

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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## Wild Flower Display That Won First



The above picture shows the wild flower display of Foard County which won first place in variety at the Highway Department Wild Flower Show in Childress recently. One hundred and seventy-two different kinds of flowers are represented in the display which was artistically arranged by Mrs. H. Schindler and Mrs. Vance Favor of Foard.

## Red Cross Chapter Asked to Exceed 400 Quota; Original Quotas Not Enough to Aid Refugees in War Zone

The Foard County Chapter of the American Red Cross has been asked to raise as much money as possible for the relief of war victims in France, according to a telegram received Wednesday morning from Norman H. Self, national chairman, by Mrs. Self, chairman of the Foard County Chapter, Wednesday morning.

The telegram urging immediate cooperation in this great undertaking is as follows:

When American Red Cross million dollar relief fund was set up in two short weeks, it was the greatest tragedy in all history that was unfolded. Impossible to describe the plight of millions of people in France. Sick, wounded, hungry and homeless, they

cry out to us for help. Will need much more than ten million dollars, therefore quotas originally assigned should be regarded only as minimum immediate objective. Chapters should then go on and where possible double their quotas. In fact, only limitation should be the maximum generosity of American people. We should complete this campaign within the shortest possible time.

**Contribute Today**

Every person in Foard County should contribute to the Red Cross in its drive to relieve suffering in these war-torn countries as soon as possible. The Red Cross is not asking that you give more than you can afford, but it urges everyone to make a contribution, no matter how large.

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## WPA Sewing Room Attracts 565 Visitors During Open House Week, Observed May 20 to May 25

"Open House Week" in the local W. P. A. Sewing Room, which was held from May 20 to May 25 in connection with the national "This Work Pays Your Community" week for professional service projects, came to a successful close Saturday afternoon with a total of 565 persons visiting the sewing room during the week. Activities for the week began with a program in the district

court room on Monday night, May 20, with John Rasor acting as master of ceremonies. Leslie Thomas and Mayor C. T. Schlagal, both gave interesting talks on professional and service projects. Miss Sally Williams of San Angelo played several numbers on her Hawaiian steel guitar.

A short skit, explaining the school lunch project, was given (Continued on Last Page)

## 2.24 Inches of Rain Fall In Foard County This Week to Break Threat of Water Shortage and Aid Crops

### J. R. Beverly New President of Civic Group

Plans for Foard's Golden Jubilee are Discussed at Meeting

J. R. Beverly was elected to the presidency of the Farmers and Business Men's Association at a banquet held at the Faith Cafe last Thursday night and will be at the head of the organization which will sponsor Foard County's Golden Anniversary Jubilee in April, 1940.

Other officers elected were John Rasor, vice president; and Dwight Moody, secretary and treasurer. The retiring officers were Dwight Moody, president; Howard Ringgold, vice president; and Henry Ashford, secretary and treasurer.

**Celebration Plans Started**

Plans for the Golden Anniversary celebration were gotten (Continued on Page Five)

The threat of a water shortage for Foard County during the summer was broken this week when 2.24 inches of hard rain were received on Saturday night, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday mornings. Readings at the Crowell State Bank showed that .84-inch of rain had fallen Sunday morning, .49-inch Monday morning and .91-inch Tuesday morning for a total of 2.24 inches.

#### Plenty of Water

The water in the City Lake was to within 18 inches of running over.

#### LAKE OPENS SATURDAY

The City Lake will be opened for fishing on Saturday, June 1, according to a notice by Mayor C. T. Schlagal appearing on page 6 of this issue.

The lake was not opened for fishing on May 1st because of the low level of the lake and the water shortage which threatened the City of Crowell, but now that the lake is again full, fishermen will be allowed to fish Saturday.

Season tickets, which include families, may be obtained for \$5.00 and tickets for each day will be sold for fifty cents. Other rules regulating fishing in the lake appear in the notice on page 6 and all who are planning to fish in the lake are urged to read and abide by these regulations.

## Former Crowell Woman Buried Here Wednesday

Funeral for Mrs. C. E. Banister Held at 4 o'Clock

Funeral services for Mrs. C. E. Banister of Kress, daughter of one of Foard County's pioneer couples, the late Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Kirkman, was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Wilson, one mile west of Crowell, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock conducted by Rev. Harrell Rea, pastor of the First-Christ (Continued on Page Five)

## New Wildcat Oil Test for Foard to Be Started Soon

A new wildcat oil test for Foard County has been staked by the Thomson Oil & Gas of Wichita Falls on the E. M. Gamble farm 9 miles northeast of Crowell. It will be a 2,500-foot test and will be known as the No. 1 E. M. Gamble.

Location is 726 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west line of a 180-acre lease in the southeast part of section 314, Block A, H. & T. C. Ry. survey. It is a quarter of a mile east of the Foster Petroleum Corporation gas discovery on the farm of Mrs. J. M. Allee.

The company is moving in material in preparation for drilling activities. The drilling contractor and crew were in Crowell last Friday looking for living quarters.

## Wife of Former Crowell Man Dies

Mrs. Quillie Spears of Tucumcari, N. M., who died in a Dallas hospital last Wednesday, May 22, was buried in the Wolf City, Texas, cemetery following funeral services in that city on last Friday.

She was the wife of Quillie Spears, son of B. A. Spears and brother of Mrs. Walter Thomson, of Crowell. Mr. Spears is a former resident of Foard County, having worked as a cowboy for several years on the W. B. Johnson ranch and also on the Shirley-Offield ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomson attended the funeral services. Mrs. Spears is survived by her husband and two sons.

#### EXTRA COPIES 5c

Extra copies of this issue of The News can be obtained from J. C. Davis at Rayland, or at The News office. A one-cent stamp will take a paper to any postoffice in the United States. Mail a copy to some relative or friend.

## Onions, One of Irrigated Crops at Rayland



Pictured above is a small part of the twenty-two acres of onions being raised this year in the Rayland community, in the northeast section of Foard County. From this acreage, Rayland farmers should harvest about 44,000 bushels of onions. These onions are raised on irrigated land.

The picture above shows a section of the 9-acre patch of onions raised by H. T. Faughn, whose comfortable farm home can be seen in the background.

## Harvesting of Large Onion Crop At Rayland Started This Week

### Foard County Wheat Harvest To Open Soon

Combines, Trucks and Men Arriving; Good Yield Expected

The 1940 wheat harvest for Foard County is expected to be started within the next few days, possibly by the latter part of this week, if weather conditions permit, according to information received from a local elevator Wednesday afternoon.

One wheat farmer told the elevator men that he would cut his first load of wheat as soon as the grain became dry enough to cut. This will either be during the latter part of this week or the early part of next.

#### Don't Cut Wet Wheat

The elevators of Foard County are running a notice to wheat farmers on page six of this issue not to cut their wheat while it is wet or green, as it can not and will not be accepted at the elevators. The Commodity Credit Corporation has stated that loans will not be made on wet or green wheat and terminal elevators have notified local wheat men that this wheat will be refused when shipped. For this reason, the elevator men of the county are asking the farmers not to cut their grain while it is green or wet.

If you are in doubt as to whether or not the wheat is dry enough for harvesting, bring a small sample to one of the elevators to be passed upon. Don't bring a full load unless you are sure it is acceptable wheat.

#### Expect Fairly Heavy Yield

A survey of the elevator and wheat men of the county has not yet been made concerning the expected yield of Foard County this year, however, several have voiced the opinion that the yield will be heavier than that of last year. Over 540,000 bushels of wheat were gathered in this county from the 1939 crop.

The harvest season is expected to last several days longer this year than it has since the combines took the fields from the threshing machines as there are more varieties of early and late wheat here than ever before in the history of the county.

#### Harvest Hands Arriving

Combines, wheat trucks and harvest hands from other sections of the county started arriving here this week and the next few days should see many men and combines settle here until the season is closed.

#### BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. William Mack Johnson, a boy, Edwin Dee, May 29.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Jones, a girl, Janice Faye, May 23.

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Bell, a boy, Kenneth Arthur, May 23.

Mr. Whatley's place southeast of Crowell and he stated that they responded well to feed from the start and that he was well pleased with the gain they made and the price he received for them.

## Planting of Sweet Potato Crop Is Just Completed On Nearly 100 Irrigated Acres

As this issue of The News goes to press farmers of Rayland are busy harvesting what will probably be the largest onion crop for that community since the raising of onions was introduced six years ago. Many farmers have just completed the planting of their sweet potatoes.

In spite of the fact that cotton and feed crops are the principal crops of the community as a whole, the onion and potato crops are most important to a number of farmers who live in the immediate vicinity of Rayland and who are able to irrigate their land from numerous wells, a spring and a lake.

With this issue of The News, tribute is paid to one of Foard County's most outstanding, progressive and productive communities—Rayland, the garden spot of the county and where oldtime friendship and a splendid community spirit prevails. There is no such thing as a stranger in this thriving little community and one can not linger long without leaving with a warm spot in his heart for its citizens.

Rayland is one of the outstanding agricultural centers of the county, however, the community

does not claim to be the wealthiest, but it does have enough work that its number on relief is perhaps the smallest in the county. There are only six persons out of the thirty families in this little community who receive WPA work.

While farmers of the other sections of the county are worrying about rain for their crops, Rayland farmers have no worries concerning moisture for their sweet potato, onion and garden crops, as the community is blessed with plenty of shallow underground water.

H. T. Faughn irrigates 37 acres from 4 wells; Tom Lawson, 11 acres from 1 well; A. H. Martin, 20 acres from 1 well; Herman Schwarz, on the Bob Rutledge farm, 10 acres from 1 well; Bob Rhea, 11 acres from 1 well; Charles Matycek, 6 acres from 1 well; S. W. McLarty farm; 75 acres from 4 wells; A. T. Beazley, irrigates from a lake fed by springs, R. G. Whitten has 1 well on his own farm and 2 on acreage leased on McLarty farm. John Neill irrigates about 16 acres from 1 well.

Mother Nature supplies this community with an abundance of pure water for all purposes, and the secret of the beauty and productivity is directly traced to this. In this section of the county are some of the most beautiful farm homes and yards. Flowers and trees will grow rapidly here with only a little care.

If Foard County, as a whole, could have an abundant water supply as this community has, this county would be one of the garden spots of the state.

#### Onions One of Big Crops

The raising of onions has recently been introduced into this community and is proving to be a successful crop while a great number of people of the county have given little thought as to whether or not onions could be grown here and profitably sold. There is always a ready market for the onions raised in the Rayland community, and with its irrigated acres, it is rapidly coming to the front as an onion growing community. Buyers will be plentiful.

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## Six Arrested Here On Drunkenness and Vagrancy Charges

Six persons were arrested in Crowell last Monday night on charges of reckless driving, drunkenness and vagrancy in what Sheriff Amos W. Lilly termed as the first of a drive to rid the city of vagrants and drunk and reckless drivers. All appeared before Justice of the Peace H. E. Ferguson Tuesday morning.

One man was fined five dollars and costs on a reckless driving charge. One man was fined \$38 on a drunkenness charge and a second man was fined \$18 on a charge of the same nature.

Three persons, one man and two women, were charged with vagrancy. The man made bond and is awaiting trial while the women were fined \$14 each.

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## Planting Sweet Potato Slips at Rayland



Pictured above are three men transplanting sweet potato slips on the H. T. Faughn farm at Rayland. With this machinery, three men can plant three acres daily, setting from 10,000 to 12,000 plants per acre. This machine opens the furrow, waters the soil, plants the slip and closes the furrow as it moves along.



Thursday, May 30, 1940

On this Memorial Day, Thursday, May 30, 1940, as we stop to pay tribute to our fallen heroes in the first World War, we should remember the ideals and aspirations of our great heroes and be thankful we are living in a country of freedom and peace while a greater part of the world is now engaged in a second World War.

Men in Europe have again taken up arms in a futile slaughter which has been going on for many weeks and will probably continue for some time to come, but there has yet been little change in living conditions for people of this great country and our leaders are striving to avert war for the Americas.

Families in Europe are actually starving, babies are crying for milk, thousands are homeless and the bloody battlefields of Europe are strewn with the dead and wounded. Millions of people in those warring countries are wondering what tomorrow will hold for them. In this country, it is difficult to visualize these conditions.

While these European nations are now in another bloody and horrible conflict, our country has so far, been spared, and as we pay tribute to our war dead, let us also offer up a prayer of thanks that we have been spared from this fray, and a plea to the Almighty for the furtherance of peace.





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### Items from Neighboring Communities

#### TRUSCOTT (Special to The News)

Mrs. G. M. Anderson and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Horace Rubrecht of Gainesville, visited in the home of their sister, Mrs. Andy Randolph, last Friday and Joy Randolph accompanied them home to spend the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Binion and children from Tolbert visited in the homes of Mrs. Binion's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young, and also in the home of her brother, Gilbert Adcock, Sunday.

There will be church at the Church of Christ next Sunday, June 1, by Robert McCown of Crowell. He will fill his regular appointment then.

Miss Eileen Motley resigned her position as English teacher in the Truscott school. She has accepted a place in the Crowell school.

Mrs. Julia Myers has returned from Blum in Hill County where she had been visiting for some time. She was in Mineral Wells part of the time.

Mrs. Alford Shaw of Freer, Texas, daughter of Mrs. Falkner and formerly of Gilliland, came Saturday to visit her mother and sisters, Mrs. Falkner and Oma, Mrs. Lester Haynie and Mrs. Owen Shaw. She plans to stay about two weeks.

Mrs. Albert Haynie and Jewell were in Knox City Thursday visiting Mrs. R. T. Haynie, who is

slowly improving after her operation and extended illness in the hospital there.

Mrs. Jack Burnett has returned to her home at Sonora. Her nieces and nephew, Peggy, Maxine and L. C. Abbott, accompanied her home.

Ozzie Turner spent last Thursday and Friday in Sweetwater. The Baptist Church will begin its revival meeting on August 11. Rev. Joe English, pastor, will conduct the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning Sr. left Monday for Weatherford where Marion Jr. is attending school. School will close Tuesday and Junior will return home with his parents.

We had about 1 inch of rain at Truscott last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Eubank and Sonnie are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank, and working in the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes went to Lubbock Saturday and visited relatives. Two of their grandchildren returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning went to Quanah Thursday.

Robert Berg of Clovis, N. M., formerly of Truscott, was here Saturday night and Sunday and his wife, who had been visiting relatives and friends here, returned home with him.

Harold, J. B., and Irvin Eubank, Byron Bates, Jack Whitaker and Chester Pogue went to Quanah Sunday to see the finals of the Green Belt Golf tourna-

ment. Mrs. Annie Winstead of Wichita Falls is here visiting her daughters, Mrs. Jack Brown and Mrs. Harrie Harwell.

Rollie Fancher of Seymour, candidate for district attorney, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Mooney of Gorce were Truscott visitors Friday.

Carolyn Caram of Bridgeport is here visiting her father, Sam Caram.

Virginia Browder, who has been teaching school at Alamogordo, N. M., has returned home for the summer.

Lucile Jones came home Saturday from the hospital at Quanah where she was ill for several days. She is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jameson, teacher in the Truscott school, will spend the summer at Rock Crossing.

Mrs. Owen New will entertain a group of friends in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. S. B. Maddox, in her home Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The Christian revival for the summer will begin the first Sunday in October. Rev. Bridges, state evangelist, will do the preaching.

Mrs. John Franklin and children and Kelly Bullion went to Glenrose over the week-end to visit her father, who is ill.

Mrs. T. B. Masterson and Miss Ila Masterson went to Carlsbad Cavern last week.

Mrs. Johnston, primary teacher, has gone to her home in Cisco for the summer.

The home demonstration club will meet on Thursday, May 30, in the home of Mrs. Red Henry. The club ladies are to go to Benjamin Wednesday to attend the mattress demonstration.

A card received from Mrs. Hayworth, formerly Miss Irene Campsey, daughter of Uncle Grundy Campsey, whom we all know so well and who is now living in Pueblo, Colo., said that he was well and fine and in the rabbit business.

Little Charley Caram Jr. is visiting his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Quintana and Jessie of Gilliland.

Reed Chilcoat of Seymour visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Louis Jones, Sunday.

Mary Beth and Lynette Chowning went to Friona Sunday to visit their grandfather, Dr. J. E. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goode made a trip to San Angelo Saturday.

A daughter, Mary Etta, arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loud McLauthin of Carlsbad Monday, May 27. Mrs. McLauthin was Inez Eubank before her marriage.

R. B. Masterson from Amarillo is here visiting his brother, T. B. Masterson.

Mrs. Webb Gleason went to Graham Sunday. Her niece, Billy Joe Tipton, returned home with her to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Killingsworth and his parents of Borger visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, Wednesday. They went to Lake Kemp fishing while here. Crystalline Chilcoat accompanied them home. They went by way of Sagerton to visit her sister, Mrs. Homer Houston.

D. N. Bird of the Bird Dry Goods Store of Crowell, was here visiting Monday.

Frances Jones accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning to Weatherford to attend graduating exercises.

#### VIVIAN (By Rosalie Fish)

Miss Elvira Marr, who taught home economics in Anson High School at Anson for the past year, returned here Saturday to spend the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter, Bernice, and grandson, Billie Walling, spent Wednesday until Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ward of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rasberry and son, Jimmie, of Crowell spent Sunday with Mrs. Ferguson's and Mr. Rasberry's mother, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry.

Mrs. E. T. Evans and son, Milton, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas, of Floydada.

Mrs. T. W. Cooper spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. C. Hampton of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr went to Shallowater Sunday to be at the bedside of Mr. Marr's brother-in-law who is seriously ill.

Miss Bessie Fish, who has taught in Anson public schools in Anson the past term, returned here Friday to spend the summer with her father, A. T. Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morgan and son, Melvin, and grandchildren, Grady and Jane Patton, left Sunday to visit their daughters and sisters, Mrs. Sam Hartsell of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Parlin McBeath of Springtown.

Mrs. W. C. Golden spent Saturday in the home of Mrs. A. J. Dockins of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and sons, John Egbert and Billie, and daughter, Mildred, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Fish's brothers, Ed and Harry Adams, of Crowell.

Mrs. Annie Faulkenberry of Ogden is spending a few days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Walling.

Miss Margaret Evans, who has been teaching near Tulia, came Sunday to spend a few days with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans, before entering West Texas State Teachers' College in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Dallas spent from Sunday until Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Dishman and family of Ogden visited Mr. Dishman's brother, Wayne Dishman, and family Saturday evening.

Nolan Martin of Fort Worth, who has been here visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Walling, Miss Bernice Walling and Billie Walling spent from Friday until Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. George Benham, of Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson and Mrs. Glenn Rasberry and daughter, Sharon Dee, of Corpus Christi have returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry.

#### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What port in Norway will the English continue to make an effort to hold?
  2. In what part of Norway is Narvik, southern, central or northern?
  3. Why is the Norwegian port of Narvik a strategic point?
  4. What horse won the Kentucky Derby?
  5. Where is the Kentucky Derby held?
  6. Of what is Manuel Quezon president?
  7. Of what European country is Gustav V, king?
  8. Where is the Preakness race run?
  9. Of what major league baseball team does Bob Feller, the young school boy pitcher, a member?
  10. In what foreign country is the city of Alexandria, which is now mentioned in the war news, located?
- (Answers on page 3).

#### THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

- June 3.—First steam vessel arrived in Boston from England, 1840.
- June 4.—First house built in Oregon, 1810. First continental train, 1876.
- June 5.—First telegraph line (Philadelphia to Baltimore) established, 1846. First public balloon ascension, in France by Montgolfier Brothers, 1783.
- June 6.—Resolution for independence introduced in Congress, 1776. Battle of Belleau Wood

(World War) began, 1918.  
June 7.—Richard Henry Lee of Virginia offered resolution in Continental Congress in favor of independence, 1776.  
June 8.—Paper money first issued, 1709. George Stephenson, inventor of the locomotive, born, 1781.  
June 9.—John Howard Payne author of "Home, Sweet Home" born, 1791.

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News from Neighboring Communities

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

McBeath Sr. and John McBeath Jr. were visitors in Fort Worth, Dallas and Sherman. Miss Maxine Fleisher visited relatives in Wichita Falls and Crowell last week.

RIVERSIDE (By Bonnie Schroeder)

Misses Frances Tamplin, Ida Mae Hudgins, Zella Scales and Zelma Ward returned Thursday night from their trip with other members of the senior class of Thalia high school.

GRANDE CITY

Grande City the past several months, arrived Sunday morning of her father, J. L. Short. Mrs. D. M. Shultz has been quite ill the past few days.

BLACK (Mrs. Sherman Nichols)

Western and Louis Ward and Miss Jewel Ward of Wichita Falls visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward, Saturday and Sunday.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

Those spending the week-end and Sunday in the J. C. Davis home were: Mrs. Bill Barrett and Doris, of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blanton, Vernon; Mrs. John Bradford and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe and son, Bruce, of Margaret; and Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Matthews and children.

ANSWERS (Questions on page 2)

- 1. Narvik. 2. Northern. 3. It is the point from which ore shipments are made from the Swedish iron mines.

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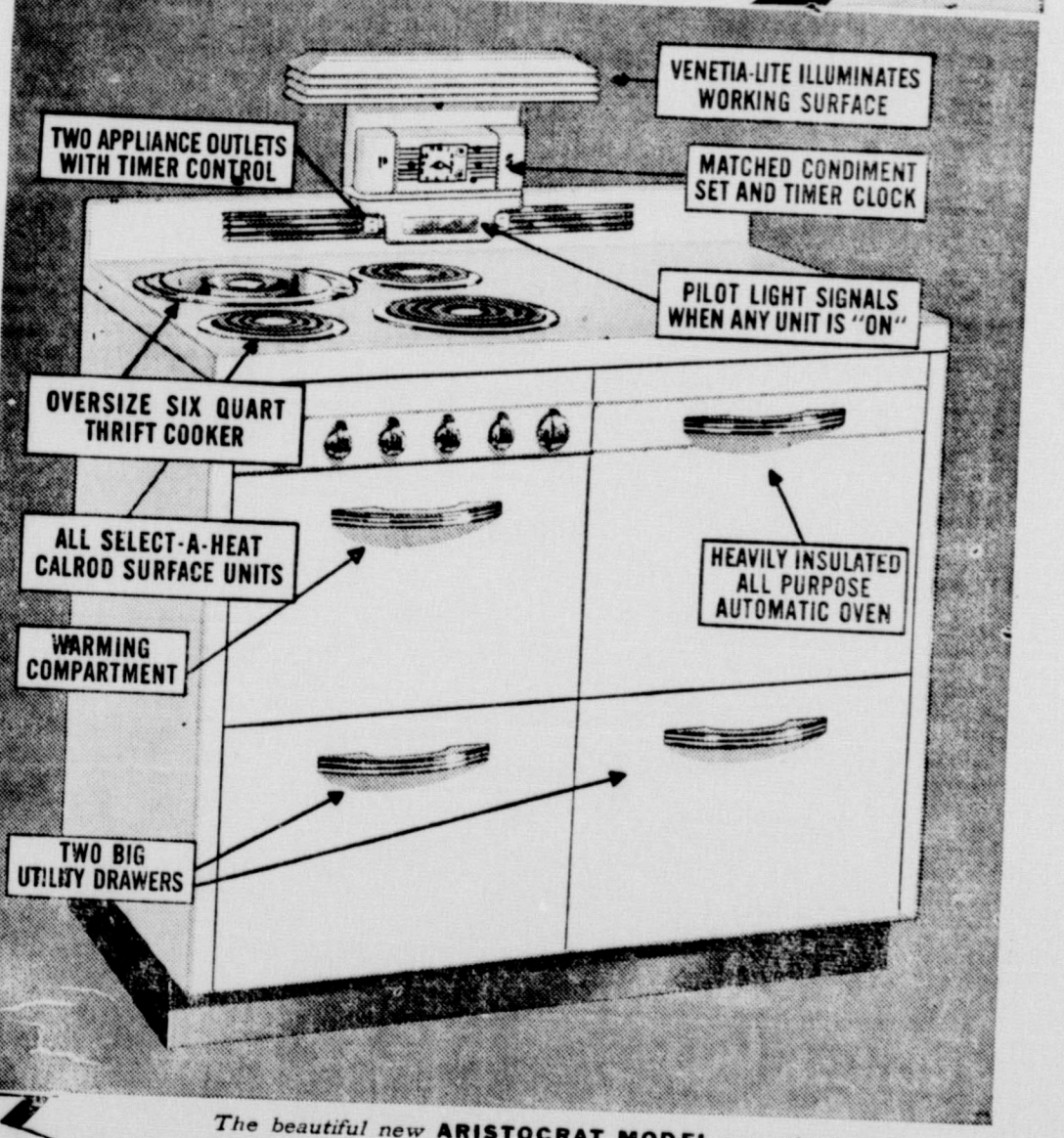
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Crowell, Texas, May 30, 1940

Recompense to no man evil for evil. Provide things honest in the sight of all men.—Romans 12:7.

Occasionally one meets up with a person who likes to tell what fine, big things they would do if they only had a big opportunity.

If a boy isn't taught to work as a boy he is going to have to learn it after he becomes a man.

A lot of folks have found out since the depression struck that they can have just as good a time and live just as well on half the money.

Your Horoscope

May 28, 29.—You would do well as a reporter. You are usually self-satisfied, sometimes without reason.

May 30, 31.—You are a good dresser and strive to dress your children well.

June 1, 2.—You have an independent spirit. You are of an affectionate nature and will sacrifice much for the ones you love.

HELPY - SELFY LAUNDRY

At My Home in northeast part of Crowell near school building. MRS. J. L. BROCK

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

I have long been an advocate of the sterilization of the unfit in certain quarters and while I have heard many objections to the proposition, I have never heard really good objection.

I am aware that the subject always raises a storm of protest in certain quarters and while I have heard many objections to the proposition, I have never heard really good objection.

Many of the children of these unions grow up and are unable to support themselves. Early in life they become public charges and continue so as long as they live.

In addition to this, and I think of more importance perhaps than the useless expense they cause, is the crime that unfit parents commit against their children when they bring them into a world handicapped in a way that they will never be able to successfully compete or make a place for themselves in the world.

Equally to be condemned with the parents is the public that sits complacently by and does nothing about it when it has every means at hand to prevent it.

It is a tragic fact that parents of this kind, having no comprehension or concern as to how they will be able to care for their children that they bring into the world, or no compunction about making them a public charge, have large families, in many instances up to the limit that nature will permit.

Germany awakened to the danger some time ago and a strict program of sterilization is enforced in that country.

I have a feeling, and it is a conviction with me, that though Hitler's ambition to become the dictator of the world may fail, his program of building a better race is not going to fail.

Nothing can stop it unless other nations, ours included, wake up to the peril and put their own houses in order.

Texas has a closed season on salt water terrapin. The open season is from Nov. 1 to March 1.

Political Announcements

For District Attorney, 46th Judicial District: CURTIS RENFRO, Vernon T. JEAN RODGERS, Quanah JESSE OWENS, Vernon R. R. DONAGHEY, Vernon

For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS CLAUDE CALLAWAY

For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. W. LILLY E. H. (Ebb) SCALES LEWIS SLOAN JIMMIE FRANKLIN JESSE D. MILLER

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH MARTS LOTTIE RUSSELL

For County and District Clerk: J. A. STOVALL

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. B. WISDOM W. G. CHAPMAN E. H. (Dick) CROSNOW ROY C. TODD J. C. TAYLOR

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. G. GRIMSLEY

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: A. L. DAVIS CARVEL THOMPSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: HARTLEY EASLEY

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: H. E. FERGESON

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1: FRANK MOORE W. E. HIGGS S. H. (Henry) ROSS

For State Representative, 114th District: GRADY ROBERTS of Munday

Poll Indicates Potency of Townsend Organization

A flood of mail received from readers of the American Forum debate on Social Security was so overwhelmingly in favor of Dr. Francis E. Townsend, who was opposed by Senator James F. Byrnes, that its chief significance is probably the potency of the Townsend old age pension organization.

Dr. Townsend answered "No" to the question: "Is Old Age Security Under Social Security?" He argued instead for large old age pensions. Townsend received no less than 97.5 per cent of all votes cast, while Senator Byrnes, who defended the Social Security program, received 2.5 per cent.

In particular towns, returns such as 526 to 12, or 266 to 8, were not uncommon. The overwhelming pro-Townsend vote was reproduced in all regions where the debate appeared.

Votes were received from Ohio, Texas, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Delaware, West Virginia, New Jersey, New York, Tennessee, Connecticut, New Mexico, Kentucky and the District of Columbia.—Sunday's Star-Telegram.

Children Parasitic? If They Are, Mother and Dad Are at Fault

If children today are "softies" and "parasitic," you'll have to blame mothers, dads, and society in general, because "the economic parasitism of children is not of their making," asserts Farnsworth Crowder in a current Rotarian Magazine article.

Dad's argument about the cows he used to milk before breakfast, the cords of wood he split, and the ashes he hauled are as obsolete as button shoes with milk on the apartment doorstep, oil burners, and building janitors.

"Give children something vital to do," he suggests. "Not a hypothetical something, like a textbook problem. Not a make-believe something, like building a toy house. Not a secondhand something, like gleaming experience from a radio or screen. But a something that is relevant to the shelter, the protection, and the support of their own lives."

Hold the Presses! Here's A "Fishy" Yarn for Certain

This is not only "open season" on certain species of fish, but on "fishy" yarns of the big ones that go away and all that sort of thing. First contender for 1940 championship honors is found in the current Rotarian Magazine, and supports fishermen with tall tales returning home from Havana, Cuba, where Rotary International will hold its annual convention June 9-14.

FOARD COUNTY Softball News

The first half of the split season of the Foard County Softball League closed Wednesday night with Margaret winning the first half championship with a two-game lead over the Crowell Oilers, Crowell Aces and Rayland, who finished the season tied for second place.

Margaret blasted out six hits and took advantage of 12 Oiler errors to easily ring its championship game 13-4 Monday night. The Everson brothers, R. J. and Eugene, led Margaret in hitting with two singles each, with Graves accounting for three runs to lead the team in scoring.

Rayland Gets Tough In the last games of the first half, Rayland again exhibited its staying power against the Oilers to overcome a top-heavy lead to knot the score at 9-all at the end of regular game time and then pushed across two runs in the first half of the eleventh to win, 11-9, and finish in a tie for second place after holding the cellar during the greater part of the first half.

After overcoming a bad start at the first of the season, the Margaret team sailed through their last game Monday night against the Crowell Oilers to win 13-4 and hang up the championship of the first half of the Foard County Softball League season.

In the victory Tuesday night, Rayland overcame a 5-run lead to knot the score in the seventh inning at 10-all. Both teams were held scoreless until the last half of the tenth when Blevins came to the plate with two men down and drove a long fly between center and left fields for the run which broke up the ball game.

Standings table with columns: Teams, GP, W, L, Pct. Margaret 9 6 3 .667, Crowell Oilers 9 4 5 .444, Crowell Aces 9 4 5 .444

Monday's game - Rayland 13, Phillips Oilers 4. AB R H E. Margaret 9 6 3 0, Rader 5 0 0 1, Owens 4 0 0 1, Rice 4 1 1 1, Huntley 4 0 0 0, Camp, rover 4 0 0 2, B. Myers, 2b 4 0 1 1, W. Myers, 1b 4 0 0 3, Wisdom, ss 4 1 0 2, J. Mills, p 4 1 0 0, Whitley, 3b 4 1 0 1

Oilers AB R H E. R. Everson, 2b 4 2 1 0, Owens, rover 4 1 1 0, Malone, cf 4 0 1 0, C. Russell, c 4 1 1 0, Graves, 1b 4 3 0 3, Andrews, lf 4 1 0 0, J. Russell, p 4 1 1 0, Taylor, ss 4 1 0 2, E. Everson, 3b 4 2 1 0, G. Russell, rf 4 1 1 0

Tuesday's game - Rayland 11, Crowell Service Station Aces 10. Crowell Aces AB R H E. Nelson, cf 3 0 1 0, Ellis, ss 4 1 2 0, Bradford, 2b 5 1 0 0, Connell, 3b 5 3 2 2, Moss, c 5 1 1 0, Crowell, 1b 4 0 1 1, Carter, rover 4 2 0 0, Halencak, rf 4 0 1 0, Owens, lf 3 0 1 1, Bailey, p 3 0 1 1

Rayland AB R H E. Gray, p 4 0 1 1, Clark, 2b 5 1 2 0, Sittin, 3b 4 0 1 0, Blevins, c 5 1 1 0, Colclazer, 1b 4 2 1 2, Wilson, rover 4 0 1 1, Pierce, ss 3 1 1 1, B. Tole, cf 3 1 1 0, H. Abston, rf 2 1 1 0, J. Abston, lf 4 1 1 1, H. Tole, rf 2 1 1 0

The box scores for the Rayland-Oiler game last Thursday night and the game between the same clubs Wednesday night were not turned in. The Vernon Oilers invaded Margaret Sunday afternoon and took home a 4-3 victory after being given a run by virtue of a Margaret error late in the game.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—The most peculiar gubernatorial campaign in Texas' history is rapidly approaching the stage for definite action, without any action to speak of, and with public interest still apparently blacked out entirely by world-shaking events in Europe.

Real contenders in the Governor race include Lee O'Daniel, the incumbent, who, while he has admittedly lost much strength since his record-breaking no-runoff victory two years ago, is still regarded by best observers here as an odds-on favorite to be high man. Next in line is Harry Hines, Highway Commissioner, who at this stage is probably easily second man; the Fergusons doubtless would place third at this time, with only a shadow of the strength they have shown in some past years; Jerry Sadler, the railroad commissioner, and Albert Derlen, anti-sales tax legislator, probably rank in that order. Ernest O. Thompson, railroad commissioner, while not yet an announced candidate, is universally expected to get in by June 3, the closing date. His race two years ago, and his ability as a campaigner, will probably drop him into a spot immediately behind Hines at the start, and of course, with seven weeks to go, the relative position of any of the candidates may undergo revolutionary changes.

The chief question now is whether the combined strength of the other candidates will prove sufficient to force O'Daniel into a run-off, and the prevailing opinion of political observers now is that this is quite a likely prospect. If Hines or Thompson, or even Mrs. Ferguson should get into a runoff with O'Daniel, and the war situation becomes less black, a red-hot campaign may yet develop, before a governor is chosen.

Campaigns Are Pitiful The campaigning this year has been pitiful. With the complete disinterest of the public, candidates haven't been able to get crowds out, and only a few poorly attended meetings have been held anywhere.

Lee O' Makes 'Em Ill O'Daniel's effort to capitalize the war situation has been the crudest and most nauseating of all. His Saturday night program was a sickening hodge-podge of patriotic songs and music, in jazz time by hill-billy music, interspersed with "emotional" pathos by the Governor, and a desperate effort to tie onto the coat-tails of President Roosevelt by extravagant praise and declaration of patriotism.

The Fergusons, too, have sought to share in the Roosevelt popularity, but they are old and feeble, and reading prepared radio speeches before a microphone, they are no longer the fiery Ferguson of old, who "poured it on" opponents.

Thompson's indecision about running, his withdrawal to enter a congressional race, and then his plans to re-enter, have all confused his supporters, and weakened his original position as the strongest potential opponent of O'Daniel. He may recover this ground quickly after he gets in, and if he does, he may be O'Daniel's runoff opponent, if there is a runoff. Meanwhile, Hines appears to have the edge on that favored spot at present writing.

In the other state races, the situation is even more terrible from the standpoint of the "out" candidates trying to get in. There is absolutely no evidence of public interest, and traditional campaign methods are proving futile, particularly with the lack of campaign funds which is a universal handicap of all the candidates.

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"As soon as estimates as to cost can be made, we will be more on this matter."

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"Those building curbs are urged to see the sexton for correct corners. Iron pegs have been driven deep into the ground and he knows where they are. The sexton was instructed to keep the big gates locked, because of the damage done by roving stock."

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# Locals

Roberts of Wichita Falls visited relatives and friends in Crowell Wednesday.

ing poles, 22 feet long—W. R. Womack.

Thompson Jr. submitted annual report in the Quail hospital Tuesday.

will give you a big trade for your old stove on a Perfection range.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Magee and E. Swain returned Sunday night from Houston where they attended the State ceremonial.

Electrolux refrigerator for Butane use.—W. R. Womack.

and Mrs. Earl Steele and their family have moved back to their southeast of Crowell after the winter in Crowell.

of new furniture.—W. R. Womack.

Marie Wells returned Saturday night from Southwestern State College in Durant, where she completed her year's work with home economics as her major.

Nome air conditioners.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston visited relatives and friends in Plano and McKinney Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Albert Koeney of Bryan is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Nagy, who has been ill.

Jack Babbs returned to Crowell Monday from Tahoka and has accepted a position as night chef in the Liberty Cafe.

Mrs. Jim Fields of Greenville, S. C., arrived here Tuesday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. G. Y. Carroll, and family.

Mrs. B. C. Harbor and children of Amarillo were week-end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Curlee.

Buy a good hoe, file, rake, water hose.—W. R. Womack.

Billy Holman is here visiting his aunt, Mrs. Virgil Greer, and husband, Billy, a former student of the Crowell schools, graduated from the Ardmore, Okla., High School last Friday.

We furnish everything to complete your Butane system, cylinders, tanks, gas.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ringgold have recently gone to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado in Arizona where they are visiting Mrs. Ringgold's sister and husband. They expect to spend the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook visited their son, George, in Quannah last Sunday.

You will now need a good lawn mower.—W. R. Womack.

Noma Gale Edwards of Vernon is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Dykes, this week.

Farmers! Let us install an economy automatic Butane system.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Mary Frances Bruce has returned home from Canyon where she was a student in West Texas State College.

A big stock fish catching fishing tackle.—W. R. Womack.

Lewis Sloan submitted to a tonsil operation in a Wichita Falls hospital Thursday of last week.

Harvest special—fancy up-holstered rockers only \$4.49 at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Todd of Quannah are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Harwell.

Fishing should be good now. A big stock of fishing tackle.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Annie Rettig has returned to Crowell from Childress and is working in the alteration department of the B. & B. Man's Shop.

Lots of pretty rugs and floor covering.—W. R. Womack.

Miss Dorothy Hinds has returned home from Barstow where she has been teaching school. She has been elected as a member of the faculty of the Ft. Davis schools for next term.

Harvest special—battery radio complete, only \$19.95.—M. S. Henry & Co.

\$2.50 oil guaranteed permanent for \$1.00; shampoo and set 35c; sets 20c.—Mrs. S. D. Martin Beauty Shoppe.

Fine gas ranges for Butane use.—W. R. Womack.

Marvin Cates of Yeso, N. M., who has been employed on a ranch in New Mexico for the past three years, is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates, of the Thalia community. He expects to be here for several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Sloan and daughter, Sandra Elaine, of Terrell are here this week visiting Dr. Sloan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sloan, and also with the doctor's brother, Lewis Sloan, and wife.

Miss Oneta Cates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates of Thalia, has returned to the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene from Detroit, Mich., where she spent several months. She is a registered nurse and is in charge of that department at the Abilene hospital.

Ice cream freezers—good ones.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bell and daughter, Carolyn, left Monday morning for San Antonio. Mr. Bell is field representative for the W. P. A. in Texas and was called to San Antonio in connection with his duties in that capacity.

Harvest special—large white plates only 10c each at M. S. Henry & Co.

W. M. Godwin returned home last Friday from Wallawa, Ore., where he spent several days visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Fairchild, and family. Mr. Godwin made the trip on the bus and was gone about 15 days.

Porch or yard chairs only 95c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis went to Plano last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Davis' cousin, John Raser, 58, who died in Dallas Thursday. The funeral was held at the funeral home in Plano Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Davis returned home Sunday.

J. L. Franklin returned to his home in Haston, Okla., the first of the week after spending a week visiting his brother, B. C. Franklin, and wife and other relatives in the Foard City community. Mr. Franklin was taken to his home by Owen Rader and B. C. Franklin.

Harvest special—10-quart water bucket only 19c at M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague and small daughter, Carol, of Five-in-One are here visiting Mr. Teague's mother, Mrs. L. Kamstra, and family. Mr. Teague is a teacher in the Five-in-One school and the family will leave Friday for Canyon where Mr. Teague will attend summer school at West Texas State Teachers' College.

## Debt Adjustment Aid Extended to Small Farmers

Small farmers who when their incomes were larger accumulated debts they are now unable to pay may get their burdens lightened somewhat at the meeting of the Foard County farm debt adjustment committee to be held at 3 p. m., Thursday, June 13, in the court house.

According to Julian Wright, Farm Security Administration Supervisor, the debt adjustment committee, composed of local men, helps the farmer to work out a repayment schedule that he can meet from farm income and that is fair and agreeable to his creditors.

"Debt adjustment is nothing new," Mr. Wright said. "It was practiced in Biblical times, when every seventh year was set aside for the remission of debts. This custom enabled many shepherds and husbandmen of that day to make a living on the land instead of having to beg alms in the market place."

Local creditors have been willing in most cases, upon the farm debt adjustment committee's recommendation, to grant farmers additional time to pay, reamortizations, and scale down in principal and interest, the supervisory said.

Members of the committee are: Hubert Brown, C. P. Sandifer, and C. E. Gafford, Crowell.

## J. R. Beverly—

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under way at the banquet with the unanimous election of George Self as the general chairman of arrangements.

Mr. Self served in this capacity during both the fortieth and forty-fifth anniversary celebrations, and was named as "the man best suited for the job" at the time of his election.

The business men pledged themselves to co-operate in every way possible to make the celebration even greater than the other two anniversary celebrations held here.

The program last Thursday night was opened with the invocation by H. E. Fergeson. Following the banquet, the retiring president, Dwight Moody, made a short talk in which he urged the business men to co-operate with the new officers in every manner possible.

J. R. Beverly, president of the Citizens' Good Roads Ass'n., gave a report on the progress made in efforts to receive state designation of a road from Crowell to Seymour. Mr. Beverly told of the hearing given the delegation by the State Highway Commission in Austin recently, and stated that the commission promised to take the proposal into consideration and notify the delegation of the decision at a later date.

Miss Frances Henry Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnson, was elected to be Crowell's representative at the Cowboy's Reunion and Rodeo at Stamford in July.

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## House Adopts Gossett Army Bill Amendment

Washington, D. C., May 24.—The House of Representatives today passed H. R. 9850, entitled "a bill to expedite the strengthening of the national defense" by a vote of 392 to 1. The bill authorized a substantial increase in the size of the army, removed all restriction upon airplane construction by the army, provided for employment of additional civilians in the War Department, and appropriated \$132,000,000 as an emergency fund for the President in the promotion of the purposes of the bill.

During the consideration of this bill, the House adopted an amendment by Representative Ed Gossett of Texas providing that no part of the money spent under the authority of the bill should be paid to any Communist, Fascist, or Nazi.

In discussing his amendment before the House of Representatives, Congressman Ed Gossett stated: "We have been told on reasonable good authority that through the civil service and other agencies Communists, and others not in sympathy with our Government, are working into im-

portant positions in this country. In this time of peril, when we are concerned with our national defense, it occurs to me that our Military Establishments certainly ought to be purged of those not devoted and loyal to democratic institutions."

## MARGARET H. D. CLUB

The Margaret Home Demonstration Club met May 24 in the home of Mrs. Bax Middlebrook. The lesson was on wild flowers.

It was decided that the club would sponsor a 42 party and cake walk and sell ice cream, Saturday night, June 1, at the Margaret school house. Everyone is invited.

The next club meeting will be June 14.

## COAL BLACK RACCOON FOUND

Add a black raccoon to the outdoor oddities seen in Texas. A pure black coon has been seen twice on the shore of Lake Wichita by O. B. Brandon of Wichita Falls. The raccoon, according to Mr. Brandon, is an unusually large specimen. Albinos, that is white specimens of birds and animals, occur more often than do black specimens.

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Miss Bessie Fish returned to her home in the Vivian community last Friday from Anson where she is a teacher in the public school system. Miss Fish expects to spend most of the summer at home with her father, A. T. Fish, and family.

## Former Crowell—

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tian Church of Crowell.

Mrs. Banister died in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo at 4 a. m. Tuesday, May 28, following a heart attack Monday. She had undergone an operation on May 7 and had recovered satisfactorily and it was thought that she was almost ready to leave the hospital at the time of the attack.

Music for the funeral was rendered by Mrs. Alva Spencer and Mrs. A. F. Wright with Miss Anne Lee Long as accompanist. The first violin number was the "Old Rugged Cross," followed by two vocal numbers by Mrs. Wright, "Perfect Day" and "Lay My Head Beneath the Rose." The concluding number was "Lead Kindly Light," violin and piano accompaniment.

Pall bearers were J. E. Long, D. R. Magee, A. D. Campbell, J. A. Stovall, R. C. Bennett (Spearman), and H. E. Fergeson.

Flower bearers were as follows: Misses Kathryn, Margaret and Frances Woods, nieces; Miss Claudia Carter, Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. Floyd Borchardt, Mrs. Dick Kiker (Spearman), Mrs. Herman Greening and Mrs. Dick Todd.

Alpha Kirkman was born in Denton County, Feb. 1, 1879, and came to Foard County with her parents when she was 5 years of age. She joined the First Baptist Church of Crowell at the age of 16 and had lived a consistent Christian life since that time. Her membership was in the local church at the time of her death.

She was married to C. E. Banister in Crowell on June 7, 1897. Eight children were born to this couple, five of whom survive and were present for the funeral. They are, John Banister, Spearman; Mrs. W. L. Reinhardt, Kress; F. K. Banister, Spearman; Mrs. Charlie Wishon, Crowell, and Mrs. Thad Tienkin, Independence, Mo. Other survivors are seven grandchildren, one brother, Frank Kirkman, Encinal, Texas; one niece, Mrs. Walter Waechter, Austin; one nephew, C. B. Graham Jr., Crowell.

Out-of-town relatives and friends attending the funeral were Mrs. George Johnson, Canyon; Mrs. Frank Kirkman, Ft. Sumner, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bennett, Mrs. Dick Kiker, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Archa Morse, all of Spearman.

You will need a lawn mower now.—W. R. Womack.

## PLAY AT MARGARET

A play, "Lovely Lady," will be presented in the Margaret school building Friday night at 8:15 o'clock by the women of the Truscott Methodist Church, under the sponsorship of the Margaret Missionary Society. The admission will be ten and fifteen cents.

Everyone is invited to see this play.

## Red Cross—

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or how small, for this emergency measure, as soon as possible.

Mr. Self stated that the original quota was \$240 for this county and so far only \$40.00 had been contributed. He urges everyone who will, to contribute any amount to this worthy cause.

It is extremely difficult for us who live in this peaceful country to visualize such ghastly conditions as exist in those warring nations, but nevertheless, they exist and the people, through the American Red Cross, should do everything possible to relieve the millions of suffering war refugees.

President Roosevelt expressed these sentiments in his radio broadcast last Sunday night when he said, "The American people can do and will not let millions of women and children suffer for food, clothing and medical attention in war-torn Europe."

# MEMORIAL DAY

May 30th

The deeds of our fallen Heroes will live long in the hearts of America! This day we honor the men who fought nobly, and died nobly! We honor them!

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Miss Oneta Cates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates of Thalia, has returned to the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene from Detroit, Mich., where she spent several months. She is a registered nurse and is in charge of that department at the Abilene hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bell and daughter, Carolyn, left Monday morning for San Antonio. Mr. Bell is field representative for the W. P. A. in Texas and was called to San Antonio in connection with his duties in that capacity.

W. M. Godwin returned home last Friday from Wallawa, Ore., where he spent several days visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Fairchild, and family. Mr. Godwin made the trip on the bus and was gone about 15 days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis went to Plano last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Davis' cousin, John Raser, 58, who died in Dallas Thursday. The funeral was held at the funeral home in Plano Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Davis returned home Sunday.

J. L. Franklin returned to his home in Haston, Okla., the first of the week after spending a week visiting his brother, B. C. Franklin, and wife and other relatives in the Foard City community. Mr. Franklin was taken to his home by Owen Rader and B. C. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teague and small daughter, Carol, of Five-in-One are here visiting Mr. Teague's mother, Mrs. L. Kamstra, and family. Mr. Teague is a teacher in the Five-in-One school and the family will leave Friday for Canyon where Mr. Teague will attend summer school at West Texas State Teachers' College.

## ROTARY CLUB

Hubert Brown was in charge of the program of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon with I. T. Graves giving an interesting talk on the conditions that exist in European countries on account of the shortage of food.

# Government Loan Wheat

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It is our understanding, that the Government loan on No. 1 wheat, 13 per cent protein at Crowell, Texas, will be 64c per bushel, and 65c for 14 per cent protein.

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For example—Freight charges on 1,000 bushels of wheat shipped to larger terminals will be \$144.00. This will be added in your note, and the extra that you pay when securing Government loans in larger terminals will cost you around 1/2 c a bushel more interest, than loans made in our elevator here, as we keep all Government wheat here in Crowell.

When you secure your Government loan from us we give you your check the day loan is made. This also applies to Truscott, Benjamin and Bomarton.

For the past four or five months, we have been able to sell Government loan wheat in our plant here at Crowell one to two cents more than Government loan wheat placed in larger terminals. When you sell your Government loan wheat, we will see to it that you secure any premium that we may be able to get for you on account of having it in our plant here at Crowell.

We are Government approved for only 150,000 bushels. When filled, Government loans will have to be made through Fort Worth terminals.

The Government will not allow us to make loans on tough or high moisture wheat.

We have approved moisture testing machines, at Crowell, Truscott, Benjamin and Bomarton. We are anxious that you harvest as quickly as possible, and will be glad for you to bring your samples to us at either of the above places, and we will tell you the exact moisture content of your wheat. NO CHARGE FOR THIS SERVICE.

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FOR RENT — Furnished cottage apartment.—Mrs. H. K. Edwards. 50-1tp

#### No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 50-1tc

#### TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams. 15-1tc

#### NOTICE

POSITIVELY NO ROCK HAULING out of Hendrix Estate Lands. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Frank Hendrix. 49-4tc

#### CITATION

The State of Texas, County of Foard.

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Foard County, Texas—Greeting:

Lester Ownbey, Guardian of the Estate of F. L. Ownbey, a non compos mentis, now deceased, having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the Estate of F. L. Ownbey, a non compos mentis, now deceased, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1940, for hearing on his final account and for an order closing said Guardianship and discharging him as Guardian of said Estate and releasing his bondsmen, and you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ, once a week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Foard, and said publication shall not be less than twenty days before the return day hereof, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, in said Court on or before Monday the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1940, when said account and application will be considered by the Court. Herein fail not, but have you before said court at the time

## CHURCHES

**Christian Science Church**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Sunday services at 11 a. m.  
Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.  
Sunday, June 2, 1940. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."  
The public is cordially invited.

**East Side Church of Christ**  
Each Lord's Day: Bible classes at 10 a. m., worship service at 10:45 a. m., Young People's class at 7 p. m.  
Each Wednesday: Mid-Week Bible class at 8 p. m.  
Second and Fourth Lord's Days: Preaching at 10:45 a. m., evening at 8 o'clock.

It is very essential that we study the word of God because the Apostle Paul in writing to Timothy instructed him to "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." 2 Tim. 2:15. Most of us eat three meals a day and strive to keep our physical bodies well fed, but when it comes to spiritual food, we seem to think that our souls should be able to get by on one or two meals a week and we only want those to be about twenty or thirty minutes long. Yes, we certainly do not want our bodies neglected, but we don't mind starving our little, skinny, scrawny souls to death for lack of "the sincere

milk of the word." Friends, don't take my word or any other preacher's word for what to do to be well pleasing unto the Lord, but follow the example of the Bereans in Acts 17:11 and "search the Scriptures daily, whether these things were so." I might be wrong or any other man might be wrong, but the Bible is right and can not be wrong.

"Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord."  
On the first Lord's Day of each month, I will preach for the Church of Christ in Truscott. I know that I am speaking the sentiment of the Church in Truscott when I say that all visitors are cordially invited to attend the services and that everyone will be welcome. The subjects for next Lord's Day, June 2, will be "What Is That in Thy Hand?" in the morning and "Do Your Books Balance?" at the evening service.

Robert McCown, Minister.

**Christian Science Services**  
"Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 2.

The Golden Text is: "Sing unto the Lord, praise ye the Lord: for he hath delivered the soul of the poor from the hand of evil-doers" (Jeremiah 20:13).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he

will flee from you. Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. . . . Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and he shall lift you up" (James 4:7, 8, 10).

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: "In the quiet sanctuary of earnest longings, we must deny sin and plead God's allness" (page 15).

**Senior B. T. U.**  
The subject for Sunday, June 2, is "Learning the Meaning of Prayer." Chester Graham is in charge of the program. The program is a Christian Education of prayer.  
The following have parts on the program: Ruth Steele, No. 1; George Carter, No. 2; Maggie Starnes, No. 3; Bertha Womack, No. 4; Marie Cates, No. 5; and Glen Goodwin, No. 6.

**Our Weekly Sermon**  
By Rev. P. B. Fitzwater, D. D., Director of Pastors Course, The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

**The Providence of God**  
Text—And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.—Romans 8:28.  
"Providence" means "fore-

sight." The providence of God, therefore, means "God's seeing before," or, as it has come to mean, "God's going before" and "proving before." In life's trials and confusion how important that the Christian have a correct understanding of every experience. The meaning and scope of divine providence are clearly set forth in our text.

1. The certainty of God's providence—"we know." The believer is sure of God's care because of the teaching of Scripture and because of his personal experience. He can face the issues of life with the assurance that the Almighty Father is controlling and directing all that comes into his life.

2. The extent of God's providence—"all things." All that comes, whether joy or sorrow, prosperity or adversity, good health or sickness, pleasure or pain, are included in God's providence. To be sure in times when our hearts are wrenched with sorrow that the tender heart of the loving Father is directing and controlling the given experience, brings needed comfort and trust that all is well.

3. The activity of God's providence—"work." There is no "happens so" in the world in which the Christian lives. All things are working, that is, actively operating, for the good of the believer. We are not living in a static but a dynamic world. All things are working, that is, actively operating, for the good of the believer. We are not living in a static but a dynamic world. All things are moving forward toward

a beneficent goal.  
4. The harmony of God's providence—"together." When we are able to get the right perspective of life, we see that what seems to be against him, that which causes such suffering is part of the Father's plan. If one lacks outward and upward look, he is likely to cry, "All these things are against me," but when he looks at the circumstances in light of the workings of God, he sees that life after all is a certificate of the workings of the Father's plan for the most beautiful harmony.

5. The benevolence of God's providence—"for good." Times the most painful experience accomplish the greatest good, on the loss of money, the loved ones, and the loss of the must be recognized as furthering the divine plan for one's life.

6. The restrictions of God's providence—"to them that God, to them who are the according to his purpose." Not declared that all things together for good to the believer and the one who has ed his back on God, but to who love God.

Let the believer therefore heart, whatever may be his experience, whatever he may be upon to suffer, in that living in God's world and nothing can enter into his life except that which God's love

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## Wet Wheat Will Not Be Accepted By Elevators

Because the Commodity Credit Corporation will not make loans on wet wheat and terminal elevators have warned us that they will refuse wet or green wheat shipped to them, therefore, it becomes necessary for us to pass it on to you.

Please do not bring a full load of wet wheat and expect us to accept it. If in doubt, please bring a small sample to be passed upon by the elevators.

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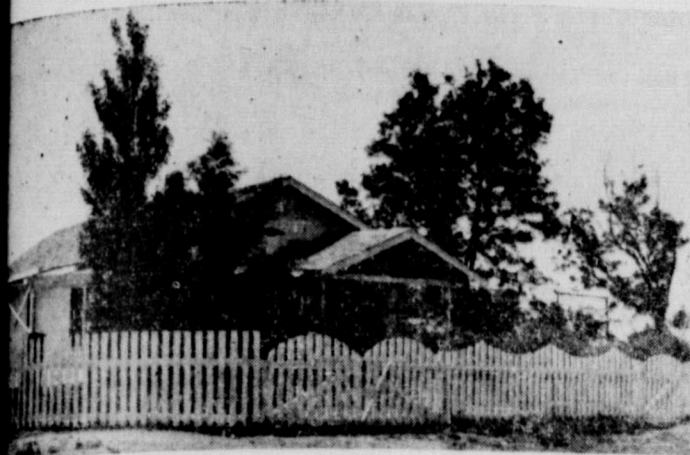
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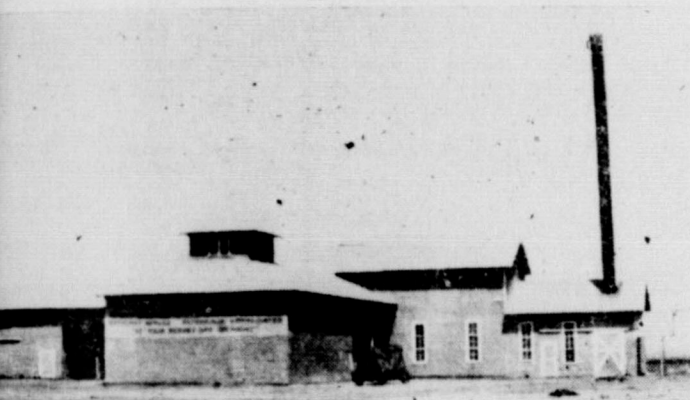


Homes At Rayland



Shown above are two of the many attractive homes in this community. With their abundant water, people here are able to grow...

Rayland's Modern Cotton Gin



Above is the Aubrey L. Lockett Gin at Rayland. This modern gin handles the community's principal crop—cotton.

Daily Mail Arrives at Rayland



Above is shown a daily scene at Rayland—when the mail arrives. Rayland does not have a postoffice and is served on Route 1...

Shown in the picture are: left to right, Mrs. Evelyn Garvin, Ernest Churchwell, Mrs. Pete Haynes, J. C. Davis, mail carrier James of Vernon, and Buck Clark.

Potato Curing House at Rayland



Above is one of the three sweet potato curing houses which handle the crop at Rayland. These houses will not be put to use until late in October...

one and a quarter acres. He also raised a large quantity of tomatoes and berries on a commercial scale...

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Rayland—

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this year, due to crop short- in other sections of the...

started Monday and as this issue of The News goes to press, Mr. Faughn is delivering his first 300 bushels to a wholesale house...

Sweet Potato Crop When the pictures were recently made, workers were busy transplanting sweet potatoes on the H. T. Faughn farm...

With this equipment, three men, one driving the tractor and two working on the transplanting machine, it is possible to set out about three acres per day...

From the 46 bushels of seed bedded, Mr. Davis expects to make about 92,000 potato slips, of which 48,000 were delivered to growers in the Rayland community by May 12.

There are approximately 100 acres planted in sweet potatoes in the community this year, and only 5 acres are not irrigated.

The harvesting and selling of the potato crop will be started about Sept. 1, when trucks from western Oklahoma, Colorado and various parts of Texas, flock into the community for high quality sweet potatoes.

There are three curing plants in the community; one owned by Mr. Faughn, one on the McLarty farm and one by Mr. Beazley.

In closing the article about this community, a word should be said about one of its most colorful pioneers, W. J. Dewberry.

The only man in the Rayland

GROCERIES

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With this issue of the paper we want to express our appreciation to the people of the Rayland community and this entire section for the splendid patronage they have extended to our growing business in the town of Rayland.

We carry a good stock of groceries and our pumps are always full of Conoco Bronz-z-z. We also carry other products of the Continental Oil Co.

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# --SOCIETY--

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## Miss Ola Carter Becomes Bride of Sterling City Man

The marriage of Miss Ola Carter of Crowell to Henton Emery of Sterling City was solemnized at 11 o'clock Friday morning, May 24, by Dr. A. D. Foreman Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Angelo.

Mrs. Emery is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter of Crowell. She is a graduate of the North Texas State Teachers' College at Denton, and has been a teacher in the San Angelo public school system for the past three years.

Mr. Emery is the son of Mrs. W. L. Emery of Sterling City. He received his business education at Tyler Business College at Tyler, and now holds the position of deputy clerk for the office of sheriff, tax-assessor and collector of Sterling County.

After a wedding trip to points in South Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Emery will make their home in Sterling City.

## GARDEN TEA CLUB

The Flower Show and Girl Scout Benefit Tea sponsored by the Crowell Garden Club at the Adelpian club house last Friday afternoon was attended by about eighty-five guests, who were received at the door by Mrs. H. Schindler, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Garden Club president, headed the receiving line with Lois Evelyn Flesher, patrol leader of Senior troop of Girl Scouts, Virginia Mabe and Larue Graves, Intermediate patrol leaders and Rodyn Self, representing the Brownies.

A program was rendered, with Mrs. George Self introducing the numbers. Miss Dorothy Wittingham played two piano selections; Evelyn Jean Seales read Edgar A. Guest's "Garden Frivolties." Miss Wanda Liles, accompanied by Miss Wittingham, sang "My Wild Irish Rose" and "In An Old Dutch Garden."

"The Parade of Flowers" was given by seven girls who wore "up-to-the-minute" hats made from real flowers. The modish creations were modeled by Misses Joyelle Tysinger, June Billington, Mary Evelyn Edwards, Margaret Claire Shirley, Ann Favor, Lois Evelyn Flesher and Evelyn Jean Seales.

After a few words of welcome and of thanks to those present for their co-operation, Mrs. Kincaid invited the guests into the dining room, where Mrs. H. K. Edwards was in charge and where the table, lace covered, held an oval mirror plaque encircled with rosebuds, snap dragons and baby's breath. White tapers flanked the low punch bowl which was placed on the plaque. The girls of the "Parade of Flowers" served the punch and cake.

Others in the house party were Mrs. L. A. Andrews and Mrs. C. G. Graves, who were responsible for the details of the tea. Mrs. John Rasor, Mrs. Vance Favor, Mrs. A. Y. Beverly and Miss Joellene Vannoy.

The flower show was lovely, with a profusion of flowers throughout the entire house. In the general division, a large bouquet of double pink larkspur on a reflector was chosen as outstanding. In the living room, a bouquet of pink rosebuds arranged in front of a blue mirror was favored. In the wild flower division, a sun-hat filled with various flowers created favorable comment, while in the miniature division a tiny basket filled with pink Dorothy Perkins rosebuds and baby's breath was chosen and in the novelty division a white baby shoe with dainty pink and white flowers.

The amount cleared was \$15.69 and this will be used on the fund required to pay water to the Girl Scouts' Little House.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY

Marion Gentry was the honoree at a surprise birthday party given Thursday night at the home of Mrs. F. W. Mabe. The house was decorated with red and white roses, and games of bingo were enjoyed throughout the evening. Marion was the recipient of many nice gifts.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles and punch were served to Marion, Polly Davis, Virginia and Frankie Mabe, Sue Jones, Vance Nelson, Jane Roark, Jo Ann Gentry, Margaret Davis, Evelyn Flesher, Billy Braswell, Ed Thomas, James Cooper, Sandra Bell, Paula Plunkett, Weldon Moody, Buddy Thomas and Joe Wells.

## BRIDAL SHOWER

Mrs. Homer Stewart was hostess to a bridal shower Tuesday evening honoring Miss Neoma Curlee, bride-elect of Minnard Wright. Mrs. Beryl Harbor presided at the bride's book. Miss Curlee received many nice gifts from those who were present and many gifts were sent by friends unable to attend the shower. Lovely refreshments were served with the bridal cake.

## Truscott Girls and Foard Boys Marry in Double Ceremony

Hughston McLain of Foard City and Miss Estelle Chilcoat of Truscott and Lester Patton of Truscott and Miss Margaret Casey of Truscott were united in marriage in a double wedding ceremony at Chickasha, Okla., on Sunday, May 19. The couples announced their marriage on Sunday, May 26.

Mrs. McLain is the daughter of Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat of Truscott and has lived in Truscott all her life. She was graduated from the high school there in 1937. Mr. McLain is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady McLain. He was reared at Foard City and received his education at Foard City and Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. McLain are at present living with his parents where he is engaged in farming.

Mrs. Patton is the daughter of J. E. Casey of Truscott and was reared and educated at that place. She is a graduate of the Truscott High School. Mr. Patton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton of Crowell. He was reared here and was graduated from Crowell High School in 1933. He then attended St. Mary's College in San Antonio for two years. Mr. and Mrs. Patton will reside in Crowell, where he is employed at the Panhandle Service Station.

Accompanying the two couples to Chickasha and attending the wedding ceremony were Bill Carroll of Crowell and Miss Frances Casey of Truscott.

## COLUMBIAN CLUB

Members of the Columbian Club enjoyed the last meeting of the club year with Mrs. Grady Halbert in her attractive new home in the Foard City community on Wednesday afternoon, May 22.

"Art" was the subject of study and response to roll call was made by naming a famous painter and one of his pictures.

Miss Joellene Vannoy was leader and discussed "American Art Looks to Its Murals."

Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin told of the rapid growth of painting in America, after waiting 300 years for the development of a true American art.

Mrs. R. L. Kincaid gave a splendid report of the 7th District Federation meeting which recently met at Shamrock.

Mrs. S. T. Crews was voted the member who had served for the longest continuous period in the club; Mrs. Kincaid as the most outstanding in point of service, and Mrs. Joe W. Beverly as the outstanding member who is deceased. These names represent the Columbian Club in the Golden Jubilee celebration.

Mrs. Halbert served delicious home-made ice cream and ice box cookies at the conclusion of the program.

## THALIA IDLE HOUR CLUB

The Idle Hour Club of Thalia met Thursday, May 23, with Mrs. G. A. Shultz as hostess. Following a pleasant afternoon spent in fancy work and conversation, a business meeting was held. At this time it was voted by the members to have an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Mack Edens on Thursday, June 13, also the time of the regular club meeting was changed to 3 o'clock.

After the business meeting, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following members: Mesdames J. D. Miller, J. C. Matthews, C. C. Lindsey, Jno. Wright, Bob Abston, Mack Edens and Royse Cato, and Miss Minnie Wood and the hostess.

## GARDEN CLUB PICNIC

The Crowell Garden Club will have its annual basket picnic on Thursday evening, June 6, at 6 o'clock at the South Pocket Park.

The following are invited to join the Garden Club members in this picnic: the County Highway officials and their families, the County Judge and County Commissioners and their families, the mayor and city council members and their families, and R. S. Spillers and G. A. Bracher of Childress. The new Garden Club members are included and all are urged to attend and bring a picnic supper and plates, glasses, forks and spoons.

There will be tables and drinks prepared at the park. Come and help make the picnic a success.

## TO GRADUATE

Denton, May 28.—Two Crowell students at the North Texas State Teachers' College will participate in graduation ceremonies for 321 candidates in the main auditorium of the college June 3 with President W. J. McConnell as principal speaker.

The graduates are Lillian Shaw Greenhouse, elementary education, bachelor of science; and Johnnie Mae Short, elementary education, bachelor of science.

## A. & M. Graduate



Burk Bell, pictured above, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bell, and grandson of Mrs. G. L. Burk of Crowell, will be a member of the graduating class of A. & M. College when the closing exercises are held on May 31. Bell has been a student in the college for five years and will receive degrees in two courses, accounting and statistics and marketing and finance, according to a news release from the college. He is a member of the Marketing and Finance Club and Economics Club and took part in various other college activities.

## Students of Crowell Schools Receive Penmanship Awards

Students of Crowell schools have received their awards in penmanship according to announcement made this week by Mrs. Ernest King, instructor, and are as follows:

The following pupils were accepted as members of "The Good Writers Club," of New York City: Opal Milburn, Billie Billington, Evelyn Barker, Joe Harris Seales, La Rue Graves, Paula Fae Beatty, Orda Mae Davidson, De Melbarg, Winnie Gay Odell, John Milburn, Hutchinsin, Dorothy Mae Teague, Melba Simmons, Virginia Mabe, Paula Plunkett, Edwin Thorn, Edwin Edgin, Pat McDaniel, Annie Haynie.

Billie Morrison, Margaret Klepper, Ada Jauw Magee, Maxine Curlee, Travis Vecera, Doris Denton, Robbie Lee Stewart, Betty Ruth Lindsay, Ruth Ribble, Ruth Catherine Cates, Raymond Pechacek.

Jane Roark, Naomi Teal, Laverne Archer, Mary Curtis, Dorothy Jo Powers, Betty Johnson, Helen Jo Callaway, Winifred Greening, Mentie Edith Brisco, Sandra Jo Bell, John Thomas Rasor, Billie Jean Hudgsons.

The following pupils received penmanship awards from Austin: Louis Ray Mills, De Alva Thomas, Billie Billington, A. G. Wallace, Larry Dan Campbell, Mary Catherine Sparks, Genevieve Nelson, Ada Jane Magee, Doris Denton, Opal Milburn, La Rue Graves, James Haseloff, Maxine Curlee, Billie Morrison, Robbie Lee Stewart, Betty Ruth Lindsay, Edwin Thorn, John Franklin Hutchinsin, Naomi Teal, Sandra Jo Bell, Margaret Jane Roark.

Dorothy Jo Powers, Pearl Porter, Joyce Drew, Gerald Smith, Ann Favor, Mildred Marlow, Alton Griffin, Mentie Edith Brisco, Margaret Davis, Mary Curtis, Helen Callaway, Betty Marie Edna Mae Solomon, Edith Marie Dawson, Billy Short, John Thomas Rasor, Leighton Adams, Billy Bruce, Laverne Archer, Winifred Greening, Joann Gentry, Edwina Ross.

The following received "The American Penman" certificate of excellence in rapid muscular movement business writing: Sandra Jo Bell, Helen Jo Callaway, Naomi Teal, Mrs. E. C. King. The following received certificate of honorable mention in the "Good Writers Club" annual contest: John T. Rasor, Sandra Jo Bell, Helen Jo Callaway, Robbie Lee Stewart, Margaret Klepper, John Franklin Hutchinsin, Billie Morrison.

## MARGARET W. M. S.

The Margaret Missionary Society met Monday with eight members present. Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell gave an interesting report on the district meeting held at Plainview.

## Cooking School to Be Held June 6th and 7th

### Sponsored by West Texas Utilities in School Auditorium

Both ladies and their husbands have been invited to attend the all-electric cooking school here next Thursday and Friday, June 6 and 7, it was announced by C. R. Seale, local manager of the West Texas Utilities, which will sponsor the school to be held in the Crowell High School auditorium.

The school will be under the direction of Miss Eudora Hawkins, WTU home service supervisor. Cooking instructor will be Mrs. Stella Floyd, noted Hotpoint electric range home economist of Chicago.

The school will be free and will feature new recipes, menus, and various household hints developed by constant scientific research.

Miss Hawkins, here to make arrangements for the school, said the local P. T. A. had been invited to co-operate in securing attendance. Mrs. F. B. Flesher, president of the P. T. A., urged that women go to both daily sessions, beginning at 2:30 each afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd, the cooking instructor, is widely known in West Texas where she formerly was engaged as a home service advisor before joining the Hotpoint home economics department.

"I am happy to return to Crowell," she said. "The great improvements in electric cookery give me an opportunity to present many new ideas whereby women can save both time and labor. I have concentrated in recent years on collecting new recipes that are easily prepared and enable the home-maker to surprise her family with new dishes without extra work. I believe every woman in town, whether she now uses an electric range or some other type of cookery, will enjoy the school and profit by learning about modern methods of cooking used in other parts of the country."

She urged that men attend the school—"if they have the spare time." "More and more men," she said, "are interested in everyday problems faced by their wives. Cooking, of course, is the biggest job in the average home. Women, usually, are glad to have husbands attend these schools. And, too, men nowadays like to try their hand at cooking."

Mrs. Floyd will demonstrate complete preparation of hot meals without the use of fire, illustrating new safety angles and the cooler kitchen that results from flameless cookery.

## Child-Health Program Needs Interest of Parents of State

Austin.—"Especially where the young child is concerned, health conservation in recent years has represented a major interest not only of health officials and the medical profession but of civic groups also," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, states.

"Educational efforts, public health activities and the direct influence of the family physician have emphasized the value of parental care, protection against the childhood disease hazards, sound nutritional programs, and the removal of remediable physical handicaps in the pre-school child."

"The result is that today, as never before, the protection of child health occupies an important part in public and semi-public endeavors throughout the year," Dr. Cox pointed out.

"That children of Texas have an inalienable right to be well-born and raised healthy is self-evident to every one. To deny the youngsters safeguards available through medical science would not only be unfair to the children themselves, but to the future of Texas. Healthy children set the stage for healthy adults. And it is the healthy, vigorous, vital and clear-thinking adults of the coming years who must carry on when the leaders of today no longer are active."

"In the child-health program, parental interest is vital. Physicians and public health officials may point the way through education and correction of physical

defects. The direct concern of the parent, however, is to see that the children are protected against the communicable childhood diseases, that physical defects, if present, are discovered early and remedied, and that nourishing food is made available. Without this personal interest, intelligently and generally applied, the child conservation program cannot achieve its goal.

## TO RECEIVE DEGREE

Tom Ray Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts of this city, will receive his B. A. degree from the University of Texas on June 2. He has been attending the State Medical College in Galveston during the past year. Mr. Roberts arrived in Crowell from Galveston Wednesday afternoon and will spend the summer months in the home of his parents.

When Utopia comes no one will want bigger old age pensions and no one will want lower taxes.

## Sewing Room—

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by Billy Bruce and Bobbie Cooper, and a style show modeling typical garments made in the W. P. A. sewing rooms, brought the program to a close. There were 275 present.

The local sewing room, located on the east side of the square, employs 23 women with a payroll of approximately \$800 per month, and is sponsored by the Foard County Commissioners Court. Around 850 garments, consisting of men's and boys' pants, overalls, shirts and shorts; women's and girls' dresses, jackets and under-wear, and all types of infants' garments, are produced each month.

The sponsors are appreciative of the interest manifested during "open house week" and anyone who is interested in seeing the project in operation is welcome at all times.

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  - VANILLA, Brazos, 2-oz. . . . . 21c
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