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Supt. Graves Releases Crowell Honor Rolls

The following are the names of those who made the required grade for the various honor rolls in the Crowell Schools as released by Superintendent Grady Graves.

Crowell High School High Honor Roll

Peggy Pittillo, Mary Johnson, Bertharone Hardage, Bobby Stinebaugh, Rody Self, Bobby Hord, Betty Williams, Joe Ray Setliff, Montez Laquay, Emilie Kajs, Jackie Wesley, Betty Jo Smith, Clara Jones, Myrtle Bartley, Peggy Evenson, Bobbie Brock, Evelyn Kajs, Faye Jones.

Crowell High School Low Honor Roll

Ann Haynie, Peggy Traweck, Virginia McKown, Violet Rummel, Pat Rhodes, F. L. Ballard, Alton Johnson, Mary Ray Ayers, Mary Edna Norman, Jimmy Clifton, Doyle Sparks, Gordon Wood Bell, Billy Bond, Richard Brock, Patsy Fox, Melvin Newland.

Intermediate Department High Honor Roll

Dora Bonsel, Clo Vonne McKown, Jean Whitly.

Intermediate Department Low Honor Roll

John Henry Harris, John Allan Greening, Bertha Johnson, Jane Bruce, Barbara White, Elwin Setliff, Norma Matthews, Maurice Younce, Essie Franklin, Charline Ketchersid, Maida King, Nancy Rhodes, Virginia Tاملen, Lois Evenson, Bessie Franklin, Kenneth Fox, Marcia Newland, Pauline Wheeler, Paul Cooper, Robert Graves, Billy Smith, Carolyn Bell, Ramona Brown, Ann Davis, Rossella Denton, Mary Lynn Hough, Genevieve McDaniel, Billie J. Bell, Billye McCoy, Lena Fay White, Wanda Murphy, Joyce Ribble, Ann Reithmayer, Rosie Lee Roberts.

Primary Department Perfect Attendance

Jimmy Frank Cates, Wayne Chatfield, Gary Tom Ferguson, Billy Max Edgin, Aidan Garrett, Carolyn Bursay, Dana Loy Roberts, Joann Fox, Gail Knox, Jackie Walker, Charlene Borchardt, Joe Wheeler.

Thalia Honor Rolls Are Announced

As announced by Mrs. Howard Bursay, principal of the Thalia school, the following names appear on the honor rolls for the past six-weeks' period:

High Honor Roll

Don Wisdom, Billy Hopkins, Rufus Whitman, Peggy Long, Lottie Gilbert, Mary Cato, Vida Jean Tarver, Mary Evelyn Hall, Carolyn Lindsay, Raxiann Adkins.

Low Honor Roll

Virginia Railsback, Lana Joyce Short, Duane Cates, James Hall, Kenneth Hopkins, Jane Cooper, Rita Gilbert, La Rue Mason, Karen Hall, Mary Lou Blevins, Gaylon Whitman, Dearl Temple Jimmie Lindsey, Icaac Kuba, Max Hammonds, Ocie Tarver, Peggy Cates, Cecilia Cole, Peggy Ann Werley, Dorothy Gamble, Coleman Self, Bennie Short, Orval Railsback, Brian Wright.

Perfect Attendance Roll

Kenneth Hopkins, Dearl Temple, Peggy Long, Carolyn Lindsey.

ROTARY CLUB

Glenn Goodwin of the Borchardt Chevrolet Co. gave a classification talk on parts at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club at the DeLuxe Cafe, Carol Cato of the Crowell High School, attended for the first time as the junior Rotarian for the next three months.

Ticket sales for the Vernon Lions Club Minstrel here tomorrow night are underway, it was announced by the president.

We Invite—

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce

Mr. Joe Ben Roberts

to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Rialto Theatre in Crowell. We want you to be our guests.

THE RIALTO THEATRE
The Foard County News



FASHIONABLE . . . While not as famous as Anatole of Paris, Daniel Loreski of Pittsburgh, only 15, is coming right along as a fashion designer. He casts a critical eye at one of his creations.

Planting Shrubs and Shade Trees

"There is still time to buy and plant shrubs or shade trees; in fact, this is a very good season to transplant young trees to the home landscape from either the nursery or the woods," said Eddie Haffield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. & M. College, points out.

A tree with a relatively smooth bark is a good choice, as the smooth bark usually means that it is a rapidly growing tree. Most trees grow faster if they're taken while young and when the trunk is not larger than an inch or two in diameter.

In taking the tree, take up as much as possible of the root system. Nearly all trees which drop their leaves in winter can be taken up bare-rooted, but the roots should not be allowed to dry. Miss Hatfield suggests that the root system be covered with wet straw, leaves or wet sacks to keep it moist until re-set in the ground. Cut split or damaged roots back to the undamaged parts.

The place where the tree is to be planted should be prepared before going to the woods, Miss Hatfield says, so there won't be a delay in getting the tree in the ground again. Prune one-half to three-fourths of the top, since one-half to three-fourths of the root system will necessarily be lost. If the tree is to be used for shade, the lower limbs may be removed first.

Among the trees which are easy to transplant with bare roots and which make a good ground cover are box elder, ash, pecan, walnut, elm, cedar, cottonwood, sycamore, redbud, maple, and hackberry, Miss Hatfield says.

Liveoak, magnolia, cedar and holly are good for screens or background plantings, and are evergreens which must be taken up with a ball of earth. Pruning at least half of the top growth and picking off about half of the remaining leaves will help the plants to establish themselves, Miss Hatfield says.

Independent Cagers Won 3rd Tournament Last Friday Night

The Crowell Independent Basketball Team won its third invitational tournament last Friday night when it defeated the Turkey team 50 to 40 in the final game of the Matador tournament. Crowell had previously won the Monday and Northside, Vernon, tournaments.

The Crowell boys defeated Roaring Springs 79 to 24 and Flo-mot 63 to 48 to reach the finals in the Matador tournament. The victory over Turkey made thirteen straight games that the Crowell boys have won. George Ray Colvin, former all American, was in Turkey's lineup. He made several goals from the middle of the 17 points, respectively. Russell and Marvin Myers were high in scoring for Crowell with 22 and 17 points respectively. Russell scored 45 points in the Roaring Springs game. Cotton Owens and Charles Nelson played an excellent floor game for Crowell.

Other players who performed for Crowell in these games were, Grady Graves, Glendon Russell, Clifford White, Bill Owens, Bob Edwards and Marcus Mills.

Mrs. E. V. Halbert's Mother Dies Feb. 21

Mrs. I. S. Rundell, 86, mother of Mrs. E. V. Halbert, died at her home in Walnut Springs on Saturday, Feb. 21. Mrs. Halbert and her son, Grady, were in Walnut Springs at the time of Mrs. Rundell's death and remained for the funeral.

FFA Stock Judging Team Won First at Wichita Falls Show

The Crowell FFA stock judging team composed of Bobby Jack Stinebaugh, Gordon Wood Bell, and Charles Wishon won first place in the annual Jaycee-sponsored district Four-H and FFA Calf Show held at Wichita Falls on Wednesday of last week. Charles Hudgens is the alternate on this team. Marvin L. Myers, vocational agriculture teacher, coached this winning combination. There were twenty-one teams competing in this meet. The Crowell boys scored 975 points out of a possible 1200 score. Wichita, Knox, and Clay County teams tied for second place in this meet with a score of 960 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wishon accompanied these boys to the Times Publishing Company luncheon that was held in Wichita Falls on Friday, February 27th at which time an award of \$20.00 was presented to them.

Bobby Jack Stinebaugh and Charles Hudgens are sophomores in Crowell High School, and Gordon Wood Bell and Charles Wishon are freshmen. This team will represent Crowell in the area contest that is to be held at Stephenville on April 10th.

Good Sale at the Stock Barn Tuesday

The sale of 250 to 300 livestock at a good price at the sales barns Tuesday was reported this week. Bulkers sold from \$16.00 to \$27.50 and stockers to \$25.50.

Veterans News

Only veterans taking full-time courses in schools or colleges will be entitled to increased subsistence allowances under a law signed February 14 by the President, the Veterans Administration has announced.

Veterans taking any of the following types of training are not entitled to the increase, but will continue to receive subsistence at the old rates of \$65 monthly for those without dependents and \$90 for those with dependents:

1. Institutional on-the-job training and part-time institutional training.
2. On-the-job training or apprenticeships.
3. Combination training in which students attend school part time and are employed part time, usually in related fields.
4. Internship and residency training; and graduate training under a Fellowship requiring a reduced credit course-load because of services rendered under provisions of the Fellowship.

Eligible veterans now in school who are entitled to \$75 (no dependents) or \$105 (one dependent), will not have to apply for the increase. VA, requesting that these veterans not write, said it had sufficient information to make automatic increases.

However, veterans entitled to \$120 a month because they have more than one dependent, will be required to submit evidence of their increased dependents before the increased payments can be made. For dependent children, photostats or certified birth certificate copies will be necessary. For dependent parents, evidence of actual dependency must be submitted. If veterans now training submit evidence prior to July 1, 1948, they will receive retroactive payments at the new rates back to April 1, 1948.

The higher rates are applicable after April 1. However, since subsistence allowance checks are not due until the end of the month in which the veteran is in training, most of the eligible veterans will receive their first checks at the higher rates on or shortly after May 1, VA said.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients in:

- Mrs. W. W. Nichols
- Mrs. Cleve Gordon
- Mrs. Maggie Killen
- J. W. Klepper

Patients Dismissed:

- Carla Manning
- Mrs. Stella Brown
- Mrs. Edward Williams
- Tom Eubanks
- Lewis Phelps
- Mrs. Jewel Russell
- Keaton Barker
- Mrs. Bob Taylor
- Mrs. Homer Ketchersid
- Mrs. Melba Jean Naron
- Mrs. Bill Dunn
- Bobby Powers
- Mrs. H. B. Evenson
- Mrs. Marie Reagan
- C. P. Sandifer
- Mrs. W. T. Dunn
- Magaline Tucker (Col)

California leads all the states in the number of acres under irrigation.

Christian Church Minister Returns from Coast Trip

Mr. V. M. Newland, new minister of the Christian Church, reports he is glad to be back after a 4-weeks' absence on a lecture tour of the West Coast, from Seattle, Wash., to Los Angeles, Cal.

On his trip Mr. Newland spoke before 27 church and school groups on the theme of Christian world strategy to "win the peace," and Christian missions.

Mr. Newland preached at both services at this church here last Sunday and will be preaching regularly at both morning and evening services hereafter.

S. S. Benefits for Survivors of Vets

Many people do not know that old-age and survivors insurance benefits may be payable to survivors of World War II veterans who die within 3 years after the date of discharge from service, even in cases where the veteran did not have a social security account number issued.

Erton F. Tate, manager of the Wichita Falls office of the Social Security Administration, cites the case of a war bride, whose husband died recently. He had earned only two quarters of coverage from jobs covered by the Social Security Act, and so was neither fully nor currently insured on the basis of his civilian wage record. But he had served in the armed forces for 31 months; and had been honorably discharged. Under the veterans amendment to the Social Security Act, his war service had provided him with a fully insured status for the 3-year period following his discharge.

The families of all veterans of World War II who have served in the armed forces at least 90 days and are honorably discharged, are afforded this protection under the amendment.

The widow applied for and received a lump-sum death payment of about \$200. Three months later she gave birth to a son. She and her child immediately became eligible for monthly benefits. Prospective benefits in the total amount of this case amount to well over \$8,500. The child's benefits stop when he attains age 18.

Mr. Tate urges survivors of veterans of World War II, as well as those of wage earners who at one time or another have worked in social security jobs, to ask the nearest social security office for information concerning their right to old-age and survivors insurance benefits.

Bishop Seleckman Will Preach at Methodist Church on March 14th

Bishop Charles C. Seleckman of the Dallas area of Methodist Churches will preach at the morning service at 11:00 o'clock on Sunday, March 14 and will dedicate the new organ, chimes and other gifts recently made to the church. All members are urged to be present and all friends are invited to attend. This will be an outstanding opportunity and privilege and it is hoped by those in charge of arrangements that many will avail themselves of the chance to hear this great leader of men and servant of God.

The church people are asked to invite their friends to be present at the services of the day.

Witherspoon Buys Interest in Garage

H. W. Witherspoon has bought the interest of Jake Parrish in the King and Parrish repair shop on North Main and assumed his duties Monday. Mr. Witherspoon has been working as a body repair man at Self Motor Co.

Be content to seem what you really are.—Martial.



STEAM TRIUMPHS OVER DIESEL . . . The steam-powered Kokoda crosses finish line at St. Louis to win hands down in the 1,051-mile race from New Orleans against the diesel-powered Helena in the Mississippi river "tombola derby." Each towboat started from New Orleans pushing a full load of four barges in the contest to determine whether steam or diesel power is more efficient in river transportation. The Kokoda beat the Helena by more than 200 miles.

Red Cross Drive Goes Over First Day; Workers Alert

The quota in the Red Cross drive for 1948 in Foard County was reached early on the day the campaign was opened. The appointed workers followed the pattern of a number of years and got the campaign under way in earnest early Monday morning, March 1st.

The quota for the county was \$1,126.00 and more than that amount will be collected before the close of the campaign. Alton Bell, drive chairman, was able to send a telegram to headquarters on the first day that the quota had been attained. However, all communities have not made a full report.

Plans for the drive in Foard County were made last Wednesday night at a kick-off banquet for the workers and officers at the DeLuxe Cafe. The weather prevented the attendance of a full representation of workers but enough enthusiasm was evidenced by those present to make sure the success of the campaign.

Hubert Brown, County chairman, presided at the banquet. After preliminary remarks concerning the drive, he called on a guest speaker, Mrs. V. M. Newland, who spoke first-hand of the great aid the Red Cross had been in saving lives in Santa Tomas prison camp in Manila, where she and her family were interned for a long period of time. Especially did she speak of the drugs sent by Red Cross to combat disease.

Another guest speaker was W. R. Rolten of Lubbock, assistant director with the Veterans' Claim Service, who has been deputized to aid in the Red Cross drive. He spoke briefly of the National Blood program for civilian use, a new project of the Red Cross.

Now Is the Time to Care for Orchards

Winter is the time to do most of the jobs in the orchard, and winter will soon be over. If the orchard isn't ready for spring weather, better get busy.

That's the word from Joe Burkett, County Extension agent, and he suggests that it should be done right away.

Finish up winter pruning. Pruning is harmful for trees begin to develop new blooms, and that's usually in March.

Winter spraying is a job that should be done before the buds begin to swell. Winter spray for scale can be made of 1 1/2 gallons of commercial oil emulsion to 50 gallons of water.

There is still time, Burkett says, to replace old trees or add new ones in the orchard. He warns against setting new trees too deep. They should be set at the same depth that they stood in the nursery row. Cut the tops back about a third when the trees are set out.

TO VISIT CROWELL LODGE

District Deputy Grand Master C. R. Sherwood of Quanah will make his official visit to Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M. on Monday night, Feb. 8, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

Robert E. Lee and George Meade were the opposing generals at the Battle of Gettysburg.

Montpelier is the capital of Vermont.

Rotary Club Is Sponsoring Vernon Lions Club Minstrel Tomorrow Night at Crowell High School Auditorium

Members of the Vernon Lions Club will stage a minstrel show at the Crowell High School auditorium tomorrow night, March 5. This entertainment is being sponsored by the Crowell Rotary Club.

An annual event in Vernon, those in charge of the show report that it will be their best minstrel ever staged. Three weeks of intense rehearsals have been completed and the cast is letter perfect. The black face cast includes John Rasor, former Crowell resident, also some of the finest talent in Vernon, and a perfect night of entertainment is promised.

Funds derived by the Crowell Rotary Club will be applied toward financing the annual Club Boy calf show.

Raise in School Tax Rate Will Be Voted on April 3

The Trustees of Crowell Independent School District met in regular session last Monday night and decided to ask the patrons of this District to vote on a petition to raise the local tax rate from \$1.00 on the \$100.00 valuation to \$1.25 on the \$100.00 valuation. This 25 cent raise is necessary if Crowell maintains the full nine months of school. The Trustees of Crowell School want the public to know that the minimum salary as set up by the State Department of Education is being paid to all teachers, and the operating expenses of the school have been as economical as reasonably possible. The rise in prices of all operating expenses have forced the board to reach this decision. There have been forty signers to the petition for this advance in tax rate. This petition will be voted upon Saturday, April 3, at the same time that the trustee election is held. This election will be held in the Court house.

Most of the school districts of this section of the state have already raised their taxes to either a \$1.25 or \$1.50 rate including Quanar, Chillicothe, Vernon, Childers, Wichita Falls, Matador, Floydada and Truscott.

Campaign Launched to Bring Battleship Texas Back to Texas

The Motion Picture Industry in Texas, in cooperation with the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce, will launch a campaign to raise funds to bring the Battleship Texas back to her home state during the period of February 20th to March 13th, according to an announcement received by Jeff Hardin, who said that the local theatre would participate.

Motion Picture Industry leaders at Dallas pledged the cooperation of every independent and circuit theatre in the state in making collections to raise the sum necessary for the permanent berthing of the Texas at the San Jacinto battle shrine, on April 21st.

Karl Hohlitzelle, president of Interstate Theatres, is Chairman.

Mr. Kobitzelle, in accepting chairmanship of the committee, said he was proud that the Motion Picture Theatre Industry of the state was cooperating with the Junior Chamber of Commerce on the project.

Former Knox County Man Victim of Traffic Accident

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Westbrook of Truscott were among several people from Knox County who attended funeral services held for J. B. Lee at Seagraves Saturday, Feb. 28.

Mr. Lee was the victim of a traffic accident on last week's icy pavement. He was the son of Mrs. Ben Lee of Brownfield and the late Ben Lee, both of whom were reared in Truscott. The father was also a victim of a traffic accident several years ago.

GOOD RAIN FALLS

A good rain fell over Foard County last week and Sunday afternoon of this week. The moisture measured one and four-tenths in Crowell, but was reported heavier in other parts of the county.

Durham Given 5-Year Suspended Sentence in Trial

The jury in the case of the State of Texas vs. Henry Durham, charged with murder, which was tried in District Court last week, found the defendant guilty as charged and he was assessed a 5-year suspended sentence.

Carelessness and Ignorance Factors in Spreading Diseases

Austin, Texas. — "Carelessness and ignorance represent two of the most powerful factors in spreading communicable disease from man to man. No more emphatic example of this fact exists than the continued ravages of tuberculosis. In spite of the knowledge of its causes and spread, and of curative methods, tuberculosis is still a very serious problem not only in Texas, but throughout the United States," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"It is true that tuberculosis no longer is first on the list of killing diseases as it was formerly," Dr. Cox said, "but despite having been reduced to fifth place in Texas, it still is responsible for more deaths between the ages of fifteen and forty-five than any other disease. And this fact exists even though the majority of tuberculosis patients could have their condition arrested if it were recognized early and proper treatment applied."

"Treatment of the early recognized case is essential. It is of equal importance, from a public health viewpoint, that the spread of this devastating infection be prevented. A more intelligent appreciation of this fact would result in the saving of thousands of lives."

"When a diagnosis of active tuberculosis has been made, examination of all of the other members of the immediate family should be made as a matter of course. Tuberculosis runs in families, not because of any special susceptibility to the disease, but because it is communicable, being usually transmitted through close and prolonged contact with the active case."

To reduce the number of deaths caused by tuberculosis, Dr. Cox suggests periodic examination of all adults, a check-up by physicians of the known active cases and contacts, regular examinations of high school children, isolation or hospitalization of the active tuberculosis case, and a more intelligent application of hygienic living principles.

Rayland Farmer Died Thursday of Last Week

L. D. Mansel, 71, retired farmer of Rayland, died at his home Thursday following a long illness. Funeral services were held at the Thalia Baptist Church Saturday afternoon with Rev. John Gilbert, Pastor officiating. Interment was made in the Thalia cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, one son, one step-son, and six daughters. Mr. Mansel came to Foard County in 1907. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Formal Opening of Paducah Jewelry Store March 6-7

C. A. Killingsworth is announcing the formal opening of his new jewelry store on the west side of the square in Paducah with a 30-inch ad in this issue of the paper. The opening will take place Friday and Saturday, March 6 and 7, and refreshments will be served. The store is voted by salemen, who have seen it, as the best and most modern in West Texas. The store is well staffed with three watch-makers and three salesmen.

Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Mrs. C. H. Wood) Mrs. Leroy Henry was confined to a Vernon hospital a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray and children of Hereford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Matthews and family. Mrs. Mary Ruth Boyd of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins and her son, Milton Howard Boyd, Sunday. Junior Swan of Borger spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan. Mr. and Mrs. Don Day and daughter, Donna, left for their home in Grand Prairie Sunday after visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor took Mrs. Percy Taylor to her home in Denver City Thursday after a few days visit with relatives here and in Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunn and family of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dunn, Sunday. They were enroute to

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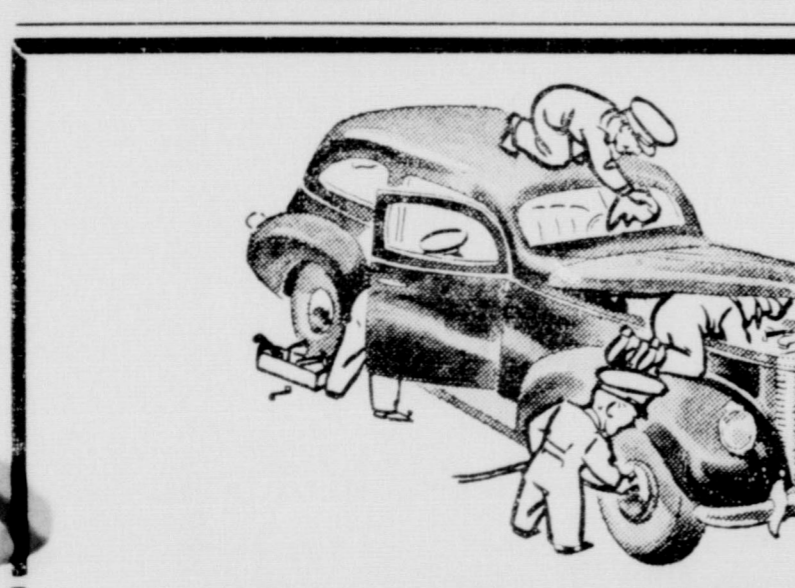
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. In what book was Simon Lee a character? 2. In what presidential campaign was "The Full Dinner Pail" the slogan? 3. What president ran on the slogan, "Back to Normalcy"? 4. Who wrote the story "The Last of the Mohicans"? 5. What president was defeated for his second term by Benjamin Harrison and four years later defeated Harrison for re-election? 6. Whom did Franklin Roosevelt defeat in his first race for the presidency? 7. Whom was Herbert Hoover's opponent in his first presidential race? 8. Against whom did Calvin Coolidge run for the presidency in 1924? 9. With what general is the expression "I'll fight it out along these lines if it takes all summer," associated? 10. With what Naval hero are the words, "Don't give up the ship," associated? (Answers on page 3).

THURSDAY LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ferguson of Crowell visited the C. C. Lindsey's Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burson of Levelland visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley Saturday. John H. Banister of Oklahoma City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister, during the past week. He was enroute to Abilene where he gave three lectures at Abilene Christian College during the annual lectureship week. He was accompanied by his parents and his aunt, Mrs. Grover Nichols of Crowell, who attended the lectures. Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford are visiting his father, J. R. Ford, in Kitchett, Colo. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Matthews and family of Lubbock visited his father, J. F. Matthews and family over the week-end. Wayne and Glen Gamble returned Saturday after spending the week in Hereford looking after property. Mrs. Ben Hogan returned home Monday after submitting to an operation in a Wichita Falls hospital last week. Mrs. Isaac Shultz of Vernon brought her mother-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Shultz home Sunday after a few days stay with Mrs. Walter Cates, who has been ill in her home in Vernon. Edwin Oliver and family of Knox City visited his sister, Mrs. G. W. Scales and husband Sunday of last week. Mrs. Ruby Newsome, Lana Joyce and Bennie Gene Short visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ford in Goodlett Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray and daughter, Beverly Ann, left Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ferguson, of Cotulla, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray of Vernon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gray Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bledsoe of Colorado are here on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. R. E. Main. The phonograph record production last year in this country was about 400,000,000 records.

RIVERSIDE

(By Mrs. Cap Adkins) Mr. and Mrs. George Grant and sons of Hollister, Okla., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope. Mesdames Isaac Shultz of Vernon and Bertha Shultz of Thalia visited in the Cap Adkins home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Les Hammonds have been attending the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Leroy Henry in a Vernon hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pyle are spending a few days with Mrs. Houston Adkins and children in Coffeyville, Kansas, attending a Co-op meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lowe of Vernon visited their aunt, Mrs. Allie Huntley Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Joe Wood and Barbara and Shirley Solli of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Bergt. George Ishm of Farmers Valley spent Sunday with Tim Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lena Rummel, of Vernon. Mrs. Rummel is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and family of Vernon spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Edward Sokara, and family. They were accompanied by her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Less Brittan of Childress. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock and family visited with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Brock of Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs and Veda, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tillery of South Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shultz and son spent Saturday in Wichita Falls. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter of Thalia, who had been visiting there. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and Children of Rayland visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cox and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Autry Pope and daughter visited in the Melvin Barnes home of Elliott a while Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. August Patus of Seymour. Mrs. Paul Raska is in a Vernon hospital very ill. Walter Carr of Five-in-One spent Tuesday with his daughter, Mrs. Bob Miller, and husband. Carl Martingale spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jonighan of Elliott. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vecera of Crowell were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Machae Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and family visited in the C. D. Haney and Buster Lindsey homes of Five-in-One Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shultz and son visited in the Bill Latham home of Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs and daughters were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Feemester of Vernon Sunday night. Mesdames Lela Johnson and daughter and Jettie Lou Raska have returned to their home at Thalia after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice. Mrs. Bob Miller spent Monday of last week with Mrs. Albert McWilliams of Crowell. Tommie Tucker, who has been visiting his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice has come to Wichita Falls where he has employment. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Barnes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jonighan and daughter of Elliott spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope. Pfc. Rex Whitten of Chanute Field, Ill., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and children and H. H. Hopkins visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Koontz of East Vernon Sunday.

MONEY TO BURN

During 1947, fire waste hit its all-time high in this country. In the course of the year, there were 33 conflagrations—the term the fire insurance underwriters apply to blazes involving a property loss of \$1,000,000 or more. Those 33 fires alone destroyed more than \$100,000,000 worth of property. But this was less than one-sixth of the \$624,000,000 total loss. No wonder Europe thinks we have money to burn. It is widely believed that great fires are confined to large centers of population and the major industrial areas. But that isn't true. One-third of last year's conflagrations occurred in towns with 10,000 population or less. More and more high-value properties are moving out of the metropolises and into the country. That presents the towns and industries of the nation with a real problem—a problem that demands quick action. In many cases, fire departments and related facilities are completely inadequate to handle the job. In other instances, industrial and home maintenance has been poor. Finally, according to Business Week, there hasn't been enough attention to safety in the use of new industrial processes and materials. These are basic causes of big fires and of little fires as well. Every one of them can be cured if communities, home owners and the managers and workers in industry will do their part. We can make America safe from the horrible menace of fire—but we can't do it by talking. It will take work

Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

Budget requirements, as well as declining inventories, will necessitate a slash of 500 workers from War Assets Administration payrolls in the five states of the southwest during March. The cut will mean that the agency will lose more than a third of its present force of 1,450 at the same time it must launch a final sales drive on remaining war surplus in the area. An overall inventory is now being rushed to completion while sales of personal property are suspended before start of the "clean-up" liquidation program. Bulk of the personnel cut will come in the Grand Prairie headquarters office with additional reductions to be made in field office staffs at San Antonio, Houston, New Orleans, Little Rock and Oklahoma City. To trim down the agency's load in disposing of remaining surplus by the end of the fiscal year, the armed forces have agreed to withhold further declarations of surplus property until after the June 30 deadline. Recently, at request of the Secretary of Defense, the WAA halted all disposal operations at Sheppard Field, Camp Maxey and Camp Gruher for the same period. Yet the southwest area still has approximately \$75,000,000 in personal property to market or transfer, as well as nearly a billion dollars worth of surplus real estate of various kinds. Shaping up for its liquidation task, the area will become one of ten operating regions in the national WAA organization on March 1, instead of being designated as a zone. Headquarters will remain at Grand Prairie, with selling offices in the former regional locations. More than half of all surplus agricultural land disposed of so far has been bought back from the government by former owners, a WAA survey has disclosed. Two high priority purchasers, former owners and veterans, have purchased most of the 445,981 acres disposed of. Despite discounts allowed the priority buyers, including federal and state agencies, prices were generally good, averaging about \$34 per acre. Another surplus military airfield is soon to be taken over by an adjoining city under the terms of Public Law 289. The War Assets Administration recently agreed to a contract for the award of Childrens Army Airfield to the city of Childress as of February 24. Childrens will get the airport property, some of the buildings and necessary maintenance equipment to keep the field in operation. Additional property at the field will be disposed of as surplus by WAA in the near future. Some 250 buildings at the field are now being offered to schools and other priorities until March 5. For those who like water fights with seltzer bottles or to blow things up generally, WAA now has nearly a million of the little CO 2 cylinders used by the services to inflate life preservers. Minimum purchase, however, will be 28,500 of the devices—enough

for a good-sized wind tunnel, maybe. Interested veterans will have until February 25 to place orders, others until March 1. Particulars will be supplied by WAA's Grand Prairie Customer Service Center. With 481 structures—the tail end of all buildings to be removed from the site—up for clearance, War Assets will hold a final location sale at Camp Bowie, Brownwood, of March 2, 3 and 4. Many of the buildings are huts, mess halls, barracks, storehouse and standard GI types. The public is invited to attend and to participate in the bidding, which WAA will conduct so that those desiring one or two buildings for their own use will get preference without delay, and without priority.

Hartford, Connecticut, is the "insurance capital" of the country. Every day its companies receive a total of \$2,000,000 in cash premiums.

The General Sherman red wood tree in Sequoia National Park in California is estimated to be 3,500 years old.

The new 200 inch telescope installed on Mount Palomar, Calif., is expected to penetrate into the universe one billion years. Measured in miles it would be the distance light travels in one billion years, or at the rate of 186,000 miles a second.

According to astronomers the universe is exploding. Spinning galaxies of stars are moving away from us at varying speeds some as 15,000 miles a second.

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Hear JOHN RASOR (in blackface) Singing "OLD FASHIONED GARDEN" and (with Quartet) "JERICHO ROAD" FUN! FUN! FUN!

This show sponsored by the CROWELL ROTARY CLUB - All Rotary proceeds will be applied toward financing Club Boy Calf Show. ADMISSION: 35c and 75c

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include PRUNES (21c), Orange Juice (6 for 75c), APPLES (Gal. 69c), Prune Plums (Gal. 66c), CRUSHED PINEAPPLE (Gal. 99c), WES-TEX CANE SYRUP (Gal. 98c), PI-DO (Pkg. 16c), SOONER Mustard Greens (3 for 29c), Pinto Beans (2 lbs 26c), GLADIOLA FLOUR (10 lb. 89c), HOMINY (3 cans 27c), OVEN BAKED BEANS Heinz (18c), ALMA New Potatoes (2 for 27c), PICTSWEET English Peas (Can 19c), TREND Soap Flakes (39c).

Hays Food Market Phone 6-M

Crowell, Texas, March 4, 1948

Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts and Sharon Fedore of Ballinger visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. T. T. Berg, in a Quannah hospital, and relatives in Truscott last week.

Berg, in a Quannah hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Illsing and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baty and son, Lewis, of Gilliland and Mr. and Mrs. Abb Illsing of Munday were called here on account of the illness of Mrs. Pete Illsing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hickman visited Mrs. Paul Russell of Leveland Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Hickman's mother, Mrs. Sloan, who remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Bud Myers and baby and Mrs. Ernest Tapp visited relatives in Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jones of Post, Texas visited relatives here

over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell.

Marion Chowning Sr. happened to the misfortune of getting the fore finger from his right hand cut off Thursday by an electric saw while working at Simpson Lumber Co.

Mrs. Bill Owens and Mrs. Larvo Lee Berg visited Mrs. T. T. Berg in a Quannah hospital Thursday.

Mrs. A. Haynie was taken to Quannah hospital Wednesday for treatment.

J. H. Lanier Jr. of Crowell called on friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Solomon were in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bleivins of Quannah visited his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. W. T. Bleivins, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Gillespie spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chowning and Mrs. J. Y. Lindsey of Vernon.

Walter Appling spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Baize and family of Snyder.

Jerry Strickland was brought from an Abilene hospital Friday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stedman Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Westbrook, Mrs. H. O. Clark, and Mrs. Lewis Jones visited Charles Burton in the Knox City hospital Saturday. They report his condition as not much changed. He has been in the hospital five months from serious burns.

Mrs. Woods of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Durham and family. She came to care for Mrs. Durham, who has been sick.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. Joe English of Glen Rose will be saddened by the death of Mrs. English Sunday Feb. 29. Rev. English was pastor the Baptist church here for several years and both have many friends here. Mrs. English has been in bad health for 3 years. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bleivins and son, Lee, were in Wichita Falls Monday.

MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter, Judy of Thalia spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Orr and daughter, Bettie, and C. W. Beidleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beidleman in Odessa over the week-end.

Tom Bryan of Artesia, N. M., spent the weekend with Mrs. Bryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Moore and daughter of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. J. W. Owens and grandmother Wallen Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Bradford and daughter of Lubbock spent this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy.

Mrs. O. E. Connell of Lubbock is here with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Owens because of illness of her mother, Mrs. G. W. Wallen.

J. W. Bradford is visiting his brother, Henry Bradford, in Lubbock this week.

Mrs. L. Y. Jameson of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook this week.

Mrs. Ray Ayers visited in Vernon last week.

Kenneth Connell of Lubbock is visiting his grandmother this week and helping care for Grandmother Wallen, who is sick.

Lock Reinhardt is here from the Government hospital at McKinney visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Lindsey of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis and family. Joan Lindsey spent Saturday night with Patty McGinnis and returned home with them Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buddy McCroary of Goodlett is here taking care of Mrs. Dink Russell who was dismissed from the hospital Friday.

Mrs. I. E. Huffaker of Denton is here to help care for her mother, Mrs. G. W. Wallen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clines and children of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz Sunday.

VIVIAN

(By Mrs. W. O. Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin, Geo. R. and F. D. Martin of Ft. Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday of last week with their sister, Mrs. Henry Fish and family.

Hughes Fish of Amarillo underwent an appendix operation Thursday night. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and family, Winnie, Lee Allen and Jimmie, of Anson, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and family.

Miss Neoma Fish of Abilene spent the week-end with her father, A. T. Fish and family.

Mrs. J. M. Denton and daughter, Fay, of Paducah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Brothers and son, Don, of Paducah spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and family.

Harold Fish and I. D. Gilbert Jr. are attending the Amarillo Exposition and Fat Stock Show this week.

Mrs. Hank Henderson of Vernon spent Thursday and Friday with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Fish and family.

Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and children, Robert, Gordon and Martha, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin, F. D., and George E. Martin of Fort Worth visited their sister, Mrs. Allison Denton, and family of Foard City Sunday afternoon of last week.

This community received over two inches of rain last week.

R. L. Walling, who has been on the sick list the past week, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer were Paducah visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish visited their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton of Paducah Saturday. J. M. Denton left Friday for Albuquerque, N. M., where he has bought a gro-

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. Uncle Tom's Cabin. 2. In the Bryan-McKinley campaign. 3. Warren G. Harding. 4. James Fenimore Cooper. 5. Grover Cleveland. 6. Herbert Hoover. 7. Alfred E. Smith. 8. John W. Davis. 9. General Grant. 10. Captain James Lawrence.

every store and will move his family there to make their home at an early date.

RAYLAND

(By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

We are sorry to report the death of L. D. Mansel. He will be missed by his many friends and loved ones. Those here attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mansel and children of Quannah, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haynes and children of Electra, Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Hubert Simmons, Mrs. G. F. Striet of DeLand, Calif., Mrs. Edna Williams of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Moreland of Vernon, Mrs. Thelma Lane of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hines and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna and daughter of Quannah, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hines of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewellen of Vernon visited his sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lawson, Sunday.

Loyce Lambert of Abernathy, visited his mother, Mrs. T. F. Lambert, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz and children visited relatives in Georgetown and Temple last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaley Powell of Rule visited Mrs. Martha Price Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson and daughter visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lawson, Monday.

Miss Margie Price is visiting in Crowell this week.

We are sorry to report this illness of little Shirley Hines. She is in a Vernon hospital.

VETERANS'

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. My daughter of 19 is attending school and I would like to know if she is entitled to participate in my estranged husband's compensation?

A. She is entitled to participate in your estranged husband's compensation until she is 21 if she continues in an approved school until that time.

Q. I was wounded in World War II and would like to know if my compensation check is subject to seizure by creditors?

A. No.

Q. How are places of job training approved under the GI Bill and how does a veteran find out what establishments are approved?

A. Training establishments are approved by State approving agencies for job-training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill). All VA offices maintain a list of approved establishments in the area in which they are located.

Q. My employer has dismissed me from my job-training position and I would like to know what I can do so that I can continue to receive subsistence?

A. Your training status was terminated and your subsistence allowance ceased when your em-

ployer dismissed you. It is now up to you to seek another place of employment with an approved on-the-job training program.

Q. Have I any recourse to civil courts if I do not like the decision of Veterans Administration on my claim for compensation?

A. No.

Q. I lost my original discharge papers. Is it possible to secure a copy of this certificate?

A. Yes. A Certificate in Lieu of Lost Discharge will be issued upon written application. The proper form on which to make such application may be secured through your local Veterans Administration office.

Q. How can I get a job in a Veterans Administration hospital?

A. You should make application by letter to the Personnel Officer at the hospital you have selected. If a position is available, he will notify you.

Q. After I was discharged in 1945, I dropped my \$10,000 National Service Life Insurance Policy. Later I reinstated \$2,000 of this and now I would like to know if I can reinstate the other \$8,000?

A. Yes. You have until July 31, 1948 to reinstate, usually without a physical examination, provided you are in as good health as you were at the time of the lapse. Reinstatement is made by filling out an application form and by payment of two monthly premiums.

Q. I feel that my husband, a veteran of World War II, is in need of hospitalization, but he refuses to make application for medical treatment. What can Veterans Administration do in this situation?

A. Veterans Administration cannot force your husband or any veteran to accept hospitalization or medical treatment.

Q. A veteran who has been granted compensation suffers an increase in the severity of his disability. What steps must he take to get an increase in compensation?

A. He must submit written evidence to the Veterans Administration. This should be in the form of an adequate statement from a private physician showing the veteran's present physical condition. All expenses incurred in securing such statements must be borne by the veteran.

Q. Must a veteran have 10 per cent or more service-connected disability to be eligible for outpatient treatment?

A. Any veteran with an established service-connected disability is entitled to outpatient treatment for the service-connected disability regardless of the degree of disability.

Q. I lost last month's subsistence check before I was able to cash it at the bank. What should I do?

A. Go to your local Veterans Administration office and explain what has happened. The office will take necessary action either to recover or to replace your check.

Q. I am negotiating to purchase a home under the GI Bill. The appraisal value of the home is lower than the purchase price. Will Veterans Administration guarantee my loan if I agree to pay the difference in cash?

A. No. Veterans Administration will not guarantee a loan on a home where the appraisal value is less than the purchase price. This provision of the law is for your protection.

Colorado is the most elevated state in the nation.

New Yorkers are required to register before every election. In some states there is maintained a permanent registration, that is persons who vote at the general election and do not change their address do not need to re-register.

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For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Romans 6:23.

In some sections of the country the Girl Scouts unite with what is known as the Twelfth Night Ceremonial at which the Christmas trees of the locality are burned in a great pyre or bonfire with ceremonies and dignity. The idea appeals to most people. The question of what to do with the Christmas tree and when to dispose of it after it has served its purpose is always a puzzler. It has always seemed an occasion of sadness when the time comes to dismantle the tree of all its bright tinsel and glory and ruthlessly throw it on the trash pile. It seems like a cold and heartless thing to do. The act seems to savor of ingratitude. What more glorious end could come to a Christmas tree which has served its purpose in the presence of children to go out

in a blaze of glory as a group of young people circle about it and sing. It seems a more fitting end to the Christmas tree than the trash pile.

"Bachelor and Bobby-Soxer" on Screen at Rialto

Deriving its gay comedy from a judge's scheme to break up a school-girl's "crush" on an older man, "The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer" co-stars Cary Grant, Myrna Loy and Shirley Temple, on the screen at the Rialto Theater Sunday and Monday, March 7 and 8.

Miss Loy is presented as the judge, Miss Temple as her impressionable younger sister, and Grant as a successful artist with whom the teen-ager falls violently in love.

Already in bad with the woman jurist because of his Bohemian ways, the artist gets in deeper over the youngster's infatuation, and he is about to be railroaded to prison when the judge decides to apply a psychological cure to her sister instead. The cure is to make her see so much of the artist that she'll get tired of having him around.

The idea works out, but it has unexpected repercussions, and these lead to the hilarious climax of the film, which is hailed as one of the funniest romantic comedies of the year.

The cost of selling war surplus now amounts to about one-half the receipts, the War Assets Administration reports. There remains to be disposed of goods that cost the government about \$7,472,000,000 new. The plans are to complete distribution of the goods by June 30. Disposal costs which amounted to 25.7 per cent of the money taken in during 1947 rose to 49 per cent during the final quarter. The reason given for the increase in cost is that the stocks are now down to items for which there is not much demand.

Thrift to some people means worrying about what became of last month's income.—Unknown.

POLITICAL Announcements

- For County Judge:**
 LESLIE THOMAS
- For Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:**
 R. E. DUNN
- For Dist. and County Clerk:**
 MRS. FERN McKOWN
 HARRY TRAWEEK
- For County Treasurer:**
 MARGARET CURTIS
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:**
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- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:**
 W. J. (BILL) BOND
- For Com., Prec. No. 3:**
 C. N. (STY) BARKER
- For Com., Prec. No. 4:**
 TOM BURSEY

What We Think
 (By Frank Dixon)

A field that is opening up for young people is that of City Manager. A number of schools, recognizing the coming need, are including city management courses in their course of study. The reason for this is that the call for city managers are coming faster than city managers are being produced in the normal course of events.

Every year more and more cities throughout the country are abandoning the old out grown council form of government and installing the city manager system.

This is coming about because of a growing demand for greater efficiency in the management of city affairs.

Especially is this true in the case of cities which have their own light and water plants. Many cities, through a kind providence, will get along under the old type of government and apparently make a good showing. The reason is that they have been especially fortunate in having a class of men fortunate in having a class of men with good judgment to manage the affairs of the city. In time, however, the law of averages catches up with these cities and they get an administration whose members are not gifted with good judgment and good sense, who will, if they are continued in power long enough nullify and destroy all the good that has been accomplished by several outstanding administrations.

My own town for example has a commission form of government. Under it a mayor and two commissioners are elected to administer the affairs of the city. They each receive a salary of \$250 a year. During the war when everyone was busy and it was difficult to interest men in running for office the affairs of the city got into a bad shape. The town owns some \$700,000 of utilities consisting of a light plant and a water plant. This brings the question of the management of the town into the category of big business.

To turn the management of a \$700,000 business over to three persons whom the voters might casually elect indicates a lack of judgment and a lack of knowledge of what it requires to successfully manage an investment of this size.

My town should have a city manager, who would have complete charge, and who would direct the operation of the town's business. Needless to say there is some objection to it because of the salary necessary to secure a competent manager.

It is a short sighted policy in my opinion to turn the operation of a \$700,000 corporation over to three men whom the citizens of the community might casually and indifferently elect. It looks like tempting providence. There is not a business man in the community, who, with ten per cent of that investment in a business, would think of turning it over to three men whom the community might casually and indifferently elect, to operate. They know that such a policy would practically guarantee bankruptcy no matter how conscientious the three might be.

If the system isn't good practice for a private business why should it be any better for a city's business?

Because similar conditions exist in many cities, and because it is going to become necessary for cities and counties to adopt better business methods, I believe the field of city and county management will open up a new field for young men in the not too distant future.

The Senate sub-committee of small business in a recent meeting suggested that small and medium sized newspapers band themselves together in a co-operative to construct and operate a newsprint mill in Alaska to assure themselves of a steady supply of paper. The committee recognized many difficulties in working out such a venture but believed it should be looked into.

Firing upon Ft. Sumter in April, 1861, was the first military act of the Civil War.

Society (Cont'd)

Candlelight Ceremony Unites Couple at Thalia February 28th

In a twilight ceremony Saturday, Feb. 28th, Miss Doris Jones of Thalia became the bride of Mitchell F. Jackson of Abilene in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church, officiated with the impressive double ring ceremony.

The vows were exchanged before an improvised archway and altar before double windows. Blue and white, the chosen colors of the bride, were used as the color scheme throughout the reception room and the living room. The archway was decked with white flowers and flanked with cathedral candelabra. The altar was decorated with calla lilies and blue and white streamers. An oil portrait of the bride on the piano was decorated with the same plan.

Little Rita Gilbert of Thalia and Karen McDaniel, cousin of the bride, of Electra lighted the candles. They wore pastel dresses and corsages of gladioli. Soft strains of "Always" were played as the candles were lighted. Dexter Parnell, another cousin of the bride, served as ring bearer, carrying the rings on a white bridal satin pillow.

Mrs. T. B. Quillen of Vernon was matron of honor and wore a black dress with black accessories and a single strand of pearls. Her corsage was of white carnations. Mrs. Martin Jones and Miss Faye Jones served as bridesmaids and each wore black with a white carnation corsage.

The bride entered on the arm of her father. She wore a pastel green gabardine suit and cocoa brown suede accessories. She chose a white split carnation corsage. For something old, she wore a combination cameo pin and necklace, an heirloom of her grandmother; for something new, she wore a pair of tiny gold earrings, a gift of the groom; for something borrowed, she carried a linen and lace handkerchief which belonged to her sister. She also wore something blue and a sixpence in her shoe.

The closing prayer was offered by the father of the bride. A reception was held after the wedding. The three-tiered cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom, centered the lace covered table which also held lighted candles and ribbon streamers. The bride and groom first cut the cake which was then served with punch to the guests.

The bride and groom left for a short wedding trip after which they will reside in Abilene where Mrs. Jackson is enrolled in a business college and Mr. Jackson is employed as bookkeeper for Allison Motors. Mr. Jackson served three years in the Marine Corps during the war.

Out-of-town relatives who registered include Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farnell and sons, Baxter and Mac, of Kamay; Mr. and Mrs. Hadley McDaniel and daughter, Karen, of Electra; Mr. and Mrs. Dono Day and daughter, Donna, of Grand Prairie; Mrs. L. B. Jackson of San Angelo; Rev. and Mrs. Frank McNeair of Lockett, grandparents of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones of Thalia, also grandparents of the bride. Close friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Temple and children, Sharon and Deryl, and Mrs. W.G. Gilbert and Lottie, all of Thalia.

Co-Laborers' Class Has Social Meeting at Mrs. F. B. Flesher's

Mrs. F. B. Flesher, Mrs. S. H. Ross and Miss Dine Mitchell were joint hostesses for the social meeting of the Co-Laborers' Sunday School class of the Methodist Church Thursday evening, Feb. 28th at the home of Mrs. Flesher.

Sub-Junior Club Meets February 25

The Sub-Junior Adelpian Club held its regular meeting at the Adelpian Club House on February 25th with Joyzelle Thomson as hostess. She was assisted in hostess duties by Peggy Weaver and Romyne Self.

A beneficial and interesting program was presented on "Opera." Jane Bruce and Jenny Wehba gave good talks on the appreciation of opera. Peggy Weaver told the story of "Madame Butterfly." It was then played and enjoyed greatly by those present.

Plans were made to attend the State Convention in Fort Worth. Betty Barker was chosen delegate. The next meeting will be held on March 10th.

In the congressional elections held in the United States in 1912 a year after Pearl Harbor only one-third of the nation's qualified voters cast their ballot.

The railroad has had its most rapid and largest development in the United States.

Social Meeting Held by Ladies of WSCS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met in its regular monthly social meeting in the home of Mrs. A. Y. Beverly on Monday afternoon, March 1.

The program was opened with the hymn, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" with Mrs. Sam Crews at the piano. Mrs. M. J. Girsch led the devotional service. She led the group in prayer and then read several verses of Scripture. Her theme was devoted to the fact of how often we find in the Scriptures the mention of prayer in the early morning and the verses she read from the Bible were well chosen.

Mrs. Charlie Thompson gave the fifth chapter of the study, "Great Prayers of the Bible." This chapter dealt with the prayers of the early church. The last chapter in the book was given by Mrs. F. B. Flesher. Both chapters were full of interesting facts and inspiring thoughts. Mrs. D. D. Denison closed the program with a prayer.

Mrs. H. E. Thomson, the president, officiated at a short business meeting. She reminded the women that clothing for foreign nations could be left at the church any time until Thursday, when they will be packed for shipment.

The hostesses, Mrs. Beverly, Mrs. S. S. Bell, Mrs. Lewis Ballard, Mrs. Claude Brooks and Mrs. B. F. Ringgold, served a lovely salad plate to a large group of members and two guests, Mrs. G. C. Walker and Mrs. E. S. Haggard of Dallas, who are visiting their sister, Mrs. S. S. Bell.

SEW-N-SEW CLUB

The Sew-N-Sew Club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd Borchardt on Thursday, February 26th. During the short business session, it was decided that the names of unknown friends be revealed at the next meeting.

At the close of an afternoon engaged in handiwork, a tasty sandwich plate, cake and Cokes were served to Mrs. Clarence Garrett, Mrs. Harry Traweck, Mrs. Eugene Owens, Mrs. Hoot McLean, Mrs. Howard Ferguson and the hostesses, Mrs. Borchardt and Mrs. Fred Borchardt.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. C. Rader on March 11th.

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of March 1, 1918:

The News feels a sense of peculiar pride in presenting the name of one of our townsmen, Wiley C. Tisdale, as a candidate for office of District Judge. We have no hesitancy in saying that in our belief he would be a suitable man for the office.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo urges purchasers of Liberty Loan bonds of both the first and second issues to hold fast to their bonds. They are the best investment in the world, he says.

Harris, the 8-year old son of Mason Harwell, was badly cut by a barbwire Saturday evening.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Those who attended services at the Christian Church Sunday night speak in complimentary terms of the splendid talk made by the pastor, Rev. P. J. Merrill. It was a sermon in compliance with requests from President Woodrow Wilson.

N. J. Dickerson was here a few days last week from Lawton, Oklahoma.

Miss Essie Thacker spent last Saturday and Sunday in Vernon, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Johnnie Gamble attended the funeral of her grandmother in O'Brien last Friday afternoon.

Max Miller and family were called to Abilene Tuesday on account of the death of Mr. Miller's father.

T. F. Hill and wife spent Sunday in Aspermont, making the trip in their car.

M. F. Crowell was in Truscott last week in the interest of the Retail Merchants Association.

Miss Myrtle Moore of Margaret spent Friday in Crowell.

Misses Ora Bell and Mabel Pittillo were in Vernon Sunday.

New 1918 Overland for sale.—S. S. Bell.

In many parts of the country merchants report that long underwear is only occasionally sold. Out of door workers, hunters and old people are the only buyers of them.

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Mr. W. D. Studyvin of Bryan guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flesher.

White enameled slop jars at Beverly Hdw. and Furn. Co.

Beryl Louise Thompson of Ft. Worth spent last week with her mother, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simpson came for her Saturday.

Old maple 2-piece living room—second hand, priced right, at Womack's.

S. Jernigan returned Tuesday from Kansas City, Mo., where he has been for an extended visit to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ashcraft, and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee and A. S. Hart spent Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo where they met Milton Magee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Magee, who was out from California to his home in Dubuque, Iowa.

For Sale—One 1940 Mercury 2-door.—Hill & Morris.

G. E. automatic Electric Irons, just received at Beverly Hdw. and Furn. Co.

Miss Sybil Gobin of Colorado City is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin, and family.

Sealy box-spring and mattresses to match at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts spent last week in Fort Worth visiting in the home of their son, Joe Roberts, and family.

For Sale—1942 Chevrolet, reconditioned.—Hill & Morris. 27-2c

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow of Nocona spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Jones.

Extra large solid copper Teakettle at Beverly Hdw. and Furn. Co.

Mrs. E. D. Edwards and Mrs. Bill McPherson of Vernon spent Sunday visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Willie Dykes.

Clever comedy, snappy stunts, dizzy dances and musical mirth. Fun for everyone tomorrow night at the High School Auditorium.

Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT—My house, furnished or unfurnished.—Mrs. Susie Franklin. 32-1tp

FOR SALE—100 lb. porcelain lined ice-box, \$10.00; 25 lb. one for \$3.00. Also small sized bedroom suite, \$45.00.—Mrs. Susie Franklin. 32-1tp

For Sale—1942 Plymouth, good condition.—Hill & Morris. 27-3tc

See the Gould's famous Jet-O-Matic water system at Womack's.

They've rehearsed until they're black in the face—the burnt-cork artists in the Minstrel tomorrow night at the High School Auditorium. Don't miss it!

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Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown left last Thursday for Monterey, California to visit their daughter, Mrs. Thomas B. Johnson and family.

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See and hear John Razor (in blackface) singing "Old Fashioned Garden" (with the quartet) "Jericho Road" tomorrow night at the High School Auditorium.

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Mrs. Jimmie Breedlove and daughters, Fernez and Patsy, and Mrs. Pittman of Chillicothe spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gamble.

See our hardware counter for anything you might need.—Womack's.

Mrs. Cotton Barker underwent a major operation in the Vernon hospital Wednesday morning.

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Mrs. P. N. Stephens and daughter, Claudette, of Amarillo visited last week in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway.

See our wall paper and Pittsburg paint.—Womack's.

Mrs. Emmett Peterson and son, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray and son, Monty of Turkey spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Johnnie Gamble, and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmo McClellan and Lee Bedford of Lubbock spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. McClellan's sister, Mrs. D. R. Magee, and family. Miss Ada Jane Magee who had been here for the week-end returned to Lubbock with them Sunday afternoon.

Visit our gift shop when you need a gift.—Womack's.

Church of Christ (West Side)

You are cordially invited to attend the services of the Church of Christ each Sunday morning at 10:30 and Sunday night at 7:00. Bro. Raymond Wall from Medicine Mound preaches each second Sunday of the month and Bro. C. M. Walkup of Gould, Okla., each fourth Sunday. Other Sundays local brethren have charge of the services. Sunday nights we have singing and Scriptural reading and discussion by local talent. Come and help us sing Praises to the Lord and hear the Word that never grows old. Donald Norris, Elder

77,000 Texans Have Been X-Rayed Since Christmas

"Take a deep breath—hold it—that's all!" The Texas Tuberculosis Association's x-ray technician has repeated this instruction as often as 500 times a day during the chest x-ray surveys the Association has sponsored since Christmas. Seals bought the x-ray unit in November, 1946.

From Sherman to Corpus Christi, from Lufkin to Waco, over 77,000 Texans have been x-rayed in the surveys, conducted on a community-wide basis, to locate early cases of TB and assist such patients to obtain medical care while their disease is still in the early, most easily curable stage.

In a report issued today by Dr. Z. T. Scott of Austin, treasurer of the Association, the people of Texas are commended for "helping check TB in two ways—buying Christmas Seals, and getting a chest x-ray." Texas contributions in the 1947 Christmas Seal Sale amount to \$572,000 to date, Dr. Scott announced. Of this amount, \$527,000 was raised in counties having local affiliated associations. Eighty cents of each dollar so raised will be spent for TB control in the county in which it was raised. Fifteen cents of each county organization's dollar supports the overall Texas Association program, and five cents supports the work of the National Tuberculosis Association. The balance of \$44,000, which was contributed by Texans in counties having no local affiliated organization, will be used for TB control on the State and national levels ninety-five cents out of each dollar supporting the Texas Association's program, and five cents supporting that of the National Association, Dr. Scott stated.

Expressing the appreciation of the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated local associations for the continued interest and cooperation Texans are showing in the TB control program, Dr. Scott declared, "Tuberculosis can be prevented or arrested if everyone knows about modern methods of diagnosis and scientific treatment. People who fall victim to TB are victims of neglect—the individual's neglect to learn the facts about TB, and neglect by the community which fails to provide effective means to prevent the spread of the disease."

According to Chicago police records 209 killings were reported in that city in 1947. To date 19 of those remain unsolved. Domestic troubles were responsible for twenty-seven killings and lover's quarrels nineteen.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to gratefully thank the many who ministered to me with cards, letters, flowers, visits and in many other ways during my illness in the Foard County Hospital. The hospital staff, the doctors and all others who helped care for me will be always remembered. I say "Thanks" to each friend. Mrs. W. L. Ricks

Dazey churns at Beverly Hdw. and Furn. Co.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of expressing my thanks and appreciation to all who were so kind to me while I was in the hospital. For the cards, the flowers, the visits and for each ministrations I wish to extend my sincere thanks. I am at home, the best place in the world, and improving very well. C. P. Sandifer

White enameled slop jars at Beverly Hdw. and Furn. Co.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with grateful hearts that we attempt to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends who came to us with ministrations of friendship and love in our recent sorrow. Such kindnesses are cherished by each of us and we ask God's blessings on one and all of you. Mrs. Frank Crews and Family.

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Mr. Boman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Boman of Five-One and the nephew of Mrs. Boman and Mrs. Cole.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my sincere thanks to my many dear friends in Crowell who remembered me with cards, letters and gifts on my 30th birthday. I appreciate each one and it makes my heart happy to be so remembered. I miss all of you a great deal but am getting along fine. Love to all. Mrs. Lula Walthall

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In an effort to keep pace with increasing demands, Humble has begun the most expensive program of drilling in its history. In 1948, the company plans to spend about \$65,000,000 for drilling 738 wells, or 163 more wells than were drilled last year. About one-third of the expenditures are planned for drilling wildcat wells in the search for new oil fields. The balance will be spent to expand production in areas already known to contain oil.

As part of its program of exploration, the company will drill three or four wells in the Gulf of Mexico. Drilling on these submerged lands is difficult and costly, but the high level of demand makes it mandatory that this area on the continental shelf be developed promptly.

Recent surveys indicate that the whole industry, like Humble, is going "all out" in its search for new oil—and that a record of more than 36,000 wells are scheduled to be drilled in 1948.

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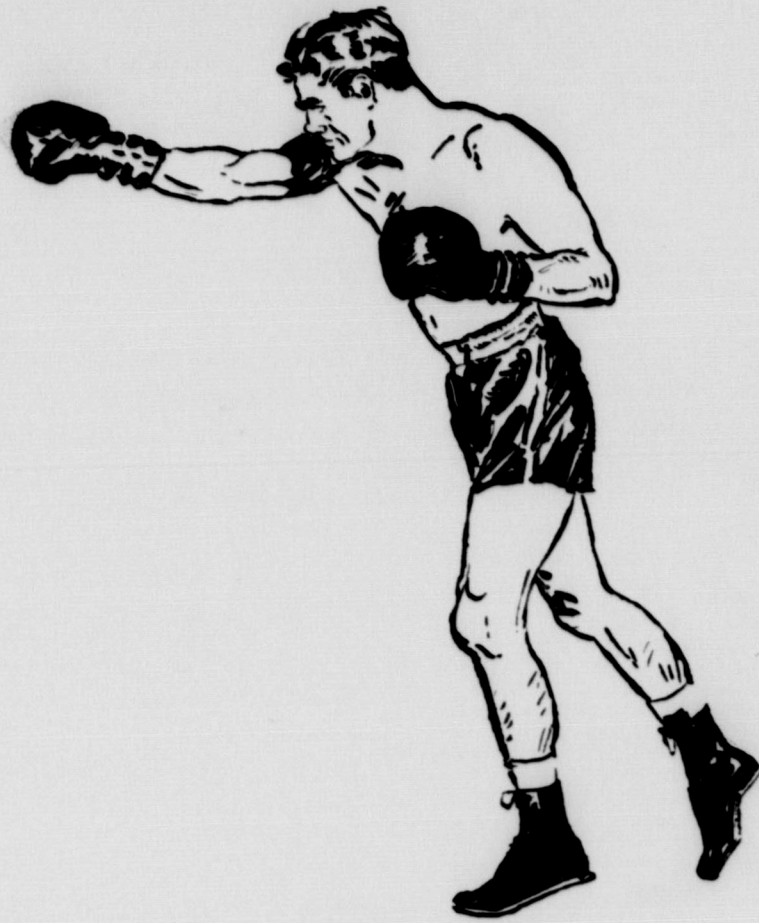
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JUST FOR BOYS
Muscles! Muscles! A man's worth is not measured in muscles, but his physical health is. Intelligence is more important than brawn, but a person with real intelligence will keep himself in good condition, both physically and mentally.
Conditioning of the body is provided for the high school and seventh and eighth grade students this year, and one of the outstanding activities is that provided by the physical education program.

Beginning in 1927 Physical Education has been taught in grammar school. This year Coach Whitaker stresses a program of calisthenics.
Physical Education aids boys in living a good, healthy life, having clean fun, learning how to get along with others, and learning good citizenship. It also helps the grammar school boys plan toward high school participation in all sports. Grammar school teachers thrill to see the boys get rid of some extra energy!

the same thing. So-o-o-o get out there boys, and really train those muscles. We're behind you one hundred per cent.
COACH WHITAKER DEFINES C.H.S. ALL BOY PHYSICAL EDUCATION SET-UP
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Coach Whitaker is developing some outstanding athletes with a minimum of equipment. The outstanding work of the freshmen and sophomore boys means a good team later on. The coach, being the swell fellow he is, has never lack of equipment hider his program.
He has produced character first—to this add sportsmanship, cooperation, and healthy bodies. We are proud of him and his Physical Education Program.

These are the objectives of Coach Whitaker's program:
1. To satisfy the natural instincts for play.
2. To experience the pleasure of combat in fair contest.
3. To learn to follow as well as lead.
4. To acquire sportsmanship.
5. To include every boy in school in some kind of guided play.

Look for baseball teams next week.

SENIORS SLAVE SATURDAY
Since there are only twenty-two seniors this year, they have worked several Saturdays to help earn funds for the annual senior trip. They appreciate the co-operation of the business men and their donations.
Last Saturday's list includes the following:
J. C. Autry—Rialto Theatre
Carol Cato—Fisch Dept. Store
Wayne Lindsey—Borchardt Chev.
Bob Edwards—White's Auto Store
Ham Tamplen—Speer Motor Co.
Marvin Brisco—Texas Nat. Gas
Mary Jo Short—Eddy's Cafe
Bob Johnson—Monroe's Grocery
Doris Rummel—Crowell Radio
Jimmie Swan—Crowell State Bank
Garland Denton—Foard Co. Hosp.
Mary Norman—City Hotel
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The Senior Class wishes to express their appreciation to the following business firms who made such liberal donations to their class fund:
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WHAT SOIL CONSERVATION MEANS TO MY COMMUNITY
By Mary Johnson

NOTE: This is one of the outstanding themes of the Soil Conservation entries.

My name is Billy Soil. I have been asked to tell the farmers all over the world about my experiences. I lie next door to Johnnie Soil. About a month ago I was enjoying the rainfall as it fell glistening upon my shining terraces. I was thrilled as the water fell upon my child, Ronnie Wheat. The silence was broken by a groan. It was coming from Johnnie Soil. I could not imagine how he or anyone could be so sad on such a beautiful day. As I looked over toward him, my eyes met a pitiful sight. The water was running off of Johnnie just as fast as it could right into that mean old Peter Bar-ditch. It had already washed great gullies into poor old Johnnie's side. All the humus was washed away from Johnnie Soil, and Joey Fertilizer lay dying where he had washed into Peter Bar-ditch's mouth. Tears were running down Johnnie's face. It made me feel so sad. I decided to speak to him.

"Hello, Johnnie," I said. "Could I do anything to help you?"
Johnnie bowed his head as another large tear rolled down his cheek.
"I'm afraid you can't, Billy," he replied in a tired voice. My smallest child, Tommy Wheat, has just died. I have been used so long that I am entirely worn out. My Master, Farmer Jones, never tries to help me. I don't know what to do. I think I am going to die."

He turned his head to the side, so that I could not see his tears.
"We can't be too hard on Farmer Jones, Johnnie, I tried to explain. Maybe no one has told him how to take care of you. I have an idea. I will tell my master, Farmer Jones, to call a meeting and invite Farmer Jones to the meeting."

The following day was a busy one for me. I explained to my master about Johnnie. I told him that something must be done. It was a shame to let Johnnie suffer so. Finally my master agreed to invite Farmer Jones to a meeting.

That evening we all gathered together. I began thinking. Farmer Jones wasn't the only man who did not know about soil conservation. There were many around here like Johnnie Soil. When I told Farmer Green what I was thinking, he suggested that I tell all you farmers about Soil Conservation. That is why I am going to tell you what we said in our meeting.

As the meeting came to order, I began telling Farmer Jones to take care of the soil.
"You can terrace it. This will reduce erosion and help prevent damaging effects. You can contour it. This will keep the land from blowing or washing. To preserve the soil, plant soil building crops, such as legumes, peas, vetch, or alfalfa. I saw that Farmer Jones was very interested in what I was telling him."

"Look at me, Farmer Jones, then look at Johnnie," I said. "Can you see the difference when soil has been preserved?"
Farmer Jones bowed his head.
"Why I didn't know soil conservation was so important," he stammered. "Ge, I'm sorry, Johnnie,

I hope you will forgive me." Johnnie beamed. "You mean that you will fix me up to look like Billy, and to feel as well as he does?"
"Sure," Farmer Jones said. "I am heading for the soil conservation office right now."
I smiled at Johnnie as Farmer Jones and Farmer Green left.
"Thanks, Billy, Johnnie said gratefully. "You are wonderful!"

OH, HOW I HATE TO GET UP IN THE MORNING
If you gotta, you gotta, and this is the way you do it.
First, you wake up, open one eye. "Ah, it's too early to get up anyhow." You say, "All right," reach over and turn off the alarm and go back to sleep. Sleep, that's when your subconscious mind starts working, and you dream of pink elephants and purple polka-dot monsters. Or maybe you are one of the people who walk, talk, and snore.

Now you know you have to wake up, so turn on the radio, just hope they aren't playing a lullaby, throw back the cover. No, pull them up again, it's cold—Get out of bed and while still in that dreamy daze splash some cold, clear water on that thing you call your face. But don't look in the mirror, any kind of shock will send you back to bed.

Now, you're up and dressing for school; my job is done.

"THIS FUNNY WORLD"
Tuesday Feb. 25th the students of Crowell Schools were delighted to have the fifth of the six Southern Assemblies, a puppet show presented by Martin Latshaw and Olga Stephens.

Martin and his assistant, Olga Stephens, changed their voices quickly and made the little wooden dolls perform as if they were human by their skillful use of their hands.

The acts portrayed the adventures of G. I. Joe in Egypt, Russia, Australia, India, and Southern Africa and in each country an amusing incident was portrayed that kept the audience roaring with laughter.

Mr. Stephen's personality and skill were of interest to everyone present.

IT'S NEWS
Clara Jones and Mrs. Doyle Kenner will be leaving for Galveston for a statewide F. H. A. meeting April 21. They will ride with Mrs. E. L. Derr from Chillicothe and have reservations at the Buccaneer Hotel.

If our Area nominee wins at Plainview March 20, another girl will get to go.

H. E. III girls have patterns and material ready to begin sewing their special occasion dresses Tuesday.

"H. E. I members are planning and preparing luncheons now," says Mrs. Kenner, "and they seem to enjoy it."
H. E. II students are glad to be beginning their general purpose dresses. La Verne Farrar seems to be in the lead in the construction of these.

Signing off!

LEAP YEAR PARTY
The Teen Canteen will have a "Leap Year Party" Saturday night, March 6 at 7:30 o'clock.
Girls! Here's your chance! Drag your dream man to this, the most important party of 1948.

Book Review: FORTY FACES
Jean Madison sat glumly in a green plush seat on the dimly lighted coach. Going to a teachers' college instead of a big university was bad enough, without commuting on a smoky rattletrap of a train that dragged you out of sleep at five o'clock.

It had been a month since Dave and the rest of the crowd had gone away to school. And this was the worst morning yet, because today Jean had to teach her first practice lesson—and she was just plain scared. If she could only make those children seem more real, like her own small brother and sister, she would feel less frightened. But they insisted on remaining forty round dabs of faces.

This is the story of Jean's change from the first morning of fear to an enthusiastic interest in teachers' college, and of her college friendships and parties. Her experience teaching in a small country school, an exciting visit to New York, a Thanksgiving game and dance make Jean a very real girl of today, faced with all the problems of the head and heart that she and her contemporaries must meet.

The Rialto Theater invites J. C. Autry and Mary Norman to see "The Bachelor and the Bobbys-Soxer," starring Shirley Temple, Cary Grant and Myrna Loy Sunday and Monday.

Peeping through the keyhole Saturday night found Billy Lynch and Patsy Fox making a new two-some. For a new boy, Billy you're doing alright!

I noticed cute Mary Rader and

J. P. Bartley together Sunday! Poor Rusty!

Notice, girls! Dowall Parks is still on the loose. Why not give the guy a chance at the Leap Year party Saturday night?

Bobbie Abston proudly claims Gordon Wood's time all for herself.

Violet, whose ring did you have on Monday morning?
Say, F. L., who's your latest flame from Paducah? Could it be Ruth Ann Fox?

Frankie Mabe can't seem to wait until next week-end. Wonder if it's because Bill Cooper is coming home.

"Sweet Pea" Owens still thinks Billy Halencak is plenty cute! Isn't that true, "Sweet Pea"?

The Women Haters Club of Crowell ought to combine with the Bachelors' Club of Truscott. Both are outstanding organizations.

Rondyne Self and Vernon Jones were seen cavorting around town Sunday afternoon. Peggy Weaver and Jimmie Jones were along.

We nominate as couples of the week, Bobbie Brock—Floyd Oliver and Mary Ayers—Ray Gable.
Pat Owens, for your information the new boy is Dowall Parks.

Here's the Sob Story of the week. It seems that Mary Short and Bob Edwards have decided to end their friendship. Tough luck, kids!

Clifford Orr, swoon man of the Junior class, is still dazzled by a certain blonde, namely Myra Don Self.

C.H.S. ites were fast to see Kenneth Ownbey strolling the hall last Friday.

Don't you agree that Doris Rummel and Fred Glover would make a cute couple. (Well, Fred, I was just giving you a hint.)
Rouse Todd, we've been asked to tell you that Anne Haynie would like a chance to make your heart go "pitty-pat."

Mary Norman rushes to the post office every afternoon just to find a letter from Tom Jarbo. P.S. We don't blame you.

Question of the Week: Girls, why don't you take a peek at "Ham" Tamplen? He's tall, dark, handsome, free, and seventeen. We might add that he is a senior.

Braggy.
From all reports Doris Rummel's home seems to be the meeting place of the Margaret gang. More fun!

Peggy Pittillo and Dick Traweck still top the date list.
Baxter, tell us more about your trip to Melba's.

So long now till another week rolls around.
The Cat's Tail
P.S.: Do you know something you just can't keep? Why not drop

HOUSEHOLD
Making Scrap Book the nicest scrap book made at home is glazed cambric. of desired size may be sewed securely in the fashion. The edges should be buttonholed or sewed, the quarter inch apart. How to Prevent from Freezing—To ned goods from freezing into a paper bag. Another paper bag for the contents will nor will the jar burst how cold it may be.

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Church NOTICES

Truscott Baptist Church
 Come to the last article of for this Sunday morning. This 18th article deals the world to come. "When things have been dissolved" is subject, and the text is in second Peter 3:1. "Call to Me and I will bring you back, and you shall stand before Me. I will be true to you, and you shall be true to Me." The text is in Exodus 19:17.
 The Baylor - Knox Association desiring to reach the standard of the association. The Association is divided into two groups, p 1 meets at 3 p.m. with the Truscott church. Group 2 meets p.m. with the Gilliland church. Group meetings will be once on, meeting in different churches in the groups. The purpose is to help each church be standard or even above standard.
 C. H. Harris, Pastor

Margaret Methodist Church
 Sunday, March 7, 1948
 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. Laymen's Day
 11:00 a.m. Prayer Service
 7:00 p.m. Friendly welcome always in all classes and services.
 L. B. Taylor, Pastor

First Christian Church
 Rev. M. Newland, Minister
 E. Long, Church School Supt.
 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
 7:00 p.m. Friendly welcome always in all classes and services.
 N. B. MOON, Pastor.

Good Creek Free Will Baptist Church
 Sunday School at 10 a. m. each day.
 Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. on each first Sunday.
 Preaching each 3rd Saturday and Sunday.
 Prayer meeting each Thursday.
 C. C. LAMB, Pastor.

Thalia Methodist Church
 March 7, 1948
 10:00 a.m. Laymen's Day
 11:00 a.m. Prayer Service
 7:00 p.m. Friendly welcome always in all classes and services.
 L. B. Taylor, Pastor.

Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 35c

For Sale
 FOR SALE—1942 Oliver "70" tractor with attachments.—H. L. Swan, Thalia, Texas. 31-2tp

FOR SALE—North-Tex seed oats.—Clarence Garrett. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—One 1936 model 4-door Dodge sedan. New motor, new paint job. Cheap. Terms.—Lanier Finance Co. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—A fresh five-year-old cow. See W. L. Ricks at his home or William Ricks at farm where cow can be seen. 32-1tc

FOR SALE — 1946 Ford pickup, 1939 International pickup, 1937 Plymouth 2-door. — Cates & Hays Motor Co. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—One 1940 model Ford truck, new motor, new paint job. Worth the money. Terms.—Lanier Finance Co. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—One 3-row stalk cutter; one 4-section harrow; one 2-row go-devil.—Howard Dunn, at Thomas Equipment Co. 32-2tc

FOR SALE—Twenty-five one and two-year old registered Aberdeen-Angus bulls.—Dr. J. M. Hill. 31-tfc

FOR SALE—Maytag deep freeze. See Carl Haynie, dealer, Truscott, Texas. 18-tfc

FOR SALE—1941 Massie-Harris Clipper Combine: 7-ft. M-M One-way, with power lift; 2-row slide go-devil; 1941 Farmall 20 tractor and equipment.—James Everett Long. 32-4tp

FOR SALE — Adorable Cocker puppies, A. K. C. registered, \$15.00. Come Sunday, or write Mrs. Eddie Carr, Knox City, Texas. 31-1tc

FOR SALE—One 1941 model 2-door Plymouth sedan, complete with new motor, new tires and heater. Terms if desired.—Lanier Finance Co. 30-tfc

FOR SALE—2-room frame house, 14x28, 2 lots 40x140, chicken house, chicken lot. One block from gravelled street, 6 blocks from court house, southwest part of town. Gas, lights and water. Price \$1250.00 — Jake Parrish 32-2tc

FOR SALE—One 1937 model 2-door Plymouth worth the money. See us today. Also terms if desired.—Lanier Finance Co. 15-tfc

FOR SALE—My home, located on paved street, across from school; 1 1/2 lots, 78x146 feet; 4 rooms and bath, front porch and screened-in back porch; brick and concrete cellar. Will sell furnished or unfurnished, with some down payment, and consider terms for balance. — Leotis Roberts, Phone 110-J. 28-tfc

Notices
 For your covered buttons, buttonholes, tailored belts, alterations and sewing, see Mrs. Ab Jones. 32-2tc

NOTICE—All Farm Bureau members desiring Blue Cross hospitalization should see me at my home from March 1 to 13, 1948.—C. C. Ribble. 31-2tc

FOR SERVICE — Registered American Palomino stallion. Will deliver to mare until harvest time.—Floyd Ferguson. 32-4tp

NOTICE—We sell Venetian blinds also specialize in repair and refinish work. Compare our prices with other custom-built blinds.—Vernon Venetian Blind Co., 2905 Yamparika, Phone 531. 24-12tc

Trespass Notices
 NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by the Wishon Estate.—Charlie Wishon. 47-52tp

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halseell. 11-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land, owned or leased by me.—W. B. Johnson. 11-tfc

NOTICE—No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on my place.—Leslie McAdams. 15-tfc

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Weekly Sermon
 "PAPER MISSIONARIES" GO ROUND THE WORLD
 Fourteen and a half million dollars sounds like a fabulous sum of money in any man's language. In comparison, \$327 is almost nothing. Yet that is all it takes in American money to get \$14,500,000 worth of religious books printed in China, with the present Chinese inflation!
 Bargains like that are scarcely a surprise any more to Kenneth Taylor, a director of Moody Bible Institute Colportage work. In the last few months, foreign distribution of the "paper missionaries" has been tripled by means of printing in the foreign countries themselves.
 Already publishing has begun in Switzerland, with 200,000 German tracts finished by January. Arrangements have been made in Bulgaria to print 25,000 copies of "Four Things God Wants You to Know," one of the most widely circulated tracts in the world. "Full Assurance" by Dr. H. A. Ironside is to be published in Czechoslovakia. And plans are under way for printing in Hungary, France, India, and Latin America in the near future, according to Mr. Taylor.
 In Germany, one of the largest pre-war publishing houses has offered to produce literature if the Colportage Division can supply the paper, a scarce item. Consequently, ten tons of paper recently went into Germany from Switzerland, to be made into tracts and Moody Colportage Library books at one-tenth the cost to the Colportage Division of production in America. Similar situations exist in Japan and Holland, destinations of two 500-pound paper shipments sent last January.
 Altogether, Colportage materials are published in twelve languages besides English. "But we are careful not to use mere translations of successful American tracts," Mr. Taylor points out. "They must be thoroughly adapted to the country where they are to be read."
 For example, titles such as "Why Did We Lose the War?" and "Is God the God of Love?" appeal to post-war Germany. In Japan, the writings of Yamamoto are received with confidence. D. L. Moody's books are widely used, because of his forceful style and use of basic illustrations and vocabulary. The latter quality makes his books valuable in foreign schools where English is being taught, as revealed by dog-eared copies of volumes in Chinese universities.
 "Wherever an urgent need for Christ is not being met by other organizations, we want to do what we can," is Mr. Taylor's characterization of the guiding principle behind the Colportage work, still the same as it was forty years ago when the first foreign-language tracts were printed.

Wanted
 WANTED—Plowing to do and also terracing. See Henry Hrabal, Crowell, Texas. 31-2tp

ELECTION ORDER
 STATE OF TEXAS,
 COUNTY OF FOARD,
 CITY OF CROWELL.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1948, the same being the First Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1948, for the purpose of electing the following: Two Aldermen to serve for a period of two years or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

L. D. Fox is hereby appointed Presiding Judge of said election with Mrs. Grace McLaughlin and Mrs. Martha Dunagan as Clerks. Any person desiring to have his name 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 thirty 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 in so far as they are applicable.

W. H. MOYER,
 Mayor.

ELLA RUCKER,
 City Secretary. 31-1tc
 (SEAL)

In Australia voting in federal elections is compulsory. A fine is levied against those who don't show up.

The voting ratio of the people of the United States is lower than that of any large democracy in the world.

Thalia Lodge No. 666
 A. F. & A. M.
 STATED MEETING
 Saturday Night,
 March 8, 8 p. m.
 Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.
 C. D. HANEY, W. M.
 LOYD FOX, Secretary.

CROWELL CHAPTER, U. D. O. E. S.
 Regular meeting, second Tuesday night, 8 p. m.
 Study and practice meeting, 4th Tuesday night, 8 p. m.
 MABEL STOVALL, W. M.
 ELLA RUCKER, Secretary.

CROWELL ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER
 Regular meeting, Friday night after 2nd Monday, March 12
 W. M. M. WISDOM, High Priest.
 J. A. STOVALL, Secretary.

GORDON J. FORD POST No. 130
 Meets first Monday in each month at American Legion hall, 7:30 p. m.
 GLENDON HAYS, Commander
 CLYDE COBB, Adjutant

Assembly of God Church
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Preaching, 11 a. m.
 Sunday Evening, 7:45.
 Prayer service Wednesday night, 7:45.
 Young people's service, Saturday night, 7:45.
 WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

Attention, Men
 We invite you to attend the Men's Bible Class at the Assembly of God Sunday School at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.
 Elmo Hudgins, Class Teacher.

Freewill Baptist Church
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Church services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 Everybody invited.
 H. H. HASTON, Pastor.

Thalia Baptist Church
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Preaching at 11 a. m.
 B. T. U. at 6 p. m.
 Preaching at 7 p. m.
 W. M. U. Monday at 2:30 p. m.
 Prayer service Wednesday at 7 p. m.
 Come worship with us.
 W. G. GILBERT, Pastor.

Good Creek Free Will Baptist Church.
 Rev. H. H. Haston preaches each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
 Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.
 Church services at Truscott are held the first, second and third Sundays of each month. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m.
 J. V. Patterson, Pastor.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
 Wires or Ropes Around Trees.—When putting any wire or rope around a growing tree, run it through a short length of garden hose. The line will be kept from rusting due to rubbing and it will not cut into the tree.

Unless your dog has a chance to exercise, don't keep him on a chain. A ring fastened on a wire stretched between his kennel and a convenient post allows freedom for exercise. Lack of exercise is cause of as many ailments in dogs as in humans.

Archery for Children.—Even the most up-to-date children will enjoy that very old game of archery and nothing could be better to develop co-ordination of eye and hand.

The habit of viewing things cheerfully and thinking about life hopefully may be made to grow like any other habit. — Samuel Smiles.

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 Lesson for March 7, 1948

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The lesson passage is found in Acts 8:26-39, and is the story of Philip, leaving his very successful evangelistic campaign in Samaria to follow the lead of the Holy Spirit into the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert. There he found a man in search of God, and through his witness the man was saved.

THIS MAN WAS NOT PHILIP'S RACE. He was an Ethiopian. But he was a man. And God loves every man of every race and of every condition of life. Jesus never did meet an unimportant person, nor will any true follower of his. Jesus said, "As the Father has sent Me, even so send I you," John 20:21.

This man was reading in the Book of Isaiah, where the prophet was foretelling how Jesus would suffer for the sins of the whole world. He could not understand the wonderful words. And the Spirit directed Philip to go and join himself to the eunuch, Philip ran to the chariot in which the rich man rode, asking, "Understandest thou what thou readest?" He was quick to give his witness. That is the first lesson of the lesson.

AND THE MAN LISTENED
 When we faithfully obey the Holy Spirit, he enables us to effectively witness for Jesus. We cannot be effective witnesses if we rely upon our own wisdom and our own judgment. The boy in your street who does not know Jesus will listen to your story if you go in the same glad obedience to the command of the Spirit of God as did Philip.

A lad told me this story. He had a neighbor who had never been to Sunday school, and he wanted to enlist seriously. But he was a bit unsure of himself. And then he prayed, asking God to direct him. The next day the boy asked him, "What are you doing Sunday morning?" With this opening the lad invited his neighbor to come along with him, and the result was that the little neighbor, of another race, accepted Christ as his Saviour and is today a regular attendant at church and Sunday school.

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 The question now emerges, To whom shall we bear this witness? We cannot all go as missionaries, as did Dr. Schweitzer. Most of us must remain at home and carry on the work of our everyday pursuits of life.

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Second, we can share in the sending of the missionaries to earth's remotest bounds, through our gifts. I delight to think that I am in partnership with many great men and women on foreign fields, through my gifts and through my prayers.

Third, we can witness through personal correspondence with people in other lands. The present far-reaching media of relief for stricken peoples of the world affords a wonderful opportunity for this very witness. Ask your pastor for the name of some person your age in one of the lands to which your church is sending relief, and write that person a letter, telling of your joy in serving God.

The eunuch went on his way rejoicing. Why? Because Philip had taught him the way of salvation. He had been used as an effective witness in leading a man of another race to experience the peace that passeth all understanding.

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NOTICE OF SALE

No. 662

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EMALIE CARPENTER, DECEASED

In the County Court of Foard County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, administrator of the Estate of Emalie Carpenter, Deceased, will, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1948, being the first Tuesday of said month at the Courthouse door in the town of Crowell, County of Foard, State of Texas, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described tract or parcel of land belonging to said estate, to wit:

The West 80 acres of the South 200 acres of the North one-half of Section No. 480, in Block A, located and surveyed for the Public Free School Fund by virtue of Cert. No. 31-2840, issued to the H & T C Ry Co., known as Abstract No. 1310, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the W. E. line of said Sec. No. 480, which is 356 varas South of its N.W. corner; thence South 594 varas to the S.W. Cor. this tract; thence East 760 varas to the S. E. Cor.

this tract; thence North 594 varas to the N.E. Cor. this tract; thence West 760 varas to the place of beginning, situated in Foard County, Texas, and containing as above stated, 80 acres of land.

The terms on which I will sell said above described land are as follows: CASH.

Witness my hand, this the 13th day of February, A. D. 1948.

A. K. MECK
 Administrator of the Estate of Emalie Carpenter, Deceased.
 30-3tc

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Social Happenings

MRS. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 43 or 165

Marriage of Miss Jean Orr and Jeff Bell Solemnized at Methodist Church Sunday Afternoon; Dr. C. A. Powell Officiates

In a marriage ceremony marked with simplicity and prettiness, Miss Elva Jean Orr became the bride of Jeff Nicholas Bell in the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Orr is the daughter of Mrs. Ura L. Orr and Mr. Bell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell.

The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by Dr. C. A. Powell, pastor of the Baptist Church at Rule, a former pastor of the groom while in college. Rev. D. D. Denison, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church, assisted with the marriage rites.

The church was artistically decorated for the occasion, the nuptial setting being formed by graduated candelabra with white tapers flanked with tall baskets of white gladioli, stock, snapdragons and greenery. Low bowls of fern advantageously placed accented the decorative scheme. The candles were lighted by the ushers, Glendon Hays and Kenneth Halbert.

Pre-nuptial organ selections were played by Mrs. D. D. Denison. John Rasor of Vernon sang "I Love You Truly" as a solo. Mrs. Leon Speer accompanied him at the piano. Mrs. Denison rendered soft strains of "Ave Maria" during the ceremony and also played the traditional wedding marches. Mrs. Bob Thompson of Fort Worth was the bride's only attendant. She was attired in an afternoon dress of gray, tulle and white which she wore a small black hat and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses.

The bride was given in marriage by her mother, Mrs. Ura L.

Orr, who wore a navy blue afternoon dress with matching hat and accessories. The mother of the groom wore black and each wore a pink carnation corsage.

The bride was lovely in a mist blue afternoon dress of silk crepe, fashioned with a fitted bodice and bustle back. She wore a half hat of matching satin flowers and her accessories were navy blue. She carried a bouquet of white baby's breath and a white Bible. She carried out the tradition of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue, also a sixpence in her shoe. For something borrowed she wore a platinum lavalier with a diamond pendant which belonged to the mother of the groom, having been his father's gift to her on their wedding day.

The groom was attended by Bob Willingham of Waco, a friend of college days.

Following the marriage, a reception was held at the Adolphian Club House. Mrs. Frank Flesher received the guests and presented them to the receiving line which included Mrs. Orr, the bride's mother; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell, parents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bell, the bride and groom; Mrs. Bob Thompson and Bob Willingham.

Mrs. Jack Sauls registered the guests in the pretty bride's book. They were then directed into the dining room by Mrs. Mike Rasberry. The lace laid table was centered with a beautiful arrangement of pink roses and snapdragons. White candles flanked the whole. The three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was the gift of E. G. Kane, made and beautifully decorated by him as a gift to the bride and groom.

Miss Blanche Hays cut the cake after the bride and groom and it was served to the guests by Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Mrs. W. D. Studyvin of Bryan, and Miss Maxine Johnson. Mrs. Bob Willingham of Waco poured punch. The wee napkins held the inscription "Jean-Jeff" in gold letters.

Mrs. Sam Bell was also a member of the house party and all wore corsages of white or pink carnations.

The bride and groom left immediately for Washington, D. C., where they will reside. For going-away, Mrs. Bell wore a suit of aqua gabardine, a navy blue hat and a corsage of orchids.

The bride is a graduate of Crowell High School and received her college education at Texas Technological College at Lubbock. For the past year she has been employed by the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. in Ft. Worth. Her friends in Fort Worth complimented her in numbers of ways before her departure. Mr. Bell is also a graduate of Crowell High School. He spent two years at Simmons University, Abilene, and three years at Baylor University, Waco. There he pursued his debating work in

which he starred many times. After receiving his degree from Baylor, he attended George Washington University, Washington, D. C., where he prepared for foreign service. He volunteered for U. S. Navy service and spent 34 months in the Pacific, engaging in the battles of Savo Island, New Georgia, Bougainville and Guadalcanal, being discharged as Lieutenant of Communications. He has spent most of the time since then in Washington, but is also engaged in wheat farming in Foard County.

Out-of-town relatives and friends attending the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Willingham of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strayck, Mrs. Tanner Billington and daughters, Misses Billie and Gloria Billington, and Raymond O'Flaherty, all of Fort Worth; Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Powell of Rule; Mrs. W. D. Studyvin of Bryan; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch, Mr. and Mrs. John Rasor and Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Flesher of Vernon; Dwight Cain and Miss Estelle Cain of Chillicothe; Miss Billie Hallford of Quanah; Mrs. Gilbert C. Walker and Mrs. E. S. Haggard of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bell and daughter, Carol, of Paducah.

Marriage Date of J. M. Hill Jr. and Miss Youngblood Set

The engagement and approaching marriage of J. M. Hill Jr. of Crowell and Miss Margaret Jane Youngblood of Vernon was announced Saturday when Mrs. Ely O. Youngblood, aunt of the bride-elect, entertained with a bride party in her home in Vernon.

Blue and white, chosen colors of the bride-elect, were carried out in the decorations. Small scrolls placed in plate corsages revealed the wedding date. An antique silver revolving bowl of white flowers centered the serving table.

The couple will be married March 27 at seven o'clock in the evening at the First Methodist Church in Vernon, with Dr. E. A. Reed, pastor, officiating.

Miss Mary Ann Sullivan, cousin of the bride-elect, will be maid of honor. Misses Sherry Youngblood and Jo Anne Kimberlin, also cousins of Miss Youngblood, will be bridesmaids. Jeanne Youngblood, a niece, will be flower girl.

Attendants for Mr. Hill will be A. V. McCombs of Las Cruces, N. M., a brother-in-law, best man; J. T. Hughston, Bill Klepper, Alton Roark, Charlie Thompson, James Welch, Richard Carroll and O. T. Youngblood Jr.

Miss Youngblood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Youngblood, a Vernon High School graduate and a former student at the University of Texas, where she was a member of Chi Omega sorority.

Mr. Hill is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, is a graduate of Crowell High School and attended Baylor University and Emory University in Atlanta, Ga. He is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity and served approximately two years in the Marine Corps. He is now the Kaiser-Fraser dealer in Crowell and the couple plans to reside here.

Bride-Elect Honored by Mrs. Gordon Bell at Bridge Party

Miss Jean Orr, who became the bride of Jeff Bell Sunday afternoon, was named honor guest by Mrs. Gordon Bell when she entertained with a bridge party Friday afternoon.

A color scheme of blue and white was used in all appointments of the party, with blue wedding bells the predominant feature. The bells were used on the refreshment plate, also, and tiny blue candles in white holders adorned each plate. The bride-elect's place was especially marked with white ribbons.

Miss Orr was presented with an attractive guest prize and high score went to Mrs. Marvin Myers, who in turn presented it to the honoree.

A delightful refreshment plate was served to Miss Orr, Miss Maxine Johnson, Mrs. Fred Carr, Mrs. Daurice Ray Naron, Mrs. Mike Rasberry, Mrs. Jack Sauls, Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Mrs. Leon Speer, Mrs. Marvin Myers, and Mrs. Arthur Bell.

Parents' Club Will Have Meeting

The Parents' Club will meet on Monday night, March 8, at 7 o'clock in the Canteen building. All parents interested in the Canteen are urged to be present at this time.

Bridge Luncheon Given as Compliment to Miss Jean Orr

Mrs. R. G. Rasberry and Mrs. Jack Sauls were hostesses at the home of the former on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at a delightful bridge luncheon to compliment Miss Jean Orr, who was the bride-elect of Jeff Bell. Other guests for the luncheon were Mrs. Fred Carr, Mrs. H. N. Ekern, Mrs. Daurice Ray Naron, Mrs. Leon Speer, Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Mrs. Jack Gilmore, Mrs. Ray Shirley, Mrs. Ralph Flesher of Vernon and Mrs. Nelson Oliphant.

The luncheon was served buffet style from a lace covered table with a centerpiece composed of a long mirror surrounded by sprigs of star of jasmine with two wedding cakes in the center. The cakes were white and decorated with yellow roses and green swirls. Individual blossoms were sprinkled over the mirror. A color scheme of yellow, white and green was thus used.

The luncheon menu consisted of chicken salad with a garnish of tomatoes and lettuce; potato salad, carrot curls, stuffed celery, olives and pickles, dill pickle jelled salad, hot rolls, cherry bavarian cream and cake. Plate favors were rice bouquets of pastel net and ribbon.

In the games, bride and groom tallies were used and bridesmaid dolls in the living room followed the bride table.

A gift gadget shower came as a surprise to the bride. The gifts were hidden in different places throughout the house with alarm clocks hidden with them, the alarm to sound 3 to 5 minutes apart and the honoree had to locate the alarm and turn it off before she could claim the gift found there. The hostesses' gift to Miss Orr was a pottery celery dish. Mrs. Ralph Flesher of Vernon was high scorer and presented her gift, a plastic apron, to the bride.

Miss Edna Lee Dunn and Craig Sandlin Marry on Feb. 21st

Miss Edna Lee Dunn was united in marriage to Craig Sandlin in a quiet wedding in the Baptist parsonage in Quanah on Saturday, Feb. 21st, with Rev. Lee, the pastor of the church, officiating. The couple was attended by Miss Doris Cox and Kenneth Nelson of Crowell.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunn of Crowell and a member of the senior class of Crowell High School.

Mr. Sandlin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, is a graduate of Crowell High School and attended Oklahoma A. & M. in Stillwater for one year. The couple plans to make their home in Crowell for the present.

Gerald R. Hays and Miss Florence West Wed in Wichita Falls

Gerald R. Hays, son of Mrs. H. E. Hays of Crowell, was married to Miss Florence West of Wichita Falls on January 31, 1948. The marriage took place in the parsonage of Grace Methodist Church in Wichita Falls with the pastor of the church officiating.

Mr. Hays is in the United States Army and is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., where the couple will make their home for the time being.

Bridal Shower to Honor Miss Jean Orr Given Friday

With Miss Jean Orr, then the bride-elect of Jeff Bell, named as honoree, a lovely bridal shower was given at the home of Mrs. R. J. Thomas Friday afternoon with Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Frank Flesher, Mrs. Paul Shirley and Mrs. Lewis Ballard as joint hostesses. The St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in all appointments of the delightful party.

Mrs. Bob Thompson of Ft. Worth greeted the guests at the door and presented them to Miss Orr and Mrs. A. G. Bell, the groom's mother. Mrs. Jack Sauls, asked them to kiss the bride-elect and make a wish starting with a letter in the honoree's name. Mrs. Ralph Flesher presided at the bride's book where the guests registered. The register table was adorned with a shamrock.

In the dining room, the table was laid with a beautiful cover and decorated with a large shamrock in one corner. The punch bowl was surrounded by carnations and fern and the green

punch was poured by Mrs. Kenneth Halbert. It was served with decorated tiny cookies and nuts by Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, Mrs. W. D. Studyvin and Mrs. Bert Ekern. Mrs. I. Fisch also assisted in the dining room. Tiny napkins had "Jean-Jeff" in green letters. Plate favors were tiny Irish flags in mint holders.

The corsages of the house party followed the St. Patrick's theme, being of white carnations with shamrocks attached. Incidental music was provided by a record player.

Mrs. Mike Rasberry presided in the gift room and displayed the many beautiful gifts.

Compliments to Bridal Party Given Saturday Evening

The bridal party for the wedding of Miss Jean Orr and Jeff N. Bell, which was an event of Sunday afternoon, was entertained at a lovely rehearsal dinner on Saturday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Ura L. Orr, mother of the bride, as hostess at the home of Mrs. Belle McKown.

The bride's table was centered with an artistic oblong arrangement of pink roses, gladioli and snapdragons. A delicious three-course dinner was served by Mrs. McKown to the following guests, Miss Orr, Mr. Bell, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Speer, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Glendon Hays, Mr. and Mrs. John Rasor of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Willingham of Waco and the hostess.

Another compliment to the bride and groom-elect on Saturday evening was an informal party given by Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bell at their home. After the rehearsal, the guests went to the Bell home and enjoyed several hours of games and genial fun.

Guests for the party included the bride and groom-elect, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Glendon Hays and Miss Billie Hallford of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stroyeck, all of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Willingham of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Bell and little daughter, Donna Ann, and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Bell served a plate of dainty refreshments.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY
A birthday party was given Feb. 19, in the home of Mrs. A. A. Slovacek. The 7th and 5th birthday daughter and son, and Ernest Edward received many nice gifts.

Refreshments were served the following: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Habel and daughter, Mrs. Carrie Benes, Mrs. J. W. Naron and family, Mrs. Franklin and Rosemary Ross and family, Alan, Lois, Ruth Hinkle, Ray and Welma Polk and Mrs. Crowell.

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Funeral services were held at the church of the Holy Trinity at 10 o'clock, Sunday, March 1, for Mrs. R. E. Succumb, a member of the church.

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Mrs. R. E. Succumb is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Thalia and Mrs. Aroya, Colorado, and Mrs. Thalia of Mills, N. M.

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