

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1945

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IN SERVICE

Joe B. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ozell Turner of Truscott, is aboard the battleship USS Missouri, which is being christened for Mother's Day. Along with a group of sailor buddies, he realized that it was nearing Mother's Day with no gifts or cards for their mothers and Joe was appointed to write a poem to be sent to their mothers. The poem is a pretty tribute to mothers and is being sent to them by the ship on Sunday, May 13. The poem was sent to mothers in all parts of the United States. Joe notes that censorship had been strict enough to let it be known that the ship had taken part in the invasions of Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Curtis are recipients of a Mother's Day message from a nurse of their son, Frank Curtis, who is hospitalized at Madigan General Hospital in Fort Lewis, Wash. Sgt. Curtis was seriously wounded in Germany on Feb. 9. A picture of Curtis was enclosed with the letter. A later letter from him states that he expects to be home in about a month.

Army Air Field, Dalhart, Texas, May 14.—Sgt. Jack W. Thomas is one of four Crowell, Texas, boys serving in the armed forces. A mail clerk at this field, Thomas expects to be a rancher when he returns to civilian life. His brothers, C. R. Thomas and J. Thomas, are in the Navy. Pfc. F. B. Thomas, is with the Army in France. Sgt. Thomas is married, while his mother, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, resides in Crowell.

The Bronze Star Medal has been awarded to S-Sgt. J. L. McBeath whose parents live in Thalia. His meritorious achievement with an anti-aircraft battalion on duty in the Philippines. The citation, covering the period from Dec. 20 to Dec. 1, said his efficiency, technical skill and ability to improvise directly aided in the destruction of enemy aircraft. His battalion, awarded the distinguished Unit Badge, had in a period, downed 117 enemy planes and damaged 62 others. His wife, the former Miss Iva Ruth, resides in Thalia.

Pfc. John H. Kenner, who is hospitalized in the 13th Field Hospital in Germany, writes his mother that he is well and has been some of the results of the operations of the enemy in the concentration camps. He had recently returned from a trip to those places and says it is horrible to see.

Sgt. Joe McKinley is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. George B. McKinley, and other relatives in Thalia. He will return this week to Dallas, Fla., and will go to Fort Worth to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKinley. He is awaiting further assignment as a ball gunner with the 8th Air Force.

Sgt. Buford Brown, top turret gunner and engineer of a B-24 Liberator with the 8th Air Force in England, was recently awarded two clusters to go with his Air Medal which was won for his service in the Philippines. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown. Truscott and his wife is making home at the present, in Arlington. 2nd Lieut. William G. Brown, another son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown, has been awarded a cluster to his Air Medal for service in combat as pilot of a Mustang fighter. During the outbreak of the war, he was stationed in Belgium with the 14th Fighter group, commanded by Lt. Col. Morgan A. Griffin of San Antonio.

Lieut. Riley R. Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin, has been transferred from New Guinea to the Philippines, according to a letter received this week by his parents. Lieut. Griffin is attached to an ordnance company and had been in the Philippines for more than a year.

James A. Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Welch of Crowell, pilot of a B-24 Liberator with famous 11th Heavy Bomber group of the 7th AAF, has been promoted to first lieutenant, according to a news dispatch from a bomber base in the Marianas.

Mr. Fred de Jarnette has sent his wife from Germany, a Gertrude, a sabre and a bayonet, captured from the Germans. This is the first Mrs. de Jarnette has had from her husband in several weeks.

Sgt. Weldon E. Hays, Signal Corps, attached to the 14th Air Force, was recently flown to India to China, according to information received here by his wife and baby son who also his mother, Mrs. Henry Hays, reside here.

Sgt. Thomas Johnson and Mrs. Johnson of Ft. Sumner, N. M., are on Mother's Day here visiting the home of Mrs. Johnson's

Exit Silver Lining



Capt. Walter Sanford of Nashville turns anxious eyes to the pouring heavens, hoping for either the Japs or the rain to stop as he sweats out a Nip air raid in water-filled bomb shelter in the Philippines. He is a member of the air force.

Vacation Church School to be Held May 21 to June 1

A Vacation Bible School will begin at the Methodist Church on Monday morning, May 21, at 9 o'clock. Mrs. A. R. Sanders will serve as general superintendent of the school which will last for two weeks.

Meeting to Be Held Monday Interest of Returning Veterans

Next Monday, May 21, a meeting of the War Veterans Committee will be held in the District Court room at 2 p. m., to discuss the different phases of the Servicemen's G. I. Bill. It was announced this week by D. F. Eaton. This meeting will be of interest to every returned veteran who has recently been discharged from the service in World War II.

There are six different provisions of this bill and an effort will be made to explain each of these benefits.

Also efforts will be made to have some one qualified and available for contact so that returning veterans who wish to do so may acquaint themselves with its provisions so that they may participate in its benefits.

A returning veteran is entitled to certain compensation, hospitalization, educational training, assistance in building a home, purchasing a farm, establishing a small business, employment in industrial centers and certain other benefits.

The bill also carries with it provisions making it possible to secure financial assistance up to a certain limit under rather favorable conditions. Veterans are urged to be present at this meeting.

Participating in the meeting will be representatives from the Extension Service, Farm Security Administration, U. S. Employment Service, Federal Farm Loan Bank, and representatives of education, business and the professions.

Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown.

Mrs. M. T. Gray heard from her son, S-Sgt. Jonnie R. Gray, who is in China, in the form of flowers for Mother's Day.

Rev. Strickland Delivers Sermon for Baccalaureate Services for 1945 Seniors at Methodist Church Sunday Evening

Baccalaureate services for the Senior Class of Crowell High School of 1945 were held at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, May 13. The auditorium of the church was filled with relatives and friends of the graduates.

The Seniors marched to their seats with the processional being played by Mrs. William Ricks. The choir sang "Praise Him, Praise Him," and Rev. R. S. Watkins led in prayer. "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" was sung by the choir and congregation, after which Rev. Otis Strickland read the scripture. Rev. Strickland preached the baccalaureate sermon and left many helpful, inspirational thoughts for his hearers.

The closing song "Are Ye Able?" was sung and the benediction was given by Rev. G. O. McMillan. Mrs. Ricks played the recessional.

The church was decorated for the occasion by the class mothers and pupils of the Sophomore class of High School.

Russians Release Pfc. Richard Bird from German Camp

Pfc. Richard Bird has been released from a German prison camp by the Russian Army, according to a short letter received by his father, D. N. Bird, Wednesday morning. The letter was postmarked May 2.

Pfc. Bird was in Co. K, 394th Infantry, 98th Division, before being captured by the Germans on December 18. The letter received by his father stated that he was well and hoped to be home soon.

Week-End Boy Scout Camp Held at Country Club Lake

Last week-end a Boy Scout Camp was held at the Springlake Country Club lake which was attended by a large group of boys from the two troops in Crowell and the Scout troop in Thalia.

The camp was under the direction of C. A. Clark, Scout Executive for this area; Howard Bursey, Scoutmaster for the Thalia Troop, and J. M. Jackson, camp director of the county. Others attending were O'Neal Johnson of Thalia, Ebb Scales, Scoutmaster of the Senior troop in Crowell; Houston White, Bill Tysinger and D. F. Eaton, Scoutmaster for Troop 49 in Crowell. Assisting in the Scout activities as judges were Supt. Grady Graves, Leo Purvis, Crowell principal, and Harold Wilkinson, athletic coach.

There were twenty-five boys in the camp and were housed in tents and all cooked and served their own meals camp style. Unfavorable weather condition previous to the camp date prevented some boys from attending.

The boys engaged in scouting activities, held a council fire program and enjoyed swimming in the country club lake.

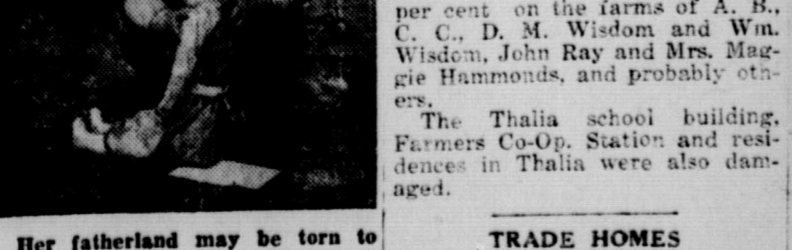
HOSPITAL NOTES Foard County Hospital

Patients In: T. N. Bell, Mrs. Glendon Russell

Patients Dismissed: Mrs. Homer Johnson, Mrs. O'Neal Johnson, Viola Sparks, Dr. H. Schindler, Mrs. Fred Wehba and infant daughter Shirley Wehba, Tommie Meason, Hilda Neel (col.), Martha Sparkman (col.)

Visiting Hours: 10:00 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

Casualty of War



Her fatherland may be torn to shreds by Allied armies, her home may be amongst those leveled by the tide of war, but all that means little to this German child who tries to comfort her scalped doll in a Leipzig street. Liberated labor slaves are shown in background.

'American Mother'



Mrs. Harper Sibley of Rochester, N. Y., mother of six children who is now serving as a consultant at the San Francisco conference, has been selected as "the American Mother of 1945."

First Foard County Man Discharged Under Point System

S-Sgt. Fred Vecera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vecera, was discharged from the Army at Fort Sam Houston last Saturday at 9 o'clock and was among 150 of 2,500 veterans to be discharged on the new point system. Sgt. Vecera was the first Foard County man to receive his discharge under the Army point system for World War II veterans, who have served overseas.

Vecera had been in the Army 4 1/2 years and had served in the European theater of operations for the past seventeen months until returning home on a 45-day furlough on March 12 of this year. He was slightly wounded three times. In order to be discharged under the point system a soldier is required to have 85 points and Sgt. Vecera had 106 points. He had reported for reassignment to overseas duty following which the rotation point system became effective.

While at home on his furlough Sgt. Vecera was married to Miss Marie Jekel of Lockett. Owing to the surprise of the unexpected discharge, he has not decided where they will make their home, except that he knows they will live in Texas.

Fred says it is a grand feeling to be a civilian again. He graduated from Crowell High School in 1939.

Margaret Residents to Have City Water

Residents of the town of Margaret will be served by the Crowell Water Works, it was announced this week by G. L. Cole, water superintendent. Margaret is located about two miles south of the six wells that furnish the new water supply for Crowell.

Work of laying the pipe has already been completed and three customers were put on the line Tuesday. They were Mrs. C. R. Rouden, W. F. Bradford and the Methodist Parsonage. Others will be added soon.

Curing Pain in Neck



What looks like an attempt at suicide in the Giants' clubhouse in New York is merely Johnny Eucher's attempt to cure a pain in the neck. The queer contraction was prescribed for the Giant outfielder by Mays Brothers.

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Commencement Exercises for Crowell High School Will be Held Friday Evening in High School Auditorium

The commencement exercises for the Crowell High School will be held at the High School auditorium Friday evening, (tomorrow), May 18, at 8.15 o'clock.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion: Processional, Mrs. William Ricks; Invocation, Rev. Otis Strickland; Quartet, Misses Doris Jeanne Breedlove, Ruth Ribble, Ada Jane Magee and Virginia Mabe; Address, Dr. James B. Boren, president of Hardin Junior College at Wichita Falls; Presentation of Diplomas, Superintendent Grady Graves; Benediction, Rev. R. S. Watkins, and Recessional, Mrs. William Ricks.

The following thirty-one Seniors are finishing their High School work this year: Laverne Abston, Frances Ann Ayers, Doris Jeanne Breedlove, Bernice Joyce Brown, John Calvin Carter, Ruth Catherine Cates, Robert Otis Denton, Bessie Louise Gambia, Hiram Beverly Gray, Warren Haynie, Marian Hays, Marilyn Hays, June Hickman, Mary Jo Hogan, Carolita Jones, Mattie Sue Jones, Virginia Ruth Mabe, Ada Jane Magee, Billie Irene Morrison, Frances Genevieve Nelson, Valeria May Owens, Dorothy Therese Pechacek, Florence Ruth Ribble, Evelyn Edwina Ross, Helen Louise Smith, Billy Joe Taylor, Julius Glen Taylor, Rodney Louis Thomas and Travis W. Vecera.

Five of this number graduated at mid-term but are receiving their diplomas at this time. They are Polly Davis, Bernice Joyce Brown, Ruth Catherine Cates, Glen Taylor and R. L. Thomas. Bobby Cooper is the valedictorian and Frances Ann Ayers is the salutatorian of this class. John Calvin Carter is second high in scholastic standing for the boys, and Ada Jane Magee is second high for the girls.

The public is cordially invited to attend the commencement program.

Truscott School House Destroyed by Fire Saturday

A fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Truscott School building last Saturday, May 12. No one was in the building at the time the fire broke out and it was discovered by Ozzie Turner, who resides across the street. The south part of the building was burning when Mr. Turner discovered the fire.

Aid was immediately summoned by Mr. Turner and the local people responded but all efforts to control the blaze were futile. The fire trucks were then called from Benjamin and Crowell. The Crowell fire truck left immediately for Truscott and was there in fifteen minutes but the building was too far gone for it to be of much help, however, it stood by until the blaze died down, in order to protect adjacent buildings.

The school building has been built in recent years and was considered adequate to the needs of the school. The auditorium ranked as one of the nicest of this section, seating 200 or 300 people. The stage had a nice velvet curtain and beautiful scenery. The Home Economics department was equipped with all modern equipment, among which was an electric refrigerator. The women of the community had only recently canned about 150 quarts of fruit for the cafeteria.

The building was covered with \$20,000 worth of insurance and this will materially help in the construction of a new building. The entire contents of the building were lost.

REVIVAL MEETING

A revival meeting will be held at the Assembly of God Church beginning Sunday, May 20, with Mary A. Gray, evangelist, doing the preaching. She is closing a revival in Quanah this week. The church building has recently been enlarged which gives more room for the church activities of the congregation.

Nephew of N. J. Roberts is Killed in Action in Germany

First Lieut. Nelson P. Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Roberts of Overton, and nephew of N. J. Roberts of Crowell, was killed in action in Germany, April 30, according to information from the War Department. Another son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Roberts has recently been released from a prison camp.

CALL NEW PASTOR

Rev. Grant L. Slagel of Denver, Colo., has been called as pastor of the First Christian Church, effective the first Sunday in June. Rev. Slagel is a former pastor of the church here.

Under the Geneva Convention prisoners of war held in this country are allowed to write home once a month. It was discovered that prisoners were sending secret messages home by writing with special type of fluid which was later brought out by photography or certain chemicals. A new paper has been produced that is sensitive to every known substance and which betrays any attempt to smuggle out a secret message.

Postmaster General



Robert E. Hannegan, chairman of the Democratic National Committee who has been named to succeed Frank C. Walker, who resigned as postmaster general effective July 1. Hannegan will remain as chairman of the Democratic national committee.

Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE (By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mrs. Ruby Newsom and Betty Jo Short of Fort Worth, spent Sunday and Monday with their father, Kebe Short, and family. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Speer and



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son, Wells, of Archer City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins and family. John S. Ray is critically ill in a Vernon hospital at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker and sons of Floydada are here attending the bedside of John S. Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus have been in Dallas the past few days with their small son, Jerry, who is receiving medical aid there. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farrar and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ketchersid of Fargo. Mrs. Bruce Galner of Albuquerque, N. M., and son, Bill Spruell, who is in the Navy and stationed at Norman, Okla., are here on account of the illness of their father and grandfather, John S. Ray. Mrs. Jody Simmons left Monday for her home at San Diego, Calif., after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hopkins. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Hibit Grisham, of Byers. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Butler and family of Chillicothe Spnday. August Rummel and family were dinner guests of Fritz Schwartz and family of Five-in-One Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole and daughter spent Sunday with relatives at Frederick, Okla. Mrs. Reed Pyle has returned from a visit with her aunt at Portales, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and family and Mrs. Jody Simmons of San Diego, Calif., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Packer of Odell. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor were visitors in Fort Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson and family of Crowell and Allen Shultz of Vernon spent Sunday with Dave Shultz and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Laville and son, Ronney, of Kadine Corner, Mrs. Bob Huntley and daughter, Floy, of Vernon visited in the Cap Adkins home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Burrellson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ratliff, of Olton. Mrs. Howard Cates of Los Angeles, Calif., has been visiting her aunts, Mesdames R. G. Whitten and Horace Taylor. Mrs. W. A. Guinn of Jarrell, Texas, and Mrs. Tom Colston of Oklahoma City, are here attending the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Young, in the R. G. Whitten home. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Owens and son, Harold, and daughter, Mrs. Hubert Smith, visited their daugh-

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

Lt. Franklin L. Evans of Lubbock Army Air Field spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans. David Bowley of Plainview spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley. Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin and daughter, Judy Gail, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, of Foard City. Miss Evelyn Evans of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans. George Martin of Fort Worth spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, and family. Neva Lou Potts of Crowell spent from Wednesday until Friday with Norma Jean Mathews. Aubrey Beatty of Plainview spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty Jr., and family. Miles Neill of Thalia spent last Tuesday night in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Ed Self and family. Miss Geneva Marr of Floydada spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr. Mrs. Allison Denton and daughters, Carolyn and Marilyn, returned to Fort Worth Friday after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, and family. Mrs. W. O. Fish spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams and family of Crowell. Miss Berdell Nelson of Paducah spent from Friday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, and family. Miss Bernita Fish of Five-in-One spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish. Mrs. R. N. Beatty Sr. and daughter, Lillie Faye, visited Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney of Quannah visited relatives here Monday. Tommy Haseloff of Vernon visited Mrs. Charlie Haseloff and children here Monday. Mrs. S. J. Moman returned to Vernon Monday after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Bradford. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smallwood and family of Matador spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Pruitt, and sister, Mrs. Jack Roden. Miss Darling Pruitt left Monday for California. Mrs. Ernest Lilly and daughters, De Anna and Judy, of Amarillo spent from Monday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Rader, and other relatives. Pfc. Glen Shook left Tuesday of last week for Fort Ord, Calif., after spending a furlough here with relatives. He was accompanied to Quannah by his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook and Mrs. Lee Lefevre. Miss Dovey Barker of Dallas spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Manning and daughter, Carla, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and son, Alton Ray, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lilly and daughters in the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Rader Friday night. Mrs. Glen Shook and Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent from Thursday until Saturday with relatives in Paducah. Miss Estelle Autry of Crowell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Autry, and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Minnick and daughter, Mrs. Peggy Adams,

MARGARET (By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts, Mrs. John Wesley and daughter, Ruth Marie, of Wichita Falls spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley and family. Mr. and Mrs. Green Sikes visited Mrs. G. W. Sikes and Jimmie Lee in Quannah Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn and Mrs. Arthur Bell visited J. S. Ray in the hospital in Vernon Saturday. Ab Smallwood, former resident of Margaret, died suddenly of a heart attack Sunday morning at Matador. Mrs. Treutt Goben of Fort Worth spent Sunday with her father, Dick Smith, and family. Mrs. Riley McCurley is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook, in Vernon. Mrs. E. D. Russell and mother of Avery are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Eason of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison Friday night. Anna Rea Owens of Crowell spent the week-end with Mrs. Arthur Bell. Mr. Godwin and Mrs. Cora Barnett and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Graham in Vernon Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde James and daughter of Vernon spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mynard. Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Hart, Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn and Mrs. Ray Hysinger attended District Conference in Quannah Thursday. Mrs. B. D. Russell of Avery visited Mrs. J. F. Russell and Dorothea Russell one day this week. Mrs. Bobby Long and Mrs. Bell Franz visited in Wichita Falls Thursday. Miss Leota Murphy of Fort

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. How old was President Roosevelt at the time of his death?
2. Who heads the United Nations Clothing Drive?
3. For what is Henry J. Kaiser known in the news?
4. Who holds the office of Postmaster General?
5. Who is the chairman of the national Democratic Committee?
6. On what island did Ernie Pyle meet his death?
7. What movie actor is the husband of Rita Hayworth?
8. Who wrote the book "Strange Fruit"?
9. Who wrote the book "Great Son"?
10. What movie players usually have the leads in "The Thin Man" series of pictures?

(Answers on page 3).

Worth spent Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Murphy. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hysinger and son of Farmers Valley were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook Jr. and Joyce Ann spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook.

Mrs. Don King of Olton came Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Boss Kenner, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest.

Mrs. Boss Kenner and her sister, Mrs. Julia Bagley, of San Diego, Calif., spent the week-end in Paden, Okla., visiting their sister, Mrs. Jacob Whitten.

Mrs. Arlie Lindsay and daughter, Marilyn, both of Olustee, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Porter from Monday until Wednesday.

Mrs. Studie Bradford visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford several days last week.

Mrs. George Pruitt spent Monday in Crowell visiting her sister, Mrs. Walford Thompson.

Mrs. Tom Smith was taken to the hospital in Vernon Friday for medical treatment.

Mrs. H. A. Ayers of Scottsboro, Ky., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers and family.

Mrs. Johnnie Wright and Mrs. George Pruitt were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Claude Orr was operated on for appendicitis in the Quannah hospital Sunday morning.

Miss Darling Pruitt spent the week-end with her uncle, George Pruitt, and family.

Mrs. Carl Ingle and children of Quannah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins, and other relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. W. A. Priest and Mrs. Robert Choate visited Mrs. Charlie Huskey of Gambleville Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Ewing left Friday for a visit with her son, Clarence Cook, and family of Lubbock.

Mrs. Jimmie Moore and children went to Wichita Falls Sunday to be with Mr. Moore, who is working there.

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spent the week-end at Norman, Okla.

Mrs. Luther Marlow and daughter, Mrs. Howard Ferguson, visited Sgt. and Mrs. James Jobe of San Antonio Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe of Paducah. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lee Lefevre and daughter, Mrs. Ella Lawhon and Mrs. Bill Mulkey and daughter.

Dan Callaway spent from Tuesday until Thursday with relatives in Austin. He was accompanied home by his wife and children, Danny and Baxter, who had been visiting there several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert visited John S. Ray of Riverside in a hospital at Vernon on Friday and Saturday nights.

TRUSCOTT (By Mrs. W. T. Blevins)

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley visited their son, Lt. Dan Tarpley and wife and son of Amarillo, last week.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Wayne Young and children were, Wayne Young, of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young Jr., of Wichita Falls; Patsy Sue Young of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hennan of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Haynie and son, Bob, several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Woodward of Knox City visited Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner Sunday.

Charlie Moorehouse of Benjamin was here Monday.

Graduating exercises were held at the Methodist Church Sunday owing to the fact the school house burned Saturday about noon.

Rev. Gordon Clement of Abilene Christian College delivered the sermon Sunday for the 8th grade.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall left Friday to spend the week-end with her daughter, Modena, of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wood of Thalia visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Dean Wright of Borger, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning, and son, James.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blevins and son, Carvin, of Fort Worth spent from Saturday until Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chowning Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning, Abilene; Mrs. Edd Cox, of Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Good and children of Iowa Park; Mr. and Mrs. Hub Gillespie and son, Joe, Edd and W. A. Chowning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts returned Saturday after several days' visit with Mr. McRoberts' son and wife and baby of Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wright of Phillips, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning. They were accompanied home by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dean Wright, and Mrs. D. E. Holden Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and son, Jackie, and Oscar Boykin, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boykin of Albany.

Mrs. Houston McLain and son, Jonnie, of Camp Shelby, Miss., are visiting Mrs. Chilcoat and Gaynell. Mrs. Chilcoat and Gaynell accompanied them to the Park at Miller Rader's and had a chicken fry Sunday night.

Buck Propps of Benjamin was here Monday.

Mr. McGoy, county superintendent, was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Timberlake of Dallas visited Mrs. Timberlake's brother, Floyd Roberson, week-end with Cullie Eubank, and children of Post spent the week-end with Cullie Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McLaughlin

and daughter of Carlsbad, N. M., visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Collier and daughter of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers and children have returned from California where he has been employed in defense work.

L. A. Haynie is remodeling his barber and tailor shop.

Mrs. Gene Whitaker of Stamford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynie and Ann, and Mrs. Faulkner and daughter, Omah.

To the giraffe goes the distinction of being the only mammal that can make no sound.

Dr. Hines Clark PHYSICIAN and SURGEON Offices in Reader's Drug Store Office Tel. 27W, Res. Tel. 4J

OUR COUNTRY NEEDS GREASE One dead horse or cow converted into explosives now may save many boys in this war. Don't allow your dead animals to decay on your farm and spread disease. We'll be glad to remove them without charge. Phone us, collect, and we'll respond immediately. VERNON RENDERING CO. Call GORDON COOPER, Phone 288 Crowell, Texas

1 slice of toast or 50 TONS OF STEEL! Illustration of a crane lifting a large steel beam.

YOU'RE looking at an electric "whirley" crane in action. It's placing a superstructure on the deck of a new troop transport. This is a big, rough, tough power job. It takes a lot of electricity—a far cry from the amount needed to make your breakfast toast. Today, electricity is doing a lot of big jobs... helping to keep America's huge war machine roaring toward victory. And it is also doing the little jobs in the home... helping to give hard-working Americans the comforts and conveniences that keep morale high. And all this at low pre-war prices! Your electric company is glad to have been able to keep plenty of cheap electricity on tap in these war times... and our folks pledge that an abundant supply will be ready to serve all your post-war needs. West Texas Utilities Company

POSSUM FLATS... SCHOOL LUNCH TIME By GRAHAM HUNTER. A cartoon about children talking about Gladiola biscuits. Includes an advertisement for Gladiola Flour: GLADIOLA FLOUR Fant Milling Company Sherman, Texas

Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA
(By Minnie Wood)

C. C. Wisdom and family visit-

ed relatives in Idalou Wednesday. George Jones and family and Albert Jones and family of Crowell, Hugh Jones and family of Childress and Mrs. Lucy Day of

Gainesville visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones, here Sunday.

Don Palmer and family of Vernon visited C. C. Wisdom and family here Sunday. Mrs. Sam Billingsley and sons of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. E. J. McKinley here Tuesday. Mrs. Luke Swan and daughter

have returned to their home in Amarillo after a few days' visit in the H. L. Swan home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks of California visited in the F. W. Butler home here last week. Mrs. Roland Taylor and son, Bill, visited relatives in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor were visitors in Altus, Okla., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath visited relatives in Fort Worth a few days last week.

Ab Lawrence and family of Spur and daughter, Mrs. Lewis Walker, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, visited H. W. Gray and family here last week.

Bill McKinley and family of Amarillo visited relatives here last week-end. Mrs. Tom Johnson and family, Mrs. Alfred Eddy and Mrs. Clyde McKinley and family of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Veda Allen of Childress visited Mrs. George Doty here last week-end.

Mrs. Bernice Watts of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Webb, here Sunday.

Mrs. Velma Kee and son of Hart, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Willie Wright, and family here this week.

Mrs. Clyde Newsome and Miss Betty Jo Short of Fort Worth visited their aunt, Mrs. C. H. Wood, here Sunday.

Tint Hammonds and family of California are visiting his father, W. H. Hammonds, and family here.

Mrs. Phil Ramsey and son, Calie, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jameson of Spur visited Mrs. M. E. Moore and family here Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Jones of Crowell visited her father, W. E. Piggs, and wife here Sunday.

Miss Florabell Blevins and Buster Lindsey and family of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cullop of Anthony, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Canard of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins here Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Mints of Quanah and Jack Mints and family of Five-in-One visited Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mints here Sunday.

Cpl. Joe McKinley of Florida is visiting his brother, Travis, and family and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Railsback of Chillicothe, Johnnie Broadus and family of White City and Pfc. Garland Railsback and family of New Mexico, visited Ed Railsback and family here Sunday.

RAYLAND

(Norma Jeanne Beazley)

C. L. Awbrey Beazley has gone to Fort Dix, N. J., after a 16-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Beazley.

W. A. Daniel has returned from a business visit in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Abston visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson and family of Ropesville over the week-end.

Mrs. O. E. Haney and Don, Wayne, and Tanny Ray Hunt visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Phillips of Northside visited Mr. and Mrs. Idress Phillips Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Haney and children visited Mrs. W. M. Faughn and daughter, Hazel, Sunday evening.

Rev. Jack Daniel of Oklahoma City, Okla., was a week-end visitor in the home of Rev. D. E. Philley. Rev. Daniel filled the pulpit at the Rayland Baptist Church Sunday morning.

J. A. Harrington of Vernon was a business visitor in this community last week.

Miss Marjorie Price of Amarillo spent the week-end here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Price, and her sister, Mrs. Bonnie Frisbe, and brother, Bobby Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark and children, Gloria and Billy Joe, were week-end visitors in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Martin Schoeffner, and family in Petrolia.

Mrs. D. R. Philley and sons spent the week-end in Chillicothe with her parents.

Mrs. A. W. Crisp is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Payne Neel and family in Plainview.

Bill Lovellen has returned home after three-months' stay in San Angelo.

Rev. D. R. Philley and Rev. Jack Daniel were the guests of Mrs. Martha Price Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick Jones and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tuggle and daughter, Bobbie Jean, of Corpus Christi are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tuggle and other relatives.

Miss Joan Barsellina of Bridgeport is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp.

AGRICULTURE

(D. F. Eaton, County Agent.)

ATTENTION! WHEAT FARMERS

May we again call your attention to the fact that we will have available custom combines here in Crowell ready for service out on your farm in case you should need one.

These machines and trucks will begin to arrive next week and many operators are calling in person here at the office daily seeking locations.

So should you need these services please contact this office or T. V. Rascoe and arrange for this service.

We are also having a limited number of laborers applying for work. Should you need a hand leave your request at the office and we will try to supply you with help.

There are also a few expe-

rienced school boys now ready to be placed on farms at request.

WICHITA WHEAT

This is a late development by the Experiment Stations and is an effort to improve Early Black-hull in several respects.

For one thing to improve its baking qualities, yield and a stronger stalk.

Since this variety has only been released for this year we were able to secure only a small quantity and have only two plots in the county; one on the Rob Cooper farm and one on the McLain farm.

This grain will be harvested separately from other grain so we will have a small supply of seed available.

On the McLain farm they have Early Black-hull, Wichita and Comanche, all growing along side, so we have a good test of the three varieties. They are maturing in the order named, each being a few days earlier than the other.

There are other late varieties being developed and some of them are being tested out on the farm. Quite a lot of Comanche has been planted in the county this year which will give further test of its performance.

The Early Black-hull seemed to get a jump on the rest this year and got off to a good start.

However, it remains to be seen whether the later varieties compare favorably in yield.

SWEET SUDAN

This is an improved variety of the old type cream hull sudan and seems to have some added advantages over the old type sudan.

Since it has some saccharine and is sweeter than the old type, it is much preferred for grazing livestock. It is a little larger both in stalk and seed and will produce a lot more forage. Since it has been released for only a year or so by the experiment stations the seed supply is very small and extremely high.

However, we have supplied a few 4-H Club boys with seed and several farmers are also growing the crop.

From these plots we should get more seed at a more reasonable cost and, above all, we will get to see the crop perform and get a comparative result of it as a crop.

It produces, as a rule, a good yield of seed for which there is a good demand.

GRASSHOPPERS DEVELOPING

Reports are coming in that young grasshoppers are appearing in several communities in the county. If it becomes necessary, supplies of material for mixing poison bait with which to combat this pest will be assembled at the Farmers Co-Op. Gin. We have a small amount of poison material on hand and more is available, if needed.

It is very important that poison be put out as soon as they appear as the hoppers are small and concentrated as they are scattered over a smaller area and better results can be had.

As a rule hoppers can be controlled if one begins in time and stays on the job persistently.

The poison bait is effective only if they eat it and they will only eat it when it is first put out and is fresh.

It should be sown thinly over the ground in the area infested and fresh material put out frequently. It dries out rapidly in this climate.

BONITA A GOOD GRAIN SORGHUM

Quite a lot of this Bonita grain sorghum was grown in this county and in this area last year.

This year we have placed small quantities of certified Bonita seed with the following 4-H Club boys: Robert Carroll, Good Creek; Thomas Lee Tاملen, Gambleville; Bill Fish, Vivian; Billy Bond, Margaret; Olen Shultz, Riverside; Fred Glover, Foard City; Rex Whitten, Rayland; H. A. White, Crowell; and Wayne Wheeler, Thalia.

This is a white seeded grain sorghum, one of three distinct types of Hegari and an important one and was bred by Roy Quinby, manager of the Chillicothe Experiment Station.

It is a cross between kafir and Chiltex, and is one quarter kafir, one quarter feterita and one-half hegari.

Bonita is a heavy producer of Loy.

forage and grain as it stools heavily. The heads are small but it makes many of them. It is soft grained and can be combined and is good feed for all livestock. It is a good drought resister and makes a hard compact head.

In some areas it has become one of the most popular grain sorghums grown. This will give us a comparative test in the county.

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2).

1. Sixty-three years old.
2. Henry J. Kaiser.
3. As a west coast ship builder.
4. Frank C. Walker.
5. Robert E. Hannegan.
6. Le Jima.
7. Orson Welles.
8. Lillian Smith.
9. Edna Ferber.
10. William Powell and Myrna Loy.

FLOUR	WASHITA BEST Good As Money Can Buy	50 lb. sack	2 ¹⁵
New Potatoes		Lb.	5 ¹ / ₂ c
GREEN BEANS		Lb.	10c
ONIONS	NEW WHITE BERMUDA	3 Pounds	25c
Oranges	CALIFORNIA SUNKIST	Dozen	29c
Lemons	CALIFORNIA SUNKIST	Dozen	23c
CATSUP	White Swan 11 oz.	19c	
K C BAKING POWDER	25c Size	19c	
Preserves	Delmonte Plum, 2 Lb Jar	45c	
SALT		3 Boxes	10c
Pumpkin	Delmonte No. 2 1/2 Can	19c	
Grape Punch		qt.	20c
SYRUP	CANE BELT Pure Sugar Cane	Gallon	79c
PURE LARD	Fresh Rendered	8 Pounds	1 ²⁰
	Bring Your Bucket		
MEAL	LIGHT CRUST	10 Lb. Sack	43c
COFFEE	ADMIRATION	1 Lb. Glass Jar	30c
Camay Soap		3 Bars	19c
W P LYE		4 Cans	25c
W P BLEACH		2 Qts.	25c
Marvene		2 Lb. Pkg	49c
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES		3 for	25c
Sweet Potatoes		No. 2 1/2 Can	25c
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SENIORS of 1945

We take this means of congratulating you upon the completion of your high school work. We are proud of you and the entire Crowell school system.

FERGESON'S DRUG STORE
RICHARD FERGESON, Owner and Manager

PLEASE OBSERVE TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

The City Council has given the responsibility of enforcing traffic regulations around the square to Pete Gobin, city marshal, and at this time wants to solicit the hearty co-operation of the motoring public in the observance of traffic laws in order that everybody may be accommodated and served to the best advantage of all concerned. In order to prevent accidents and provide space for more people to park their cars in our city, we believe it is absolutely necessary to have traffic regulations in the city and have them enforced in an honest and fair way, and we believe Mr. Gobin will do the job right. We expect to back up his judgment in the performance of his duties.

The following regulations must be observed:

No double parking without leaving some one in car who can move it and then only a responsible length of time. No turning around in the middle of the street. Turn at intersections around the post. Preserve parking space by parking cars close together. No parking in the middle of the street. No parking in cross street below old Bank of Crowell building.

Respectfully yours,
CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF CROWELL

Foard County News

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A Chinese proverb: Great men never feel great; small men never feel small.

We don't know any more about the post war world than does anyone else. Of one thing, however, we feel sure that after the war is over and the country settles down there will be a lot of people who have been drawing down big wages but who have spent as they went who will be around holding out their hand to the man who saved his money for "something to get a cup of coffee."

While there is considerable agitation against the law requiring the payment of a poll tax as a prerequisite to voting in several of the Southern states the fact remains that in the Northern states where there is no such restriction, slightly over half of the people qualified to vote, avail themselves of the privilege.

Let Us Do Your Laundry Work. Laundry work from the people of this territory is respectfully solicited. MISS VERNON LAUNDRY, VERNON, TEXAS.

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Congratulations and Best Wishes to the Class of 1945 of Crowell High School. HANEY - RASOR GROCERY. T. S. HANEY JOHN RASOR

HISTORY

Flag Day—June 14, 1777: The Continental Congress passed a resolution designating that the United States flag should consist of thirteen alternating stripes of red and white and thirteen stars on a field of blue. At that time there were but thirteen states in the Union. The story is that the first flag of this design was made by Betsy Ross at the request of General Washington. It was not until 1890 that any thought was given to the observance of flag day. During this year Professor Geo. Bolch, principal of a free kindergarten for the poor in New York City arranged for patriotic exercises to be held on June 14. The idea attracted wide attention and the state Department of Education arranged to have the day observed in all the public schools. Shortly after this the New York State Legislature passed a law providing for the observance in the public schools of the state, of Lincoln's birthday, Washington's birthday, Memorial Day and Flag Day. The State Department accordingly ordered the flag displayed on every public school building on Flag Day and that patriotic services be held. This was followed in 1897 by a proclamation by the Governor of New York that the flag be displayed on all public buildings on Flag Day. Although Flag Day is not a legal holiday in any state its observance throughout the nation has become general. In many schools programs of patriotic songs, exercises and readings are given. These usually include a pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Since it has practically disappeared from the counters of most of the meat markets the job of bringing home the bacon involves even more difficulties than in the days of the happier and easier past.

Practical missionary work: Six hundred thousand articles of clothing are being sent to the Philippines by the American Red Cross for distribution among released Americans and natives.

Anxiety About the U. S. A.

Some people are anxious about the future of the country. They can't see how employment is to be found for all the servicemen and war workers after the war stops. They think the heavy debt constitutes an almost impossible burden.

Anxiety is a natural trait of the human mind, and it has its uses. It teaches people to prepare for the future and avoid mistakes. But it can be carried too far. It would appear that some people are carrying it too far now. Of course, it is easier to tell people not to worry than it is to stop worrying oneself, particularly if people have a tendency to fear the future. There are certain facts, however, that should be kept in mind, and they give assurance for the future.

One is that the national income of the American people in 1944 was between three and four times what it was during the depth of the depression of the thirties. With the tremendous demand for new homes, new automobiles, and many more things that cannot now be produced, the national income is still going to continue heavy after the war. It may be three times what it was in the depth of the depression. So long as it continues heavy, the people can still pay heavy taxes, and be a good deal better off than they were in the worst of the depression.

The depression was a very trying period. Millions of people suffered. Yet we lived through it, and many lessons were learned on how to meet such troubles. They will not be so bad the next time, and means will be provided so that the people shall have work.

The worst thing likely to happen after the war will be that taxes will continue heavy. People may have to live more simply. They may be just as happy while doing so. We still have a grand country, and the best scientific and educational development in the world, and we shall surely meet our problems.

United Efforts

In the days before towns had business organizations, one can imagine that a great deal of hard work was done in pushing business. People worked constantly in these days. If there was a lack of success, it was not due to lack of effort. One difficulty was that business people were apt to devote their attention mostly to pushing their own business, and there was a disposition to neglect efforts to put the whole town ahead.

When communities formed business organizations, efforts to develop the home town and bring in more business for everybody became prominent. The relations between business concerns became more friendly, and people realized that they had a great deal to gain by uniting their efforts in a general move for town progress.

Home Town Thoughts

The community that is not making a real effort toward progress, is really in danger of slipping behind, since it is competing with many places that are making steady gains.

Some people may not appreciate all the effort and industry that it has taken to carry on retail trade through this wartime. It has taken very hard and incessant work to handle supplies and stocks in this period when labor and many kinds of merchandise have been scarce.

The people who win the most friends are usually the ones who are very cordial in speaking to people, and who do not stand on formality.

Apparently the guys who take cold showers every morning just do so to brag about it.

Saturday was named for Saturn.

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

This is written as the United Nations Conference is just getting under way in San Francisco. Already there are indications that there will not be complete agreement on all points. In fact the indications are that on some of the points that appear at the moment to be very real and vital there is not complete agreement.

In my opinion, when we consider that this is an effort of human beings, whose interests are widely different, it is not to be wondered at if there should be differences of opinions. One of the purposes of the conference, it seems to me, is to bring out these different opinions and desires and attempt to harmonize them or to find a middle ground by taking them over.

I have every faith that if all parties concerned in this conference will make an effort to harmonize their desires and thinking that eventually a mutuality of understanding will be arrived at, at least sufficiently so to make possible a friendly co-operation on the plan for world peace.

As I see it we cannot help but believe that if we try hard enough that the thought of all nations can be crystallized on the matter of world peace. To admit of any other possibility is to acknowledge that the combined genius of the major nations is incapable of solving their biggest problem. On its very surface this is not true since obviously we do have the genius and we do have the intelligence to work out our problems to the end that we can live together in peace and harmony.

I am not hopeful enough to believe that all of this can be accomplished at this conference, obviously, because of the problems and complications that are involved. It cannot be. We can, however, make a start. We can more clearly impress upon the minds of the delegates of the several nations the desire and the hope for world peace and an organization that will maintain it.

This, I think, is the foundation of much human action, and the secret of all human progress, in all phases of human activity. First the objective must be established. A picture of the goal must first be visualized. This should be followed by the course of action necessary to achieve this goal. We already have the desire for the goal of peace. We must now cause the people of the several nations to believe that world peace is possible and direct their thinking along the lines most likely to bring it about.

This is going to take a great deal of effort, a great deal of determined, persistent effort. It can not be done in one meeting or a dozen meetings, but whether it requires ten meetings or a hundred we should keep up the effort. We should keep on trying and working for the goal of peace.

The objective is unquestioned. It is such that it is worthy of any amount of effort that might be expended to attain it. The wars we have fought have taken a great deal of effort. Millions of persons have worked night and day to supply the necessary needs of the war machine. Is it asking too much to spend a measure of such physical and mental effort in the campaign for world peace?

By world peace, I do not mean at any price, but a peace that will stand watch in the world of tomorrow and guard it against the aggression and exploitation of the lawless, just as our civil law protects the strong and the weak alike, and gives to all an equal opportunity to live and work unafraid and undisturbed.

Legislative Sidelights (By Sen. "Cotton" Geo. Moffett)

Austin, May 12.—This session is approaching adjournment. Very likely not quite half of the 1,200 bills introduced will finally pass. Many members feel that this State has enough laws already and quote the epigram "the best governed people are the least governed people," which, of course, has considerable merit. Eighty-one proposed constitutional amendments have been introduced. Very likely by not over five or six of these will finally pass both branches. Our Constitution should be modified to keep in tune with changing conditions, but it is not as faulty as the introduction of eighty-one amendments indicates.

Probably the most important of these amendments is that one which increases the amount of money that can be paid from State funds in any one month for old age assistance to any one person from \$15 to \$20. This proposed amendment, which the people will vote upon on August 25th this year, also provides that a little additional money can be paid each month to the needy adult blind, and for dependent and neglected children. It also provides, however, that the total amount paid each year from State funds for all these purposes shall not exceed \$35,000,000, which is called a "cap." Some object to this cap; others think it proper that a limit of \$35,000,000 per year from State funds be inserted in the Constitution. The voters will decide the matter.

In the Senate there have been over 300 roll calls at this time, and there probably will be 300 more before adjournment. This includes votes on amendments to bills as well as votes on the main bill or resolution under consideration. One bill already passed, but scarcely mentioned, sets up a pro-

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The News of May 21, 1915, Martin & Kinsey, publishers. The issue of May 14 of 1915 is missing from the file:

Allee-Henry & Co. has sold to date about sixty-five binders for the taking care of the present season's wheat crop. There may be that many more sold by other dealers. There were that many sold here last year.

Cameron & Company has built a first class fence clear around its yard and added a coat of paint to the fence and buildings.

At least 1,000 hands will be required to help take care of the great Foard County wheat crop. Efforts are being made to communicate with hands at other places.

Old Veterans, both Blue and the Gray, had a great time at the dinner given by them and their wives at the Smith Hotel last Saturday. The Veterans were, G. W. Gault, C. S. Parker, G. G. McLarty, F. W. Gung, T. L. Collins, W. C. Perry, J. W. Cheek, J. W. Roark, John Wesley, R. M. Bost, J. W. Wicker, H. Keener, F. G. Ferguson, J. E. Fox, E. J. Ribbie, W. A. Wheeler, G. W. Thompson, L. H. Lawrence, J. W. Jackson, M. Bond, G. W. Gribble, A. Munroe, W. H. Adams, R. T. Williamson, J. K. Langley, G. L. Parsons, J. G. Witherspoon, E. T. Kirkman, L. K. Price and T. J. Davis.

The oldest horse that served the country in the War of Secession is still alive at the age of 53 years, and is owned by P. E. McIntosh of Horsehead, N. Y., veteran of the same war. Proof is given by the brand on the horse's hip, which reads "I. C. 1865." Horse and owner served in the same regiment.

Ben Henderson and Mark Henry have just finished putting the finishing touches on the additions to their residences. There is considerable improvement now going on in Crowell.

The piano pupils of Miss Essie Thacker will give a recital at the school auditorium Thursday evening, May 27.

One of the most destructive hail storms that has visited Foard County for a number of years came rather unexpectedly Wednesday night.

Procedure whereby a county, city or school district may buy surplus war property or equipment by ordering same through the State Board of Control, which is the State's purchasing agency. The Federal Government's policy is not to deal with, nor recognize in its selling campaign, any governmental agency smaller than a State. It desires to do business only with big units. But the bill just passed by the Texas Legislature provides a way, even though somewhat roundabout, by which smaller units of government can buy surplus war material, which is one of the most equitable ways to distribute it.

SUNNY SQUIBLET

The girls should not look so fascinating in their new spring clothes that the husbands can't be induced to stay home evenings. Many eggs are graded for \$2.00. In former years in some districts they were also graded for age, with the oldest ready to throw



Best Wishes to Graduates of 1945. We are proud of our school and the high standards it extolls. May each of us ever strive to maintain its standards as high or higher. Congratulations to the Class of 1945. CATES Parts Company

WHEAT It takes about nine months to produce a wheat crop. HAIL Can destroy it within thirty minutes or less. Let Us Write You a HAIL POLICY and Save You Worry, Suspense and A Wheat Crop. HUGHSTON INSURANCE AGENCY

at political opponents. It is sometimes possible to tell from a boy's gait, whether he is running an errand for the home folks, or going to the ball game. The world, it is said, needs more helping hands. Quite a number of helping hands can be found in jails and prisons, that helped themselves to things belonging to someone else. America is called the land of promise. Business people trying to collect old bills may say they would also like to live in a land of promise. Some people object to putting their noses to the grindstone, but many boys last fall were willing to rub them in the dirt on the football field. The cold in the head lasts only a few days, but the cold in the feet sometimes lasts many years. If the boys were required to walk over their neighbors' lawns so as to tread them down properly, some of them might not be interested in doing so. The people are warned to be careful about falls. One kind of fall that needs some special care is falling in love. People ask how to "bring a family. In former days gasoline was abundant, there was danger that some of them would bring themselves up—against a tree in an automobile accident.

It's Time To TAKE INVENTORY of YOUR CAR. It's our advice to take care of the car you drive. It will have to last a long time. We would be glad to give it a check-over. Battery Charger installed.—We have added a slow battery charger for radio batteries as well as car batteries. Bring us your batteries. KINCHELOE MOTOR COMPANY

For Sale BABY CHICKS. I am taking off Baby Chicks every TUESDAY and FRIDAY. I appreciate your patronage and want to serve you to the best of my ability. See me for Baby Chicks. I buy poultry, eggs, cream and hides. See me before you sell. I carry a full line of Kimbell's Feed, also Gained Dog Food. MOYER PRODUCE & HATCHERY

CONGRATULATIONS to the 1945 Graduates of Crowell High School. It is a pleasure to be able to greet you and offer our congratulations at this time, when you have completed an important period of your lives. Receiving a high school diploma is an accomplishment for which you may well be proud. CROWELL STATE BANK Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

LOCALS

Plenty of Scotch tape at The News office. Two sizes, 95c and \$1.25.

Mrs. George Johnson and son, George Jr., are in Unadilla, Neb., visiting Mrs. Goidy Johnson and baby son, Charles Gordon.

Mrs. Jean Reeder has gone to Camp, Crowder, Mo., for a two weeks' visit with her husband, Sgt. Ted Reeder.

Mrs. Fred Wachsmuth and son, Bobby, of Fort Worth, are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. C. McKown, this week.

Featherweight airmail stationery at The Foard County News office. 17-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ribble, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. B. Spears and family, in San Antonio, for several months, returned last week.

Mrs. Fred Carr, formerly Miss Reed Sanders, of Amarillo, spent the past week-end visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sanders.

Mrs. Dwight Campbell visited her daughter, Mrs. John E. Binnion and husband in Austin, last week. Mrs. Binnion was Miss Doris Campbell before her recent marriage.

A baby son, James Aubrey, was born to Pvt. and Mrs. M. L. Nicholson in a Fort Worth hospital, May 2nd. Mrs. Nicholson was Miss Vertie Jean Bailey before her marriage. Pvt. Nicholson is stationed in Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. G. O. McMillan and their son, O. L., left Wednesday morning for Fayette, Mo., where they will make their home. Rev. McMillan will serve as pastor of the First Christian Church there. He has been pastor of the Christian Church in Crowell for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts of Wichita Falls, former residents of the Margaret community, spent a week-end in that community visiting relatives and friends. They are accompanied by Mrs. John Wiley, who also visited relatives, Margaret.

Lem Roberts of Amistad, N. M., is here visiting relatives and friends.

J. Y. Welch and R. L. Taylor spent last week-end in McKinney visiting relatives.

S. S. Bell, Bert Self and Jim Cook attended a Shrine banquet at George Zellos' cafe in Vernon Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cates have returned from a visit with their son, Roy Joe Cates, who is a student of TCU in Fort Worth. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Greenleese in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis McKinley of Thalia are the parents of a 7 lb., 11 oz. baby born at McFarland Gamble, born in a Vernon hospital on May 5. Mrs. McKinley was formerly Miss Beatrice Gamble, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Gamble of Thalia. This baby is the first boy in either family for 23 years.

Mrs. W. C. Buck has returned to her home in Savoy after a two-months' visit in the homes of her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Knox, in the homes of three sons, Bill, Jack and Earl Norman, in West Texas. She was accompanied home by another daughter, whom she also visited, Mrs. J. S. Richardson, of Paducah, who visited in Savoy and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harwell, of Lawton, Okla., their son, Pfc. Harry Harwell, who has recently been released from a German prison camp, their daughter, Mrs. Francis Todd and husband, of Chillicothe and Miss Mary Frances Green of Quanah, spent Sunday in the home of Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick and W. F. Kirkpatrick.

Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark had all their children as guests in the home over the week-end; Mrs. Leonard Male of New Orleans, La., Mrs. J. C. Cumley and son, James Hines, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Clark of Galveston, Major Dan H. Clark, Mrs. Clark and their two little daughters, Paula and Diana, of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Dan H. Clark and children have been visiting in South Texas for several weeks and Major Clark came for a short visit and accompanied them home.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Electric brooder, 315 chick capacity.—Mrs. Ruth Tate. 45-1tp

LOST—Small green purse with snap on it containing \$10 bill.—Verge Allen. 45-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Donaldson and children of Tahoka visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts. They were en route home from Altus, Okla., where they had visited in the home of Mrs. Donaldson's and N. J. Roberts' sister, Mrs. Monte Linecum and family.

Vet Information Is Released Here

Information has been received by the office of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, 1613 Pease Street, Vernon, clarifying the rights of veterans in filing for readjustment allowance, W. C. Albright announced here Wednesday. It has been reported that in some cases erroneous information has been received by veterans, leaving them to believe that even though they are physically unable to work, they are eligible for readjustment allowances.

The Veterans Administration refers them to the law stating that in order to be deemed eligible for allowances during a period of continuous unemployment, the claimant must be able to work on the effective date of his first claim.

The following statement has been issued:

"As a corollary to the law, it is clear that if a veteran claimant's period of unemployment is interrupted by a period of employment, he must be able to work at the time he files an additional claim or otherwise reopens his claim.

"Although the veteran must be able to work at the time the initial claim is filed he will not be considered ineligible during any period after the initial claim if he becomes disabled or ill during his claim series.

In order to be eligible for readjustment allowances a veteran must have been discharged or released from active duty under conditions other than dishonorable after ninety days or more of active duty, or by reason of an injury or disability incurred in line of duty, and must have served after September 16, 1940, and prior to the termination of the war."

Season of Year When Undulant Fever May Be Expected

Austin.—This is the season when an increase of undulant fever may be expected, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

An undulant fever patient suffers from chilly sensations, or severe shaking chills, sweats and high fever. The patient loses weight and becomes weak. If the illness is of mild type, the patient may find it hard to remain in bed, but if he tries to keep on with his work he finds he has not sufficient energy.

Symptoms often continue for a number of weeks before recovery occurs. Fortunately undulant fever has a low death rate. Body temperature may reach a higher mark each day than the day before for some time, and then gradually return to normal over a period of several days. Fever may be absent for some days and come back again in the same way as before, registering higher each day and then gradually going lower. The patient's temperature chart will resemble smooth waves or undulations. The appearance of the temperature curve in typical cases has given this disease the name undulant fever.

Undulant fever is one of the infectious diseases known to be transmitted from animals to human beings. In hogs and cows, the germ produces a great economic loss because it causes contagious abortion. When this same germ invades the human body, the resulting disease is undulant fever. Prevention is dependent upon (1) eradication of the disease in farm animals, (2) careful pasteurization of dairy products, and (3) avoidance, in so far as possible, of direct contact with infected animals.

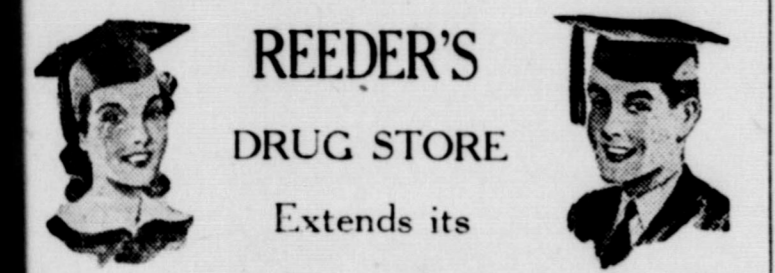
PREVENTING CATTLE BLOAT

Feeding hay to cattle before turning them on pasture often has been recommended as a safeguard against bloat. Reduced to simple terms, says G. G. Gibson, dairy husbandman for the A. & M. College Extension Service, cattle bloat when they fail to burp after eating their fill. Experiments have shown that the rough fibrous material in feed stimulates muscular activity in the walls of the stomach. Contraction of the walls serves to move the contents about so that unchewed portions of the feed can be raised to the mouth and ground into small pieces. The burp is outward evidence that the muscular contractions are working. Failure of the contractions result in bloat.

Feeding hay is a means of getting the necessary coarse material into an animal's stomach. Straw is not as effective, probably because cows do not like it as well as hay and therefore do not eat as much, Gibson says.

Cattle seldom bloat when they are on feeds high in fiber, he explains. It is possible to grind hay so fine that there is no scratchy action on the walls of the stomach to cause bloat. But when cattle on pasture fill up on the tender tops of good clover or alfalfa, which are low in fiber, bloat will occur.

There is less likelihood of bloat in pastures containing a fair amount of grass along with legumes. During experimental work, cases of bloat were noted which could not be explained on the basis of the amount of fiber,



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CROWELL GIRL HONORED

Miss Naomi Teal, daughter of J. M. Teal of Crowell, is one of 116 women students at Texas Tech College, who were honored in the fourteenth annual Women's Recognition Service on the campus May 8. Selections are made by a faculty committee, based on scholarship and outstanding qualities of leadership.

Miss Teal was cited for membership in the Freshman Honor society and for maintaining an A minus average in all college work.

Will you hold a FAT-SALVAGE BEE for your country?



HERE IN AMERICA, when a neighbor needs help, it has always been the custom for all the folks to pitch in and give him a hand. Many a harvest would have been lost without the help of a husking bee.

YOUR COUNTRY NEEDS a fat-salvage bee right now! Millions of tons of fat have been used up to supply the thousands of battlefield and home-front needs in this war. And there's still a lot of war ahead!

A PLEA TO EVERY WOMAN! Our country is calling on you, the women in small cities and towns and on the farms, to save every drop of used fat. Your used fats are desperately needed to meet our country's requirements.

So scrape all pans and roasters. Skim soups and gravies. Keep your used fats in a tin can—any kind will do. Save meat trimmings and plate scrapings in a bowl; melt them down and add the liquid fat to your can.

When the salvage can is full, take it to your butcher. He'll give you 2 red points and up to four cents for every pound. If you have any difficulty turning in your used fats, call your Home Demonstration or County Agent.

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Washington News

By Congressman Ed Gossett, 13th District, Texas.

Washington, D. C. May 5.—During this week of dramatic and sensational news from all parts of the world the House of Representatives has been hard at work on important matters affecting the future economic and political security of this country.

The House Ways and Means Committee has been in constant session debating the Bretton Woods agreement which has to do with the control of international currency and the financial dealings between nations. The House Banking and Currency Committee has been at work for weeks on the problem of reciprocal trade treaties, which was former Secretary of State Hull's substitute for the log-rolling tariff fights of years gone by, and involves the whole problem of trade and commerce between nations.

The first thing done in the House this week was the passage of a resolution for American adherence to the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization. This organization was born two years ago at the Hot Springs, Virginia International Food Conference, presided over by a former Texas Congressman, now Food Administrator, Marvin Jones. The over-all purpose of this organization is to be a clearing house for facts, figures, and ideas. All nations bear a proportionate part of the cost. Our part will not run over a million dollars a year.

This week the House has been debating the Summers Resolution to amend the Constitution as to treaty making. Many of us contend the present requirement of a two-thirds vote in the Senate to ratify treaties has been destructive to American participation in international affairs. It kept us out of the League of Nations, it kept us from joining the World Court, it destroyed many useful treaties of arbitration and in effect has allowed the foreign policy of this country to be controlled by one-third of the U. S. Senate.

May 3 was Polish Constitution Day. The House set aside an hour and a half for speech-making in commemoration of the 154th anniversary of the adoption of the Polish constitution. In the United States we have more than three million people of Polish descent. In the Congress there are nine Polish members, from the states of Connecticut, Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan.

It is to be hoped the Polish question does not disrupt the efforts of the United Nations to set up a world organization for the prevention of war. The racial minorities of this country should remember they are first, Americans.

I was this week chosen chairman of a sub-committee on war prisoners. The purpose of this committee is to see that war prisoners now in this country are promptly returned to their own nations after the war and that none remain here to become permanent residents.

For several years a fight has been going on in Congress to repeal the so-called land grant railroad rates. In the early days the United States government gave certain railroads nearly 130 million acres of public land. Texas gave 33 million acres of State land, and other states contributed an additional 15 million acres. As a result of these contributions, 27 railroads are now required to haul government property at one-half the established rates. During this debate I made a speech insisting that while rates were being discussed we should require the removal of discriminatory freight rates from which the Southwest has long suffered.

One German hero who is apparently coming through this war with an untarnished reputation is the old sea dog of World War I, Count von Luckner. His home city is the only large city of the Reich not seriously damaged by the war. Credit for its comparative escape is said to be due the Count, who interceded with the Americans and surrendered the town. Although Count von Luckner sank dozens of Allied ships in World War I, it is his proud boast that no lives were lost, and that during his famed career he never so much as killed a cat. This is certainly something of a record for a warrior who wears all the decorations his country confers. It is to be hoped that enough of his kind are left in Hitler's mad domain to plant the seeds of sane living in the despicable ruins of Nazidom.

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

The just, though they hate evil, yet give men a patient hearing; hoping that they will show proofs that they are not evil.—Sir P. Sidney.

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.—Simms.

Justice discards party, friendship, and kindred, and is therefore represented as blind.—Addison.

Children have neither a past nor a future. Thus they enjoy the present,—which seldom happens to us.—Bruyere.

Who fears injustice; who shrinks before a slight; who has a sense of wrong so acute, and so glowing a gratitude for kindness, as a generous boy?—Thackeray.

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big—and the cost is staggering.

So of course our job is big. But we can do it if you and every other patriotic American in this city buys a BIGGER bond than before—or invests a BIGGER portion of income in War Bonds now!

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By this time last year, you had already subscribed in two War

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ate from Brady, who holds the DFC and some 16 clusters for his air medal. Wainwright's latest exploit came when he peeled off from a flight of 12 bombers over Leipzig, got two direct hits on a German fuel storage depot and wiped out before other pilots had a chance.

Marine Lt. W. Frank Goff of Wichita Falls didn't allow rugged business on his first combat mission to hamper him at Okinawa. As he took off, the Japs shelled the airport, two Jap planes strafed his ship and American batteries cut loose with ack-ack. Goff dodged all of these, got into the air, chased one of the strafing planes ten miles and shot the son of a Nippon down in flames.

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INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

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FOR SALE—A few good feed sacks, 5c each.—G. R. Webster. 45-1tc

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine. May be seen at City Hotel.—Ernest Breedlove. 44-1tc

FOR SALE—6 bushels 2-year cotton seed, Conrads of San Marcos.—Carl Zeibig. 45-1tp

FOR SALE—Five-room modern house, good cistern, good dug-out.—E. B. Ford. 44-3tp

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FOR SALE—5-piece bed room suite; 1 iron bedstead; mattress and coil springs; 1 dressing table; some window drops; bedspreads; odd dishes and kitchen supplies; 1 home-made electric chick brooder and some feeders and drinkers.—Mrs. Waneta Faughn, Rayland, next door to Baptist Church. 45-1tc

FOR SALE. The Crowell Independent School District offers for sale the following described real estate known as the old school building site in West Crowell.

All of Block 29, Orig. Town of Crowell, South one-half Block 30, Orig. Town of Crowell. Property is clear of taxes, but no abstract will be furnished, however, same can be secured for nominal amount. Sealed bids will be received by L. A. Andrews, secretary, up to noon Saturday, May 26, 1945, but the School reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. W. BRUCE, President Board of Trustees, Crowell Ind. School District. 45-2tc

Wanted. WANTED—Man and wife to help through harvest. House furnished.—Ed M. Cates, Thalia, Texas. 45-2tp

WANTED—Experienced and dependable man with wife or small family for year-round farm job. Good house furnished, monthly wage or will rent share crop and live at going wage to do plowing and general farm work.—E. G. Moran, Rt. 2, Crowell. 45-2tp

Lost. LOST—3 keys tied with string. One key numbered 273.—Jimmie Franklin. 45-1tp

LOST—Hand-made Indian silver bracelet. Finder please return to Bettie Guthrie. 45-1tc

WANTED—Highest prices paid for dry bones, scrap iron and metals delivered to Vernon.—Vernon Junk Co., Vernon, Texas. 44-4tc

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Notice. NOTICE—Stray red steer at my place.—J. E. Doss, Thalia, Texas. 4-2tp

NOTICE—I will continue to buy your livestock. See me if you have any to sell.—Jim Cook. 41-1tc

TERRACING—I will be terracing for Government money. See me about your terracing needs.—Howard Dunn, 708F11. 41-1tc

HOUSEHOLD HINTS. Pork or ham dishes.—Any of the following dishes may be served with pork or ham: Pickled pear, peaches, onions or bean mustard pickles, chow-chow, cur-

CHURCHES

Rayland Baptist Church. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 8:30. Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

D. R. PHILLEY, Pastor. Foard City Church. Sunday School every Sunday. Preaching every first and third Sunday by Rev. George Smith, Baptist pastor.

Preaching every fourth Sunday by Rev. D. A. Ross, Methodist pastor. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services each Sunday.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Time of Masses: October-April (inclusive). 1st Sunday at 11:00. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00. 1st-September (inclusive) 1st Sunday at 10:30. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 8:00.

Truscott and Gilliland Baptist Churches. Preaching services are held at Gilliland on the first and third Sundays, and at Truscott on the second and fourth Sundays. A most cordial welcome is extended to all. Delightful Christian fellowship.

J. W. ENGLISH, Pastor. Stated Meeting of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., May 14, 8 p. m. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

Work in the E. A. and F. C. Degrees. LESLIE THOMAS, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Kenneth S. Wuest, Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. The Need of Confession. Text: "He that is washed needeth not save to wash his feet, but is clean every whit" (John 13:10).

The Lord Jesus is teaching Christians a lesson here. He is teaching that if sin enters our lives, we should confess it, put it away, and be cleansed from its defilement.

The expression, "He that is washed" is very full and rich in the original text: "He that has been bathed all over perfectly, is bathed." That person, says Jesus, needs only to wash his feet.

The Lord Jesus is using an illustration taken from oriental life. The Roman government built public baths in its cities. A Roman would leave his home, go to the public bath, bathe completely, and go home through the dusty streets. When he reached home, his feet would be covered with dust, and he would have his servant wash them. He was completely bathed at the public bath, and stayed bathed until he arrived home; only his feet needed to be washed.

So it is with a Christian. When he puts his faith in the Lord Jesus as his Saviour from sin, he is bathed completely in the fountain filled with blood that was drawn from Immanuel's veins.

Children need models more than they need critics.—Joseph Joubert.

No Trespassing

TRESPASS NOTICE. Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community known as the Harris place, and my place north of Crowell, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 4-1tc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 4-1tc

Revival Meeting to Start May 20

Everyone is invited to attend the revival at the Assembly of God Church beginning Sunday, May 20, with Mary A. Gray, evangelist, doing the preaching. She is closing out a meeting in Quanah this week.

Some of her messages will be acted out by our young people. See and hear the program, "Dreamed I Searched in Heaven for You."

We wish to thank our many friends of Crowell for the help you have given us in enlarging our church building.

Attend the revival if possible. Warren Everson, Pastor

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The limitation order restricting the sale of new Royal typewriters since March, 1942, has been revoked, and it is no longer necessary to secure authority from the War Production Board to purchase a new Royal Typewriter.

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Your Horoscope

May 15, 16, 17.—You are a leader in whatever line you follow, so it is advisable to be careful of your habits, as those closely associated with you are very likely to be influenced. You have a careful, well balanced mind, much executive ability, and show excellent judgment. You look very much to your own benefits and take pride in the things you accomplish.

May 18, 19, 20.—You are fond of music and art. Being of a sociable nature and like to entertain, you like to have social clubs and societies meet at your house. You are apt to be very sour and bitter if some one tries to crowd you down from the head of the class. You often show a very fiery temper and are quite impractical, so that it is often difficult to know just how you will receive a suggestion or needed advice.

He is cleansed from all his sins and made whiter than snow. Not only are his sins gone, but he stands uncondemned, guiltless, and righteous before God's law. This is his standing, and this standing remains perfect and unchanged for time and eternity. The Christian stays bathed.

But just as that Roman's feet became dusty, so the life of a Christian sometimes becomes defiled by sin. The feet speak of our walk, the kind of life we live. The Roman did not go back to the public bath just because his feet became dusty. The Christian does not need to get saved all over again when sin enters his life. He must confess that sin to the Lord Jesus, and put it out of his life. Then the Lord Jesus will cleanse away the defilement by His precious blood, and the Christian is restored to fellowship with his Lord.

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us

Text: "He that is washed needeth not save to wash his feet, but is clean every whit" (John 13:10).

The Lord Jesus is teaching Christians a lesson here. He is teaching that if sin enters our lives, we should confess it, put it away, and be cleansed from its defilement.

The expression, "He that is washed" is very full and rich in the original text: "He that has been bathed all over perfectly, is bathed." That person, says Jesus, needs only to wash his feet.

The Lord Jesus is using an illustration taken from oriental life. The Roman government built public baths in its cities. A Roman would leave his home, go to the public bath, bathe completely, and go home through the dusty streets. When he reached home, his feet would be covered with dust, and he would have his servant wash them. He was completely bathed at the public bath, and stayed bathed until he arrived home; only his feet needed to be washed.

So it is with a Christian. When he puts his faith in the Lord Jesus as his Saviour from sin, he is bathed completely in the fountain filled with blood that was drawn from Immanuel's veins.

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Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Fred Carr Friday, May 11

Mrs. Fred Carr of Amarillo was named honor guest at a delightful miscellaneous bridal shower Friday afternoon, May 11, when Mrs. Howard Lee Black and Misses Margaret Claire Shirley, Virginia Thomas, Jean Orr and Iva Ruth Gafford were hostesses at the Adelphi Club house.

Attractive colonial bouquets of flowers in pastel shades were placed in the reception rooms. The bridal motif was also in evidence in the decoration of the rooms.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Black and presented to Mrs. A. R. Sanders, mother of the bride. Mrs. Carr and Miss Gafford, who formed the receiving line. Miss Shirley secured the signatures of the guests in a pretty bride's book, before they were seated for a pleasing program. Miss Sharon Haney sang, "You Belong to My Heart." She was accompanied by Mrs. T. S. Haney, her mother. Mrs. Moody Bursey entertained with a humorous reading. Mrs. Henry Reinhardt and Miss Mayme Lee Collins presented a clever skit, which was a farce on the new life of a homemaker.

Jean Hughton, carrying a pretty little parasol, filled with gift packages, invited the honoree into the dining room and into the

gift room where the many beautiful gifts were on display.

The dining room decorations accorded with those of the living room. A large arrangement of multi-colored flowers, in a low container, centered the table where punch was served by Misses Thomas, Shirley and Orr. Dainty sandwiches, cookies, tarts and blanched nuts were served from the table.

Incidental piano numbers were played during the tea hours by Mrs. Woodrow Lemons. Mrs. Carr responded to the compliment of her friends with appropriate words of thanks.

Columbian Club Hostess to Crowell Mothers

On Wednesday, May 9th, the Columbian Club was hostess to the mothers of Crowell for a delightful Mother's Day program at the First Baptist Church. It has been an annual custom for many years for the Columbian Club to pay tribute to the mothers and the custom has given pleasure to both guests and hostesses.

The program was introduced by Mrs. T. L. Hughton in a beautiful welcome address so graciously given as to create an atmosphere of love and reverence. The daily troubles were forgotten to the extent that mother love and care were the uppermost thoughts.

Mrs. Otis Strickland followed with a beautiful piano solo. The address of the afternoon was de-

livered by Rev. Otis Strickland, pastor of the Baptist Church. It was a message of love and appreciation of all mothers and the address touched the hearts of the audience and the hallowed memories of childhood and reverence and devotion to mothers were reflected throughout.

Favorite songs were led by Mrs. Charlie Thompson with Mrs. Strickland playing piano accompaniment. The songs also reflected the love and devotion to mothers which prompted the entire meeting.

Rev. G. O. McMillan, pastor of the First Christian Church, gave the opening prayer and Rev. R. S. Watkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, pronounced the benediction.

A social hour was enjoyed, after the program. The club served punch. Flowers were arranged throughout the lovely church auditorium. The beautiful tributes to Mother, expressed by so many, were left as permanent reminders.

Reception Honors Rev. McMillan and Family Tuesday Night

Rev. G. O. McMillan and his wife and son, who left Wednesday to make their home in Fayette, Mo., were given a farewell reception at the Baptist Church Tuesday night. Rev. McMillan has served as pastor of the First Christian Church for the past two years and he and his estimable family have endeared themselves to the citizens of Crowell.

Rev. R. S. Watkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, was master of ceremonies. Rev. Otis Strickland, pastor of the First Baptist Church, spoke of the fellowship between this man and the towns people, and spoke the sentiments of those present when he said that they regretted to lose him and his family.

John E. Long talked of the church ties that have been formed during the time Rev. McMillan has served here. A recreation period was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

TRUSCOTT H. D. CLUB

The Truscott Home Demonstration Club met in regular session Thursday, May 10, in the home of Mrs. George Brown. Mrs. H. P. Gillespie called the meeting to order and the club prayer and pledge were given in unison. Mrs. J. E. Stover gave a report of the last council meeting held at Benjamin.

Following the business session, Miss Lucille King, Knox County Home Demonstration Agent, discussed the "G. I. Bill of Rights." She then explained block-printing stenciling. Members spent the remainder of the afternoon stenciling pretty curtains, scarves, towels and lunch cloths.

The next meeting will be on May 24, in the basement of the Baptist Church. The demonstration will be a "Cooker Clinic."

This busy day: Calling a friend Sunday who lives in the country, to wish her a happy birthday, the town friends received this reply: "I'm having a lovely one. I got up at the crack of dawn, got breakfast, did the chores, baked myself a birthday cake and now I am getting dinner for 12!"

Food, Home Notes

(By Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Home Demonstration Agent.)

SUGAR RATION FOR SWEET SPREADS

Foresighted home canners who intend to make sweet spreads this year are checking favorite recipes and planning ahead how sweet to spread out the 5-pound-per-person ration sugar allowed for sweet spreads and relishes. Fruit sweets make appetizing spreads for bread, especially when table fats are scarce, and pickles and relishes add zest to meals needing a flavor lift.

To conserve the most fruit, families may choose to forego sweet spreads and use the sugar for sugar pie used. A pound of sugar will make about 3 pints of butter.

If the entire 5-pound allowance is used for sweet spreads, it should be possible to make from 20 to 40 average-sized jelly glasses. Yields vary with type of spread, method of cooking, and whether or not sugar stretchers are used.

Fruit butters are the most economical of the sweet spreads, requiring only half as much sugar as fruit pie used. A pound of sugar will make about 3 pints of butter. In jam and preserve recipes that ordinarily call for equal parts of sugar and fruit, the proportion can satisfactorily be cut to 3/4 as much sugar. With this proportion, 1 pound of sugar will make around 1 1/2 to 2 pints, or 4 to 6 jelly glasses of jam.

For jellies, a pound of sugar made up with a pint of fruit juice yields on the average 1 1/2 pints, which would fill about 4 glasses. When jelly recipes call for 3/4 to 1 part sugar for every part by measure of fruit juice, use the smaller proportion of sugar. Jelly-making is a delicate art, and tinkering with jelly recipes by any but experienced jelly makers is unwise. Failure may mean loss of precious sugar.

To stretch sugar and increase yields, honey may replace up to 1/2 the sugar in jams or preserves. Corn syrup may replace up to 1/4 the sugar in jams, and 1/2 the sugar in preserves. Spreads made partly with honey will be as sweet as those using all sugar, those with corn syrup, slightly less sweet.

Sweet pickles and relishes often take as much sugar as spreads. However, some pickles take only a little sugar. Others, such as dills and sauerkraut, take none.

KEEPING SHRUBS HEALTHY IS YEAR-ROUND JOB

It is well for home-owners interested in the landscaping problems of their homes to bear in mind that keeping their shrubs healthy and attractive is a year-around job, and though winter is the time to give the shrubbery a general pruning, several prunings may also be needed during the growing season. After shrubs bloom early in the spring they should be cut back immediately.

WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met April 25 in the home of Mrs. Henry Ross. The members and one visitor answered roll call with "How to care for the sick at home."

The following program was given: Mrs. Herman Kinchele talked on "Tuberculosis as a Public Health Program," and "Malaria has become a Serious Health Problem." Mrs. W. A. Cogdell discussed "Wonder Drug, Trives on Farm Diet." Mrs. Charlie Bryson talked on "Whooping Cough can be Prevented" and Mrs. J. C. Prosser discussed "Sick-a-bed Fun."

Mrs. Ed Norris and Mrs. Herman Kinchele were given surprise birthday gifts by the club members. Delicious refreshments were served.

The West Side Club met again on May 5 in the home of Mrs. S. E. Tate with ten members present and the following guests, Mrs. W. B. Griffin, Mrs. Garland Foster and little daughter, Helen Fay, and Grandma Norris.

Roll call was answered with "Problems I Have in Making My Dress Fit." Mrs. Charlie Bryson gave, as a part of the program, "Quick Revivers." Mrs. Madge Johnson gave a humorous reading entitled "A Dress Form-making Bee." As the demonstration, Miss Elizabeth Elliott, Foard County Home Demonstration Agent, made a dress form for Mrs. Garland Foster. Birthday showers were given for the following members: Mrs. Oscar Gentry, Mrs. Henry Ross and Mrs. Madge Johnson, each receiving a basket of lovely gifts.

A refreshment plate of homemade ice cream and brownies was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. E. Norris on May 23.

so that they may begin to form flower buds for the next spring.

Shrubs and trees neglected during the winter may be pruned until the middle of July. However, heavy pruning during the summer, which produces an abundance of new growth late in the year, is dangerous. Suckers on tree trunks should be cut off, and if a second crop of flowers is desired from crepe myrtle, vites, and other late blooming plants, the flower tips should be cut off, and removed before seeds are formed. When summer flowers such as petunias grow into unattractive forms they may be cut back. New growth will bloom before frost. Some kinds of pruning may be done any time during the year. Dead limbs, diseased limbs, limbs that rub and injure each other should be removed regardless of season.

Several rules should be kept in mind when pruning. For example: Plan all large cuts before taking off any small limbs, use sharp tools, and leave no stubs as all cuts should be sharp and clean. Cut all dead, dying, diseased or injured limbs first. Prune roots with a spade, by thrusting the spade into the ground to a depth of 8 to 14 inches. Clip the roots, and repack the soil.

Shrub beds need cultivation, too. Keep the whole bed worked and not just around the shrub. Stirring the top soil will provide somewhat of a mulch and prevent soil packing. A layer of gin waste or straw over shrub beds provide a good mulch to hold in moisture as well as to require less frequent cultivation. This means much as a labor and time saver. It can gradually be worked into the soil to loosen it and provides a small amount of fertilizer value also. A good "growing soil" is as attractive as the plants grown on it.

ROTARY CLUB

The program for the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon was rendered by Mrs. Virgil Smith, soloist, and Mrs. Moody Bursey, reader, with T. B. Klepper as program chairman. For the first number Mrs. Smith sang "My Buddy," with Mrs. William Ricks as accompanist, which was followed by a humorous reading, "Hats," by Mrs. Bursey. Mrs. Smith then sang "Dream a Little Dream of Me."

News Commentator Jack Seale gave his comments on the war news and other items of interest. He also read a very interesting letter to the Crowell Rotary Club from the Rotary Club of Croydon, England.

The meeting was closed with Mrs. Smith singing "Into Each Life Some Rain Must Fall," accompanied by Mrs. Ricks.

John S. Ray, charter member of the club, is critically ill in a Vernon hospital.

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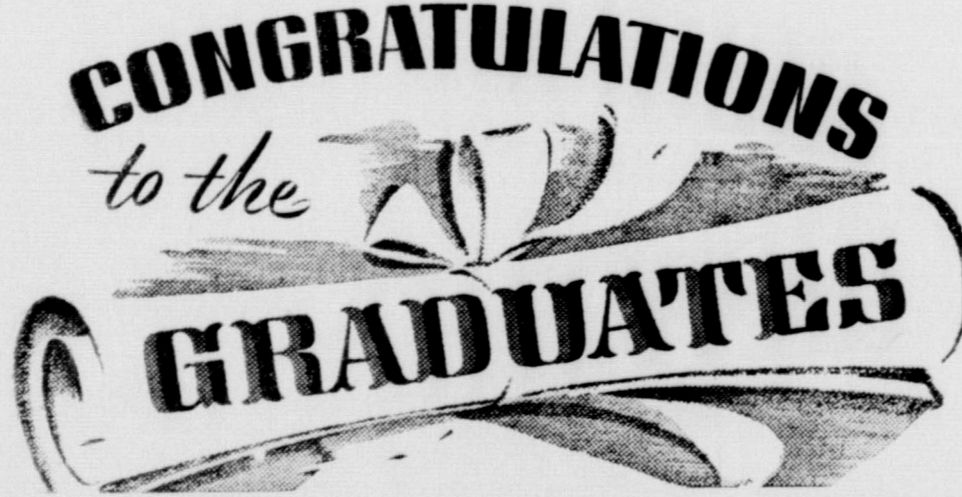


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