

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

AND CROWELL INDEX

CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1950

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## Soil Conservation News of District

Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, Lower Pease River District Board: W. C. Howell, Grady Halbert, O. T. Holmes, O. H. Brandon, H. L. Myers.

It is the time to plant those summer legumes. Let's take advantage of a good opportunity to plant a crop that will improve our soil. Our land strives hard to take care of us so let's try to take care of it.

There are several good summer legumes for this area. They are: Chinese Red peas, California peas, Texas blackeyes and cowpeas.

General cooperators of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District have already planted acres to these legumes and others. Charlie bought their seed. Charlie has a stand on 35 acres of Chinese Red peas and 7 acres of Texas blackeyes. Cooperators are: Bill Nichols, Henry Garar, Bill Dunn, John Jokel, H. Hall, Raymond Kubicek, H. Schultz, Luther Tamplin and many others.

Ayers is planting blackeyes as a soil improving crop as a cover for alfalfa as are other cooperators in the area. George Fox plans to plant 30 acres of Chinese Red peas. There have been made on the following: Henry Borchardt, 28 acres; Morris, 10 acres; Henry Green, 4 acres and Homer Zeibig, 2 acres.

The panic will be seeded in the future on Jack Welch, Emil Reeder and Ignac Zacek farms.

## Thalia School 8th Grade Graduation Exercises Held

The Thalia eighth grade graduation exercises were held in the auditorium Thursday night, May 18, at 8:15 o'clock. W. N. Cato played the instrumental and recessional. The invocation was given by J. M. Jackson, pastor of the Thalia School church. Songs were rendered by a chorus. The address was given by Rev. Howard Estes, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church. Dismissals and perfect attendance awards were presented by Mrs. D. B. Bursey, principal. Judge J. M. Thomas, county superintendent, spoke words of commendation to the graduates.

The graduating students were: Mary Alice Wertheimer, Loreta Mae Cates, Norman Shultz, Bessie Short, Kenneth Orval Rallsback, Brian David Jackson, Eugene and Sammie Cook, valedictorians.

Perfect attendance awards were given to Jo Frances Long, Iven Milton Howard Boyd, Carolyn Lindsey, Albert Cates, Billy Shultz, Peggy Sharon Long, C. Cates, Jimmy Lindsey, Doris Gamble, John W. Wright, man Self, J. M. Cates and Norman Shultz. Iven Cates, Albert Cates and Jerry Cates have received perfect attendance awards two consecutive years. Norman has received perfect attendance awards for three consecutive years.

## Man Interest Story Is Local Appeal

T. Humphrey Dockins and Dockins, grandchildren of A. J. Dockins of Crowell, who were in Tacoma, Wash., where they were stationed at Fort Lewis, military base in the Pacific Northwest, figured prominently in the rescue of little Tommy Jensen who was lost in the dense forest near Fort Lewis and was the subject of a two-day search by army early in May. The story was publicized throughout the area but until recently it was known how the local people in the family of Sgt. Dockins and Dockins family live in homes in Tacoma on the base and "Lassie", faithful Irish Setter, belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Dockins, was played with the children seemingly watched after them.

On this occasion, "Lassie" was the Jenkins child when he went to meet his daddy coming back. They were lost from that time until the rescue party found the child and dog. "Lassie" was getting the child, and as it was getting the child at the time, probably it from exposure. Then, "Lassie" would not allow anyone near even when the rescue party found them so in all probability saved the little boy from being lost.

"Lassie" was brought to Crowell last summer when the Dockins family was here on vacation, was a pet of the Dockins children and regard since her evidence of faithfulness and dependability.

## C. W. Beidleman, Pioneer Resident, Succumbs Sunday

Funeral Services Held at Methodist Church Monday

C. W. Beidleman passed away Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clois Orr of Margaret, after a short illness.

Funeral services were held in the Crowell Methodist Church Monday afternoon with Rev. E. R. McGregor, pastor of the Margaret Methodist Church, officiating. Assisting him were Rev. J. V. Patterson, pastor of the Foard City Methodist Church, and Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Crowell church.

Mrs. Paul Shirley played organ accompaniment for the choir songs. Gus Neill of Thalia sang as a special number, "Sunrise," being accompanied by Mrs. Neill.

Pall bearers were Ira Tole, Jim Moore, Bill Moore, Don Maroney, Jack McGinnis and Coy Payne. Flower bearers included Mrs. O. C. Allen, Mrs. Raymond Bell, Mrs. Don Maroney, Mrs. P. D. Ferguson, Mrs. E. R. McGregor, Mrs. T. F. Lambert, Mrs. Will Johnson, Mrs. Douglas Tucker, Mrs. Morgan Price, Mrs. Evelyn Campbell, Mrs. Ebb Scales, Mrs. Virgil Johnson, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mrs. Clint White, Mrs. Moody Bursey and Mrs. Dink Russell.

Named as honorary pall bearers were Dr. H. Clark, G. A. Mitchell, Frank Matthews, Joe Orr, Bob Roberts, N. J. Roberts, Ozzie Turner, Gus Neill, J. M. Jackson, T. L. Ward, E. P. Bomar, J. A. Whitfield, B. J. Glover, Luke McCrory, Elmer Roberts, Charlie Wisdom, A. B. Wisdom, O. C. Allen, J. A. Stovall, Henry Vinson, T. E. Dorning, Alton Bell, Henry Ferguson, Claude Callaway, Will Johnson, Ben Bradford, Ray Pigg, Gene Pigg and Dr. R. L. Kincaid.

Charles Wynn Beidleman was born in Mountain City, Johnson County, Tennessee, on July 6, 1861. He came to Texas when he was 23 years of age, in 1884. He came to Hardeman County in October, 1886, to work on the 3K Ranch. Here he remained until 1895.

He was married to Miss Fleeta Mae Thomas in Blooming Grove, Texas, on Dec. 25, 1895. He was converted and united with the Methodist Church of Thalia in 1900 under the pastorate of Rev. C. E. Lindsey. Mr. Beidleman joined the Masonic Lodge in 1891 and had been a member in good standing since that time. He was a quiet, unassuming gentleman, a real pioneer, braving the hardships and enjoying the privileges of a growing country. He was a good man and had many friends wherever he lived.

He is survived by seven children, his wife having died in 1942. The children are Harry Beidleman of Odessa, Fay Beidleman of Overton, Mrs. J. H. White of Houston, Mrs. Blake McDaniel of Foard City, Mrs. Hugh Heaton of Overton, Mrs. John Heaton of Artesia, Texas, and Margaret Orr of Margaret. Nine grandchildren, two great grandchildren, nine nieces and nephews also survive as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

Interment was made in the cemetery at Crowell under the supervision of Womack Funeral Home. The Masonic Lodge was in charge of the graveside services.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the services were

## Vacation Bible School Scheduled by Baptist Church for June 5-14

Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor of the First Baptist Church, says that vacation time means Bible School time. He further states that the important dates for the Vacation Bible School for the Baptist Church are June 5-14. The sessions will be from 3 until 6 o'clock each afternoon except Saturday and Sunday. This is an opportunity for children to learn more about God's book, as well as to enjoy supervised recreation, handicraft, music, stories, etc.

The superintendents of the departments are: beginner (4), Mrs. Bernice Sanders; beginner (5), Mrs. Glen Goodwin; primary (6, 7 and 8), Miss Betty Williams; junior, Mrs. Howard Williams; older juniors and intermediates, Mrs. Eugene Owens. Thirty other people have already been enlisted to assist these superintendents on the faculty. Mrs. N. B. Moon will serve as principal of the school.

There will be no tuition and all children from 4 through 16 are welcome and are invited to attend the school.

She is the object of much adulation and is being sought out by movie companies and has been given a medal and certificate of honor. She has been lavished with cases of dog food and is really getting attention, relate the Dockins family.

## Testifies Against Lewis



Washington, D. C. — Lloyd Sidener, above, coal miner of Canton, Ill., is shown as he testified before the House labor committee that John L. Lewis issued secret orders to his soft coal miners to ignore a back-to-work injunction last winter. Sidener was fined \$50,000 by the mine union for attempting to comply with the government order to return to work.

## Spinose Ear Ticks Are Trouble Makers

The spinose ear tick was formerly found only in the Edwards Plateau region of Texas, but today it is a well recognized livestock parasite in most every section of the state. This tick is found inside the ears of cattle. In addition to the irritation caused by its presence, it is responsible for many cases of deafness, secondary infections of the ears and severe screwworm infestations in cattle, says Joe Burkett, county agent.

The adult tick—it does not feed—lays its eggs in and about the salt boxes, feed troughs and water tanks. The eggs hatch and the larvae crawl into the noses of the animals when they feed or drink. The ticks find their way into the ears where they feed for up to 21 days, then they shed their skins. The young ticks shed twice more before reaching maturity, and continue to feed within the ears of the animals until they drop to the ground for the final molt.

Control, says Burkett, is best accomplished by eliminating the ticks from the salt boxes, feed troughs and water tanks and the areas surrounding them. He says the salt boxes and the feed troughs should be cleaned out periodically and painted with creosote, crude oil or a solution of toxaphene or chlordane. The area around the boxes, troughs and water tanks should be sprayed with a five-tenths per cent solution of either toxaphene or chlordane.

He says the recommended treatment for controlling the ticks, once they are on the animals, consists of swabbing out the ears with smear 1029. He also states that many ranchmen are reporting good results from pouring a five-tenths per cent chlordane solution into the ears of infested animals. A squirt type oil can is used to get the solution into the animals' ears.

## Crowell Receives DDT Spraying Friday

On last Friday afternoon, the DDT spraying machine, purchased by the Lions Club with help from residents all over the county, covered a great part of Crowell with insecticide. The fogging job was completed Saturday morning.

The fogging operation is to continue periodically throughout the summer months when the danger of disease-bearing insects is at its height. Other communities in Foard County and Truscott will have an opportunity to use the machine.

The sprayer was manned by members of the Lions Club. Weldon Hays is chairman of the fogging operations.

## ROTARY CLUB

The Crowell Rotary Club met in the chamber of commerce office Wednesday at noon and sandwiches, soda pop and ice cream were served by Don Wilkins of the DeLuxe Cafe.

Visiting Rotarians were E. A. Jones and W. D. Reeves of Quanah, T. J. McCarty of Abilene and Frank Wendt of Vernon.

With Fred Youree as program chairman, Jack Seale entertained the Rotarians with funny stories.

**SPECIAL SERVICE**  
There will be a special service by the children's division of the Crowell Methodist Church next Sunday morning, May 28, at 10:50 a. m. A splendid program has been prepared. The public is cordially invited to attend this special service.

## Death Comes Suddenly to Mrs. Luther Marlow

Funeral Services Were Held Friday in Methodist Church

Death came to Mrs. Luther Marlow of Foard City on Wednesday evening, May 17, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Howard Ferguson. Although Mrs. Marlow had been ill for several weeks, her death came unexpectedly and was a distinct shock to her family and friends.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Crowell Methodist Church with Rev. J. V. Patterson, pastor of the Foard City Methodist Church, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. E. R. McGregor, pastor of the Thalia Methodist Church and Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Crowell church. Two favorite song numbers of the deceased were sung by a choir. They were "Lead Me to Calvary" and "Many Mansions."

A male quartet composed of Marcus Mills, Sam Mills, R. H. Cooper Sr. and A. Y. Beverly, sang "Land Where We'll Never Grow Old." Mrs. Paul Shirley accompanied the songs.

Pall bearers were Herman Gentry, Jess Autry, W. L. Johnson, J. L. Farrar, Allison Denton and Glenn Shook. Flower bearers were Mesdames Herman Gentry, Bob Myers, Jess Autry, W. L. Johnson, Allison Denton, J. C. Rader, Fred Gray, Homer Matthews, Homer McBeath, John Rader, J. M. Barker, Roy Ferguson, Sherman McBeath, C. N. Barker, Virgil Johnson, Jack Welch, Blake McDaniel, Pete Evans, Floyd Ferguson, Midge Adcock, Miller Rader, E. R. McGregor, Hugstain McLain, Glenn Shook, Grady Halbert, Glenn Chorning, P. D. Ferguson, Dock Borchardt and T. R. Cates Sr.

Interment was made in the Crowell cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Service.

Beula Frances Manning was born at New Harp, Texas, on April 15, 1905. She came to Foard County with her parents, the late J. L. Manning and Mrs. Manning, in 1919. She was converted and united with the Oliver Methodist Church in 1916 and remained true to her faith and a consistent Christian since that time.

On Jan. 15, 1924, she was married to Luther Marlow in Thalia and to this union two daughters were born, Mrs. Howard Ferguson of Foard City and Mrs. Delmar McBeath of Thalia. Two grandchildren also survive. They are Paulette and Larry Baxter McBeath. One granddaughter, Tamara Alexis Ferguson, preceded her in death.

Besides the husband, daughters and grandchildren, Mrs. Marlow is survived by her mother, Mrs. J. L. Manning; two brothers, Bill Manning and Buster Manning of Crowell; two sisters, Mrs. Luther Jobe of San Antonio and Mrs. Shelby Wallace of Crowell.

Mrs. Marlow's life exemplified the high ideals for which she lived. She was a faithful wife and mother and was always in her place of duty, ready to serve whom she might. Her radiant Christian personality will be sorely missed by all who knew her.

Out-of-town relatives present for funeral services include: Mr. and Mrs. Rector Boydston of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Rollins Taylor, Mrs. T. T. Manning, Mrs. Jesse Buck and Mrs. Maggie Parish of Deatur; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dickerson and children of Chico; Mrs. Fannie Ferris of Wichita Falls; Mrs. J. B. Washburn and daughter of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe and James Jobe of San Antonio.

Mrs. Marlow had been a faithful correspondent of the Foard County News for the Foard City community for many years.

## Justice of Peace Precinct Covers All of Foard County

The News has been requested to announce that the Justice of the Peace Precinct covers the entire county. Voters in other parts of the county have been confused as to whether or not they are entitled to vote for candidates for Justice of the Peace. The two candidates in the race for this office are Ben Greening and Greer Reinhardt.

## TO GRADUATE

Harvey L. Blevins of Margaret is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree at Texas Wesleyan College on May 29, according to a news item from the News Bureau of the college.

The son of Mrs. Belle Blevins of Margaret, he is a physical education major at TWC.

There will be no evening worship service as the pastor is attending the Northwest Texas annual conference at Big Spring.

## HARVEST OF THE 1950 WHEAT CROP IN THIS AREA WELL UNDERWAY WED.

With favorable weather conditions, no rain and continued high winds, harvesting of the 1950 Foard County wheat crop was getting well under way Wednesday afternoon. Wheat brought to the Crowell elevators the first part of the week tested 60 to 64 pounds per bushel and the moisture content was low enough that the grain could be handled by the elevators.

The first load of 1950 wheat was brought to Crowell by John Thompson of the Gilliland community in Knox County and was unloaded at the Foard County Mill last Friday. The load consisted of 116 bushels and tested 62.5. The first Foard County wheat consisting of 26 bushels was unloaded at the Farmers Elevator on Saturday, May 20, by Clarence Garret of the Foard City community and tested 60.

According to reports obtained from the elevators in Crowell Wednesday afternoon about 3 o'clock, 126,821 bushels had been received here and the stream of wheat trucks from Foard County fields was growing larger and was expected to continue into the night. The market price of wheat Wednesday afternoon was \$1.95 per bushel.

## Paducah Man Wins First Place in Golf Tournament

More than 300 spectators and 90 golfers at the fifth annual Spring Lake Country Club golf tournament saw Haskell Maxey of Paducah, who shot sub-par golf, claim the championship title Sunday afternoon after defeating C. E. Grady of Vernon, two to one.

Zack Henderson of Quanah was winner of the championship consolation after defeating Jay Smith of Vernon 2-1.

The first flight was won by Buel Gibson of Munday after he had defeated E. V. Price of Quanah, 2-1.

Consolation winner of the first flight was Bud Henderson of Quanah who defeated Gordon Bell of Crowell, one up.

T. C. Stinson of Paducah defeated Loraine Carter of Crowell to win the second flight, one up. The second flight consolation winner was L. H. Creager of Mineral Wells who defeated Marcus Mills of Crowell, one up.

G. W. Scales of Crowell defeated Buddy Myers of Wichita Falls in the third flight with a score of 3-2.

O. K. Hoyle of Seymour was winner of the fourth flight after he had defeated Bob Yeager of Quanah, one up. Consolation was won by T. Martin of Seymour who defeated Bob Edwards of Crowell, one up.

Winner of the fifth flight was Bill Hampton of Vernon who won over C. C. Hamm also of Vernon, one up. Fifth flight consolation was won by J. Stinson of Paducah who defeated T. Newsom, also of Paducah, 2-1.

Prizes amounting to more than \$400 were given to the winners in the Sunday contests. The Allee Garment Co. of Fort Worth also gave the winner of each flight a new suit of khakis.

## Employment Office to Assist Farmers and Harvest Workers

J. E. Black will be in the county agent's office to assist the equipment operators and farmers to get the grain harvested, W. C. Albright of the Vernon office of the Texas Employment Commission, stated Monday.

Farmers who do not have combines secured can get in touch with Mr. Black and he will get one for them, and he will also serve the operators, transient labor and truckers in the same manner.

As soon as harvest gets underway, Mr. Black will send a telegraphic report each day to the control office in Amarillo, giving the condition of the crop, per cent harvested, weather conditions and any shortage or surplus of labor and equipment that might exist. The following morning at 7 a. m. that information will be broadcast over KGNC, Amarillo. Any shortage that might exist at the time of the broadcast will be remedied within 24 to 36 hours, Mr. Albright said.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

**Foard County Hospital**  
Patients in:  
Mrs. A. B. Curtis  
Miss Irene Hunter  
Anita Stubbs  
Oran Carroll  
Patients Dismissed:  
Alvin Wheeler  
J. M. Barker  
Mrs. T. P. Tapp  
Jimmie Johnson  
Floyd Borchardt  
Mrs. Mary Black  
J. H. Carter  
Flora Mae Sparkman (Col.)  
Clara Mae Tucker and infant daughter (Col.)  
Laura May Hardin (Col.)

**ATTENDS BUTANE SCHOOL**  
Recie Womack spent last week in Austin attending a school for business management for butane dealers of the state at the University of Texas, sponsored by the Texas Butane Dealers Association. This is the first school ever organized in the nation for owners of butane businesses.

## First Car of New Wheat Received in Fort Worth Bought from Farmers Elevator

The first carload of new wheat of the 1950 season was expected to arrive in Fort Worth Wednesday afternoon, according to a news item in the Star-Telegram Wednesday morning. The movement was reported by E. B. Wooten, secretary of the Fort Worth Grain and Cotton Exchange.

The car was purchased in Crowell from the Farmers Co-Operative Elevator Association by Julian Scott, manager of the grain department of the Transit Grain Company. The car left Crowell Tuesday at 6 a. m. over the Santa Fe Lines. The wheat car number was 144,282.

Leo Potishman, president of the Transit Grain Company, predicted the 1950 wheat crop will exceed earlier forecasts as a result of recent rains, the article stated.

## CHS Baseball Team Loses Regional Play-Off Game

The Crowell High School baseball team, District 9A champion, lost its regional play-off game to Irving, District 12A champion, 12 to 1 at Wichita Falls Tuesday afternoon. The Wildcats had won fourteen games out of sixteen played to get into the regional play-off.

The Crowell boys have depended on their ace pitcher, Roy Whitley, to lead them to their many victories this season, but Whitley was very wild Tuesday and could not last the entire game. However, he has won fourteen out of sixteen games pitched this season. Jimmy Rasberry relieved Whitley on the mound in the fourth inning and was rather wild, too. The two boys walked eleven Irving batters between them. The Irving boys were able to collect only four hits, but two of them were for extra bases that brought in two runs on each occasion. Rasberry struck out four Irving batters in the two innings that he pitched.

Raymond Price, Irving pitcher, was the most effective twirler that the Cats have faced this season. He allowed only two singles, both by Rouse Todd, one of the singles scored Clinton Marlow for Crowell's only run. Marlow got on first on an error and advanced to second on a balk. Price struck out ten Crowell batters.

Irving had already defeated Deatur in a play-off game and the victory over the Cats gave them the regional championship. This is as far as Class A teams go in this state play-off.

## New Oil Test Being Drilled on Halsell Ranch Near Crowell

S. D. Johnson has spudded in on No. 1, Furd Halsell, a 4,000 foot test in the southeast part of Block 1, ETRR survey. The wildcat test is about seven miles south and a little east of Crowell. Drilling is below 1,000 feet in shale.

## RECEIVES DEGREE

Paul D. Vecera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vecera, received a degree in Mechanical Engineering from Texas Technological College on Monday night, May 22. He will be employed by Panhandle Steel Corporation and will continue to reside in Lubbock. Mrs. Vecera is the former Miss Jo Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan of Thalia.

## METHODIST MEN TO MEET

The Methodist Men's organization of the Crowell church will have their regular meeting in the basement of the church Thursday (tonight) at 8 o'clock. An interesting program has been planned and refreshments will be served.

## Completion of Farmers Co-Op. Elevator Ass'n.'s New Storage Elevators Here Increases Capacity to 230,000 Bushels

Completion of two new elevators for the Farmers Co-Op. Elevator Association in the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches, from Big Spring they will go to Georgetown where they will attend the graduation of their son, Hugh, from Southwestern University. Hugh is now studying at Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

The two frame buildings with corrugated sheet iron covering were completed and the machinery installed and everything made ready for the opening of the harvest season. Joe B. Roberts, local contractor, supervised the construction of the new buildings and the installation of the machinery. C. C. McLaughlin, local electrician, wired the buildings for electricity. The farmers' association owns elevators at Foard City and Margaret with a storage capacity of 20,000 bushels each.

Regular employees at the elevators in Crowell are Mr. Reeder, Mrs. Leoma Rasberry, bookkeeper, and Oscar and J. W. Whitley, elevator operators.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richter and children of Taft, Texas, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Richter, and other relatives.

Paul Raska from South Texas is visiting his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Raska.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matus Sr. and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Matus of Red Springs.

Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons spent Sunday visiting at Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope of Hollister, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Hardie B. Lewis and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins of Fort Worth. They were accompanied

by Deborah Lee Adkins, who had been visiting her grandparents, and Roxiann Adkins of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freudiger and family of Megargel and T-Sgt. and Mrs. Bill Cerveny and sons of Fort Sill spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Mary Richter.

Mesdames Lilla Mae Johnson and daughter and Mrs. Genevieve Tucker and sons of Vernon spent Sunday afternoon with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice.

Robert and Charley Matus are spending this week at Bomarton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hall of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller.

Mrs. Ben Bradford and grandson, Jimmy Hopkins, returned Wednesday from Norman, Okla., where they had visited with Mrs. Bradford's mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Kenneth Bradford and daughter spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ben Henderson, of Vernon.

Jimmy Hopkins of A. C. C. Abilene, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins.

H. H. Hopkins spent from Wednesday until Sunday relatives at Dallas and Seawille.

Rex Kyker and Bill Wiley of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Other Ferguson and family of Thalia were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and family of Five-in-One visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller Sunday night.

Ben Hopkins made a business trip to Wichita Falls last Wednesday.

Grannie Huntley spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huntley of Vernon.

Wanda Lou Carr of Five-in-One is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bob Miller, and husband this week.

Bennie Lou Hopkins, senior of Lockett High School, left Tuesday on a senior trip to Galveston.

A large number from this community attended funeral services for C. W. Beidleman at Crowell Monday afternoon. Mr. Beidleman and his wife, who passed away several years ago, were pioneer residents of this community. They had many friends here.

**FRIENDS . . .**

As I have been knocked out so long by the flu and the after-effects of the flu, I am using this as a reminder I am in the race for Justice of the Peace, and will appreciate your vote and influence, whether I see you or not.

**Ben Greening**

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Judging from the ads for summer-time and vacation equipment, just about everything now is portable—ready to be picked up and carried away to the beach, mountains or woods. Portable television sets, stoves and cocktail bars have ceased to be novelties in this fast-moving world of ours.

But it wasn't always so. Not long ago, even such every day things as cold creams and skin lotions, which no woman would neglect to have on hand for summer days, could not be packed in a suit-case for hot weather traveling. If the truth be told, they couldn't be kept at home for very long either.

The trouble was in the oils used to make the cosmetics. Until about 50 years ago, vegetable and animal oils were used almost exclusively. These, unfortunately, turned rancid in a short while. They couldn't be kept or carried far. Cosmetics was a local industry, and the

chances were that if you ventured too far from home your beauty problems would be multiplied accordingly.

The problem was solved when a way was found to recover a colorless, odorless and tasteless substance called white oil from petroleum. White oil was just the stable and uniform material needed to do the vegetable and animal oil job—and do it better.

Today, cold creams contain from 50 to 60 per cent white oil, which is thin enough for rapid penetration of the pores, for gentle but effective cleansing, and for easy removal. Other petroleum products give cold creams firmness and body.

This same versatile white oil is used in deodorants, sunburn cream, nail enamel, soapless liquid shampoos and even toothpastes.

So whether you pack those beauty-making cosmetics for a vacation trip or if you just keep fresh and lovely at home this summer, remember—beauty isn't just skin deep; it's deep as an oil well!

**Warranty Deeds Recorded by Clerk**

Warranty deeds filed for record in the county clerk's office from April 15 to May 1, inclusive, follow:

C. M. Carroll, et ux, et al, to Clarence Garrett, 160 acres of Section No. 407, in Block A, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

E. G. Boman, et ux, et al, to Emma R. Cole and Lynn L. McKown, 320 acres of land in Section 516, Block A, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

J. R. Weiss, et ux, to T. D. Curry, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 in Block 90, in the original town of Crowell.

R. E. Main to Emma L. Main:  
 1. 80 acres of Sidney Smith Survey.  
 2. 128 acres of Section No. 38 in Block 18 issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

R. E. Main, to Mary Frances Main Jackson:  
 1. 15.86 acres of Section 277, Block 4, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.  
 2. 80 acres of Section 33, Block 8, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.  
 R. E. Main to F. B. Main and Fred E. Main:  
 1. 674.5 acres of Section No. 268, Block A, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.  
 2. 160 acres of Section No. 269, Block A, issued to the H. & T. C. Ry. Co.

**"LOOK ABOUT YOU"**

Freely translated, the Latin inscription on the state seal of Michigan reads, "If you seek a beautiful peninsula, look about you." The seal was designed by Lewis Cass, governor of Michigan territory after the War of 1812.

Snow and ice tracked into the kitchens are invitations to accidents.

**Honor Rolls for Thalia Grade School Released**

Honor rolls and perfect attendance rolls for the Thalia School for the past six weeks period were released Monday by the principal, Mrs. Howard Bursey, as follows:

**High Honor Roll**  
 David Jackson, Norman Shultz, Peatrice James, Loretta Matus, Myrna Riley, Mary Werley, Coleman Self, Denton Werley, Rufus Whitman, Dorothy Gamble, Barbara Luckie, Mary Cato, Vida Jean Tarver, Gaylon Whitman, Karen Rose Hall, Peggy Sharon Long.

And Frankie Burkhardt, W. C. Carr, Albert Cates, Mary Hall, Carolyn Lindsay, Max Hammonds, Phillip Johnson, Jimmie Marlow, Oecie Burj Tarver, Wanda Lou Carr, Peggy Cates, Donna Gayle Taylor, Joyce Wilson, Patsy McRae, Jamie Wright, Don Taylor, Eldon Whitman, David Carpenter, Johnny Joe Matus, Iven Kay Cates, Loneta Ann Savage, Ruth Ellen Short, Arlos Moore, Roy Ezzell, Louis Kajs, Frankie Cribbs, Charlotte James, Judy Johnson, Jo Frances Long, Wanda Moore, Joan Schwarz.

**Low Honor Roll**  
 Kenneth Hall, Brian Wright, Cloyce Marlow, Oliver Savage, John W. Wright, Cleta May Edens, Norma Fay Hall, Jerry Cates, Jimmie Lindsey, Billy Short, Gerald Short, Pearl Wayne Temple, Peggy Ann Ezzell.

And Neta Mae Hall, Larry Joe Riley, Milton Howard Boyd, Elizabeth McCurley, Cecilia Cole, Phyllis Webb, Bobby Powers, Roy Martin Shultz, Patty Carpenter, Gerald Dene Edens, Mary Ruth Riley, Margaret Webb, Ebris Burkhardt.

**Perfect Attendance**  
 J. M. Cates, David Jackson, Norman Shultz, Myrna Riley, Mary Werley, Coleman Self, Denton Werley, Don Wheeler, John W. Wright, Dorothy Gamble, Fred Hammonds, Jerry Cates, Mary Cato, Jimmy Lindsey, Homer Lindell McBeath, Vida Jean Tarver, Karen Rose Hall, Johnny Kajs, Peggy Sharon Long, Billy Doyle Shultz, and Milton Howard Boyd, Elizabeth Webb, Peggy Ann Werley, Larry Joe Riley, David Carpenter, Eldon Whitman, Joyce Wilson, Jamie Wright, Patsy McRae, Cecilia Cole, Peggy Cates, Neta Hall, Alberto Rodriguez, Gary Carpenter, Iven Cates, Joe Coufal, Arlos Moore, Roy Ezzell, Louis Kajs, Frankie Cribbs, Ray Ezzell, Patty Carpenter, Jo Frances Long, Wanda Moore, Kitty Sue Pritchett, Margaret Webb.

**Some Day, Maybe, Insects May Be Killed at Planting Time**

Someday farmers may put insecticides in the soil at planting time and forget about insects.

That's probably a long time off, but last year three USDA entomologists, E. E. Ivy, Wm. Iglinsky Jr., and C. F. Rainwater, in laboratory tests at Texas A. & M., found cotton plants would take up poison from the soil and that treated plants killed cotton aphids and red spider mites. If they used enough poison, they would get the fleahopper too, according to Joe Burkett, County Agent.

Scientists have long dreamed of getting plants to pick up insecticides from the soil. They even had a name ready for it—systemic entomology. But the plants would never cooperate until 1947, when it was found that corn roots would take up parathion and that the leaves and stalks of treated plants were toxic to the corn borer.

Parathion is one of the new organic insecticides. Plants won't absorb the others, such as DDT and BHC; but parathion is a phosphorous compound and phosphorous in the form of superphosphate is one of the three main plant food elements used as fertilizer.

Parathion didn't get the job done on cotton insects in 1948, but it tests at A. & M., but in 1949 another of the many new phosphorous organic insecticides, octamethyl pyrophosphoramide, showed a lot of promise in tests run under a Research & Marketing Act project. Among other things, as little as one-fifth of a pound per acre applied to cottonseed at planting time took care of aphids and red spider mites for two months.

Now Dr. R. D. Lewis of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has announced that two acres of seed treated with octamethyl pyrophosphoramide have been planted in the Brazos River Field Laboratory.

It is the nation's first field test of systemic entomology.

Dr. J. C. Gaines, the research entomologist who is making the tests, says it will be a big thing for the cotton farmer if the plants absorb the insecticide under field conditions and keep off aphids and mites during the critical two months when cotton is in the seedling stage.

One thing he is worried about is that the seed might absorb the phosphorous and so be unfit for cottonseed cake, margarine and other seed products. He won't know the answer until this fall.

Right now the new insecticide is very expensive, but if manufacturers go into production on it seed treatment—which would be similar to use of cesaran for plant disease control—should get down to about 50 cents an acre.

Dr. H. G. Johnston, head of the A. & M. department of entomology thinks systemic entomology has a lot of possibilities, not only for cotton but for other crops, but warns that it will be a long time before all the details are worked out.

"It would be unusual if we hit it on the first trial," he pointed out, "but if octamethyl pyrophosphoramide doesn't work, maybe

**MARGARET'S INCOME**

The income of Margaret Man, for 1950, may total between \$60,000 and \$75,000. She receives \$1500 for each concert and \$1000 for each radio broadcast.

**UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF**

The C. I. O. brought to Washington last week a number of unemployed persons from several types of industry to ask Congress and officials for more unemployment relief. It will strike many as strange that such a thing should be necessary in the midst of a period in which employment and wages have reached the highest point in all history.

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# History of Truscott Methodist Church As Compiled by Mrs. George Solomon; New Church Building Dedicated May 14

The history of the Truscott Methodist Church which was compiled and read by Mrs. George Solomon at the dedication services of the present church building on Sunday, May 14, is printed below. The church was organized in 1901 and the new church building was dedicated by Bishop W. C. Martin of Dallas.

"In September, 1901, Truscott Methodist Episcopal Church South was organized in an unpainted one room school building which had been built in the cemetery grounds. The main public road passed by this building, and it was centrally located on the divide between the North and South Wichita rivers. There were only a few scattered settlers in the Truscott community at that time. The town of Truscott consisted of the school house and one residence where the Post Office was located. At that time the people were having a Bible School every Sunday morning, and Brother Evert, a resident Christian preacher, one Sunday each month. The Methodist pastor from the Benjamin Circuit, who lived at Benjamin fifteen miles away and beyond the South Wichita river over which there was no bridge, would come to preach for the people of Truscott in the summer afternoons occasionally when he could find a few hours to spare.

"In the summer of 1901 two new Methodist men with their wives moved into the community; and with Brother J. W. R. Bachman of the Benjamin church as leader, a Methodist Church was organized. The following were the charter members: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Guynn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClain, Mrs. Kitty Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Browder, Mrs. Harriet E. Browder, C. I. Browder, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Lizzie Hodnett, Miss Cynthia Ann Hendrix and Mrs. Derrick.

"Of that number Frank McClain of Benjamin and Mrs. Kitty Brooks of Truscott are living.

"That fall the Truscott Church was added to the Benjamin Circuit and given one Sunday afternoon each month. Brother J. M. McCarter was the first pastor. He stayed two years, being moved in the fall of 1903.

tract. The Truscott - Foard City charge was formed, Truscott having the pastor three Sundays in the month and Foard City one Sunday.

"Brother Gray came in November 1922 but stayed only three months and resigned. He was followed by Brother Hightower who was removed by death in June 1923. His place was filled by Brother Charles J. Marts who stayed until November 1923. Brother Russell was here from November 1923 to November 1924, when our church was made happy by having Brother Marts sent to us again. We built a parsonage in February of 1925. Brother Marts went away in June 1925 and in July Brother Cecil R. Matthews took charge of the church. He stayed a faithful young preacher, until November 1928.

"Brother R. O. Browder came in the fall of 1928. We built two Sunday School rooms onto the church in the summer of 1929. Brother Browder stayed until November 1931, and we were very sorry to see him go. Brother DeWitt Van Pelt was our pastor from November 1931 to November, 1932.

"Brother O. C. Stapleton was our very efficient pastor from Nov., 1932, until May of 1935. Being desirous (both he and his wife) of getting nearer their mothers who were getting old, he exchanged pastorates with Brother J. R. Blevins of New London, Missouri.

"Brother Blevins was our pastor with his very good wife until November 1935. In the spring of 1934 we added a sleeping porch to our parsonage.

"Our good pastor of thirty years ago, Brother M. W. Clark, with his fine wife, were sent back to us in November 1935. During 1936 the church was revived and a goodly number were added to the rolls. We now number one hundred and sixty-seven members.

"Brother George E. Tyson was appointed in November 1936 and served the charge for two successful years. Brother I. T. Huckabee was appointed in November, 1938. During his pastorate the young people were very active and altogether he had a very fruitful ministry, not only spiritually but he helped to build the education building which was erected and dedicated. This building was completed in 1940.

"Bishop Ivan Lee Holt visited us on Feb. 18, 1939.

"Brother D. A. Ross came to us in those trying days of the fall of 1941 and served very faithfully and was loved by all with whom he came in contact. He was always willing to help out when he was called upon in the community. He spent four years with us. Brother J. W. Hawkins was appointed in 1945 and it was during his ministry that plans for the new building began to take form. He remained here only one year.

"Brother J. V. Patterson came to us in 1946 under whose ministry the new church building came to be a reality. By action of a called Quarterly Conference on Feb. 9, 1947, with the Rev. W. M. Pierce officiating, we decided to tear down the old building and use the old material in rebuilding the new one. The new building was completed in August 1947 at a cost of \$6,500.00 in excess of the old material. The parsonage has been remodeled making it one of the up-to-date parsonages of the District. The church is now paid for and was dedicated by Bishop W. C. Martin."

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## Queen to Be Crowned at Wheat Harvest Festival on June 2

The North Texas or Southern Oklahoma miss who is crowned queen of the first annual National Wheat Harvest Festival in Wichita Falls Friday, June 2, will carry away with her one souvenir to remind her forever of her honor.

Long after the glory and the spectacle of the event have faded away, she and her family and friends will be able to recall in exact detail how she looked this summer.

For among the prizes to be offered her is a life-size oil portrait of herself, done by the eminent artist, Emil Hermann. She may sit for it at her convenience.

Hermann, long known for his outstanding civic contributions to the city of his adoption, made known his gift to festival planners this week.

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**Washington Newsletter**

(By Congressman Ed Gossett)

Washington, D. C., May 12, 1950—The House this week completed action on its one package appropriations bill, a bill carrying total appropriations of more than 29 billions of dollars. I voted for 2 controversial amendments which we adopted on the last day of debate. The first amendment cuts 600 million dollars from the bill. The second amendment seeks to reduce federal employees by 10 per cent during the next fiscal year. Both of these amendments will be a bit hard to work out, but both seemed to a majority of us to be highly desirable. It is well known to most of us in Washington that many federal agencies are over staffed and could do a better job with fewer employees. If we are ever to balance the budget and operate the government efficiently, reductions must be made in both spending and government employment. That we have a 254 billion dollar debt is well known to all. People are also concerned with the fact that we are adding to this debt at the rate of about 5 billion dollars per year, notwithstanding our high national income. This debt now amounts to around \$7000 per American family. Because of our gigantic debt and because of our tremendous spending program we have continued to

have inflation. The dollar now compared with a dollar in 1914 is worth about 40c. Therefore, we must resort to drastic means to balance the budget.

An interesting meeting attended by me this week was a State Department smoker. A dozen or more high ranking State Department officials lectured a group of us Congressmen in international affairs. While much of the material was off the record, a great deal of it is available for public information. It was interesting to learn that our industrial output is about four times that of the USSR. Further, the industrial output of the so-called democracies is about 4 times that of the satellite countries under Soviet domination. However, a much larger proportion of the Soviet production is devoted directly to military uses than is ours. Furthermore, the Soviet Union has about 4 times as many men under arms and in military organizations than do the so-called democracies. The cold war is a real and grim affair and is one in which we cannot afford to make many mistakes.

A great deal of comment is being made around Washington about the President's speech yesterday in which he again called for repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act. This seems a bit untimely in view of the serious railway strike. That the railroads of the country should be tied up over the demands of the firemen for a second fireman on Diesel locomotives seems preposterous. This demand is featherbedding at its worst. If railway labor organizations are permitted to get by with this ridiculous demand there is no end to the further demands they will make. Sentiment is growing in the Congress, not for a repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act, but for more stringent controls over labor bosses.

The FEPC fight now going on in the Senate is of great importance to those who believe in the dignity and integrity of American citizenship. If politicians can fasten the FEPC upon the American people we will have been shoved a long mile down the road into national socialism. An interesting skirmish in this civil rights controversy is now going on in the District of Columbia. The recreation program in the District of Columbia is controlled by a seven-member Recreation Board. The Administration, for a number of

years, has been trying to break down segregation within the District of Columbia and within the schools of the District of Columbia. The seven-member Recreation Board has been divided 4 to 3 in this matter of segregation, 4 members favoring segregation and 3 members insisting that all segregation be eliminated. Mr. James E. Schwab, a long-time conservative member of this board is now up for reappointment. The Department of the Interior, through White House pressure, is trying to bring about the appointment of someone else in the place of Mr. Schwab. The idea back of the move is to replace Mr. Schwab with someone who will vote for non-segregation. If the Department of the Interior has its way, the white children of Washington will no longer have public swimming pools or playgrounds to which they can go without being outnumbered by colored children.

One interesting bill now pending in Congress proposes to make desertion a federal offense. Proponents point out that this crime of a father deserting his wife and children is made easier because an absconding father can simply cross a state line and escape all responsibility and punishment. It is said there are 100,000 "runaway pappys" per year and that this crime under existing law is the easiest to commit with immunity. Desertion is punished at present under state laws. Opponents of this legislation contend that it is an improper field for the federal government to invade. Certainly there ought to be some simple and easy way to arrest runaway criminals and to return them to their home communities for trial.

**THALIA**

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mrs. M. C. Adkins was in a Vernon hospital Sunday and Monday with ear trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long were on a business trip and visiting their sons, Ardie and Bill, and families at Post last week.

John Wright made a business trip to Dallas Sunday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, who were returning to their home in Fort Worth after a week's visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood.

Mrs. Ed Railsback returned home Monday after spending a few days with her son, Wilburn Railsback, and wife and infant son in Amarillo.

Melvin Wilson of Bryan is here for a visit with his brother, Oran Wilson, and family and to work through harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Payne and son, Paul Wesley, of Borger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Earl McKinley returned home from a visit in the home of her son, Lowell, in Texhoma. Her two grandsons, Lowell and Earl James, returned home with her to spend the summer.

Mrs. Jim Moore and Mike Hudgens visited Billy Joe Hudgens in a Wichita Falls hospital Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ford of Moore, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Denzel Ford, Mack Ford and Robert Ennon of Orange, Texas, and Mr.

and Mrs. R. E. Hensley and J. R. Ford of Levelland were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford last weekend. Mack and J. R. Ford remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Powers spent last week at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Sam Powers, who underwent an operation in the Knox City Hospital.

Robert Dunn of Wichita Falls and Elmer Dunn and family of Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Phillips and daughter, Kay, of Oklahoma City visited his sister, Mrs. Homer Matthews, and husband Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Less Hammonds and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Henry were picnicking at Doan's Park north of Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Hudgens returned home from the hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood and sons, Max and Tommy, of Pettit visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood from Thursday until Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Wood and son, Charles, and wife visited Rev. Marvin Brotherton and wife and the Cecil Sheltons in Matador and drove to Pettit and back last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Box of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Railsback of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Davidson of Quanah were dinner guests in the Ed Railsback home Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Jones has returned home after a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Donno Day, and family in Rotan.

Mrs. Ben Hogan visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Veceera, in Lubbock last week and attended the graduating exercises Monday night where Mr. Veceera graduated from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rodgers of Electra visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback, one day last week.

Pfc. Bobby Joe Railsback from San Antonio is on a 10-day fur-

lough visiting in the home of his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler visited her sister, Mrs. C. B. Holbert, in Mineral Wells and his sister, Mrs. E. J. Gold, at Santo and his brother, Z. Butler, at Lipan and his nephew, C. C. Williams, at Stephenville last week.

The ladies of the Methodist W. S. C. S. are sponsoring the Stamps Ozark quartet at the school auditorium Thursday night, May 25.

Mrs. Johnson from Loraine visited her daughter, Mrs. Bill Cates, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mickle of Northside visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy Taylor Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman returned Tuesday from a week-end visit with her son, Oran Chapman, and family in Amarillo.

Mrs. Raymond Oliver and children of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts and Dana Loy of Floydada and Mrs. Alta Stratton and children of Fort Worth recently visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols of Quanah spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Berry and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Baker of Merkel and Mr. and Mrs. Jessa Moore and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips of Thalia were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler visited their son, Herschel Butler, and family at Chillicothe Monday.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. H. W. Gray visited their sister, Mrs. S. J. Boman, in Vernon Saturday.

Lewis Mints of Quanah visited his father, F. C. Mints, here Sunday and Mr. Mints returned home with him.

A host of friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. Luther Marlow at Crowell last Friday.

A number of friends from here attended the funeral of C. W. Beidleman at Crowell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver

went to Lubbock Sunday where they met relatives for a picnic and his mother returned home with them.

A 2-weeks Vacation Bible School started at the Baptist Church last Monday.

Mrs. Duane Capps and Mrs. Jake Wisdom were called to the bedside of their father, George Streit, who was ill in a Wichita Falls hospital Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom and daughter visited George Streit in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps and Harletta visited in Wichita Falls Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Streit and family and attended church services in Electra Sunday.

Mrs. Z. S. Mason and Miss Emma Main of Vernon visited Mrs. Maggie Capps Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. S. Mason and grandson, Ralph Bane, and Mrs. Belle Thompson and daughter of Vernon spent the weekend with Mrs. May Self.

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**MARGARET  
MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK**

and Mrs. Grover Cole of  
visited Mrs. Jack Roden  
afternoon.  
and Mrs. Charlie Huskey  
daughter of Thalia spent Sun-  
afternoon with her brother,  
Choate, and family.  
and Mrs. Frank Ingle and

daughter, Ruby Marie, of Pampa  
spent Monday night with Mr. and  
Mrs. Ray Hysinger.  
Mrs. Allan Tucker and children  
have returned to their home in  
Wichita Falls after several days  
visit with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. G. C. Wesley.  
Mrs. Grant Morrison of Crow-  
ell spent several days last week  
visiting Mrs. Buss Ingle and fam-  
ily.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Slovak of  
Eddie visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Haleneak Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Cora Barnett attended  
singing at the Free Will Baptist  
Church in Crowell Sunday after-  
noon.  
Mrs. Minnie Smith and Miss Ru-  
by Smith of Vernon spent Sunday  
with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and  
daughter.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and  
son and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Birch-  
field and daughter of Vernon visit-  
ed their brother and father, Dick  
Smith, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of  
Crowell were in Margaret Sunday.  
Mrs. Curtis Bradford was a  
Vernon visitor Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Machae of  
Black visited in the Frank Haleneak  
home Friday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins visit-  
ed their daughter, Mrs. Carl In-  
gle, and family in Quannah Satur-  
day. Sandra and Richard Ingle  
came home with them for the  
weekend.  
C. W. Beideman passed away  
Sunday morning at the home of  
his daughter, Mrs. Clois Orr. All  
of his children were with him at  
the time of his death.  
Sandra Ingle of Quannah spent  
Saturday night with her cousin,  
Betty Jane Ingle.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owens and  
daughter, LuVerne, and J. W. Sol-  
lis made a business trip to Lub-  
bock Monday.  
Mrs. Jim Owens and Mr. and  
Mrs. Jonathan Bradford of Crow-  
ell visited their sister, Mrs. J. H.  
Taylor, of Matador Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell of  
Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden  
Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Flora May Roberts and  
Mrs. Ethel Manning of Dalton, Ga.,  
and Mrs. Mattie Ivy of Lubbock,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McAdams and  
daughter, Catherine, of Farmers  
Valley, and Mrs. J. S. Smith and  
daughter, Miss Ruby, of Vernon  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith  
and daughter Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Middlebrook  
of Fort Worth spent Sunday with  
Bob's uncle, Bax Middlebrook,  
and wife.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Richardson  
and children and Mr. and Mrs.  
Bud Wilder of Oklahoma City,  
Okla., linemen for the Santa Fe,  
are here to put up new telegraph  
poles through here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and  
daughter of Vernon spent Sunday  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. A. Priest.

Wheat harvest has started in  
the Margaret community and is  
turning out better than expected  
by the farmers.

Oil and gas leases which have  
been filed for record in the office  
of Mrs. Fern McKown, county  
clerk, from April 24 to May 1,  
inclusive, follow:  
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pany, 640 acres of Section No.

21, S. P. Ry. Co.  
J. B. Easley, et al, to The Brit-  
ish-American Oil Producing Com-  
pany:  
1. 480 acres of Section No. 18,  
issued to the B. B. B. Ry. Co.  
2. 640 acres of Section No. 20,  
in Block A, issued to the T. & N.  
O. Ry. Co.  
3. 320 acres of Section No. 17,  
issued to the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co.  
4. 320 acres of Section No. 18,  
issued to the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co.  
5. 640 acres of Reason Banks  
Survey.  
Containing a total of 2400 acres  
of land.  
J. B. Easley, et al, to The Brit-  
ish-American Oil Producing Com-  
pany:  
1. 640 acres of N. A. Vernon  
Survey.  
2. 640 acres of Sec. 15, Block A,  
T. & N. O. Ry. Co.  
3. 640 acres of Sec. 16, B. B.  
& C. Ry. Co.  
4. 160 acres of Sec 18, B. B. B.  
& C. Ry. Co.  
Containing a total of 2080 acres  
of land.  
Geneva W. Potts, et al, to H.  
B. Rouse, of Midland, Texas:  
1. 320 acres of S. E. Clements  
Survey.  
2. 30.6 acres of Section 22,  
Block 44, H. & T. C. Ry. Co.  
3. 129.75 acres of land in Sec.  
No. 35, issued to the H. & T. C.  
Ry. Co.

**LOANS FOR SMALL BUSINESS**

The administration is on the  
eve of launching a program to aid  
small business by means of loans.  
The federal Department of Com-  
merce counts as small business,  
for statistical purposes, manufac-  
turing concerns employing fewer  
than 100 persons and wholesale  
establishments with less than  
\$500,000 annual net sales volume,  
and retail service establishments,  
construction firms, and other enter-  
prises with less than \$100,000  
annual net volume. This plan consists  
of making loans up to \$15,000  
monthly for operating. The loans  
will be made by banks and will be  
insured by the government. The  
purpose is to fight monopoly and  
business concentration by helping  
small firms expand, and to make  
more jobs for workers.

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<b>FLOUR</b>	PURASNOW	<b>\$1.79</b>
	25 lb. Sack	
<b>SUGAR</b>	PURE CANE	<b>79c</b>
	10 lbs. (Limit)	
<b>SALMON</b>	Happy Vale, Fancy Pink,	<b>39c</b>
	Tall Can	
<b>SARDINES</b>	Tall Can	<b>15c</b>
<b>TUNA FISH</b>	Yacht Club Fancy	<b>35c</b>
	Can	
<b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b>	Old Bill	<b>10c</b>
	Can	
<b>POTTED MEAT</b>	Old Bill	<b>5c</b>
	Can	
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	Wonder Whipped	<b>35c</b>
	Full Quart	
<b>BLACKEYED PEAS</b>	Dorman No. 2 Can	<b>25c</b>
	2 CANS	

<b>Fresh Tomatoes</b>	U. S. No. 1	<b>9c</b>
	Pound	
<b>FRESH PINEAPPLE</b>	Large Size	<b>each 35c</b>
<b>NEW POTATOES</b>	Pound	<b>4 1/2c</b>
<b>BACON</b>	Dry Salt	<b>Pound 19c</b>
<b>CHEESE</b>	Kraft Velveeta 2 lb. box	<b>79c</b>
	OLEO Meadolake	<b>Pound 25c</b>
<b>SAUSAGE</b>	PORK lb.	<b>25c</b>
	STEAK Seven Cut	<b>Pound 59c</b>
<b>TIDE</b>	Large Box	<b>23c</b>
	TREND Large Size	<b>19c</b>
<b>PEACHES</b>	Heart's Delight 300 size	<b>6 Cans \$1.00</b>
<b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	Nu-Zest 46 oz. Can	<b>35c</b>
<b>Shortening</b>	Swift's Jewel	<b>3 lb. Carton 59c</b>

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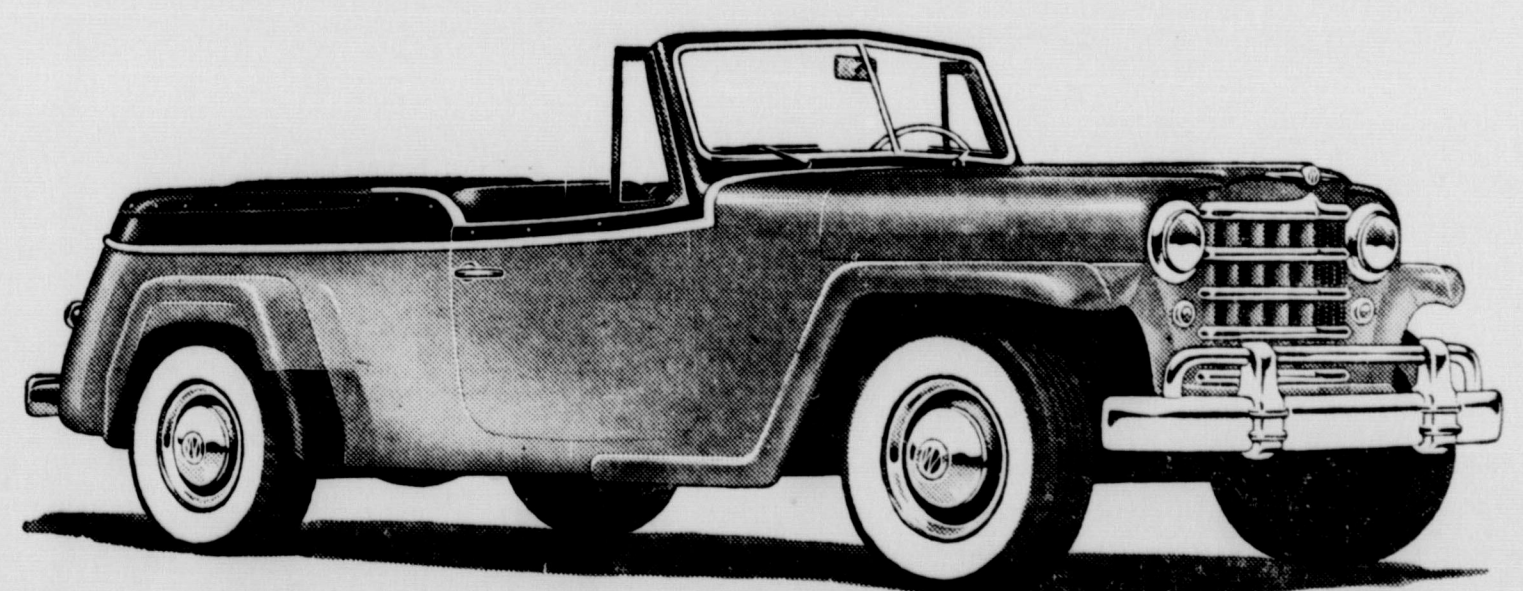
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The title of the "American Mother of the Year" went to Mrs. Henry Roe Cloud, 59, of West Linn, Oregon, half Indian, half white. Mrs. Cloud was named by the American Mothers Committee of the Golden Rule Foundation, New York City.

Some people, a local man says, think that Russia will one day meet this country half way in an effort toward world peace. The only similar group, he says, consists of those who think that it is possible for a photograph record to be worth ten dollars.



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Dixon's Jewelry

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Bert Mathews, Agent

To support the claim that justice is sometimes done, the story is told in one of our Kansas exchanges of Dean Hunter of Guide Rock, Neb., who picked up a young hitchhiker. The hitchhiker took from Hunter, at the point of a gun, his new Pontiac car, tied Hunter securely and put him in the car trunk. After several miles the hitchhiker dumped the tied man in a ditch and proceeded on his way. Hunter worked himself free, ran to a farm house and called the highway patrol. Thirty-five minutes later the thief was picked up. He in turn was loaded in the trunk of the patrol car and hauled twenty-five miles to jail. The result: one more car driver learns the hard way that it isn't safe to pick up hitchhikers.

Every round of wage increases means higher prices and every wave of higher prices results in another round of wage increases. Anybody's guess is good how long this sort of thing can go on before the whole economy cracks up of its own weight. Every price advance brings added hardship to the retired person and others with a fixed income. Their scant dollars buy less and less.

The editor of one of our exchanges confesses to a lapse in his customary gallantry when he refrained the other day from going to the assistance of a couple of maiden neighbor ladies who undertook to kill a skunk with a hoe.

A Kansas exchange notes that one thing repeal of the sixty-five year old dry law in that state has established conclusively is the fallacy of the contention by the friends of liquor, that more is consumed in a dry state than in a wet state.

The radio reported that bank robbers got away with \$50,000 in a recent robbery. The announcement did not state, but we presume that this is before income tax deductions were taken out.

VISITS HERE THURSDAY

Tall, handsome and dressed in a costume representing one of the most romantic periods in history, Mr. Cavalier visited in Crowell last Thursday. Mr. Cavalier headed a force of several automobiles bearing banners heralding R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.'s new, king-size Cavalier cigarettes.

"LIBERAL" MEANS "FREE" In a recent address Robert E. Wilson, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, discussed "Strategy for True Liberals." He observed, "I'm not ready to hand that fine word 'liberal' over to the Socialists or the nibblers, for 'liberal' comes from 'liber' meaning 'free,' and therein is not the way to freedom."

In his talk Dr. Wilson offered a number of suggestions concerning what can be done to advance true liberalism. One of them is to stop running to government for help—for that is the way bureaucracies grow and the path toward regimentation of the nation is made smooth. And another is to stop running to Washington to complain about competitors and to urge the government to regulate a competing industry. A few may obtain a momentary advantage from this—but in the long run everyone is hurt and in some cases irredeemably.

True liberalism means less government—not more. It means maximum freedom for all—not red tape and controls and orders and dictation. If we forget that, we face an uphill pull so far as maintaining our liberties is concerned.

Political Announcements

- For State Senator: GEORGE MOFFETT (Re-Election)
For State Representative, 114th District: JOHN E. MORRISON JR. (Re-Election)
For District Judge, 46th Judicial District: JESSE OWENS, O. O. McCURDY, R. D. OSWALT
For District Attorney: LEON DOUGLAS, WARREN PRUITT
For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS (Re-Election), ALTON B. BELL
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: J. L. (PETE) GOBIN (Re-election)
For County and District Clerk: MRS. FERN MCKOWN (Re-election)
For County Treasurer: MARGARET CURTIS (Re-Election)
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: BEN GREENING (Re-election), GREER REINHARDT
For Commissioner, Precinct 1: BILL BELL (Re-Election), JIM MOORE
For Commissioner, Precinct 2: T. E. (Tom) LAWSON, BAX MIDDLEBROOK, FRED R. VECERA, COY L. PAYNE, W. F. STATSER
For Commissioner Precinct 3: FLOYD (Doc) BORCHARDT, C. N. BARKER (Re-election)
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: TOM BURSEY (Re-election)

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

To me one of the most disturbing things in connection with the conduct of our government today is its apparent inability to reduce the national debt. Rather, we are told, it will be increased this year by five or six billion dollars. This at a time when employment and wages paid are at an all-time high. Normally, this might not be too disturbing, but with a national debt of 246 or more billion, if it isn't disturbing, it should be.

We are told that defense appropriations cannot be cut, the Army appropriation cannot be reduced, and the Navy appropriation cannot be reduced without jeopardizing the safety of the nation. I'll grant that these budgets and others cannot and should not be reduced, and that we are, under the circumstances, spending no more than we should for these purposes, but there is a multitude of other expenditures which can and should, in justice to all taxpayers, and in line with common sense, good housekeeping, and sound financing, be reduced.

I will refer at this time to but one instance. There are many like this, and many much less defensible. I refer to a cook book which was recently printed by the government printing office called "Family Fare." Around a million copies were printed which were turned over to the members of Congress for distribution among their constituents.

The book is reported to have cost \$146,000. I know that in connection with a 41 billion dollar budget a mere \$146,000 seems a matter almost too trivial to mention, and perhaps I should be ashamed of myself for mentioning it at all, but I am not. I was brought up in a school that taught us that the way to save is not to spend money for things that are not needed. I submit to you a fair judge that at the present time, and under the present circumstances, this government is not justified in borrowing even one thousand dollars to print a cook book, however splendid it might be.

It might be more tolerable if this were the only unnecessary expenditure of this kind, but it isn't. It is but a type of many. It can be duplicated many times in the government printing office and in many other government departments.

I find myself wondering what peculiar thing has possessed those in charge of spending our tax money. Has the association of big spending caused them to lose their sense of values? Don't they realize that this is all paid for out of tax money paid through self-denial at the point of legal compulsion? Have they no conscience? Are they incapable of management, or don't they care?

We are told that war is not an impossibility. If this is true, have any of those in charge of spending our resources stopped to figure what would be the result to our economy of another war should we enter it under the present burden of debt? To me it is a sobering thought, and one that would prompt, may compel me, were I in a position to do so, to cut out every unnecessary expense. I would feel deeply two obligations, one a sense of obligation toward

In The News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, May 28, 1920:

George B. Wells of Crowell and Miss Daisy Campbell of McLean were married in Clarendon on Thursday, May 20.

W. D. Mahn has recently returned to Foard City from Sherman to live with his daughter, Mrs. Newt Johnson. Mr. Mahn owned a small restaurant here many years ago.

On Tuesday, May 16, the Senior class was entertained with a theatre party by Mesdames T. P. Reeder and J. R. Beverly.

Grover C. McGown has been employed as secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Funeral services for W. R. Tuttle, pioneer Foard County resident, were held at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. E. A. Sharp of Margaret.

Led by the Scoutmaster, J. H. Hamblen, the Boy Scouts went out on a hike Tuesday and enjoyed a barbecue at the T. M. Beverly ranch north of town.

Tom Hampton returned recently from Edwards County where he bought a sheep and goat ranch of four sections.

The Masonic Lodge of Crowell will lay the corner stone for the new Methodist Church on Friday, June 4, at 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Connell have moved from Margaret to Crowell.

Merl Kincaid is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Miss Lola Mae Hamblen returned Sunday from Clarendon College.

Roe Bird came in Sunday from Denton where he has been attending the State Normal.

Miss Inez Sloan returned Sunday from Denton where she attended school at the State Normal.

Health Letter

Texas State Department of Health, Austin, Texas, Geo. W. Cox, M. D., State Health Officer.

Austin — Texas' private war on venereal diseases among indigents is proceeding in wholesale fashion, with over 95,000 patients having passed through State Health Department rapid treatment centers since the first center was opened in 1943.

This was the word from State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox, who Thursday described the 95,000 as "unlucky enough to have VD, but lucky enough to have gotten attention." "Untended syphilis can cause heart disease, mental illness, blindness, and other severe physical disabilities," the health official asserted. He asked pointedly, "See why they're lucky?"

Two state supported rapid treatment centers—Rocky Mount Hospital in Overton, and the Mission Medical Center in San Antonio—are maintained by the State Health Department for handling cases of venereal diseases in people unable to pay for private care, Cox said.

Gonorrhea is handled in the VD clinics of local health units, rather than sending the indigents to the RTCs, Cox said.

"State Health Department policy calls for local health unit VD clinics as diagnostic centers," he said. "However, a good many rapid treatment center patients are referred there by private physicians."

Rapid treatment center personnel conduct patient education via conferences, pamphlets, and motion pictures, which is, Cox said, "one of our most valuable educational processes."

"We learned long ago that educating patients while they are undergoing treatment has more retentive value than any other device we could use."

Why is it, a local man asks, if the Communist party is all right, as its backers claim that it is, that the members are ashamed to admit of their membership to it? We've often wondered that too. Our conclusion has been that the Communists in the final analysis stand for the overthrow of this government by force. For this reason they are ashamed to admit membership in the party.

PRICE RAISING TACTICS

Farm groups whose membership totals millions—including the American Farm Bureau Federation—have taken a stand of aggressive opposition to the government's antitrust suit against the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company, the country's largest food chain.

The purpose of the suit is to force dismemberment of A & P into a number of smaller units. The farm groups, in their formal resolutions and letters of protest,

preserving my country's economic stability in a critical time. The other a sense of stewardship in the handling of tax money, which by virtue of my position in the government, might be entrusted to my care and oversight.

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say that if this goal were achieved it would result in higher food prices and a lower standard of living for consumers, increased expenses and smaller profits for farmers, slower and costlier methods of distributing food from farm to table, and duplication of various activities with across-the-board increases for all involved.

These are powerful objections to the government's position in this matter. They are made all the more cogent because of the fact that A & P—or any other retail business, chain or independent—has no monopoly and cannot have a monopoly. The factual proof of this is found in the thousands of other stores which operate in the towns and cities where A & P has outlets. It is certainly obvious that if A & P did have a monopoly, these legions of other stores could not exist.

Actually, the government's suit seems to be based on the theory that "bigness" is automatically "badness." If we ever accept that theory, in all its ruinous connotations, we can kiss good-bye to economic progress and high living standards.—Industrial News Review.

DO IT NOW

"Wartime excise taxes, still in effect four and a half years after the war ended, are depressing certain lines of business," says the Houston Press.

"The original chief purpose of these taxes was to discourage travel and business-as-usual, thus relieving transportation facilities, manpower and materials for war work. They continue to serve that purpose when all lines of business need every possible encouragement to produce and sell, thus providing more jobs and more government revenue from individual and corporate income taxes."

The Executive Secretary of the Illinois Federation of Retail Associations said, "If these taxes are not eliminated at once, they are here to stay. They were imposed as a wartime measure, at which time promises were repeatedly made that they would be removed after the war. Anything less than outright repeal of them amounts to betrayal." He also said that many retail merchants were reducing handbag lines, discontinuing furs, and cutting jewelry inventories to a bare minimum, because of the adverse influence of the taxes on sales. The depressing effect of this is felt by manufacturers, distributors, labor and everyone else involved.

Time is a very important factor in this problem. Retailers find themselves faced with increasing buyer resistance to the affected items, because people are putting off the purchases in the hope that Congress will repeal the taxes. In the interest of our economic welfare, Congress should act without further delay.—Industrial News Review.

Economic Highlights

Practically everyone talks about our huge Federal budget. But few people know very much about it, and fewer still have any concrete ideas to offer on how it might be reduced. Senator Byrd of Virginia, whose career has been characterized by an intense interest in fiscal matters, is one of the exceptions. He has proposed a specific Federal budget for 1951 which is very different in many particulars from that urged by President Truman. These differences are graphically shown in an analysis prepared by Alvin A. Burger, research director of the Council of States Chamber of Commerce.

The Byrd budget would total \$36,000,000 as compared with the Truman budget's \$42,439,000,000—a saving of \$6,439,000,000. The major items which would contribute to make this saving are: 1. Reduce Federal employment, for a saving of \$900,000,000. 2. Reduce outlays for public works and other such projects, for a saving of \$1,000,000,000. 3. Cut expenditures for National Defense—largely by reducing the number of civilian employees of the forces,

and by eliminating various military government activities—for a saving of \$2,200,000,000. 4. Cut outlays for veterans' benefits for a saving of \$900,000,000. In only one instance is Mr. Byrd's budget larger than Mr. Truman's. He would appropriate \$4,800,000,000 for foreign outlays where the President recommends \$4,700,000,000. Based on anticipated revenues, the Byrd budget would result in a surplus of \$1,300,000,000 to be used to reduce the national debt. The Truman budget would involve a deficit for the fiscal year of \$5,100,000,000.

Mr. Burger has carried on his analysis to show what the taxpayers of each state would save if the Byrd budget were adopted. He has done this through a formula made up of the percentage of individual income taxes collected from each state, and the proportion of corporate income taxes and excise and miscellaneous taxes excluding the social security levies, borne by each state.

According to this formula, the taxpayers of New York, who bear 14.67 per cent of the total cost of the Federal government, would save \$944,601,300. The taxpayers of California, who bear 8.32 per cent of the costs, would save \$535,724,800. The taxpayers of Ohio, who bear 5.78 per cent of the total, would save \$372,174,200. The taxpayers of Montana, who bear about one-third of one per cent of the total, would save \$22,536,500. So it goes, in the large and small states.

Senator Byrd has given the Senate and the nation a definite budget to weigh against the much more costly Truman budget.

WHY BE A COPY CAT?

One misleading bit of propaganda in favor of compulsory health insurance for this country has its roots in Britain's experi-

ence with a scheme which is about the same in principle. It is pointed out that more than 90 per cent of British doctors have registered and are now working under a health act. Therefore, it is argued, the vast majority of British physicians must favor it.

That may seem a sound argument on the surface, but it warrants analysis. In Britain, it has long been the procedure for doctors, when they wished to set up in some locality, to buy the practice of a doctor who had died or retired. These purchases represented a big outlay—up to twice as much as the annual gross income.

When Britain adopted her national health act, she made the purchase of practices illegal. To set up a large fund to compensate for the change. However, the cost was this: to be eligible for compensation a doctor had to enter the medical scheme by a certain date. If he didn't, he would get nothing. And so 90 per cent of the doctors registered in self-defense.

Distinguished doctors—including British, Americans, and others—have made careful studies of the workings of nationalized medicine. Almost to a man, they have reported a serious decline in the standards of medical care, insufficient time and money given to research and preventive medicine, and that doctors are burdened with so many patients that those who are really ill cannot be properly treated. On top of that, the cost paid for out of taxes, have been excessive, and have greatly exceeded all estimates.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Trustees of the Crowell Consolidated Independent School District offer for sale the garage or shed located on Truscott School grounds.

Bids will be received in the office of the secretary of the Board up to 5:00 P. M., Saturday, May 27, 1950.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

L. A. Andrews, Secretary,

Crowell Consolidated Independent School Dist.

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LOCALS

Need a new pencil sharpener? The News has 'em.

Hattie Lou Rutherford of Gilliland is visiting her cousin, Danny Callaway.

Bax Callaway is visiting with his cousin, J. B. Rutherford, of Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crutcher and children of Amarillo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. King.

Robert Lee has returned home from the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo, where he took treatment. He is much improved.

The Methodist W. S. C. S. of Thalia is sponsoring a Stamps Ozark Quartet concert tonight, May 25, at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Mrs. Leta Pogue of Abilene and Mrs. Chas. Loyd of Crowell spent Saturday in Quanah visiting Mrs. Loyd's brother, Murph Ferrell, who is ill in the Quanah Hospital.

3x5 metal file boxes, only 75c. Ideal for recipes.—News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Franks of Meadow visited in the home of Mrs. Franks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Magee, through the weekend. Mr. Franks returned home but Mrs. Franks remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lankford and two children of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace King of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Dubey of El Paso, were here last week visiting their mother, Mrs. H. C. Lankford, and attending graduation exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, Mrs. J. W. Carroll, Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mrs. J. B. Raspberry Sr., attended the funeral of J. D. Woolley in Wichita Falls Monday. Mr. Woolley was an uncle of the late J. B. Raspberry and lived in the Vivian community for several years.

Plenty of money to loan on farms and ranches. Liberal prepayment privileges. No charge for inspection. See us.—Roberts-Beverly Abst. Co. 31-tfc

Alton Johnson of Wichita Falls visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Madge Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Emery of Sterling City is here on account of the illness of her father, J. H. Carter.

Mrs. Grady Graves and son, Bill, are in Fort Worth visiting Mrs. Graves' sister, Mrs. Dick Deahn, and husband this week.

Everybody is invited to attend the Stamps Ozark Quartet concert tonight at Thalia, sponsored by the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service. Time 8 o'clock. admission 25c and 50c.

Mrs. Leta Pogue of Abilene and Misses Barbara White and Camille Todd attended graduating exercises of Shamrock High School Monday night. Miss Katherine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith, former residents of Crowell, was one of the Senior class who received diplomas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. (Bill) Wheeler of Austin were here last Thursday afternoon visiting with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler moved to Austin in 1927. He is now employed by the Kerrville Bus Co.

B. S. Cotner left Saturday afternoon for his home in Sacramento, Calif., following a short visit with his sister, Mrs. W. C. Buck. He had been on a 30-day vacation visiting relatives in Texas and Oklahoma.

The News has a good supply of Scotch tape, several sizes to select from.

Capt. and Mrs. Wm. Clark of Wortham visited this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and family. They are en route to Seattle, Wash., where he will be stationed for about a year. Capt. Clark has recently returned from service on Guam. Mrs. Clark is a cousin of Mr. Smith.

Mrs. Lewis Sloan is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Hocker, and brother, J. R. Hocker, and family in Gainesville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin Jr. and baby of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wheeler of Austin visited last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin Sr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers have returned to Crowell from Gainesville and Mr. Powers is looking after harvesting his wheat crop. Mrs. Powers is recovering in the Knox City Hospital from an operation.

Mrs. Carrie Hart and Mrs. R. R. Magee visited in the home of Mrs. J. H. Ferguson in Rockwell and in Stephenville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Hart, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint White and Misses Barbara White and Camille Todd attended graduating exercises of Shamrock High School Monday night. Miss Katherine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith, former residents of Crowell, was one of the Senior class who received diplomas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lanier and son, Bob, of Amarillo spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier. They attended graduation exercises of Crowell High School in which their niece, Miss Joline Lanier, received her diploma.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson of Childress, former Crowell residents, were here Wednesday visiting Mr. Johnson's brother, J. D. Johnson, and wife and other relatives and friends. They were accompanied by Don Douglas, also of Childress.

Mrs. H. W. Norwood of Vernon, Mrs. S. H. Puryear and Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of San Antonio, Mrs. D. P. Beatty and Mrs. Ruth Dozier of Wichita Falls and James Hines Cumley of Dallas visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark during the first part of the week.

Miss Susie Johnson of Amarillo visited last week in the home of her brother, Homer Johnson, and family.

Mrs. Kathryn Hubble of Tucson, Ariz., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. J. Benham, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Callaway of Elk City, Okla., spent Sunday here visiting the Callaway families.

Sam Thomas and two children of Gary, Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wehba.

Ralph Cogdell of Floydada is spending the week in Crowell looking after combining of his wheat.

Mrs. G. M. Bush and Miss Jane Bruce left last Thursday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will spend several months visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinebaugh and two sons, Bobby and Jimmy, left Wednesday for their ranch near Wannamaker, S. D., where they will spend the summer.

Clark Christian, who has been hospitalized since receiving serious injuries in an automobile accident several months ago, has been removed from the Vernon hospital to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christian, here. He is making satisfactory improvement.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the expressions of love and the beautiful floral offerings during papa's recent illness and at his death. May God bless you and keep you. The Beidleman's.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the many friends who so kindly ministered to our needs during our hour of sudden grief. The loss of Bobby Lester left us helpless and unprepared. The food, the flowers, the kindly helping hand and words of consolation have given us strength and courage to carry on. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Ferguson, and Gary, Mrs. Cora Donaldson, T. J. Ferguson and Other Relatives.

Ray Shirley Is Collecting Cattle Brands of County

(By Ted Stafford)

The cattle brand in this part of the country is as sacred to a rancher as his own name, and in the ranching business it is just as important.

Brands were introduced to this continent several centuries ago by the early Spanish settlers. The Spaniards had used this method of marking their horses and cattle for identification long before the New World was populated by Europeans. With a background such as this, and the popularity the cattle

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brands received in the time that followed, there is little wonder that they have become legendary figures of the West, both old and new.

Modernization of the ranching industry has affected many phases of the business, but the cattle brand has remained basically the same as it was in the days of the early Spanish vaqueros.

It is to this tradition of the range, past and present, that Ray Shirley, co-owner of a local drug store and part-time cattleman, has built a monument.

For more than a year Shirley has been at the job of collecting brands of Foard County ranchers. He was not satisfied with the idea of simply copying the brands in sketches and paint. He wanted the authentic burned impression of the actual brand on wood panels. This week six of the large pine panels were unveiled in the Shirley-Youree Drug in Crowell. These six panels which bear the burned imprint of thirty six brands are only the starters. Shirley says that when all the Foard County brands are displayed on panels it will be one of the largest collections of this type in West Texas.

Ranchers and stockmen who have their professional signets on the panel include Johnson and Ekern, Dr. J. M. Hill, Jeff Bruce, Paul Bax Ekern, A. B. Owens, Ann Burnett, Jessie Herring Johnson, Hartley Easley, John Cogdell, Leslie McAdams, Otis Gafford, Henry Borchardt, Roy Barker, A. B. Seales, Fred Traweck, R. B. Masterson, J. W. Nichols, Charles Merriman, Karl ten Brink, J. H. Minnick, C. C. Ribble, J. H. Carter, V. A. Johnson, J. W. Thompson, Ed Cates, Bill Cates and the Wishon Ranch. Shirley is a son-in-law of Mrs. Jim Minnick and the late Mr. Minnick. Mr. Minnick was one of the foremost cattle and horsemen in Texas before his death several years ago.

INCREASE IN FAMILIES

The number of families in the United States increased by 175 per cent between 1890 and 1940, while the population as a whole gained only 110 per cent. Families with not more than three members increased from 52 per cent of the total number in 1930 to nearly 58 per cent in 1940. While the proportion of four-person families held steady, families with five or more persons fell from 31

Cancer Chairman Makes Appeal for Further Cooperation

An appeal for additional support for the 1950 Cancer Crusade was made today by Mrs. A. G. Magee, American Cancer Society campaign chairman, who said the fund-raising drive was lagging behind schedule.

So far less than one-third has been received toward the goal in Foard County. "This is a small percentage of what we had hoped for by this time," the chairman said. "It appears that many people who intend to give have delayed in doing so."

"Only a small fraction of Foard County residents have given," she said. "That is why we are convinced that the small returns to date are due to delay rather than a disinclination to help the fight against cancer."

"It may be impossible for our volunteers to reach everyone in the county," the chairman declared, "but that should not deter one from giving to help save the lives of 200,000 Americans who die every year from cancer."

"We want to urge everyone who has not yet made a contribution to do so immediately."

"We would also suggest that you go by the Shirley-Youree Drug and look at that window display there concerning cancer," concludes the chairman.

Mitchell Allee and Merrill Allee of the Allee Manufacturing Co. of Fort Worth were here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Hub Speck of Wilmington, Calif., arrived here last week to visit Miss Faye Easley and other friends.

Mrs. J. B. Andrews of Amarillo is here visiting in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews.

NEW INSECT KILLER

Chemists have developed a new insect killer that destroys flies, mosquitoes and other insects faster than DDT. It is claimed that the insecticide, malate methoxychlor, is not dangerous to domestic animals and is safe for plants.

per cent of the total in 1930 to 25 per cent in 1940.

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**Washington Newsletter**

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, D. C., May 20, 1950—The most important action taken in the Congress this week was the Senate's defeat of cloture. This means the Senate refused to cut off debate, i. e., eliminate filibuster. This in turn means that Southern Senators will not permit the enactment of FEPC during this session of Congress. To many, the filibuster seems foolish. However, the filibuster is often the only way in which a minority can defend itself against a majority. In this instance the filibuster is the only weapon Southerners have to use against the immoral, hypocritical drives to enact the so-called civil rights proposals which both Republican and Democratic parties have been writing in their platform to get the minority group votes in the big cities of the big states.

The House this week passed a bill "amending and supplementing the Federal Aid Road Act" to authorize appropriations for continuing the construction of highways. It provides \$500,000,000 per year for the next two years. It divides the funds on the same basis as the 1944 Act. \$225,000,000 goes to Federal aid highway projects (this means the main highways); \$150,000,000 goes to the Federal aid secondary highway system (this means farm-to-market roads), and \$125,000,000 goes to projects on the Federal aid highway system in urban areas to be used for the purpose of widening streets, viaducts, etc., in building highways through our

cities. I voted for this bill. On my desk as a part of the propaganda for the road bill is an interesting booklet published by the National Highway Users Conference, Incorporated, entitled "The Highway Transportation Story." In this little booklet appears the following data: We have 350,000 miles of rural highways, i. e., primary state highways; 214,000 miles of secondary and farm-to-market roads; 2,373,000 miles of local rural roads; 316,000 miles of city streets and highways; 70,000 miles of roads within federal reservations. The United States has 78 per cent of the world's cars and 52 per cent of the world's trucks. In America there is one vehicle for every 3.6 persons. In England, one for every 18 persons, elsewhere in the world, one for every 222 persons. We have 35,500,000 passenger cars, 8 million trucks, and 200,000 buses, etc. Highway transportation accounts for a business volume of 30 billion dollars annually. Trucks serving agriculture have increased 60 per cent since 1941. In 1934 one out of 10 farms had electricity; now 4 out of 5 have electricity. Rural carriers travel 1,495,000 miles a day. In the 3 months period, March 15 through June 15, 1949, more than 300,000 students visited Washington by bus.

From the looks of the buses on the Capitol grounds at this time, more students will probably visit Washington this year than last.

A lady complained to me this week that she had sponsored two DPs—a father and his son—into this country. Within six months of her taking these folks, the father died of cancer and the son had to be admitted into an insane asylum. Dozens of similar instances have been brought to my attention. Still, we are told that DPs are carefully screened.

I have several letters from home asking me what my campaign plans are for this summer. I have none, as yet, and have been too busy to think of campaigns. I do not intend to leave my post of duty while Congress is in session. Following the adjournment of Congress I will return home immediately and open Congressional offices in the Federal Building in Wichita Falls. Our office here in Washington is never closed.

Following the adjournment of Congress, I shall visit all parts of our district. A Congressman should know the wants, hopes, fears and aspirations of all of those whom he seeks to serve. His actions, of course, should always be based on the old platitudinous democratic maxim of the greatest good for the greatest number. The greatest good should of course take into consideration both spiritual and material values, not alone for this generation, but also for succeeding generations.

My wife has just called to say that our youngest daughter, Melissa, has the mumps.

**MOHAMMEDAN CALENDAR**  
The Mohammedan calendar dates from July 16, 622, the day of the Hegira. It consists of 12 lunar months of 29 days, 12 hours and 44 minutes each. The Mohammedan year consists of 354 or 355 days.

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**SUGAR** Imperial 5 lbs. 39¢

**CRISCO** 69¢  
3 lb. can

**FLOUR** 79¢  
Gladiola 10 lb. Print Bag

**DUNCAN'S COFFEE**  
**ADMIRATION** 69¢  
1 lb. can  
**BRIGHT & EARLY** 65¢  
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**LIPTON'S TEA** 31¢  
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3 for  
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**FOR SALE**—One F-20 Farmall 2-row equipment in good shape, \$400.00.—Bill Tysinger. 39-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Challenge portable electric sewing machine, like new, \$20.—Mrs. Duane Capps, Thalia, Texas. 44-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Good milk goat.—Ed Minyard at Johnson Produce. 44-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Invalid's walker in good condition.—Mrs. Cap Adkins, Thalia, Texas. 43-2tp

**FOR SALE**—My home on Donnell street. Will sell furnished or unfurnished.—Nona Olds. 43-tfc

**FOR SALE** \$60.00 — 3500 Parant air conditioner, including copper pipe connections and platform. Good shape.—Irving Fisch. 44-1tc

**FOR SALE**—6 ft. gas refrigerator, also 4-burner gas rangette, \$125. See at Womack's.—Glenn Jones. 43-3tp

**FOR SALE**—Ford tractor, two-cultivator and planter; Allis-Chalmers tractor, two-row equipment; 16 runner drill and 6-ft. saw.—Henry Greening. 44-3tp

**FOR SALE**—6-room house, modern conveniences, close-in, Crowell. 322 West California St.—Forrest Burk. 43-3tc

**FOR SALE** — 1941 Chevrolet truck. Long wheelbase, stock and boards.—Call 208-M or See N. Chatfield. 41-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Hybrid or 140 cotton seed, \$1.50 per bushel.—G. Moore, 4 miles east of Mar. 41-4tp

**FOR SALE**—5-room house with garage, good cellar and chicken house. Three lots.—Luther St. 41-4tp

**FOR SALE**—Limited amount of seed year Macha's storm-proof fine cotton seed, \$1.50 per bushel.—Chas. Drabek. 38-tfc

**FOR SALE** — Slightly used electric refrigerator—a bargain. Terms salt purchaser. Can be seen my office.—Leo Spencer. 44-1tc

### Wanted

**WANTED** — Plowing and chiseling.—Joe Roper and Ginger Benson. 44-4tp

**WANTED**—Hay baling.—Henry Roper, Vernon, Rt. 3. Phone 43-2. 44-10tp

**WANTED** — Curtains, dresses, blouses to launder.—Mrs. T. Bates, Phone 169-R. 44-2tp

**WANTED**—Lady who is able to lift and take care of my invalid mother.—Mrs. Cap Adkins, Thalia, Texas. 44-1tc

**WANTED**—A middle-aged lady middle-aged couple to care for elderly lady in her home. See or Bob Abston or Tom Abston. 42-2tp

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ATTENTION, Many men and women are being held back in establishing. Let us put you in business supplying consumers with Rawleigh Products in the town of Crowell. No capital needed to start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXE-340-272, Memphis, Tenn. 44-6tp

### Lost

**LOST or STRAYED**—One plain steer from Bill Erwin place. Branded "Running M" on left hip.—Ray Shirley. 43-2tc

**CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE** Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

J. W. NARON, Noble Grand  
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**THALIA LODGE NO. 666**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, May 27, 8 p. m. Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.

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**CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE** meets the second and last Friday's of month at I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome.

JUANITA GARRETT, N. G.  
MARGARET CURTIS, Sec'y.

**CROWELL LODGE NO. 840**  
A. F. & A. M., STATED MEETING

Second Monday each month. May 15, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

LESLIE THOMAS, W. M.  
J. A. STOVALL, Secretary.

**GORDON J. FORD POST**  
NO. 130

Meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m.

RICHARD DAVIS, Commander  
CLYDE COBB, Adjutant.

### Trespass Notices

**TRESPASS NOTICE** — No trespassing of any kind allowed on any land belonging to Lee and B. A. Whitman, Thalia, Texas. 25-52tp

**TRESPASS NOTICE** — No trespassing of any kind allowed on my place north of town.—J. H. Carter. 24-tfc

**NO FISHING, HUNTING or trespassing** of any kind is allowed on my land.—Mrs. Zeke Bell. 33-8tp

**NO TRESPASSING** of any kind allowed on F. L. Reed's place, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Thalia. 51-tfc

**NO TRESPASSING** of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 45-tfc

## CHURCHES

### Truscott Baptist Church

New schedule for the Truscott Baptist Church follows:

10 a. m., Sunday — Sunday School.  
11 a. m., Sunday — Morning Service.

7 p. m., Sunday — Training Union.  
8 p. m., Sunday — Evening Service.

2:30 p. m., Tuesday — W. M. U.  
7 p. m., Wednesday — Teachers and Officers meeting.

7:30 p. m., Wednesday — Hour of Power.  
2:30 p. m., Saturday — Sunbeam Band.

R. M. Bowen, Pastor.

### Thalia-Margaret Methodist Churches

Church School each Sunday morning, 10 a. m.

**Preaching Services**  
Margaret, 1st and 3rd Sundays. Thalia, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Time, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Give God a chance at your life. Attend church regularly.

E. R. McGregor, Pastor.

### First Baptist Church

N. B. Moon, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 7 p. m.  
Evening worship, 8 p. m.  
Mid-week service, 8 p. m.

### St. Joseph Catholic Church

Schedule of masses and services:  
Mass on the first, third and fifth Sunday of each month at 10 a. m. from October to April. From May to September at 9 a. m. Mass on holidays of obligation at 8:30 a. m.

Confessions before mass. Catechetical instructions each Sunday after mass. Sick calls—call Vernon 418.

E. J. Shozka, Pastor.

### Assembly of God Church

Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m.  
Sunday Evening, 7:45 p. m.  
Prayer service Wednesday night, 7:45.

Young people's service, Saturday night, 7:45.

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Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
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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.

**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.

### First Christian Church

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## Weekly Sermon

The All-Sufficient Christ

by M. W. McKenzie, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

When we drive along a country road, seeing the green woodlands and inhaling their fragrance, many of us realize that they are not so widespread as they formerly were, and were it not for the forest conservation done by our government, we might not have those we enjoy today. These forest and other natural resources of our country are becoming exhausted.

There are resources, however, which are never depleted, the spiritual resources found in God Himself. God's resources are ample and unlimited for any who will take advantage of them. Notice this verse, "And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work" (II Cor. 9: 8). If you will reread this verse, looking for the word "all," you will find it given three times—"all grace," "all sufficiency," "all things." And God's supplies can make us abound to "every good work." Why should we be anxious about anything, when we have such a great God who can provide for all our needs!

How do we tap these resources of God and make them our own? By simple, childlike faith in the Lord Jesus Christ we appropriate what God has for us. "But my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus" (Phil. 4:19). We take Christ into our hearts as our Saviour and we have all of God, for "in Him (Christ) dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily" (Col. 2:9).

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Communion-Worship .... 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor .... 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:15 p. m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p. m.  
The Christian Church extends a cordial welcome to all services.

### Crowell Methodist Church

Church school, 9:45 a. m. Bring the family and stay for the morning worship service.

Morning worship service, 10:50 a. m. There will be a special service by the Children's Division. A special program has been prepared. A nursery is maintained for small children during the morning worship service.

All units of the MYF meet at 7:15 p. m.  
Evening worship service, 8 p. m. There will be no service at this hour since the pastor is at annual conference in Big Spring. Members and friends are urged to visit some church.

Announcements of the meeting places of the Circles of the W. S. C. S. are in the church bulletin each week.

Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Vacation Bible School, June 19-30.

A cordial, sincere welcome awaits you at each service of this church. We need the Church and the Church needs us. Come, worship God with us.

Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor.

### Margaret Baptist Church

Joe R. Green, Pastor  
C. T. Murphy, Sunday School Supt.  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week Service, 8 p. m.

## Cleveland Club Is At Home on Screen

The Cleveland Indians may not win the World Series this year, but they become eligible for an Academy Award when "The Kid from Cleveland" opens at the Rialto Theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

The story of the work done by the baseball team in combatting juvenile delinquency in Cleveland, "The Kid from Cleveland" features the entire ball club in dramatic as well as baseball roles. Bill Veeck, Lou Boudreau, Satchel Paige, Larry Doby, Bobby Feller, Joe Gordon and Johnny Berardino play major roles when the team "adopts" a boy on the road to crime, and converts him to good citizenship.

The screen's most authentic baseball sequences will be shown, with excerpts from last year's World Series, and ball games filmed earlier this season.

George Brent is starred as a sportscaster, with Lynn Bari as his wife, and Rusty Tamblin as the boy who gets 30 baseball "Godfathers."

## Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Haswell)

The Distant Hills Look High: I think that everyone has had this experience while riding through the country in a car. In the distance a hill appears to be very steep and as we approach it we find ourselves wondering if we can make it. But if we keep on going, we find the hill appears less and less steep as we approach it. If we keep on going straight ahead we top the hill before we realize it and are on the way down the other side. I think a lot of the problems and situations in life over which we sometimes worry more than we should, are like that hill. If we doubt, our worries and fears will overcome us, but if we keep on going resolutely straight ahead, with faith we can accomplish our aims and desires, the way seems to open up and what seemed like insurmountable obstacles are soon left far behind.

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## Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation Makes Rapid Growth

Austin, May 20—Rapid growth of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children and an increasing need for its services were cited here following a meeting of the foundation's development committee to study plans for future progress.

The meeting was called by Hulon W. Black, chairman, who is director of the University of Texas development board, and was held at his offices at the University. Other members of the foundation's development committee are Max Starcke, general manager of the Lower Colorado River Authority at Austin; Lloyd Gregory, executive vice president of the Houston Post; Charles E. Simons, general manager of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, and Walter Buckner, San Marcos newspaper publisher.

The development and long-range planning committee was asked by the foundation's governing board to make an extensive study of the possibilities of establishing the first reconstructive hospital built upon physical medicine and rehabilitation in Texas, Black announced. The committee also was asked to secure the services of competent hospital consultants to make a complete study of the organizational structure of the foundation, to recommend any changes or additions to carry on the treatment program at the hospital.

It was pointed out to the development committee that Texas has adequate facilities for orthopedic surgery in all of its major centers, and that the treatment center at Gonzales in its present composition would provide the basis for an expanding treatment center in physical medicine that could be outstanding not only in

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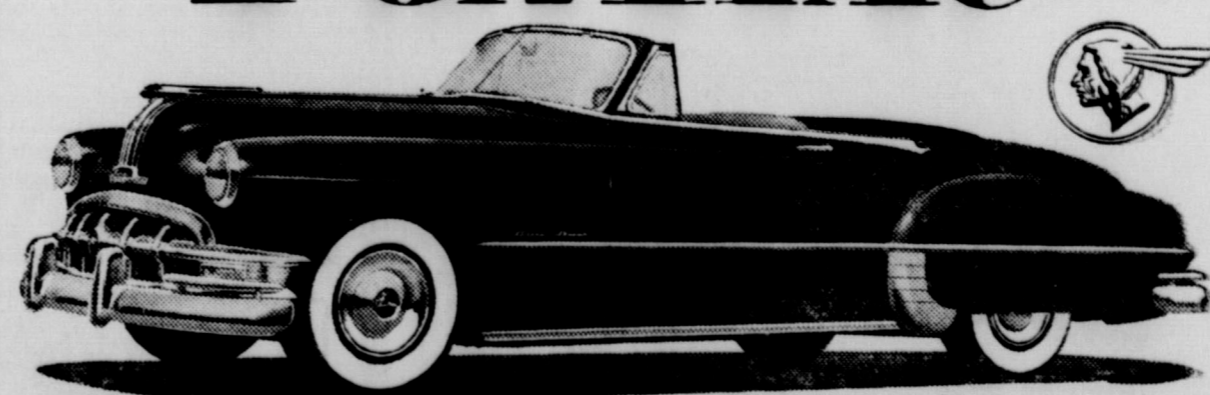
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## Former Crowell Girl Marries in Wichita Falls on May 6th

Miss Mary Helen Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne of Crowell, and Donald Lawrence Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bailey of Oakridge, Tenn., were united in marriage on the evening of May 6 at the Northside Baptist parsonage in Wichita Falls, with Rev. Howard Moore officiating. Mrs. Bailey is a graduate of Crowell High School and attended Decatur Baptist College for one year. While at Decatur, she was crowned as football queen. She is now employed with the State Department of Public Welfare in Wichita Falls. The groom is a graduate of Oakridge High School and attended Industrial Institute in Chicago. He served with the U. S. Seabees for four years during the war. He has re-enlisted in the U. S. Air Force and will enter Officers' Training School in San

Antonio in September. He is now employed with Watkins Butane Co. in Wichita Falls.

The bride was attired in an anchor blue suit with which she wore white accessories. Her flowers were white carnations. She carried out the tradition of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue.

E. D. Roberts of Wichita Falls served as best man and Mrs. E. D. Roberts was matron of honor to the bride. After a short wedding trip to Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bailey are residing at 1306 15th St. in Wichita Falls.

## Brunch Given in Honor of Miss La Nelle Coltharp on May 20

Miss Betty Barker was hostess on Saturday, May 20, at a brunch at her home honoring Miss LaNelle Coltharp, a former resident of Crowell who now attends Midwestern University at Wichita

Falls. Dainty refreshments were served the guests from a white satin damask-covered table which was centered with a pretty arrangement of red roses. Those attending the informal party included former classmates of the honor guest: Misses Rondyn Self, Bobbie Abston, Frankie Mabe, Peggy Weaver, Mary Rader, Jozell Thomson, Maurine Youree, Rozella Autry and Miss Coltharp.

## Junior Class of C. H. S. Has Barbecue May 16

On Tuesday, May 16, the Junior Class of Crowell High School held its last school activity for the year, a barbecue which was given by the class mothers.

The barbecue was held at the camp grounds of McAdams Ranch. Barbecued chicken with all that goes with it was enjoyed by thirty-three class members, six class mothers and Mrs. Sarah Taylor, Junior Class sponsor.

After the barbecue, the group gathered at the gymnasium for a sock dance. Music was furnished by Marceone Evanson, Billy Daniels and Bobby Daniels.

The class wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. McAdams for the use of the camp grounds and the class mothers, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry, Mrs. R. N. Barker, Mrs. Gordon Bell, Mrs. Joe Rader, Mrs. Jim Cates and Mrs. H. E. Thomson, for a wonderful evening's entertainment.

## ST. JOSEPH'S STUDY CLUB

The St. Joseph's Study Club met with Mrs. A. G. Magee Monday afternoon for their last meeting until the first Monday in September. A business session preceded the study. At this time, it was announced that the summer school for children of all ages will start June 1 and continue through June 10. Catechism, instruction and other interesting diversion will be under the supervision and teaching of two nuns of the St. Mary of N'Amur Order from Fort Worth. While the nuns are here they will be the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Connell.

The church also announces that this school session is open to all children who would like to attend, and that on the first Sunday in June, the mass will be held at 8 a. m., instead of the later hour as usual on the first Sunday of the month.

There will be a buffet supper for all of the families of the church also on June 4 at 6 p. m. in the O'Connell home.

The lesson for the Monday meeting was the study of "St. Paul's Letters to the Philippians," under the leadership of Mrs. Rudolph Pechacek.

Following the study, Mrs. Magee served an ice course to the eight members present.

## ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelpian Club met on Wednesday, May 17, at the Club House for its annual antique and hobby show. Mrs. J. H. Minnick and Mrs. J. A. Stovall were hostesses for the afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Youree, leader, was in charge of a large display which included antiques, hand-painted china, ceramics, needlework, paintings, hand-made lamps and other hobbies.

Mrs. J. C. Prosser talked on "How to recognize antiques." Mrs. L. A. Andrews discussed "Antique glass and china."

Refreshments were served to approximately thirty members present. The next meeting, May 31, will be the last meeting of the club year and will be in the form of a covered dish luncheon at 1 o'clock.

## Thalia Cemetery Makes Report

Mrs. Cap Adkins makes the following report of the conditions of the Thalia Cemetery "Just recently, the Thalia Cemetery was given a thorough cleaning. We had enough funds to cover the expense. But we will have to have it done again soon and we would like very much to purchase a mower with a gas motor to help keep it clean. Will you who have loved ones buried there please send in donations, since it is hard for us to see each of you at this time. You can help by mailing your contribution to Will Johnson or Mrs. Cap Adkins." The following have recently



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## Relatives and Friends Who Attended Funeral of Bobby Ferguson

The following out-of-town relatives and friends who were present for funeral services for Bobby Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Ferguson of Cotulla, formerly of Crowell, which was held in Crowell last week include: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donaldson and John Donaldson of Cotulla; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dressback of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan of Carlsbad, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sullivan and daughter, Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Swartwood, Mrs. Frank Byrd, Mrs. Bessie Gribble, C. D. Gribble, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powers and daughter, Gelene, Mrs. Dawson Beach and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fox, all of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwab of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ferguson of Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ferguson and sons and Mrs. Brewer of Fort Worth; Mr. and

Mrs. Richard Ferguson and daughter, Betsy, of Seymour; Mrs. Henry Kihore of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ferguson of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ryder and son, Melvin, of Benjamin; Mrs. Edith Jones of Benjamin; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubanks; G. W. Myers of Truscott; Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pitts and daughter of Wichita Falls; Mrs. H. Sellers of Paducah and Mrs. Clyde Knight of Childress.

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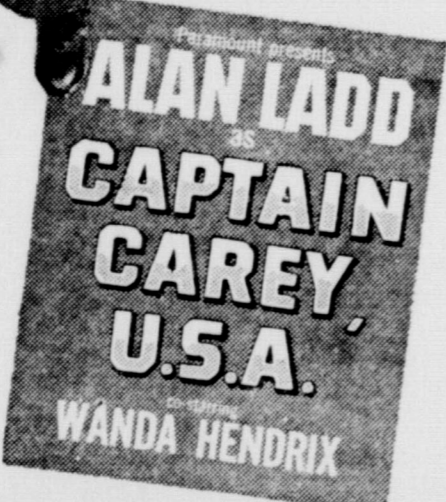


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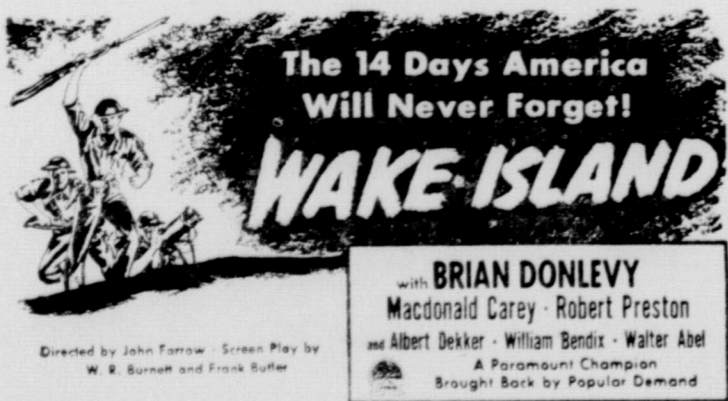
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