



Come to the aid of the Party

This Valentine now brings to you
An invitation hearty,
To come and celebrate with us
St. Valentine Day's Party.



CARGILL COTTAGE



"Oh"
Fiddlesticks!
Come to Bryan
at
Seven



Junior High School
Commencement and Operetta

Mary Burnett School
Bellaire, Texas

June 3, 1938

8 o'clock

You are invited

ENNIS CARGILL



11-26-38

ENNIS CARGILL SUCCUMBS AT HIS HOME HERE

One of Founders of Firm
Bearing His Name, He
Also Took Active Part in
City's Civic Development.

Ennis Cargill, 69, died at his home, 4104 Bute, at 4:30 a.m. Saturday.

He was born in Brooklyn, March 10, 1869, but had been a resident of this city since he was one year old.

Mr. Cargill took an active part in the civic development of Houston. He was a director of the South Texas Commercial National Bank and the Guardian Trust Company.

The Cargill Company was organized in February, 1901, by Mr. Cargill and his father, Frank Cargill, and Edmund Burke.

The company started as a small concern with Ennis Cargill as president. He held the office until 1920, when he retired from active duty. He remained as director, serving in that capacity to the time of his death.

When the Houston Community Chest was first started in Houston Mr. Cargill was named treasurer and served in that capacity for 10 years.

He served as chairman of the board of trustees of the Mary Burnett School for Girls at Bellaire from its organization in 1914 until his health failed. He took an interest in the guiding and shaping of the school and was an inspiration to the students.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE SLATED TODAY FOR ENNIS CARGILL

11-27-38

Funeral services for Ennis Cargill, 69, for many years prominent as a Houston businessman and interested in social welfare work, will be held at 3 p.m. today at the Cargill home at 4104 Bute.

Burial will be in Glenwood Cemetery, with Rev. James P. DeWolfe, rector of Christ Church, officiating.

Mr. Cargill had long been active as an Episcopal layman and for years served on the vestry of Christ Church. One of his chief interests was the Mary Burnett School for Girls at Bellaire, formerly the Harris County School for Girls. Years ago, he donated a cottage to the school in honor of his mother, Mrs. Cornelia Ennis Cargill. He was consulted at intervals as to policy by the management of the home.

In addition to serving as chairman of the board of trustees of the Mary Burnett School, he was a member of the board of directors of the Cargill Company, which concern he headed until 1920, when he retired from active duty. He was one of the first staunch supporters of the Community Chest. He served as treasurer of the Chest for 10 years.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Elbert E. Adkins, Jr., of Houston, and Miss Ruby Cargill of Santa Barbara, Cal.; a sister, Mrs. John A. McClellan; a brother, T. A. Cargill of Houston, and a grandson, Elbert E. Adkins III of Houston.

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Ennis Cargill

THE founder and builder of a large business enterprise in Houston, a director of banks and other commercial institutions, a man who had achieved substantial success in his business undertakings was Ennis Cargill, but in the mind of the average citizen of Houston his name is associated more closely with work for the civic development of the city, and with movements for the aid of the underprivileged.

To think of Ennis Cargill is to think of the Community Chest, of the Mary Burnett School for Girls, of charity institutions and of Christ church, before the business concerns with which he was connected.

The Cornelia Ennis Cargill building at the school for girls at Bellaire was so named in memory of the mother of Mr. Cargill, after he had contributed a handsome sum to the school. To this institution he gave not only financial aid, but personal interest. The school has never had a better friend.

His devotion to his duties as treasurer of the Community Chest during the first 10 years of the Chest's life in Houston helped greatly in establishing firmly in this city this modern method of raising and distributing funds for charity, and for other welfare work. As one of the builders of the Houston Community Chest, he placed this city under a lasting debt of gratitude to him.

Throughout many years he was a tower of strength in his own church, and his influence as a man of Christian ideals and Christian living was city-wide.

Descendant of distinguished families who were early settlers in Houston, Mr. Cargill had spent 68 of his 69 years in this city. A cultured gentleman of the old school, he measured up to every responsibility that came to him in business life, as a citizen and as a churchman. In many circles he will be sadly missed, in none more so than in those peopled by the underprivileged and the needy.



Ennis Cargill, 69, co-founder of the Cargill company of Houston and director of the South Texas Commercial National bank and of the Guardian Trust company, died Saturday. Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the residence.

FOUNDERS' AND MEMBERS' DAY
October 2nd, 1938

Instrumental Prelude -- Erline Wallace

Call to Worship -- (unison): "Let us all, in the holy temple of God, give thanks for great and inspired personalities of the past. Let us all, during this sacred hour reflect on the virtues of God-guided men and women who may justly be called founders of a cause that has reached to the world's youth. Let us all, with eyes turned toward tomorrow, dedicate ourselves to the high purpose of God in Christ Jesus." Amen

Special Music -- Glee Club

Hymn -- Now in the Days of Youth

What is Founders' and Members' Day? -- Mrs. Smith

Responsive Reading:

Leader: And Jesus came to Nazareth, where He had been brought up: and as the custom was, He went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day, and stood up for to read.

Response: And there was delivered unto Him the book of the proper Isaiah. And when He opened the book, He found the place where it was written,

Leader: The spirit of the Lord is upon Me, because He hath anointed Me to heal the broken hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised,

Response: To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

Leader: And He closed the book, and He gave it again to the minister, and sat down. And the eyes of all them that were in the synagogue were fastened on Him.

Response: And he began to say unto them, this day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears.

A Prayer of Thanksgiving -- Miss Ballantyne

Hymn -- Follow, I Will Follow Thee

Francis E. Clark--Beatrice Babcock

Some Pictures of Christian Endeavor's Present Ministry -- Emma Nichilcon - Rosalie Vetuski - Helen James - Bertha York - Isabel Willis - Lucille Alewine - Mildred Davis - Paralee Clark

The Twin Slogans-- "WE CHOOSE CHRIST" -- "CHRIST FOR THE CRISIS"

Special Music -- Quartette

On Into the Future--Elizabeth Biddle

Offering -- Miss Gibbs

Hymn -- Living for Jesus

Sharp Shooting Contest

Awards -- Leader in Sharp Shooting Contest -- Leading Bible Ball Team -- Girl with Most Home Runs --

Benediction



You are cordially invited
to attend the Easter services

March 28, 1937

Mary Burnett School
Bellaire, Texas

3:00 o'clock

Cantata - "The First Easter" -
Ira Bishop Wilson

Address - Rev. James E. Ferguson
of Central Presbyterian Church

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A DRAMATIC CHRISTMAS PAGEANT - "ONE STAR-LIT NIGHT"

By The

MARY BURNETT SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Bellaire, Texas

SERMON BY DR. F. B. THORN

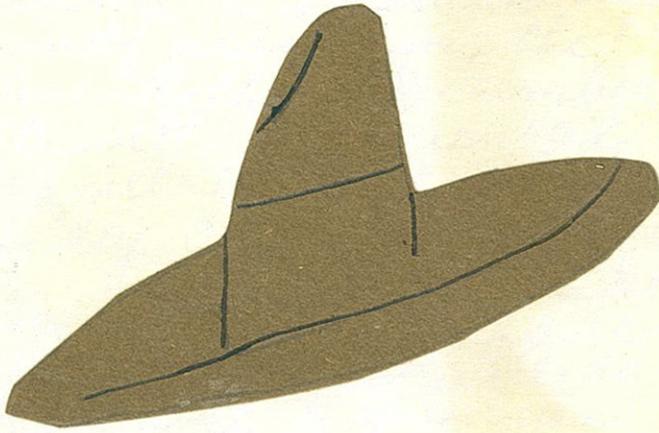
3. P. M.

December 25th, 1938

You Are Invited



La Luz



Señorita Claxton

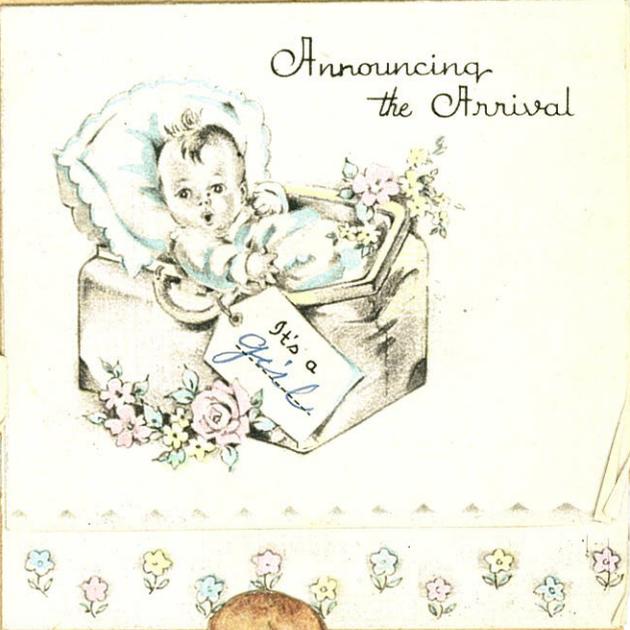


BELLAIRE COMMENCEMENT

On last Friday evening we attended commencement exercises at the Mary Burnett School at Bellarie, which, as always were interesting and entertaining. Rotarian Chester H. Bryan acted as master of ceremonies in his usual debonair manner, and District Governor P-Me, with great and unusual dignity, awarded the Henry Dudley and Rotary Club essay prizes.

Other Rotarians may have been present, but in the darkness we could not check the audience. 4/5/38

Sent to announce
the arrival of
Lilly Eva Luther
on March 27, 1937
weight 13 lbs.



Mr. and Mrs.
M. A. Bobo
announce the birth of
Nona Shirley Bobo
on July 14, 1937
weight 8 lbs.



We have a surprise.
And a very real prize.
A Baby, so precious
and new -

NAME Jawla Henry
WEIGHT 8 LBS
ARRIVED October 14, 1936
At the home of
MR and MRS Jawla Bennick



Announcing the arrival
 of Kathleen Jeanne born at 6³⁰
 on Jan 21, 1937 weight 7lbs ³/₄ Ounces
 Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pryor

BRIDE-TO-BE



Miss Gloria Ferguson announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her sister, Edna, to Searcy Davis. The wedding will take place in early June.

1935
Mary Burnett Glee Club Gives Cantata

The Glee club of the Mary Burnett School for Girls at Bellaire presented "The Eternal Life," an Easter cantata, for several hundred parents and friends of the school. Miss Ethel A. Claxton, superintendent, was in charge of the program.

The cantata was directed by Mrs. Lillian M. Brand, voice instructor. Miss Nayene Lee, piano instructor at the school, was accompanist.

The Easter message was delivered by Rev. L. T. DeForest, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Clemens Memorial. The meaning of Easter was presented by Rev. DeForest in a beautifully illustrated fable of Easter at the Lord's grave and resurrection.

Several sacred numbers by the school chorus were given also.

The stage in the auditorium was decorated with palms and Easter lilies. An improvised pulpit was at the front of the stage.

Class Night Exercises

Mirabeau B. Lamar Senior High School

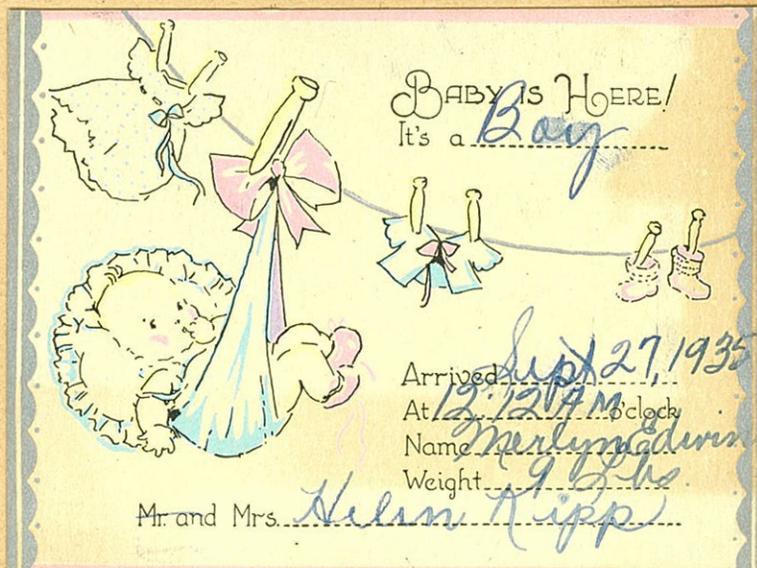
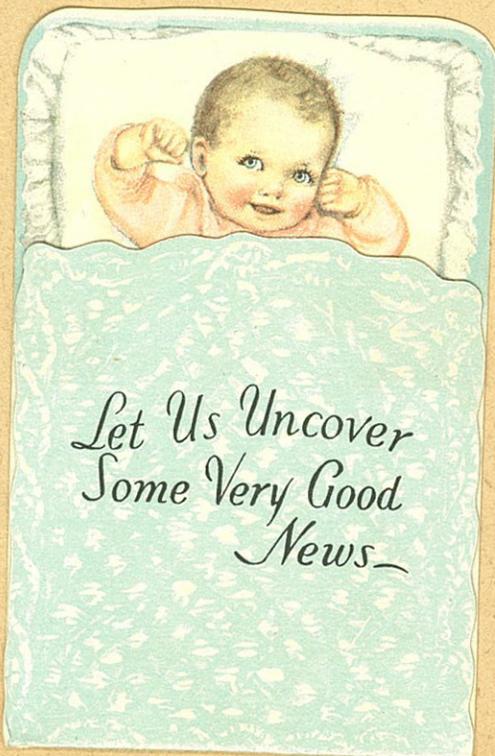
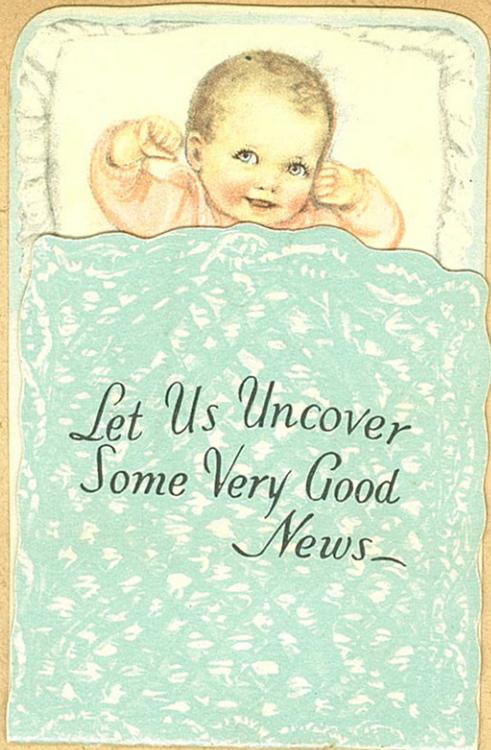
Fourth Graduating Class



LAMAR AUDITORIUM

Tuesday, June 3

8: p.m.





A BIG NEWS, AT OUR HOUSE!
 A LITTLE STRANGER'S COME TO STAY
 JUST THE CUTEST KID IN TOWN
 LATEST REPORTS ALL SEEM TO SAY!

NAME Robert McMenemy, Jr.
 DATE Oct 11 WEIGHT 8 lbs 5 oz
 PARENTS Mr & Mrs McMenemy

MADE IN U.S.A.



HELLO! I'VE JUST ARRIVED AT
 the Home of

Mr and Mrs R. L. Dwin

On Jan 28 - 36

At 12:30 AM o'clock

My name is Robert

Weight 8 lbs 10 oz



Mr. and Mrs.

Harry Diacos

announce the birth of

Harry Diacos, Jr.

on Oct. 18-1938.

weight 7 1/4 lbs.



Announcing the arrival of

Henry Clark

On 8/18/36

Weight 8 lb. 7 oz.

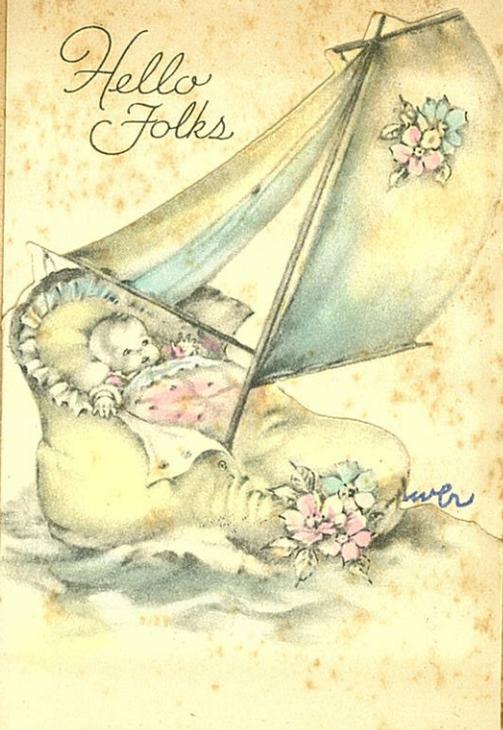
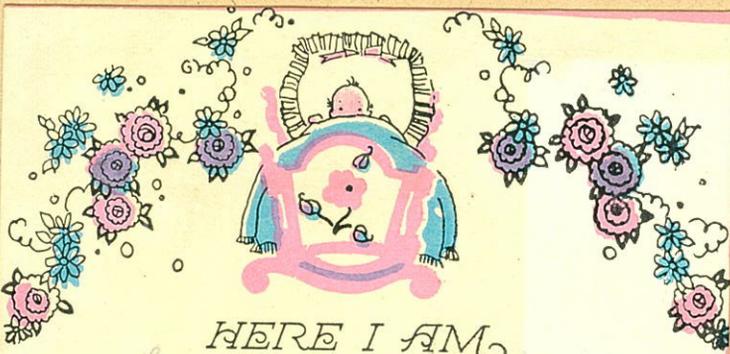
Mr & Mrs N. S. Daughlin

(Elizabeth Manley)

ANNOUNCING—
THE ARRIVAL
OF *Carl Richard Moore*
5:25 AM
ON *June 28, 1936*
WEIGHT *8 lbs.*
MR. AND MRS.
Carl Moore



Hello Folks

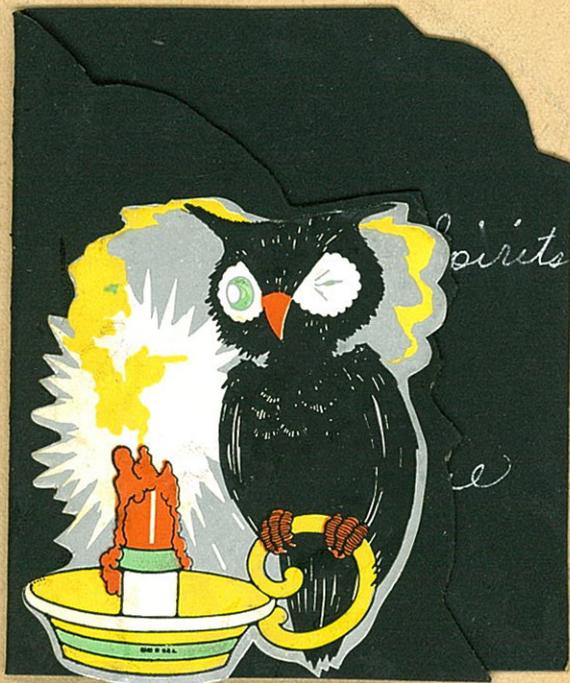



HERE I AM
NAME *Louis Edward Anderson*
DATE *7-11-36*
PARENTS *Mr. & Mrs. L. E. Anderson*
WEIGHT *10 1/4 lbs.*
(Norma Kreisler)



*Our
New Arrival*

CARGILL COTTAGE
OCTOBER 28, 1938



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CONGRATULATIONS
On Your Anniversary



Miss Harper

AFRUSA

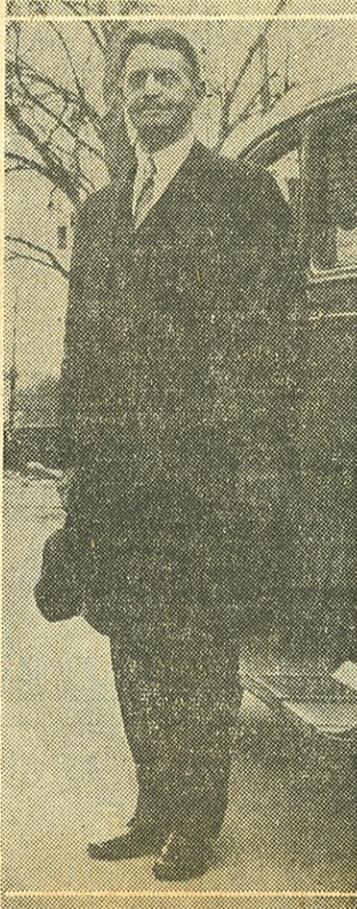


1938
June 14 - 38

As silently one by one in the infinite meadows of Heaven blossom the lovely stars, the forget-me-nots ~~exquisitely~~ of the angels, so quietly do some of God's people fulfil their missions here on earth that only those who are closely associated with them in their homes and at their work understand the true meaning of their lives in their homes and with those with whom they work each day.

Mr. Bass has gone to his reward in the great Beyond but he has left in his home a memory of love, devotion and service which will remain so long as a member of the family is on earth. *from generation to generation*
To the Mary Burnett School *where he* worked for many years he will be thought of as -one most competent in fulfilling his duties and one, who was always and under all circumstances, pleasant, thoughtful, cooperative and ready to serve

HENRY G. THAYER



**Henry G. Thayer, 68,
Pioneer Musician
Of Houston, Buried**

Funeral services for Henry George Thayer, 68, of 3707 Audubon Place, were held at 9 a.m. Friday at the Fogle-West chapel, with Rev. J. K. O'Heeron officiating. Burial was in Washington Cemetery. Mr. Thayer died at 10 p.m. Wednesday at his home.

Mr. Thayer was born in Camden, N. J. He was graduated from the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music and later studied violin with Gustave Hille of Leipsic and with Enrico Sansone of Naples; he also was a pupil of Professor Booth of New York.

Mr. Thayer was founder and instructor of the Rice Institute band and organizer and leader of the Texas Company band.

Mr. Thayer and his band played at the opening of the Majestic Theatre on Texas Avenue about 30 years ago. He was an instructor in two of the different conservatories in Houston. Many bands have been organized and placed by Mr. Thayer.

He was a member of the B. P. O. E., Houston Lodge No. 151, and of the Musicians Union. He had been a resident of Houston for the past 32 years.

Surviving are his wife Mrs. Isabel Thayer, son, Justin C. Thayer, both of Houston, a sister, Mrs. James Willis of Dallas, and a brother, Edwin Q. Thayer of Kansas City, and several nieces and nephews.

6-18-37

**Mrs. Wright Will
Be 87 Saturday**

Mrs. Anna Allen Wright will observe her eighty-seventh birthday anniversary Saturday at her home at Evergreen.

Mrs. Wright, foster daughter of Dr. Ashbel Smith, Texas patriot and minister to England and France from the Texas republic, has lived for the past 80 years and since her marriage, more than a half century ago, in a small residence a short distance from the site of the historic Smith home.

Mrs. Wright, the orphaned daughter of a Confederate soldier, was sent to the old Bayland orphanage more than 80 years ago when her mother died at the Allen home at Centerville.

Shortly afterward she was taken from the home and adopted by Dr. Smith. Her first tutor was Anson Jones, a close friend of Dr. Smith, and the last president of the Texas republic.

Mrs. Wright, though wealthy from the oil revenues derived from her inherited areas in the old Goose Creek oil field, still lives simply. She is remarkably active and maintains a keen interest in local and national affairs.

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4-27-39
**WPA Allots \$9563
For Reconditioning
School for Girls**

Reconditioning work and painting of buildings at the Mary Burnett School for Girls, a county institution at Bellaire, will be made possible through an allotment of \$9563 by the WPA.

Word of the allotment's approval by President Roosevelt came from Congressman Albert Thomas, Thursday.

The federal allotment will supplement a \$5546 sum set up in the school's budget, making a total of \$15,109.

This will provide for painting, inside and out, of the Bayland and Betty Bryan buildings, and the outside painting of Cargill and Superintendent Claxton cottages, extension and painting of the laundry building, resurfacing of the shell streets on the school grounds, cleaning out of a drainage ditch and road ditches, and certain details of placing an independent water line to the swimming pool, placing of a new curtain in the auditorium and the like.

The work will be done under the supervision of County Engineer Hugo W. H. Zapp. Due to the necessity for advertising for bids for paint, actual work probably will not start for nearly 30 days.

Bellaire Party 10-26-39

Chairman W. Emmett Sampson announces the date of the Annual Bellaire Christmas Party, at the Mary Burnett School for Girls, as being Thursday evening, December 7. On account of the Club having to give up the Rice Ballroom on that date, the Board of Directors has announced this party as our regular meeting that day. Now that the Mary Burnett School has a more spacious meeting place for the banquet the wives of the Rotarians are being invited to attend this year.

**Bellaire School Girls Send
Letter of Appreciation**

Addressed to "dear friends," was a mighty fine letter of appreciation received from the girls at the Mary Burnett School for Girls. It said:

"After dinner Christmas Eve, everything around the cottage took on a very mysterious air. Everyone was rushed up stairs without any explanation given. From down stairs sounds of movement and mystery floated up to the curious listeners who stood in groups. After what seemed ages, a girl came to the stairs and called for everyone to come down.

"Down the steps ran eager and anxious feet. At the bottom of the stairs all the girls stood spellbound, looking into the dining room where stood the lighted Christmas tree with various sized packages under it.

"Only for a minute did they stand in admiration, each girl then went eagerly into the room, each looking for her name on the packages. You cannot imagine the joy and delight of each and every girl when she opened her package.

"Truly it has been a wonderful Christmas for each and everyone of us. We truly appreciate your making this lovely Christmas possible. Thanking you, we are,

THE BAYLAND GIRLS.