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HOWE IS GROWING INTO A BEAUTIFUL RESIDENTIAL TOWN

By Mame Roberts

"The house next door-- There in this street of houses in which I live--and know my neighbors.

Howe has been such a little town, a friendly and neighborly town. The population of Howe was for so long, just 540 people, then the population figures at the entrance of the town read 570. Now, counting all the new additions springing up in all directions, the population has grown--it looks like--looking around--it might be 2,000. If it is not now, it soon will be.

The people of Howe are not rich, except in togetherness, their spirit of cooperation, their cultural and educational aspirations, and the high goal for better living they have set in their plans for progress.

Once upon a time, there was in Howe a little house, without paint, it was old, but inside there lived a family who could create beauty out of nothing, and make a good home. They entwined beautiful morning glories over the ugliness, wherever possible. They kept things clean. People drove blocks to see the place. It is the spirit that makes Howe grow.

Credit must be given to the Howe City Government which had to use extreme economy, saving, scraping, making every cent count in the extension of sewer facilities, extending water and gas lines, making new streets to the new additions.

One of Howe's newest additions, "Southern Heights," has an area of 68 acres, a beautifully laid-out plot of land, with restricted building privileges. This addition of all brick homes attracts home seekers from many states; many commute to industrial plants near-by and to Dallas. "Northern Hills," is a village within itself, with an attractive, hospitable, convenient home atmosphere with all the city conveniences a town can have. These additions are growing rapidly.

In East Howe is a new addition of homes, one of the most attractive home-sites--a new street, with homes like a picture book--so inviting.

On the street which will meet the new express way, tracts of land are being readied for development. New building sites are being made ready all over town--lovely homes cannot be allocated to any one area--they are everywhere from one corner of Howe to the other.

Howe is growing into a town of beautiful homes--with a residential boom.

COLISION INJURS TWO

Two persons were injured Friday about 10:25 a.m. at the corner of Denny and Tutt Streets in Howe.

Admitted to Madonna Hospital in Denison was Mrs. Bertha Mitchell, 63, of Frost. Her condition was described as good by hospital authorities. She had a severe cut on her right knee.

Mr. Hugh McCord was treated for a head injury and released.

Mrs. Mitchell was apparently driving north at a fairly high rate of speed. Mr. McCord apparently attempted to make a left turn in front of Mrs. Mitchell and was struck on the right front corner by the front center of the Mitchell car. Both cars were badly damaged.

This is the second accident within the city limits of Howe since we have been here. No fatalities.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cloud of Dallas and Mrs. Neva Cloud Davis of Plainview have been guests of Mrs. W. W. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cloud this week.

Bill Collins III of Fort Worth has been a guest in the home of Mrs. W. W. Collins.

HIWAY JOB PROGRESSING

Austin-State Highway engineer D. C. Greer reported Saturday that the \$1,200,000 job of grading and structures on US 75 in Grayson County from the north of Collin County line to south of FM 902 underpass has passed the 21 percent mark of completion with \$251,776 used to date by Concho Construction Co. Inc. and Connley Construction Co.

FIRE FIGHTERS FIGHT WATER

Howe firemen enjoyed a good battle Monday night. To climax a work session the boys "hooked up" on Ferguson Park and a king sized water fight ensued. Three thousand gallons later only the chief and one other coward remained dry. Doug Bell said, "Most people who drown are dryer than he was." Captain King promised the boys can continue their fight next meeting night and each boy is determined to wash some one off another hose.

The department has openings for two more members.

SCHOOL CALENDER 1964 1965

August 28
Faculty meeting.

August 31
Registration of all pupils.

September 1
First day of classes.

September 7
Labor Day -- Holiday.

October 9
End 1st 6-week period (28 days)

November 20
End 2nd 6-week period (30 days)

November 26 - 27
Thanksgiving Holidays.

December 23
Dismiss for Christmas Holidays.

January 4
Resume classes after Christmas Holidays.

January 15
End 3rd 6-weeks period (31 days)

January 15
End first semester (89 days).

January 18
2nd semester begins.

February 26
End 4th 6-weeks period (30 days).

April 9
End 5th 6-weeks period (30 days).

April 16 - 19
Easter Holidays.

May 16
Baccalaureate

May 20
Commencement.

May 21
Last day of classes.

May 21
End 6th 6-weeks period (28 days).

May 21
End of Semester (88 days)
Total days of instruction (177).

May 24
Close school, hand out report cards, etc.

IN THE HOSPITALS

Leon Thornhill is in the Community Hospital of Sherman with a liver infection.

Mrs. Birdie Sollis fell and hurt her knee. She is improving in the Community Hospital. They are hoping that she may be able to come home shortly.

Mrs. James McGuffee was taken to the Wilson Jones Hospital Sunday but was able to return Wednesday. This was a recurrence of an old trouble.

Christie Smith was also in Wilson Jones Hospital over Tuesday night.

SOIL CONSERVATION

Most of the small grain residues in the north part of the Collin Soil Conservation District have either been properly managed or burned at this time, according to Raymond McCraig, soil conservationist. The properly managed residues are giving protection against the high summer temperatures adding organic material to the soil and adding fertility.

Those fields that have been burned are depleting organic material, destroying the soil bacteria and allowing the soil to bake in 100 degree plus temperatures.

Farmers who have burned their small grain stubble have missed an opportunity to apply one of the best conservation practices to the land without any additional cost.

Maize and corn harvest will be in full swing in the very near future. These high residue crops offer the opportunity to add organic material and fertility to the soil as well as affording good protection from water erosion and high temperatures.

The Collin Soil Conservation District urges you to take advantage of the opportunity to improve your soil by practicing good crop residue use.

Col. Woodroe, who is retiring from the armed forces, in company with Mrs. Woodroe and Chuckey are visiting Mrs. Woodroe's mother, Mrs. Walter Callaway. They have recently been stationed in New York.

NOTICE G. A.s

The G. A.s will meet this Thursday afternoon at 3:00.

SPORTSMANSHIP

And in the world as in a school
You know how Fate may turn and shift;
The prize be sometimes to the fool,
The race not always to the swift.
Who misses or who gains the prize,
Go, lose or conquer, as you can,
But if you fall or if you rise,
Be each, pray God, a gentleman.
--Wm. M. Thackeray.

REVIVAL AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CONTINUES

The revival at the First Baptist Church will continue through Sunday night. Services will continue Thursday and Friday morning at 10:00. There will not be a service Saturday morning. The evening services will continue at 7:30 each evening including Saturday.

Choir practice is at 7:30 each evening. The nursery is opened at 9:45 and 7:15 each day.

A goal of 230 has been set for the Sunday School Sunday morning. The record attendance is 227. There will be a baptismal service following the Sunday evening service.

The pastor, Claude Cone, is doing the preaching and Bob Miller of Kermit, Texas, is leading the singing. Mr. Miller is a brother of Mrs. Claude Cone. August 10 Mr. Miller will become the music director of the First Baptist Church, Yesleta, Texas.

Everyone is extended a warm and personal welcome to these services.

CHURCH SERVICES

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Dean Speece, Minister.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service 11:00 A. M.

METHODIST CHURCH

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship.
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting.
Everyone is invited to attend.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCHEDULE

SUNDAY:
Bible Classes 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Teenage Classes 6:00 P.M.
Evening Worship 6:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY:
Mid-Week Bible Classes
..... 7:30 P. M.
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BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
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THIS WEEK'S SERMONETTE

YOU CANNOT SIN AND WIN

By Claude Cone, Pastor
First Baptist Church

There are many participating in the game of sin. They think they are winning. They may win one game, but the league's season isn't over. A man cannot give himself to sin and win. Perhaps we should define the word SIN. Paul said it is "missing the mark." What is the target for which every man is to shoot? Jesus Christ! We are to always strive to be like Him. To do what we want to do and leave Him out is sin. We cannot sin and win.

It is possible to deceive some of the people all of the time, and it is possible to deceive all of the people some of the time, but we cannot deceive God any time. He knows all things and sees all things. Hagar in the desert said, "Thou God seest me." The exterior may fool the public, but it does not fool God. He knows us, not as we appear to be, but as we are. We cannot hide from Him. Peter told the Lord, "Lord, thou knowest all things." The writer of Hebrews tells us "that all things are naked and open unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do."

The apostle Paul writes to the Galatian church and reminds them that they cannot sin and win. In Galatians 6:7, 8 he said: "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting." A man is going to reap what he sows. The individual playing with sin is not going to win. Corruption will be the reward. Corruption in this life and eternal corruption in the life to come. Someone would ask, "How do you know?" Because the statement "whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" is true in every area of life. It is a basic law in the game of life.

We cannot sin and win because we all reap what we sow. This is an established law of agriculture. One cannot sow cotton and reap corn. If we plant onions, we will reap onions. In like fashion, one cannot sow to the flesh and reap the Spirit. If you sow to the flesh, you are not going to have a crop failure. Reap you must, and you cannot get away from it. The individual who sows to the flesh shall reap corruption. The home that sows to the flesh shall reap corruption. The nation that sows to the flesh shall reap corruption. God is no respecter of persons or nations. There are individuals who are flowering in life and it appears that they are going to beat the sin game. They won't. The mills of God grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly small. The judgments of God have lead feet, they are sluggish in their march, but when they apprehend the victim they have iron hands. May God help us to be crowned with knowledge from Heaven so that we might apply ourselves unto righteousness.

We cannot sin and win because we reap

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more than we sow. There would be no profit in farming if we would sow two potatoes and reap but two potatoes. The profit in farming is assured by the fact that we reap more than we sow. The same is true in sowing to the flesh or to the Spirit. The harvest will be greater than the sowing. The graphic story of David illustrates the truth of this point. He commits adultery with Bathsheba then has her husband killed so he can have her for his wife. Now Bathsheba belongs to David, but their sin was still before them. Notice, the harvest begins to come in. The baby of the relationship died; crop number one. One of the sons of David commits adultery with his own sister and the entire nation was shocked. David was grieved, but you reap more than you sow and the crops are coming in. Absalom loved the sister that had been spoiled and he plots how can get even with his lustful brother. He plans a party and invites Amnon, and at the height of his drunkenness, he is slain. Crop number three, and again David is grieved and mourns. Next, Absalom begins armed rebellion against his father, David. In quelling the rebellion Absalom is killed. Upon hearing the news David cries, "O Absalom, my son, my son, would to God that I had died for thee." Thus the harvest continues and sin is an expensive venture that sooner or later collects its toll.

We cannot sin and win because we all reap later than we sow. A farmer does not plant one day and reap the next. Multitudes have the idea that they are getting away with sin simply because the sky doesn't fall the moment they do wrong. As the writer of Ecclesiastes said, "Because sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil." Because God doesn't punish sin the moment a man commits it, he thinks that he has gotten away, and therefore he sets his mind to do it again. Payday comes later. God moves slowly, but He moves surely. Elijah told Ahab that his wife, Jezebel, would be eaten by dogs and twenty years later it came true. We cannot get away with sin. It is impossible for a man to sin and win.

The only solution to the sin problem is Jesus Christ. John the Baptist pointed to Jesus and said, "Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world." There is no need for a man to sow to the flesh and reap corruption when he can sow to the Spirit and reap life everlasting. Give your heart to Christ today. You can trust Him and win.

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COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Grayson County Commissioners' Court met in regular session at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 21, 1964.

The date for a public hearing on the new budget was set for Tuesday, August 18, 1964 at 10:00 a.m.

The Court authorized a Quit Claim Deed on some property located in Howe.

Mr. Hestand, Precinct no. 1, was authorized to trade in a grease gun on a steam

cleaner.

A group of citizens appeared before the Court concerning the blasting being done on Lake Texoma. After receiving an opinion from the county attorney's office, the Commissioners' Court advised them that they did not have jurisdiction over the lake. They asked that the county attorney's office write the attorney general's office for an opinion.

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