sanitarium today. She had tuberculosis as a child, but had almost forgotten the experience in the excitement of acquiring an education, the hectic rush of newspaper work, and the absorption of writing fiction. She was well launched as a writer when a second breakdown forced her to enter a sanitarium in her native state of Oregon. Her medical history illustrates why tuberculosis associations, with the help of Christmas seals, strive to impress upon the public: "Protect children from tuberculosis."

Clyde Fincher, a member of the San Benito school faculty, has been here for a visit with relatives.

Life of Editor In Texas As Far Back As 1870!

The following tells a graphic story of what use to face a Texas newspaper man. In some respects it still holds true. It was written in 1870 by an unknown: "For the benefit of those who think the pathway of an editor is covered with roses and they have nothing to disturb their slumbers, no cares to break the silver flow of their life's gentle river: Being asked to drink 13,399 times Drank 13,399 " Requested to retract 416 " Didn't retract 416 " Invited to parties and receptions by parties fishing for a puff 3,333 " Took the hint 23 " Didn't take the hint 3,300 " Threatened to be whipped 174 " Been whipped 0 " Whipped the other fellow 4 " Didn't come to time 170 " Been promised whiskey, sin, etc., if he would go after them 5,610 " Been after them 5,160 " Been asked what's the news 300,000 " Told 23 " Didn't know 200,000 " Lied about it 99,977 " Been to church 2 " Changed politics 32 " Expected to change again 50 " Gave to charity \$5.00 " Gave for a terrier dog \$25.00 " Cash in pocket \$1.00

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wofford of Abilene are here for a visit with relatives.

CLASSIFIED ADS

NOTICE: Please advise your friends the young mule's not for sale. Gene Kennedy. 23-1tc

FOR RENT: Two, two room furnished apartments. Close in. Very reasonable. See Mrs. B. M. Gentry 22-2tc.

FOR SALE: Bundle feed, or will trade for one-room shack. E. L. Kiesling, 2 miles southeast of Chillicothe on Route 2. 23-1tp

BUYERS of Household Goods are Quickly Found With a Want Ad.



Edson W. Waite, publisher of The Claremore (Okla.) Progress says: "I have unbounded confidence in the United States and the ability of its people to finally solve all its questions. Under the old order of things, they solved the question of production of practically everything necessary for the comfort and well being of its citizens, not only the necessities of life, but most of the luxuries.

"The next great question for the American people to solve is the equitable distribution of these good things of life. I am in hearty accord with the new deal and have the same hope of a vast majority of the people that it will prove a square deal."

"There are three points in the program of President Roosevelt that I think are fundamental: First, The minimum wage scale. In any readjustment of conditions the laborer is worthy of his hire. No laboring man or woman should be required to labor for wages that do not give him a chance to live a life in accordance with American tradition.

Second: The move to place the production of raw materials on a

profitable basis. For we must remember that to be prosperous as a people, all must have a living wage. The people are the real producers of wealth—not the banker or the distributor of that wealth.

Third: A square deal to both legitimate capital as well as labor.

"What the American small investor must learn is that an investment in an enterprise, legitimately financed, offering a four or five per cent income is a better investment than an over-financed enterprise offering a higher rate of income. Capital should be satisfied with a fair return on its investment, as labor, producer and distributor should be. The idea that we should get rich in a short time should be abandoned and instead the idea that we should be satisfied with a fair accumulation of wealth as time goes by. Such an ideal lived up to by the American people will make a happy and contented people, and that is about all there is in life, after all."

Emile Guidroz, for the past few months stationed at Ardmore, Okla., is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Edith Guidroz.

Joe Magee, former county judge of Hardeman county, and Jim Duvall of Lufkin, were in the city Wednesday on business.

Miss Irene Tarter of Dallas spent the holidays with her parents here.

Miss June Webb, a teacher in the Frost schools, who has been here for the Christmas holidays visiting her parents, Rev. Mrs. J. N. S. Webb, left Friday for a visit with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. P. in Fort Worth, and from there went to Frost to resume work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley daughters, had their guests during the holidays, Mrs. Tooley parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Teague, and aunt, Mrs. Pearl Collins of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davidson of Colorado Springs, W. Tooley and sons of Kress, W. J. Teague of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Word of Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Ginbotham visited last week with relatives in Austin, Stephenville, and Granbury. While in Austin they visited Mrs. Word's sister, Mrs. W. M. Norman, and her father, D. W. Hassler, both former residents of Chillicothe.

Bryan Davis, O. L. Boston, Jr., O. T. Crais, and Leven Davis were visitors in Vernon Monday night.

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Every week, throughout the year, The News goes into the majority of homes of the Chillicothe trade area. Advertising display space in The News is the most economical method of parading your merchandising offerings before an attentive audience who are the home newspaper reads of The Chillicothe Valley News.

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# SOCIETY

## THE MARRIED BROTHERS

Jim Edith Parker became the bride of William T. Rich in a wedding ceremony performed at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church last Saturday, the Rev. Ira L. Parrack officiated.

The well known in this community.

## TO MEET WITH

**MRS. O. L. BOSTON**

The Chillicothe Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday afternoon, January 4, at three o'clock with Mrs. O. L. Boston as hostess. The president, Mrs. R. L. Barlow asks that all members be present, and invites all prospective members to attend also.

## MRS. CRIBBS WEDS

**ORAN ROBERT MAY**

Miss Edith Cribbs became the bride of Oran Robert May in a wedding ceremony performed at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church on last Sunday, with the pastor, Rev. Ira L. Parrack, officiating.

The couple are well known in Chillicothe. Mr. May is connected with a local restaurant, and has a large group of friends as well as the bride. They will continue to reside here.

## BAIRD-HIGGINBOTTOM

**NUPPIALS**

A wedding of much interest occurred Saturday, Dec. 22, 2:15 o'clock, in Vernon, when Miss Lois Higginbottom became the bride of Robert Baird.

Miss Higginbottom is the daughter of L. N. Higginbottom of Chillicothe. Mr. Baird is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baird, also of this city.

Both have a host of friends, who unite in wishing them a long and happy married life.

## TURKEY DINNER

**SERVED**

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Holmes of Medicine Mound entertained with a lovely turkey dinner New Year's day. Those enjoying the dinner were their children and families:

J. F. Howard and children, and Maurice Howard, of the Springs; Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Jones and daughter, Colleen, of Los; Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Pogue, son, Dorwyn, of Chillicothe; Robert Holmes, student in Chillicothe high school, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wall and sons, J. D. and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Waldrup and son, Lamont.

## FAMILY REUNION

**IS HELD**

Christmas brought with it quite a lot of excitement as the different ones came together to celebrate the annual family reunion at the Tom Tarter home in the Balle, High community. All but two of the children (Leslie Tarter of Greenville, and Mrs. C. E. Pursley of Decatur, Ala.) were present.

Those here for the reunion were: Mrs. H. C. Turner and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Tarter of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. June Tarter, Arlie Tarter and son of Lubbock; Mrs. R. J. Belcher, and son of Ralls; Travis Tarter of Lorenzo; Irene Tarter of Dallas; Alice Tarter of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Tarter of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Tarter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Tarter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Turner of Plainview.

## SCHEDULE FOR WMS

**IS ANNOUNCED**

Schedule of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church for the month of January, has been announced as follows:

January 7—Members will meet in a business session at the church, 3 p. m. Mrs. E. E. McClesly will lead the devotional. All are urged to be present for the first meeting of the New Year.

January 14—A Bible study will be conducted for members at the church, led by Rev. Ira Parrack, the pastor.

January 21—At 3 p. m. the Missionary Society will meet at the church for a Royal Service program, "The Banner of the Cross, in the Hand of Our Lord," Circle No. 1 will be in charge of the program.

January 28—The Baptist Missionary Society will meet in the four different circles. No. 1 meets with Mrs. E. W. Gees, and will study "Mission in the Bible." The girl's auxiliary leader and girls will meet with Circle 1 for the social hour at 4:15.

Circle 2 will meet with Mrs. S. H. Williams and will study the book of Ecclesiastes.

Circle 3 will meet at the home

## Centenarian



Here is Mrs. Margaret Ann Bailey, who recently celebrated her 100th birthday in El Paso, Texas. She claims honors as one of the oldest living Texans, having come to Texas in 1844, when it was still a Republic, and making her home in the state since that time. (Texas News Photos.)

of Mrs. Harry W. Norwood to study the book of Romans.

Circle 4 will meet with Mrs. George Metcalf and study the books of Romans and first Corinthians.

## ENTERTAINS WITH

**BRIDGE**

Mrs. L. B. Wofford entertained with three tables of bridge Wednesday night in honor of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wofford, of Abilene. High score was awarded for the men to Grady Roberts, and for the ladies to Mrs. and Mr. B. B. Forgy.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forgy, Mrs. W. S. Dodson, and L. B. Wofford.

## MRS. VAN HILL HOSTESS

**TO DELPHIAN CLUB**

The New Year meeting of the Delphian Club was held January 2 at the home of Mrs. Van Hill. Thirteen members responded to roll call.

An instructive and interesting talk on "International Relations," was made by Miss Clara Cole as the leader. Mrs. Hardin Cole began the lesson for the day with a review of the artists of the old world and presented Turner, with a discussion of "Ulysses Deriding Polyphemus," and "The Old Lemmings," the sunrise and sunset, typifying the light and shadows in the life of England's greatest painter.

The club retreated the resignation of Mrs. S. H. Baker, recently moved to Burk Burnett.

The social hour was much enjoyed and a delicious refreshment course was served to the following members:

Mrs. S. H. Williams, Mrs. J. A. Phipps, Mrs. Hardin Cole, Mrs. O. L. Boston, Mrs. C. E. Carlock, Miss Clara Cole, Mrs. Roy Sutton, Mrs. J. T. Muse, Mrs. Roy Quinn, Mrs. Ed Keshalo, Mrs. Edith Guldrez, and Mrs. Van Hill.

## ELM GROVE NEWS

Miss Bernice Gee spent Sunday with Bethel Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Beacher Clark and family, Montell Coker, Miss Mollie Carr and Silas Carr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norris and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor Thursday night.

Ansell, small son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tuley, is ill.

Lorene Tuley and Mary Bob Major visited Irene Henderson Sunday.

Rev. Silas Carr will preach at the Elm Grove school house Sunday night.

Miss Mary Ellen Campbell and W. B. Murphree were in Oklahoma City, Okla., last week and were accompanied home by Mrs. Murphree, who had spent the Christmas holidays with relatives there.

Robert A. Bell of Hereford, student of A. & M. College, was in the city Tuesday for an overnight stay with Alvin Parrack, while en route to resume his studies.

Ernie Varnell has returned home from Gladewater, after a two weeks visit with friends in that city.

## MANY FRIENDS GRIEVE DEATH OF J. M. FINCH

**HAD RESIDED IN ELM GROVE COMMUNITY MANY YEARS; 9 CHILDREN SURVIVE**

John M. Finch, who passed away his home north of Chillicothe, in the Elm Grove community Friday, December 21, 1934, was buried Sunday afternoon December 23. Rev. S. W. North, assisted by Rev. Ira L. Parrack, officiated.

The body was laid to rest in the Chillicothe Cemetery.

Mr. Finch had lived in the Elm Grove community, for a number of years. He was married to Miss Lena Pulliam December 30, 1906. To this union ten children were born, five sons and five daughters, one son, however died in infancy. Mrs. Finch preceded him in death about four years ago.

Surviving are the nine children seven grand children, four sisters and one brother, together with a great number of other relatives. The children are J. M. Finch, Jr., of Chillicothe; Joe, W. T. and Richard Finch of the Elm Grove community, Mrs. E. A. Hunter of Kemp, Mrs. W. G. Brown of Chillicothe, Mrs. C. H. Barnett of Sudan, Mrs. Fred Nickel of Chillicothe and Miss Annie Mae Finch of Elm Grove. The sisters are Mrs. Dollie Oglesby of Dallas, Mrs. S. A. Todd of Kirklund, Mrs. Harry Brannin of Chillicothe, and Mrs. Todd of Kansas City, Mo., who was unable to attend the funeral. The lone brother is L. A. Finch of McAdoo.

Relatives attending the last rites from out-of-town included Mr. and Mrs. Dempse Jones, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones of Electra, and Jim Jones of Hammon, Okla.

## ON TEXAS FARMS

**By Minnie Fisher Cunningham Extension Service Editor**

Three Coke county livestock operators are trying out new methods of storing feed. Two of them are using trench silos but with the feed put up in different methods. Mr. Roe Williams of Bronte, Texas, cut his feed before filling the silo while Mr. Chester Kiker, also of Bronte, has filled his silo with bundle feed. Mr. Fred Roe of Robert Lee has gone in for the saving of Russian thistle on his ranch by making large stacks of it. So far the feed is keeping in and in good shape.

"Four tomato vines which were subterranean have supplied our family of four with fresh tomatoes all summer and fall," says Mrs. Marlin Garrett, 4-H pantry demonstrator for the Cross Plains Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Garrett has 50 feet of tiling already laid and is now working on another 100 tiles which will be laid in preparation for next spring and summer gardens.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Garrett are firm believers in the good that tiling can do and intend to have the best garden that is possible next year.

For the past two years, more than 300 head of cattle have been carried the year around on the 700 acre pasture belonging to W. O. Turner of Jefferson county. When the pasture demonstration program was started in the county, this pasture was infested with weeds and the carrying capacity was reduced to a point that was not profitable. A systematic program of mowing was planned three years ago, and the weeds were practically eliminated. An excellent turf was then formed of Dallas and Bermuda grass, with Lespedeza and some White Dutch clover.

## BIRTHS

Jerry Dan is the name given to the new son born to Mr. and Mrs. Emerick in the Center Point community on December 20. According to the "Dad" the lad tipped the scales at ten pounds.

## Is Visitor In City

Frank Wendt, an farm agent for Hardeman county, was in the city Wednesday on business. He was recently appointed to the post left vacant by the resignation of Cameron Siddall, who has returned to A. & M. College.

Tom Britt and Grady McMichael left Tuesday for Dallas after spending Christmas here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Murphree were visitors in Iowa Park Sunday as guests of a son, John C. Murphree.

## Gear Sits for Portrait In Test of New Refining Process That "Washes" Oil Clean



Thousands of photographs of gears were taken testing motor lubricants made by revolutionary new Clearol process that "washes" natural impurities from oil and is expected to save millions for motorists.

**By Harold Simons Burke**

Science has again come to the aid of the automobile driver—this time with an amazing discovery that is expected to save many millions of dollars for car owners.

The recent discovery of the Clearol Process of oil refining has attracted the attention of scientists and automotive engineers throughout the world, because of the surprising results achieved in making motor oils this new way.

The new process makes obsolete older refining methods, and cleans oil of natural impurities through a method that is as simply explained as "washing dirt from your hands with soapy water."

Recently revealed by Dr. J. R. Rafter, Director of Research of the Socos-Vacuum Oil Company, the new Clearol Process should save motorists money in lessened car repairs, and savings in oil consumption.

## If We Are Texans—What Were Those Men Who Died In the Alamo

(Jayton Chronicle)

All of our lives we have worshipped at the shrine of Texas. The years before we came to this state, even as a school boy, we would read over and over again the thrilling story of the "Battle of the Alamo," San Jacinto and Goliad, the life of Sam Houston, Stephen F. Austin, David Crockett and others until we believed almost every Texan was a hero, and the Lone Star State was the greatest State in the Union.

Thirty years ago when we came to Texas we felt that at last we had reached the one place ranking next to heaven—the one land where all men were men and every man covered all the ground he stood on. Firmly we believed that a wall could be built around this great land, State, Empire and it would be self-sustaining.

We believed this for years—in fact until the drouth caught us and the Red Cross came in and every man clothed many of the people as well as supplying much feed for livestock. Even then we believed Texas was able to care for her own, we believe it still and also believe she should have done so. When we became Chairman of the Kent County Red Cross chapter, our idea was to help the people and do all we could to get them back on a self supporting basis. We had so much confidence in folks that when many of them told us, "we will only accept help from the Red Cross with the understanding that we can repay every dollar accepted" that we believed they meant what they said and would repay.—God knows we hoped they would, but no one ever has—and few, yes very few have ever paid in their lone \$1.00 membership fee unassisted.—and this is Texas.

And so we ask—what has become of our State pride? "If We Are Texans, What Were the Men Who Died in the Alamo?"

And then came the depression with State and Federal relief—grat, greed, politics, waste, idleness.

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## ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTERS LOSS

**FALLS UNDER PREVIOUS COUNT BY 105, OFFICIALS MAKE KNOWN**

Sunday school attendance fell off for a total of 105 compared to the previous enrollment. It has been announced by officials, there being a count of 461 against the 566 on December 23.

All Sunday schools showed a loss.

Churches:	Dec. 30	Dec. 23
Presbyterian	49	55
Baptist	182	182
Methodist	161	216
Church of Christ	89	103
Totals	461	566
Summary: Loss, Methodist 55, Church of Christ 14, Presbyterian 16, Baptist 20.		

our manhood? Have we lost our heritage and become a state of weaklings? Are we never going to buck up and face our few hardships like men should face them? Are we never going to remember that "Texans are Sons of the Alamo." The individual goes to make up the State—and its up to the individual to get under his share of the load and do his darndest to redeem Texas from this burden of state-wide loss of manhood and state pride.

Texas needs more men—who relish hog jowl and red beans, corn bread and sorghum syrup, and less sissy men who cry for free pop and pink tea parties. We need more men that will deliver one-way socks to the jaw of old man depression and put less 3.2 in their bellies. We need more elbow grease and less hair oil, more babies and less boobies, more work and fewer necking parties, more Houstons, Crocketts, Bentons, Bowies, Austins, Milams and Hozzes and less tin-horn politicians. Texas needs to be re-born to realize this was a state of heroes and should never be allowed to become a State of luxury lovers, lame ducks and misery cronies. WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH US TEXANS? ARE YOU A TEXAN?

**Rummel's Mother Dies**

A. G. Rummel has returned from Ledbetter where he had been called as a result of the death of his mother, which occurred this past week.

Raymond Hughes of Midland is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

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In passing permit me to say that Mr. Lark Bell, my successor in office, is one of our very best young men, and my good friend, and may I ask for him your continued support and co-operation in the same big way that you have accorded same to me, looking to the ultimate good of our entire citizenship, and may I wish for each and every one a most happy and prosperous New Year, with every good wish for continued success.

Sincerely yours,

**Joe E. Magee**

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**THAT THIRTY-FOUR WEEK**

Although a thirty-four working week was thought of before the coming of the NRA, more attention has been given to it, however, since, and today it begins to look as if the country will adopt thirty hours as a maximum. It is presumed to add more employees and thus relieve the unemployed situation.

Forty-four hours and then forty hours has been given a trial and worked satisfactory so it is presumed the country can keep production at a fair level on a thirty-hour basis. It will be fought by employers, however, because it will reduce excessive profits. President Roosevelt is said to favor this as a maximum working week. Because Mr. Roosevelt encourages the plan it is believed more strongly by proponents that it will go through.

**JOBS FOR ALL**

When Congress convenes one of the first acts will be to ask that all "unemployables" numbering between 3,500,000 and 4,000,000, be put on the relief rolls to work. However it is expected there will be some elasticity in the request, which will allow private business much of the job-creating task as can be assumed. The jobs will be created on projects financed in whole or part by the Federal Government.

It is a situation, say the least, of which we do not enjoy facts, and yet cannot turn from. To pay these unemployables the Government must raise more taxes to pay, and that's something else we must face. We need not grumble and argue. We may not like it, but that's beside the question. People, men with families who have been unable to work, either must be on charity or else put to work. The latter is the wise thing.

This brings to mind that act of spending money. Already we have exceeded past ad-  
vancing to spend money. It is necessary. One of the projects in mind, and a worthy one, is the removal of grade crossings. This program should have been instituted sooner. \$500,000,000 is the sum estimated necessary and it will take a long time to complete, thus keeping workmen busy, earning money, feeding their families by the fruits of their labor, the money being spent for necessities of life from their hometown merchants. And the merchants, helped, will buy from manufacturers, thereby, once getting the ball in motion, should be kept rolling for quite a time.

Let's just grin as we are forced to dig deeper into our pockets, because every time we do it is to help some other less fortunate.

**LET'S GO FORWARD**

Merely because conditions in the Chillicothe area, and these conditions brought on mainly through low agriculture production, should be no reason why we should halt in our fight, earnestly striving to work for one another, to bring to this community better things in life.

You get what you work for, and without effort you are doomed to failure. It is so with the matter of getting business for your store, for bringing industries to a town, where a payroll is assured the year round. Here, we have depended solely on agriculture. In bad years we feel the effects more greatly. It hurts quicker. Having faced the poorest year for agriculture yield for many years, and coming through it, the lesson should have impressed on all of us that we must immediately start doing something that will insure us financial returns during every month of the year, and not for a short time in the spring, or three or four months during the latter part of a year.

Chillicothe merchants should not, in conversation to another, complain of conditions, and argue we are worse off now than ever before, and that we have yet to face the worst part. That don't set well with anyone, even though it be known by him. Instead of grumbling about business this same merchant should be in the throes of a fight for more business—and there is always a little more business to be had if you will go and get it—not wait for it to come.

Chillicothe is not the biggest town in the world, nor is it the smallest. We have enough good business men here, without a weak spinal column, who are going to continue to work for their town, to cooperate to make Chillicothe a better town, and a better town is made with business. Consequently, we are not going to lose good time complaining about hard times. That time along with the other is going to be well spent—we are going out after business to make Chillicothe better and better.

And, New Year's is a good time to start.

**CONFIDENCE—THE MISSING ELEMENT**

Twelve months ago the American people entered a New Year. They entered it with the profound hope that it would witness industrial recovery, that it would prove the success or failure of the governmental experiments that were inaugurated in 1932, that the great problems of unemployment, declining purchasing power, distressed agriculture, and uncertainty on the part of property-owners, investors and industrial leaders would be, to at least some extent, solved. They hoped the year might be the turning point of the long period of depression—that it would show where we were going.

The greatest experimental twelve months in the history of our nation has ended and another New Year looms. During the past year there has been progress in some directions—there has been retrogression in others. Some businesses have been stimulated, some have sunk deeper into lethargy. Whether there has been any increase in regular employment is questionable. During the current winter close to 21,000,000 are being sustained by organized public relief. Reports from fact-gathering organizations show that those industries which sell perishable goods to the consumer—shoes, packaged foods, clothing, fuel and so on—are doing better than at any time since depression. But the reports likewise show that our basic industries—those which employ the bulk of labor in normal times and represent the greatest amount of invested capital—are either static or are sinking back toward the abysmal levels of 1932. In some instances, industries are doing a greater volume of business—but, due to higher taxes and legislated increases in operating costs, are earning less profit, which results in growing hardships on millions of investors who depend on earnings from savings for living expenses.

The most difficult aspect of the recovery problem is this: There can be no recovery without CONFIDENCE, and as yet uncertainty, not confidence, remains uppermost in the minds of millions. People who have money that would ordinarily be invested in industrial undertakings, who would create jobs, buy supplies, build homes and stores and factories and develop farms, are frankly afraid. They are afraid that their capital will be taxed out of existence, or regulated out of existence, or condemned by legislative fiat, or destroyed by governmental competition with industries in which they might place it.

The element of fear extends down from the largest industries and affects the whole industrial structure. The railroads and utilities, for example, face, on the one hand, the very definite problem of reduced business, rising taxes and diminishing earnings, while on the other hand they are threatened with the potentiality of government ownership. Under such conditions, who can be expected to invest money freely and without fear, to develop industries and bring back payrolls to normal levels?

The security of banks, insurance companies and similar institutions is absolutely dependent upon the security of basic American industries, in which their depositors' and policyholders' money is invested. Anything which strikes at the welfare of basic industries strikes immediately at their welfare—and therefore at the welfare of every person who has a dollar in the bank or is the owner of an insurance policy.

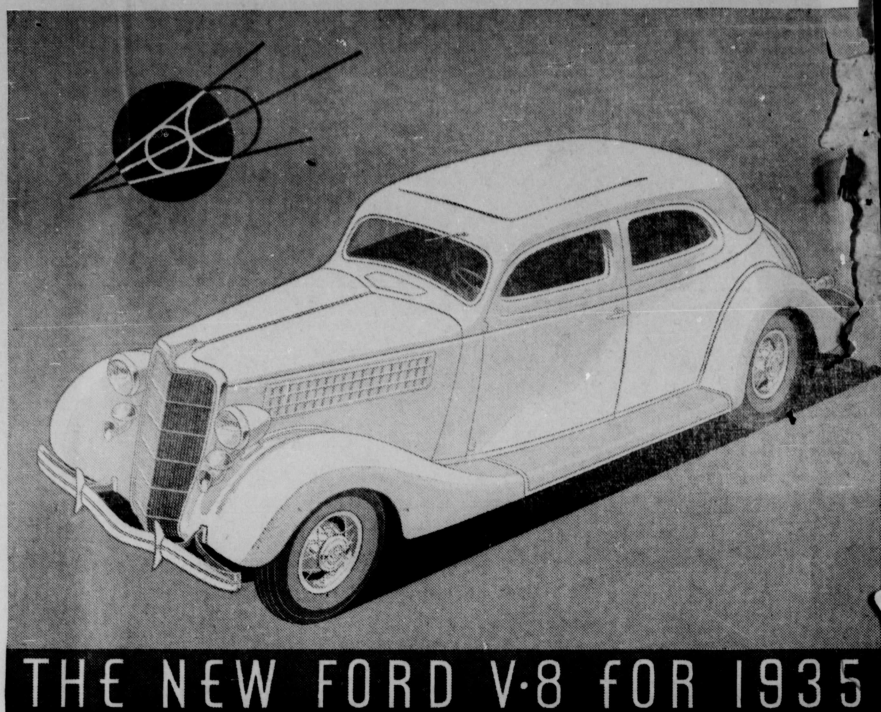
To blame these conditions on a man, a party, or a group would be unjust. National distress naturally breeds experiment—the need for alleviation is so great that it seems as if anything were worth trying. But a great responsibility falls upon those given high public office in such times—namely the responsibility of protecting our constitutional rights and privileges. There can be no greater duty, and no more necessary public task. If mistakes are made, they will be forgiven—but they should be corrected, not continued.

There are signs that this is being done now—signs pointing to a rapprochement between political and industrial leaders. If these groups honestly seek to cooperate to iron out misunderstandings and differences, our nation will make real progress toward recovery—we will regain the priceless ingredient of good times, CONFIDENCE. Let it once be known that investments will be encouraged and protected by government, that the honest business has nothing to fear from political influences, that savings will be held inviolate by those trusted with the management of our national affairs, that private property rights will be held sacred, and the road to prosperity will stretch clearly ahead.

There should be no despair on the part of the people. Our land is still fertile. Our industries are still great. Our intellectual abilities have been increased by the ordeal of depression. Only that intangible element—CONFIDENCE, based on the knowledge that our constitutional ideals will be maintained, not destroyed—is needed now.

Trying to cover up your sins beneath a religious appearance confuses all but one.

Husband may complain life is terrible on this earth, but think what it will be in the hereafter.



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### WHAT FARM FOLKS ARE NOW DOING

Timely Tips on What Farmer Folks are Doing in Texas

Midland: A sport coat has been made from a woolen blanket at a cost of 80 cents by Mrs. S. H. Gwyn, former wardrobe demonstrator of the Busy Bee Home Demonstration Club in Midland county, according to Miss Myrtle Miller, home demonstration agent. Two packages of red dye and one of brown were used, and hand-carved buttons made from an old table leg completed the coat.

The sport coat, another coat, and a suit made from two discarded woolen suits were valued at \$50 by a local saleswoman. The coat to Mrs. Gwyn was \$2.15 for dye, thread, buttons for the suit, and pressing.

Wharton: Ten Indian currant plants from "just over the fence" have been transplanted to the base of the home of Pauline Villalobos of Wharton county as a part of her work as yard improvement demonstrator for the Mackay 4-H club. Pauline worked out the plan for her yard with the help of Miss Madeline Hector, home demonstration agent. Hedge-roses are to be used to make the borders of the yard and to screen the outbuildings. A cutting bed is to be started to grow some plants that she does not have, and all rose bushes will be planted in a rose garden.

Fanhandle: Twenty-four cans of peas were exchanged for 24 cans of spinach by Mrs. E. Matcchell of Carson county in order to complete the required amount of leafy vegetables for her diet, according to Miss Dalton Barleson, home demonstration agent. Although Mrs. Hatchell lives in an oil camp, she has a garden which has furnished vegetables for canning and for sale. From her 15 by 50 foot strawberry patch she gathered 177 quarts of fresh strawberries of which she canned 65 quarts. Mrs. Hatchell had 344 containers of food left over from last year making a total of 631 quarts in her pantry this year.

Refugio: After feeding ensilage from a trench silo to his dairy cows for two weeks, Raymond Gillespie, Refugio county dairyman, is a firm believer in trench silos, according to L. A. Weiss, farm demonstration agent. Mr. Gillespie reports that his cows have increased about 25 percent in milk production, and that from now on his feed will always go into a trench silo instead of being stacked out in the weather as in the past.

Jefferson: Fifteen bushels of corn to the acre were produced on the terraced farm of W. F. Fowler of Marion county this year, while about five bushels of mubins per acre were produced on unterraced land on adjoining farms, according to John H. Erickson, farm demonstration agent. The Fowler farm was terraced soon after it was put under cultivation, and as it is a rather steep hillside farm the terraces are placed about 80 feet apart. While the farm is small, it is one of many on which terracing proved its real value to Marion county farmers this year, Erickson says.

Lubbock: A flock of 225 white Ieghorn hens belonging to Ernest Shelly, Lubbock county 4-H club boy, made a net profit of \$258.70 in 1934, according to R. N. McClain, farm demonstration agent. Young Shelly sold 1944 dozen eggs for \$313.67 and broilers and fryers amounting to \$33. He has learned through experience that he can mix his own feed according to recommendations from the farm demonstration agent. He has kept improved poultry and brooder records and reports that he is going to make a real record with his flock this year.

### Former Resident Is Seriously Ill

Dave Williams, son of John Williams, former Chillicothe resident, and at one time operated a grocery store here, is confined in the Legion hospital at Legion, Texas, seriously ill with pneumonia. Late reports are that he is slowly improving.

W. J. Stevens was a business visitor in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Holloway, formerly of this city, were visiting friends here over the week-end. They reside in Petersburg.

## BUILDERS OF TEXAS

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**WAS GIVEN MANAGEMENT OF THE "COOL ROOM" RICE, "HOST OF THE SOUTHLAND" IN 1933.**

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### BRAND NEW YEAR AND WITH IT LIONS CLUB MEMBERS MAKE NEW RESOLUTIONS

### CATTLE DYING NEAR PADUCAH

#### Lack of Pasturage and No Funds to Buy Feed Is Said to Be Cause

That conditions have reached a serious stage in the Paducah territory is related by two local men on their return from a hunting trip in that vicinity, saying they saw cattle that were slowly dying from starvation.

"One particular instance was when we saw four or five head of cattle that were too weak to stand, and were nearly dead. Lack of pasturage, lack of funds on the part of the cattlemen to buy feed, is the reason for this terrible condition," one of the men said.

And yet, the Paducah section is not the only one affected because of drought. The plains section as well as in the southwestern part of Oklahoma, reveals a condition that is causing considerable alarm.

#### LET US NOT BE FORGOTTEN

(By Theodora Hart Stackhouse) Let us not be forgotten, we who wait—

Sad-eyed and wistful, chained to a lonely bed,  
Exiles from life by this mad jest of Fate,

Wearily with lost dreams, we the living—dead,  
Send us then some small token, only say—

We are remembered, that somewhere hearts still yearn  
At our long absence, as day by weary day

Grow into months and years ere we return,  
We will fight on then smiling, knowing life

If we be not forgotten in the end  
Is worth the lonely hours of pain and strife

While love abides, and we have yet a friend.

For the past two years Miss Stackhouse has been a shut-in. Her case is typical of thousands of tuberculosis patients who are "taking the cure" in hundreds of sanitariums today. She had tuberculosis as a child, but had almost forgotten the experience in the excitement of acquiring an education, the hectic rush of newspaper work, and the absorption of writing fiction. She was well launched on a writer when a second breakdown forced her to enter a sanitarium in her native state of Oregon. Her medical history illustrates why tuberculosis associations, with the help of Christmas seals, strive to impress upon the public: "Protect children from tuberculosis."

Clyde Fincher, a member of the San Benito school faculty, has been here for a visit with relatives.

Because it's the custom— Those New Year resolutions, and being the custom why members of the Chillicothe Lions Club made known two of the resolutions made, one covering his own resolutions and the other for some other member to do. The suggestions afforded plenty of amusement for the Tuesday meeting of the organization.

A musical fete, to be given some evening during January, and during which all musical talent of the city will be invited to take part, is to be sponsored by the club. The president, Roy Sutton, appointed a committee to make arrangements for the event, with Mrs. W. M. Gourley, club pianist, as the chairman, and J. P. Graham and W. W. Bragg. This committee will have charge of all arrangements, and will make announcement of the date when the fete will be given.

George Moffett was toastmaster and C. R. Tubb gave current events.

Grady Roberts will be toastmaster and Dr. E. A. Vestal will give current events at the next Tuesday meeting. At this same meeting the club will undertake to formulate plans whereby Chillicothe athletic activities and facilities will be improved and extended.

#### NEWS ITEMS FROM BAILEY HIGH SCHOOL

Mrs. Earl Mae has returned home from Dimmitt, Texas where she spent Christmas with her mother.

Flora Mae Carpenter visited Annie Mae McCaslin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Northam and son, spent several days with their son who is in a sanitarium at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smotherman and children of Claud, Texas visited in this community Christmas week.

Dillard Carpenter of Terrell and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith of Goodlett spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bartley and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Custer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Howell and family of Shamrock, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Walser, Mr. and Mrs. Eskel Walser and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Holcomb Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Carlton and children, Mrs. J. W. Carlton spent Sunday in the Cane home at Dam Site.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bell and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Matthews Sunday.

J. W. Ayers will return to A. & M. College Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ayers.

### Life of Editor in Texas As Far Back As 1870!

The following tells a graphic story of what was to face a Texas newspaper man. In some respects it still holds true. It was written in 1870 by an unknown:

"For the benefit of those who think the pathway of an editor is covered with roses and they have nothing to disturb their slumbers, no cares to break the silent flow of their life's gentle river:

- Been asked to drink 13,399 times
- Drank 13,399 "
- Requested to retract 416 "
- Didn't retract 416 "
- Invited to parties 416 "
- and receptions by parties fishing for a puff 3,333 "
- Took the hint 33 "
- Didn't take the hint 3,300 "
- Threatened to be 174 "
- whipped 0 "
- Been whipped 0 "
- Whipped the other fellow 4 "
- Didn't come to time 170 "
- Been promised whiskey, gin, etc. if he would go after them 5,510 "
- Been after them 5,160 "
- Been asked what's the news 300,000 "
- Told 23 "
- Didn't know 260,000 "
- Lied about it 99,977 "
- Been to church 2 "
- Changed politics 32 "
- Expected to change again 50 "
- Gave to charity \$5.00 "
- Gave for a terrier dog \$25.00 "
- Cash in pocket \$1.00 "

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wolff of Abilene are here for a visit with relatives.

### CLASSIFIED ADS

NOTICE: Please advise your friends the young mule's not for sale. Gene Kennedy. 23-11c

FOR RENT: Two, two room furnished apartments. Close in. Very reasonable. See Mrs. B. M. Gentry 22-11c.

FOR SALE: Bundle feed, or will trade for one-room shack. E. L. Kiesling, 2 miles southeast of Chillicothe on Route 2. 23-11p

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Howell and family of Shamrock, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Walser, Mr. and Mrs. Eskel Walser and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Holcomb Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Carlton and children, Mrs. J. W. Carlton spent Sunday in the Cane home at Dam Site.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bell and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Matthews Sunday.

J. W. Ayers will return to A. & M. College Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ayers.



**Do you ever stop to think**  
EDSON W. WAITE

A. L. Kates, publisher of The Claremore (Okla.) Progress says: "I have unbounded confidence in the United States and the ability of its people to finally solve all its questions. Under the old order of things, they solved the question of production of practically everything necessary for the comfort and well being of its citizens, not only the necessities of life, but most of the luxuries.

"The next great question for the American people to solve is the equitable distribution of these good things of life. I am in hearty accord with the new deal and have the same hope of a vast majority of the people that it will prove a 'square deal'."

"There are three points in the program of President Roosevelt that I think are fundamental:

First: The minimum wage scale. In any readjustment of conditions the laborer is worthy of his hire. No laboring man or woman should be required to labor for wages that do not give him a chance to live a life in accordance with American tradition.

Second: The move to place the production of raw materials on a

profitable basis. For we must remember that to be prosperous as a people, all must have a living wage. The people are the real producers of wealth—not the banker or the distributor of that wealth.

Third: A square deal to both legitimate capital as well as labor.

"What the American small investor must learn is that an investment in an enterprise, legitimately financed, offering a four or five per cent income is a better investment than an over-financed enterprise offering a higher rate of income. Capital should be satisfied with a fair return on its investment, as labor producer and distributor should be. The idea that we should get rich in a short time should be abandoned and instead the idea that we should be satisfied with a fair accumulation of wealth as time goes by. Such an ideal lived up to by the American people will make a happy and contented people, and that is about all there is in life, after all."

Emile Guidroz, for the past few months stationed at Ardmore, Okla., is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Edith Guidroz.

Joe Marse, former county judge of Hardeman county, and Jim Duvall of Lufkin, were in the city Wednesday on business.

Miss Irene Tarter of Dallas spent the holidays with her parents here.

Miss June Webb, a teacher in the Frost schools, who has been here for the Christmas holidays visiting her parents, Rev. Mrs. J. N. S. Webb, left Friday for a visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. P. in Fort Worth, and from there went to Frost to resume work.

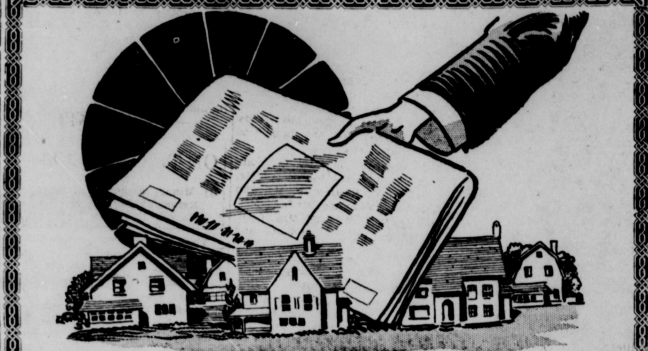
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley daughters, had as their guests during the holidays, Mrs. Tooley parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Teague, and aunt, Mrs. Pearl Collins of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davidson of Colorado Springs, W. Tooley and sons of Cross, Mo., W. J. Teague of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Word of Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill, both visited last week with relatives in Austin, Stephenville, and Granbury. While in Austin they visited Mrs. Word's sister, Mrs. W. M. Norman, and her father, D. W. Hassler, both former residents of Chillicothe.

Bryan Davis, O. L. Boston, Jr., O. T. Craig, and Leven Davis were visitors in Vernon Monday night.

### Chest Colds

Don't let them get a strangle hold. Fight them quickly. Creomulsion combines 7 helps in one. Powerful but harmless. Pleasant to take. No narcotics. Your own druggist is authorized to refund your money on the spot if your cough or cold is not relieved by Creomulsion. (Adv.)



## Chillicothe Valley News GETS THE BUSINESS MESSAGE INTO THE HOMES OF BUYERS

The functions of advertising are to search out buyers and inform them of new merchandise styles, explain values and tell where and at what prices they may be had. Getting these business messages delivered in as an efficient and inexpensive manner, as is consistent with good taste, and, through a medium that insures attention and acceptance, is a merchandising problem that was solved years ago by the establishment of the good, reliable and dependable newspapers.

The Chillicothe Valley News is a good newspaper—it will get your sales message, Mr. Merchant and Mr. Business Man, into the homes of Chillicothe buyers.

Every week, throughout the year, The News goes into the majority of homes of the Chillicothe trade area. Advertising display space in The News is the most economical method of parading your merchandising offerings before an attentive audience who are the home newspaper readers of The Chillicothe Valley News.

### COMPLETE ADVERTISING SERVICE

The Chillicothe Valley News is equipped to supply a complete advertising service to Chillicothe business and merchant advertisers. This includes fine merchandise illustrations, attention-compelling layouts and merchandise-moving copy. A phone call will bring a News representative to explain all details and assist with sales promotions, if desired. Simply phone No. 49.



**BUYERS of Household Goods are Quickly Found With a Want Ad!**

# SOCIETY

**THE MARRIED**  
**FRIDAY**  
Miss Edith Parker became the bride of William T. Rich in a wedding ceremony performed at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church last Saturday, the pastor of the church, Rev. Ira L. Parrack, officiated.

**TO MEET WITH**  
**MRS. O. L. BOSTON**  
The Chillicothe Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday afternoon, January 4, at three o'clock with Mrs. O. L. Boston as hostess. The president, Mrs. R. L. Barlow asks that all members be present, and invites all prospective members to attend also.

**MISS CRIBBS WEDS**  
**ORAN ROBERT MAY**  
Miss Edith Cribbs became the bride of Oran Robert May in a wedding ceremony performed at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church on last Sunday, with the pastor, Rev. Ira L. Parrack, officiating.

The couple are well known in Chillicothe. Mr. May is connected with a local restaurant, and has a large group of friends as well as the bride. They will continue to reside here.

**BAIRD-HIGGINBOTTOM**  
**WEDS**  
A wedding of much interest occurred Saturday, Dec. 22, 2:15 o'clock, in Vernon, when Miss Lois Higginbottom became the bride of Robert Baird.

Miss Higginbottom is the daughter of L. N. Higginbottom of Chillicothe. Mr. Baird is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baird, also of this city.

**TURKEY DINNER**  
**SERVED**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Holmes of Medicine Mound entertained with a lovely turkey dinner New Year's day. Those enjoying the dinner were their children and families:

Mr. and Mrs. F. Howard and children and Maurice Howard, of Springs; Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Jones and daughter, Colleen, of Potts; Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Pogue and son, Duwayn, of Chillicothe; Albert Holmes, student in Chillicothe high school, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wall and sons, J. D. and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Waldrip and son, Lamont.

**FAMILY REUNION**  
**IS HELD**  
Christmas brought with it quite a lot of excitement as the different ones came together to celebrate the annual family reunion at the Tom Tarter home in the Bally High community. All but two of the children (Leslie Tarter of Greenville, and Mrs. C. E. Pursley of Decatur, Ala.) were present.

Those here for the reunion were: Mrs. H. C. Turner and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Tarter of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. June Tarter, Arlie Tarter and son of Lubbock; Mrs. R. J. Belcher, and son of Ralls; Travis Tarter of Lorenzo; Irene Tarter of Dallas; Alice Tarter of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Tarter of Quannah; Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Tarter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Tarter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Turner of Plainview.

**SCHEDULE FOR WMS**  
**IS ANNOUNCED**  
Schedule of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church for the month of January, has been announced as follows:

January 7—Members will meet in a business session at the church, 3 p. m. Mrs. E. E. McClesky will lead the devotional. All are urged to be present for the first meeting of the New Year.

January 14—A Bible study will be conducted for members at the church, led by Rev. Ira Parrack, the pastor.

January 21—At 3 p. m. the Missionary Society will meet at the church for a Royal Service program, "The Banner of the Cross in the Hand of Our Lord." Circle No. 1 will be in charge of the program.

January 28—The Baptist Missionary Society will meet in the four different circles. No. 1 meets with Mrs. E. W. Gese, and will study "Mission in the Bible." The girl's auxiliary leader and girls will meet with Circle 1 for the social hour at 4:15.

Circle 2 will meet with Mrs. S. H. Williams and will study the book of Ecclesiastes.

Circle 3 will meet at the home

## Centenarian



Here is Mrs. Margaret Ann Bailey, who recently celebrated her 100th birthday in El Paso, Texas. She claims honors as one of the oldest living Texans, having come to Texas in 1844, when it was still a Republic, and making her home in the state since that time. (Texas News Photos.)

of Mrs. Harry W. Norwood to study the book of Romans.

**ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE**  
Mrs. L. B. Wofford entertained with three tables of bridge Wednesday night in honor of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wofford of Abilene. High score was awarded for the men to Grady Roberts, and for the ladies to Mrs. B. B. Forgy.

A delishious refreshment plate was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wofford, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forgy, Mrs. W. S. Dodson, and L. B. Wofford.

**MRS. VAN HILL HOSTESS**  
**TO DELPHIAN CLUB**  
The New Year meeting of the Delphian Club was held January 2 at the home of Mrs. Van Hill. Thirteen members responded to roll call.

An instructive and interesting talk on "International Relations," was made by Miss Clara Cole as the leader. Mrs. Hardin Cole began the lesson for the day with a review of the artists of the old world and presented Turner, with a discussion of "Lycuses Derriding Polyphemus," and "The Old Lunette," the sunrise and sunset, typifying the light and shadows in the life of England's greatest painter.

The club regretted the resignation of Mrs. S. H. Baker, recently moved to Burk Burnett.

The social hour was much enjoyed and a delishious refreshment course was served to the following members:

Mrs. S. H. Williams, Mrs. J. A. Phillips, Mrs. Hardin Cole, Mrs. O. L. Boston, Mrs. C. E. Carlock, Miss Clara Cole, Mrs. Roy Sutton, Mrs. J. T. Muse, Mrs. Roy Quinn, Mrs. Ed Kenschall, Mrs. Edith Guideroz, and Mrs. Van Hill.

Miss Bernice Gee spent Sunday with Bethel Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Beacher Clark and family, Montell Coker, Miss Mollie Carr, and Silas Carr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norris and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor Thursday night.

Miss Mary Ellen Campbell and W. B. Murphree were in Oklahoma City, Okla., last week and were accompanied home by Mrs. C. C. T. Tuley, is ill.

Lorene Tuley and Mary Bob Major visited Irene Henderson Sunday.

Rev. Silas Carr will preach at the Elm Grove school house Sunday night.

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## MANY FRIENDS GRIEVE DEATH OF J. M. FINCH

HAD RESIDED IN ELM GROVE COMMUNITY MANY YEARS; 9 CHILDREN SURVIVE

John M. Finch, who passed away at his home north of Chillicothe, in the Elm Grove community Friday, December 21, 1934, was buried Sunday afternoon December 23, Rev. S. W. North, assisted by Rev. Ira L. Parrack, officiated.

The body was laid to rest in the Chillicothe Cemetery.

Mr. Finch had lived in the Elm Grove community for a number of years. He was married to Miss Lena Pulliam December 30, 1906. To this union ten children were born, five sons and five daughters one son, however died in infancy. Mrs. Finch preceded him in death about four years ago.

Surviving are nine children, seven grand children, four sisters and one brother, together with a great number of other relatives. The children are: J. M. Finch, Jr., of Chillicothe; Joe, W. T. and Richard Finch of the Elm Grove community; Mrs. E. A. Hunter of Keokuk; Mrs. W. G. Brown of Chillicothe; Mrs. C. H. Barnett of Sudan, Mrs. Fred Nickel of Chillicothe and Miss Annie Mae Finch of Elm Grove. The sisters are Mrs. Dollie Oglesby of Dallas, Mrs. S. A. Todd of Hilliard, Mrs. Harry Brannin of Chillicothe, and Mrs. Todd of Kansas City, Mo., who was unable to attend the funeral. The lone brother is L. A. Finch of McAloo.

Relatives attending the last rites from out-of-town included Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Jones, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones of Electra, and Jim Jones of Hammon, Okla.

## ON TEXAS FARMS

By Minnie Fisher Cunningham Extension Service Editor

Three Coke county livestock operators are trying out new methods of storing feed. Two of them are using trench silos but with the feed put up in different methods. Mr. Roe Williams of Bronck, Garrett, cut his feed before filling the silo while Mr. Chester Kiker, also of Bronck, has filled his silo with bundle feed. Mr. Fred Roe of Robert Lee has gone in for the saving of Russian thistles on his ranch by making large stacks of it. So far the feed is keeping and in good shape.

"Four tomato vines which were subirrigated have supplied our family of four with fresh tomatoes all summer and fall," says Mrs. Martin Garrett, 414 pastry demonstrator for the Cross Plains Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Garrett has 50 feet of tiling already laid and is now working on another 100 tiles which will be laid in preparation for next spring and summer gardens.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Garrett are firm believers in the good that filling can do and intend to have the best garden that is possible next year.

For the past two years, more than 200 head of cattle have been carried the year around on the 700 acre pasture belonging to W. O. Turner of Jefferson county. When the pasture demonstration program was started in the county, this pasture was infested with weeds and the carrying capacity was reduced to a point that was not profitable. A systematic program of mowing was planned three years ago, and the weeds were practically eliminated. An excellent turf was then formed of Dallas and Bermuda grass, with Lespedeza and some White Dutch clover.

## BIRTHS

Jerry Dan is the name given to the new son born to Mr. and Mrs. Emerick in the Center Point community on December 20. According to the "Dad" the lad tipped the scales at ten pounds.

**Is Visitor In City**  
Frank Wendt, new farm agent for the county, was in the city Wednesday on business. He was recently appointed to the post left vacant by the resignation of Cameron Siddall, who has returned to A. & M. College.

Tom Britt and Grady McMichael left Tuesday for Dallas after spending Christmas here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Murphree were visitors in Iowa Park Sunday guests of a son, John C. Murphree.

## Gear Sits for Portrait in Test of New Refining Process That "Washes" Oil Clean



Thousands of photographs of gears were taken testing motor lubricants made by revolutionary new Clearosol process that "washes" natural impurities from oil and is expected to save millions for motorists.

Science has again come to the aid of the automobile driver—this time with an amazing discovery that is expected to save many millions of dollars for car owners.

The recent discovery of the Clearosol Process of oil refining has attracted the attention of scientists and automotive engineers throughout the world, because of the surprising results achieved in making motor oils this new way.

The new process makes obsolete older refining methods, and cleans oil of natural impurities through a method that is as simply explained as "washing dirt from your hands with soapy water."

Recently revealed by Dr. J. B. Rether, Director of Research of the Soco-Vacuum Oil Company, the new Clearosol Process should save motorists money in lessened car repairs, and savings in oil consumption.

## If We Are Texans—What Were Those Men Who Died In the Alamo

(Jayton Chrimble)  
All of our lives we have worshipped at the shrine of Texas. The years before we came to this state, even as a school boy, we would read over and over again the thrilling story of the "Battle of the Alamo," San Jacinto and Goliad, the life of Sam Houston, Stephen F. Austin, David Crockett and others until we believed almost every Texan was a hero, and the Lone Star State was the greatest State in the Union.

Thirty years ago when we came to Texas we felt that at last we had reached the one place ranking next to heaven—the one land where all men were men and every man covered all the ground he stood on firmly we believed that a wall could be built around that great land, State, Empire and it would be self-sustaining.

We believed this for years—in fact until the drought caught us and the Red Cross came in and fed and clothed many of our people as well as supplying much feed for livestock. Even then we believed Texas was able to care for her own, we believe it still and also believe she should have done so. When we became Chairmen of the Kent County Red Cross chapter, our idea was to help the people and do all we could to get them back on a self supporting basis. We had so much confidence in folks that when many of them told us, "we will only accept help from the Red Cross with the understanding that we can repay every dollar accepted" that we believed they meant what they said and would repay.—God knows we hoped they would, but no one ever has—and few, yes very few have ever paid in their lone \$1.00 membership fee uncollected,—and this is Texas.

And so we ask—what has become of our State pride? "If We Are Texans, What Were the Men Who Died in the Alamo?"

And then came the depression with State and Federal relief—graft, greed, politics, waste, idleness, indifference, "the other fellow is getting it—why can't I?" and we were made to weep for Texas. And now in blazing headlines across the front page of the State's leading papers we see these words, "More Money in Texas Banks Than Ever Before," "Texas Takes Lead As Oil Producing State," "Texas wheat Crop Brings Millions," "Texas Cotton Crop Short But More Valuable Than in '31 and '32," and many other headlines of like nature, but always followed by such as these: "Texas Not Getting Fair Share of Federal Relief Funds," "1,250,000 in Texas Being Fed out of Federal Relief Funds," "Federal Government Allocates \$4,500,000 to Texas for Relief Work," "Special Committee Goes to Washington to Demand More Relief Money," "The State of Texas \$9,000,000 in the Red," "\$70,000,000 Due the State in Delinquent Taxes,"—and so it goes. One day, we brag about our wealth and the next day we scream about our poverty. One day we will tell the world our banks are bursting with accumulated money—the next day we are running a special committee to Washington on a begging expedition. We brag about the wealth of the State and turn right around and advertise our poverty in box car letters, and are not ashamed. Therefore, we are led to ask—What is the matter with the people of Texas? Have we lost

**CREOMULSION**  
Your own druggist is authorized to cheerfully refund you money on the spot if you are not relieved by Creomulsion

**COUGHS**

**Drink More Milk!**  
It's healthful for kiddies and grownups too. Phone 6, delivered to your home morning or night.

**White's Dairy**

## ATTENDANCE AT SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTERS LOSS

FALLS UNDER PREVIOUS COUNT BY 105, OFFICIALS MAKE KNOWN

Sunday school attendance fell off for a total of 105 compared to the previous enrollment. It has been announced by officials there being a count of 461 against the 566 on December 23.

Churches:	Dec. 30	Dec. 23
Baptist	45	65
Presbyterian	142	182
Methodist	161	214
Church of Christ	89	103
Totals	461	566
Summary: Loss, Methodist 55, Church of Christ 14, Presbyterian 16, Baptist 20.		

All Sunday schools showed a loss.

The announcement by the famous research man telling of the new process explained:

"By actual test, it was found that a motor lubricant made this new way would save up to 25 percent on oil consumption; because natural impurities have been "washed" from the oil with this new process, the lubricant is substantially free of tar and from gum forming substances and therefore leaves a cleaner engine, which means that a motorist will have a minimum of trouble with stuck rings or gummed valves due to the oil.

"At the same time Mobil Arctic made by the Clearosol Process flows freely at cold temperatures, and does not break down under severe engine heat. This means that cold weather starting is made much easier and bills caused by winter driving are considerably lessened, and in many instances entirely eliminated."

**Wanted—A TEXAN!**  
The Chillicothe Valley News is welcome visitor in approximately every home in Chillicothe every week. The Classified ad section of the News (little giant salesman) is one of the most carefully read departments of this newspaper. To use the classified ads means that your salesman are welcome in all these Chillicothe homes.

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**Raymond Hughes of Midland** is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

**HUSKY THROATS**  
Overtaxed by speaking, singing, smoking

**VICK'S**  
Mentholated  
COUGH DROP

**START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT**  
By having your clothes cleaned and pressed regularly by the—

**STEPHENSON DRY CLEANERS**  
Phone No. 11 We Deliver

**GREETINGS**  
**TO MY FRIENDS.**

In retiring from the office of County Judge on January 1st, 1935, I did so without malice or prejudice against any one, and at the will of my people, whom I have known and loved for many years, and in retiring permit me to thank each and every citizen of Hardeman County for their splendid and loyal support during my tenure of office, and this during the most distressing period of time in the history of our County on account of the depression, and during which time I have endeavored at all times and under all conditions to take care of my people in the best manner possible looking to their relief, and your generous response in assisting me in this connection has been most wonderful, and in handling the affairs coming under the jurisdiction of the County Judge, I have done so with fairness and impartiality to all alike, my only regret being that I have not been able to do more for my people. In all things I have done what I thought to be right in dealing with the general public, and in retiring to private life do so with a clear conscience, and with good feeling towards all the citizens of this County, and shall endeavor to make a good citizen and neighbor among you, as I expect to pass my remaining days among you, my splendid friends.

In passing permit me to say that Mr. Lark Bell, my successor in office, is one of our very best young men, and my good friend, and may I ask for him your continued support and co-operation in the same big way that you have accorded same to me, looking to the ultimate good of our entire citizenship, and may I wish for each and every one a most happy and prosperous New Year, with every good wish for continued success.

Sincerely yours,  
**Joe E. Magee**

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To Have A  
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**PHONE: "49"**  
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# RED RIVER LOOP MEETING CALLED; BE HELD VERNON

### No Plans Made Here to Continue Membership in Baseball League

Officials of the Red River Valley League, an amateur baseball organization, have called for a meeting to be held by representatives on Wednesday, January 16. Last year Chillicothe finished on top of the regular schedule, but lost out in a play-off to Tulsa, Okla. This plan was not satisfactory, especially to Chillicothe, due to the fact the delay was made longer since five of the teams tied for second place, necessitating play-offs between them to determine positions in standing at the conclusion of the races. The second place team then met Chillicothe. Prolongation of the affair caused a let-down in interest here, not alone with fans but also with members of the team. Tipton, Okla., 1933 winner, also lost out in the play-off, and the management desires to see a chance made in the play-off procedure.

Whether Chillicothe will have a membership this coming season is yet unknown. According to the officials serving last year they do not want to be identified with the affairs this next season. Therefore, others must take over the reins if this city is to have an entry.

Plans for the coming race are to be mapped out at the Vernon meeting on January 16. It is expected most of last year's teams will be represented.

Mrs. H. C. Turner and sons, Horace and Tommie Lee of Plainview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tarter during the holidays.

Miss Alice Tarter, teacher in the Odessa schools, has returned to Odessa after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tarter of Bailey High.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hindman had as their guests Sunday Miss Christine Rainwater of Vernon.

## BUILDERS OF TEXAS

(IN THE AGRICULTURAL, AMUSEMENT, EDUCATIONAL, FINANCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, POLITICAL, PROFESSIONAL AND RELIGIOUS FIELDS)



**GAYLORD J. STONE**  
OF FORT WORTH

BORN IN WYTHEVILLE, VIRGINIA, 1899. FATHER AND GRANDFATHER BOTH WERE IN MILLING BUSINESS. GRADUATE WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY.

MEMBER ROTARY EXCHANGE AND FT. WORTH CLUBS, RIVERCREST COUNTRY CLUB, PAST PRESIDENT FT. WORTH GRAIN & COTTON EXCHANGE, AND CIVIC LEADER, MEMBER CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

SUCCESSFUL MARYLAND DAIRYMAN FOR 8 YEARS. CAME TO TEXAS IN 1920, ENTERING FEED BUSINESS IN WAKAHACHE, LOST PLANT BY FIRE IN 1921. MOVED TO FT. WORTH TWO MONTHS LATER ORGANIZED UNIVERSAL MILLS. IS ITS FIRST AND ONLY PRESIDENT.

AERIAL VIEW OF UNIVERSAL MILLS POULTRY EXPERIMENT PLANT—ONLY EXPERIMENTAL FARM OPERATED BY ANY SOUTHERN FEED MILL—ONE OF THE MOST MODERN AND COMPLETE IN THE UNITED STATES. MR. STONE IS HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBER TEXAS BABY CHICK ASSN.

UNIVERSAL MILLS PLANT WHERE GOLD CHAIN FAMILY FLOUR IS MANUFACTURED BY THE ORGANIZATION WHICH MR. STONE HEADS STARTED FROM SCRATCH IN 1930 AND SOARED TO THE TOP DURING FOUR DEPRESSION YEARS FROM 150,000 BBL. IN 1930 TO 400,000 BBL. IN 1933. THE FASTEST GROWING MILL IN THE SOUTH.

### FFA Chapter Now Has Exhibits In Postoffice Bldg.

Chillicothe chapter of the Future Farmers of America now has a permanent booth located in the post office building, for exhibits and useful information.

"Through the kindness and cooperation of J. P. McPherson, the owner of the building, the boys will be permitted to keep an educational display indefinitely or until such time as the space may be rented," declared the FFA advisor, W. M. Gourley. The importance of such an exhibit cannot be overestimated, and the members feel that "seeing is believing," so by having equipment and charts of information the public may actually see them in real service. Charts and perhaps new equipment will be placed in the booth from time to time. The public is invited to see them and make use of whatever information is presented.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Haynes, W. R. Jones, Clarence Gurnsey, and Miss Lucy Stephenson were visitors on Vernon Sunday.

J. S. Hayhurst and Buff Sills attended to business matters in Vernon Monday.

### Major Attraction Of Stage Be Shown At Vernon Theatre

One of the finest and most entertaining shows ever presented on any stage is the announcement made by Manager Lew Bray of the Vernon Theatre regarding "Hollywood Scandals," the forthcoming stage attraction at the Vernon Theatre next Tuesday, Jan. 8th.

Beautifully mounted with special scenery "Hollywood Scandals," a company of 20 people, boasts of a host of vaudeville and stage stars and features "The Royal Swedish Bell Ringers, entertainers from Sweden performing on 248 golden bells. This act is one of the sensations of the variety stage, being the only act of its kind on tour in this country. Whenever they have performed in picture theatres they have received the picture showing immediately after their performance because of the insistent demand of the audience for more of their offering. Other attractions of equal merit are Wilcock and Carson, appearing as Mussolini and Gandhi in a comedy political debate; Happy Tom and Jerry, an absolute show stopping roller skating trio; James Pietros "Review Intime" with the Dancing Debates; Jimmy Lee of "The Rhythmic Feet"; Ray Route in "Parisienne Moods"; Magnus Gulbranson of "The Golden Voice"; Dottie Dee, "The Sophisticated Lady"; Betty Lindo, "The Melody Miss" and last but not least The Ambassadors of Melody, the Melodious Stage Band which furnishes the musical background for the entire show.

Manager Bray of the Vernon believes that Chillicothe treat-goers will accord "Hollywood Scandals" an even greater reception than that received by "Girls in Cellophane," which many considered one of the best stage shows ever presented in Vernon. The screen attraction which will be offered in connection with this program is "The Secret Bride," with Barbara Stanwyck and Warren William.

Sheriff M. S. Wilson of Quannah was a visitor in the city Friday evening.

Miss Nell Kay Martin of Wash. Innton, D. C., was here during the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard of Frederick, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Colwell of Electra, who spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Colwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom King, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hayhurst and family, were the guests of Mrs. Hayhurst's sister, Mrs. M. B. Faulkner, and family, north of the city Sunday.

John Webb left Tuesday for Abilene where he has resumed his studies in McMurry College after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. N. S. Webb of Chillicothe.

## CONDITIONS ON FARM UNDERGOES MARKED CHANGE

### More Healthy Economic Balance Government Seeks Information

The whole farm structure is undergoing a marked change or readjustment due to social and economical conditions. The Government in attempting to lead the way to a more healthy economic balance, requires information an available rural housing, the recent migration of city folk to farms, and the number of persons living on farms, together with the extent and nature of their employment. The Farm Census, to be taken which started January 2, seeks to learn more about these questions along with its enumeration of the uses of farm land, the acreage and production of individual crops, and the numbers of each of the various classes of livestock.

In order to procure a complete and accurate census which will reflect the present as well as changed conditions it is of the utmost importance that the farmers give this enumeration their most serious attention. The returns from this census will be the primary basis of farm statistics for the next five years.

It is believed that during the past five years there has been an appreciable shift of population from urban to rural communities much of which was to farms. Some of this shift represents whole families moving to farms, while another part represents sons or daughters returning to the farm homes of their parents. Inquiries carried on the farm schedule, which will give the number by areas of farm dwellings divided between those occupied and those unoccupied, are of peculiar interest to locate available housing.

That part of the city or non-farm population which moved to farms during the last five years and is still residing on farms will be accurately counted. At the present time the available data are insufficient to describe this movement fully.

Closely associated with the number of persons living on farms will be those employed on the same farm on which they are living. Thus, the farm operator will be asked to report separately returns for members of his family doing farm work on his farm with wages and for the number of persons, including members of his family, working on his farm for wages.

All farmers and ranchers are urged to write to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, D. C., for a sample copy of the farm schedule, in order that they may familiarize themselves with the questions and have accurate information ready for the enumerators who will visit their homes in this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughes of this city had as their guests for the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Lee Standley and Mrs. W. J. Martin of Henrietta.

### CARD OF THANKS

We are very grateful to every one for their help and kindness during the illness of our son, Curtis. We also thank Dr. T. A. Lowery for his attendance toward him, and to the Methodist Sunday school of Medicine Mound for the Christmas gifts, as well as to individuals who remembered us with gifts. We are very appreciative, and trust we may be able to return the favor some day. May God bless all. We wish everyone a happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pennington.

### WATCH YOUR KIDNEYS!

#### Be Sure They Properly Cleanse the Blood

YOUR kidneys are constantly filtering impurities from the blood stream. But kidneys get functionally disturbed—lag in their work—fail to remove the poisonous body wastes.

Then you may suffer nagging backache, attacks of dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, swollen feet and ankles, rheumatic pains, feel "all worn out."

Don't delay! For the quicker you get rid of these poisons, the better your chances of good health.

Use **Doan's Pills**. Doan's are for the kidneys only. They tend to promote normal functioning of the kidneys; should help them pass off the irritating poisons. Doan's are recommended by users the country over. Get them from any druggist.

### DOAN'S PILLS

**Undergoes Operation**  
Mrs. Ed Meharg, residing south of the city, was operated on in a Quannah hospital last Thursday. Her condition is said to be very satisfactory.

**Is Operated On**  
Mrs. L. J. Nuckles was operated on Monday at a Vernon hospital for appendicitis. She is said to be doing satisfactory.

Do it now, delays are dangerous. We pass this way but...

# DIXON'S SHOE DEPARTMENT

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**\$4.85**

Our entire vitality stock included—None Reserved!

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### VITALITY health shoes

These famous shoes are the preference of thousands of discerning women the country over... for their superb fit and fine quality... for their smartness and their glorious comfort, achieved by the "Vitality principle" of construction. Slip into a pair today... you'll find them the most outstanding values to be had.

**Sale Starts Monday, January 7th, 1935**  
SHORT LOTS—SPECIAL



**PEACOCK SHOES**

**\$5.00** DURING THIS SALE

Special Close-Out Suede Shoes ..... \$2.95

The Event You Have Been Waiting For!

Starting Tuesday Morning At 8:30

# Once A Year Pre-Inventory SALE

For years it has been our policy to conduct only one big sale a year. For eleven months we endeavor to sell our goods at a legitimate profit, but in January we celebrate with real bargains. Our inventory time is February 1st, and we find that **READY CASH** is easier to invoice than merchandise. Hence the reason for this important January Sale. People have learned to wait for it... this is the one sale you shouldn't miss!

Store will close Monday at noon in order to mark and arrange merchandise for this big sale!

Watch For Further Details in Your Wichita Falls Newspapers.

## W. B. McClurkan & Co.

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# Just Between Us...

Never complain about your spending money. She can tell where you spend your money. We don't know what weapon wives could use if there wasn't tobacco.

W. E. Hancock, city superintendent of schools, scheduled to attend the football game in Amarillo the other day, decided at the last minute he could not go there, and instead went to O'Donnell to see his parents. That was better, and he enjoyed it more.

Rain is needed in the Chillicothe area. Wheat is not doing as well as it should. And still, the grain in this locality looks wonderful compared to crops in Southwestern Oklahoma. No rain of any consequence has fallen in that section since September. Wheat is showing the lack of moisture, too. They are worrying over there, and well they do—if worrying does any good. Farmers made no cotton, and now faced with the prospect of no wheat. It is just a hard blow. We are fortunate in the Chillicothe valley and don't realize it until we travel a bit.

Food prices are going to advance. That's the prediction being made by those who ought to know. There is such a thing as going too far, you know, especially if people are without money to buy.

Whether they be dumb or not kindness toward them never hurt anyone.

Personally, we never did cater to the idea of being slapped on one side of the cheek called for a repetition on the other.

We wonder what has become of the oily-fashioned traveling salesman who used to ride the passenger trains.

Texas Retains Its Leadership in Production in 1933," reads the headline. Yeah, we even have a high to waste.

Texas Hotels Will Feature Texas Food and Other Products," headline. Okeh. Bring on the potlikker.

Read where a man died in Tennessee and his dog, a faithful friend, after the body was buried, dug into the grave alongside the coffin, and there remained. That's true love. If the human race loved one another as deeply we would have a much better world, and certainly, no wars.

Civilized? That's what we term ourselves. But are we? When people of several different nations, supposedly intelligent allow themselves to become ill-tempered finally wage war, with thousands and thousands being killed, we sometimes wonder if it wouldn't be a good thing for somebody to teach us instead of our trying to teach others.

The Texas Legislature might assist staging the Texas Centennial by placing more tax on gasoline. In other words, visitors to the state to attend the celebration

## New Ford V-8 De Luxe Tudor Sedan Shown



PHOTO shows the new Ford V-8 de luxe Tudor sedan for 1935, which has just been announced. The body lines are distinctively modern and a departure from previous Ford

standards. The cars feature many engineering improvements providing greater riding comfort and increased ease of control. The engine has been moved forward. Passengers

could help pay for it. And, it might be we could pass a law slapping a fine on visitors who are not using Texas automobile license plates, thus collect quite a sum that way—anything to get the money, think some. However, visitors might think otherwise. Folks are taxed too much now and will be taxed more. We wouldn't go so far as to predict the time will come when we will have to pay out all we earn on tax, but it's headed that way.

### 6,939 BALES OF COTTON GINNED IN THIS COUNTY

FOR SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR TOTAL WAS 38,759. IT IS REVEALED

The Department of Commerce, through the Bureau of Census, announces the preliminary report on cotton ginned prior to December 13, by counties in Texas for the crops of 1934 and 1933. The total for the state was made public on Thursday, December 26. Only nearby counties to Hardeman are given, however.

Counties	1934	1933
Archer	669	4,942
Bayler	2,260	15,921
Childress	3,491	23,577
Clay	4,357	22,874
Collingsworth	8,443	36,925
Cottle	2,881	38,911
Foard	2,940	21,399
Hall	6,260	36,054
Hardeman	6,939	38,759
Haskell	10,389	33,794
Jones	19,419	86,865
King	533	5,833
Knox	9,182	53,869
Throckmorton	2,085	10,634
Wheeler	6,122	21,269
Wichita	8,399	26,484
Wilbarger	13,943	59,327
Young	4,245	18,754

Mrs. Walter Stevens and daughter, Mrs. Harry Norwood, were visitors in Quanah Friday.

Frank Tabor, John McGinnis, Dock Sills and son, Lewis Stanley, attended the football game between Amarillo and Corpus Christi in Dallas last Saturday.

ride closer to the center of the car. The Ford V-8 engine now has a new system of crankcase ventilation. The Tudor sedan is also available without de luxe equipment.

### 1935 FORD V-8 SHOWN FOR FIRST TIME SATURDAY; CROWD VIEWS NEW CAR AT TOUCHSTONE MOTOR COMPANY

#### Local Dealer Sees Where Company Will Build Million Cars This Year

Henry Ford's latest product—the 1935 V-8 motor car—went on display for the first time Saturday throughout the United States and the deluxe Tudor sedan was shown in Chillicothe by the Touchstone Motor Company, local dealer. "Just as the first Ford V-8 revised all conceptions of power, pickup and flexibility in low priced cars, so the Ford V-8 for 1935 brings to this same field a new interpretation of riding smoothness and stability. Center poise redoubles the satisfaction and pleasure of Ford ownership. If the new Ford V-8's offered no other advancements they would be the finest Fords ever built. But you will find them distinguished by many other noteworthy features and luxuries. Roomy and spacious interiors. Clear-vision ventilation. Safety glass throughout. Welded all-steel bodies. Softer clutch action. Easier, more positive braking, and improved steering. Larger tires with greater road carrying capacity."

That's a portion of literature appearing in the Ford Motor Company's booklet concerning the new 1935 V-8. There are nine different models of this year's showing, built to suit every demand of the motorist.

#### Features of the New V-8

Center poise riding which means better distribution of weight on all wheels. Correct location of passengers. New, longer, more flexible springs. V-8 performance and economy is made possible by the bore and stroke of 3 and 1-16 inches by 3 3/4 inches. Piston displacement is 221 cubic inches. New crankcase ventilation reduces oil dilution. Aluminum cylinder heads, cast alloy steel crankshaft, light weight cast alloy pistons, cylin-

ders and upper crankcase walls fully water-jacketed. One-piece casting of crankcase and cylinder blocks. Water capacity 5 1/2 gallons, oil 5 quarts, fuel 14 gallons. This year's model offers larger and more luxurious interiors. Three passenger comfort, front and rear seats. Front seats 4 to 5 1/2 inches wider; rear, 1 1/2 inches wider.

Softer brake and clutch pedal action affords easier control. Newly designed self-centering, quick-acting brakes. Bodies are finished in durable enamel in medium luster black, Dearborn blue, Cordoba gray, vineyard green, gun-metal, Dearborn blue and gun-metal. De luxe models only. Rust-proof headlamps finished in body colors with rustless steel rims.

Raymond Touchstone, head of the local firm, asserted the new Ford offers standard equipment such as a single horn, tall lamp and sun visor, wide Wale Bedford cord upholstery, rubber mat front and rear sedan compartment, arm rests on rear seat, a beautiful instrument panel with fuel gauge, speedometer, ammeter, lighter, ash tray and glove compartment, satin finish hardware, safety glass all around at no additional cost.

In the de luxe line the new Ford V-8 gives exterior twin, matched-tone horns, twin tall lamps. Chromium-plated windshield frame. Interior gives the instrument panel, steering wheel, window moldings and hardware are taupe colored to match upholstery. A choice of mohair or pin-striped broadcloth in closed

### Stomach Gas

One dose of ADLERIKA quick relief. It relieves gas bloating, cleans out the upper and lower bowels. It allows you to eat and sleep peacefully. Quick, thorough action yet safe and entirely safe.



Chillicothe Drug Co.

## SNOW-WHITE, FRESH, CLEAN

—That's the Laundry Way!

Equipment and the experience we have makes it possible for us to do laundry work better.

We return them to you snow-white, fresh, and Clean!

### City Steam Laundry

We Pick Up and Deliver  
Telephone 282

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING BRINGS QUICK RESULTS!

## LOOK...FARMERS!...LOOK

# Three Big Days

Thursday, Friday, Saturday,  
JANUARY 10TH, 11TH, AND 12TH.

We are pleased to announce to the farmers of this community that we are distributors of the well and favorably known line of

## Avery Farm Implements

There will be an opening display of these IMPLEMENTS at our store in Chillicothe on the above dates. Factory men will be present.

VALUABLE PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN AWAY FREE!

Come in and get full particulars. Don't miss it!

## CHILICOTHE FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

Chillicothe, Texas

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**VICKS VA-TRO-NOL**  
At the first sneeze or nasal irritation, quick! A few drops of Vicks Va-tro-nol. Its timely use helps to prevent many colds, and to throw off colds in their early stages.

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**VICKS VAPORUB**  
At bedtime, massage throat and chest with Vicks Vapo-rub. The mother's standby in treating colds. All night long, by stimulation and inhalation. VapoRub brings direct relief.

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of keeping your clothes clean and well pressed are two-fold — they look better and wear longer.

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We offer the very best service we know how to render, and do appreciate your business.

## McCAW DRY CLEANERS

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### AFTER CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

## BOAZ REXALL STORE

We resolve during the year 1935 to continue giving you real values. So we suggest you keep making this store your headquarters.

- Box Armand's FACE POWDER \$1.00
- LIP STICK 50c **\$1.00**
- Both for only
- MI SOLUTION, pint, **49c**
- 35c TOOTH BRUSH, both
- Two 25c Tubes **35c**
- Dr. West TOOTH PASTE
- 25c Tube Milk of Magnesia TOOTH PASTE; **35c**
- 35c Klenzo TOOTH BRUSH, both

## Boaz Rexall Store

"Your Prescription Druggist"  
Day Phone: 19 Night Phone: 304

### 32 Enrolled In Educational Class

The adult school under the emergency educational program. We organized our class Nov. 14, 1934, with an enrollment of 32 pupils, ranging in age from 16 to 54. Some in primary and others reviewing more advanced studies which they had gone over but had forgotten after dropping out 3 or 4 years. A fine class of boys and girls

trying to get back to where they once were. Older men that never had any schooling trying to get up to where they can attend to their own business. The county superintendent supplied us with books for the class for which we are very grateful. Thanks to Mr. Gourley, the medium through which the Red Cross furnished us tablets and pencils which we could hardly do with out and had no money to buy. We are also indebted to Mayor Ledbetter for the use of the city hall for a class room

which is very commodious and reasonably comfortable. So we invite the good will and cooperation of every good citizen of the city in making the few weeks of this work a success for the betterment of the city of Chillicothe.

## COMPTROLLER OF STATE WARS ON GAS RACKETEERS

### Are Working in Boundary Counties and Escape Paying Taxes

AUSTIN, Jan. 2.—Gasoline racketeers in the boundary counties, who haul motor fuel into Texas by night from Oklahoma, Louisiana or New Mexico and pay no tax on it in Texas highways or schools, are marked for extermination by Comptroller George H. Sheppard.

"First blood" in his enforcement drive was drawn recently at Perryton, in Ochiltree county on the northern fringe of the Panhandle, where a motor fuel dealer was convicted of selling tax-free gasoline, hauled from Oklahoma under cover of darkness, to farmers for six cents a gallon. The dealer was fined the minimum of \$100, and two other charges against him still are pending in district court.

Since this test-case was finished, numerous other boundary dealers have remitted voluntarily the state's four cents per gallon tax on gasoline bought under similar circumstances. One check covered taxes due on more than 1,900 gallons of gasoline. The comptroller said Oklahoma tax authorities are giving full cooperation in the campaign, providing documents and witnesses. Meanwhile the enforcement staff of some 70 persons is beating down against other types of violators, Mr. Sheppard said, and has been responsible for 18 court actions in widely scattered sections.

Greg county, in the East Texas oil field, saw one conviction and four more indictments. One dealer in Dallas and another in San Antonio were convicted of selling gasoline blended with tax-free agents such as kerosene or molasses and thus "cheating" the motorist for the extra tax. Five similar convictions were obtained in Laredo, where a small refinery which had furnished the below-standard gasoline paid all the fines. Four more complaints have been filed in the Kinnels county, two in Galveston county.

### Demonstration

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January 10-11-12  
Factory men are to be present to demonstrate the qualities of this well-known line, he stated, and whether farmers in this community are in the market to buy or not they are invited to be present. Valuable awards are to be made, Mr. Hayhurst further made known.

### "The News"

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come with me.  
Pur I too, have some hay, you see.  
So they got nowhere; just pawed up dirt.  
And ho! how that old rope did hurt.  
Then they faced about, those stubborn mules.  
And said, "We are just too much like harnessed mules."  
Let's pull together, I'll go your way.  
Then come with me, and we'll both eat hay."  
Well, they ate their hay and liked it too.  
And swore to be comrades, good and true.  
As the sun went down, they were heard to say:  
"Ah! this is the end of a perfect day."  
Now—get this lesson! Don't let it fool.  
Learn this one thing from the poor old mule;  
We must pull together—'tis the only way.  
To put business on the map and put it to stay.  
—Author Unknown  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Harrison and son, Donald, returned Thursday to their home in Lubbock after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Harrison's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Word.  
Who abuses himself, gains a lot—but it's in the cemetery.  
Miss Wyneta Britt left Monday for Alpine to resume her studies in Sul Ross College, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Britt.

## TOTAL OF 727.22 INCHES OF RAIN FALLS DURING 29-YEAR PERIOD

During the 29 years C. W. Underwood has kept records on precipitation, there has been a total of 727.22 inches of rain, averaging per year 25.08 plus, inches, he revealed at the close of the past year.

The average for the last ten years, however, shows only 24.11 plus inches, which is not so encouraging. Had it not been for the year 1929 the average would be still greater affected. In that year a total of 40.40 inches fell, a high for the whole 29 years, whereas 1917 set a record for low rainfall when only 10.62 inches fell.

Precipitation during the year just closed, 1934, show a total of 19.40 inches, with the moisture being distributed fairly even throughout the twelve months, with the exception of five months, January with 6.0 inches, and February with 4.9, July with 7.0, brought a halt to the droughty period until October, when that month hit the lowest for the year with only .03 inches. December was dry with 1.6 inches.

## REPRESENTATIVE MOFFETT WILL LEAVE TO ATTEND LEGISLATURE

George Moffett, Representative from the 11th district, composed of Hardeman, Foard, Knox, and King counties, expects to leave for Austin within a day or two, to be present at the convening of the 44th Legislature next Tuesday.

Mr. Moffett gave the following statement to the News as he goes to press: "The forthcoming session promises to be anything but peaceful. The depression and drought has brought many troubles to the Government, just as it has to individuals. The State treasury is more than fourteen million dollars in the red, and the people are not even able to pay the taxes already levied, to say nothing of new ones. However, it's a fact that bad as things are in Texas, they are better here than they are in a good many States."

## JUST THINGS GOSSIPY . . . .

C. P. White has already made resolutions for this, the New Year . . . and W. J. Waldrup is another . . . W. B. Fomby is going to raise an even better garden than in 1934 . . . Bill Ritter to stand pat on Jim Ferguson . . . George Mitchell vowing he likes the handout act . . . and how . . . Ramsey declaring there is no sport but baseball for him . . . J. T. Boaz, Sr., asserted he wishes everybody better than in 1935, and he wants them to return the greetings.

Wonder why there are so many cars parked on the highways at night?

The stork has arrived and may be that's the reason why Doc Thorp has gone to work in earnest. Well, father's new ones—soon find it necessary.

Carter Forbes has quit the meat business—left it in the charge of Billie Briggs—and is now the high and mighty ramrod of a sheet 9x12 that is supposed to carry something pertaining to meats.

W. A. Bennett, back from Dallas, looks as if he had a good time. O, yes, the Missus was with him.

Yes, we know why there are so many divorces in Hollywood.

Some made money in 1934, some lost money. Okah Tooley made money, or else he promised the Missus to get a living room suite from Ed Geor for a long time, and finally had to cut loose with the wherewithal last week. With all the hog meat—and other things now possessed by Okah—and the new living room suite, he could stage a grand party. Yes, he could do that.

Miss Anna Ruth Williams was a week-end guest in Memphis of Miss Bobbie Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roark and baby of Quannah, were visitors during the week-end with Mrs. Roark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Turner.

Edwina Tooley spent Christmas at the home of her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. R. V. Tooley of Westover.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Phipps and family were in Wortham for Christmas as guests of their daughters.

Mr. D. M. Poole returned Sunday morning from Mea's after spending the Christmas holidays with relatives.

"I have been asked so often, that I feel it timely to state that I favor the plan of Old Age pensions that has been sponsored by President Franklin Roosevelt, whereby the National Government and the States will share in providing the funds, and at the same time have a uniform old age pension system in all the states."

"However, I am not in accord with the Chief Executive regarding the Soldier Bonus, as I think the latter should be paid soon. The Government certainly owes more to those who fought to sustain and maintain it than to others."

"I am always glad to hear from anyone, particularly homefolks regarding matters that come up at Austin, and I would welcome a letter from you at any time."

## CHILLCOTHE STAGS CLUB

The regular meeting of the Chillicothe Stag Club was called to order on Christmas Eve night by the president, J. T. Boaz, Sr., who ordered all present to give an account of what they were going to do that night after the meeting, and also the following day.

Otto Boston, the faithful, disclosed he would immediately go home after closing the store and sleep the sleep of the just, and the next day take advantage, if the opportunity came, to eat all Frank Graham's big turkey dinner. Frank never did invite him, however, as for what Frank planned to do he would not divulge, other than to leave the impression he was going to be a good boy.

Jack Nuckles, who operate a very good and prosperous bank, acknowledged he might slip—of course sipping usually brings to mind something liquid with eggs mixed into it—and from last accounts Jack had a very good time. Ben Wofford, living across from "me" street, declared Jack was a very good friend of his, which convinced other members of the Chillicothe Stag Club, Ben was not left out.

C. R. Tubb moved that the club go on record thanking Dewey Marsh for being so considerate during the closing year. Dewey was thereby accorded thanks. Gene Williams, sitting across the way, after losing on the football game between Amarillo and Masonic Home, decried the fact that both Jack Nuckles and Dewey Marsh proved untrue to him. Just how, he would not explain. Raymond Touchstone made a motion that all celebrate, and after that there was celebration of one kind then another. Carter Forbes, being a teetotaler, declined to drink with them, and in time found he had passed up some fine, delicious grape juice. W. R. Jones, however, partook freely.

"Gentlemen, as we have gathered here tonight on the Eve of Christmas, I wish to call your attention to the catastrophe that has beset our good and faithful friend Lee Glazener. I am told he had made preparations to have a wonderful Yuletide shooting the marble board machines, but at the last moment finds he will be unable to do so. He has been told to accompany another person on a trip," informed Vernon Williams, and who was able to extend condolence in view of the fact he was to "be led also."

Rep. George Moffett, who slipped away to be in attendance, arose and remarked that "The way we do down at Austin in the Legislature grows as we taking advantage of every opportunity

There are things going on down there you folks up here never hear about. But, my friends, it is a grand place, a wonderful place."

Lee Womaek suggested that George make himself more fully understood, but the latter declined on the grounds that if he did it would betray others, and the matter was dropped. President Boaz, Sr., however, appointed a committee of Luther Potts, Collie Fish, and Luke Hindman, to investigate just what takes place at Austin, and at the next session, they will attend.

J. A. McCaw, looking as if Christmas had already arrived, suggested that Kirby Williams disqualify himself as a hunter because he mistook a pole cat for a rabbit. The club quorum ruled that hereafter Kirby will be considered in the light of that act, a store clerk.

Near the close President Boaz presided several for their histerious acts, and told them he hoped at the next meeting, which is set for one month off, they would be more sober.

The club was then adjourned.

### IN MEMORY OF MRS. J. W. THOMASSON

In loving memory of Mrs. J. W. Thomasson, whom to know was to love her. She was a good neighbor, a true sympathetic friend in time of need or trouble, was loyal and faithful to her church and her loved ones. Her faith and Christian example was wonderful. She was cheerful, and ready to do her part in everything. We will miss her. Our loss is heaven's gain. Submitted by Her Neighbors.

## LOCALS

Nat Wofford of Abilene is here this week on business.

Mrs. J. T. Boaz, Sr., and daughter, Miss Kathryn Boaz, returned Friday from Guymon, Okla. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ted Dotts and baby, who are here for a visit.

Farwell Boston, a student in the Texas University, has returned to his studies following a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Boston, during the Christmas holidays.

John Simmons was in Dallas Saturday and witnessed the football game played between Amarillo and Corpus Christi for the state high school boy championship.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Carlock, and daughter, Miss Virginia Carlock, who spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Alexandria, La., returned home Friday evening.

Mrs. B. E. Burgess and daughter, Billie Irene, of Vernon, were in the city Saturday on a visit and to get Dorene Burgess, another daughter, who had been on a visit with her grandmother.

Alvin Parrack will leave this week-end for College Station to resume his studies at A. & M. College after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Ira L. Parrack.

## AT THE CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
Ira L. Parrack, Pastor  
All regular services Sunday and during the week.

Sunday school 9:45 with a well-come for you on this, the first Sunday of the New Year. Start the new year right by being in Sunday school in the first Sunday.

The Lord's supper will be observed at the 11 o'clock hour. The pastor will preach at 7 p. m. Training service at 6:15.

During the six days between Sundays one has ample time for material things. On Sunday it is well to seek spiritual things.

Everyone ought to turn to the house of the Lord on Sunday. If you are a Christian you need to seek new strength; if not a Christian, you need to seek the Lord.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. R. T. Broedlove, Pastor  
with the hope that the New Year may bring to each reader of this notice happiness and prosperity. This church offers the most sincere service for the advancement of the Kingdom of God in this community.

Services each Sunday at 9:45, 11 a. m., 6:15, and 7 p. m. And a cordial welcome is given to all who will attend.

## We Thank You

The business you turned our way during the past year is most certainly appreciated, and we want to know it.

Our prescription business has continually grown, you can be sure we will always be found to give quick but accurate—day or night.

### CHILLCOTHE DRUG COMPANY

### Kennedy Buys

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some to the lot to see the "mule." Upon arriving there, however, his face turned red "how" for the reason that the supposedly young cot mule was nothing else but a burro, oftentimes referred to as a donkey.  
Stung? well, Gene sauntered slowly uptown to his store where he was met by a group of friends who were aware of what had transpired. "Is my face red?" Gene inquired, and they—the friends—agreed it was.  
Where's Acton, just about where you would find anybody who got the best of the deal.  
A donkey, or a burro, or an ass, is the definition Webster gives. And Gene acknowledges it's all that.

## As Pioneers

We are again ready to "cornbread" it through another year with a continuation of your patronage.

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