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EIGHT PAGES

Crowell Wildcats Will Open 1950 Football Season Tomorrow Night at 8 o'clock at Munday with Moguls

Thayne Amonett and Erwin are well pleased with the Wildcat's three weeks preparation for the football season that will get underway at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at Munday with Moguls.

However, the Wildcats have looked good in their three practice scrimmages with Crosbyton, Floydada and Throckmorton. In fact, according to some of the Crowell fans, it looks like the Wildcat's offense that they have had in several years. It is very doubtful that any of their opponents will be able to keep them from scoring at least two touchdowns.

Crowell's probable starting lineup will be Jim Paul Norman and Jimmy Rasberry at ends; Gordon Wood Bell and James Pittillo at tackles; Charles Pittillo and Ginger Johnson, guards; Harold Ribble, center; and Don Gobin, Jon Sanders, Buster Laquey and Hack Norman, backfield. Robert Brock, Leon Pechacek and Jimmy Tom Cates will probably be starters in case Crowell takes the defense on the opening kick-off. James Denton, back, and George Scott, lineman, have been used a great deal thus far this season. Other boys that will make the trip to Munday are Billy Johnson, Roy Whitley, Lee Roy Bice, Raymond Halencak, Glyndon Johnson, Jim Everson, Wayne Borchart, Fred Barker, Buddy Caddell and Billy Ray Latimer.

District Court to Open in Crowell September 11th

September term of District Court will convene in Crowell on Sept. 11, with Judge Jesse presiding.

Treat Grain for Smut and Blights Before Planting

Planting time for winter grain crops is at hand, and Joe Burkett, County Agent, reminds farmers that there are several precautions to take in preparing for seeding the grain.

First, he advises getting good seed of the right varieties. Secondly, he recommends cleaning out any weed seeds and smut balls which might be present in the seed, and thirdly, he recommends treating the seeds with chemicals.

These last two precautions help guard against noxious weeds such as bindweeds and blue weeds and grain diseases such as smut, seed rot and seedling blights. Burkett states that the disease which wheat growers need to guard against most is stinking smut. This smut is hard to recognize in the field except by its foul odor and the somewhat greener color of the infected grain heads. The kernels of infected plants change to smut balls, and when the grain is combined these smut balls are broken open and millions of black spores are scattered over the healthy wheat seed. If the seed with spores on them are planted, a good crop of stinking smut will develop next spring where the grain should be. Smut reduces the yield in the field and smutty grain is docked on the market.

District Meeting of Farm Bureau to Be Held Here Sept. 11

Texas Farm Bureau Federation will hold a district meeting Monday, Sept. 11, at Crowell. The meeting will be held in the room of the Crowell State Hotel.

Oats and barley smut, however, is easily recognized by the black, barren heads in the field. According to Burkett, the stinking smut of wheat and also oat and barley smut can be controlled by mixing one-half ounce of either the new improved ceseran M per bushel of wheat or the new chemical called ceseran M per bushel of seed.

Director of Crowell Killed in Korea

Viola Biggerstaff received word of the death of her husband, Master Sergeant Claude Biggerstaff, which occurred in action on August 27. Sgt. Biggerstaff was killed in Korea.

He says that loose smut of wheat also leaves empty black heads in the field. Chemicals do not control this smut, but it can be controlled by a difficult hot water treatment. However, Burkett suggests that it might be better to get clean wheat seed from growers who were not bothered by loose smut last season.

Farmers are now faced with a new oat disease which the plant doctors call helminthosporium blight. Burkett says that this new disease affects the roots and stems of oats, causing weakened stems, which result in lodging. Oat varieties that are attacked by this blight are some of the Victoria crosses, including Fultex, Rustler, Ranger and Victor Grain. The same treatment is recommended for this disease as for stinking smut of wheat and oat and barley smut, however, it may not give as complete control as it does on smut.

SENDS DONATION

Mrs. T. S. Patton has received the thanks of authorities at Wichita General Hospital in Wichita Falls for a check they got from her to help out the school of nursing in its efforts to find living quarters for thirteen students. Mrs. Patton said she wished to help provide facilities in honor of Miss Faye Pannell of Dallas, director of the school of nursing at Parkland Hospital for many years.

Free County-Wide Chest X-Ray Service Here Sept. 13, 14, 15 in C. of C. Office; Available to Everyone 15 or Older

Every citizen in Foard County above the age of fifteen has been requested by the Texas State Department of Health to take advantage of the free chest x-ray service which will be in Crowell on September 13, 14 and 15.

The x-ray unit will be set up in the office of the Foard County Chamber of Commerce and will operate from 9 a. m. until 5:30 p. m. each day. The x-ray service is being brought to Crowell through the efforts of the Crowell Business and Professional Women's Club.

It has been pointed out since the first announcement was made here of the x-ray survey that many people have the mistaken idea that this service is charity. It is not charity, but a service that every Texan has paid for in his taxes. It is for this reason that there should be no mistaken idea.

Committees have been appointed to serve during the three days of the survey. Mrs. Dove Carlile is chairman of the hostess committee, Miss Maymie Lee Collins is chairman of the clerical assistance committee.

Weldon Hays heads the loading and unloading committee, and Mrs. J. H. Barnebe will be the chairman of the telephone committee.

Statistics show that between 45,000 and 50,000 persons die in this country each year from tuberculosis. Only through x-ray examinations can the infection be detected. Many people have the disease and never realize it until it is too late to stop the infection.

Other than detecting the presence of a tubercular infection in the chest, the survey is of help in locating cancer, tumors and heart trouble.

The results of the x-rays will not be publicized in any way. Cards will be mailed to those whose tests show symptoms of the disease. To those who show symptoms a letter will be sent to the family physician. No other persons will be informed.

Children under 15 years of age will not be accepted for x-rays.

Henry Johnson Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury When Car Is Struck by Northbound Santa Fe Tuesday Morning

Henry Johnson escaped uninjured Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock when his automobile was struck by the north bound Santa Fe passenger train. The car was struck about midway and pushed off the track and badly damaged.

The train coming in time to stop his car without turning it over, so he speeded up hoping he could get across the track in time for the train to miss him.

Thalia School Opens Monday Morning with Assembly; Many Improvements Have Been Made to School Building

The Thalia School opened Monday morning at 8:30 with an assembly in the main auditorium. Roland Jennings led the group in songs and Rev. Howard Estes gave the opening prayer. The teachers were introduced by Mrs. Howard Bursley, principal. They are Mrs. E. C. King, home room teacher for the seventh and eighth grades and teacher of spelling and penmanship; Roland Jennings, home room teacher for the fifth and sixth grades and teacher of social studies; C. R. Steele, home room teacher for the third and fourth grades and teacher of arithmetic; Mrs. Roland Jennings, second grade teacher and teacher of 5th grade Spanish; and Mrs. Howard Bursley, first grade teacher. Mrs. Homer McMeath has charge of the lunch room. Homer McMeath is the school custodian and bus driver.

Bud Temple is bus driver. J. C. Lewis, Church of Christ pastor, made a very appropriate talk to the student body and visitors. Announcements were made and Rev. Estes gave the benediction. The students met classes after assembly while parents and visitors remained in the auditorium for a PTA meeting. Plans were made at the PTA meeting for improving the lunch room, and for buying books, phonograph records, library memberships and magazines for the school.

The classrooms and halls have been redecorated in pastel colors. New venetian blinds have been installed in all classrooms that did not previously have them. The third and fourth grade room has been provided with new seating. Many other improvements have been made in both buildings. The school has enrolled 106 pupils.

Ferguson Rexall Drug Announces New Closing Hours

New closing hours for the Ferguson Drug Store, which will become effective Monday, September 11, were announced this week by the store's owner, H. J. Jones.

Mr. Jones stated that the change is being made in order to give customers more efficient service during the hours of business. The new schedule is from 7:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. on Sunday through Friday and from 7:30 to 10 p. m. on Saturday. Mr. Jones stated that medical and prescription service will be given after the closing hours if customers will call his home.

Off the island of Mindanao in the Philippines the ocean is the deepest—35,400 feet.

Foard County Voters Approve Hospital Improvement Bonds in Election Held Saturday by a Vote of 227 to 49

In the bond election held in Foard County Saturday to determine whether or not the Commissioners' Court be authorized to issue the bonds of the county in the amount of \$65,000.00 for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Foard County Hospital and buy equipment for same, and to repair, enlarge, remodel and renovate the existing building, was approved by the voters of the county by a vote of 227 for and 49 against.

Week-End Rain 1.4 Inches Including Monday Night

Rain which fell intermittently over Foard County during last Sunday, Monday and Monday night, measured 1.4 inches by the Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank.

The precipitation was heavier in some parts of the county. The skies remained cloudy all day Tuesday with occasional showers. Wednesday was clear and warm and no rain.

68TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary at their home in North Crowell Wednesday. A full report of the day's activities will be given in next week's News.

Two Anniversaries



C. P. Sandifer, pioneer Crowell resident, is observing two anniversaries today, his 86th birthday and the day he arrived in what is now Foard County sixty-one years ago. Mr. Sandifer was born in Pike County, Miss., Sept. 7, 1865. He and Mrs. Sandifer came here Sept. 7, 1889, from Collin County and have made their home here since that time. They have been closely identified with the growth and development of the county since it was organized April 27, 1891.

Mrs. A. B. Curtis Succumbs Early Sunday Morning

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. A. B. Curtis, who passed away in the Foard County Hospital at an early hour on Sunday, Sept. 3, following a lengthy illness. The services were held in the Crowell Methodist Church with Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor, officiating, who was assisted by Bro. Lynn Fisher, pastor of the West Side Church of Christ, and Rev. Warren Everson, pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Mrs. A. L. Rucker played organ accompaniment for the choir songs and for a special number, "Beyond the Sunset," given by Miss Sharon Haney, soloist, and Mrs. Moody Bursley, reader. Pallbearers were Parker Churchill, J. M. Crowell, A. A. Manning, Oscar Gentry, Dick Ballard and Morris Ferguson. Flower bearers were Mrs. H. P. Perkins, Mrs. A. A. Manning, Mrs. Shelby Wallace, Mrs. David Lee Owens, Mrs. Clarence Orr, Mrs. J. S. Owens Jr., Mrs. W. C. McDaniel, Mrs. H. C. Payne and Miss Ora Mae Fox.

Named as honorary flower bearers were Miss Martha B. Rettig, Mrs. Lennie Kelly, Mrs. Lois Gordon, Mrs. Madge Johnson, Mrs. Maggie Ketchersid, Mrs. Helen Higginbotham, Mrs. Bettie Gafford, Mrs. Cressie Erwin, Mrs. Ann Powers, and Mrs. Eunice Jones.

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

Mrs. Curtis was born on May 1, 1893, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Holmes of Bradley, Okla., pioneer citizens of that place. She was married to Mr. Curtis on January 18, 1919, in Oklahoma City, Okla. They moved to Crowell to make their home in 1926 and have resided here since then. Four children were born to them, all of whom survive their mother.

Mrs. Curtis was a member of the West Side Church of Christ of Crowell. She was a consistent Christian, a lover of her home and family, a faithful, helpful neighbor. She was very patient throughout her long illness, always cheerful and appreciative of all that was done for her. She was a lovable character, had many friends and was a blessing to all with whom she came in contact.

Survivors include her husband, the four children, namely, First Sgt. A. B. Curtis Jr. of Waterbury, Conn., Frank Curtis of Palo Alto, Calif., Mrs. Mary Curtis Owens of Quanah and Miss Edna Jewel Curtis of Crowell. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Marie Alexander of Tuttle, Okla., and Mrs. Annie Brown of Chickasha, Okla.; two brothers, James Holmes of Chickasha, Okla., and Si Holmes of Livermore, Calif. Three grandchildren and a number of nephews and nieces and a host of friends also survive her.

Out-of-town relatives and friends who attended funeral services were Sgt. A. B. Curtis Jr. and Frank Curtis, sons, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Klepper of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Curtis of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Ethel Klepper of Quanah, R. C. Schlager of Rankin, Mrs. Marie Alexander and son, Buddy, of Tuttle, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Judd Brown and five children of Chickasha, Okla., Grady Holloway of Chickasha, Okla., and Ruby Lee Starrett of Ponca City, Okla.

16th Annual Labor Day Reunion Held in the Margaret Community Saturday, Sunday and Monday with 150 Present

Despite inclement weather, the 16th annual reunion of the relatives and friends of the descendants of Henry Baker was enjoyed by a crowd of some 150 people Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Saturday morning a group from Margaret and out-of-town relatives spent some time cleaning off graves at the Margaret Cemetery. Saturday night highlight was family stunt program which included songs by Carol Lynn Malone, Susan and Dan Mike Mahoney and Diana Mahoney and Janelle Pollock. A tap dance by the Garvey sisters, Judy and Lynn; clog dance by Bax Middlebrook, Buck and Wing dance by Jimmie Moore, a twirling routine by Lucille Wesley; cross-eyed fiddling by the Ewing brothers, Jim and Bill; comedy songs by Geo. Mapp.

Readings from "Way Back When" by Lauretta Magill, "St. Peter at the Gate," Irene O'Connell, "Modern Reading" by Ruby Malone, "Little Birds," Pantomime "None but the Lonely Heart," by Janette Pollock and the dramatization of "The Three Bears" by the Walter Taylors.

Babies christened Sunday morning at church services by Rev. E. R. McGregor, pastor of the Margaret Methodist Church, were the great granddaughter and great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Margaret; Gloria Jean Wharton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wharton of Odessa and Rex Taylor Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blackburn of Burnett.

A reception was held Sunday afternoon for the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grimm of Oklahoma City, who were married August 29, 1900, at the home of the late John Wesley of Margaret.

A three tiered cake elaborately decorated with pink and yellow roses and love birds was served with punch to the visitors. Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tarvin of Chicago, Ill., and Kay Taylor of Onarga, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor

and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Taylor of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Shultz and son, James, of Uvalde; Miss Carlene Andested of Silver Springs, Md.; Bryan O'Connell, Raymond Ross and Dorothy Jean Burrough of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Will Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Grimm and baby, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morris and Carolyn and Gwendolyn; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pollock, Stanley and Janelle; Mrs. Lauretta Magill and Joe, all of Oklahoma City; Ramona Taylor of El Reno, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pollock and Steven Taylor of Britton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Taylor of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Murel Trout and Mary Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mixson and Len and Ed Taylor, of Mobeetie; Mrs. Mollie Jamison of Pecos, Vera Thomas of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore and Billy of Sunset; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blackburn and Rex of Burnett; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wharton and Gloria Jean of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Bryman and children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Geo. Dunn of Artesia, N. M.; Mrs. Nannie Berry of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Garvey, Judy and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney Jr., Beverly, Mike and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mahoney and Diana, Dan, Mike and Deborah, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McGill, Dee and Deana, Mrs. Nena McGill and Rayburn Taylor of Dallas; John Warren and Mrs. Ethel Yeager of Littlefield; Mrs. Gertrude Brown of Waxahachie; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jake Middlebrook, Baxter and Sharon of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Garland Taylor and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tucker, Georgetown and Rod; Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Taylor, Mary Beth and Prichard, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robert, all of Wichita Falls; Pfc. Don Griffin of SAFB, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Moore, Bill and Jeannie, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley, Lucille, Agnes, John E. and Ruth, of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ross of Flomot.

Crowell Public Schools Opened Monday Morning with the Greatest Enrollment in History, Numbering 688 Students

The Crowell Public Schools opened the 1950-51 term last Monday morning with an increase in enrollment over last year in all three departments of the school. There was an enrollment of 613 pupils at this time last year and there have been 688 children enrolled thus far this year, 253 in the primary grades, 242 in the intermediate department, and 193 in high school. This sets a new record for the Crowell School enrollment.

Dunagan Sells Service Station to Fred Carr

A deal was closed last Thursday whereby Fred Carr became the new owner and operator of the Phillips 66 Station. Mr. Carr bought the stock and fixtures from E. A. Dunagan, who had been operating the station for several years.

A former performance supervisor for the Production Marketing Administration, Mr. Carr resigned this position to enter business for himself.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients In: C. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Virgil Lattimore

Patients Dismissed: Mrs. Henry Moss, Mrs. J. C. Prosser, Wesley Senkel, Kathleen Thompson, James Stevens, Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. Jim Shook, J. R. Bevers, Roy McGregor, Carl Wayne Hudson, Josephine King

SELLS REGISTERED CATTLE

Dr. J. M. Hill has sold eight registered Aberdeen Angus cows and calves to James E. Long, which Mr. Long will use as a foundation herd. Dr. Hill has also sold 12 registered cows and calves to E. S. Hale of Collingsworth County.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gobin and children are here this week visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ribble and Mr. and Mrs. L. Gobin.

ROTARY CLUB

Prospects of the Crowell High School 1950 football team and comments on individual members of the squad were given as the program for the noon luncheon of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at the Club Cafe by Coaches Thayne Amonett and Gordon Erwin. It is believed by those who have seen the practice games that Crowell will have a good football team this season.

Visitors at the meeting were Rotarians Keith Berry, Bob Sherrill, Bill Wright and Marshall Rhee of Vernon and Rotarian Bill Reeves of Quanah. Dan Callaway of Crowell was also a visitor. Clinton McLain was back after spending a vacation trip of several weeks. He missed only one Rotary meeting during that time.

THALIA
MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Neil and son, Bill, of Monrovia, Calif., left for their home Friday night after a two-weeks' visit in the homes of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, also her brother, Frank Wood, and family in Vernon and the C. H. Wood home here.

Mrs. Winnie Phillips of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rennels of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Abston of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Gilliland were guests in the home of Mrs. J. A. Abston last week.

Lowell McKinley of Texhoma visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley, last week. His two sons, Lowell Jr. and Earl James, who had been visiting here, returned home with him.

Mrs. Veda Allen of Childress recently visited in the Doty home here.

H. L. Swan Jr. and family of Borger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan, last week end.

Hearell Scales and family of Vernon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scales, Friday night.

Patsy Hammonds of Floydada has come to stay with her grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, and attend school here this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson of Levelland visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray and children of Hereford visited his mother, Mrs. H. W. Gray, last week end and they all visited in Austin.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Estes have

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returned from a vacation in Oklahoma and other points.

Allen Patty and son, Wade, of Electra visited the G. C. Short family and others here Friday.

Mrs. Glen Gamble and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. R. H. Cooper and daughter, Jane, were Dallas visitors recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson of Lorraine spent last week in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Bill Cates, and family.

Otto Whitaker and family of Borger spent the week end and through Sept. 4th holiday in the home of Mrs. Whitaker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Luckie and son, Tony, visited relatives in Stamford Saturday. Barbara Luckie, who spent last week in Stamford, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Cobb of Littlefield visited here awhile Tuesday.

Mrs. Maude Bennett of Littlefield visited Mrs. H. W. Banister here last week end.

Glen Bryant of Dumas spent Saturday night in the home of his sister, Mrs. G. C. Short, and family.

Will Grimm of Oklahoma City visited his brother, O. M. Grimm, here awhile Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Gilbert and daughter, Cheryl, of McKinney spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd and son of Uvalde visited relatives here and attended the Labor Day reunion at Margaret.

G. C. Short was in a Wichita Falls hospital last week after an operation on one of his hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hasselwander and daughter, Judy, of Wichita Falls visited relatives here last week end.

Guests in the Roy Shultz home last Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Shultz and son of Uvalde and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz and son of Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McCarty and sons visited his parents at Brady last week end.

Ruth McRae spent the week end with relatives in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford have returned home after a few days' stay at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cato and daughter, Mary, have gone to Dallas where he has accepted a book-keeping position.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long and daughters, Peggy and Jo Frances, visited in Wheeler last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Wisdom of Morenci, Ariz., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wisdom, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Slater of Texarkana visited Mrs. Slater's sister, Mrs. Royce Cato, and family this week.

T. H. Matthews is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Harrold Lanham, and family in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lindsey and Ralph Hudgens of Vernon were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Ruth Hammonds Sunday.

Bobby Cato of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cato.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Webb of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins last Saturday.

F. W. Butler visited his son, Herschell Butler, and family in Chillicothe Friday night.

Lawrence Webb has returned to his home in Sweetwater after a two weeks visit with his cousin, Arthur Lee Marlow, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Evans and children of San Francisco, Calif., arrived here Saturday night for a visit with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister.

Miss Bernice Webb of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Webb, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rodgers and children of Electra visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cooper of Vernon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn and Ralph and Roberta visited the Robert Dunn family in Wichita Falls last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins visited her nephew, H. L. Waggoner, and family at Harrold Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tarver of Amarillo spent the Labor Day holi-

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
(Answers on page 5)

1. Mount Vernon was the home of what President?
2. What was the name of the second President of the United States?
3. This man was elected President of the United States and was followed in office 48 years later by his grandson. What was the name of the man and what was his grandson's name?
4. Martha Dandridge Curtis was the name of the wife of what President of this country?
5. Ponder is the name of what?
6. What baseball team is known as the Brewers?
7. Hank Bauer is outfielder for what American League baseball team?
8. What ball team is known as the Mud Hens?
9. What is referred to in sports as a pin shoot?
10. With what baseball team does the player, known as Preacher Roe, play?

days in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan and Mr. and Mrs. Finnie Tarver.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts, who recently sold their home in Crowell, have moved their trailer home out to L. H. Hammonds' where they will be temporarily located while Mr. Roberts builds a new room on the Hammonds house.

Thalia school opened Monday morning, Sept. 4, with the same teachers as last year: Mrs. Howard Bursey, principal; C. R. Steele, Mrs. Ernest King, and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jennings. Mrs. Homer McBeath will have charge of the cafeteria and Mrs. Clyde Self will be her assistant.

The ladies of the Margaret W. S. C. S. met with the Thalia Society recently in a visitation day program with Mrs. Sherman McBeath as leader. A social hour followed and refreshments of ice cream, cake and Cokes were served to about 30 ladies.

The average mark up by dealers on automobiles is from 20 to 25 per cent above factory prices.

Health Letter

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

Austin — You wouldn't ordinarily consider a boxful of dead fleas as very much of a gift.

But entomological workers — specialists who study insects which spread disease—at the Texas State Department of Health, recently were "thrilled" by a gift of Pacific Northwest fleas from Dr. C. Anderson Hubbard, formerly head of the Biology Department at Pacific University in Oregon. He has made similar gifts, collected during a lifetime of studying disease spreaders, to 20 of the world's outstanding institutions in biological sciences.

State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox, acknowledging the gift, said it was "something of a compliment" to be classed as a leader in biological studies along with the British Museum, Canada's National Museum, Brazil's Escola Nacional de Agronomia, the Parasitological Laboratory in Sevastopol, Russia, Pakistan's Malaria Institute, the American Museum of National History in New York, and "many others of equal prominence."

The Texas Health Department was the only health agency in the nation to benefit from the presentation. It's disease vector collection is reputedly one of the finest in the world. Dr. Cox says the entire assortment, including ticks and mites as well as fleas, is open to study by graduate and advanced undergraduate students in Texas colleges and universities.

Departmental entomological studies are described by Dr. Cox as "a determination of the specific types of insects of medical importance in the state, their distribution, seasonal abundance, and how they can best be controlled."

Department entomologists conducted a two year investigation of typhus fever in Lavaca County in 1944-46. Step by step, they traced out the process by which rodent fleas spread typhus from rat to human beings.

In 1949, they finished a study

which showed bubonic plague — the Black Death of the Middle Ages—was infecting wild rodents in four South Plains counties in West Texas.

"Our entomologists are disease detectives," Dr. Cox says. "The gift from Dr. Hubbard will help them run down insect culprits."

Methodist Leaders to Convene in Oklahoma

Oklahoma City, Okla. — Over 2500 Methodist leaders, approximately 1000 from Texas, will convene here Sept. 12-15 for the Methodist Convocation for Teachers and Presidents of Adult Classes in the denomination's South Central Jurisdiction.

Theme for the convocation is "Christian Teaching to Turn the Tide."

Chief purpose of the meeting is to enable presidents and teachers of adult classes to have a part in turning the tide of totalitarianism that threatens to engulf civilization. Other aims are to help

A liar should have a good memory—Quintilian.

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, estimates that there are 55,000 members of the Communist party in the U. S. This number does not include the "false travelers" and sympathizers, who are estimated at a half million.

The Philippine Islands are made up of 3241 islands.

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leaders of adults to catch a new vision of their work, to provide information that will make Christian teachings more effective, and to promote fellowship, according to Rev. M. Leo Rippey, director of the adult department of the Board of Education, Nashville, Tenn.

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Picnic Hams Pound	49c
FRYERS Fresh Dressed Each	89c
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson and family of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Priest and daughter of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing of Crowell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and attended the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huskey and daughter, Doris Ann, of Thalia spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford and daughter of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradford of Thalia visited Mrs. Sude Bradford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Choate attended the OES in Electra and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woodson.

Mrs. Curtis Bradford, Mrs. Bax Middlebrook and Mrs. Louis Painter and daughters, Marketta and Joyce, were Vernon visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Bob Thomas of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn over the week end and attended the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sikes and son, Jimmie Lee, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Green Sikes.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sikes and daughters, Neta and Neva, from San Angelo spent the week end in the R. H. Blevins and Green Sikes homes.

Bill Bond and sons, Billy and Bobby, have returned to their home at Danville, Ark., after several days visit with his sister, Mrs. W. A. Dunn, and husband.

Bob Choate of San Angelo spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest, Mrs. Choate and daughters, Jeanie and Kay, returned home with him Monday after a two weeks visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter of Dallas visited in the R. H. Blevins and W. S. Carter homes over the week end. Their daughters, Eloise and Deane, who have been visiting their grandparents, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford and daughter of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blevins and children of Fort Worth visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herdis Sellars of Paducah visited Grandmother Pruitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and Mrs. Bob Choate and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter in Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole of Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Taylor of Los Angeles, Calif., are here visiting in the C. T. Murphy and J. H. Taylor homes and attended the reunion. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, who had been visiting them returned home with them.

Mrs. J. S. Smith and daughter, Ruby, of Vernon spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. Mary Lou Woods of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Greer Reinhardt of Crowell visited in the Dink Russell and Mrs. Jack Roden homes Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter, Judy, of Vernon spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Middlebrook and children, Sharron and Baxter, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore and son, Billy Ray, of Denver City visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook, over the week end and attended the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and daughter visited relatives in Farmers Valley Sunday.

Rev. Clarence Bounds of Whiteface visited Mrs. Mary Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bounds Monday.

Roy McGregor was admitted to the Crowell hospital Sunday morning.

Mrs. C. F. Haseloff and sons of Quanah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wozencraft of Olton visited his uncle, Dick Smith, Sunday.

Bobby Hord of Abilene spent the week end with Louis Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Bryan of Artesia, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Billy George Dunn of Hobbs, N. M., and Mrs. Nannie Berry of Roswell, N. M., visited Mrs. Frank Dunn and attended the reunion over the week end.

Gilbert Choate attended the Masonic Lodge at Quanah Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Blevins of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Belle Blevins, over the week end. Clyde Russell and Fred Collins of Crowell were Margaret visitors Monday.

Winston Simmonds of the Southwestern Life Insurance Co. and H. G. Jones of Crowell were Monday visitors here.

John Warren and sister, Ethel, of Abernathy visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr and daughter, Miss Audra, over the week end and attended the reunion.

Dick Smith and his mother, Mrs. W. L. Smith, visited in Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant of Truscott visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack, Sunday.

Dorothy Burrow of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Dora Wharton, and sister, Sharon, and attended the reunion over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drabek and children visited relatives in Crow-

ell Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Halenack and son, Billy Joe, attended the wedding of their daughter and sister, Josephine, to Nile Bryant in Vernon Saturday morning where Father Edward Shopka performed the ceremony.

Frankie Vanek of Rayland visited in the Frank Halenack home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkerson and daughter, Patsy, and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook and daughter, Joyce Ann, of Vernon attended the reunion Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Joe Green and family visited in Brownwood and Wichita Falls from Monday until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Grimm and daughter of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited relatives and attended the reunion here Sunday.

Mrs. L. Y. Jameson of Peecos visited her brother, Bax Middlebrook, and wife and attended the reunion over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Shultz and baby of Leaky visited with friends and relatives and attended the reunion over the week end.

Mrs. Onabelle Roberts of Elida, N. M., is here visiting relatives and attending the reunion.

Luke Bledsoe and son, L. C., made a business trip to Oklahoma City over the week end.

The reunion of descendants of Henry Baker was a success regardless of lots of rain. Relatives from Oklahoma, California, New Mexico, Arkansas and Texas were there. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grimm were honored as the couple being married fifty years. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor's two great grandchildren were the youngest ones present. George Wesley and Jack present. George Wesley and Jack Roberts were the oldest Foard County pioneers present, now living in the county.

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

There are two diametrically opposed views concerning the origin of the Korean war. One is that it was stimulated by the Russians on the theory that the United States and its allies would do nothing more than write formal letters of protest; that the North Koreans would overwhelm the ill-equipped South Korean defenders in a couple of weeks or so, and that another nation would easily be added to those within the Kremlin's sphere of influence. If that view is correct, the Russians could not have been more wrong.

The other view is grim. It is that Russia anticipated in advance what we would do, and that it was a deliberate, Kremlin-conceived trap. We would spend our resources in Korea, while Russia contributed nothing to the conflict except some equipment and top leadership. In due time, this view holds, the same thing will happen elsewhere—in Iran, Formosa, perhaps Europe. The West will be forced to spread itself paper thin all around the world. Eventually, it will be bled white, and then Russia, with her strength unimpaired, will move in for the kill.

That view is enough to send chills down any spine. There is no question but what a basic Soviet technique is to have other peoples do the fighting. The Asiatics are particularly useful grist in this kind of a mill. They are fatalistic and fanatical. Human life has small value in their eyes. Ameri-

- ANSWERS**
1. Washington.
 2. John Adams.
 3. William Henry Harrison and Benjamin Harrison.
 4. George Washington.
 5. Ponder is the name of a well known race horse.
 6. The Milwaukee team.
 7. Louisville.
 8. The Toledo team.
 9. A bowling match.
 10. Brooklyn.

cans who have been at the Korean front have all been impressed by one dreadful fact—no matter how many of the enemy are slaughtered they keep on coming in wave after wave.

However, a strong case can be made on behalf of the view that this time the Kremlin woefully misjudged the temper of the United States. The Korean war has done more than any single thing since World War II to cement the Western nations. The United Nations is no longer just a debating society on the international level—it is a belligerent, and its flag flies in South Korea. The war is a U. N., not merely a U. S. operation.

The most encouraging thing that has happened so far has been the response to Trygve Lie's appeal to the U. N. membership for substantial aid in Korea, including trained ground troops. An impressive list of countries has responded. In many instances, the size of the forces dispatched will necessarily be very small, but the total will be considerable. And,

going beyond purely military considerations, the fact that many countries will be physically represented in the actual fighting in Korea must certainly cause some hard thinking in the Politburo. At last, the ranks of the anti-Communist world—and it is most of the world—are gathering.

Some time ago Herbert Hoover proposed the creation of a United Nations without Russia and her satellites. This may come about through the force of events. Russia is still a member, of course, but she has small influence now. The great majority of members has served final notice that communist aggression must stop. —Industrial News Review.

CUT SHIPS' EFFICIENCY

It has long been recognized that the fouling of shipbottoms by marine organisms costs the navies and shipping industry of the world millions of dollars each year. A number of surveys of this problem have disclosed that fouling can result in losses of top speed approaching 50 per cent and fuel consumption increases of at least 40 per cent. Prior to the war it was the practice of the British Admiralty, for design purposes, to allow an increase of frictional resistance of one-fourth per cent per day out of dock in temperate waters, and one-half per cent per day out of dock in tropical waters. Such inefficiency in ship operation has generally been accepted as a necessary evil which can be controlled only by frequent and expensive dockings.

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But why dost thou judge thy brother; or why dost thou set at naught thy brother? for we shall all stand before the judgment seat of Christ.—Romans 13-10.

The greatest peril that a democracy such as this faces, is the fact that too many qualified voters fail to go to the polls and vote. These indifferent beneficiaries of the privilege of a democracy are a greater menace to its welfare than all the Communists and spies within our borders.

Ban Russ Goods



Boston, Mass. — Boston long-shoremen refused to unload Russian crab meat from the Cunard liner, Parthia, and the cargo is slated for a long ride back to Britain. Longshoreman Leo Shanahan is shown here indicating refusal to handle the Red product.

The only really truthful history ever written appears in the Old Testament. The Old Testament gives the good and bad points of its characters. For this reason its characters are all human and true to life.

The Hoover survey showed that the U. S. government owned 848,567 typewriters which are being used by 235,000 persons. The difference between government and private business is that private business would dispose of 613,567 of the typewriters while the government will employ 613,567 persons to run the idle typewriters.

If we ever get to a stopping place in this country in our spy hunt, we should pass some laws that more clearly define just what constitutes spying and treachery. These should be so clear that even the man in the street would understand them.

NEXT PASSENGER



In The News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Sept. 10, 1920:

The wedding of "Uncle" Dan Elliott to Mrs. Alice Fletcher was witnessed Tuesday morning at the court house by some 200 Crowell citizens. N. P. Ferguson performed the ceremony.

Public Weigher C. W. Thompson says he weighed 5,000 bales of cotton last year and thinks that number will be doubled this year.

The rainfall for August was the heaviest for any one month during the year, and heaviest for August of any year of which there is a record. The precipitation amounted to an even 8 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allee and children returned Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hart at Rockwood. They were accompanied by Mrs. Hart and son, Jim Allee, and Mrs. Belle Allee, who spent the summer there.

The first home exhibit of Foard County products was held here Tuesday and Wednesday. County Agent P. D. Chaney is due the credit for getting this project on foot and no doubt it will mean bigger things in the future.

J. H. Easley left Saturday for Guntersville, Ala., to visit his aged parents. His father is 87 and his mother 79.

J. A. Stovall and family left Saturday for a visit in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish of the Vivian community returned Tuesday from an overland trip to Colorado.

Deb Owens is visiting his parents in Vernon and will also visit in Dallas before returning home.

T. C. Hampton is here this week from Rock Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allan Beverly and little son, Fred Allan, left the first of the week, Mr. Beverly going to Dallas, and Mrs. Beverly and son to Wichita Falls to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hays.

Grover Cole has moved to town and will be with the Vaughan this year.



New York, N. Y. — First moving vans arrive at the new home of the United Nations. Furniture and records from the Lake Success offices are being taken to this permanent UN headquarters, which will house the 3,000 personnel of the UN secretariat.

DEODORANTS Deodorants and anti-perspirants should be applied with care. Although many producers are guaranteed not to damage fabrics, if wrongly used they will result in fabric damage. Follow manufacturer's directions in using these products.

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

When I check back over all of the things I have purchased because they were sold to me through advertising, I am at a loss to understand why some people attempt to conduct a business in the world today without advertising.

I have reached the point where I do most of my shopping through the newspaper and the magazine advertisements. Because of this I have come to look for brands and types of merchandise I see advertised and to pay little attention to those not advertised.

Whether it is oil or gasoline for my car, a necktie, a shaving soap, a shirt, a suit of clothes or canned goods, it is all the same. When the merchant shows me an advertised article I am already half sold on it.

Next to printing no advertisement at all, I believe the greatest mistake is made today by some merchants is to print poorly gotten up advertisements, advertisements that tell nothing about the merchandise and deal in meaningless generalities.

I think any competent, energetic, wide-awake merchant can write a good advertisement if he will devote himself to it, and just tell his readers what he has to sell, and why it would be to their advantage to buy it and own it.

We used to have in our town a merchant whose advertising ran along the line of "Jones keeps everything. When in need of anything see Jones." Obviously such advertising is of little, if any, value.

Jones on the other hand was a good salesman, if he had the prospective customer before him. Give him a good piece of merchandise and he could explain it with enthusiasm and sell his customer on its merit.

I have often thought if Jones, when he sat down to write an advertisement, had forgotten that he was writing an advertisement, and forgotten his meaningless stereotyped phrases, and just imagined he had his customer before him, and proceeded to tell him all about the thing he was trying to sell, its quality and its merits, and why the customer should own it, would have written an interesting sales-making advertisement.

RATS ON FARMS Because rats are most active at night, some farmers may not realize how many they have. There are always telltale signs when rats are present, however—dirt worked out from under the corn crib floor, rat droppings in cribs and feed bins, rat holes around feeding floors, junk and trash piles and so on.

TRUSCOTT ELBA JOYCE CADDELL

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wright of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning, recently.

Mrs. Pearl Hester and Miss Tina Casey spent about a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley have returned from a vacation in the northern and western states.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Killian and son spent one night in Breckenridge recently with his father who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell visited in Knox City Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Browning of Winnsboro is visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning.

Nile Bryant is agent for the Truscott depot now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Beverly of Crowell were guests in the V. W. Browning home Thursday of last week.

Mrs. G. W. Caddell has been ill in the Knox City Hospital until Sunday. She went home with her son, E. E. Caddell, and family of Gordenville.

Wayne Turner is in the Air Force at San Antonio.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning Sunday, Aug. 20, include the following: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barham of Seymour, Mrs. Frank Moorhouse of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Craig and Mrs. Madeline Pruitt of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Woods and children of Truscott, Mrs. Earl DeWolf of Barstow, Calif., Miss Vandolyn Browning of Denton, Miss Jerry Tune of Denton, Kendrick Joy of Abernathy and Mrs. J. C. Browning of Winnsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner, Winnie Turner, Pat Owens and Ann Haynie attended the Campsey reunion at Jacksboro recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and W. J. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers attended a reunion in Clarendon on Sunday, August 20.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Caddell and daughters of Gordenville spent part of last week here because of the illness of his mother, Mrs. G. W. Caddell.

Mrs. Earl DeWolf returned home to Barstow, Calif., after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. V. W. Browning, who underwent an eye operation in Dallas recently.

Mrs. Mae Barnes of Gordenville visited Mrs. G. W. Caddell last week.

Mrs. H. A. Smith visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith, of Fort Worth recently.

Miss Vandolyn Browning of Denton is spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Caddell and children of Fort Worth and Danny Joe of Fort Worth visited Mrs. G. W. Caddell and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Green of Abilene visited friends here recently. Mrs. Green was formerly Miss Melba Jean Hardage before her marriage last month.

V. C. Holloway, J. M. Harvey, and Martha Louise of Stamford visited Mr. Holloway's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith and children.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts attended a family reunion in Wichita Falls recently.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner and Winnie spent the week end in Amarillo with their sons, Joe B. and Lee, and their families. Winnie remained there to begin the term in the Amarillo Junior College and St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller and family of Techumseh, Okla., Mr.

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UN Moves New York, N. Y. — First moving vans arrive at the new home of the United Nations. Furniture and records from the Lake Success offices are being taken to this permanent UN headquarters, which will house the 3,000 personnel of the UN secretariat. DEODORANTS Deodorants and anti-perspirants should be applied with care. Although many producers are guaranteed not to damage fabrics, if wrongly used they will result in fabric damage. Follow manufacturer's directions in using these products.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Self of Wichita Falls were here Monday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. D. Brown of Waxahachie is visiting her cousin, Mrs. M. O'Connell, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl ten Brink have bought the Leo Owens home on the north part of Crowell.

Mrs. Ray Brown spent from Sunday until Wednesday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Deeb, in Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Adams have moved to Vera where Mr. Adams will teach in the school and also drive a school bus.

Mrs. A. V. McCombs has returned to her home in Las Cruces, N. M., after a visit with her parents, and Mrs. J. M. Hill, and family.

Missie Roberts has returned to her home in Fort Worth after a two-weeks' visit in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Roberts.

John Warren of Littlefield and sister, Mrs. J. C. Yeager, and Bennett of Amherst visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing.

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On account of the high price of hamburgers will be 25c each during Saturday. Coco Colas will be 10 cents.—M. O'Connell. 7-1tc

N. Baker spent the week end in Gainesville attending the opening of the Cooke County Fair and celebration of the 100th anniversary of the organization of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson and grand daughter, Mrs. Bachman, of Loveland spent the week end visiting relatives in Foard, Hardeman and other counties.

Mr. Ralph Burrow received a S. degree in elementary education at graduation exercises held recently at T. C. U. in Fort Worth. Because of her high scholastic record she was admitted to membership in Alpha Chi. Only one of the members of the graduation class were eligible for this honor.

Mrs. Carrie Benes visited friends in Seymour last week.

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Glenn Offield of Edinburg arrived Sunday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Denton have bought the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spears on West Commerce.

Mrs. W. R. Womack and Mrs. Byron Davis are in Dallas this week attending the gift show in session there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tittle and sons of Perryton spent Sunday and Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cates and family.

Mrs. E. J. Powers and children left last Saturday for San Antonio where they will reside while their husband and father, Sgt. Powers, is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Magee and little son, Ernest Mark, of Pampa visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee, over the Labor Day week end.

Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick has returned from Boulder, Colo., where she studied at the University of Colorado during the summer toward her master's degree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ewing of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts of Wichita Falls were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wishon and son, John Jr., have moved to Crowell from Rio Nido, Calif., to make their home. Mr. Wishon will be employed on the Wishon Ranch.

Cpl. and Mrs. Wm. H. Irvin of San Antonio have returned to their home after having visited here from Thursday until Wednesday in the home of Cpl. Irvin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Magee.

Mrs. J. J. Britt of Chillicothe is here to spend the winter in the home of her niece, Mrs. Earl Manard, and family. She returns to her home over each week end. Mrs. Manard is a teacher in Crowell High School.

Dr. W. C. Finch, president of Southwestern University in Georgetown, and Hugh Haynes, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Haynes, who is a post-graduate student in Southwestern, visited here Sunday. Dr. Finch preached in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening and the two returned to Georgetown.

The Army's New 'Eager Beaver'



Here's a brand new Army Ordnance vehicle—the "Eager Beaver". The 2 1/2-ton truck, now in full production at Reo Motors' plant in Lansing, Mich., is built for high speed on and off the highway, and is designed to operate normally in sub-zero cold, blistering heat, or with its Gold Comet engine completely submerged in water. Reo has been awarded contracts for approximately 8,900 of them at a cost of about \$55,000,000. In the top panel, the "Eager Beaver" is shown "cruising" in Chesapeake Bay, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis have gone to Plainview where he will enter Wayland College for a course in business administration. Mrs. Davis will serve on the Wayland faculty in the physical education department.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. T. F. Priest and small daughter, Carole, of Fort Worth spent the Labor Day holidays here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest of Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and Miss Mary Ragland Thompson returned Thursday from Galveston where they visited in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson Jr., and children, Tommy and Sandy.

Miss Billie Hazelwood of San Diego, Calif., is here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Ed Adams and Mrs. D. G. Campbell, and families and her brother, J. W. Hazelwood, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin attended graduation exercises at T. C. U. in Fort Worth recently at which time their nephew and grandson, Jimmy Cates, received his B.A. degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce spent the week end in Austin where Mr. Bruce went on business for the Crowell Consolidated Independent School District. They visited their son, Bill Bruce, in Waco en route to Austin.

Miss Ella Patton has gone to Austin where she is in the employ of the State Health Department. She has been here on an extended visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. S. Patton, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stovall and daughter, Melissa, of Corpus Christi spent last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall, and his sister, Mrs. C. S. Stewart, and family. They left Monday to visit Mrs. Stovall's sister in Dallas and Melissa's great grandmother in Tyler.

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Plant Good Baking Quality Wheat

Good baking quality, as well as good yield, is important in the selection of a variety of wheat for planting, says Joe Burkett, County Agent.

Most of the wheat produced goes into the flour trade, and about 85 per cent of the flour is used by commercial bakeries. The bakeries require a quality of flour with which they can bake the kind of bread that their customers demand.

Burkett says that Texas formerly had a reputation for producing fine quality wheat which was in demand because it was nearly all produced from good baking varieties. This reputation has been

Mrs. J. F. Long entered a Vernon hospital on Saturday, August 27, for treatment.

Beaty Andrews and son, Jimmy, of Amarillo spent Sunday night here visiting in the home of Mr. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews.

Mrs. Archie Campbell and children, Sandra, Kenneth and Paul, returned home Sunday from a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn Morgan near Fayetteville, Ark. Mr. Campbell took them to Arkansas and went for them.

J. H. Lanier Jr. has bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson in the northeast part of Crowell. He and Mrs. Lanier and children moved into their new home last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are living in Cottle County.

Miss Martha Johnson has accepted a position as assistant to Leslie Thomas, Foard County School Superintendent, to take the place of Mrs. Crews Cooper, resigned. Mrs. Cooper had been employed as Judge Thomas' assistant for 6 1/2 years.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill and granddaughter, Miss Mary Norman, recently returned home from a vacation trip. They visited Mr. and Mrs. A. V. McCombs in Las Cruces, N. M., and from there made a short trip to Old Mexico. They visited the White Sands National Monument in Alamogordo, N. M. From there they went to Colorado, stopping at Cripple Creek en route to Colorado Springs. They were accompanied by Mrs. McCombs, who returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parrish and children of Fort Worth spent the Labor Day holidays here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jake Parrish and John Greening. Their son, Robert, who had been visiting here for the past six weeks, returned home with them. Robert had bought a car while here which was badly damaged in an automobile accident which occurred between Jacksboro and Springtown, on their way home. The accident involved seven cars but no one was seriously injured.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are not adequate to express the thanks and appreciation felt by all of us for the many deeds and words of kindness tendered us during the long illness and at the death of our loved one. Dr. Clark, Dr. Barnebee and the nurses at the hospital were wonderful and their kindness and unexcelled service shall ever be cherished by us. To them, to those who sent the beautiful flowers, the food and all attentions of friendship evidenced, we say, "Thank you and God bless you." The A. B. Curtis Family and Margaret Curtis and Mother. pd.

temporarily lost because new wheat varieties with poor baking qualities have been brought in from other states.

However, Burkett reports that recent surveys by the Texas-Oklahoma Wheat Improvement Program reveal that Texas is now regaining its reputation. The surveys show that there have been a 30 per cent, or approximately 1-500,000 acres increase in the acreage of good wheat varieties planted in Texas from 1947 to 1950.

New improved varieties developed by Experiment Stations and private plant breeders are not only good yielders, but also have good baking quality. Since the new varieties are good yielders, Burkett says that there is no longer any need for planting varieties with poor baking quality.

As recommended varieties for Foard County, he lists Comanche and Westar for baker's flour and Wichita and Triumph for family trade flour. Tenmarq and Turkey produce excellent quality baking flour, but do not give as high yields as Comanche and Westar.

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Burkett points out that the big market demand is for the varieties of high quality baker's flour and that producers should keep this in mind when selecting their wheat varieties. Burkett says that, as soon as more seed is available, the new Quanaah wheat variety will probably become popular in the Rolling Plains area and in North and Central Texas, where it is well adapted.

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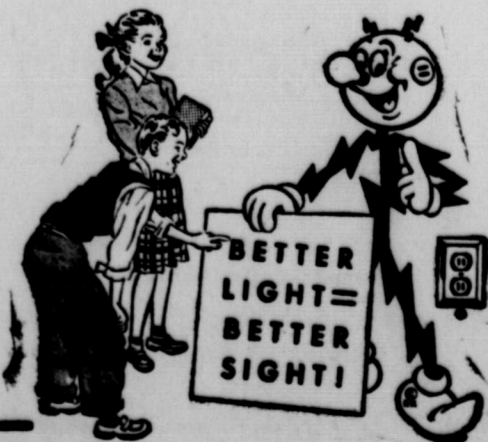
There's a Great Day Coming—

Yes, it's a great day when thousands of West Texas youngsters go back to school. Whether they are beginning their first year in kindergarten or their senior year in college, their education is proof of the American heritage of equal opportunity for all.

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Texas High School Musicians to Take Part in Festival at Fair

Fifty of the best high school musical organizations in Texas will take part Oct. 18 in the mammoth Mid-Century Music Festival of the 1950 State Fair of Texas, James H. Stewart, executive vice president and general manager, has announced.

The most colorful and tuneful event of its kind ever presented in the Southwest, the festival is sponsored jointly by the State Fair and the Texas Music Educators Association. About 4000 young musicians will be on hand.

Twenty choral groups, 20 bands and ten orchestras selected from the ten regions of the TMEA will participate. In addition, three outstanding marching bands from Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas have been invited.

Each individual unit will play or sing a 20-minute concert some time during the day. Concerts will be under way simultaneously at three different places on the 187-acre, \$35,000,000 showgrounds.

Band members will "do the fair" when not performing and will be guests of the State Fair for the evening meal.

A huge massed orchestra concert will be given at 5:30 p. m. in front of the Hall of State and all bands will march and play in the gigantic Parade of the Decades, which will be a nightly feature of the 1950 Fair. The mile-long parade will begin at 7:30 p. m. on Oct. 18.

In the Cotton Bowl at 8 p. m., the combined choruses, bands and massed band and choral pageant, including playing, singing and marching by the combined musicians.

Following the pageant, a fireworks display will be presented.

THE COUNTRY PRESS SAYS

South Bend, Ind., Tribune: "Senator Harry F. Byrd, Virginia democrat, is among those arguing that the need of economy in the non-military government spending areas is more pressing now than a military crisis has come. 'Purely domestic expenditures,' Senator Byrd remarks, 'have been increased 77 per cent since 1948. With a war on our hands some of these outlays must be cut or we are going to spend ourselves into the kind of bankruptcy the Russians are counting on.'"

Santa Fe, N. M., New Mexican: "The U. S. lack of men and weapons in South Korea has raised the question everywhere of what has been done with the huge defense appropriations since the close of the war . . . At the close of the

Forest Fire Burns 60,000 Acres



SAN DIEGO, CALIF.—A raging forest fire has destroyed 20 homes and 60,000 acres of timber in San Diego county. Here fire fighters are being forced to retreat after starting backfires in an effort to check blazes in Cuyamaca State Park near here.

war it cost \$1,900 a year for the maintenance of a soldier—it costs \$1,000 now; a bazooka cost \$36.25—\$122 now; a fighter plane, \$100,000—\$150,000 now; a tank, \$60,000—\$120,000 now; a rifle \$40—\$64 now; a carrier \$65 million—\$120 million now."

Encinitas, Calif., Coast Dispatch: "Intelligent selling is the very backbone of American industry and commerce but feverish buying tends to unsettle our economy."

Radford, Va., News Journal: "Mr. Miller, former Democratic Governor of Wyoming and former chairman of the National Resources Committee of the Hoover Commission, is of the opinion that the Columbia Valley Authority, as planned by the Federal government, is of utmost concern not only to the people of the northwestern states but to all Americans . . . He sees the project as 'one more step in an ambitious plan to socialize the electric power industry as a big stride toward socialism.' . . . This should be especially emphasized while we are deploring the socialistic tendencies and communistic preachments in other parts of the world. We must also be on guard against the infiltration of foreign isms right here in our own country."

Davis, Calif., Enterprise: "Today it seems more important to a lot of people to get free handouts, or Federal aid or subsidies or one of the many something-for-nothings benevolently provided in Washington even though they bring with them not little dictation and abuse. Of course, it's easier to bow the knee as long as the hand is filled. But that attitude would never have won our independence back in 1776. And it might be said that it will not maintain our internal independence and freedom if we continue to look more to Government and less to ourselves for the solution to our problems."

ALL TO THE GOOD

This year, it is estimated, our per capita meat consumption will be a trifle larger than last—by about one per cent. The amount of beef eaten by the average person will remain approximately the same, and an expected increase in pork consumption will more than offset decreases in veal, lamb and mutton.

A graph showing our consumption of meat during the past half century presents some interesting variations. The all-time high was reached in 1908, at 163 pounds. The low came in 1935, during the depression, at 117 pounds. Since that year the tendency has been upward, and in late years the figure has fluctuated in the neighborhood of 150 pounds.

The average American eats considerably more meat than his counterpart in most of the rest of the world. Our consumption, however, is much below that of a few nations in which meat is the principal industry, such as Argentina. In the future, according to government and other forecasts, the trend will continue in the upward direction.

The fact that meat is so important an element in the American diet is, from the point of view of dieticians and the medical fraternity, all to the good. It is now known that the consumption of large amounts of whole protein, which is found in meat and a brief list of other foods, has a strong bearing on physical and mental health and well-being.—Industrial News Review.

TAX-EATER — TAX-DODGER

Some time ago the Tennessee Valley Authority issued a news release on the subject of taxes. It said that, for the fiscal year which ended June 30, TVA and its distributors of power paid in lieu of taxes about \$6,000,000. That sum, the release went on, is \$2,800,000 more than former property taxes on all reservoir lands and on all privately-owned power properties acquired by TVA.

This was obviously designed to silence the argument that TVA enjoys enormous tax advantages as compared with private utilities. But, on analysis, it turns out to be a pretty sorry and misleading counter-argument.

TVA acquired the bulk of utility company properties before and during 1939. To compare 1939 taxes with those of the present day is meaningless. As an example, in the electric utility industry alone taxes increased from \$352,000,000 in 1939 to \$803,000,000 in 1949—a jump of nearly 150 per cent.

The fairest comparison is between the percentage of gross revenues paid in taxes by TVA and by private enterprise in the power field. When this is done, the full extent of TVA's advantage is revealed. For the fiscal year which ended in June, 1949, TVA and its associated distributors paid 4.99 per cent of their gross revenues in lieu of taxes. In the same year, the investor-owned industry paid 19.4 per cent—or some four times as much.

Even this is not the whole of the story. TVA is a tax-subsidized venture. So the nation loses both in the taxes TVA does not pay—and in the tax money which is poured into it to keep its power rates at low levels. Socialized business is always a tax-dodger and a tax-eater.—Industrial News Review.

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Legislation to increase Congressional salaries from the present \$12,500 to \$20,000 a year has been introduced in the House by Representative Mary T. Norton (D-NJ) who will retire next January as a member of Congress. Several years ago the salaries paid senators and representatives were boosted from \$10,000 to \$12,500. In addition, each member of Congress gets an annual \$2500 tax free expense account. The man that makes a character makes foes. — Young.

MOURNING DOVE - WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS 1950

MOURNING DOVES
OPEN SEASON - NORTH ZONE Sept. 1 to Oct. 15, both days inclusive. Shooting hours, one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.
SOUTH ZONE: Oct. 20 to Dec. 3, both days inclusive, except in Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Zapata, Webb, Maverick, Dimmit, LaSalle, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kenedy and Willacy counties where mourning doves may be hunted only on Sept. 15, 17, and 19, from 4 p. m. until sunset, and from Oct. 20 to Nov. 30, from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.
BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.
McMULLEN COUNTY: State law Nov. 1 to Dec. 15. Federal law, Oct. 20 to Dec. 3.

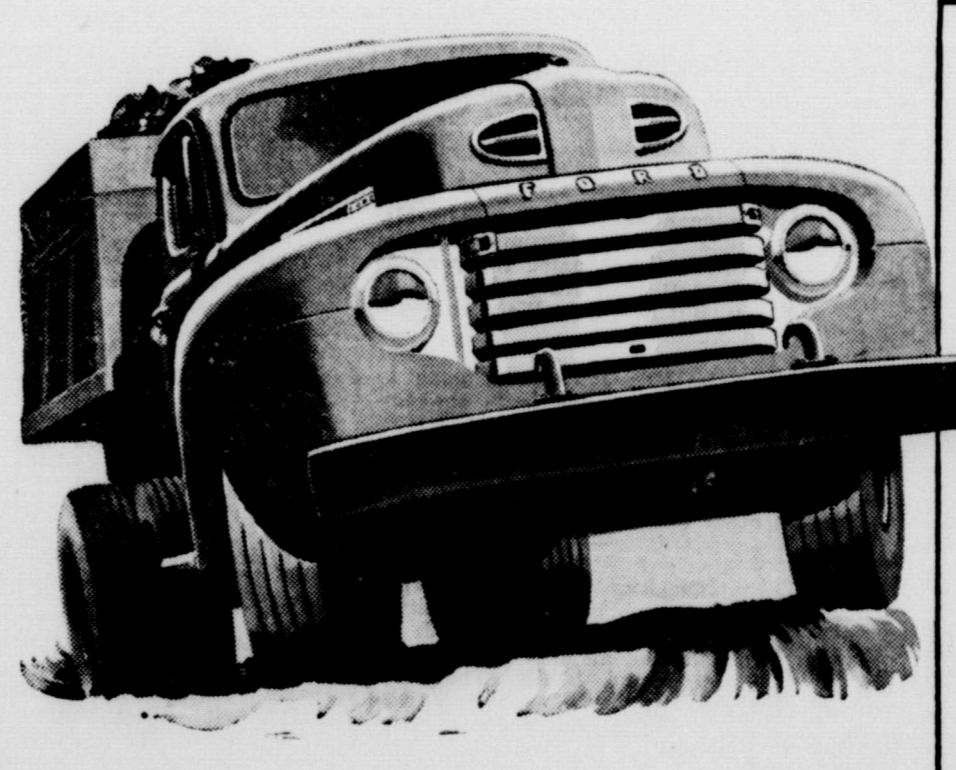
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SHOOTING HOURS: 4 p. m. to sunset.
BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.
McMULLEN COUNTY: State law, Nov. 1 to Dec. 15. Federal law, season closed.

Unlawful to take whitewings or chachalaca south of U. S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4, in southern tip of Texas marked on the map as "GAME SANCTUARY."
No hunting permitted in game refuges and game preserves.
Shotguns must be permanently plugged to three shell capacity.
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E. R. McGregor, Pastor.

Truscott Baptist Church
Come thou with us, and we will do thee good.—Num. 10:29.
10 a. m., Sunday — Sunday School.
11 a. m., Sunday — Morning Worship.
7:45 p. m., Sunday — Training Period.
8:30 p. m., Sunday — Evening Worship.
2:30 p. m., Tuesday — W. M. U. Meeting.
Ralph E. Branum, Pastor.

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. Shooka, 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.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at 11 a. m. and 7 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 8 p. m.
Carl Hudson, Pastor.

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

Thalia Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
B. T. U. at 6 p. m.
Preaching at 7 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday at 2:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

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Regular services are held at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. on the Lord's Day.
You are always welcome.
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Bible School 10 a. m.
Communion-Worship 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service 7:15
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. Subject of the sermon: "Personal Faith." There will be special music. A nursery is maintained for small children during the morning worship service.
All units of the MYF meet at 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship service, 7:30 p. m. Subject of the sermon: "When Life Gets Tough." Don't miss this sermon. Bring a friend.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 8 p. m.
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.

Temple Gethsemane
Assembly of God Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Evangelic Services at 2:30 p. m.
Young People's Services at 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday Prayer Service at 7:45 p. m.
Thursday Woman's C. M. F. Service at 7:45 p. m.
Saturday Evangelistic Service at 7:45 p. m.
Daniel Enriquez, Pastor

"Sweets to the sweet" was originally said by Shakespeare in the last act of Hamlet.

Weekly Sermon

Abraham — The Father of the Faithful
by M. Wilson McKenzie, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, Illinois

"Now the Lord had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee: And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing" (Gen. 12:1,2).

This was the command and promise of God to Abraham. God's commands are always accompanied with His blessing. Abraham, with his wife, Sarah, nephew Lot, and others, responded to God's command.

Later, Sarah and Abraham were promised a son in their old age, a thing which seemed impossible, humanly speaking. Sarah herself laughed when she heard that she was to have a son, but was rebuked by the Lord. "Is anything too hard for the Lord? At the time appointed I will return unto thee, according to the time of life, and Sarah shall have a son" (Gen. 18:14). This promise was fulfilled and Abraham and Sarah were blessed with a son whom they called Isaac.

A severe test of the faith and obedience of Abraham came several years later. "And it came to pass after these things that God did tempt Abraham and said unto him, Abraham; and he said, Behold, here I am. And he said, Take now thy son, thine only son, Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of" (Gen. 22:1-2). Early the next morning, Abraham saddled his ass. Taking two young men and his son, Isaac, with him, he prepared wood for the burnt offering. Arriving at the mountain where Isaac was to be offered, Abraham directed the young men to wait. "I and the lad will go yonder and worship, and come again to you," he informed them (Gen. 22:5). Isaac was bound and put on the altar with the wood. Abraham was obedient to the full, and stretched forth the knife to slay his son. Suddenly, the voice of the angel of the Lord called to Abraham. "Abraham, Abraham; and he said, Here am I." "Lay not thine hand upon the lad, neither do thou anything unto him: for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son, from me" (Gen. 22:11, 12). Looking up, Abraham saw a ram in the bushes, and catching the ram, he offered it up as a burnt offering.

Reader, do you know that God the Father went even farther than Abraham? He offered up His Son, His only Son, the Lord Jesus Christ to die on the cross for your sin and mine. Are you spurning this Saviour who came from the heart of God's love?

RIVERSIDE

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson of Levelland visited Grannie Huntley Friday morning. Fifty years ago the Huntley family lived on the Thompson farm north of Thalia.

Mrs. Ira Tole and son, Jerry, have returned from Dallas where they visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Josie Griffith. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Neill and son, Bill, have returned to their home at Monrovia, Calif., after visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, of this community.

Eldon Wayne Wheeler of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler.

Mrs. Truitt Neill of Monrovia, Calif., Mrs. Gus Neill and Mrs. Walter Long of Thalia visited in the Cap Adkins home Tuesday afternoon.

John Matus and sons, Johnnie and Charley, were business visitors to Munday, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Motl of Bomarton visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus, and family Wednesday. They were accompanied home by Frank Matus.

Kay, Judith and Frankie Cribbs visited their sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tillery, of South Vernon Saturday night.

Deborah Lee Adkins, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins of Fort Worth, spent from Saturday until Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ignace Hostas of Seymour spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Johnnie Matus, and family.

Robert and Charley Matus visited in Bomarton Thursday and Friday.

John Matus visited his son, Rudolph, and family of Red Springs Thursday and also visited in Seymour.

Mrs. John S. Ray and mother, Mrs. W. A. Mussetter, have returned from a vacation trip through the Ozarks and to La Grange, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Feemster of Stamford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs, and her sister, Mrs. Bob Tillery, and family of South Vernon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and son, Jimmy, spent the week end in San Antonio. Jimmy remained and plans to attend a chiropractic college this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins spent a while Monday with his parents, en route to their home at Fort Worth. They had spent the week end with relatives in Amarillo and Phillips.

The seventh birthday of Jerry

Biggest Sheep and Angora Goat Show Assured for State Fair

The biggest sheep and Angora goat show in history is already assured for Oct. 7-15, during the Mid-Century Exposition of the 1950 State Fair of Texas. Ray W. Wilson, livestock department manager, has announced.

Due to the importance of the sheep and Angora goat industries in Texas, the State Fair is putting more emphasis on these two great factors in the states economy during the 1950 Fair, Wilson said.

The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association will sponsor an exhibit in the Agriculture Building showing the value of sheep in a diversified farm program. The exhibit will feature a live fine wool lamb and an Angora goat kid. Wool and mohair fabrics will be shown as well as raw and scoured wool.

Premiums total \$3773 for the show. Included are special awards by the American Hampshire Sheep Association, the American Shropshire Association, the American Suffolk Sheep Association, the National Suffolk Sheep Association and the American Angora Goat Association.

W. L. Stangel, Lubbock, is general superintendent of the Mid-Century Livestock Exposition. J. F. Heath, Argyle, is superintendent of the Sheep and Angora Goat division.

Judging dates are: Monday, Oct. 9, Hampshire and Shropshire sheep; Tuesday, Oct. 10, South-down and Suffolk sheep; Wednesday, Oct. 11, Rambouillet and Delaine-Merino sheep; Thursday, Oct. 12, Angora goats.

Premiums in all divisions of the Mid-Century Livestock Exposition total \$72,659. Other shows include beef cattle, dairy cattle, horses, swine and Junior Livestock.

Women first achieved suffrage in the state of Wyoming.

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FOOD TRENDS

During World War II as compared with World War I, Americans consumed 10 to 15 per cent more food per person. Diets included more of such "shortage" items as meats, sugars, fats and coffee, as well as more eggs, dairy products, vegetables, and fruits. The food supply was richer in calcium, iron, vitamin A, vitamin C, and B-vitamins riboflavin and niacin. Throughout a 37 year period, the calcium, riboflavin and vitamins A and C in the food supply increased steadily. On the other hand, protein, iron, and B-vitamins niacin and thiamine declined from 1909 to the mid-thirties, then took an upward swing with increasing meat consumption and enrichment of grain products.

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Wanted — Couple to care for my lady, to share home or consider being taken to home caretaker. Will pay reasonable to right party.—See Bob Abston or Tom Abston. 6-2tp

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Meets tonight (Thursday) at 8 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.
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H. E. HILBURN, Secretary.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, Sept. 23, 8 p. m.
Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.

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IRA TOLE, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE
meets the second and last Friday's of month at I. O. O. F. Hall at 8:00 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. Sept. 11, 7:30 p. m.
Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

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W. B. CARTER, 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

ABSOLUTELY NO TRESPASSING on Roy M. Fox land. Reason for closing—leaving gates down and mistreatment of property. Violators will be prosecuted.—Roy M. Fox. 52-tfc

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

TRESPASS NOTICE—No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Johnnie Fay Easley. 46-1-1-51.

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

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

NO TRESPASSING of any kind on Carrie G. Crawford land, 3 miles southwest of Thalia. No trash dumping.—Mrs. T. N. Bell. 28-23tp

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

NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on land belonging to me.—Dr. J. M. Hill. 39-tfc

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

TRESPASS NOTICE—No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on any of my land.—T. R. Cates, Thalia, Texas. 25-52tp

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

MILK CONSUMPTION
In American cities, from 14 to 58 per cent more milk is being consumed now than in 1940.

TRUSCOTT

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short of Wichita, Kansas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Solomon, and Mrs. Gene Whitaker and daughter, Gene Ann, of Houston spent from Saturday until Monday visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynie and daughter, Anna, Mrs. Faulkner and daughter, Oma, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker.

Calvin Thomas Blevins of Fort Worth spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins. Grandma Caddell was taken to the Knox City Hospital last week for treatment and was returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tarpley and two sons, Danny Jr. and Stephen, of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Abbott and daughter, Linda, of San Angelo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley.

Miss Lela Jones left Thursday for Stamford where she will be employed as a teacher in the school there.

Miss Oma Faulkner, Miss Ann Haynie and Mrs. W. T. Blevins were in Vernon Friday.

Mrs. Guyann Hickman spent several days last week visiting her sister at Spur.

George Solomon took his grandson, Sammie Abbott, to his home at San Angelo last week and visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abbott, and daughter, Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Browder and daughters, Opal Jean and Carla Jo, and son, Eddie Carl, returned from visiting Mr. Browder's daughter at Rhome several weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hudson took their little son, Carl Wayne, to the Crowell hospital for treatment Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and sons visited relatives at Clarendon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blevins and sons, Calvin and Stephen, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins and daughter, Lee Ann, of Vernon spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner and daughter, Winnie Sue, visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Linden Turner and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Turner at Amarillo. Winnie Sue entered a nurses' training school in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Adair Wrather visited Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lynch of Chillicothe over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley returned last week from a vacation

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-Society-

MRS. T. B. KLEPPER, EDITOR
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Miss Mary Jo Brock and Charles S. Branch Exchange Marriage Vows in First Baptist Church Saturday Evening

Before an altar improvised of tall baskets of white gladioli and greenery and flanked by wrought iron candelabra in the First Baptist Church on Saturday evening, August 2, the marriage of Miss Mary Jo Brock, daughter of Mrs. J. L. Brock Sr. and the late Mr. Brock, and Charles S. Branch, son of Mrs. C. W. Branch and the late Mr. Branch, was solemnized in a pretty double-ring wedding ceremony performed by Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church.

Miss Betty Barker was pianist and Mrs. J. L. Brock Jr. of Spearman was vocalist. Miss Barker played "The Indian Love Call" as pre-nuptial music and accompanied Mrs. Brock who sang "Always" and "Through the Years." Both were attired in frocks of pink satin and taffeta and each wore a white carnation corsage.

Alton Griffin and Ray Tamplen were ushers and Misses Ora Mae Fox and Betty Brock, sister of the bride, lighted the candles. They wore similar dresses of pale pink moire taffeta and corsages of white carnations.

Miss Marjorie Brock was maid of honor to her sister and wore a gown made in the same fashion as the bride's, of pale blue moire taffeta and carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations.

EASTERN STAR

February, 1950, was the 100th anniversary of the organization of the Order of Eastern Star by Robert Morris, and, since he was born in August, it is fittingly proper that he be honored in that month. Crowell Chapter 916 in its regular meeting on August 22 presented the following program: "The Life of Robert Morris," Mrs. Gordon Erwin; "The Level and the Square," one of Robert Morris' poems, Mrs. George Carille; a solo, "Beyond the Sunset," Mrs. C. B. Graham.

During the business hour, Mrs. George Carille was elected Associate Conductress to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Roy Hunt. The Worthy Matron appointed Mrs. G. R. Choate as Electa; Mrs. G. L. Cole as Warder and W. R. Moore as Sentinel. These officers were installed with Mrs. J. A. Stovall acting as Installing Worthy Matron and Mrs. G. C. Phillips as Installing Marshal.

During the social hour, Mrs. Grover Cole served bottled drinks and cookies.

Open House Honors Cpl. and Mrs. Wm. E. Irvin Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Magee were hosts at "Open House" from 6 until 8 on Sunday, September 3rd to honor their son and his bride of a month, Cpl. and Mrs. Wm. E. Irvin, of San Antonio in the home of Mrs. T. N. Bell.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mr. Magee and Joe M. Magee, of Pampa, father and cousin of the groom, and were presented to the honor guests by Mrs. Magee, mother of the groom. Miss Joyzell Thomson registered the guests in the bride's book.

The refreshment table was covered with a white embroidered cloth laid over pale green. The centerpiece was composed of two wedding bells covered with small white asters. The clappers of the bells were golden baby mums. The bells were placed on a reflector and were tied with a gold and pale green lacedon bow. The wedding cake, a three tiered white cake frosted with pale green and gold roses, was first cut by the honorees and then cut for the guests by Mrs. H. E. Thomson. The frosted punch was poured by Mrs. Alva Spencer and Mrs. Harold Thomson. Further assisting in the dining room service were Mrs. J. W. Sollis and Mrs. Joe M. Magee of Pampa. All members of the house party wore corsages of white asters tied with gold ribbon.

The bride wore her wedding dress of toast lace and chiffon. Her corsage was of green baby mums. Mrs. Spencer took pictures of the honored couple. In the entertaining suite, arrangements of white gladioli and gold and white asters predominated. These were wired to the couple by the groom's aunt, Mrs. A. Ikigami, of Reno, Nevada, for the occasion.

A large number of guests enjoyed the hospitality of the host and hostess.

Miss Halencak and Nile Bryant Are Wed on Sept. 2nd

Miss Josephine Halencak and Nile Bryant were married in Vernon on Sept. 2, at 9 a. m. with Rev. Edward Shopka officiating with the single-ring ceremony.

The bride wore a light blue marquisette over taffeta dress with which she wore brown and white accessories. She completed her ensemble with a carnation corsage. She carried a handkerchief 38 years old which had been given her mother by her father. She followed the tradition of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halencak of the Margaret community and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bryant of Truscott. Mrs. Bryant is a graduate of Crowell High School of 1950 and Mr. Bryant is a graduate of Benjamin High School and is now employed by the Santa Fe Railway Co. The couple will reside in Truscott.

Son of Local Couple Marries Here Aug. 19

John Adrian Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Brown, of the Good Creek community, was married to Miss Laverne Irons of Clairmont, Texas, in the home of Rev. Clark Brown of Crowell, who performed the ceremony on Aug. 19.

The young couple returned immediately to Andrews where the groom is employed on a ranch and where they will make their home.

The wedding was attended by the immediate family and a few other relatives and friends.

PICNIC SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wright, who with their two sons, Jake and Paul, and Mrs. Laura Giddings, of Vernon had spent last week at the Minnick Ranch, invited friends of Crowell to a get-together and a covered dish picnic supper at the ranch on Sunday evening, between the hours of 4 and 7. In spite of the rainy weather, a number of friends enjoyed an evening of informal pleasure.

An object in possession seldom retains the same charm that it had in pursuit.—Younger.



Elizabeth Taylor, as an amateur psychiatrist, is about to experiment on Van Johnson's curious allergy to alcoholic spirits in this scene from "The Big Hangover," M-G-M's novel comedy coming to the Rialto Theatre. The new laugh hit was written, directed and produced by Norman Krasna.

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. George Hay and son, Aubrey, of Waco and daughter, Mrs. Bob Thoreson and son, Jackie, of Chicago, Ill., who were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Steele, were honored on Sunday at a family reunion of Mrs. Hay's and Mrs. Steele's family.

Relatives gathered at the Steele home for a dinner at the noon hour, at which twenty-five were present. Others came for a visit in the afternoon. Another sister of Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Frank Long, who was ill in a Vernon hospital, was visited by several of the group on Sunday afternoon.

TRUSCOTT SUB-DEB CLUB

By the soft glow of candlelight, eight girls were formally initiated into the Truscott Sub-Deb Club on Wednesday evening, August 30, at 7 o'clock in the home of Misses Clara and Norma Jones. Miss Mary Lou Woods, president, directed the ceremony.

Lovely corsages were presented by the old members to the new ones. All the young ladies wore formal gowns.

Following the initiation ceremony, the club officers for the coming year were installed by the club sponsor, Mrs. Q. D. Williams. The officers are Mary Woods, president; Elba Caddell, vice president; Pat Owens, secretary and treasurer; Melba Coker, program chairman and Nora Lee Davidson, parliamentarian.

Dinner was served to the eight pledges and eight members at quarter tables which were covered with white linen cloths and centered with bowls of pink roses. Pledges include Melba Coker, Nora Lee Davidson, Ann Haynie, Martha Ohr, Nettie Black, Jamille Caram, and Jean Kile. The other members present were Camille Todd, Winnie Sue Turner, Pat Owens, Peggy Traweck, Elba Caddell, Mary Lou Woods, Clara Jones, Norma Jones and Mrs. Q. D. Williams, the sponsor.

The Sub-Deb Club is beginning its eighth year of work as an organization for teen-age girls in Truscott. They have always been leaders in civic and social activities in their community. They are now making plans to continue on an increased scale since the acquisition of a Truscott Community House.

The feeling is that the people of this country are in for a several years' hard pull as a result of the outbreak in Korea. If the present difficulty ends with the outcome in Korea we are in for a long period of military preparedness to equip this nation to meet the eventual decision with Russia. The Korea affair has brought the realization that considering disturbing world conditions we have been woefully lax in the matter of military preparedness and must make up for our failure to see conditions realistically.

Remember this, that very little is needed to make a happy life.—Marcus Aurelius.

Square Dance Teams to Compete at T-O Fair October 6-7

Iowa Park, Texas, September 6 (Special)—"Do-si-do and a little more do, chicken in the bread pan kickin' out dough" — and the whomp of the bass fiddle will be heard by the several thousand spectators during the Southwest Championship Square Dance contest that will be held Oct. 6-7 during the Texas-Oklahoma Fair in Iowa Park.

Some of the best square dance teams in this section are expected to compete for the \$500 prize money to be awarded in this contest. Entries are now being accepted by Winfield Beard of Archer City, chairman. No entry fee is charged and entries must be in by Oct. 1. Each team will furnish its own caller and will be allowed

eight minutes dancing time. Each individual entering contest also will be eligible for numerous merchandise prizes donated by merchants and manufacturers of the southwest interested in perpetuating the traditional dance. Teams will be notified of the dancing number four days before the contest. The first half of the contest will be run on Friday evening with the remainder and final on Saturday evening in the outdoor theater.

MAKE FLOOR PLANS

Before installing electricity the house, barn, or other building first make floor plans showing location of the light fixtures and outlets, suggests Joseph McCann, Penn State extension agricultural engineer.

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The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Hines Clark on Monday afternoon in a social meeting and lesson study. Mrs. T. L. Huganston, Mrs. J. H. Minnick and Miss Dine Mitchell were joint hostesses with Mrs. Clark.

After the call to worship and opening song, Mrs. H. E. Thomson gave the devotional on the subject, "Health Through a Brotherhood of Nations." Mrs. Thomson said that it is not merely physical health that must be sought, but God's gift of abundant life, wholeness of body, mind and spirit. If each of us would be willing to work, pray and give, sacrificially, we would possess this wholeness of health, she stated.

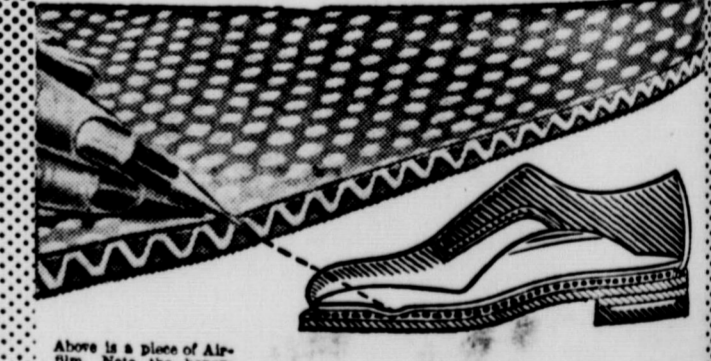
Mrs. A. C. Haynes was leader of the study and discussed the wholeness of life, which consists of mental, spiritual and physical. Food, rest, cleanliness and right attitudes affect an individual's life, said Mrs. Haynes. She stressed the fact that parents are responsible for the development of the child's whole personality. Development of prayer life in the home has much to do with the welfare of the home, the church, the community and the nation, continued Mrs. Haynes.

Mrs. A. Y. Beverly dismissed the meeting with prayer. The hostesses served delicious refreshments to fourteen members.

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