

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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SERVICE

Design Paul Vecera, son of Mr. Mrs. Tom Vecera, who has been stationed in Washington, D. C. for four months, has recently transferred to the Bermuda Islands.

Charlie Durham is here on furlough visiting his wife and children. He will report to Fort Ord, Calif., at the end of his furlough.

Alton Griffin, son of Mr. Mrs. W. B. Griffin, left Wednesday afternoon for Fort Ord, after visiting here for five days.

Lieut. Mike Bird received discharge at Fort Sam Houston on Feb. 1, and arrived at home last Friday. He will be employed in the dry goods store of father, D. N. Bird.

Edward S. Benham, F-1-C, read his discharge from the Navy February 15, after having spent months in the Philippines. Mrs. Benham are now visiting relatives in Crowell and in Pampa.

Otis B. Cavin arrived in Crowell from the Pacific coast and is now at Fort Sam Houston to receive his discharge. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cavin, expect him to arrive at home Friday or Saturday.

Sgt. Bob Gobin called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gobin, in Switzerland Wednesday evening. He stated the snow was deep.

Sgt. L. G. Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Simmons, was discharged from the Army at Ft. Houston last month and arrived home Jan. 26. He served two years in the Pacific with engineering construction companies which operated in New Guinea, Philippines and Japan. He remained in Crowell during his absence. L. G. has bought a home in the west part of town.

W. F. Owens, son of George Owens, and grandson of Mrs. Owens of Crowell, is here on furlough from the Army. He is here to visit his grandmother and relatives. He was discharged from the Army on Feb. 5. He received basic training at Ft. Benning, Ga. He was assigned to the Paratroopers and served in Central Germany and at the end of the war, was given national duty in Berlin. He left this week to enter the University of Wichita at Wichita, Kan., and will major in aeronautical engineering.

All-Star Basketball Tournament Set for March 14-16

All-Star basketball tournament will be held in the school gymnasium on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 14, 15 and 16, it was announced here Saturday. The all-star annual tournament discontinued during the war, Thalia fans have decided to resume holding of the tournament each year. Participants in the tournament consist of all-star teams and so many men released and some from the service, it is estimated that a large number of teams will be available. Will Wisdom, manager, said Saturday.

Brother-in-Law T. L. Hughston Dies in Ludlow, Ky.

L. Miller, brother-in-law of T. L. Hughston, passed away at home in Ludlow, Ky., Wednesday morning, according to a message received by Mr. Hughston. Mr. Miller was Miss Bird's father before her marriage to Ludlow. The couple had visited in the Hughston home here.

Approvals Must Be Obtained for Contour Farming

To qualify for payment for any soil and water conservation practice under the 1946 Agricultural Conservation program, it will be necessary for the producer to obtain a written approval from the County AAA office before the practice is started. It was announced again this week by J. V. Sheppard, administrative officer. "It is very necessary that all producers who plan to do any contour farming of row crops, or deep planting of sandy cropland who have not gotten their approval for 1946, to do so before they begin to seed their 1946 row crop or begin deep planting," Mr. Sheppard said.



BEATING THE HOUSING SHORTAGE . . . Frank Smith, Harold McLain and Harry Newcomb, left to right, show how they beat the Los Angeles housing shortage. They pitched their canvas atop a bus depot garage. Their traveling job took them to Los Angeles for three weeks and unable to secure reservations they brought their own tent from San Francisco.

Tenant Purchase Farmers Have Annual Meeting

The Tenant Purchase borrowers of the Farm Security Administration met Tuesday, Feb. 17, in the basement of the Crowell Methodist Church for their annual meeting. Fourteen of the sixteen families were present at the meeting and the Farm Security Supervisors, Julian Wright, Cecil Flynn and Aubrey W. Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor of the Rayland community were present even though they had repaid their loan to the Farm Security Administration. In 1942, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor borrowed money to purchase a 100-acre farm. This loan could run for forty years at 3 per cent interest. By careful planning and good management they were able to pay this loan in full in three years' time. They increased their net worth about \$7,500.00 during this time. The principal sources of income on the Taylor farm were hogs, sweet potatoes and cotton. They are the first family in Foard County to pay their loan in full. Their record is an unusual one for a farm of that size. During 1945, eleven of the sixteen families paid \$1,000.00 or more on their farms. In the five years that the Tenant Purchase program has operated in Foard County, sixteen farms have been purchased at an average cost of \$10,123.00 with an average scheduled payment of about \$438.00 per year. At present these borrowers have an average of five payments ahead on their schedules. They make their payments according to the net income of the farm—the variable payment plan. This enables them to build up a reserve on payments to take care of the hard years, if they should come.

PTA Choral Club Will Appear on Radio Program

The Crowell Parent Teacher Choral Club has been invited by the Vernon City Council of Parent Teacher Associations to present a program over KVWC at Vernon Saturday morning, March 2, at 10:30 o'clock. The club, under the direction of Mrs. Grady Magee, is now in rehearsal for the 15-minute program and it is hoped that those who can will tune in at that time. Mrs. Van Browning, president of the Crowell unit, will introduce the Choral Club and, as the day is Texas' Independence Day, Mrs. Magee will give a short appropriate salute to the day. Several Texas songs will also be on the scheduled program.

Sectional Fellowship Meeting to Be Held Here March 5th

A sectional fellowship meeting consisting of the Wichita Falls section will be held at the Assembly of God Church on Tuesday, March 5th. The meeting will start at 10:30 o'clock with a preaching service. H. M. Savage, presbyter of this section will be in charge of the day's program. A basket lunch will be served in the basement of the Baptist Church at noon. Everybody is asked to bring a basket. Afternoon service will be held at the Assembly of God Church at 2 o'clock. The young people's service, Christ Ambassadors, will be held in the evening, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital Patients In: Mrs. James Young and infant daughter Miss Larue Scott Patients Dismissed: Mrs. A. W. Spears Mrs. Tom Lee E. D. Howard Mattie May Jones (col) Baby Mary Booker (col)

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Revival Begins at Baptist Church in Thalia Friday Night

The spring revival at the Thalia Baptist Church will begin Friday night, March 1, it was announced here Monday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Hudson. Services will begin at 7 p. m. each evening, with the inter-mediate, young people and adults meeting in the basement for prayer services. The primaries and juniors will meet with the pastor in the junior choir in the main auditorium. Combined services for all will begin at 7:30 in the main auditorium. The pastor will do the preaching in this revival and G. B. Neill, music director for the church, will lead the singing. Good results are expected from these services and everybody is cordially invited to attend. The pastor urges "everybody to pray for the meeting, attend each service and bring your friends with you."

Deadline on Cotton Crop Insurance Is Saturday, April 25

Applications for Federal Cotton Crop Insurance must be signed before the crop is planted, A. W. Barker, chairman of the County ACA Committee, pointed out this week. In Foard County the deadline for obtaining insurance on the 1946 crop is April 25, 1946, the ACA official explained, but he emphasized that the applications must be made before the crop is seeded. The insurance covers all unavoidable risks, he continued, such as hail, drought, floods, excessive rains, insects, diseases, wind, frost, snow, wild life, hurricanes and tornadoes, but it does not protect against avoidable losses such as negligence, damage to quality, or failure to prepare land, plant or cultivate according to good practices.

Fun Night Will be Sponsored by Crowell PTA Unit March 15

The Crowell Parent Teacher Association will sponsor a "Fun Night" on Friday night, March 15, at the High School gym. Mrs. Grady Magee is chairman for the project and Mrs. Verne Walden and Leo Purvis, High School principal, are serving on the committee with her. The purpose of the event is to raise funds to assist the Senior Class in having a Senior trip at the close of the school term. Many forms of entertainment and amusement will be provided for the occasion and refreshments of sandwiches and cold drinks will be offered for a nominal sum. Those in charge of the affair urge that everyone will attend and co-operate in helping the Senior class have its annual trip.

T. P. Reeder Buys Brick Building on North Side of Square

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Despite the shortage of most all kinds of building material, many new apartments and houses have been completed during the latter part of 1945 and the first two months of 1946. The progress made in providing living quarters for many families has greatly relieved the housing shortage, still there are calls almost every day from people who are looking for apartments and houses to rent. According to a survey made this week, 35 or 40 living quarters have been provided in Crowell and the nearby vicinity in the past five or six months. It is difficult to get a complete list, but the following are among those already completed or in course of construction: Two new stucco houses have recently been completed by C. B. Graham to increase his large number of rent houses. Four apartments have been completed in the upstairs of the Lanier building and are occupied. Another apartment is almost completed. Offices for the new dentist have also recently been prepared. W. R. Ferguson has erected a new 3-room house with bath at the rear of his new home in the north part of Crowell. C. W. Carroll has also erected a 3-room house and bath near his home in the north part of town. W. H. Tysinger, 2-room house west of Hotel Premier. H. E. Thomson bought the Edwards brick home in the northeast part of town and the work of repairing has been going on for several weeks. The work has not been completed but Mr. and Mrs. Thomson moved into the house last week. Mrs. C. D. Mullins bought the Thomson home and has moved into it. Leo Purvis moved a house to the lots west of the home of Mrs. B. W. Self and is now occupied by Mr. Purvis and wife and small son. M. O'Connell is making a garage apartment at his home one block north of the square to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Chip Griffin. A 2-room apartment has recently been erected at the Foard County Hospital as living quarters for Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hartigan. Two apartments in the Ringgold building have been recently opened up and are occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Waldez and children. T. L. Owens is building a new modern 4-room house and bath in the northeast part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kinchee are now living in a new 5-room house with bath which they recently completed one mile northwest of Crowell. Mrs. W. C. McKown has recently built a new 2-room rent house at her home on North Main street. Leo Spears has completed a new home two blocks west of the square on the highway. A 1-room house for Jake Bee-singer has recently been erected in the northeast part of town. A small house to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Canup is being erected at the Canup Filling Station two blocks south of the square. Jack Lyons is building a 2-room house in the northeast part of Crowell. A garage apartment with three rooms for Glen Goodwin and family is being erected in the Sandifer block north of Paul Wallace's home. They plan to build a home on the lots later. A 4-room house and bath is being built for Parker Churchill and family on the old school grounds two blocks northwest of the square. Rob Banister has completed a 2-room apartment at his home. Mrs. Mary Whitley, 1-room house in the west part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Wells have completed chicken house and other improvements on their small farm one-half mile west of town. A home will be erected in the near future. A new 2-room home for Mrs. W. T. Dunn and her son, Ed, was completed two blocks northeast of the square several weeks ago. J. D. Harper has moved a house into town from the country and is preparing a 4-room house and bath. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Collins have enlarged the kitchen of their cafe with a new addition. The new home of the Weiss Farm Equipment on the southwest corner of the square is nearing completion. It is expected that the building will be occupied by March 15. We realize that this survey is not complete and we will appreciate being told of any new homes we have omitted or that are to be built in the near future.

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Drilling on the 7,500-foot oil test on the J. M. Speck land in the southwest part of the county, approximately 9 miles southeast of Crowell on a block of 3,000 acres, will begin today. Drilling crews arrived here Wednesday.

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Funeral Services for G. B. Dealey to Be Held Today

Funeral services for George B. Dealey, 86, publisher of The Dallas Morning News for many years and one of the most loved newspaper men of the state and nation, will be held in Dallas at 2 p. m. today in the First Presbyterian Church of that city. Mr. Dealey began his newspaper career as an office boy on the Galveston News on October 12, 1874. He came to Galveston with his parents from England when he was 11 years old and spent the balance of his 86 years in Texas and was one of its greatest leaders and had a full part in the development of the greatest state in the Union. He was the guiding light of the South's greatest newspaper up until the day before his death. He spent eight hours in his office Monday and passed away on Tuesday.

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Despite the shortage of most all kinds of building material, many new apartments and houses have been completed during the latter part of 1945 and the first two months of 1946. The progress made in providing living quarters for many families has greatly relieved the housing shortage, still there are calls almost every day from people who are looking for apartments and houses to rent. According to a survey made this week, 35 or 40 living quarters have been provided in Crowell and the nearby vicinity in the past five or six months. It is difficult to get a complete list, but the following are among those already completed or in course of construction: Two new stucco houses have recently been completed by C. B. Graham to increase his large number of rent houses. Four apartments have been completed in the upstairs of the Lanier building and are occupied. Another apartment is almost completed. Offices for the new dentist have also recently been prepared. W. R. Ferguson has erected a new 3-room house with bath at the rear of his new home in the north part of Crowell. C. W. Carroll has also erected a 3-room house and bath near his home in the north part of town. W. H. Tysinger, 2-room house west of Hotel Premier. H. E. Thomson bought the Edwards brick home in the northeast part of town and the work of repairing has been going on for several weeks. The work has not been completed but Mr. and Mrs. Thomson moved into the house last week. Mrs. C. D. Mullins bought the Thomson home and has moved into it. Leo Purvis moved a house to the lots west of the home of Mrs. B. W. Self and is now occupied by Mr. Purvis and wife and small son. M. O'Connell is making a garage apartment at his home one block north of the square to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Chip Griffin. A 2-room apartment has recently been erected at the Foard County Hospital as living quarters for Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hartigan. Two apartments in the Ringgold building have been recently opened up and are occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Waldez and children. T. L. Owens is building a new modern 4-room house and bath in the northeast part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kinchee are now living in a new 5-room house with bath which they recently completed one mile northwest of Crowell. Mrs. W. C. McKown has recently built a new 2-room rent house at her home on North Main street. Leo Spears has completed a new home two blocks west of the square on the highway. A 1-room house for Jake Bee-singer has recently been erected in the northeast part of town. A small house to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Canup is being erected at the Canup Filling Station two blocks south of the square. Jack Lyons is building a 2-room house in the northeast part of Crowell. A garage apartment with three rooms for Glen Goodwin and family is being erected in the Sandifer block north of Paul Wallace's home. They plan to build a home on the lots later. A 4-room house and bath is being built for Parker Churchill and family on the old school grounds two blocks northwest of the square. Rob Banister has completed a 2-room apartment at his home. Mrs. Mary Whitley, 1-room house in the west part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Wells have completed chicken house and other improvements on their small farm one-half mile west of town. A home will be erected in the near future. A new 2-room home for Mrs. W. T. Dunn and her son, Ed, was completed two blocks northeast of the square several weeks ago. J. D. Harper has moved a house into town from the country and is preparing a 4-room house and bath. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Collins have enlarged the kitchen of their cafe with a new addition. The new home of the Weiss Farm Equipment on the southwest corner of the square is nearing completion. It is expected that the building will be occupied by March 15. We realize that this survey is not complete and we will appreciate being told of any new homes we have omitted or that are to be built in the near future.

City Election to Be Held April 2nd

A City election will be held in the City Hall on April 2nd, for the purpose of electing two aldermen to serve a period of two years or until their successors have been elected and qualified. The election was ordered at a meeting of the City Council Tuesday night. Mrs. Winnie Brown was named presiding judge and Mrs. Ida Pearl Crowell and Mrs. Martha Dunagan, clerks. M. M. Welch and W. B. Tysinger have announced as candidates for these two offices.

Drilling to Start on 7,500-Ft. Well

Drilling on the 7,500-foot oil test on the J. M. Speck land in the southwest part of the county, approximately 9 miles southeast of Crowell on a block of 3,000 acres, will begin today. Drilling crews arrived here Wednesday.

FORMER CITIZEN DIES

Bill Woodard, a former resident and business man of Crowell, died at his home in Luling, on Jan. 11, following a long illness, according to information received by friends in Crowell. Mr. Woodard and his brother-in-law, C. Q. Crawford, were in the grocery business here a number of years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Woodard lost a son in the war. He was a lieutenant in the Air Corps and was declared lost over Rabaul on June 19, 1943. He will be remembered by many people of Crowell.

SANTA FE CARLOADINGS

Santa Fe System carloadings for week ending February 23, 1946, were 22,364 compared with 22,285 for same week in 1945. Cars received from connections totaled 9,245 compared with 14,091 for same week in 1945. Total cars moved were 31,609

Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Newman of Marlow, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thomas of Sarill, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wood and Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinley, Mrs. Oran Ford and Mrs. Jim Moore made a business trip to Wichita Falls Friday.

Mrs. Less Hammonds underwent an operation in the Norwood Clinic at Mineral Wells and is doing very well.

Mrs. Dick Swan is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Strickland, of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fox of

Vernon spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson spent Sunday in Altus, Okla., visiting relatives.

Gotchie Mints and family of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson of Altus, Okla., Jack Mints and family of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shultz and family of Vernon, and Eudale Oliver and family of Thalia visited in the T. C. Mints home Sunday.

John Winston Bradford is home from overseas with a discharge. Funeral services were held here Tuesday for Leo George Lawhorn, who passed away in the Decatur Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wisdom and Frank and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom attended the funeral of their uncle, D. B. Wheelock in Gainesville Wednesday.

Laverne Abston from Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Abston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grimsley and Mrs. Tommie Patterson have moved to their new home in Vernon.

NOTICE

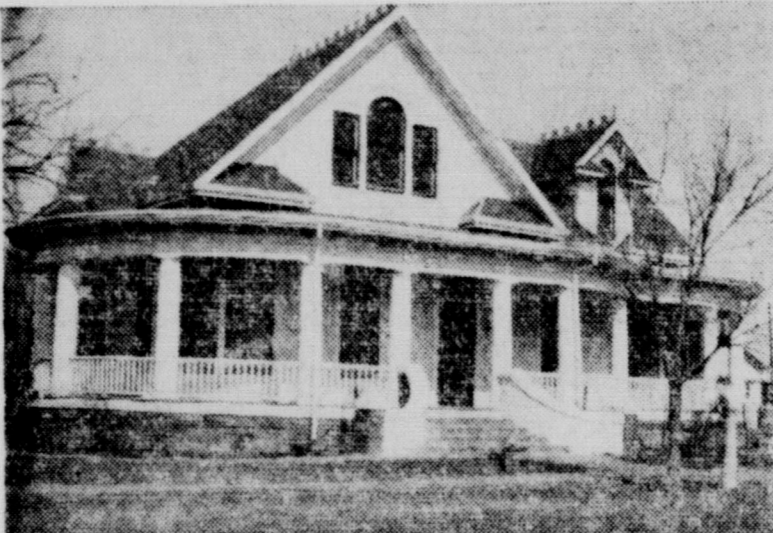
I wish to announce that I have closed my clinic and have opened an office in my residence where I will be glad to meet all my patrons.

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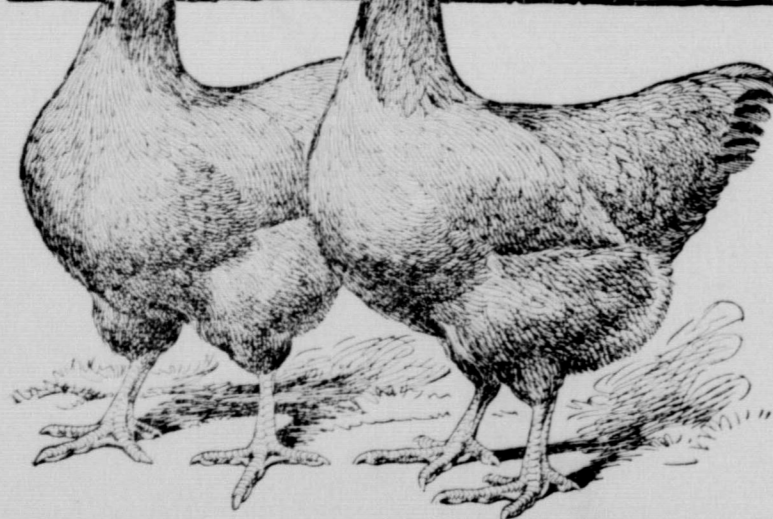
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. Who was it said: I regret that I have but one life to give to my country?
2. Who wrote the lines: Sunset and evening star, And one clear call for me!
3. What is the capital of Hawaii?
4. What is the capital of the Philippine Islands?
5. Who wrote "Paradise Lost"?
6. Who wrote the book: "How to Make Friends and Influence People"?
7. Who wrote the book: "The Song of Bernadette"?
8. What national office is held by John Stelle?
9. What is the capital of Alaska? (Answers on page 3).

spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Manning of Crowell.

Rowdy Self of Crowell visited Rosella Autry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ownbey and children of Seminole spent the week-end with relatives in this community.

Mrs. I. S. Rundell returned to the home of her son, Johnny, in Wichita Falls Sunday, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Halbert. She was accompanied to Wichita Falls by Mrs. E. V. Halbert, Grady Halbert and Betty Guthrie, who returned home that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and family of Vivian.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherwood of Crosbyton spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mr. and Mrs. Midge Adeock and daughter, Gena, of Truscott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Munson Welch and son, Miles, and James Welch of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch Saturday night.

TRUSCOTT (By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Hord were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie of Stamford.

Mrs. Ada Cantrell of Plainview is visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning. She is a sister of Mr. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wood visited in Gilliland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie Sunday.

Mrs. Bruce Devours of Clovis, N. M., is visiting in Truscott. She is the former Miss Glenna Robertson.

Ozzie Turner and H. L. Wood were business visitors in Wichita Falls recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitaker visited relatives here last week-end.

E. J. Jones was in Vernon Wednesday.

Bud Meyers and Hugh Giles left Thursday for North Carolina where Meyers will report for duty and Giles will visit relatives.

Mrs. T. P. Tapp and Mrs. Ernest Tapp were in Crowell Monday.

Mrs. Frank Brown was in Quannah Monday.

Wyndel Fannin, recently discharged from the service, went to Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beeman King of California visited Mr. King's brother-in-law recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Loyd of Manard and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Potter of San Antonio visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon. Judy and Jane remained for a longer visit with their grandparents.

New Development to Kill Weeds

Columbus, Ohio. — American homeowners now keep their lawns free of weeds at an average cost of \$1.00 a season as the result of a new development in 2, 4-D, a weed-killing plant hormone, scientists at the Ohio State Agricultural Experiment Station has revealed.

Developed from an ester of 2, 4-D Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid, the chemical which has been named Weed-No-More kills most broad-leaf weeds but is harmless to common lawn grasses. Instead of back-breaking digging every summer the average householder can now merely spray on this chemical and enjoy a smooth and weed-free lawn. Weed-No-More is manufactured by the Sherwin-Williams Co., world's largest makers of paints in insecticides.

The preparation is particularly effective against dandelions, chickweed, birdweed, poison ivy, plantain, thistle and many other weeds, the scientist said. It will not injure the soil and is harmless to humans and animals when used according to directions. It is odorless and non-staining.

The action of the chemical is such that weeds literally strangle themselves to death because 2, 4-D is a plant hormone which affects the growth factor of broad-leaf plants and can be used to destroy them as well as stimulate them.

NEWS FROM SWEDEN

"Here are no bombed buildings, no unshattered substitutes such as Norway's mixing smelly fish oil in its inside paint. Ersatz coffee, like the poor, you have always with you."—Fred B. Barson, American war correspondent, writing from Sweden in the recent issue of The Rotarian magazine.

Boric acid is not an entirely harmless substance. It has poisonous potentialities.

Judge C. Y. Welch Announces for District Judge

The Foard County News is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Judge C. Y. Welch of Quannah for re-election to the office of District Judge of the 46th Judicial District. Judge Welch is well known to the people of this district and has conducted the affairs of the office in a fair and dignified manner during the time he has served the people in this capacity. He releases the following statement to the voters of this district:

"To the People of The 46th Judicial District:
"I am indeed grateful to the people of this district for permitting me to serve as your District Judge. I have done the best that I know. How well that has been is for you to say.

"If re-elected I promise to give all that I have to the office and, from my experience, I feel that I can make a better officer in the future.

"Court in this district will be in session until in July and for that reason I will not be able to make any campaign, but I do solicit your vote, influence and friendship in the coming election."

500,000 Men Have Volunteered in Army Recruiting Drive

Breaking all records for voluntary enlistment the Army's current worldwide recruiting campaign has passed the half million mark. It has been announced by Major General H. N. Gilbert, U. S. A., Director of the Military Personnel Procurement Service, an activity of the Adjutant General's office which is charged with the recruiting campaign.

"Never before has there been an active army of volunteers as large as our present Regular Army strength," General Gilbert stated. "More men have signed up in the last three and one-half months than were in the entire Regular Army when Pearl Harbor was attacked on December 7, 1941, when the Army was at its highest peacetime total.

"Recruiting over one-half million men in four months is an achievement unequalled in the history of the country," General Gilbert said. "The nation can well be proud of the young men who are enlisting in the Army today for it indicates a keen appreciation by the young men of our country of the opportunities offered by our new Regular Army. In our new Army, high type, intelligent young men have an opportunity to use their knowledge, ability, ambition and achievement in technological advancements to become trained technicians. The Signal Corps of the Army recently contacted the moon by radar, and the Surgeon General's office of the Army recently dissected the brain of Dr. Ley, noted Nazi, in peacetime the Army is to the forefront in discoveries that affect the technological advances of the nation as a whole."

"However," General Gilbert added, "we have a long way to go to reach our goal. We must maintain this enlistment rate in order to replace the men of long and arduous war service who are being returned home as rapidly as possible. At the same time we must maintain our military strength to meet our requirements to support our position in world affairs, for occupational and clean-up forces, our own overseas garrisons, our Air Force, and for our military establishment at home. About seventy per cent of the men who have enlisted are those who originally entered the Army through Selective Service. The remainder is divided between men who never wore the uniform before and former Regular Army men who re-enlist. Thus our Regular Army will have the benefit of good age balance combining experience with the vigor and enthusiasm of youth."

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Match book makers estimate that a million match books are given away every hour.

The cities of Toledo, Ohio, and Philadelphia, Pa., each levy an income tax upon the incomes of their citizens.

The U. S. statute mile is 5,280 feet in length. The U. S. Nautical mile is 6,080.20 feet in length.

The sun is 93,000,000 miles from the earth.

Some 18,000 hobbists collect match book covers in this country.

The word dime referring to our smallest silver coin comes from the French Dixieme, meaning one-tenth.

The new Roosevelt dime released by the U. S. Treasury in February is the first dime to bear the likeness of a man. All dimes previously minted have borne the likeness of the Goddess of Liberty.

Radar waves travel to the moon and back to the earth, a distance of 477,714 miles, in 2.4 seconds.

The average distance of the moon from the earth is 238,857 miles.

Thomas A. Edison made his first successful incandescent light bulb in 1877.

Whooping cough is a disease of high fatality among babies under one year of age.



HOT COSSACK . . . Dimitri Matvienko, Kuban, Russia, has spent the past seven years showing New Yorkers the art of dagger dancing in which he uses eight blazing daggers. He also does a flame-swallowing act.

STAR BOARDERS

Commenting on the evils of tax exemption for government business which competes with private business, yet he operates businesses of his own in state after state, and claims immunity from any tax responsibility to the people of those states from the profits of his enterprises!

"Consider Uncle Sam's way of doing business in a typical California community, Shasta County. Like all counties, this one provides a host of public services out of tax receipts—schools, hospitals, roads, police protection, and so on."

The Enterprise then goes on to point out that a single electric company in that area, which is the chief supporter of such services, contributes annually \$517,000 in county, city and franchise taxes. It then says: "Uncle Sam's big business there, the Shasta Dam project, would contribute an even greater sum, \$750,000, if it were assessed and taxed on the same basis. But it isn't! Uncle Sam ducks out from under on taxes."

"A very plain reason why the pesping citizen's tax bills are so enormous is that the tax base (private enterprise) is being narrowed constantly by new tax-exempt government operations. In many California counties, Uncle Sam is the biggest property owner in the district—and the coun-

ty's most expensive star boarder." If all business were tax exempt, the same as government business, all charges and rates and services to consumers could be materially lowered, but there would then be no revenue to maintain government. By the same reasoning, the more government destroys private enterprise, with government consuming the higher taxes go on remaining taxpayers. If government finally took over all business and lose all taxes which now support it, there would be only one solution—government would have to increase its charges sufficiently to maintain revenue to support itself. The circle would then be complete—private enterprise and liberty of action would be destroyed and you would have the socialist state where that government is supreme. And that is where we have been heading for the last decade with a Federal policy that has been aggressively destroying private opportunity in various fields with tax-exempt Federal competition.—Industrial News Review.

NEW RULE FOR OPA?

Frequently the comment, "a plague on both your houses," is heard in referring to management-labor difficulties. There was a day when the criticism might apply, but not so now. It seems to be generally felt that management cannot bargain as a free agent with labor. Prices are fixed by government; therefore government must decide the wage level. It is all very well to talk about cost absorption and high production as the answer to higher wages. Producers and distribu-

tors have absorbed until they absorb no more. And as for present wage rises on production plans which may materialize—the idea is just silly. There are growing indications that OPA is being used as an instrument to enforce a profit, rather than as an agent to prevent price profiteering. Otherwise, it would not be the labor-government's play against management, a game that may end in chaos.—Industrial News Review.

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Many people who are buying property from or through loan companies are under the impression that the Loan Company renders their taxes for them. This is incorrect. Unless you have made the rendition yourself your taxes are unrendered.

The law states that your property must be rendered NOW or such property will be placed on the UNRENDERED ROLL and you will not be entitled to the HOMESTEAD privilege and you will have to pay the STATE TAX.

This tax assessor office will try to see you, but if you are missed, please call at the office, and the Tax Assessor-Collector will see that you are placed on the rendered roll.

Your co-operation will be appreciated very much.

A. L. DAVIS

Tax Assessor-Collector Foard County

Items from Neighboring Communities

MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mrs. Mel Bagley of Vernon, Mrs. Elmer Jolly of Quanah and Mrs. Allie King of Los Angeles, Calif., visited their cousin, Mrs. W. A. Priest, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Bradford and family of Floydada visited Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford.

Mrs. Tom Smith spent from Tuesday until Thursday in Vernon with Miss Ruby Smith and Mrs. Fred Priest.

Mrs. E. M. Phillips and mother of Fort Worth spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt and family.

Walter Carr of Riverside visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lamond

Sunday.

H. A. Taylor, who has been stationed in the Hawaiian Islands, returned home Sunday after receiving his discharge at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills of Fort Worth and Mrs. G. G. Mills of Foard City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boss Kenner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orr and children spent Friday in Quanah with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Priest of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Choate and daughter, Jeanie, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Huskey and Doris Ann of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz of Thalia and Mrs. Tom Smith were Sunday visitors in the W. A. Priest home.

Neff Middlebrook of Springtown spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hunter of Childress visited his father, John L. Hunter, and Emma Belle and Irene Hunter Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Shultz and son of Thalia spent Wednesday with Mrs.

W. A. Priest.

Donald Floey and Eugene Pavan from Sheppard Field, Miss Betty Helton, Peggy Clines, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clines and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shultz and family of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Reid Pyle of Thalia were visitors in the Hugh Shultz home Sunday.

Ben Bradford visited his mother, Mrs. Studie Bradford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Pyle have moved to the Allen Shultz farm recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz.

John Curtis and Ralph Bradford went to Abilene Saturday after receiving a message stating Rev. Buel Bradford and wife had been injured in a car wreck.

RIVERSIDE

(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons and Emma Matus spent the week-end with relatives at Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gloyna of Wichita Falls were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guss Chase of Farmers Valley spent Sunday in the Morris Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and family spent Sunday with R. C. Johnson and family of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Judy Tole and



'WINNIE'S DAUGHTER' . . . Mrs. Sarah Churchhill Oliver, eldest daughter of former British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, is shown as she arrived by air at New York City, en route to Miami to Cuba to join her parents.

daughter spent the day Sunday, with relatives in Frederick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward and family of Chillicothe visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ward.

Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. of Gilliland spent a while Saturday night in the Cap Adkins home.

Q. M. Bice and wife have returned to their home at Ardmore, Okla., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bice.

Edward Raska has enlisted in the Merchant Marines and is stationed at New Orleans, La.

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Cerveney and son of Fort Sill, and Edward Richter of Electra spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Mary Richter.

Dinner guests in the August Rummel home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schoppa and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Schulz and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rummel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bodling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gloyna and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Schoppa and family, Mrs. Raymond Lance and daughter, all of Five-in-One, and Miss Geneva Gloyna of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sitton and family of Kirkland and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and family of Ravland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tole and family.

Several from this community attended the funeral of L. G. Lawhorn of Bowie at the Methodist Church in Thalia Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Duffy and son of East Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fox, Sunday.

Otis Tole and family of Dallas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole. They were accompanied home by Glenn Tole and family.

Tom Ward was a business visitor in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie B. Lewis and son of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kirkpatrick of Tolbert visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope, a while Sunday night.

Misses Mabel and Lolagene Fox of Vernon spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten and family spent Sunday with Herschell Butler and family of Chillicothe.

THE "GIMMIES" WRECK SOCIALIZED MEDICINE

The government of New Zealand is seriously considering whether that country's free physician service will be continued.

The record of New Zealand's compulsory health insurance reveals that the cost of disability pensions and medical care benefits tripled between 1940 and 1945. The rise was due to increasing costs of various classes of benefits, as well as to the addition of new classes of medical benefits in 1941 and 1942. Some types of benefits, namely permanent and temporary disability and maternity benefits, show a fairly constant cost level over the last few years.

On the other hand, hospitalization, medical care and pharmaceutical, and supplementary medical benefits have shown substantial increases almost every year since their inception.

This shows that New Zealand has been unable to keep the costs of operation of compulsory health insurance on an even keel, due to factors not strictly of a social nature. One of these is the human tendency to take advantage of benefits offered under a compulsory system; another is the political pressure for increases in rates and duration of benefits, as well as for increase in coverage. Both these factors are difficult to evaluate in terms of statistics, but they exist.

New Zealand has had compulsory health insurance since 1939, and in these years of trial its operation has become more costly with every year that passes.

This is something for America, now burdened with a Federal debt of nearly \$300 billion, to think about when it considers entering the field of socialized medicine.—Industrial News Review.

In addition to regular pay, family allotments and extra money for longevity, decorations and special duty status, Regular Army men save substantially through purchases at commissaries and post exchanges.

Charles Ferguson Announces for County Judge

The News is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of Charles Ferguson for the office of County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent, subject to action of the Democratic primaries in July.

In regard to his candidacy for this office, Mr. Ferguson has released the following statement:

"In asking the voters of this county to elect me to this office, I realize the responsibilities, but I feel that I can perform these responsibilities in a capable manner.

If elected, I pledge myself to give an honest and economical administration of the business of the county, and will co-operate with the commissioners and citizens in all things that are to the best interest of all.

"I will appreciate your favorable consideration of my candidacy and respectfully solicit your support and influence in the coming election."

Texas Citizens Urged to Co-operate in Control of Rodents

Austin.—Inasmuch as typhus fever is, even this early in the year, showing an increased incidence over the State, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today issued an urgent appeal to every Texan to co-operate in rodent control measures.

"The conquest of typhus fever in Texas is far from complete," Dr. Cox declared. "There is still entirely too much of this disabling disease.

"Concentrated effort and close co-operation from every citizen of Texas is urgently needed if typhus fever is to be brought definitely under control," Dr. Cox continued, "and this certainly must be done if our public health in Texas is to be protected."

Inasmuch as typhus is spread by the flea which feeds on typhus infected rats, control measures, according to Dr. Cox, depend on rat extermination through means of starving out and building out rats as well as trapping and poisoning them. He stated that regardless of what a fine garbage collection and disposal system a community maintains, it is practically worthless in rodent control unless garbage is put into (and not beside) a garbage pail and the pail kept covered at all times.

Rat-proofing of all homes and business houses should be undertaken as quickly as possible and the local health departments are usually able to assist in overcoming the obstacle of obtaining materials and labor. They can also assist in trapping and poisoning campaigns and will gladly do so upon request.

ANSWERS

(Questions on page 2).

1. Captain Nathan Hale.
2. Tennyson.
3. Honolulu.
4. Manila.
5. Milton.
6. Dale Carnegie.
7. Franz Werfel.
8. He is National Commander of the American Legion.
9. Juneau.

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One of our exchanges notes that the formula for making love is a lot like the one for making apple pie—a lot of crust and apple sauce.

Red corpuscles in your blood increase in number when you live at a high altitude.



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FOR SALE—One 1931 Ford coupe and one 1930 Ford coupe.—Leo Spencer. 33-1tc

HELP WANTED. Female—Permanent night nurse, hours 11 p. m. to 7 a. m. Experience preferred. Will train party who can offer proper qualifications. See F. J. Hartigan, Hospital, between 7 and 11 a. m. 33-1tc

GRAVEL—See me for the best street and road gravel in the county.—Grady Halbert. 33-2tc

Richard Bird, son of D. N. Bird, left Wednesday for Austin where he will enroll at the University of Texas, where he was a student at the time he entered the service in 1943. He will resume the study of law at the University.

Frank Meason was called to Big Spring Sunday on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. J. R. Meason, who suffered a stroke. Henry Greening is performing his duties in the meat department of the Crowell Cash Grocery.

Mrs. Kell Erwin and son, James, went to Monohans last week to visit in the home of Mrs. Erwin's sister, Mrs. Rollins Harris. The two families then went to Galveston where they visited in the home of another sister, Mrs. Mattie Erwin. They have returned and James has gone to Monohans where he will be employed.

GILLILAND H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Dudley Ellis exhibited a foot stool she had made from three pairs of horseshoes and some small pieces of boards, when the Gilliland Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. L. Capps on February 20. Mrs. Otis Cook also exhibited a chair she had bottomed with binder twine.

The Club's achievement report was brought up-to-date. There were thirteen members present and one new member received into the club, Mrs. Buel Gibson.

Mrs. O. R. Miller, entertainment chairman, led in a short social period. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. O. R. Miller, Wednesday afternoon, March 6, at 2 o'clock. Miss Lucile King, Knox County home demonstration agent, will be present for a special demonstration on "I did it myself." Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Food, Home Notes

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

National 4-H Club Week. One hundred and sixty-eight 4-H Club girls in nine 4-H Clubs in Foard County will join the 80,000 Texas rural girls and boys to observe National 4-H Club Week, March 2-10.

The main theme, "The Local 4-H Club in a Changing World," will play an important part in reinforcing the use of ten 4-H Club guide posts. To help prepare tomorrow's citizens, physically, mentally and spiritually, 4-H Club work provides opportunities for voluntary participation in programs, built on needs and interests, through which youth are: 1. Developing talents for greater usefulness. 2. Joining with friends for work, fun and fellowship. 3. Learning to live in a changing world. 4. Choosing a way to earn a living. 5. Producing food and fiber for home and market. 6. Creating better homes for better living. 7. Conserving nature's resources for security and happiness. 8. Building health for a strong America. 9. Sharing responsibilities for community improvement. 10. Serving as citizens in maintaining world peace.

Bread Preview. Loaves of 80 per cent extraction flour baked at the U. S. D. A. differ only slightly from white loaf.

The first loaves of bread made from the new 80 per cent extraction flour in the baking laboratory of the U. S. Department of Agriculture proved an agreeable surprise to those gathered for a glimpse and taste. The bread was made under commercial baking conditions, so offered a preview of the loaves soon to be on the market. The bread was not the "grey" or "dark" color expected by many. It had a slightly off-white or creamy cast but actually differed little in looks from the loaf made with the present standard white enriched flour. Many of the tasters could detect no difference in flavor or texture. Others thought the new bread had a slightly more wheaty flavor.

Three different loaves were sampled: one made with 80 per cent bleached and one with 80 per cent unbleached flour, and a third with the familiar white flour. There was no noticeable difference between the bleached and unbleached loaves, and remarkably little difference between those and the white loaf.

Cooking tests are now in progress for the home use of the new flour.

Staff of Life Values. Comparison in nutritive content between present and future bread. Every American will be making a personally small but actually large and real contribution toward relieving the hunger and suffering of the world in using the new flour and bread ordered by the

Carvel Thompson Seeks Office of Commissioner 3

Carvel Thompson has this week authorized The Foard County News to announce that he will be a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to action of the Democratic primaries of July. Mr. Thompson states, relative to his announcement for the office, that he fully realizes the obligations and responsibilities of such a position and that he feels that he is capable of meeting such responsibilities.

He says, "I shall make an effort to contact each and every voter between now and the election date and shall sincerely appreciate any consideration given me and here and now earnestly solicit your vote."

Miss Virginia Thomas, a student at the University of Texas at Austin, is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Daughten and son, Donald Hugh, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Daughten and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Daughten and son, Wendell, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McFord and son, Kenneth, all of Eldorado, Okla.

President, the U. S. Department of Agriculture states. To avoid any mistaken impressions about the new bread, the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics offers the following facts about the nutritive values of American bread, present and future.

For many years modern white flour has been losing important values in milling. In order to have it white and fine with good keeping qualities, the outer coat of the grain has been removed and with it about seven-eighths of the thiamine and niacin, three-fourths of the riboflavin, and four-fifths of the iron, as well as some calcium, phosphorus and better-quality protein.

Some of these values were returned when bread was enriched. Enrichment put back the lost three B-vitamins—thiamine, riboflavin and niacin—and also iron. If present levels of enrichment are continued, the new 80 per cent flour will give these same values and in addition improve the protein quality. Unenriched 80 per cent flour has less of these B vitamins and iron than enriched white flour.

However, only about 65 per cent of flour and flour products

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Advertisement for WEEK-END SPECIALS. Pyrex Colored Bowl Sets \$2.50. Fire King Large Roasters 98c. Range Tea and Cup Coffee Maker \$2.69. Canister with Decal 10c. Large Ass't. of Stamped Goods 20c to 79c. Brassiers, values to 89c 49c. Children's White Cotton Panties, 39c value 23c. Ladies' and Children's Anklets 25c to 29c. Metal Kitchen Stools \$2.79. Large Metal Waste Paper Baskets \$1.39. A Large Metal Toy Assortment. On Sale at 2 P. M. Friday and at 2 P. M. Saturday. Cannon Bath Towels, Cannon Wash Cloths, Kleenex. BEN FRANKLIN STORE. E. W. ADAMS, Owner.

In the remaining 35 per cent substituting the new flour for the old will markedly improve the thiamine content. The new flour is much finer and lighter in color than whole wheat flour. Unenriched it has about 40 per cent as much thiamine as whole wheat flour, only half as much riboflavin and iron, and a fourth as much niacin.

Advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company. REDDY KILOWATT KITE FLYERS ARE ALWAYS SAFETY-WISE THEY STAY CLEAR OF ELECTRIC WIRES AND FLY IN OPEN SKIES! O.K. REDDY! Your kites are lots of fun, boys and girls, but they must be flown properly if you want to be sure not to get hurt. Maybe it's hard for you to believe, but it's an actual fact that hundreds of youngsters throughout the country are seriously injured every year at kite-flying time, some from falls from trees or off buildings. So please be careful... watch these precautions, especially: ... Don't use string with wire in it... Keep your string dry at all times. (A damp string is dangerous.) ... Don't climb trees or poles near electric wires to recover your kite. Remember—you can help keep your record for safety of yourself and others at kite-flying time if you'll heed these warnings. Show this advertisement to your friends. West Texas Utilities Company.

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KEEPER BACKING YOUR CLASS

Are you as loyal to your class as you should be? Do you attend class meetings and co-operate with whatever plans are made for your class? You get from school as much as you put into it. A good student is not only interested in school work but in the activities of the school.

The popularity contest is an excellent way of backing your class. Vote for the girl and boy your class selected in order to show your loyalty and school patriotism.

SENIOR BOX SUPPER NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT, 7:30 SHARP

At last it is here, the senior box supper. The girls are hurrying around preparing boxes and praying that their hair will look glamorous enough. The boys are wondering whether they will have to starve the rest of the week or not, to have enough money to buy their girls' boxes. Mr. Purvis is going around urging and pleading for more voters for the popularity contest.

The home-room classes are practicing their skits for the program. Between periods everyone rushes to the bulletin board to see the latest score on the popularity contest.

The box supper starts at 7:30 Friday night. That hour will be the deadline for the contest. Everyone is urged to vote for their class candidates, and all the girls in high school should come and bring a well decorated and well filled box. The goal for all this is the Seniors' annual trip.

Everyone come. You will have the time of your life.

SENIORS WORKING!

Wednesday, February 20, the high and mighty Seniors met for the purpose of re-acquainting themselves with their fellow classmates, and to elect the most popular girl and boy in the class. After much debating, as all the Seniors are very popular, Evelyn Joyce Barker, of the brown-eyed Barkers, and John Lester Brock, alias "Robin," alias J. L. were elected to represent the class.

The Senior Class is out to win!

POPULAR STUDENTS CHOSEN AS JUNIOR CANDIDATES

That wonderful class, who are showing the seniors out of CHS, and taking over themselves, met Thursday, February 21, to pick out the candidates for most popular boy and girl. Sharon (Shaney) Haney was wisely chosen for the Junior Deb. This charming brunette likes ice cream, all day suckers and M. W. Wagnon, H. A. (Kinky) White was chosen for the Junior curly haired Junior likes all sports, double-bubble chewing gum, and Joyce Jones. Those three inferior classes think they will bring home the bacon, but we'll show 'em; so get busy, Juniors, and start matching those pennies. Throw them in the pot for those two Juniors, "Shaney" Haney, and "Curly," H. A. White.

SOPHOMORES SAY, "ON WITH THE CONTEST!"

As the Sophomores of '46 gathered into Mr. Black's room, a great question hung in the midst. As the president, Sawdust Lindsay, pounded furiously with his gavel, the secretary, Betty Williams, hurried to the board to write the verdict. "Who then is more popular of all?" After much discussion Jimmie Swan, that dashing blonde, blue eyed, and not bad to look at Sophomore, was chosen as most popular girl. Then J. C. (Bulldog) Patton, that casino of the campus, who stands out in all sports, especially football, was elected the most popular boy. So come on, all you lads and lassies of '46, let's hold up the Sophomores' good name by backing Jimmie and Bulldog with our votes. A penny a vote, so get out your pizzy banks and on with this contest!

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Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine as potent as Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly silences the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

FRESHMEN HAVE CANDIDATES, TOO!

That large aggregation of CHS called Freshman (or underclassmen) had a meeting to select their most popular boy and girl for the box supper's beauty contest. After much pondering and wondering, that Freshman blonde Vera Lee was chosen the Freshman beauty. Vera likes school and especially to stand around in the halls and gab! Dalton (Butch) Figgerstaff was chosen to be the representative and "handsome boy" of the Freshman boys. Butch likes any kind of sports and to talk in that sputtering dialect of his. The Seniors think they'll win, but we'll show them. So come on, ye Fish, and get your votes pouring in for our pretty blonde, Vera, and our "handsome boy," Butch.

SUE GORRELL SPEAKS TO AMERICAN HISTORY CLASS ON PANAMA

Miss Sue Gorrell, who has recently returned from the Panama Canal Zone, gave a very interesting report for the history students Tuesday. She told about the Panama Canal where everything is owned by the government. The zone is forty miles long and it takes eight and a half hours to go through the locks.

In Panama City the people live over shops and an acrid odor permeates the street. On account of military uprisings in the city all military personnel are restricted from the city. Only a few night clubs serve desirable food, as most cafes are unsanitary. The people are lazy, have practically no industry, and sell lottery tickets to support orphans and widows.

BUSY SENIOR FLASHES RED SWEATER

A certain Senior caught our attention the other day. We managed to stop him for three seconds to ask a dozen questions. Red is his favorite color, evidenced by his bright red sweater. Susan Peters and "Symphony" are also his favorites. A class in biology is a good way to pass the morning in his opinion. The pastime in which he most often indulges is eating steak. This sport fan prefers basketball and tennis. He is really quite good at both. A well known senior with a dislike for girls who smoke is Mr. Milton Hall.

POPULAR SENIOR PREFERS BASKETBALL AND ROBERT WALKER

This popular Senior boy with black hair and blue eyes likes bookkeeping and basketball. Along the culinary lines, steak and gravy come in for their share of his favoritism. Any song, just so long as it is music, is okay for him. Robert Walker is his favorite movie star. Blue is the color to which he is true. At seventeen, his pet abomination is drunk girls. His name? Travis Starnes.

NOTICE

The Wildcat surely does appreciate the letter from Craig Sandlin. At present, Craig, we are unable to do anything about such a project. Maybe in the future? Craig's address is the following: Craig W. Sandlin, S 1-c, 5905 U. S. N. Base A. B. R. D., Camp Rousseau, Port Hueneme, California.

TRACK TEAM TO BEGIN WORK SOON

Workout of CHS track team will begin as soon as the necessary work on the track is finished. The team is looking forward to the Inter-Mural Meet (seniors vs. underclassmen) March 15, the Invitation Meet March 22 at Vernon, and the District Meet at Seymour March 30.

INQUIRING REPORTER

What was your biggest thrill? Hardy Sanders—Becoming an uncle (girl, Susan, 8 pounds, 3 1/4 ounces, 22 inches long.) Morris Johnson—When he found out for himself that there was no Santa Claus. Joyce Jones—When I attended my first U. S. O. dance. DeAlva Thomas—When Sharon and I were thrown off the Ferris Wheel in Fort Worth. Evelyn Barker—The day De Alva let me get a typing lesson. Jo Ann, Kathleen, Sharon, Evelyn, DeAlva and Betty's greatest thrill—Going swimming in February! Jack Black—When I made the honor roll. Bertharene Hardage—When I knew I would never have to go back to grammar school. Wayne Wheeler—When I made A in Algebra. Baxter Gentry—When I graduated out of Grammar School. Bobby Bonsal—If Mrs. Sloan would let me change seats. Vera Lee—The last time I saw

Travis. Clark—When school is out. Johnny Mitchell—Any time I went with Evelyn. Horace and Kendrick—Trips to Thalia lately. M. W. Wagnon—Dates with Sharon. Thomas Tamplen—Going swimming Sunday. Sharon—The first time I heard "fruna" and a few other unmentionables. "Booty" Barker—The first time I heard Bobby say "millions."

Martha Johnson—Going places with Don. Hazel and Janet—Last Friday night. Ina Mae Hardin—When I got to come back to Texas. Robbie Rallsback—When a certain boy from Electra came to Thalia. J. C. Autry—When I didn't have to come to school. Irene—When we ordered senior rings. Virginia Bell—When Jerry, Ann and I got together with the ex-seniors. Freddie Reithmayer—Passing all my subjects. Ann Payne—When a certain somebody forgave me. Jerry Davis—First time Stanley came home on furlough. Jo Ann Meason—Saturday night, February 23. Oh, boy!

THE CAT'S WHISKERS

Dear Diary: As I sit here tonight I'm thinking of the many things that happened over the week-end. Take, for instance, the slumber party Jo Ann had Friday night. Do you know what I heard? That they had a super special time. Wish I could have gone!

Saturday night I saw Brock, Betty, Danny and Kathy riding around in a little black Ford. Sunday night I saw Johnny, Evelyn, Betty and Brock in Uncle John's car. More fun! Sunday afternoon "Some Bunch" went to Vernon to see "The Sailor Takes A Wife." I heard that swooney Robert Walker was in it. Gosh, I just got to thinking, wouldn't we all lose our faith in humanity if Booty and Bobby were to break up. Oh yeah, I saw them Saturday night. Lots of stars have been seen in the eyes of Peggy Evans. Maybe it was because she went with Travis over the week-end. Has anyone noticed the romance brewing between Martha and Don? Could be love. While I was scampering through the halls this week I noticed that Kendrick Joy was making eyes at Gerald Evanson. That's tough! She's true to Hardy. I'd merely like to know what is Joe Mason's influence over women? Just guess what I heard. Give up? Jenny Monkhouse has gone to Dallas. Gee, I bet she misses a certain boy. Don't you agree with me when I say Janet and Miles are a cute couple? Oh yeah! Added to the girls' swoon list is Larry Wood. Golly, Shaney must have been happy Saturday and Sunday. Yeah, she got two letters from "the Navy." It's rumored that Betty's car is cozy with ten or twelve passengers. Oh yeah, Diary, there's a few things I'd like to put in the want

ad section—first, a date for the Junior-Senior banquet, and second, 300 more words to finish a term theme. We hear that three are company according to Doris, Edna Lee and Kenneth Saturday night. Mary Payne seems to think A. G. is pretty wonderful. J. C. Autry and Marlene Mason aren't doing bad. Janet and Kendrick, Hazel and Horace pick the strangest times to see "Ham." Take, for instance, Sunday. Bulldog really likes to go to Vernon. Who's the woman, Bulldog? We wonder why Kendrick was up by Vandolyn's house Saturday night? What was Booty and Bobby so scared about Saturday night? Peggy and Travis had a swell time Saturday night. Oh, yes. What happened to Vera? Put your news in Locker 35 at the east end of the hall. Maggie and Peggy were really making use of two G. I.'s over the week-end, they were none other than Travis Vecera and "Kirkland" from Central America. From all reports they'll be back again next week-end! Seen last Wednesday night at the show were, J. C. Autry and Marlene Meason, Herman Athey and Icyphene Wharton. Wonderful love. Will someone please give us the low down on this "Sanders and Evanson" case. Which is it Hardy, Gerald or Vera? Everyone seemed to be having a good time in Beverly Grey's car Saturday night. We couldn't see Maggie, but we could hear her! Guess I'd better say good night for now—I see Jo Ann talking to

Carlos, and I've been trying to ask her something all period. Good night, Diary. The Cat's Tail. ROYAL THIEVERY

The Federal government is suing the state of California to gain possession of her oil tidelands. Recently the state of Louisiana came to the defense of California, for the reason that Louisiana has the foresight to realize that her own oil tidelands on the gulf are at stake if California loses the fight with the Federal government. It is shortsighted for the various states to not be interested in each other's problems when one is under attack, because each Federal encroachment on a state's rights

sets a precedent to be followed by all states. So far Louisiana is the only state to make a deal with California to perpetuate her tidelands. Because few states possess wealth under their tides but they may have one that a verdict against California could be stretched to cover the entire Gulf of Mexico. If the Federal government successfully attacks the lands or minerals it has and there is no concentration, individual states usually find themselves in of nothing but jack rabs and beach combings. News Review. Pyorrhea can be cured where age done cannot be reversed.

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REFRIGERATORS	12,755	17,577	28,432	4 days' production
WASHERS	3,068	4,672	6,874	4 1/2 days' production
RANGES	3,056	8,973	8,996	3 days' production
RADIOS	85	5,129	9,401	1 1/2 days' production
TOASTERS		312	2,386	2698 (No shipments were made because production was inadequate to provide samples for dealers).

Out of the 2,485, 138 appliances manufactured in 1944 and 1945, General Electric shipped 98%.

AFTER the war ended, we weren't able to get back into production of some appliances as soon as we had hoped, and production rates weren't as high as we had hoped. A number of unforeseen things like material shortages made the job harder.

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98 per cent of those we'd built since reconversion began were out of our factories. Most of them were in the hands of users.

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We want to get back to producing as fast as possible. The manufacturing organization is set up; the machines are ready, waiting to be set in motion. These factors will help us to do an

even faster job than we did in the months before the strike.

But we can't pick up production quite where we left off. Production lines are too complicated for that. A great many things have been dislocated by the strike.

When the strike is over, and the refrigerators and toasters and radios you've been waiting for begin to come off the lines again, we'll get them into hands of our dealers just as fast as we can. They'll be competitive in price. They'll be General Electric quality.

So, please don't be impatient with your dealer—or with us.



February 28, 1946

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FOR SALE—Small frame house, 12x20. A rear garage, or good to live in. Phone 212-M.—S. H. Ross, 33-1tc

LOST CROPS ARE LOST MONEY

Crop insurance offers the cotton farmer protection of his investment in a crop and encourages insured farmers to put every effort into making a crop. Donald L. Cothran, State crop insurance director, declares.

In Cothran's opinion, insurance, by providing security, is an added incentive for the farmer to do his best to make a crop by properly preparing the land, planting good seed, taking proper precautions to control cotton disease, weevils and other insects, cultivating the crops and harvesting the cotton, because he knows that the farmer who produces good crops makes the profits.

Here's the way Cothran looks at it:

Any farmer should prefer making a good crop to losing one, even though he does have insurance, since the insurance covers only part of the total production he would make if he produced a full crop.

Crop insurance records show that farmers on weevil-infested farms who control the insects are getting insurance cheaper than those who do not, since the average yields are higher while the uniform premium rates remain the same for all farms in the county, except for those determined to be especially hazardous.

So the best thing for the insured farmer to do is try his best to make a crop, take every possible means of protecting his interest, feeling secure in the fact that he has insurance to protect his investment and to help carry him through in case of an unavoidable loss, Cothran concluded.

LAND BOOM UNCURBED

Families who have been waiting for farm land prices to decline before investing their wartime savings, may have to wait beyond 1946. This is the opinion of Tyrus R. Timm, economist in farm management for the A. & M. College Extension Service, after close study of the outlook. He quotes the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, that in general, the termination of the war appears to have had little effect upon the land market.

Here are some reasons for the continued high asking price for land profits on the farm and off over the nation in 1946 will continue greatly above the pre-war level and, at best, only slightly under the 1945 record. Although farm prices may level off in 1946, and even drop slightly, this is not expected to result in marked lower land values this year. Even at slightly lower prices, profits of most farmers will continue good. At the same time, business profits are expected to be at or near record levels again in 1946. This means that folks in towns and cities will continue to bid for land as a place to store their savings.

Again referring to the BAE survey, Timm says that in recent months land values in most of the south and west continued to rise at about the wartime rates. The high volume of sales indicates the demand from those who are anxious to buy a farm or otherwise invest in land continues very strong.

Timm suggests to farm families who have funds to invest, or before they go into debt, to consider these points:

1. Credit and savings should be used to gain profits mainly from increased production or decreased cost of production and not speculate on changes in prices of farm commodities.
2. It's a good rule, whether using savings or borrowed money, not to buy equipment, breeding stock and the like which cannot be paid for during the productive lifetime of the item.
3. Borrowing money often can be avoided by using better conservation practices, by adding improvements to present buildings, and through improved feeding and handling of livestock on hand.

NATIONAL 4-H CLUB WEEK

More than 80,000 Texas rural girls and boys will observe National 4-H Club Week from March 2nd to 10th.

4-H Club work has a special meaning for Texans. The first boy's club in the world was formed in Jack County thirty-eight years ago. The idea originated with Tom M. Marks, publisher of a weekly newspaper, who later became county agricultural agent for that county. The first group was organized to grow better corn and was known as the boys' Corn Club. The first girls' club in Texas was in Milam County

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FOR SALE—Two-room house three-fourths mile east of Gambelville school house. See Edward Brock. 33-3tp

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FOR SALE—Summer Hi-Bred cotton seed, 1st year.—Ernest Earthman, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Thalia. 32-4tp

FOR SALE—2-row John Deere planter; 2-row John Deere cultivator; 6 ft. tandem disc harrow and 3 disc breaking plow.—M. L. Owens. 33-2tp

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CHURCHES

Assembly of God Church

To the people of Crowell and nearby communities, we invite you to attend our services and worship with us.

Our services are as follows:
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Sunday night service at 7:15.
 Young people's service Wednesday night at 7:15.
 Saturday night service at 7:15.
 Warren Everson, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 a. m.
 Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
 Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p. m.
 Woman's Society of Christian Service, 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.
 Mid-week service, 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening in Co-Laborers' Class room.
 D. D. Denison, Pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday—
 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11:00 a. m.—Worship Service.
 6:30 p. m.—Training Union.
 7:30 p. m.—Worship Service.
 Wednesday—
 7:00 p. m.—Sunday School.
 Cabinet Meeting.
 7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting.

Margaret Methodist Church

Sunday, March 3.
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Message at 11 a. m., "Every Day Sins." Text, James 4:19.

You Are Needed

There is at least one useful and highly important task in this world which will not be done unless you do it. There is some place upon which there will be no smile of joy unless you put it there. There is someone with a breaking heart who will never have the courage to try again unless you give it to him. There is some honored and righteous cause which needs just the additional support you can give it. There is some hard-pressed soul who will not get through the day of doubt unless you pass along the simple word of encouragement. God has made you a necessity in some situation and He has provided no substitute for you. "Therefore be ye steadfast."
 L. B. TAYLOR, Pastor.

Thalia Baptist Church

Sunday:
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service at 11 a. m.
 Training Union at 6:30 p. m.
 Preaching Service at 7:30 p. m.
 Monday:
 W. M. U. at 2:30 p. m.
 Wednesday:
 Prayer Meeting at 7:30 p. m.
 Everyone cordially invited.
 C. R. HUDSON, Pastor.

Thalia Methodist Church

Sunday, March 3.
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 L. B. TAYLOR, Pastor.

Rayland Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching at 11 a. m.
 Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.
 Preaching at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening.
 Everybody is welcome to attend these services.
 R. E. COVINGTON, Pastor.

Foard City Church

Sunday School every Sunday.
 Preaching every first and third Sunday by Rev. George Smith, Baptist pastor.
 Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services each Sunday.

ELECTION ORDER

State of Texas,
 County of Foard,
 City of Crowell.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City Hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas, on the first day of April, A. D. 1946, the same being the first Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1946, for the purpose of electing the following: Three Aldermen to serve for a period of two years or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

Mrs. Winnie Brown is hereby appointed Presiding Judge of said election, and Mrs. Ida Pearl Crowell and Mrs. Martha Dunagan, Clerks.

Any person desiring to have his, her or their names placed on the Official Ballot as a candidate for an elective office within the City of Crowell, shall file his, her or their names with the City Secretary not later than seven days immediately preceding such election.

All qualified voters who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell for a period of six months preceding said election shall be entitled to vote.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the laws pertaining to general elections in this State insofar as they are applicable.

All candidates for City office are required to sign and execute a loyal affidavit and file with the City Secretary. Blanks can be obtained at the City Hall.

ATTEST: JIM COOK, Mayor.
 Mrs. Ella Rucker, City Secretary. (SEAL) 33-4tc

READ IT

A. B. Hays, manager of Northwest Texas for the Texas Prudential Insurance Co. of Galveston, Texas, is looking for the right man, preferably an ex-soldier. Permanent employment. Good pay. Call 859 or write Box 1502, Vernon, Texas. 33-2tp

SAFETY SLOGANS

In driving along the highway onto which country roads lead, every lane and every road is full of danger. There is no telling when a car may rush out of a side road without warning. Not all careless and thoughtless drivers drive the main highways.

Most accidents are caused by some one being in too big a hurry. In nine cases out of ten hurry is unnecessary.

Think—you may escape death in an automobile accident but at the same time be so scarred about the face that it will handicap you seriously in business.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Kenneth S. Wuest, Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

Why Worry?

Text—"Be careful for nothing," (Phil. 4:6)

Everywhere we see signs, "Be careful today." In shops, railroad yards, trains, we are faced with the admonition "Be careful." "Watch your step." The Bible exhortation reads, in Modern English, "Don't be careful." Surely Paul cannot mean that.

The explanation is found in the fact that 300 years ago, when the Authorized Version was translated, the English words meant what the Greek words here mean, "Be full of care about nothing." One could translate more fully, "Stop worrying about even one thing."

Now, this is addressed to Christians, not the unsaved. The latter have plenty of things to worry about. But the Christian has nothing to worry about. He has a great and a loving and an all-powerful God whom he can trust to take care of him.

Worry is sin. When we worry we do not trust God; when we trust God we do not worry. When we worry, we do not pray. We may say prayers, but that is not praying. When we pray, we do not worry.

The cure for worry is believing prayer. Paul says, "Stop perpetually worrying about even one thing," but instead, "In every thing be prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God." Then what will happen? God's peace will mount guard over your heart like a sentinel, keeping worry darts out.

The same thoughts are found in Matthew 6:25: "Stop perpetually worrying about your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on." The cure for worry here is in obeying the admonition, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." That is, put God first in your finances, and you will never want for the necessities of life.

In I Peter 5:7 the Greek text reads, "Depositing with Him the whole of your worry; for He is concerned about you."

There was a man called Titedios Amerimnos. Titedios was his pagan name. When he became a

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.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

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

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Renewing Artificial Flowers.

Artificial flowers may be made to look like new by placing them over the steam of boiling water for a few minutes.

Shake Blankets Before Washing.

Before washing blankets, shake them well, then let them soak in warm water, to which a handful of borax has been added, for 15 minutes. Wring them out and wash in soap suds.

Keep Lids Odorless.

Be sure lids of saucepans are kept perfectly clean of odors. The flavor of one dish clinging to the lid may spoil another dish of different flavor.

If You Had MY JOB

KEEPING HOUSE, helping take care of the family—you would realize that business girls are not the only ones who sometimes get Headache and Tired Aching Muscles. We home girls often work just as hard and have just as many Headaches, just as many Stomach Upsets and get just as Tired.

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 29-6tc

SOCIETY

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 43

Shower Compliments Mr. and Mrs. Chippie Griffin Friday P. M.

Mesdames Glenn Goodwin, Bill Ownbey, Audie Brown, Leroy Gibson and W. F. Statser were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Friday afternoon, Feb. 22, as a compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Chippie Griffin, who were recently married.

Mrs. Grady Magee greeted the guests at the door and presented them to the bride, who headed the receiving line composed further of Mrs. W. B. Griffin, mother of the groom, Mrs. G. C. Foster and Miss Faye Griffin, sisters of the groom.

Mrs. Ownbey secured the signatures of the guests in the bride's book and invited them into the dining room where the table was centered with a miniature bride and groom placed on a reflector and surrounded by nandina berries and leaves and flanked by white tapers in crystal holders. The color scheme of white and red was further emphasized by bouquets of red carnations and other seasonal flowers. Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Brown served punch.

REPAIR WORK

Upholstery work, furniture repair, vacuum cleaners, electric fans and motors, key and lock work, sewing machines, etc.

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On the Stage at Rialto Theatre, in Person, Tuesday Only, March 5th



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JACK SPARKS—Impersonating your favorite Stars of the Radio, Stage and Screen.

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Hot spiced tea and cookies were served by Mrs. Merl Kincaid, hospitality chairman.

Birthday Celebration for Harry Schlagal

The 57th birthday of Harry Schlagal was observed by his wife and children at the Schlagal home on Sunday, Feb. 24th. All the children were at home together for the first time in eight years. A birthday dinner was served at the noon hour and the day was complete but for the attendance of two sons-in-law, who were unable to be here.

Those present for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Schlagal; Robert Schlagal, his wife and children, R. C. Martha and Sue, of Rankin; Mrs. Grover Yocham and Barbara and Charles, of Brawley, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Phillips, her husband and children, Jane, Larry and Steve, of Crowell, and Mrs. R. R. Yocham and children, Claude Harry and Roy Lee, of Brawley, Calif.

Shower at Richard Ellis Home Feb. 20

Mrs. Frank Love was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Richard Ellis on Wednesday afternoon, February 20. She was presented with a number of lovely gifts.

Games were played and refreshments served to the following: Mrs. Love, Mrs. Texas Ford, Mrs. Jessie Gamble, Mrs. Marlin Thompson and son, Jimmy, Mrs. J. H. Woodman, Mrs. E. W. Kidd, Mrs. Buster Manning and daughter, Carla, Mrs. Shelby Wallace and daughters, Edna Ruth and Joellene, Mrs. Jabus Harris and daughter, Linda, Misses Billie and Betty Love and the hostess and two daughters, Mary Sue and Sharon Ann.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

On Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20, Mrs. B. W. Self was hostess to Columbian Club members at her home.

The program for the meeting dealt with "World Problems" and Mrs. Pearl Carter was lesson leader with Mesdames Charlie Thompson and N. J. Roberts assisting.

Mrs. Grady Magee, club president, presided during the business period. She announced that she had selected Mesdames Carvel Thompson, Pearl Carter, Charlie Wishon and Miss Elizabeth Elliott for the 1946-47 year book committee. Mrs. Grady Magee was elected substitute alternate for the club meeting to be held in Amarillo.

Twenty members responded to roll call with interesting current events on various subjects. "Cartels" was the title of the article given by Mrs. Carter. She stated that most Americans do not like cartels but other nations do. The Americans still believe in free markets, but with our major foreign competitors in world markets operating as closed economies, free competition in many fields is likely to be obsolete.

Mrs. Roberts, in discussing world affairs, named the following as some of the factors contributing to the present state of unrest: The uprising in India; The trouble in China between the Communists and Nationalists; The secret agreement giving Russia the Kurile Islands; The atomic bomb secret; Strikes and the Telles-Pauley dispute.

Mrs. Thompson talked on the industrialization of China and resultant effects. She stated that the resourcefulness of the Chinese in maintaining their factories, under great difficulties, during the war, made it plain that no nation is better equipped to make the transition from agriculture to industry. She said that China is a nation trained in handicraft and the people are far beyond the Japanese in beauty and imagination of designs and could easily capture the trade prestige the Japanese once had in American markets.

A delicious salad plate, served at the conclusion of the program, made the refreshment feature of the meeting.

The club will meet March 6, in the home of Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mrs. J. E. Thompson entertained a group of little boys and girls at her home Monday afternoon, Feb. 25, to celebrate the fourth birthday of her grandson, Edward Houston White.

The birthday cake was served with ice cream to the following children: Edward Houston, Eugene Davis, Judy Borchardt, Karl Bell, Carol Bell, Noel Wilkins, Jana Black, Claude Dean Sellers, Sandra White, Jeana White, Sandra Sim-

mons, Danna Young and Jeanette Balibruch.

Games were played by the group and many birthday remembrances were presented the honoree.

FAMILY REUNION

A reunion of the Coats and Ketchersid families was held Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mabe of Crowell. Mrs. Mabe and Mrs. Homer Ketchersid were hostesses for the occasion which was in honor of Dr. F. B. Coats of Hardy, Miss. and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Coats of Granada, Miss. Dr. Coats is here to visit his mother, Mrs. E. A. Coats, and other relatives. He is a brother of Mrs. Mabe.

Forty guests were present. The main feature of the celebration was a basket lunch served on Sunday. The enjoyment of being together offered much pleasure.

Those attending were: Bro. C. M. Walkup, his wife and daughter, Donna Marie, and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ketchersid, all of Gould, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Ketchersid and children, Billy Jean and Gayle, of Medicine Mound; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ketchersid and daughter, Dolores, of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powers of Woodburn, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Coats Bentley of Abilene; Mrs. E. A. Coats of Chillicothe; Miss Virginia Mabe of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. David Coats and children, Victor III, Genene and Gilbert, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Louie Cure and son, Mike, of Quanah; Dr. F. B. Coats of Hardy, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Coats of Granada, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Coats and children, Joyce, Wayne, Ellen, Peggy and Paul, of Seagraves, Victor of Austin and Jean of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ketchersid and daughter, Charleia, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mabe and daughter, Frankie, of Crowell.

Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. H. V. Coats are sisters of Homer Ketchersid. Coats Bentley, Ted Coats, Wayne Coats, Victor Coats, Joyce Coats, E. J. Powers, Mrs. Powers and Louie Cure have recently been discharged from the U. S. service.

ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelpian Club met in regular session last Wednesday at the club house with Mrs. Earl Manard as hostess.

During the business session, Mrs. Richard Ferguson was elected delegate to the district meeting which convenes on March 7 and 8.

"New Guinea" was the subject for the afternoon's program which was handled in a most interesting manner by the speakers, Mrs. Manard and Mrs. Claude Brooks. New Guinea, besides being one of the Pacific Islands of importance in World War 2, is one of the richest holdings for the Dutch and English that they have in their colonial possessions.

The tribes which inhabit it differ not only in physical char-

acteristics but in customs, habits and dialects. The coast towns and cities are so much further advanced by cultural and religious contact with foreigners than the mountainous regions inhabited by the head hunters and pygmies.

Veneral diseases are not found to the extent they are in other islands. The people are religiously inclined when they have been given the opportunity to accept Christianity. The people of America have a closer connection to many places that they were not even interested in before the war for some of our soldiers sleep there.

An appetizing plate was served by the hostess at the close of the program.

FOARD CITY W. S. C. S.

On Monday afternoon, February 25, members of the Foard City Woman's Society of the Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. G. G. Mills, with Mrs. W. L. Johnson, president, in the chair. Following the opening song, "Take Time to be Holy," Mrs. O. N. Barker led in prayer and the business of the society was discussed. Mrs. Virgil Johnson told of the district meeting to be held in Vernon on Friday, Feb. 29, at which time Miss Kathryn Bieri, a field worker for the Woman's Division, will speak. All members were urged to attend the meeting.

An interesting leaflet, "Peace Through His Cross," was then presented. Mrs. R. E. Sparks gave "A Star of Hope Has Risen" with Mrs. W. L. Johnson aiding in the opening reading. Mrs. Sparks told of the mineral products of Africa and compared the wealth of Africa's diamonds with the wealth of opportunity for Christianity's work among the people of the Dark Continent.

Mrs. Virgil Johnson gave an enlightening discussion of the colored woman in war industries. She told how education has helped the African people to make great strides in culture, medicine, industry and religion. Mrs. O. N. Baker assisted in the dialogue of that part.

The story of youngsters at the Bantu clinic was told by Mrs. W. L. Johnson, who also told of the superstitions of the African mothers concerning their babies. Throughout the study of the day, the urgent need of missionaries with spiritual and medical training to work among these people, was stressed.

Mrs. J. M. Barker gave the devotional on salvation; its promises, its joys and its responsibilities. Fourteen members were present and were served delicious refreshments by the hostess.

THALIA 4-H CLUB

The Thalia 4-H Club girls met on Friday, February 15, in the typing room of the school with Miss Elizabeth Elliott in charge of the meeting.

Miss Elliott demonstrated how to repair electric cords. The next meeting will be held on March 1.

Popular Fun Makers to Be at Rialto

Those inimitable kings of comedy, Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, offer a field day of hilarity and madness in "Bud Abbott and Lou Costello in Hollywood," which will be at the Rialto Theatre on March 3rd and 4th.

Familiar scenes of Hollywood and the making of pictures lend both interest and credence to the story, and audiences are given a chance to catch their breath between laughs by a number of lighthearted musical interludes. Robert Stanton, a talented comedian to films, sings "I Hope Band Keeps Playing," "As a Member You" and "Fun on Midway."

These are aided by actress Frances Rafferty, in the lead, pert Jean Porter as a curist, Warner Anderson and Mazurki.

BUSINESS CHANGE

I have bought the cleaning plant and business of the City Cleaners and took over operation of the business Tuesday morning.

Doyle Kenner, Mrs. Tom Russell and Mrs. Bill Russell will continue to assist in the operation of the shop.

Your patronage under the new ownership and management will be appreciated.

IKE WILSON

ANNOUNCEMENT

Until further notice the IDEAL CAFE and the DeLUXE CAFE will be Closed Every Other Sunday in order that the operators and help may have a day's rest.

The Ideal Cafe will be closed all day Sunday, March 3rd, and on Sunday March 10th the LeDuxe will be closed, and so on until a time when it is thought necessary for both cafes to be open on Sundays in order that the public may be properly served.

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