

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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## MOTHER AND SON KILLED IN CAR WRECK

### Grady M. Thacker Killed Instantly In Colorado Accident; Mother Dies In Hospital

#### DOUBLE FUNERAL SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT 10 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING IN METHODIST CHURCH

Double funeral service will be held at the Methodist Church in Crowell Thursday morning (today) at 10 o'clock for Mrs. Fannie Thacker and her son, Grady M. Thacker, victims of an automobile accident near Pueblo, Colo., Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

#### J. B. CHILCOAT DIED MON., AUG. 14, AT TRUSCOTT

#### Funeral Held Tuesday at Methodist Church

Funeral services for J. B. Chilcoat, 84, were held at the Truscott Methodist Church Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 14, at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Joe W. English officiating, assisted by Rev. Geo. E. Tyson.

#### Revival Services to Begin at Church of Christ Saturday

A revival meeting will start at the Church of Christ, two blocks northwest of the square, Saturday night, Aug. 19, with Elder Lester Hathaway of Mobeetie doing the preaching. The meeting will close Sunday, Aug. 27.

#### Charley Blevins Has Fine Cotton

Prospects for a big cotton yield in Foard County were never better than at the present time. Charley Blevins, who lives east of Crowell, has a 40-acre field of cotton that is as good as can be found, and indications now are that it will produce a bale to the acre.

#### FIRST ROUND OF COUNTRY CLUB TOURNAMENT STARTED MONDAY WITH 36 GOLFERS MATCHED FOR PLAY

The qualifying round of the annual Spring Lake Country Club golf tournament ended Sunday, at which time thirty-six golfers had posted scores ranging from 72 to 137 to give the Country Club a four-flight tourney. The progress of the tournament will be posted in the window of the Corner Drug Store where the prizes which will be awarded to the winners are now on display.

#### 30 Damage Estimated in Car Collision on City Street Friday

Approximately \$30.00 damage was sustained to the automobile owned by Sewell Roy when it collided with the vehicle being driven by Mrs. Jimmie Franklin on Main Street last Friday morning. The accident occurred in front of the Cicero-Smith Lumber Company.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued from the county clerk's office to Dale King and Miss Zella Bridges of Roaring Springs on August 14.

#### Going My Way?

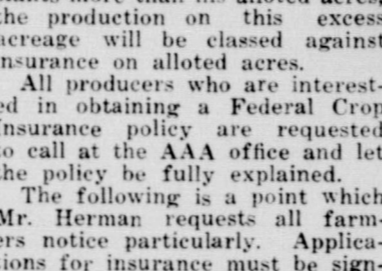


A baby donkey and a young vacationist strike up a friendship at Blackpool, England. The four-legged baby isn't quite strong enough to work, but will soon be earning his oats by carrying children over the sand.

#### FORMS FOR 1940 INSURANCE FOR WHEAT COMING

Listing sheets that are necessary in taking applications for wheat insurance for 1940 are expected to be received by the local AAA office within the next few days, according to information released by Weldon P. Herman, administrative assistant, Wednesday afternoon.

#### Laughing Cavalier



Harold Bradley, Laguna Beach, Calif., garage owner, was picked out on the street by Roy M. Ropp, director of the Pageant of the Masters program to portray Franz Hals' famous picture, "Laughing Cavalier." This is how he appeared on the program, a vivid reproduction of the famous painting.

#### 1939 COUNTY TAX RATE SET BY COMMISSIONERS; LOWEST FOR FOARD IN SEVERAL YEARS

The 1939 county tax rate, which was set Tuesday evening, August 15, by the commissioners' court of Foard County, is the lowest which has been set for the county in several years, according to figures released by Judge Claude Callaway.

#### Methodists at Margaret Will Start Revival

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#### New B. & W. Man's Shop Owners



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#### TIRE BLOWOUT CAUSES TRAGEDY AS DRIVER ATTEMPTS TO PASS HOUSE TRAILER NEAR PUEBLO

Grady M. Thacker, 46, cashier of the Crowell State Bank, was killed instantly and his mother, Mrs. Fannie Thacker, 74, pioneer resident of Crowell and Foard County, was injured fatally when a tire blowout caused their automobile to overturn and crash into a ditch Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock nine miles south of Pueblo, Colo., Mrs. Thacker died in a Pueblo hospital late Monday night from injuries received in the accident.

#### OMAHA MAN TO MAKE TALK ON TOWNSEND PLAN

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#### BUILDS HOME IN SEAGRAVES

The construction of a modern five-room home in Seagraves for Mr. and Mrs. Walker P. Todd was completed this week by H. D. Poland of Crowell.

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#### COTTON SUBSIDY FORMS READY FOR PRODUCERS' SIGNATURES; EARLY SIGNING, EARLY CHECKS

The cotton subsidy forms, or application blanks for payment of 1.6 cents per pound of cotton on allotted acres, times the adjusted yield, are now ready for the signatures of cotton producers on farms that have been measured and certified by producers that the measurements are correct. Weldon P. Herman, administrative assistant, stated in an interview Wednesday.

#### Car, Truck Collide Near Thalia Sunday; About \$250 Damage

Considerable damages were done to an automobile and truck which collided in a short distance west of Thalia late Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. Herman urges that each producer who has received confirmation sheets to return them to the AAA office at once in order that the application for payment on 1939 subsidy can be executed. Unless these confirmation sheets are received certifying that the measurements are correct, it will be impossible for the AAA office to execute said forms, thereby delaying check, which should be received within two months after signature has been received.

Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT (By John Chilcoat)

W. J. Farres of Fort Worth visited friends in Gilliland last week. He left for Vernon Sunday and will return to Gilliland the last of this week.

of Mr. and Mrs. Van Browning, is in the Quannah Hospital.

N. B. Fields of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark.

Mrs. Guyon Hickman and daughters, June and Rachel, are visiting relatives in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boykin and children, Madie Belle and Gaylin, and Cully Eubank visited in Carlsbad last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan returned from a vacation trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Houston of Delwin visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Leffer and children, Tommy Joe and Ann, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Pinky Long and son, J. M., of Quannah are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Miss Marjorie Browning visited relatives in Benjamin last week.

Mrs. C. C. Browning and son, Clyde, visited in Crowell Friday.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

Mrs. Sam Kuehn of Riverside and her mother, Mrs. T. L. Ward, of Thalia visited relatives here last Monday.

Miss Theresa Lawson of Denton and Miss Brock of Fargo visited in the R. A. Rutledge home last week.

Henry Jordan of Vernon spent Sunday night with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Stockton, Calif., are visiting her father, H. D. Lawson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keenan and her father, T. F. Davis, and Mrs. Buck Clark attended church at Thalia Sunday.

The Baptist revival started here Sunday night. Rev. A. J. Ward of Gotebo, Okla., is doing the preaching. Everyone is invited to attend.

About one and one-half inches of rain fell here last Monday night and Tuesday morning. Have a splendid season and cotton and feed are doing well. There are some report millers being very numerous in cotton fields.

Ball Game The ball game here Sunday between this place and the Riverette teams of soft ball was a very interesting game. At the ending of the ninth inning, they were tied 6 and 6. During the next eight innings neither team made a score.

In the 18th inning Riverette at bat first made two scores, Rayland followed and made one, the game ending 8 and 7 in favor of the Riverettes.

A large crowd was present and excitement at the breaking point as the eight innings were played, contesting the tie.

GOOD CREEK (Mrs. E. M. Cox)

Mrs. Edgar Hensley and children of Iowa Park spent Sunday with Mrs. L. R. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whitley of Foard City spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Jack Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Smiley Black and children of Vivian spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jack Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hinkle of Crowell spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hinkle of Crowell spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. M. Cox.

Lois and Buddie Hinkle of Crowell spent Sunday with their cousin, Arnold Cox.

Buddie and Ed. Thomas of Crowell visited Monday night with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marlow and Miss Flodel Wallace this week.

Miss Billie Vice of San Angelo visited Miss Billie Morrison this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Owens and children, Mildred, Pauline and J. M., of Riverside attended church here Wednesday night.

Mrs. Luther Denton and children, Doris, Garland, James Ray and Kay Wynell, of Crowell visited relatives here Friday.

Miss Juanita Roman returned Tuesday from Clayton, N. M., where she visited her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Roberts, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens and children, Betty and Patsy, of Sweetwater are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Owens.

Audrey Starnes returned to her home at Crowell Monday after staying a week with Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wrenn. Dr. Wrenn is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingle and daughter, Betty Jane, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Denton and family of Crowell Thursday.

J. W. Harris spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Miss Grace Huston has returned to her home in Hobbs, N. M., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. S. Wrenn, and husband.

Ed Taylor and son, Gordon, visited his daughter, Mrs. Muriel Trout, of Mobeetie. They were accompanied by his granddaughter, Helen Marie Trout, who had been visiting here. Garland Taylor returned home with them.

Mrs. Walter Owens and Miss Billie Wise went to Sweetwater Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Hunter and son, Taylor V., and T. P. Hunter have returned to their homes in Illinois and Oklahoma after a visit with relatives here.

Miss Pauline Bradford has returned home from Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford met Mrs. Lizzie Bradford of Chickasha, Okla., at Quannah Sunday. She has come for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Sude Bradford, who has just returned from the Vernon hospital. Mrs. Bradford is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudgens and children, Charles and Bobby Lou, of Gambleville visited R. H. Blevins Sunday.

Miss Ludell Murphy, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blevins of Elmer, Okla., returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ingle visited relatives in Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Jimmie Hembree, Mrs. Taylor Hunter, Mrs. Belle Blevins and T. P. Hunter returned from Sudan Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wozencruff and sons, Johnnie Lee and W. T. of Otton visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cloate and little daughter, Sandra Rowlene and his mother, Mrs. Jim Cloate, have returned from Cleburne, where they visited relatives.

Miss Geneva Smith is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. Burleson, of Elmer, Okla.

A nice shower fell here Monday evening.

MARGARET (By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mrs. Melvin Moore and little son, Billy Ray, of Lorenzo and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jake Middlebrook of Roswell, N. M., came Thursday for a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook.

Mrs. Alice Evans, Mrs. C. H. Yates, Mrs. Naomi Weathers and Garrett Middlebrook visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunter and family of Kirkland last week. Mrs. Hunter came home with them for a few days' visit.

Mrs. C. H. Yates and children, Clarence and Dorothy, of Abilene arrived last week for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Owens have returned from a trip to Arizona where they took Mrs. Owens' mother, Mrs. Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cavin of Crowell visited here and attended church Wednesday.

J. S. Owens, who returned from the Quannah hospital Tuesday, took a turn for the worse and was taken back Thursday.

Mrs. Maybelle Taylor is visiting A. B. Pechacek of Woodson.

Rev. Harrell Rea of Crowell was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerley Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jim Furgason and children, Zelma and Morris, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison this week.

W. S. Carter and son, W. S., and his sister, Mrs. Fortner, of Dallas, have returned from a trip to Little Rock, Ark., and other eastern points.

Mrs. W. E. Lovelace and sons, Beryl and Hoyt, of Vernon visited her husband, Rev. W. E. Lovelace, who is conducting a revival meeting at the First Baptist Church here and Rev. and Mrs. John H. Stout.

Dorline Pruitt of Quannah is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jack Roden, this week.

Rev. Harrell Rea, pastor of the First Christian Church of Crowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant A. Morrison and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Russell of Benjamin are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Russell, and other relatives this week.

Misses Mildred and Margaret Marlow of Foard City are visiting

BLACK

(Mrs. Sherman Nichols)

Miss Jewel Mullins and Roy Mullins of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Mullins, and family.

Mrs. John Shirley and son, Vesta, of Roaring Springs visited her brother, W. W. Nichols, and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Hall returned home Friday from Denton with her daughter, Annie Mae, who has been ill there for several days. They were accompanied home by their son and brother, Vincent Hall, who returned Saturday morning.

Mrs. Riley Trammell and children and Miss Oleta Green of Crowell spent Friday night with W. C. Trammell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and children visited Mrs. L. Kamstra in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Rev. R. P. Drennon of Odessa spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fox and son, David, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Solomon and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall and family attended church at Margaret Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Simmons and daughter, Melba, of Crowell visited Sherman Nichols and family Friday evening.

Miss Alma Boren returned to her home at Wichita Falls Sunday after spending several days with friends here and at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Mathis of Willowview spent Sunday with Mrs. Mathis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Trammell, and family.

Street Simmons of Medicine Mound visited his cousin, Doris Naron, Sunday.

Misses Rose and Reba Trammell visited friends in Quannah Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb visited Mrs. Cobb's mother, Mrs. L. Kamstra, in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Boman and family of Five-in-One spent Sunday with Mr. Boman's mother and sister, Mrs. R. P. Boman and Mrs. C. O. Nichols, and family.

Mrs. Clyde Cobb and daughter, Wanda, spent several days and nights with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. L. Kamstra, of Crowell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Trammell of Crowell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Trammell, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Simmons and son, L. G., of Crowell visited John Nichols and wife Monday evening.

Miss Sammie Gene Mills of Crowell spent Tuesday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and children visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jonas of Crowell Sunday evening.

William Vaught is spending several days with his cousin, L. G. Simmons, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bursey visited their daughter, Mrs. Gerald Knox, and family of Crowell Sunday.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. Who was it that referred, in a most unbecoming manner, to Vice President Garner in a committee room in Washington as a 'whiskey drinker, poker playing, evil old man'?

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Two Minute Sermon (By Thomas Hastwell)

The Blessing of Obedience: We recall in our study of Jehoshaphat that his life was one of obedience—obedience to the law of God. Because Jehoshaphat was obedient to the law of God his reign was a reign of peace and his people prospered. As it was in the days of Jehoshaphat so it is today. In the path of obedience lies the greatest happiness and content. Man is called upon to obey the rules of the home, the civil law, the physical law and God's law. If he disobeys the law of the home it creates unhappiness and discord in the home. If he disobeys the civil law he answers to society. If he disobeys God's law, his body and his health suffer for it. If he disobeys God's law, the law of his spiritual life, he deprives himself of the blessing of spiritual harmony. The law of life is the law of obedience to laws—laws are not made to deprive man of any measure of joy that life can hold, but rather to insure him the greatest measure of content, of physical well being, and spiritual peace.

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TEN LUCKY PERSONS have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at The News office to see— "It's A Wonderful World"

Five of them will find their names in the classified ad section and the other five will find their names in the Rialto Theatre ad on the back page of this issue.

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Save on all Your FOOD NEEDS 4-lb. carton 39c SCHILLING'S COFFEE 25c pound FORT HOWARD TISSUE WHITE AS SNOW-SOFT AS DOW 3 Rolls ..... 19c 25-oz. can K. C. BAKING POWDER ... 17c OUR MOTHER'S COCOA ..... 2-lb. can 19c SLICED BREAKFAST BACON ... 1 lb. 20c SKINLESS WEINERS ..... lb. 17c POT ROAST Choice Cuts Pound 16c Haney-Razor

News from Neighboring Communities

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Beatrice Gamble returned Tuesday from a week's visit to her brother, Glenn Gamble, in Petersburg.

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

FOARD CITY (By Mrs. J. L. Farrar)

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch left Saturday for Tahoka where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and small son, Jack Jr.

RIVERSIDE (By Bonnie Schroeder)

Miss Myrna Holman of Brenham and Mrs. Clarence Self of Wichita Falls visited friends in this community Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler attended a meeting of the Primitive Baptist Association at Rule Sunday.

In The News 15 Years Ago

The items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The Foard County News of August 15, 1924.

Teachers Elected At the last meeting of the Crowell school board the election of the faculty for the coming school term was completed and is as follows:

Home Town Boy

Lewis Sloan, who is playing ball this season with the Ft. Bayard, N. M., club of the Copper League.

HORSES SAID TO HAVE EXCELLENT IMAGINATIONS

The actual intelligence of a horse is limited, says Arthur J. Sarl, noted British racing expert.

Teaching Health Is Important to Every Educational System

Austin. — Assembling for students in the schools of the state next month calls for public attention the definite health responsibility of parents and teachers.

Rag Weeds Should Be Eradicated to Check Hay Fever

Hay fever sufferers will begin to feel the effects of rag weed pollen during the month of September, and the State Department of Health again urges that local, civic and municipal organizations start now eradicating all rag weed before the plants start blooming.

LIBRARY NOTES

Gwen Bristow was born in South Carolina. She attended Judson College in Alabama, and one year at Columbia which prepared her for newspaper work in New Orleans.

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. John Lewis. 2. Its purpose is to curb the political activities of political job holders.

DEATH TAKES A HOLIDAY

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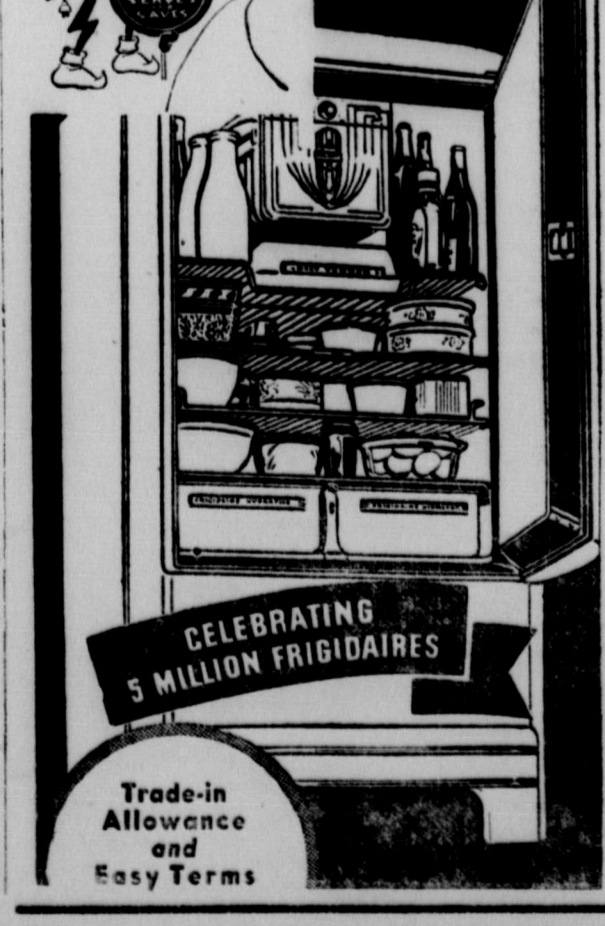
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**HENRY ASHFORD, Reporter and Sports Writer**

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ACTIVE MEMBER TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Crowell, Texas, August 17, 1939

In a recent nation wide poll, according to the National Association of Manufacturers, three questions were asked. One in regard to government spending, one in regard to taxes and one on what was the first necessary thing to bring about prosperity. Regarding government spending 58 per cent thought that it should be decreased, 23 per cent said it should be let alone, 8 per cent said, "it depends," 6 per cent said it should be increased, and 5 per cent did not know. On the question of taxes, 48 per cent felt they should be lowered, 36 per cent that they should be let alone, 9 per cent "it depends," and 2 per cent that they should be raised; and 5 per cent did not know. Regarding the question of what should be done to restore prosperity, 36 per cent replied that the government should let business alone, 24 per cent advocated increased production; 20 per cent said pensions after 60 were necessary; 6 per cent favored improving conditions in the South; 5 per cent suggested unemployment insurance benefits; 7 per cent did not know.

We like to talk to the man who is enthusiastic for the town in which he lives. We always feel better after having talked to such a person than we do after a talk with a man who is critical and fault finding about his town. There is something about the town booster that makes us feel good toward ourself, the town and everybody in it. We believe every one feels this way when they hear their home town spoken well of. If it affects you in this way it will affect those who hear you talk in the same way. It is a good thing to remember. If you can't say anything good about the home town don't say anything.

**PARK ON THE HIGHWAY WITH DEATH FOR A PAL**  
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**Double Funeral—Wells Speaks--**

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is that the two per cent contribution tax would be equally distributed all over the United States, and poor farms, or people's homes, would be away with, as all the old people would have necessary money pay expenses.

Mr. Wells told that in his tonight he would prove that Townsend Recovery plan goes effect Crowell merchants. He placed orders for merchandise amounting to \$22,960 at the Meeting of the club Tuesday.

The public is invited to attend the meeting of the club and hear Mr. Wells explain plan.

**What We Think**  
 (By Frank Dixon)

So much has appeared in the press and so much has been said over the radio regarding the democratic form of government and the democratic way of life that through much familiarity with the expressions we have almost lost the sense of their meaning. The phrases trip glibly from our tongues and fall musically upon our ears, but are we conscious of what they mean?

The average person and the average audience, when the discussion arises regarding the threat to democracy has come to think of that threat in terms of a Red invasion from Russia, of the growth of Hitlerism, and the German band, or of Communism. With the majority, present day threats to democracy end with these items. They seem to feel that if these can be kept out of America, democracy is soundly safe and its supporters have nothing to fear.

In my opinion the greatest threat to democracy in the United States, as I understand democracy, does not lie in these cults and isms. These, perhaps, constitute in a measure a threat, but they are not the greatest threat. Their purpose is too obvious. They do not pretend to be democracy and do not come masked under the cloak of democracy. They are frankly its enemy. There is nothing subtle about them. They would frankly destroy the existing order and set up their own theory of government in its place.

The greatest danger to democracy in my opinion comes from a source close at home. Its approach is more subtle, more insidious. It has the force of democracy, yet has the hands of a dictator.

I refer to the growing tendency in our government to govern through bureaus and boards and the growing tendency among the several states to set up trade barriers against their sister states.

Already nearly every function of government is being handled by boards, bureaus or commissions, and every session of Congress creates a new lot, until their number has grown amazingly.

The danger in these boards and commissions is that once they are set up they are filled with members prejudiced in favor of the act they are to administer. Each group becomes a small dictatorship ruled over by an administration who interprets the law and administers it and sets up rules and regulations that oftentimes have a far reaching effect. Once set up and organized these commissions resist to the utmost any move by Congress to restrict their authority or their power.

In my opinion we have started in on a movement, in the matter of setting up trade barriers between the several states, which, if it is not halted, will cause the several states of the nation to become as unfriendly and as distrustful of each other as are the several countries of Europe. Incidentally most of the distrust among the several European nations, and the lack of neighborly feeling which now exists, was produced in Europe by this very thing, and if the present trend in this country keeps up, long before this nation is as old as Europe, it will have imposed upon itself a similar situation.

These two things in my opinion constitute a greater threat to democracy and the democratic way of living than any cult or ism that can be brought to our shores from the outside world. They constitute a greater threat because they are infinitely more difficult to combat and control for the reason that they are all safely "within the law."

There never was a time in the history of the world when there were so many homeless people. There are hundreds of thousands of Chinese without homes, thousands of Spanish people without homes, hundreds of thousands of Jews without homes. When we, of this country, think of all of these and the heartbreak and unhappiness such a situation causes we should be truly grateful, not only for a home but for a country that does not seek to glorify the making homeless of any group within its borders.

The most inconsistent thing we know of is the fellow who brags at length on his ability to keep his mouth shut.

**Creed of Late King George**

The creed of the late King George V of England was as follows: "1. Teach me to obey the rules of the game. 2. Teach me never to cry for the moon; to cry over spilled milk. 3. Teach me to win if I can; if I can't to be a good loser. Teach me to distinguish between sentiment and sentimentality. 4. Teach me to esteem the first and to despise the second. 5. Teach me never to accept and never to offer praise. 6. Finally, if I must say may it be like a thoroughbred that goes away by himself in order to suffer in silence."

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**The Foard County News**



**BRYCE L. TWITTY**

Hospital, Dallas, has been loaned to his new organization during its formative period as administrator. Twitty, with Dr. J. H. Groseclose, Methodist Hospital, Dallas, as president; Dr. L. N. Markham, Longview, vice president; and Josie Roberts, Houston, secretary-treasurer, compose the official staff.

With the officers, the following hospital managers make up the board of directors: Miss Ara Davis, Scott and White Hospital, Temple; Mrs. Margaret Hales Rose, Wichita General Hospital, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Martha Robinson, Medical and Surgical Hospital, San Antonio; and Mrs. C. E. Hunt, Lubbeck Sanitarium, Lubbeck.

The new service comes in answer to legislation passed by the

**PHONE 72 FOR THESE VALUES**

KELLOGG'S Wheat Biscuits Three packages for 25c	2 Lbs. Sun Ray Crackers ... 18c	No. 2 can Pineapple .. 18c	1 lb. W. P. Coffee .... 18c	2 No. 2 cans Corn .... 18c	Bucket Rex Jelly .... 45c	Spuds, peck ... 35c	Bring Your EGGS Here
1/2 or WHOLE Cured Ham, lb. .... 20c	Picnic Ham, lb. .... 18c	Sliced Bacon, lb. .... 25c	Pork Roast, lb. .... 20c	Coleman Lamps ... \$7.95	2 1/2 gal. Cream Can .59c	Warehouse Broom .. 93c	Oil Mops ..... 95c

Plenty of ICE WATER

**PHONE 72 LANIER'S PHONE 72**

# Locals

Albert Edgin is in Child hospital on account of the illness of his daughter, Mrs. Copelin.

Lots of new rugs.—W. R. Womack.

J. W. McCaskill of Rising Star visited friends in Crowell Wednesday.

Fishing is best now on — best fishing tackle at W. R. Womack's.

Lots of Butane or gas ranges.—W. R. Womack.

Neil Patton, who has been attending Sul Ross College in Alpine, has returned home.

Lots of fishing tackle.—W. R. Womack.

Munson Welch and Misses Frances Welch and Modena Stovall spent last week-end visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. G. S. Foster and small daughter, Rojean, of Hanford, Calif., are guests this week in the home of Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ashford of Crowell and Miss Cornelia Kays and Monte Mudd of Chilli-cothe returned Sunday from a vacation trip to the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas.

B. J. Glover of Gilliland was here Tuesday afternoon.

Select new 18-ft cane fishing poles, 25c.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boone visited in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon.

Every type and kind of fishing tackle at W. R. Womack's.

The first is the last cost. The "free" wind operates the genuine wind chargers. The wind is still free.—W. R. Womack.

Dove season Sept. 1st. Buy your shells at W. R. Womack.

Mrs. John Shirley and son, Vesta, of Roaring Springs visited relatives in the Black community Sunday.

Plenty shotgun shells, "Winchester" and "Remington," for doves.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison and her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Hamrick, and husband of Paducah, spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews.

Butane gas for cooking, heating, hot water, etc., cheap, safe, clean.—W. R. Womack.

Lots of radios and batteries.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Wm. E. Wells spent several days of last week in Vernon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and their daughter and grandson of McKinney spent a short time with Mrs. Belle Allee and other relatives Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald and Misses Idurah White, Juanita Brown and Billie Brown attended the North-South football game at Houston Saturday.

Sheriff A. W. Lilly attended the convention of the Association of Identification held in the Blackstone Hotel at Fort Worth from Monday until Wednesday of last week.

Miss Ella Patton of Sweetwater, Nolan County Health Nurse, is spending her vacation here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Patton, and other relatives and friends.

Miss Florence Fischer of York, Penn., Mrs. Roy G. Thomas and Miss Bird Ames Walker of Fort Worth, friends for many years of Mrs. G. W. Walthall, visited in her home Saturday.

Dan Tarpley, night editor of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, arrived Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, of Truscott, and with friends in Crowell.

Lots of those fine "no spring" washable window shades.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spears, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sparks, returned from a trip to Washington and New York. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks went on to their home in Abilene.

Let us tell you—Let our satisfied users assure you. Butane gas, to cook, to heat, etc., in drums and in underground tanks.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Hazel Canup returned home last week-end from Dallas where she attended a Dallas school of beauty culture. She will visit here several weeks before returning to Dallas.

Mrs. C. W. Thompson, Miss Mary Ragland Thompson and Charlie Thompson Jr., returned Sunday evening from a visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Florence Ragland, in Pilot Point.

Mrs. David Lee Owens is acting as bookkeeper in the office of the Texas Natural Gas Company during the absence of Mrs. A. W. Owens, who is vacationing in New Mexico.

J. W. Shelton returned Sunday from Decatur where he visited relatives and attended an old settlers reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeibig and daughter, Nora Carl, and son, Lee Allen, left this morning for Galveston to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Bill Thompson, and family.

Mrs. R. L. Liles and daughter, Wanda; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howell and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore left Monday morning for Lansing, Kansas, on account of the serious illness of their brother, who is in a government hospital there.

Mrs. Sallie Haynie of Streetland spent from Friday until Sunday in the home of her brother, W. A. Cogdell, and family. She went to Truscott Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. P. T. Haynie.

W. F. Kirkpatrick and daughter, Miss Frankie, and Miss Lene-gene Green left this morning on their vacation which will be spent in New Mexico. They were accompanied by Mr. Kirkpatrick's sister, Mrs. W. E. Whittington, and husband of Stamford.

Let us show you what you're missing—by not having a 32-volt Windcharger! Just think: lights, radio, washer, iron, vacuum cleaner, fans, cream separator—and electric refrigerator (if proper size batteries used).—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Graham returned Wednesday at noon from Temple where Mrs. Graham had been in the Scott & White Hospital since the first of August. Mrs. Graham's condition shows some improvement.

Mrs. Dwight Moody and daughters of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Waggoner of Plainview attended a reunion of the Waggoner family at Claude Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner spent Monday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Moody and family before returning to their home in Plainview.

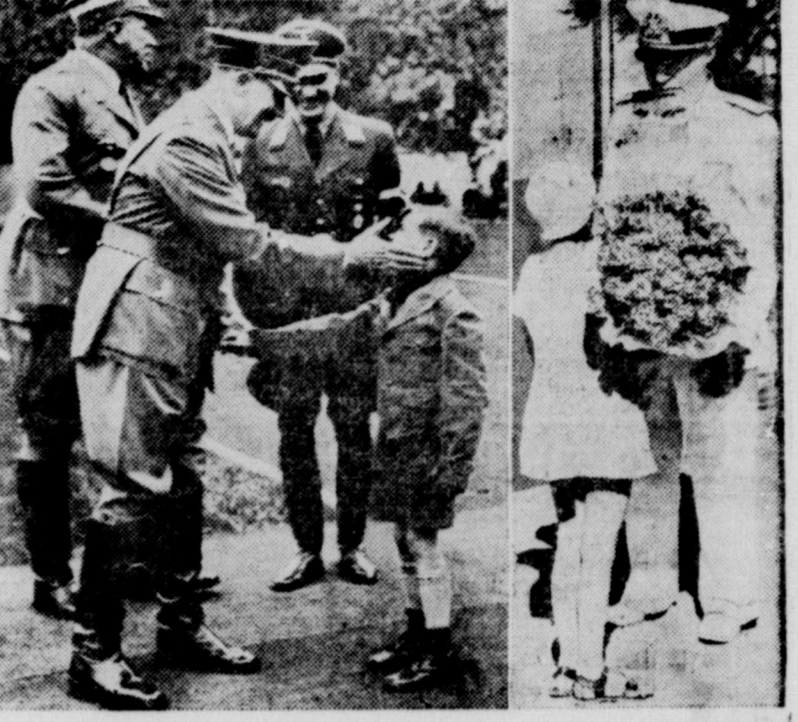
Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jones of Ruston, La., arrived in Crowell Tuesday and were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter. They came to attend the wedding of their son, Rolla Ray Jones and Miss Geraldine Carter, which took place in Lubbock Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Perkins, also of Ruston, who is a close friend of the family.

Announcement has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Boss Roark of the birth of a baby daughter, Caroline, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton French of Corpus Christi on August 8. Mrs. French was formerly Miss Elsie Faye Roark.

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### Children? Dictators Just Love Them



Though grim "military necessity" causes Chancellor Adolf Hitler of Germany, left, and Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy to build huge bombing planes in order to wipe out cities and their populations, the two dictators never fail to show their love for children—at least when they face a camera. Here Hitler playfully pats one of his youthful supporters who was singled out for the honor during a special celebration in Berlin's famous Olympic stadium. Mussolini proudly accepts a bouquet of flowers from a little Albanian child during his recent visit to Riccione.

**ROTARY CLUB** Big Game Census

William E. Wells of Omaha, Neb., Townsend Club organizer, who is visiting in Crowell this week, was the principal speaker at the Wednesday meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club. Mr. Wells was introduced by Judge Claude Callaway, who was in charge of the program. Mr. Wells told in a brief manner the objects of the Townsend Recovery Plan.

George Self and Ernest Spears will serve on the program committee for the next two weeks.

**City Manager**

Dayton's great 1913 flood led the city to be the first large town on the city manager plan.

**GOOD WORK at PAINTING and PAPER HANGING REASONABLE PRICES HOUSTON WHITE Call Quick Service Station**

# PROGRESS

YESTERDAY—The "gas buggy," the "horseless carriage" was the butt of almost every joke. Only "crazy fool," "speed demons" and "swells" believed in its future or dared to drive it.

TODAY—Not to own a car almost amounts to an admission of straightened circumstances, lack of faith in the deferred-payment system or down right foolishness. And no revolution in design or improvement in performance is too radical or unexpected.

TOMORROW—You may live a hundred miles from your place of employment, drive that distance in an hour and do it at a driving cost of about 10c. Diesel engines and ideas yet unborn in the minds of young men may diminish such an extent that our entire system of society may be radically changed.

The only difference between "horse and carriage" and "horseless carriage" or "motor car" and "motorless cars" is the difference between blindness and vision. It takes no greater mental power to conceive of an automobile without a motor than it took to conceive of a carriage without a horse. All that is lacking is the idea that will change the source of locomotion. Remote radio control may be developed by some young American in the future, and our present ideas of transportation completely changed. The privilege of serving the public in this country, at this time, is a great honor; for the "public" is today's contribution of tomorrow, each and every person America's hope for the future.

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# Italian Clock

One of the oldest clocks in the world is on the old Clock tower of Venice, Italy. It has been ticking time since 1496, or for 441 years. On its platform are two black giants who have struck the hours 24 times every day or nearly four million times.

# Softball Race Interest Final Week

As the final week of scheduled play in the softball race opens, the Corner Drug team continues to ride in the top slot and has strengthened its hold on that position.

Last Thursday night, the Riverettes flared forth to dump the Chevrolet club by a score of 10 to 7, and on the following night the Chevrolet boys were hosts to a Truscott team in a practice game and came through to beat the visitors by a 4-1 tally.

The longest and most thrilling softball game of the season was recorded Sunday when the Riverettes invaded Rayland to win by a one score margin, 8-7, after fighting the Rayland lads for 18 innings. This might be some kind of a record for the length of a game.

Monday night the newcomer to the league, Thalia, made its initial appearance under the Crowell ares in a game with Rayland. Thalia won over Rayland by a narrow margin, 9-8, after forcing Rayland all the way and at one time was behind.

The Chevrolet team again tasted defeat on Tuesday night, and this time at the hands of the Corner Drug boys in a game which ended with an 18 to 9 score. Probably the most lopsided score of the year was rolled up Wednesday night when the Phillips club bowled over the Riverettes with a 21-2 score.

**Final Games**

The latter part of next week will probably see the league race close, as there are only three scheduled games remaining, however there are several postponed games yet to be played and plans for these tilts will be made later, but will be played during next week.

Thursday night the Chevrolet boys go into action against the Thalia club, and the Corner Drug players meet the Riverettes Friday night. The final scheduled game will be played at Rayland Sunday at which time the Phillips team journeys to Rayland.

# Employee Health

The air hygiene foundation is a non-profit, scientific organization with headquarters and a multiple fellowship to Mellon Institute, Pittsburgh. It represents a collective effort by employers in behalf of employee health. The foundation, in addition to its fundamental research in industrial health, provides member companies with practical plant applications to prevent industrial illness and to foster industrial hygiene.

# Friday and Saturday Specials

- POST TOASTIES .. 2 for 19c
- Large Package
- POST BRAN .... 2 pkgs 19c
- PUFFED WHEAT, 2 lge. pkgs 9c
- BLACKBERRIES, 2 No. 2 cans 19c
- No. 2 Can
- Red Pitted Cherries, 2 for 25c
- Fire Side Beans, 2 qt. cans . 19c
- Vienna Sausage, .. 3 cans 19c
- Tomatoes, 3 No. 2 cans for 19c
- RICE, Blue Rose, 3 lbs. 19c
- MATCHES, 6-box carton .... 19c
- WHITE SWAN-GOLD BAR
- PEACHES, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 29c

**FOX-WAY FOOD MARKET**

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By S. L. HUNTLEY



A Problem of Overhead



Classified Ad Section

A Small Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum Cost 25c

**For Sale**  
FOR SALE—Peaches at my farm 17 miles east of Crowell. \$1.00 per bushel at orchard. No Sunday sales. Elberta's ripening now. —P. E. Bawcom. 7-3tp

FOR SALE—Black Spanish grapes, alfalfa hay and maize at farm 2 1/2 miles east of Rayland. —Ed Lehman. 8-2tp

**FOR SALE**  
Real Estate and Life Insurance  
Eighty-acre farm, fair improvements, at Melrose, N. M. will trade for house with modern conveniences in Crowell.  
J. P. DAVIDSON,  
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50-tfc

FOR SALE—Good red top sorghum, 3c per bundle in field. Extra for delivering. Also 1-row tools.—J. A. Garrett, Gamblerville. 9-tfc

FOR SALE—Apples now ready, \$1.00 per bu. at orchard.—T. F. Lambert. 9-1tp

**Lost**  
LOST—Child's glasses in blue case. Lost near scene of fire at the Ebb Seales house. Cash reward.—Geo. Self. 9-tfc

**Strayed**  
LOST—Sorrel horse, white spot on each side, two white stocking legs behind, white streak in forehead, 15 hands high. Notify Box Middlebrook at Margaret or Eldon Watson, Foard City. 7-2tp

LOST—5-year-old bay saddle horse, 4 miles south of Thalia. \$5.00 reward. Notify W. J. Long or The News office. 9-tfc

**Found**  
FOUND—Plymouth hub cap. Owner can get same at The News office. 9-1tp

CHURCHES

**Christian Science Church**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Sunday services at 11 a. m.  
Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.  
Sunday, August 20, 1939. Subject: "Mind."  
The public is cordially invited.

**East Side Church of Christ**  
Bible classes at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.  
Communion at 11 a. m.  
Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.  
—Reporter.

**First Christian Church**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m. Superintendent, John Rasor. There is a class in our church school for every member of the family.  
Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "The Secret of Goodness."—Pastor.  
Youth Fellowship Meeting at 7 p. m.  
Evening worship at 8:15 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Demands of Christianity."—Pastor.  
The "Little white Church on the corner" welcomes you to attend its services each Lord's Day. It is our aim to make the religion of Jesus Christ as indispensable as the air which we breathe; and the church as intimate as the home.  
The Lord's Supper is observed each Lord's Day at the eleven o'clock hour.  
HARRELL REA, Pastor.

**Christian Science Services**  
"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 20.  
The Golden Text is: "Who hath known the mind of the Lord? or who hath been his counsellor? . . . For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things; to whom be glory for ever" (Romans 11: 34, 36).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Hear, O Israel; The Lord our God is one Lord; And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength." (Mark 12:29, 30).  
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "If Mind was first chronologically, if first potentially, and must be first eternally, then give to Mind the glory, honor, dominion, and power everlastingly due its holy name" (page 143).  
even forgot her waterpot. Her soul sang with joy. The outcast was transformed. She knew she had needed to be saved, and the Saviour had met her need.  
And what was true of her that day is true of every sinner. We must be conscious of our need of Christ as Saviour before He can save us. And we are saved when we believe on Him, as did the woman by the well.  
Notice particularly what the Holy Spirit has recorded in verse 28: "The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city." Why did she leave the waterpot? There were probably several reasons. Likely she forgot it, even though to her, as to all the dwellers in Sychar, water was most precious. If she did forget her waterpot, it is strong evidence of the awakening of her soul and of the transforming influence of Jesus. It may be that she purposely left it. She would want to carry the good news with flying feet and outstretched hands, unhindered.  
It is possible that the woman may have left the waterpot that Jesus might drink from it. He had said to her, "Give me to drink," and she does not seem to have complied with His request. For she had said, "How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a woman of Samaria?" But afterward she saw herself as a sinner and Jesus as the Saviour, and she left her waterpot at His feet that He might drink all that He would. She gave Him what she had, to do with it just what He chose.  
In any case, she left her waterpot because she had seen Jesus. Then, too, she caught a vision of the need of her friends and neighbors. Having tasted of the water of life, she was filled with a passion to bring others to the Saviour. If the Samaritan woman had known some of our grand hymns she would doubtless have sung as she hurried on her way. Regardless of what life has given, or holds in the future, one can never know the joy of all joys, he can never have his soul-thirst quenched, until he receives Christ as his Saviour—until he

**Volcanic Island**  
A pear-shaped dab of land the curving island chain that Americans, St. Lucia was created by volcanic action, says the National Geographic Society. Usually, it is among the hands of the West Indies, with its summits drifts a gentle mist of mist that belies St. Lucia's ten violent history. Believed to have been discovered by Columbus in 1502, and named for the martyred St. Lucy, burned at stake, St. Lucia was for centuries drenched in blood. The first English settlements of 1605 '638 were wiped out by Caribbians. French colonists were to make peace with the natives but not with the English, who turned in 1663 and again took island.

**MR. AND MRS. ARNOLD RUCKER** of Crowell have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at The News office to see "It's A Wonderful World" at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday.

**NOTICE**  
STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Aug. 28, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.  
C. B. GRAHAM, W. M.  
D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

**Thalia Lodge No. 666**  
A. F. & A. M.  
STATED MEETING Thursday, Night Aug. 24, 1939  
Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.  
C. C. WISDOM, W. M.  
C. H. WOOD, Secretary

**Our Weekly Sermon**  
Robert Parsons, Radio Department, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

**The Forgotten Waterpot**  
Text—Jesus saith unto her, I that speak unto thee am he . . . The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ? Then they went out of the city, and came unto him.—John 4:26, 28-30.

The scene of our text is at the well of Jacob near Sychar, Jesus was on His way from Judea to Galilee and, as we read in verse 4, "he must needs go through Samaria."  
This is one of the most human incidents recorded in the life of Jesus. Weary and hungry, he sat on the well and asked a wretched, sinful woman for a drink of water. The woman was not concerned about her social status. He was concerned about her soul. And how marvelously He revealed her condition to her, and then led her thoughts from the question of material water to the living water of eternal life. Before long, the woman was conscious of her sins, and her need of a sacrifice for sin. Finally, under conviction, and with trembling lips she said, "I know that Messias cometh." Then from His lips fell that wonderful proclamation, "I that speak unto thee am he."  
Have you ever noticed how the Lord Jesus pours out His treasures to those whom the world would call the least worthy? Here was His marvelous conversation about the water of life with a poor sinning woman by the side of a well. And you will remember, the first soul to be redeemed after He was nailed to the cross was a thief who was on another cross at His side. One day, praise upon me, unworthy and unclean, and saved me from sin, lifted me out of the mire and set my feet on the solid rock. Oh, He is a wonderful Saviour!  
So the fountain of life sprang up in the woman's soul. And immediately she started as fast as she could for the city. She must tell the good news. She forgot her shame. She forgot the scorn of the people who had reviled her because of her sinful life. She

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**ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE**  
Be it ordained by the County Judge of Foard County, Texas, that an election be held at the school houses at Thalia Consolidated Common School District No. 3, and Riverside Consolidated Common School District No. 12 in Foard County, Texas, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1939, for the purpose of determining whether or not the two school districts named above should consolidate for school purposes, and whether or not the bonded indebtedness of each of the districts named above will be assumed by the other or the newly formed or consolidated district.  
The returns of said election shall be made within five days to the County Judge in accordance with the law pertaining to said election. This order signed by the County Judge shall serve as proper notice of said election and this order shall be posted in three different places within the boundaries of each of the two above named school districts.  
In testimony whereof, witness the signature of Claude Callaway, County Judge, in and for Foard County, Texas, and the seal thereon this 27th day of July, A. D. 1939.

CLAUDE CALLAWAY,  
County Judge, Foard County, Texas. 6-4tc

**BUDGET HEARING**  
In compliance with H. B. No. 768, Sec. 16, passed by the 42nd Legislature of Texas, the proposed budget of the Crowell Independent School District of Foard County, Texas, for the school year 1939-40, said budget now on file in the office of the secretary of the Board of Trustees, that on Thursday, Aug. 31, at 8 p. m. at the office of the secretary of the school board, suggestions on said budget will be heard at a public hearing and considered by the Board of Trustees. Any taxpayer in the district has the right to be present and participate in said hearing.

J. W. BRUCE, President,  
Crowell Ind. School Dist.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
The State of Texas, County of Foard,  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Baylor County, on the 8th day of July, 1939, by Robert Jones, District Clerk of said District Court for sum of Nine Hundred Ten and 71/100 (\$910.71) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of the Seymour Mercantile Co. in a certain cause in said County, No. 4596 and styled Seymour Mercantile Co. vs. J. J. Nichols, placed in my hands for service, I, A. W. Lilly as Sheriff of Foard County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of July, 1939, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Foard County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:  
83.75/677.5 undivided interest in and to all oil, gas and minerals in and under or on the following described property, to-wit:  
All of Section No. 298, Block "A," H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, and containing 677.5 acres of land in Foard County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. J. Nichols and that on the first Tuesday in September, 1939, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Foard County, in the City of Crowell, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale cash, to the highest bidder, as the I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for property of said J. J. Nichols.  
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Foard County News and Crowell Index, a newspaper published in Foard County.  
Witness my hand, this 10th day of July, 1939.  
A. W. LILLY,  
Sheriff, Foard County, Texas. 8-4t

**NOTICE**  
The State of Texas, County of Foard, No. 481.  
To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Mary Ann Wright, Deceased:  
The undersigned having been duly appointed executor of the Estate of Mary Ann Wright, deceased, late of Foard County, Texas, by Claude Callaway, Judge

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Keep the Mower Busy

T. C. RICHARDSON, Editor Farm and Ranch, Feeder-Feeder Association

fighting them to the last ditch in the fields? As a matter of fact the same amount of labor and time devoted to improving the pastures and the care of the livestock...

It takes a good mower in good condition to cut hay, especially of the finer grasses. A good mower is desirable of course, for any kind of a mowing job...

There is hardly a community in which one or more farmers are not demonstrating the value of mowing as a means of increasing pasture profits...

weed crop is not tolerated in the cotton field, and we spend and days of sweaty labor mowing, and hoeing to give the soil all the soil fertility and moisture...

Epperson Commends Co-operation with Employment Service

"An honest desire to work and a spirit of co-operation with the employment service which finds them jobs," was the commendation...

Epperson was specific: "Unemployment compensation is for the individual who is able to work, available for work, and who wishes to work..."

The supervisor pointed out that the job refusal penalty is the loss of from one to four benefit checks. "The law is fair," he added...

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

There is a bill before Congress that will require woolen goods, and clothing made from woolen goods, to state on a label the amount of virgin and reclaimed wool used in its manufacture...

The state banking board of New Jersey will not permit banks to pay over 1 per cent on time deposits or other savings.

During the World War German owned property in the United States to the amount of \$900,000,000 was impounded by the United States Government...

New Deal forces and C. I. O. allies are given credit for bottling up the proposed amendments to the Wagner Act under which the National Labor board is set up...

There are 400,000 growers of tobacco in this country. Scientists state the common horsefly is capable of moving his wings at the rate of 13,000 beats a minute...

The birth rate in France has declined from 18.1 per 1000 in 1911 to 14.6 per 1000 in 1936. The birth rate in Italy declined from 31.7 per 1000 in 1911 to 22.4 per 1000 in 1936...

New York City has received in federal aid since 1933 the sum of \$1,029,200,000. The city put up as its share \$778,000,000.

Your Horoscope

August 13, 14—You should develop a trend for the psychic. Faithfulness to loved ones is a strong characteristic. Love of travel promotes a roving nature...

August 15, 16, 17—You are kind hearted, generous and attractive. You are emotional and should follow your impulses. Loyalty to your family will not stand any derogatory statements about them...

August 18, 19—You are an extremist. You love as well as hate to the extreme. Your nature is many sided and often you have too many irons in the fire...

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The first paper mill in England was created in Dartford, Kent, in 1590. The giant redwood trees in California are said to be the oldest living thing on earth...

The Bible has been translated into 975 languages. Cannibalism exists in the Dutch Guinea today the same as always has for hundreds of years.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—The contempt in which Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel holds the press of Texas is one of the singular phenomena of an administration that has been marked by the smashing of precedents...

Inspired, no doubt, by the spectacular success which rewarded his feckish radio campaign a year ago, the Governor is said by those in his confidence to regard the printed word as unimportant, and rapidly growing less important...

Why He Prefers Radio A great many people do not understand why the press has a vested right, well recognized by the statutes and the constitutions of both state and nation, to inquire into public affairs and the official acts of public servants...

The newspaper reporters, when they interview public officials, listen carefully to the statements of the governor, or whoever the particular official being interviewed may be...

Asks No Questions A radio microphone asks no questions. It merely takes whatever the governor (or any other speaker) pours into it, and transmits that to the people...

For example, Gov. O'Daniel in a recent radio broadcast, urged the people to attend the hearings upon the county budgets in their communities, in the interest of economy in government...

The radio is a comparatively new agency of communication, having come into general use only within the past decade. The press, since Guttenberg and Caxton began nearly four centuries ago, introducing printed words in quantity, has been the agency which pioneered the breaking down of monarchies and dictatorships...

The government, if he actually believes what those near him say he does—and his relations with the press would indicate that he does—may learn yet that the press is a symbol of a very sacred and jealously guarded right of the people of Texas.

The oil industry in Texas today faces what many oilmen declare to be the most serious crisis since the days of martial law in East Texas. Federal court decisions over-ruling the allowable granted in East Texas by the Railroad Commission to Rowan & Nichols, and later to the Humble, Texas' largest producer of crude...

ONE OUT OF FOUR BUSHELS HAD NO MARKET

World wheat production in 1938 was 4,539 million bushels, excluding Soviet Russia and China, according to recent estimates. The July 1938 carry-over for the world was about 595 million bushels...

Wheat Shortage Wheat growers who plan to insure their 1940 crop will be able to pay their crop insurance premiums with advances on prospective AAA payments. During the marketing year concluded June 30, 1939, more than 118,000,000 bushels of United States wheat and flour were sold for export, of which the sale of 94,000,000 bushels were assisted by the Federal Export Program...

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There are two freedoms, the false where one is free to do what he likes, and the true where he is free to do what he ought. — Charles Kingsley.

Commercial alcohol contains from 5 to 10 per cent water.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

August 14 — Harvey discovered circulation of the blood, 1628. Gov. Dinwiddie makes Washington commander of Virginia militia, 1775.

August 15 — Will Rogers, comedian, and Wiley Post, aviator, killed in plane accident, 1935. Napoleon Bonaparte, born, 1769.

August 16 — First theatre, called the New Exhibition Room, opened subrosa in Boston a state statute prohibiting theatrical performances, 1792. First official messages over first Atlantic cable, 1858.

August 17 — Desk type telephone used, 1886. Washington, D. C. became federal capital, 1790.

August 18 — Virginia Dare, first white child born in the U. S., 1587. Lawrence Abbott, died (founded Lawrence Scientific School of Harvard University to which he gave \$100,000), 1855.

August 19 — French and American armies began their march to Mexico, 1847.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Green bananas can be ripened by placing them in a paper bag and keeping them in a dark closet for a day or two.

Rinse water from milk bottles will make house plants healthy and vigorous.

Orange juice used as the liquid in bread and roll recipes will provide a delightful variety.



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