

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Quantah Woman Drowns in Pease River After Leaping from Bridge Highway 283 North of Crowell

G. E. Lacy, 42, of Quanah, was drowned in the muddy waters of Pease River last afternoon about 1:30 p. m. when she jumped from the bridge on State Highway 283 north of Crowell.

Body Found Sunday

The body was found Sunday afternoon about 11 o'clock after a search of over 21 hours by a number of men from Crowell and Quanah, by Hinkle and George Riethe and three sons approximately five miles east of the bridge. The body was found face down with the mud.

Boat and Airplanes Aid

It was estimated that over 200 boats were used in the search. Two boats were brought from Saturday afternoon, but the river was too shallow for them. Two airplanes were also aided during the search on Saturday and Sunday.

Verdict of Suicide

A request was held in Quanah afternoon and Justice of the Peace Joe A. Pickens returned a verdict of suicide after a careful review of details concerning the case.

Last Rites Held

Last rites for Mrs. Lacy were held Monday morning from the church of Christ at 10:30. Interment was made in Quanah cemetery.

Asked to See River

In an interview by Patrolmen and Williams, Mr. Lacy, employee of the Quanah postoffice, said that his wife was in poor health and that it was their practice to drive to the country every Friday. They came to the bridge and after a 5-inch rain in the west, Mrs. Lacy made a request to return to the river to see it at flood stage. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lacy's sister, Mrs. Booth.

Lacy Told Patrolmen

They were walking across the bridge when he turned to watch something drift down the river. His attention was attracted by the sound of a scream, "don't do it." He turned to see his wife's body in the water.

First man to reach the body

was John Nagy, Foard county farm agent, who was returning with a number of 4-H boys from Lake Pauline. Mr. Nagy stated that as he drove on the north end of the bridge he saw the man run across the bridge to the east side. Mr. Nagy saw that he saw the body about 10 yards from the bridge. The men raced down the north side of the river, but were unable to overtake the body. Mr. Nagy came to Crowell and reported the tragedy.

Report spread quickly and

within a few hours about fifty men were searching the river with a crew working from the bridge and one from the railroad bridge north of Margaret. Searching parties remained at the bridge all Saturday night and a search search was started Sunday morning.

Illcothe Circus Boosters to Be Here Monday, August 26

Headed by a 50-piece band the Illcothe boosters for the Gainesville Community Circus, will arrive here Friday, August 30, at 3:40 p. m. on August 26.

The delegation will furnish a variety of entertainment, featuring Mrs. Ira Turner, noted radio artist.

The caravan will remain here 15 minutes.

The Gainesville circus is the largest in America, surpassing only by Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey, and Cole Brothers.

There are actually 150 persons in the personnel, eight tents and 25 performing animals.

Two performances are booked for Friday afternoon and 8 for Friday evening, August 26.

First Bale of 1940 Foard County Cotton Ginned At Crowell Gin by C. E. Gafford Wednesday Afternoon

Coffee Queen



This is 18-year-old Peggy Van Vliet of Glen Ridge, N. J. What is Peggy doing? She's drinking iced coffee. So what? Just as a symbol of coffee, "the drink of Western Hemisphere friendship."

The first bale of cotton from the 1940 crop in Foard County was ginned in Crowell Wednesday afternoon at the Crowell Gin by C. E. Gafford, according to a statement by Ebb Scales, gin manager. The cotton was raised on Mr. Gafford's farm north of Crowell on Pease River.

The bale weighed 450 pounds out of 1,990 pounds of seed cotton, and produced 810 pounds of seed. The cotton classed as a strict middling spot, staple 13/16.

The cotton was bought by Mr. Scales at regular market price of 7.80 cents per pound, and the seed was also sold for \$7.30.

Premium Raised

In addition to the price received for his bale, Mr. Gafford received a premium of \$34.20 from the business men of Crowell, raising the total amount he realized from this bale of cotton to \$77.51.

A second bale of cotton was brought in by Mr. Gafford late Wednesday afternoon, but it was too damp for ginning and was stored.

Rayland Gin Turns Out First Bale Tuesday, Aug. 20

The first bale of cotton of the 1940 crop in the Rayland community was ginned free of charge by the Aubrey L. Lockett Gin in Rayland Tuesday morning, according to information furnished The News by J. H. Roberson, manager. The cotton was brought to the gin by Herman Schultz and was gathered from 15 acres of the 57-acre crop of Mr. Schultz in the edge of Wilbarger County.

The new bale of cotton weighed 437 pounds and was bought by the gin company at 12 1/2 cents per pound, including seed. A premium of \$11 was made up by R. A. Rutledge, who operates a general merchandise store, and Mrs. T. E. Lawson, who operates a grocery store and filling station, in Rayland.

Including the premium, Mr. Schultz received \$73.02 for the bale of cotton.

August 26th New Date Set for Thalia Cemetery Working

Owing to the fact that rain prevented the working of the Thalia Cemetery on Aug. 14, the new date set for this purpose has been announced this week as Monday, August 26, by Will Johnson, president of the cemetery association.

The cemetery is now in a very bad condition and Mr. Johnson urges all who are interested in keeping the cemetery clean and in good shape to be there on next Monday.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. William Riley Free, a girl, Barbara Jean, August 14.

Former Wildcat Star to Play in Annual Oil Bowl Football Classic in Wichita Falls on September 2

Dick Smith, Crowell Wildcat wingman of last year, will play as a guard in the third annual high school all-star football game under the sponsorship of Maskader Temple at the Coyote Stadium in Wichita Falls on Labor Day.

Succeeds Farley



Edward J. Flynn of New York city, right, newly appointed chairman of the Democratic national committee, is shown receiving congratulations from James A. Farley, his predecessor.

Fourth Well in New Foard Pool Started Tuesday

Thomason's E. M. Gamble No. 2 Going Ahead Rapidly

Drilling of the fourth well, the Thomason No. 2 E. M. Gamble, in the new Gamble-Dickerson oil pool eight miles northeast of Crowell was started Wednesday morning by Baldwin-Reed, Wichita Falls drilling contractors.

The well now being drilled is located 660 feet south and 1,320 feet east of the northwest corner of the east 180 acres of south half of section 312, block A. H. & T. C. Ry. survey, and southeast of the discovery well.

The drilling rig was moved from the Foster Petroleum's Mrs. Belle Allee No. 2 and erected at the new location this week.

Baby Dies Here Saturday After Long Illness

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howry Buried in Local Cemetery

Funeral services for Dale Hines, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howry, were held at the home of its parents in Crowell Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Crowell, officiating. Interment was made in the Crowell cemetery with the Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The child died at his home Saturday night about 9:30 o'clock from a serious illness of over four months. He had been in poor health since his right leg was broken at the age of 7 months.

Active pall bearers were Lynn McKown, Oscar Whitley, Hayden Ford and Arthur Powers. Flower bearers were Laverne Archer, Mary Ellen Ford, La Juan Denton, Donna Allen, Billie Evelyn Allen, Melba Ward, Juaneva Chatfield and Gelene Powers.

Dale Hines was born in Crowell on Feb. 5, 1938.

He is survived by his parents; a brother, C. W. Jr.; two sisters, Frances Pauline and Retha Irene; four grandparents, two great-grandparents and one great-great-grandmother, and a host of other relatives.

Out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral services were N. M. Howry and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howry, all of Goree.

ATTENDS REUNION

Mrs. P. H. McLain attended a reunion of her brothers and sisters and other relatives at the Childrens Fair Park in Childress Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 10 and 11. Fifty-three relatives of Mrs. McLain's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. James Rea, pioneers of Burleson, were present for the reunion. Mrs. McLain was accompanied by her son, Clinton, and daughter, Yvonne.

ROSS HARDIN HERE

Ross Hardin was in Crowell Wednesday to speak in the behalf of Pierce Brooks, candidate for Railroad Commissioner, but postponement of his speech was forced on account of rain during the afternoon.

Mr. Hardin was a candidate for Railroad Commissioner and ran third in the first primary. Since that time he has been supporting Mr. Brooks.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. John Raso and son, John Thomas, Mrs. F. A. Davis and Miss Virginia Sue Crowell left Crowell Wednesday for Dallas to attend the wedding of Charles Anthony and Miss Catherine Ball in that city last night. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Davis and Mr. Raso.

TO PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

The business men's softball game has been set for Friday night after again being rained out Wednesday night. This game has been postponed twice in the past because of rains.

The lineups of the teams will remain the same for the game on tomorrow night.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued from the office of the county clerk to D. H. Craig and Mrs. Corine Read of Paducah on August 14, and to T. L. Witten and Miss Lucille Smith of Plainview on August 16.

Voters Go to Polls Saturday to Cast Ballots in Democratic Primary; Light Vote Expected

Third Well in Gamble-Dickerson Pool Near Crowell to be Brought In Today; Drill Stem Test Shows Good Pay

Pay was reached in the Foster Petroleum Corporation's Mrs. Belle Allee No. 2 in the new Gamble-Dickerson pool eight miles northeast of Crowell last Friday afternoon at 2,366 feet and the well will be brought in today, according to authoritative reports received Wednesday. Casing was set at 2,357 feet.

A 30-minute drill stem test was made in the hole Friday night and gas started blowing immediately with oil starting to spray in 8 minutes. When the drill stem was pulled from the hole, it was covered with mud for about 75 feet and the greater part of this was cut with oil.

A spudding rig was moved in Tuesday and set. Mud was being pumped from the hole Wednesday and the well will be brought in today, probably some time during the morning.

The well is located 726 feet south and 330 feet west of the northwest corner of the west 180 acres of the south half of section 314, block A. H. & T. C. Ry. survey, and is 660 feet west of the Thomason No. 1 Gamble discovery well.

Dove Season Opens Sunday, Sept. 1

The 1940 season on mourning doves and white-winged doves will open in Foard County, Sunday, Sept. 15, and close Oct. 31, according to information furnished by Vernon D. Yelton, U. S. Game Management Agent, handed to The News by Crutcher Cole of Paducah, game warden for this district.

The season for the counties of Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Kent, Stonevial, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Jack, Wise, Denton, Collin and Hunt, and all counties north thereof, and in Parker, Tarrant, Dallas, Rockwall, Kaufman, Johnson, Hopkins, Delta, Franklin and Ellis, is Sept. 1 to Oct. 31; in the remainder of the State, Sept. 15 to Nov. 15.

The bag limit shall be twelve in the aggregate of both kinds, and any person at any one time may possess not more than 12 in the aggregate of both kinds.

The hours of hunting shall be sunrise to sunrise—doves and jacksnipe only.

'Colleagues Cheer'



"Colleagues cheer as one of their comrades takes a swipe at a ball during a baseball match" was the way an English newspaper described this Canadian soldier's battling efforts during a camp game in Britain.

Gambleville School Opens Mon., Sept. 2

The Gambleville school will open on Monday, Sept. 2, according to information received this week. The teachers will be Miss Bernice Coffey, principal, and Miss Eva Dale Morrison.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

The following new motor vehicles were registered in the office of the tax assessor-collector during the past week: Frank B. Main, Chevrolet pickup; Howard Barsey, Ford pickup; T. L. Hughston, Ford sedan; The Ohio Oil Co., Chrysler sedan.

Members of Spring Lake Country Club Set for Annual Golf Tournery; Qualifying Rounds Start Sunday

The entire male membership of the Spring Lake Country Club is expected to be swarming over the local golf course during the next week, either preparing or shooting qualifying scores for the annual golf tournament, according to an announcement by club officials this week. Every man who is a member of the club is invited and urged to enter the tournament.

Qualifying play will begin on Sunday, August 25, and actual tournament play will be started on Sunday, Sept. 1, with the final matches being played on Sept. 8.

Valuable prizes will be awarded to the winner, runner-up and consolation winner in each flight, as well as to the medalist.

Entrance fee will be one dollar and score cards may be obtained at any local drug store. Qualifying rounds should be played in threesomes or more.

Entrants are requested to turn in their qualifying scores to T. S. Haney, along with the entrance fee. No cards will be considered unless entrance fees have been paid prior to the time pairings are made.

All members are urged to shoot their best scores when qualifying so that they will be placed in the flight in which they rightfully belong, and not to be trophy hunters.

Tournament prizes will be on display in some local store window at an early date.

In addition to the prize, the winner of the tournament will be awarded the large loving cup offered by the club to be kept in his possession for one year, or until he has won it three times.

V. F. W. Convention



Joseph C. Menendez of New Orleans is expected to be elected commander-in-chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at its forty-first annual convention opening at Los Angeles, Calif., on August 25.

Foard County voters will trek to the polls again on Saturday, August 24, to cast their ballots in the second Democratic primary election.

Light Vote Expected
Due to the fact that only candidates for two state offices, one district office, one county office, and three precinct offices are listed on the ballot, it is unusually short even for a second primary. The candidate listed for the county office is unopposed as his opponent withdrew shortly after the first election.

There were 1,591 votes cast in the first primary, and it is expected that the vote on next Saturday will be far short of that mark.

Absentee Voting Light
Absentee voting for the second primary in Foard County was light, according to County Clerk J. A. Stovall, as only 33 absentee ballots had been marked Wednesday afternoon. Wednesday was the last day for voters to cast absentee votes.

Officers and Voting Places
Election officers and polling places remain the same as for the first primary and are as follows:

Southeast Crowell, A. D. Campbell, county clerk's office; northeast Crowell, L. A. Andrews, county judge's office; southwest Crowell, Forrest Burk, Crowell school tax assessor-collector's office; north-west Crowell, T. V. Rascoe, county attorney's office; Margaret, Joe L. Orr; East Thalia, Chas. Hathaway; West Thalia, Clyde McKinley; Foard City, M. L. Owens; Black, Tom Barsey; Vivian, Otis Gafford; Rayland, A. T. Beazley; and Good Creek, G. C. Owens.

Precinct Run-Offs
Only one of the commissioner's offices will be listed with a runoff, and that is commissioner of precinct No. 1 with J. C. Taylor and A. B. Wisdom listed as candidates.

S. H. (Henry) Ross and F. W. Moore are opponents in the runoff for public weigher, precinct No. 1.

The names of R. B. Lilly and A. W. Barker appear on the ballot as candidates for chairman of precinct No. 8.

Other Races
Curtis Renfro of Wilbarger County and Jean Rodgers of Hardeman County are in the runoff for district attorney, 46th Judicial District.

State office run-offs are as follows:
Railroad commissioner—Pierce Brooks of Dallas County and Olin Culbertson of Jackson County.

Chief Justice Supreme Court—Jas. P. Alexander of McLennan County and H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County.

Tests for New Water Supply to Start Tuesday
Tests for a new water supply for the City of Crowell on Pease River will be started next Tuesday, August 27, according to an announcement by Mayor C. T. Schlagal following a conference with two engineers from the Board of Water Engineers of Austin here Wednesday.

The tests will be started at the nearest point to Crowell on Pease River.

TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARIES
Rev. and Mrs. Paul J. Merrill will observe the 25th anniversary of their marriage and also the 25th anniversary of Rev. Merrill's entry into the ministry at their home in Henrietta on Sunday, Sept. 1. Rev. Merrill was pastor of the Christian Church in Crowell in his second pastorate. He and his family lived here for a number of years and they have many friends in this community.

Mrs. Merrill is a sister to L. C. Jones of Margaret.

MOVE TO DALLAS

Mrs. Earl Steele and children left Sunday for Dallas where they will make their home for the coming school term. Mr. Steele will stay here to look after his farm and other interests south of Crowell.

Items from Neighboring Communities

VIVIAN

(By Rosalie Fish)

Jim Faulkenberry and daughter, Pauline, and son, David, of Loraine spent Saturday night in the home of his niece, Mrs. Arthur Walling, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Olen and sons, Troy and Junior, of Electra spent from Friday until Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr.

Franklin Evans returned home Saturday after spending a few days in the home of his sister, Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas, of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Haskew and grandson, Donald Larrel, of Childress spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskew.

Lester Lawhon and B. L. and Marvin Smith of Ogdan spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walling.

Miss Lou Martin of Foard City returned home Saturday after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Fish.

Hal Culver of Amarillo spent Friday night and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr and family.

James Herman and Merl Sandlin and Basil Nelson left Thursday to spend a few days with relatives in Seminole and Wewoka, Okla.

Mrs. R. L. Walling returned home Tuesday of last week after spending several days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gaudin, of Vernon.

Mrs. C. A. Bowley and son, David, spent Monday of last week with Mrs. Bowley's sister, Mrs. H. Y. Downing, of Wichita Falls.

Miss Genevieve Nelson spent from Saturday until Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carroll and family of Gambleville.

Miss Bernice Walling spent Saturday night and Sunday with

Misses Jewel and Jessie Lawhon of Ogdan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Culver of Dexter left Saturday to visit in Amarillo after spending several days with Mrs. Culver's sister, Mrs. J. M. Marr, and family.

Gordon Teel, minister of the Church of Christ in Paducah, will begin a meeting at the Vivian school house Friday night, August 23, at 8:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

The Vivian club ladies returned home Friday after spending two days in Medicine Park, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Holly and sons, Leon and Billie, of Ogdan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walling and family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carroll and children of Gambleville spent last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowley.

RAYLAND

(By J. C. Davis)

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Droik and children of Lovelland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambertz, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of California spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lawson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers and Mrs. Nina Newman spent last week visiting their brother and sister, Mrs. Tom Lawson, and family last Tuesday.

A. T. Beazley and family, Mrs. Josie Beazley, W. L. Beazley and Mrs. Nina Newman spent last week visiting their brother and sister, Austin Beazley, and family, of Clovis, N. M.

Rev. Damron of Rochester, Methodist pastor there, visited J. C. Davis last Thursday.

Little Miss Barbara Ann Lawson spent several days visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

SAMPLE BALLOT

Democratic Party

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominee of this primary.

For Railroad Commissioner:

PIERCE BROOKS of Dallas County.

OLIN CULBERSON of Jackson County.

For Chief Justice Supreme Court:

JAS. P. ALEXANDER of McLennan County.

H. S. LATTIMORE of Tarrant County.

For District Attorney:

CURTIS RENFRO of Wilbarger County.

T. JEAN RODGERS of Hardeman County.

For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

A. W. LILLY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:

S. H. (Henry) ROSS

F. W. MOORE

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

J. C. TAYLOR

A. B. WISDOM

For Precinct Chairman, Precinct No. 8:

R. B. LILLY

A. W. BARKER

Joe Bowers, in Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge and Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Rutledge of Elliott attended a family reunion of the Rutledge family in Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday. There were fourteen of the children, ten boys and four girls, present. Mrs. Buck Clark and daughter, Glona, went with them and visited relatives in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Smith and son, Robert Wayne, of Pampa spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Eden and sons of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blevins and small daughter of Thalia spent Sunday with W. J. Abston.

A. W. Crisp is seriously ill and all the children have been called home.

About one and three-fourths inches of rain fell here last week. Crops seem revived and prospects are fair for a cotton and late feed crop.

TRUSCOTT
(Special to The News)

John Brown of Paducah was in town one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning and son, James, John Black, L. P. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley attended a church picnic at Knox City August 13.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Solomon visited their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Abbott, in San Angelo last week and their grandson, Sammy Abbott, returned with them for a visit.

Byron Bates, Harold Eubank, A. F. McMinn, J. B. Eubank and Raymond Black attended a golf tournament in Seymour last week.

Tom Reeder of Crowell was in Truscott last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fannin and Wendell are vacationing near Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Borchardt and son, Buster, and Floyd Webb of Crowell spent last week fishing in the San Saba River.

Mr. and Mrs. George Solomon and Sammy Abbott attended church in Benjamin at the Methodist meeting Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy and daughter, Ludell, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Owens, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ingh of Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins Sunday.

Grandma Alexander, Mrs. Jim Choate, Joyce Ann Middlebrook, Mrs. Leo Owens and daughters, Valerie and Sweetpea, of Margaret visited Grandma Alexander's daughter, Mrs. W. T. Blevins, and family Monday.

Several of the families who were here to repair the highway have moved to Crowell.

Miss Josephine Miller of Cisco is visiting her friend, Miss Jo Anne Solomon.

Lee Linden Turner of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith and son, Billy, have returned from a vacation trip to Abilene, Odessa, Crane and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Abbott arrived Sunday morning from San Angelo for a visit with their son, Henry Abbott, and family.

Dan Tarpley of Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley.

A. Hairston of Hamlin visited his family Sunday.

W. K. Jones of Hamlin is here as relief section foreman for the Santa Fe Railway Co.

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Robert Wisdom has returned home from a visit with his brother, Albert Wisdom, and wife in Pasadena, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Black and daughters, Miss Mildred of Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. Opal Hinkle of Portland, Calif., and Mrs. Floyd Likley of South Vernon visited Mrs. Black's sister, Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, and family here Tuesday.

Raymond Oliver and family of Knox City visited relatives here a while last week.

P. A. Brown and J. C. Jones were business visitors in Stamford Wednesday.

Clyde McGlothlin has returned to his home in Kilgore after a two weeks' visit in the C. H. Wood home here.

Miss Betty Joe Short has returned to her home in Sunset after a few weeks' visit with relatives here.

Virgil Thompson and family of New London visited his sister, Mrs. Louis Webb, and family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cates of Iowa Park visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cates here Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Wood and sons, Charles and Larry, visited her daughter, Mrs. Rex Snowden, and husband in Tyler and other relatives in Kilgore a few days last week. They were accompanied by Miss Betty Ruth Miller of Crowell. Charles and Betty remained for a longer visit with Mr. and Mrs. Snowden.

Miss Inabelle Shultz of Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Bertha Shultz, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and J. Y. Lindsey and family visited relatives in Granite, Okla., Sunday.

Bill Keesee of Spade visited here a while Saturday.

Andy Thompson and family of Dimmitt visited Louis Webb and family here Friday night en route to Dallas.

Audie Daniels and family of Nocona visited E. J. McKinley and family here Thursday.

Edward Wall and family and Miss Barbara Wall of Fort Worth visited Mrs. J. W. Wood and Charlie Hathaway here a few days last week en route to New Mexico and Colorado.

Mrs. Mildred White and Mrs. Tisdale of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, here Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Oliver of Carlsbad, N. M., and Erma Oliver and family of Fort Worth visited relatives here a while last week en route to Wyoming for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and Reid and Louis Pyle, visited their father, Ray Pyle, and family in McAllen this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wheeler visited relatives in Frederick, Okla., Thursday.

B. D. Webb and son, Louis, visited in Oklahoma Sunday.

Wright Smith and family of

College and Spend or Business and Earn?

Young Folks: Here Is the Answer

One of America's best known college presidents, Dr. Glenn Frank, has endorsed the educational program of the private business school for those not preparing for a professional career.

Roger Babson says, "One of the great tragedies of American life is our common belief that everybody is suited to college training. There are hundreds in our colleges without desire, taste or capacity for what college has to offer."

Employers are agreed that the traditional liberal arts education alone is not preparation for business. Unless his liberal arts education has been strengthened with a technical training the academic graduate may be passed up by those whose business education enables them to offer specific service.

Dr. Link, Psychologist, author and educator, says, "It is a waste of time and money for a girl or boy to go to college unless they have a good reason for going. To get an education is not a good reason for going. To say, "A very good test of education is: Will or can the student ever pay or help to pay for his education? If not should the parent pay for it?"

Every boy and girl in the country should be made self-supporting! Especially the girl for there is no telling how early in life she may be thrown on her own resources.

The United States Bureau of Education reveals the startling fact that seven out of every ten young people who will hopefully launch themselves on a four-year college course this fall will never finish. The matter of health, or economic status, or lack of interest, or unfortunate choice of subjects—and many other reasons account for the fact that 70 percent of the students drop out of our institutions of higher learning unprepared to earn a living. How, then, can one guard against this situation? The answer lies in

Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Arval Whitman of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miller of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith here Sunday. Mr. Smith, who is ill, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Laura Crisp of Flagstaff, Ariz., and Andrew Duffie and family of Vernon attended services at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fleischer of Altus, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boyd in the J. F. Matthews home here Sunday.

Misses Audrey and Aileen Hathaway and Charlene Hodges of Amarillo visited their aunt and uncle, Mrs. J. W. Wood and Charlie Hathaway, here a while Monday.

The Methodist W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. E. J. McKinley,

attending a good Commercial College.

M. L. Frederick says, "For many years has been employed and training of folks for business. During time I have observed that to attract the attention of executives and learn along with them from them much promptly and effectively beginning on a secretarial or graphic assignment than the other approach to a business career."

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who is ill, Monday after Eight members attended a J. L. McBeath, the spiritual superintendent, had charge of service. Refreshments of cream and cookies were served.

Mrs. G. A. Shultz visited W. B. Hicks in Crowell Friday. Mrs. Bertha Shultz and daughter, Helen, have gone to Abilene for an extended visit.

Mrs. Will Shultz of Houston visited relatives here.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. To what important part of the national organization of Democratic party was Edna Flynn named?

2. Whom does Edward J. succeed?

3. What European power referred to as the Axis government?

4. From what European country are children being sent to the country for the duration of war?

5. Where is the bulk of the S. gold reserve stored?

6. To what aggressor does the United States ship iron to be made into war munitions?

7. What is the private name of Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor?

8. What European country recently made a collection of aluminum cooking utensils to cure aluminum for war munitions?

9. Of what state was Al Bill Murray once governor?

10. From what federal post did Louis A. Johnson recently sign?

(Answers on page 3)

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- MY-T-FINE** PUDDING 2 pkgs. **9c**
- WHITE PONY** SALAD DRESSINGqt. **19c**
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- W. P. BRAND** COFFEE 1-lb pkg. **14c**
- K C BAK. POWDER** 25 oz. **17c**
- Big 4 SOAP FLAKES**, pkg. **31c**
- I G A** SOAP GRAINS .. 25c value **17c**
- ASSORTED** LUNCH MEATSlb. **25c**
- SKINLESS** WEINERS lb. **20c**
- PORK ROAST** lb. **15c**
- MARGARINE**, Parkay . lb. **19c**
- KRAFT'S AMERICAN** CHEESE 2-lb. box **49c**

Haney-Razor

turned home after leading singing in several meetings this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moody of Knox City visited relatives and friends in Truscott Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Winstead of Wichita Falls underwent an operation in the Quana Memorial Hospital last Friday. She is the mother of Mrs. Jack Brown and Mrs. Harris Harwell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning visited in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Harris Harwell and his mother were in Corpus Christi several days this week.

Mrs. J. C. Browning and Mrs. Claude Patrick of Winnsboro are visiting in the V. W. Browning home.

Margaret Gordon was taken to the Knox City Hospital Monday night.

Carmen Bishop of Quana is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Byron Bates, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Abbott and daughter, Linda, of San Angelo are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Byron Bates is in Dallas this week.

MARGARET
(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Fred Priest of Crowell spent Sunday with homefolks.

Henry Kenemer and sister, Mrs. Aubrey Harris, of Winnsboro, and their brother, Miles Kenemer of Mineola, visited their cousin, Mrs. Grant Morrison, and family Monday while en route to Spur where Mrs. Harris expected to visit a while with her cousins, Mrs. Ben Saxton and Mrs. Olen Brewer, and families.

Mrs. Jim Ewing left Sunday for a two weeks' visit with her grandchildren and their father, V. W. Baker, and her brother, Ray Thurman, and family of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jolly of Quana visited friends here Saturday.

Marshall Hill, Floyd Fawcet and Herman Blevins of Elmer, Okla., visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Moore of Los Angeles, Calif., who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winstead, of Riverside, attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey and baby of Gamberville spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Malissa Roberts and W. A. Priest celebrated their birthdays at the Priest home Sunday. It was Mrs. Roberts' 77th birthday and Mr. Priest's 51st birthday. Those present from other communities were Fred Priest of Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jolly and Mrs. Bertha Powers of Quana.

John Winston Bradford and his aunt, Mrs. Milton Sins, of Appleton, Wis., visited Mrs. Sudie Bradford Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harrell Rea of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kerley Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Minyard Wright have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Curlee, of Crowell for several days.

Mrs. Ed Murphy has been in the Quana hospital several days. Her condition is critical.

Several more light rains fell here last week. Fall gardens are growing nicely. Most every family that has a garden spot has a fall garden planted.

Mrs. Malissa Roberts spent from Wednesday until Thursday with friends in Crowell.

Mrs. John L. Hunter visited her parents of Foard City Monday.

S. B. Middlebrook Jr. made a business trip to Munday, Tuesday.

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RIVERSIDE

Mrs. John S. Ray Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ray and son and Mrs. Angie Shultz of Amarillo and Miss Ina Belle Shultz of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz Sunday.

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FERGESON BROTHERS

WEHBA'S CASH GROCERY

Table listing grocery items and prices: Potatoes 12c, Flour \$1.45, Peaches 25c, Grapes .15, Coffee 65c, Prunes 25c, Lemons .19, Bacon 12c, Weiners 14c, etc.

visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Adkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lance and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson of Vernon Friday.

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2). 1. Chairman of the National Democratic Committee. 2. James A. Farley. 3. Germany and Italy. 4. England.

FOARD CITY

Mrs. Daisy Walker of Galveston is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. V. Cronoe, and other relatives and friends here this week.

seeing lots of interesting sights.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Morris and children spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shepherd of Vernon.

Vote For

Curtis Renfro for District Attorney

Your influence and your vote in behalf of Curtis Renfro, candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 46th Judicial District will be appreciated, not only by him, but by his many friends who know him as a man and as an attorney.

WHY DOES HE DESERVE YOUR SUPPORT?

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Pure Black Hull Seed Wheat advertisement with large text and a small image of wheat.

We have a limited amount of pure Black Hull seed wheat at Crowell, Texas.

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All this wheat was placed in our seed bins on a moisture test of twelve and one-half and under, was perfectly dry, and has been kept in excellent condition.

This wheat will test 61 and 62 and protein 16 and better.

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Prices subject to change without notice. All orders placed now will be accepted only with check attached.

War is on and prices should change rapidly.

All wheat bought now can be left in our elevator until November 15th without charges.

We have, we think, the best stock of pure Black Hull short straw seed wheat in the state and all in the very best condition, but when the wheat leaves our elevators the risk is yours.

We are planting all our own farms with this seed.

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THE Foard County News

T. B. KLEPPER, Editor-Owner

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Seek ye the Lord while he may yet be found. Call ye upon him while he is near.—Isaiah 55:6.

LET'S KEEP OUR STANDARDS UP

In spite of continued depression, the people of the United States are blessed with the highest living standard that civilization has ever known.

We use two-thirds of the world's automobiles, half of its telephones and forty per cent of its railroads.

The mechanical labor saving devices in the homes of American workers are the envy of even the wealthy people abroad.

All this had to be sold to us, says Nation's Business. We did not just happen to gravitate upward.

It is the job of advertising to quicken the exchange of goods in the nation's market places.

Those who are seeking to overthrow this government yell the loudest for the protection of the law when they get into a jam because of their un-American activities.

There is nothing that expresses such complete content as the purring of a cat. When a cat purrs she radiates content.

Political Announcements

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

For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. W. LILLY

For County and District Clerk: J. A. STOVALL

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. B. WISDOM J. C. TAYLOR

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. G. GRIMSLEY

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 S. H. (Henry) ROSS

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

A conference of far reaching importance headed by the United States was held recently at Havana. It was a conference of all American Republics.

The dictator form of government now has a free reign in Europe. It is on the spot in that it has an unhampered opportunity to show whether it is superior to other forms of government.

What the world needs is more boys and fathers who understand each other as well as a boy and his dog understand each other.

France is a pitiable example of a country whose leaders listened to Hitler and failed to defend themselves against him. France will find out to her sorrow that she has sold her birthright of freedom for a mess of Nazi potage.

Now that we are faced with an emergency we discover that we do not have enough trained men, mechanics and the like. Some day, the state, or the government is going to provide vocational courses for men who wish to perfect themselves in some skill.

Since the outbreak of the European war many European countries are sending their gold to America to keep it from falling into Hitler's hands. Gold has been coming in so fast—as much as 400 million dollars in one week—that vaults in New York became crowded.

We've been fooled by the fellow who was able to take rabbits out of a hat but no one ever fooled us with a dyed mustache.

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

Last week I devoted this column to a discussion of a few of the things that I felt were important to young people seeking employment today in a world in which there seems to be two or three persons waiting for every job.

A quality all employers dislike in an employee is an unwillingness to assume responsibility. I have had young people work for me who seemed to go on the theory that the less they learned about a business the less they would be called upon to do.

Be thorough. If your job is to write a letter be sure when you turn a letter over to the boss that it is as near perfect as you know how to make it.

A good many bosses have managed to make a fair success of their business without ever learning to write a good letter. They know what they want to say but can't get it said.

Another point an office employee should remember is that all office business is to be kept confidential even to the minutest detail.

Follow these few hints and your boss, if he is the right kind of a boss, will pay you all the business can afford to pay and incidentally you will spend little time looking for a job.

LAWYERS FACE CHANGE

Austin, Aug. 19.—In addition to knowing the fundamentals of his own profession, tomorrow's lawyer will have to be a government expert and something of a big business man.

This is the opinion of C. T. McCormick, new law dean at the University of Texas, who said expanding big business and increasing government efforts at trust and monopoly control would bring about new trends in the legal profession.

University law students this fall will find increasing emphasis, Dean McCormick said, on public law subjects such as constitutional law, administrative law, taxation, labor law and trade regulations.

More and more law students, especially graduates of eastern and northern schools, are seeking government service as a career.

Health of Citizens Should Be Developed to High Plane

"This country has embarked upon an unprecedented defense program. Billions have been appropriated for battleships, tanks, dive-bombers, and many other war implements.

"That this fact needs emphasis is indicated by the intensified interest in the physical condition of the nation's men, women and children on the part of health officials and the medical profession generally.

"The production of defense material, certain standards can be demanded and achieved. On the other hand, vigor of body and mind is entirely too personal to be affected directly by governmental decree or public health regulations.

"For example, a physical check-up by the family physician for those of mature age is likely to bring to light any existing latent condition and thus make remediable measures promptly possible.

"In short, the general development of a positive, rather than passive, attitude toward health looms large as a personal patriotic and preparedness duty.

During the days of the Texas Republic, volunteer companies of "minute men" were organized in many towns.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The state of Minnesota has the lowest infant mortality rate of any state in the United States with 35.4 babies out of every 1,000 dying during their first year.

Each year lightning either kills or injures some 2,000 persons in the United States.

The Empire State building in New York is struck by lightning 40 or 50 times a year.

The 400 home study correspondence schools in the United States have an enrollment of from 700,000 to 750,000 students.

WILL TRAP MORE DEER

Austin.—Trapping and distributing of wild deer by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission next winter is expected to keep pace with other progressive moves made by the Department.

The Department, despite a late start with the new traps, captured more than 100 deer and transported them to regions depleted of big game.

Deer were trapped in past years due to the lack of a trap which operated successfully.

The executive secretary of the Department, highly pleased with the way the traps operated last winter, ordered the additional 100. In the past many of the deer distributed have been tame or semi-tame deer which were picked up by ranchers as fawns.

rapid and successful restocking due to both the increase in number of animals trapped and the fact that they will be deer, better adapted for restocking purposes.

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LANIER'S

Locals

Mrs. J. H. Lanier went to Littlefield Sunday for a visit with her sister.

Grady Magee left Thursday for a tour of the Western states on his vacation.

Mrs. Lula P. Meyers of Tucson, Ariz., visited several days of last week in the home of her cousin, J. H. Lanier, and family.

J. R. Moore of Dallas, employee of the Vitalic Battery Co., was here Wednesday for a short visit with his brother, Frank Moore, and family.

George Meason returned to Crowell last Saturday after a visit with his brother, Frank Meason, in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. T. L. Collins and Miss Mayne Lee Collins of Crowell and Mrs. Sidney Collins of Vernon are visiting relatives near Little Rock, Ark., this week.

Miss Ann Mabe underwent a tonsil operation in the Quana hospital last Saturday morning. She returned to her home in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox and children, Lola May and Jimmie, returned to Crowell last week after visiting Mrs. A. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seale were called to Apache, Okla., last week on account of Mr. Seale's mother, Mrs. Ben Seale, undergoing an operation in a hospital at Chickasha. Mr. Seale returned home Saturday while Mrs. Seale remained in Chickasha.

Mrs. Bert Self returned to her home in Crowell Sunday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tom Reeder, in Newport Beach, Calif., and her brother, Herman Allison, in Covina, Calif. She was accompanied by Amarillo by her daughter, Miss Mary Frances Self, who will remain here for a visit.

C. W. Thompson, Miss Mary Ragland Thompson and Charlie Thompson Jr. went to Pilot Point Saturday and spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Riney and Mrs. Florence Ragland. Mrs. Thompson, who had been visiting her mother and sister for a week, returned with them Monday.

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COUNTY BUDGET HEARING

Commissioners' Court will hold a hearing on the county budget on Monday afternoon, August 26, at 2 o'clock in the office of the county judge.

After said hearing, the county tax rate will be set for 1940.

A tentative budget will be on file in the County Clerk's office.

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"Why not, they reasoned, combine the lamp black with some substance that had a heavier specific gravity and then impregnate the center stripe with this mixture. They decided to try iron oxide which has a specific gravity of five and which, when mixed with paving, increases its strength. It was in 1936, however, before they could get up enough nerve to undertake another experiment. They tried the new idea on a concrete section being constructed near Seelye.

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Household Hints

A small paint brush is just the thing to clean crumbs from electric toasters.

Fat used in making pastry should be handled as little as possible.

A few grains of rice in the salt shaker helps prevent clogging.

Flour sifters and kitchen strainers should be dried thoroughly before storing.

America Rediscovered Itself

People throughout the United States and Canada are re-examining their place and their past (through festivals, fairs, fiestas, etc.). Some of this doubtless is reaction from the unwanted rush, perplexities, and terrors of this modern, industrialized, politically disrupted world—a tired, nostalgic longing for the good old days, a sinking back to the serenity of grandma's quiet house in the country. But there is more to it than that. There is a groping for continuity, for certainties to hold to, for ideals and character traits that served our forefathers and might serve us again. There is a healthy resurgence of pride in yesterday's accomplishments. And certainly there is a growing appreciation of the richness, color, humor, and humanity of New World folk expressions. Americans are not—as the expatriates of the '20s were saying—culturally poverty stricken, without background, without lore, songs, and lays. There is, after all, something to remember. A civilization is more than the flat, two-dimensional present.—Farnsworth Crowder, student of the American scene, writing in the current Rotarian Magazine.

The printer, William Caxton, who introduced printing into England in 1476 after learning the craft in Burgundy, now a part of conquered Belgium, had a greater influence on the form of the English language than any other man before or since, according to Douglas C. McMurtrie, chairman of the Invention of Printing Anniversary Committee for the International Association of Printing House Craftsmen. Caxton complained in one of his prefaces that a man from one town in England asked for "eggs," while a man from another locality demanded "eyren." Both wanted eggs. Decisions between alternative word forms made by Caxton while printing his books, according to McMurtrie, determined forever the form of those words in the English language.

Printing ranks first among all other industries in the United States from the standpoint of salaries, number of establishments and value added by manufacture. According to latest figures quoted by the International Association of Printing House Craftsmen, approximately \$372,000,000 is paid out by the industry each year in salaries. There are 185,635 salaried employees, 19,872 establishments and the value added by manufacture is more than one and one-half billion dollars annually. Following only motor vehicles and steel, the industry ranks third as the nation's wage payer. In excess of \$416,000,000 is paid out in wages by the industry each year. The printing industry has 276,363 wage earners and in that classification ranks fifth among the industries, following steel, cotton woven goods, lumber, and motor vehicles.

Lagging national business activity is only waiting for the U. S. defense program to leave blueprint stages for actual construction, and should boom before winter, a University of Texas economist predicts.

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Thoughts of Serious Moments

Individuals, as nations, unite harmoniously on the basis of justice, and this is accomplished when self is lost in Love—or God's own plan of salvation.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Justice is to give every man his own.—Aristotle.

Justice is the great and simple principle which is the secret of success in all government, as essential to the training of an infant, as to the control of a mighty nation.—William Gilmore Simms.

Justice is the first virtue of those who obey.—Denis Diderot.

SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING

Budget hearings for the schools of Foard County will be held at the following places and dates. Anyone desiring to attend is welcome, but I request that the trustees of each school district please be present at the time and place set for the hearing of your school.

Four Corners and Gambleville—Friday, August 30th, in the county judge's office at 9 o'clock.

All schools that come to Crowell by contract will meet in the county judge's office at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon, August 30. These schools are Black, Claytonville, Foard City, Vivian and Good Creek.

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School Superintendent, Ex-Officio,
Foard County, Texas

TO THE VOTERS

I wish to take this last opportunity to ask the vote and support of Foard County voters in the second Democratic Primary next Saturday, and again express my sincere thanks for all that has been done for me during my candidacy for

S. H. (Henry) Ross
Candidate for
Public Weigher
Precinct No. 1

SAFETY SLOGANS

Recklessness is no indication of courage. Brave men are always careful.

Carelessness destroys, crushes and maims. It takes every thing and gives nothing.

The sowers of safety are the reapers of happiness.

ORR'S

Veri-Best Bread

A Home Institution That Tries to Meet Every Requirement of Its Customers

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Individuals, as nations, unite harmoniously on the basis of justice, and this is accomplished when self is lost in Love—or God's own plan of salvation.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Justice is to give every man his own.—Aristotle.

Justice is the great and simple principle which is the secret of success in all government, as essential to the training of an infant, as to the control of a mighty nation.—William Gilmore Simms.

Justice is the first virtue of those who obey.—Denis Diderot.

Tournament

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walt Sr., T. S. Haney and T. P. Duncan Jr.

The watermelon tournament last week ended in a tie, something that happens only once in a great while. There were eighteen matches scheduled and of these Edwards' team won nine and Roberts' team won nine. Both teams chipped in to pay for the watermelon feast enjoyed Sunday night at the club by the golfers and their wives or sweethearts.

RABBITS BATTLE SNAKE

Many times the statement, "Truth is stranger than fiction," has been used in connection with many fact stories. "Believe it or not" is the phrase that should be used in this story even though this incident is truly stranger than fiction.

Odel Morris, acting relief pumper for the city of Comanche at Lake Eanes, was standing in the door of the pump station recently when he noticed a small rabbit about one third grown hopping along near the station. Suddenly a snake grabbed the small rabbit and he began to squall. Here the old snake got a big surprise, because there appeared two full grown cotton tail rabbits and jumped on the snake and forced him to release the baby rabbit. Papa, mama and baby rabbit went off in a hurry, while the old snake took off to a lumber pile nearby for cover.

This story was confirmed by Elbert Stewart, regular pumper, who witnessed the odd occurrence.

The much-publicized Pan-American "trusteeship" for the duration of the war of European possessions in the Western Hemisphere was proposed at a University of Texas Latin-American Institute one month before U. S. State Department officials advocated it at the recent Havana Conference.

SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING

Budget hearings for the schools of Foard County will be held at the following places and dates. Anyone desiring to attend is welcome, but I request that the trustees of each school district please be present at the time and place set for the hearing of your school.

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The Security of Our Great Nation is Still in Its SOIL!

This Bank believes that it can contribute no greater service to this community, or to the nation at large, than by co-operating to the utmost of our ability with our FARMERS.

Although our bank isn't the biggest in the country by a great deal, we are equipped to give the same careful attention to everyone . . . big enough to serve all, small enough to serve YOU.

We are eager to extend our guidance and support to your problems. Stop in when you're in town.

This bank will be closed all day Saturday on account of election day.

CROWELL STATE BANK

Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 25c

For Sale

FOR A NEW FORD or MERCURY... FOR SALE—One six-room house... FOR SALE—1936 Chevrolet truck... FOR SALE—Sixteen feeder sheeps...

FOR SALE Real Estate and Life Insurance

J. P. DAVIDSON, Office City Hotel

For Rent

FOR RENT—2-room apartment... 10-11tp

No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.

TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams, 15-16tc

BUDGET HEARING

In compliance with H. B. No. 768, Sec. 16, passed by the 42nd Legislature of Texas... J. W. BRUCE, President, Crowell Ind. School Dist.

On January 1, 1940, there were 22,245,000 persons living on farms in the United States... Arrangements have been made to ship aluminum from this country to Great Britain in a sea plane.

Expert REPAIRING TYPEWRITERS AND ADDING MACHINES DENNIS' TYPEWRITER SERVICE 1829 Marshall, Vernon, Texas

INSURANCE FIRE, TORNADO, Hail, Etc. Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

H. SCHINDLER DENTIST Office Hours: 8 to 12 and 1 to 5 Crowell, Texas

Vernon Mutual Life Accident Association Mrs. W. R. Womack See me for insurance on Entire Family

"We Do Right By Your Laundry" "Now I have Time to Work in the Garden" MISS VERNON LAUNDRY OWEN McLARTY, Solicitor

NOTICE

Thalia Lodge No. 666 A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, Sept. 14. Members urged to attend.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Sept. 16, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend.

H. J. R. No. 45 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto another Section to be known as Section 9-A...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article 26 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

Section 26. (a) The Secretary of State shall appoint a convenient number of Notaries Public for each county who shall perform such duties as now are or may be prescribed by law.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1940...

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

S. J. R. No. 4 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 3-b...

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY



WHY WE CAME OVER TO SEE YOU PLAY BALL... IS TH' GAME ALL OVER, PA? YED... WHAT'S TH' MATTER, YUH'RE QUITTIN' SO SOON? WAIL YUH SEW WE HAD THIR BASE OVER THAR... WHEN MULEY BATES HIT A THREE-BAGGER WHAT BROKE TH' SHERIFFS WINDER... HE SLID INTO THREE DAYS OR A FIVE-DOLLAR FINE.

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 25, 1940. Subject: "Mind." 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. Mid-week Bible class each Wednesday evening. "Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord."

First Christian Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. John Rator, superintendent. There is a class in our school for every member of the family. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "Keeping Spiritually Fit"—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 25. The Golden Text is: "Blessed be the name of God for ever and ever: for wisdom and might are His: He giveth wisdom unto the wise, and knowledge to them that know understanding" (Daniel 2:20, 21).

HOUSEHOLD HINTS If your perspire too freely, try throwing a handful of soda into your bath water. For tired, painful feet, soak in hot water to which a little vinegar has been added. If food has been salted too much, stretch a fairly wet cloth over the cooking dish or pan containing the food. Sprinkle small amount of white flour over the cloth and let stand for a few minutes.

Our Weekly Sermon

By Carl J. Schumacher, Director of the Mailing and Service Bureau, The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. How the Blind May See Text—As he (Jesus) went out of Jericho... blind Bartimaeus... sat by the highway side begging. And when he heard that it was Jesus... he began to cry out, and say, Jesus... have mercy on me. And many charged him that he should hold his peace... and Jesus stood still, and commanded him to be called. He, casting away his garment, rose, and came to Jesus, and Jesus said unto him, Go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way.—Mark 10:46-52.

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

The Chase City Bank of New York with deposits of \$3,200,000 is the world's largest bank. The National City Bank of New York, with deposits of \$600,000,000, is the world's second largest bank. The man who interested Ford in aviation and designed the Ford tri-motored plane is recently interested Fred J. Fisher of the Fisher Body Corporation in a spin proof safety plate of stainless steel. The cost of the new plane will be about \$3000.

Dr. Hines Clark PHYSICIAN and SURGEON Office Over Reader's Drug Store Office Tel. 27W. Res. Tel. 43

A TIMELY SUGGESTION Should you need dental work of course you consult a dentist, a surgeon or an M. D. is employed when a physical impairment needs correction. When your automobile goes haywire you call a mechanic, one who is skilled in his endeavor. Consult me as your Life Underwriter NOW to arrange for you a monthly income for your family, so that when either death, disability, or old age, destroys your present income—for the family must live on, should you meet the hazard. I have acquired a certificate from Research & Review School of Finance. 13 years service with Great National Life Insurance Co.



Home Making is Fun When you feel well. It is misery when you don't. Have you ever dragged through a day made miserable by a Headache, Neuralgia, Muscular Pains or Functional Menstrual Pains—a day when only your sense of duty, kept you on the job? Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills usually relieve Headaches. You will find them effective also in the relief of the other nagging pains mentioned above. A package of these prompt acting pain relievers may save you hours of suffering. Regular Package 25 Tablets, 25¢ Economy Package 125 Tablets, \$1.00 DR. MILES' Anti-Pain Pills

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

August 26.—Women's Suffrage... August 27.—Texas adopted a...

state constitution, 1845. August 28.—Petroleum discovered, 1859. St. Augustine Bay, Florida, discovered and named, 1565.

born, 1809. August 30.—First food inspection act, 1890. Leverrier discovered planet "Neptune," 1846.

THANK YOU!

I wish to express my appreciation and thanks for the vote and support I received in the first primary which enabled me to lead the ticket in excess of twelve hundred votes.



JEAN RODGERS

I am again soliciting your vote, influence and support in the second primary on Saturday, August 24.

If elected I will endeavor to give you HONEST, COURTEOUS and EFFICIENT SERVICE as "YOUR" District Attorney.

Jean Rodgers For District Attorney

The Man for "YOUR" Office

Your Vote and Influence Will Be Appreciated

(Political Advertisement)

Two Minute Sermon

Modern Day Job's Comforters: There are many fine lessons in the book of Job that fit into today's scheme of living.

Your Horoscope

August 20, 21, 22, 23.—You dislike criticism. You are of an affectionate nature and want to have things done in your own way.

Don't Wait Until Pyorrhea Strikes Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying.

FOARD COUNTY Softball News. The Crowell Aces and Oilers split games in a double-header last Sunday afternoon in a play-off of two games which had been postponed on account of rain.

The Aces took the lead early in the first game to go through for an easy victory, but in the second game the Oilers came to life in the second frame to knot the score at 3-3, and again tie it up in the third at 4-4.

Sunday's Games. Crowell Aces AB H R E. R. Ellis, ss 5 1 4 1. Turner, c 4 1 1 1.

Crowell Oilers AB H R E. McKinley, rf 4 3 1 0. J. Wisdom, 3b 5 0 1 2. F. Ellis, lf 3 1 2 0.

Crowell Aces AB H R E. R. Ellis, ss 3 2 0 0. Halenak, c 2 1 1 0. Carter, rf 3 0 0 0.

McKinley, rf 3 0 1 0. Wisdom, 3b 2 1 1 2. F. Ellis, lf 2 0 0 0.

The Aces returned to the diamond Monday night to plaster the Oilers, 18 to 5, to narrow the race between the two clubs for second place.

Box Score. Aces AB H R E. R. Ellis, ss 5 1 2 3. Crowell, lf 6 5 3 1.

Oilers AB H R E. D. Adkins, ss 3 2 3 0. Wisdom, 3b 5 0 0 1. Rader, lf 3 1 1 1.

According to latest figures cited by the International Association of Printing House Craftsmen, the state of New York produces approximately one-fourth of all the printing done in this country.

A new type of flax recleaner has been developed that blows chaff out of flax. The machine has a capacity of four tons an hour.

NINE-DAY SALE OF TIRES AID TO SAFE ROADS

Local Goodyear Dealer Says Plan Should Help Reduce Accidents

Announced this week nationally by Goodyear dealers in every city and town is an unusual tire merchandising event, centering around the product of a large manufacturer.

"Few people need an introduction to the tire, which for years has been used by thousands, appeared as original equipment on many cars and has wide acceptance among car owners, who for years have been familiar with its attractive qualities and long wearing abilities."

Ask about the price on a 6.00-

16, the size tire which 70 per cent of the cars in service now use. Mr. Crowell said this would be \$9.99 for the nine days of the sale, adding that it would be the only time this year the tire would be sold at that figure.

Pressed for a reason as to why the tires were being offered at the price, Mr. Crowell further said:

"All of the G-3 All-Weather tires are affected during the sale, with prices varying from \$9.99, but at considerable saving. Reason for this sale is to contribute to the safety of highways, to give motorists a break in buying tires with treads that will really stop a car.

"Wet weather is just ahead, you know, and slippery roads de-

mand tires that will stop, for safety's sake. Skids are the first cause of a majority of accidents. "We are interested in putting good tires on cars now, when they can be seasoned well, so in case weather they will provide up to 20 per cent more mileage than if they had been applied during the extremely hot weather.

"We are ready and willing to make inspections of anyone's tires to be sure they are highway safe. And there is no obligation involved. America's motoring death toll can be cut drastically by adoption of safety measures and good tire equipment is a logical place at which to start."

An interesting advertisement is always read.

ANNUAL OIL BOWL FOOTBALL CLASSIC NORTH TEXAS vs. WEST TEXAS COYOTE STADIUM, Wichita Falls, Texas Labor Day, Sept. 2, 1940, 8 P. M.

WE'RE READY...and big enough to do the Job! Illustration of a power line tower and workers.

AMERICA is busily engaged in building a defense of her freedom.

This freedom of ours—freedom of action, freedom of thought, freedom from fear and oppression, freedom of enterprise—is the most precious thing in the world to protect.

Electric service will play a big part in this great program of strengthening our defenses. Your electric company is ready NOW to do its full share in any task this community may be called upon to perform.

We're ready because for years we have planned far in advance in order to meet your ever-increasing demands for electrical service.

Because of this we have built power capacity in advance of any demands in the community.

To assure constant power under all conditions our several sources of electricity are linked together so that the switch at your finger-tip controls power from many sources.

The highly skilled and trained staff of people who have built up your electric service, and who are serving you from day to day, are eager for any new task.

It is through these people, and this marvelous system of interconnected power plants and distribution lines they have built, that we are ready to do our part.

Meanwhile, we have not forgotten that our job in the future, as in the past, is to improve our service and its usefulness to you, and bring more of the good things of life to more people at less cost.

West Texas Utilities Company

Invite a visitor to West Texas—the Land of Opportunity

The WORTH HOTEL FORT WORTH GRACIOUS HOST TO THE HEART OF THE WEST. Air-conditioned guest rooms (TEMP-CONTROLLED) make for added comfort, too. All rooms with shower and tub.

Gracious HOST TO THE HEART OF THE WEST

You can be sure the WORTH HOTEL is a good surrounding FOR REAL FOLKS. That's why folks of the west all congregate there when they come to Fort Worth.

Air-conditioned guest rooms (TEMP-CONTROLLED) make for added comfort, too. All rooms with shower and tub. Sensible rates...superb food in Coffee Shop and Dining Room...give you total enjoyment at the Worth.

JACK FARRELL, Manager

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Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 165 or 43J

Mrs. J. R. Hutchison Honoree at Reunion of Womack Family

Mrs. J. R. Hutchison of San Dimas, Calif., was the honoree at a reunion of the Womack family held at the home of Mrs. Hutchison's sister, Mrs. Curtis Ribble, on Aug. 11. Mrs. Hutchison had been visiting relatives here after an absence of five years. At present she is visiting relatives in Dallas, Fort Worth and Handley.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Womack and daughter, Miss Bertha; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Greening and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKown and baby; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spencer and son, Joe; Mrs. Ida Reavis, all of Crowell; and Mrs. Clarence McKown and son, Ray, of Altus, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Womack and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Womack of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kinsey of Handley were unable to attend.

Miss Wanda V. Gamble Becomes Bride of Jno. Winston Bradford

The marriage of Miss Wanda V. Gamble of Thalia to John Winston Bradford of Appletton, Wis., took place Saturday night at 9 o'clock in Lawton, Okla. They were accompanied to Lawton by Mr. and Mrs. David Lee Owens of Crowell, Miss Bennie Bradford, and Mrs. Odie Claxton and Mrs. J. M. Isom of Abilene.

Mrs. Bradford is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Thalia and had lived in that community practically all

of her life. She graduated from Crowell High School in 1938.

Mr. Bradford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford of the Riverside community. He was an honor graduate of Thalia High School in 1937 where he received a scholarship and attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. For the past six months he has been employed in the welding division of the Automotive Supply Co. of Appletton.

The couple is making the trip to Appletton by automobile, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Milton Siz of that city, where they will make their home at 400 West Foster Street.

Miss Elsie Cook Is Complimented with Shower Monday

Miss Elsie Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook, was named honoree at a lovely miscellaneous shower given at the Adolphian Club house Monday afternoon by Mrs. Jno. E. Long, Mrs. Jim Cates, Mrs. Marion Crowell, Mrs. Henry Borchardt and Mrs. C. A. Killingsworth. Miss Cook is soon to become the bride of Frank Kendrick Harrell of Sanderson.

Mrs. Long, after greeting the guests at the door, presented them to a receiving line which included Mrs. Cook, Miss Cook and Miss Bernice Morley of Quannah. Mrs. Killingsworth presided at the guest register.

A short program was rendered with Paula Plunkett singing, "Ain't Sweet Mystery of Life," and accompanied by Miss Thelma Lois Moore. June Billington read a clever poem. Miss Moore played

RIVERSIDE H. D. CLUB

Pecan cookies proved to be the favorite of the Riverside Home Demonstration Club members of the three types of cookies made by the county agent, Miss Joelle Vannoy, during the meeting in the home of Mrs. Otto Schroeder, August 15.

The ingredients are: 1/2 cup butter, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 cup flour, 1 cup pecans, 1 egg, 2 teaspoons vanilla. Mix as for butter cake and drop from teaspoon on oiled cookie tins. Bake in moderate oven until cookies are brown (about 15 minutes). Remove from pans while hot. The cookies will become crisp when cool.

Mrs. J. C. Prosser Named Honoree at Shower Thursday

Mrs. J. C. Prosser, who, until her recent marriage, was Miss Thelma Jo Ross, was the honoree at a pretty shower given by Mrs. Gale Stout and Miss Louise Eubank Thursday afternoon at O'Connell's Lunch Room.

The hostesses greeted the guests and asked them to register in the bride's book over which Miss Marie Wells presided.

At a novel improvised well, with the curb and bucket and rope, Miss Opal Garrett served punch. The well had an effective brick wall and was realistic and unique.

Paula Plunkett sang, "If I Had My Way," accompanied at the piano by Miss Thelma Lois Moore. June Billington gave a humorous and appropriate reading, "Wives." Paula sang another number, "Make Believe Island." Miss Eubank gave a musical reading entitled, "Wishing-Land," and when she had finished, she invited the honor guest to the "Wishing-Well." The well had been converted into a well of wishes in the form of lovely gifts which the bride unwrapped herself. She responded with words of appreciation.

LIBRARY NOTES

Did you know that— There are over 1400 books in the library including some of the newest and most popular novels? There are 310 magazine novels? The Magazine stand boasts of twenty current magazines, including American, Cosmopolitan, Good Housekeeping, McCall's, Reader's Digest, National Geographic and Time?

The library has four different sets of encyclopedias, over forty volumes of travel and a wide variety of classics and reference books?

There is a book section for boys and one for girls with good books by leading authors to interest children from five to fifteen?

School children, as well as adults, will find an endless source of interesting and helpful material in scrapbooks and files?

Now is the time to become a member and start enjoying the benefits of the library.

Social Security Officials Will Visit Crowell August 29

The next regular semi-monthly visit to Crowell of a Social Security Board representative will be on Thursday, August 29, at 11 a. m., according to an announcement received this week from Roscoe L. Surles, manager of the field office of Wichita Falls. The Wichita Falls office of the Board serves the area in which Crowell is located.

These regular visits to Crowell are made twice monthly, Surles explained, on the second and fourth Thursdays. Temporary office space is provided in the district court room of the courthouse through the courtesy of the county judge.

These visits are for the purpose of contacting employers and employees, potential beneficiaries, and others in connection with their problems relating to the Federal old-age and survivors insurance provisions of the Social Security Act.

The representative of the Social Security Board will handle claims for old-age and survivors insurance, applications for social security account numbers, applications for employer identification numbers, and wage discrepancy cases. He will also be available to furnish information on any phase of the program, Surles said.

Undisputed proof that Johann Gutenberg was the actual inventor of printing has been uncovered in historical research of the past fifty years. The authentic Gutenberg claim is based on twenty-eight separate documents written during Gutenberg's lifetime and the written statements of contemporaries or near contemporaries, according to Douglas C. McMurtrie, printing historian, International Association of Printing House Craftsmen.

NYA Project Will Have Facilities for 500 Boys

Austin.—With 300 Texas boys already taking advantage of the work experience and related training offered at the National Youth Administration Resident Center at Inks Dam, near Burnet, Texas, plans are under way to expand the Center to accommodate an additional 200 boys, J. C. Kelam, State NYA Administrator, said today.

Located on the banks of the Colorado River, the Center affords these young men actual work experience and training in the fundamentals of machine shop, radio, electrical, sheet metal and foundry work, welding, blacksmithing, light and production woodworking and plumbing. The State Department of Vocational Education cooperates with the National Youth Administration to furnish 12 instructors who give related training and information to youth employed on the project.

Two barracks housing 75 additional youths are now under construction by the NYA boys at the Center, who spend one-half of each day in the shops. Other barracks are to be built which will accommodate the remaining 125 boys and bring the total capacity of the Center to 500 boys. A 15-bed infirmary and a gymnasium were recently completed.

Each youth enrolled at Inks Dam receives \$30 monthly, of which \$18 is deducted for room and board, medical attention, recreation, laundry and other necessary miscellaneous items. The boys receive \$12 a month for their personal use.

"Young men desiring to obtain this work experience and training may apply to the nearest NYA District Office," the State Youth Administrator said. "The 12 District Offices are located at Marshall, Dallas, Houston, Ft. Worth, Waco, Austin, San Antonio, McAllen, Amarillo, Lubbock, San Angelo, and El Paso."

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

On Friday night, Aug. 16, Mrs. Ted Burrow entertained with a surprise birthday party at O'Connell's Lunch Room, honoring her son, Ray, on his 14th birthday.

Various games, directed by Joyzelle Tysinger, were played throughout the evening.

The guest list included Misses Mildred Cogdell, Joyzelle Tysinger, Mary Evelyn Edwards, Wanda Evans, Lois Evelyn Flesher, Borita Liles, Rita Callaway, Sandra Bell, Jane Roark, Paula Plunkett, June Billington, Marjorie Davidson, and Charlie Thompson. J. T. Hughton, Ray Davis, Paul Vecera, Bill Owens, Gordon Erwin, Albert Bird, Joe Dodd, Weldon Moody, Lowell Campbell, Billy Braswell and the honoree.

The hostess was assisted by Miss Mildred Cogdell and Joyzelle Tysinger.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A party was given Friday afternoon, Aug. 16, by Mrs. Tanner Billington to celebrate the 5th birthday of her little daughter, Gloria Ruth.

A color scheme of pink and white was carried out. A white birthday cake which was decorated with little daisies and held five small pink candles, centered the dining table. Further decorations were carried out in the living room.

Indoor and outdoor games were enjoyed by the following: Carolyn Bell, Jean Hughton, Barbara Moody, Barbara White, Genevieve McDaniel, Betty Jean Seale, June and Billie Billington and the honoree.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream and fruit punch were served. Favors were balloons and guess-whats. June assisted her mother in serving.

Gloria was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

ROTARY CLUB

The program of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon consisted of a Rotary quiz conducted by Rotarian L. E. Archer. Visitors at this meeting were Rotarians C. F. York and Joe Anderson of Quannah, Robert Long of Crowell and Jesse Brown of Galveston.

It was brought out during the meeting that signs telling of the day and time of the meeting of the local club had been placed on the highways at the north, south, east and west entrances to Crowell. The work of erecting these signs was done by "Red" Ellis under the supervision of Jack Seale.

TO RECEIVE REGREE

Denton, Aug. 20.—Annie Mae Hall of Crowell is among the 500 odd candidates for degrees in the twenty-eighth annual North Texas State Teachers' College summer commencement exercises to be held Saturday, Aug. 24, at the college athletic field. This year's class is one of the largest in the school's history.

Miss Hall is taking the bachelor of science degree in home economics.

Wildcat Star— (Continued from Page One)

The first printing press was conceived in Australia in 1787 and being sent there by the English government. No one could get it to operate it, so the press remained idle for several years until Governor Hunter in 1795 discovered a printer, G. Hughes, among new arrivals.

Maxey McKnight, Littlefield, end; Glenn Nichols, Pampa, end; Jim Palmer, Perryton, tackle; Pat Farris, Lubbock, tackle; W. O. Cox, Matador, guard; R. G. Candler, Pampa, tackle; L. A. Storrs, Lubbock, center; Max Wheeler, Tulla, guard; Delmer Givers, Olton, guard; James Merriman, Lubbock, guard; Roy Holmes, Shamrock, center.

North Texas will be represented by the following:
Head Coach — Matty Bell, Southern Methodist University.
Ass't. Coach — Ted Jefferies, Wichita Falls High School.

Dick Smith, Crowell, guard; Eugene Starkey, Seymour, guard; James Love, Vernon, tackle; Joe Elliott, Electra, tackle; Albert Williams, Childress, tackle; J. W. Green, Gainesville, tackle; Jack Sasche, Electra, center; Russell Clement, Burkburnett, end; Joe Smith, Electra, end; Clifford Foster, Childress, end; Joe Parker, Wichita Falls, back; Red Maley, Dallas, back; Curtis Holder, Wichita Falls, back; Earl Crooks, Vernon, back; Fred Brown, Burkburnett, back; Clark Wells, Quannah, back; J. E. Mullins, Jr., Olney, back; Spot Collins, Breckenridge, back.

Three more players to be selected.

Every district in North and West Texas is represented by one or more outstanding players.

For convenience of the fans of Crowell, reserved seat tickets have been placed on sale at Ferguson Bros. drugstore.

DANCE

to music of
BILLY'S MELODY FIVE
Crowell, Texas
FRIDAY, AUGUST 30
EVERYBODY INVITED

CORNER DRUG STORE

Come In and See Our Complete
New Line of
AMERICAN MEMORIES
By Palmer
(Since 1847)
PERFUME COLOGNE TOILET WATER
DUSTING POWDER
TALCUM BATH SALTS SOAP

CONOCO BRONZ-Z-Z
GIVE US A TRIAL!
We appreciate any part of your business. CONOCO Bronz-z-z 16c per gallon, Conoco Green Leaded 12c per gallon. Wholesale and Retail.
Gates Tires, Tubes and Batteries. We Charge Batteries.
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Vernon, Texas
FRIDAY and SATURDAY
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MIDNIGHT SATURDAY and SUNDAY ONLY
THE LADY IN QUESTION
BRIAN AMERIE - Rita Hayward
MON., TUES. and WED. IN TECHNICOLOR!
Maryland
THURSDAY ONLY FAMILY DAY
One Person 20c, Each Additional Person in Family 5c Each
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JUST ARRIVED! COMPLETE LINE
of NEW and BEAUTIFUL
FALL COATS and DRESSES

We are proud to offer to the ladies of this trade territory these new and refreshing designs in FALL COATS and DRESSES.

MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW.

Right now is the time to carefully select your FALL COATS and DRESSES while our stock is COMPLETE. Come to our store today and buy your Fall Coats and Dresses on our LAY-AWAY PLAN, and have them ready when Fall arrives. A small deposit holds any Fall Coat or Dress in our store.

BIRD DRY GOODS STORE
"The Friendly Store"

SURE THEY'RE SNAPPY!
THEY'RE FORTUNES!

Right, son! One man chooses shoes for style, another for extra comfort. In FORTUNE SHOES you get both : : : much more for your money. That's why we say FORTUNES are a "find". Come in and see them.

FISCH'S Dept. Store
\$4 MOST STYLES
FORTUNE SHOES

BRAGGING ABOUT YOUR MILEAGE AGAIN?

NOT BRAGGING—
I GOT A MILE-DIAL FREE
AND GOT THE PROOF

MERE "GUESS-SO" AND "THINK-SO" are just old stuff these days, in discussing gasoline mileage. Now you can know-so... accurately! For awaiting you now at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station is your Conoco Mile-Dial—FREE.

THIS INVENTION makes Conoco Bronz-z-z gasoline put itself on record in bunk-proof figures. Your impartial, certified Mile-Dial gives you mileage proof that you can double-check and triple-check. If you think you made it too easy for your Conoco Bronz-z-z the first time, you can dial your whole Labor Day trip, with a week-end overload in your car—heading for hills or inching through traffic.

HUNDREDS of different driving conditions will be on record, as you keep using your handy Mile-Dial. Then nobody will be able to hint (politely) that you try to remember only your highest mileage. For your free Mile-Dial, keeping count day after day, reports your true average on Conoco Bronz-z-z.

THAT'S WHY YOUR MILEAGE MERCHANT is urging you to drive in to his Conoco station today for your fascinating Mile-Dial—FREE, while they last. Continental Oil Company

CONOCO BRONZ-Z-Z
GIVE US A TRIAL!
We appreciate any part of your business. CONOCO Bronz-z-z 16c per gallon, Conoco Green Leaded 12c per gallon. Wholesale and Retail.
Gates Tires, Tubes and Batteries. We Charge Batteries.
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