

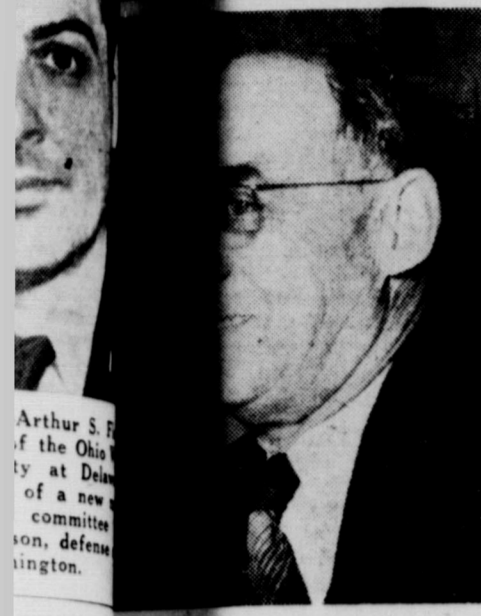
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C. R. (JACK) SEALE



E. J. (JACK) WHITAKER

## West Texas Utilities Company's Local Managers at Crowell and Truscott Complete Twenty-Five Years of Service

A recommendation to R. M. Wolfe, West Texas Utilities Co. local manager, E. J. (Jack) Whitaker, by a mutual friend back in 1925 was the start of a quarter of a century of service with West Texas Utilities Company. C. R. (Jack) Seale, Crowell local manager, Mr. Wolfe wrote him a job and after the appointment had been filled out and returned to Abilene, Seale resigned his job with the Oklahoma Gas & Electric Company and came to Abilene. During the past twenty-five years he has been employed by the company in practically every district, and is now a member of the WTU "Quarter of A Century Club."

Seale was born in Montgomery County, Missouri, in 1902, and moved to Apache, Okla., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Seale, while he was still a small boy. He attended the public schools here, was graduated from Apache High School, and enrolled in a business college in Oklahoma City. In 1923 he was employed by the Oklahoma Gas & Electric Company in the stores department, and was working at Poteau when he was transferred to Crowell.

The Crowell local manager began his 25-year career with WTU in 1925 when he was

West Texas Utilities Co.'s Truscott local manager, E. J. (Jack) Whitaker, has been working in the public utility business since 1918, and for the past twenty-five years he has been employed by the company as a lineman, substation operator and local manager. He has served as local manager at Truscott since 1932 except for the year and one half he was working in Rankin and Munday. His name has been added to the roster of the WTU "Quarter of A Century Club."

Whitaker was born in Williamson County, Texas, in 1892, and moved to Brownwood with his parents when he was seven years of age. The family later moved to Ballinger, where he attended the public schools.

In 1911 he was employed by the Texas Compress Company, and later worked for Western Union, which was his first experience in climbing poles. Seven years later he moved to Brownwood where he was employed as a lineman by the West Texas Telephone Company. In 1923 he returned to Ballinger to accept a job as a lineman for the Ballinger Electric Company.

His twenty-five year career with WTU began in 1925 when he was

## New Club House at Spring Lake Country Club Has Been Finished Recently

The new club house of the Spring Lake Country Club has been completed and has been used already for several social functions. The building, purchased from Guy Crews at about \$1,000 less than its market value, has been completely redone inside and out. The outside of the club house is painted cherry red with a white roof. The main recreation room is 30 by 40 feet in size, with hardwood floors, and the walls finished in acoustical board and a Celotex ceiling. The kitchenette, which joins the recreation room on the north and separated from it by a refreshment counter, is 10 by 12 feet in size. It is equipped with a butane refrigerator and a new butane cook stove. The sink in the kitchen is equipped with running water. All woodwork in the building is finished in white.

The concrete basement is 20 by 40 feet in size and will be used for a locker room for golfers and fishermen. The excavation work for the basement was furnished by Henry Campbell, whose heavy equipment was used.

The water for the house is obtained from a shallow well just north of the structure and is plentiful and soft. It is pumped into the building by an automatic electric water pump which maintains a constant pressure of 30 pounds.

The club house has a concrete foundation and a concrete front porch.

The butane for the heating of the building and the kitchen appliances comes from a 300-gallon tank north of the building.

## Schedule for CHS Spring Sports Is Announced

Coaches Thayne Amonett, Gordon Erwin and Glen Taylor are working out forty-five boys each afternoon in spring sports. This is the first time in several years that class A schools have been allowed to have spring football. The Crowell boys were late in getting started in the football due to the play-off games in basketball. They got started last Thursday and will continue until March 30th.

The following thirty boys are reporting daily to Coaches Amonett and Taylor for football: Jim Paul Norman, Ginger Johnson, Leon Pechacek, Billy Johnson, Glyndon Johnson, Billy Abston, Robert Brock, Lee Roy Rice, Billy Latimer, James Pittillo, James Denton, Raymond Halecack, Don Gobin, Jimmy Everson, Fred Barker, Buddy Caddell, Fred Borchardt, Joe Don Thompson, George Scott, Jack Sellers, Coy Payne, Duane Cates, L. C. Gordon, Martin Langham, Gerry Knox, Jimmy Harper, Gordon Graves, Robert Kincaid, DuWayne Elliott, and Don Smith. Only four of these boys were regulars last fall. The last six mentioned played on the Grade School team but will be eligible for the High School team next season.

Coach Erwin is working out twelve boys for baseball: Hack Norman, A. L. McGinnis, Clinton Marlow, Billy Marlow, James Hall, Roy Whitley, Doyle McNeese, Leonard Myers, Jimmy Woods, Gene Paul Pogue, Jon Sanders and Jimmy Stinebaugh.

Eleven of the football boys will report for baseball as soon as the month of football training is over. Several of the boys who are working out for football and baseball are also working on track on the side. In addition to the three that have been mentioned, three others, Gordon Wood Bell, Buster Laquey and Jimmy Rasberry, are working on track.

## Passes 92nd Birthday



Mrs. E. E. Chapman, resident of Crowell for many years, and mother of Jesse Chapman and Mrs. Hayden Ford, was given a birthday party at the home of her son on Monday, Feb. 23, to celebrate her 92nd birthday. Thirteen guests were present and refreshments were served by Mrs. Hayden Ford, Mrs. Jesse Chapman and Mrs. G. R. Webster. Relatives and friends dropped in during the day to extend best wishes.

Mrs. Chapman has three children, but only the two who live in Crowell could attend the celebration. She has been in fairly good health the past year considering her advanced age.

At her request the guests sang her favorite songs, "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder," "Precious Memories," and "Where We'll Never Grow Old."

Mrs. Chapman deeply appreciates the many nice gifts presented to her on this occasion.

## Foard County Goes Over the Top in Annual Red Cross Fund-Raising Drive; \$1394.90 Raised with \$775.00 Quota

With a quota of \$775 to be raised in Foard County for the 1951 Red Cross drive, workers here raised \$1394.90 last week. Officials in charge, Leon Speer and Ray Shirley, announced that the quota was raised in about 2 hours last Thursday morning, following the kick-off breakfast for workers at 8 a. m. Mr. Speer, fund drive chairman, stated that although the quota had been raised, the drive continues through the month of March and anyone who has not been contacted during the campaign, can make donations to him or to Ray Shirley, county chairman.

Workers in the Crowell business district raised \$373.40, and include the following: Mrs. Merl Kincaid, captain; Mrs. Ray Shirley, Mrs. Fred Youree, Mrs. Jack Seale, Mrs. Fred Thompson, Mrs. Leon Speer, Mrs. Henry Borchardt, Mrs. Mike Rasberry and Mrs. J. H. Barnebee Jr.

The court house, with L. A. Andrews as worker, raised \$44.25. The Crowell Schools, with J. W. Sollis in charge, raised \$36.00. Special gifts, with J. R. Beverly as leader, raised \$128.00.

Corporations, Jack Seale, worker, raised \$72.50.

The residential section, with Mrs. Henry Borchardt in charge, raised \$113.75. Club girls who assisted Mrs. Borchardt are Maurine Youree, Betty Barker, Jean Hughtson, Carolyn Bell, Rozella Autry, Mildred Tamplen, George Ann Davis and Marcia Kincaid.

The Vivian community, with Mrs. Otis Gafford, captain and Karl ten Brink of the Texas Co. raised \$95.00.

C. N. Barker was captain for the Good Creek and Claytonville communities which raised \$31.50. The Black community raised \$49.50. R. L. Pechacek and Cecil Carroll were captains.

L. B. Smith captain of the Four Corners drive, reported \$82.00. Margaret, with Cecil Ray Moore in charge, raised \$29.50.

Rayland and Riverside reported \$177.00. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher, Roy Martin and Mrs. Roy Ayers were workers in those communities.

Thalia, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, reported \$82.00 raised in that community. J. C. Rader, captain of the Foard City drive, reported \$80.50 raised in that community.

Mr. Shirley and Mr. Speer were notified by telegram this week that Foard County was second in the state to reach its quota, and also 7th in this Red Cross area, which comprises several states.

## News About Our Men in Service

Pvt. Weldon C. Pierce, 21, US 54039520, Btry. C, 114 F. A. B. N., 31st Div., Fort Jackson, S. C., was inducted into the service on Feb. 15, 1951, at Fort Sill, Okla. After spending five days at Fort Sill, he was transferred to Fort Jackson where he is taking his basic training. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Pierce of the Vivian community.

Cpl. Robert C. Carroll is back at the front in Korea after spending two months in a hospital in Tokyo, Japan, and he is now feeling fine, according to a letter received recently by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carroll, of the Good Creek community. He has been awarded both the Silver Star and the Bronze Star medals. His new address is Cpl. Robert C. Carroll, RA19322786, Co. H, 9th Infantry Regt., Unit 1, APO 248, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Joe H. Seales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Seales of Crowell, was transferred last week from Camp Chaffee, Ark., to Fort Sill, Okla. His new address is Pvt. Joe H. Seales, U. S. 54028943, Btry. A, 1st F. A. Tng. Bn., 1st F. A. Tng. G. P., F. A. R. T. C., Fort Sill, Okla.

The new address of Pvt. Roy Joe Cates, A. F. is 18399789, 3460th Student Sqdn., Btn., 391, F. E. Warren, A. F. B., Wyo. Pvt. Cates entered the Air Force at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio in January, where he took his basic training. He is the son of Mrs. Frank Cates of Crowell.

## Meeting Held to Organize Cub Scout Program Here

At a meeting held Tuesday night in the High School auditorium, four Dens of Cub Scouts were organized with the following ladies to serve as Den Mothers and assistants:

Den 1: Mrs. John White, Den Mother; Mrs. Eugene Owens, assistant Den Mother.

Den 2: Mrs. Parker Churchill, Den Mother; Mrs. Jack Lyons and Mrs. W. C. Smith, assistant Den Mothers.

Den 3: Mrs. Buster Cates, Den Mother; Mrs. Guy Morgan, assistant Den Mother.

Den 4: Mrs. Winnie Brown, Den Mother; Mrs. Henry Fish, assistant Den Mother.

Each Den will meet at the home once a week with the first meeting slated for next week. Once a month a Pack meeting of all the Dens will be held at the Community House.

Luke Archer will serve as Cub Master.

## Revival to Be Held March 12-18 at Margaret Church

A revival meeting will start at the Methodist Church in Margaret on Monday, March 12, and will continue through Sunday, March 18, it was announced Monday by the pastor, Rev. Clark Campbell.

Rev. J. W. Fielder of Grand Prairie has been engaged to do the preaching. Services will be held in the evening only, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Campbell is the new pastor of the Margaret and Thalia Methodist Churches, who was secured by Rev. Tom M. Johnston, district superintendent of Vernon, to take the place of Rev. E. R. McGregor, who was transferred to Booker, Texas.

## BIBLE STUDY COURSE

Rev. Carl Hudson, pastor of the Methodist Churches at Truscott and Foard City, announced this week that he will conduct a Bible study course at the Foard City church every Wednesday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, at which time the Four Gospels will be studied.

Everyone is invited to attend, Rev. Hudson stated.

## LIONS CLUB MEETING

A large group of Lions enjoyed having as their guests Tuesday the Wildcat basketball team, their coaching staff, and Mrs. Ray Shirley, who outlined plans for our "Youth Week" which is to be the week of April 29 through May 5.

## Saturday Night Damages Grocery Store and Fixtures of Fox-Thompson Store; Building Also Damaged

What was discovered in the Fox-Thompson Grocery Store about Saturday night did an estimated damage of close to \$15,000 to the stock, fixtures and the building.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Kenneth Fox, manager of the store, was closing the store Saturday night, his attention was attracted to a small blaze in the building and he immediately gave the fire alarm.

The fire department was on the job within a few minutes and it took about one and one-half hours to get the fire extinguished.

Insurance was carried on both the grocery stock and fixtures and the building. The building is owned by Mrs. Alyene Graham, who has made a liberal donation to the Fire Department for their excellent work in extinguishing the blaze.

## Commissions for Officers of Foard County Issued

Commissions for all Foard County precinct officials were recently by the office of Secretary of State John Ben Sheppard. County Judge Leslie Thompson, according to a special notice from the Texas Department of State under date of March 1, 1951.

## Soil Conservation News of District

Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District Board, W. C. Howard, Grady, Halbert, O. T. Holmes, O. H. Brandon, H. L. Ayers.

## Grass of the Month

Western wheat grass is the grass of the month for March. This grass is one of the best of our cool season grasses. It begins growth during the winter but most of its forage is produced during the spring.

Western wheat grass is a high protein, succulent, forage. Cattle graze it readily and good gains are made on it. It is found throughout the district. It is more common on bottom lands, creeks, draws and lower areas. The percentage of this grass has increased rapidly during the past ten years. It has moved in from northern areas.

Several district cooperators have seeded bottom fields to this grass. It is excellent grazing to use after pulling off of wheat pasture. Western wheat usually produces seed and becomes dormant in May or early June. A sample of this grass can be seen in the lobby of the Crowell State Bank.

## GARDEN CLUB TO MEET

The Crowell Garden Club will have a covered dish luncheon at its regular meeting Friday at 11 o'clock at the community house. Officers for the coming year will be elected at this meeting.

Warren G. Harding was the first U. S. President to speak over the radio.

## GRASS FIRES

Crowell Volunteer Fire Department was called to grass fire Saturday morning in the part of town and Tuesday

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Lula Ramey of Fort Worth, Mrs. Pap Campbell of Willsboro and Ellis Gafford of Sulphur Springs and Mrs. C. E. Gafford, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gafford, Mrs. Moody Bursley and Mrs. George Davis of Crowell and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds of Thalia attended the funeral of Mrs. Susie Jackson, their sister and aunt, at Afton Wednesday of last week. Rev. Bob Jameson, a former Foard County resident, conducted the services.

## ROTARY CLUB

Mrs. Ray Shirley outlined the program of Boys and Girls Week to be observed here in April and May, at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club at the Club Cafe.

Visitors at the meeting were John Rasor of Vernon and Tom McCandless, new owner of the Ben Franklin Store. Henry Ferguson, who has been in San Antonio for some time, was also present.

With Decker Magee in charge of the program, Henry Black, principal of Crowell High School, and instructor of the course in automobile driving in the school, made a very interesting talk and gave demonstrations with instruments used in teaching the course. This program was given in observance of "Public School Week."

## ENROLLED IN H. S. U.

Richard Lewis Ballard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ballard of Crowell, is one of the 1400 students who are enrolled this spring at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, it was announced this week by the College News Bureau. Opening classes began Jan. 31 and will continue through May 28. University officials report a decrease of approximately 200 from the fall semester, largely due to men being called to the armed services.

## DRY HOLE

British American Production No. 1 Jesse Herring Johnson, a wildcat in section 5, block O, H & GN Ry. Co. survey, 20 miles southwest of Crowell in Foard County, has been abandoned as a dry hole at a total depth of 6,581 feet in dolomite.

## PURCHASE FARM

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones have moved to the farm purchased recently from T. C. Parks by Mr. Jones and his father, J. C. Jones, of Thalia. The farm is located about two miles northwest of Crowell.

## Spring Lake Country Club House



## HOSPITAL NOTES

**Foard County Hospital**

Patients In:

C. C. Wheeler  
Mrs. F. E. Davidson  
Ed Payne  
Mrs. J. R. Russell  
Mrs. W. A. Cogdell  
Mrs. Floyd Latimer  
Mrs. J. A. Stovall  
Mrs. Arnold Rucker

Patients Dismissed:

Mrs. Gordon Erwin  
Kenneth Fox  
Mrs. Ray Baty  
Mrs. Charles Sparkman and infant son  
Tom Goodman  
Mrs. Henry Jones  
Jantha Pyle

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin attended the funeral of Will Kiser, 72, at Hale Center Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Kiser was an uncle of Mrs. Griffin and had visited here many times. He was employed as a cow puncher by Burk Burnett when a young man and was a personal friend of the late Charley Hart.

Survivors include his wife and three daughters.

## CEMETERY REPORT

The following have contributed to the up-keep of the Crowell Cemetery since the last report, according to figures released by Mrs. N. J. Roberts, president:

Neil Patton, Dallas, \$5.00; R. D. Fox, \$10.00; Owen Baker, \$5.00; Rob Banister, \$5.00; Frankie Kirkpatrick, \$10.00; J. G. Cooper, \$2.50 and Roy Steele, \$25.00.

## Cotton Seed Treatment Recommended



ANGULAR LEAF SPOT or bacterial blight can be stopped

MORE and BETTER COTTON

Angular leaf spot, bacterial blight, boll rot, vein blight or black arm. These are all names for the same thing, and they all mean bad news for you as a cotton grower. The blight causes death of seedlings, defoliation or loss of leaves from the plant, and shedding or rotting of bolls. It all adds up to less cotton per acre.

As the name shows, it is caused by bacteria. The germs live in the seeds, and grow up in the cotton plant to cause various harmful results.

Clearly the way to wipe out this disease is to plant disease-free seeds. You can make sure that your cotton seeds do not carry the disease germs by killing the bacteria before you plant, using an organic mercury dust. You can do this on your own premises, or have it

done by the seed treating service of your local gin or seed supplier. The chemical costs less than 10¢ per acre. Other control methods include delimiting of seeds with sulphuric acid or by hydrochloric acid gas. These are harder to apply, but also effective.

Because wind-blown rain spreads bacterial blight readily from one field to another, its control is a job that all the planters in an area should do together. Otherwise one field planted with untreated seed might re-infect all the others. It will pay every planter to stamp out bacterial blight in his fields. Planting seed that has been mercury dust-treated will not only reduce this disease, but will reduce seed decay and damping-off (soil born organisms, too.

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### THALIA MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harrison of Knox City visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Powers Tuesday of last week.

Lowell McKinley and family of Texhoma visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley, last Friday night.

Dale Thorn and wife of Portales, N. M., were Thalia visitors Wednesday.

Bill Short of Burk Burnett visited his brother, G. C. Short, and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway of Five-in-One, Herschell Butler and family of Chillicothe and J. L. McBeath and wife from Vera were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler Sunday.

Bud Luckie and family from Millsap, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Luckie of Stamford visited their brother and son, Raymond Luckie, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Roberts have been visiting their daughter,

Mrs. Raymond Oliver, and family in Hale Center.

Louie Carroll of Hugo, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. Ira Temple, here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Henry went to Eloy, Ariz., last week after Mrs. Buster Henry and children after Mr. Henry had passed away.

The funeral was held in Quannah last Friday. Those attending from Thalia were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds, Ramona Hammonds and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle.

Quite a number of friends from Thalia visited Mrs. J. A. Stovall in the Crowell hospital Sunday afternoon. They also visited C. C. Wheeler, who has been in the hospital the past several months.

Claude Callaway of Crowell gave the Laymen's Day address at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning, which was very interesting and inspirational to all who heard it.

Norman Gray of Hereford was here last week and his mother,

Mrs. H. W. Gray, returned home with him for a few days visit.

Rev. H. E. Gregory of Odessa is visiting in the Rev. H. N. Estes' home and conducting a meeting at the Baptist Church here this week.

Billy Johnson, student at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews Jr. of Wichita Falls recently visited in the Robert Long home.

M-Set. Paul Payne and wife have returned to Fort Knox, Ky., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne, here.

Raymond Eden moved his family to Amarillo last week and the Raymond Luckie family moved into the Allen Shultz house vacated by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McCarty and sons have moved to Vernon where he is employed with the Coca Cola Bottling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lindsey of South Lockett visited Buddie Lindsey Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey visited Mrs. W. E. Pigg, Mrs. J. L. Rennels and Mrs. J. A. Stovall in Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Norma L. Hudgens and son, Jo Billy, of Vernon were dinner guests of Mrs. Ruth Hammonds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath and sons, Lindell and James, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bell at the Waggoner Ranch Sunday.

Glen Gable and Jimmie Mason of Wichita Falls spent the week end in their homes here.

Bill Swan and family from Big Spring spent the week end with his parents, the H. L. Swans.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Railsback of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rodgers of Electra visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback, Sunday.

Cap Morris of Clarendon spent Sunday night in the J. M. Jackson home.

Floyd Oliver of Vernon spent the week end with his parents, the Eudale Olivers.

Mrs. S. B. Halbert of Mineral Wells, Mrs. J. R. Halbert and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. Alton P. Jones and sons, all of Burk Burnett were recent guests in the F. W. Butler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan visited Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hale in Wichita Falls Friday.

J. M. Jackson and son, David, took Mrs. Jackson to Wichita Falls Sunday where she took a train for Tuscaloosa, Ala., to visit relatives. They visited C. B. Morris Jr. while in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love of Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. Foy McRae Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wilson and Mrs. E. E. Broadus were Quannah visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan visited her sister, Mrs. S. R. Taylor, and family in Denton last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eley and daughter of Vernon visited the Roy Shultz family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Wood of Iowa Park spent Monday night in the home of his brother, C. H. Wood, and wife.

Billy Dee Powers has recently returned home from Melrose, N. M., where he had been working. He is now helping his father, Dee Powers, in his filling station.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Estes, Mrs. W. P. Fewell, Mrs. Mack Gamble, Mrs. G. B. Neill, Mrs. Walter Ramsey and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble attended the district convention of the Baptist General Convention at Electra Thursday, March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hix of Borger visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Edens Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ira Temple has returned home after spending the past two months in the home of her son, Bud Temple, in Borger.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Estes visited in Fort Worth last week. Her sister, Mrs. W. P. Fewell, who had been visiting there, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Earl Lynch, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomson of Crowell, were Quannah visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ruddell Porter and children and Mrs. Flora Belle Arrington and daughter visited their sister, Mrs. Thad Hopkins, and family in Foard City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jones and daughter of Crowell were dinner guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Jones, Sunday.

O. C. Hammonds and Malcolm Shugart of Odell were Thalia visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Mack Edens and mother, Mrs. Ira Temple, visited Mrs. J. C. Taylor in a Vernon hospital Sunday afternoon. They also visited Mrs. Dean Hawkins in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Owens and sons of Crowell were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble Sunday.

### FOARD CITY PAULINE WHEELER

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker and Mrs. P. D. Ferguson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dean McClain of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lilly and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, visited J. T. Denton and family of Wichita Falls Saturday. Mr. Lilly visited Tom Callaway, who is in the hospital there and is reported to be recovering nicely.

Mrs. Virgil Johnson, Mrs. Jack Welch, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mrs. Roy Ferguson and Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Moody Bursey of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daniels and children, Ruth and Billy, enter-

tained a large group of young people at their home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ferguson and children, Larry and Benny, made a business trip to Vernon last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and sons and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks and daughter of Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and family and Jimmy Jones of Truscott were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson last Tuesday night.

R. B. Lilly and Fred Trawick were visitors in Quannah Friday.

Danny Callaway of Crowell spent Friday night and Saturday with De Anna Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and children made a business trip to Vernon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Denton and sons, Jimmy and Bobby, of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and family of Truscott and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mr. and Mrs. Eli Wallace of Quannah Wednesday night.

P. D. Ferguson and children visited in Truscott and Benjamin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children, Paulette and Larry, of Thalia and Luther Marlow, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Rader visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson Thursday night.

Leta Meel and George Scott, Katie Sue Polk, Gaylon Whitley, Rudy and Joyce Hinkle, all of Crowell and Rachel Haston of Paducah visited Pauline Wheeler Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Rader and sons of Crowell.

Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, Mr. and Mrs. R. B.

Lilly and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Denton and sons of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mulkey and Mrs. Ella Lawhon of Paducah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and family of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and family of Truscott and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathered and children and Mr. and Mrs. Will Holland of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathered Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mrs. J. A. Stovall, who is ill in the Crowell hospital, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Daniels and son, Dexter, and Bobby Daniels, all of Dalhart, visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Daniels, and children, Billy and Ruth, over the week end.

John Allen Greening of Crowell visited Billy Daniels Sunday afternoon.

### RIVERSIDE MRS. CAP ADKINS

Grannie Huntley, who was quite ill last week, is some better.

Jerry, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Vernon, was a dinner guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins and daughters and Mrs. Mary Matthews and son of Fort Worth returned to their homes Sunday after spending last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins.

Mrs. Ida Duke of Lubbock is staying in the Cap Adkins home, helping to care for Grannie Huntley.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman

Tolar of Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Swan visited her aunt, Mrs. Bernie Richards, who is ill at Vernon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Monke Karcher visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hasehoff of Lockett Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs and Veda visited his brother, John Cribbs, and his niece, Mrs. Otto Baird, and daughter of Chillicothe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Swan visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan, of Thalia Sunday.

Word has been received here by friends of the serious illness of Charley Hunt of Sand Springs, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell visited Mrs. John S. Ray and mother Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakeley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Thalia.

Mrs. H. T. Capps of Seminole, Mrs. Clarence Orr of Thalia and Mrs. J. L. McBeath of Vera visited in the Cap Adkins home Tuesday.

Mrs. Vernie Feemster of Knox City and Kay, Judy and Frankie Cribbs spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Bob Tillery, and family of South Vernon.

Mrs. Mary Gfeller of Vernon is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder.

Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughters, Emma and Mrs. Floyd Phillips, and son, Jerry, and Mrs. Mary Gfeller, all of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Butler and sons, Chayne and Larry, of Chillicothe, J. L. McBeath Jr. of Vera and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and children of Crowell visited in the Cap Adkins home during the day Sunday.

Ben Bradford and Jimmy Hopkins, returned from a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Kenneth Bradford daughter spent Saturday night in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ben Vernon spent Sunday and night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and son of Phillips spent the end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins.

Mrs. Frank Ward has been tending the bedside of her mother, who is ill at her home in Lim, Texas.

Mrs. N. R. Swan was a past week with throat infection. Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Feemster of Knox City spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs.

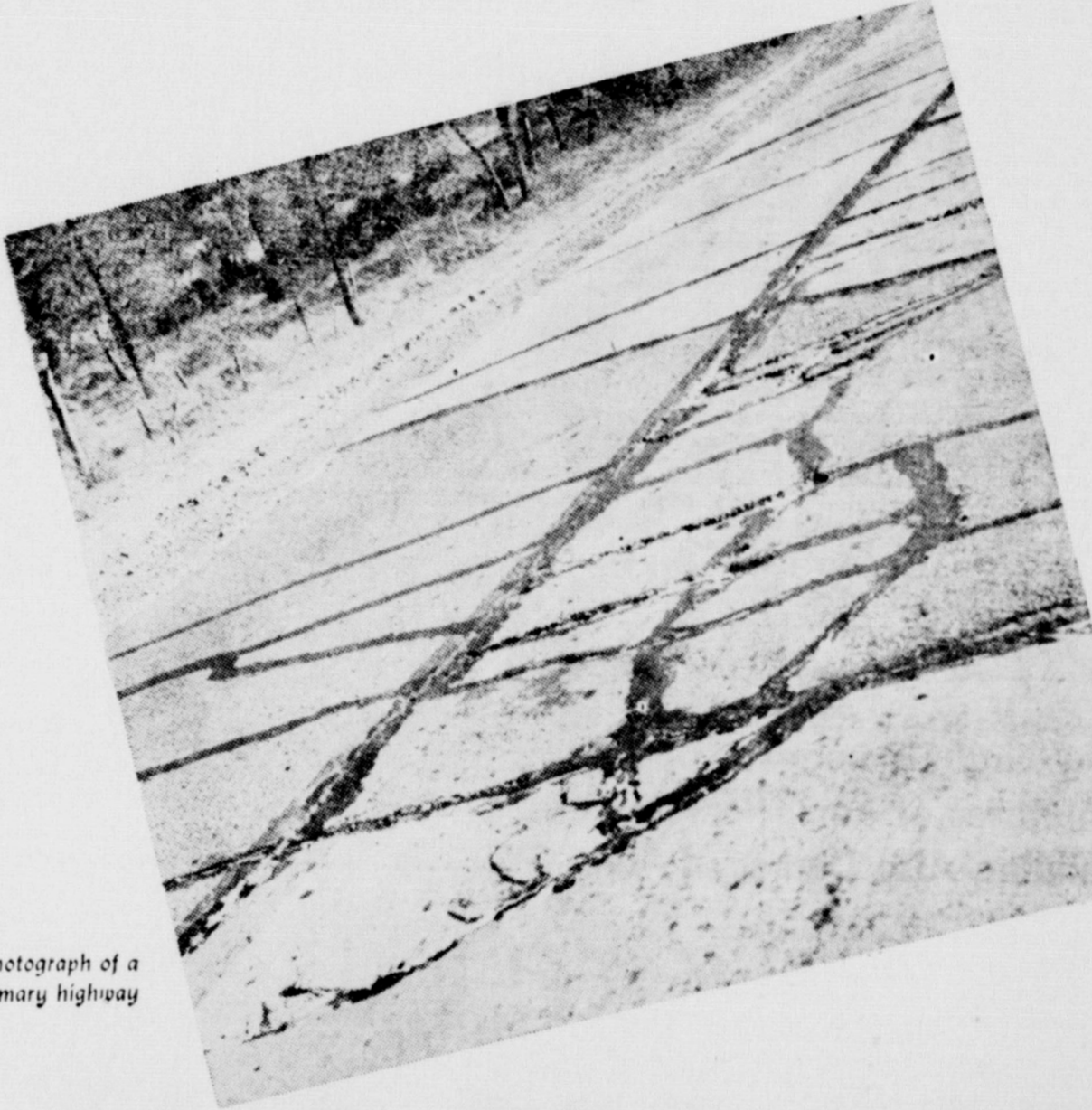
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford grandson, Jimmy Hopkins, Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mrs. Studie Bradford, and Mrs. Curtis Bradford of Crowell.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Stinson and son, Marion of Vernon, Mrs. John S. Ray and mother day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe spent Sunday at Elmer, Okla.

### WORLD SOURCES OF NICKEL

Canada, the world's preeminent producer of nickel since the part of this century, came in 1950 to furnish the major part of the world's requirements. This year's output of the French Caledonian deposits is expected to have been sufficient to meet the requirements of French industry. No information is available on Russia's 1950 production of nickel.



Recent photograph of a Texas primary highway

# \$115,282,344

Damaged highways, such as the Texas highway shown in this picture, are a hazard to the safe operation of automobiles, farm trucks and other motor vehicles.

It costs three times as much to build roads that will withstand the loads of big trucks now being operated over them than it does for the smaller trucks and automobiles.

Latest records show **\$115,282,344** was spent on Texas highways for the year ending August 31, 1950.

A bill sponsored by the big truck operators is before the Texas Legislature. This bill proposes . . .

- (1) to increase the load limit from the present 48,000 pounds to 72,000 pounds, and
- (2) to increase the maximum truck length from 45 feet to 50 feet.

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The big truckers want the taxpayers to continue providing expensive highways for them to use as "rights-of-way" for their own, selfish, personal gain.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drabek and son, Raymond Kubicek, Frankie Halenack, W. A. Dunn, Jack McGinnis, Grover Moore and Mr. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook attended the agricultural meeting at Thalia Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jolly and W. B. Jolly and daughter, Betty Lou, of Quannah visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford and Jimmie Hopkins of Thalia visited his mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford, Sunday afternoon.

Ray Tamplin and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Campbell of Lubbock spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tamplin of Margaret and Mrs. Evelyn Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddy, of Crowell.

Laverne Owens of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Kit Autry and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engle and daughter, Marie, of Pampa were week end visitors in the Ray Hysinger and H. E. Monkes homes.

Pvt. C. F. Bradford of Camp Carson, Colo., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright and son, Larry, of Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden and attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Mildred Tamplin spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Mary Ruppel, and children in Vernon.

Joyce Ann Middlebrook from Baylor University in Waco and her mother, Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon visited in the Bax Middlebrook and W. R. McCurley homes Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter and daughters of Dallas spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins.

Mrs. Floyd Boyd and daughter, Sharon, of Fort Stockton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sikes and daughters of San Angelo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford visited their daughter, Mrs. Glen Carter, and family of Kirkland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant of Truscott spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack.

Mrs. George Pruitt and son, Lynn, of Crowell visited Grandmother Pruitt and Mrs. Jack Roden Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Connell and son, Mike, of Lubbock spent from Sunday until Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins of Truscott attended church here Sunday and visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Choate, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carter Jr. and children of Burkburnett spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carter Sr.

Mr. Henry, Dink Russell, Mrs. Jim Owens and Mrs. J. S. Owens attended the funeral of Mr. Henry's brother in Quannah Friday.

Mrs. Homer White, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White and son, Rex, and Mrs. Cleo Parson and children of Chillicothe visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kubicek and children of Northside spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack.

C. F. Bradford and Mrs. Floyd Boyd visited friends in Slatop Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hysinger and baby, Larry, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger Thursday while en route to their new station in North Carolina.

Mrs. Rachel Moore of Crowell visited Mrs. W. A. Priest Wednesday.

Arthur Pruitt of Fargo spent Sunday night with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Pruitt, and son, Bud Pruitt, and Mrs. Jack Roden.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysinger of Olton visited in the W. R. McCurley and Mrs. Belle Hysinger homes Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Elliott and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Elliott and sons of Paducah spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Choate and children of San Angelo came Friday for a week end visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate. Bob returned home Sunday afternoon while Mrs. Choate and children remained for a longer visit.

Calvin Baker of Sundown visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor Tuesday morning. They hadn't seen him since he was small child.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen, W. R. McCurley and Sherry Haseloff were Gilliland visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matyssek in the Rayland community Monday.

J. T. Tamplin and Buss Ingle are in Houston where J. T. is taking medical treatment.

**RECORD MARKETING EXPANSION**

Capital expenditure by oil companies on marketing facilities in 1950 reached a record figure of \$281,000,000, according to advance estimates. This new high compares with \$233,000,000 spent for building and modernizing in 1949 and a yearly average 1946-49 of \$247,000,000.

Red cedar wood is used most commonly in making lead pencils.

## VIVIAN MRS. W. O. FISH

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Fish and children, Allen Joe, John Lee and Marydel, of Dallas spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughter, Suzanne, of Vernon spent Tuesday of last week with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin visited his mother, Mrs. J. W. Sandlin, of Seminole, Okla., and his brother, John Sandlin, and wife of Wewoka, Okla., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henderson and son, Charles, of Fieldton visited her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Fish, and family Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandlin and children, Barbara and Jeanette, of Levelland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, last week.

Mrs. Belle Postom of Nashville, Tenn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Sunday of last week.

John and Bill Fish attended a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Handley of Paducah Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton, and family of Abilene. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and son of Anson.

Miss Bernita Fish spent Friday night and Saturday visiting her sisters, Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and family of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin visited their son, Herman Sandlin, and family of Levelland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and children of Goodlett visited his aunt, Mrs. Egbert Fish, and family recently. Mrs. Fish, who has been ill several weeks, is able to be up now.

Mrs. Allen Fish visited Mrs. H. H. Fish and Mrs. Warren Prater of Paducah Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. S. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. Berry Fish one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their son, Hughes Fish, and family of Amarillo. Allen also attended the Hereford show while there.

Mrs. I. D. Gilbert underwent an operation in the Quannah hospital Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Marr, Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mrs. Maude Raspberry, Mrs. Charlie Carroll and Mrs. Claudius Carroll of Crowell spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Johnnie Marr.

Mrs. Darvin Bell visited Mrs. J. R. Edgin of Crowell Saturday.

At least ten countries use the eagle as the symbol of supremacy.

Crowell, Texas, Mar. 8, 1951

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS—3

## Assistant Manager of WTCC Resigned Effective March 5

Abilene—Herschel E. Nix, assistant manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has resigned his position effective March 5 to become manager of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce with headquarters in San Antonio.

In accepting the resignation, Fred H. Husbands, executive vice president and general manager of the WTCC, said "We regret very much to lose Nix's services. He has made a valuable contribution to the work of the organization."

Nix was manager of the Fort Worth branch office of the WTCC from 1947 until December, 1949, when he was transferred to the Abilene headquarters office as assistant manager.

In the Fort Worth office, he was advertising manager for the WTCC's official magazine, West Texas Today, and assistant organizational director in charge of membership work in the Fort Worth - Lubbock - Amarillo area.

Following his transfer to Abilene, Nix directed membership work for the entire West Texas territory, and for the past 15 months has been editor of West Texas Today. He also participated in several of the organization's regional activities, particularly the municipal water program.

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While the wide scope of Chiropractic is amazing to the uninformed, we do NOT recommend Chiropractic as a Cure-All. Chiropractic is effective in those cases only where the cause is found to be defective in Organic Energization due to spinal misalignment (Subluxation). Most all of our cases are those which have previously resisted ordinary methods of healing. Our examination is designed to eliminate those we cannot help.

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The Administration's tax message to Congress calls for very heavy increases in corporation and individual income taxes, on top of the boost which went into effect last October. It also asks for big jumps in the excise taxes on automobiles, household appliances and other commodities. All this was expected before the message was made public, but the startling part of the matter is that not a word was said about cutting non-essential government costs. Non-defense spending is to be piled onto a huge military budget. If the President was back on a farm in Missouri, or was trying to operate a business back home, he would probably see differently.

A Navy hospital corpsman attached to a Marine Corps unit is permitted to wear either his own Navy uniform or a Marine Corps uniform with his Navy insignia affixed.

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**30 YEARS AGO**

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, March 11, 1921:

Smith Bros. have bought the People's Grocery from J. W. McCaskill. J. H. Lanier has bought the interest of his partner, J. W. Ellis, in the Crowell Grocery Co.

Mark Gilliam and mother, Mrs. E. C. Gilliam, came in last week in a car from Dallas. Mrs. Gilliam will visit the family of her son, Ed, for an indefinite time.

The death of W. C. Cook occurred suddenly Wednesday at 10 o'clock as he was leaving the office of Dr. Hines Clark, the cause of death being a heart attack.

The sheriffs of Foard and Cottle Counties succeeded last week in locating and capturing a blockade still, together with the operators, in the extreme western portion of Foard County. The product was being disposed of in Paducah.

Steps are being taken to build a potato curing plant on the Walkers farms in the Rayland community.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews visited their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Harrison, in Paducah Sunday.

Mrs. Counts Ray has returned from a visit in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Allan Sanders has returned from Quanah where she had been on account of the illness and death of Grandma Wilson.

George Self and Bax Johnson returned Tuesday from the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Albert Schooley Jr. made his appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schooley Feb. 24.

New Easter hats in the latest braids, maline and straw shapes at Mrs. C. R. Roden's in Margaret.

Tom Hampton is here from Rock Springs on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall left last Saturday for Cooke County to visit relatives.

**UNDER A BUTTWOOD TREE**

In 1792, when George Washington was still serving his first term as President, the government found that it had to sell "stocks" to help pay for the Revolutionary War. But people had a natural reluctance to buy these securities unless they were sure they could be easily and quickly resold. In other words, a market place was needed.

**Washington Newsletter**

(By Congressman Ed Gossett)

Washington, D. C., March 3, 1951—The District of Columbia is governed by Commissioners appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate. Both House and Senate have District Committees to recommend laws for the government of the District of Columbia. In other words, the District of Columbia is in effect governed by the Congress. Each session certain organizations within the District of Columbia urge upon Congress the enactment of so-called Home Rule legislation. During the last session of Congress, such a bill was passed in

So one was established, under a buttonwood tree which stood near the present location of the New York Stock Exchange. Traders met there each day to buy and sell. And the stock exchanges of the present serve precisely the same function—except that they now list thousands of securities representing the industry and enterprise of America.

Actually, the basic idea underlying the security exchanges is simplicity itself. In effect, the stocks are auctioned. As with anything else of value, from a piece of furniture to a farm, the buyer wants to pay as little as possible and the seller wants to get as much as possible. The exchanges provide a market where the two can meet, adjust their differences as to value, and transact their business.

The exchanges do not buy or sell securities or set or influence prices in any way. The owners and would-be owners do that. And those owners now number something like 15,000,000 Americans, most of whom possess only moderate means and incomes.

the Senate but was not passed in House. This week the Senate has again started hearings on such a bill. The Washington Board of Trade, similar to a chamber of commerce, and made up of hundreds of leading business men of the city of Washington, oppose Home Rule. They realize that they now get better government at smaller cost than any major city in America. A great many people in Washington are happy not to be plagued by the election of a Mayor, City Commissioners, and other municipal politics. Another thing that complicates the Home Rule picture in some of our minds is the growing negro population in the city of Washington. Ten years ago, roughly, 27 per cent of Washington's population was negro. Now the percentage is approximately 38. More than half the children in the Washington public schools are negro children.

At a conference of the National Civil Liberties Clearing House held here recently, Irving M. Engel, executive secretary of the American Jewish Committee, told the meeting that "to a large extent there is no equality in the District of Columbia" and that "segregation would largely disappear" if the District had Home Rule.

For the last several years a big controversy has been going on between the officials and the people of Arizona and the officials and the people of the State of California over a proposed Central Arizona project. The Central Arizona project would require the building of a dam and power plant 120 miles above the Hoover Dam, installation of a pump or lift to take irrigation water from the Colorado river, lift it 985 feet and run it through a 300 mile installation of canals, pipes and tunnels for the purpose of irrigating some 200,000 acres of arid land in Arizona. California opponents say this would cost the Govern-

\$1,838.00 per acre to irrigate. The Secretary of the Interior estimates the total cost of the project to be \$2,075,729,000.00. California opponents say that not only would this gigantic project take water away from California but that it would never pay for itself and that it is fantastically uneconomical.

Mr. Lindsay Warren, a former Congressman from North Carolina and for the last 10 years Controller General of the United States, recently made a very fine report to the Congress. Two paragraphs from Mr. Warren's report are as follows: "During recent years when it seems the Government has been expanding beyond all reasonable comprehension, the G. A. O. (General Accounting Office) has proved that it is possible to reduce employees. In April 1946, the number of employees reached a peak of 14,904. There were 7,063 employees on January 1, 1951, a reduction of 7,841 in the last five years, of whom 779 were transferred to the Post Office Department. This has been accomplished through constant surveys of our work and the elimination of procedures which serve no useful purpose under present conditions. . . ."

"A few statistics on our work in the last year: 25,300,000 vouchers audited; 492,000 claims settled; 318,000,200 checks reconciled; 12,400 decisions rendered to departments, agencies, claimants, and others; inspections made of 945 different Government offices; 34 comprehensive audits submitted to Congress. (For the first time since the Government Corporation Control Act of 1945 audits of Government corporations were up-to-date); 688 reports made to Congress and its committees; and 2,500 replies made to inquiries from individual members of Congress. . . ."

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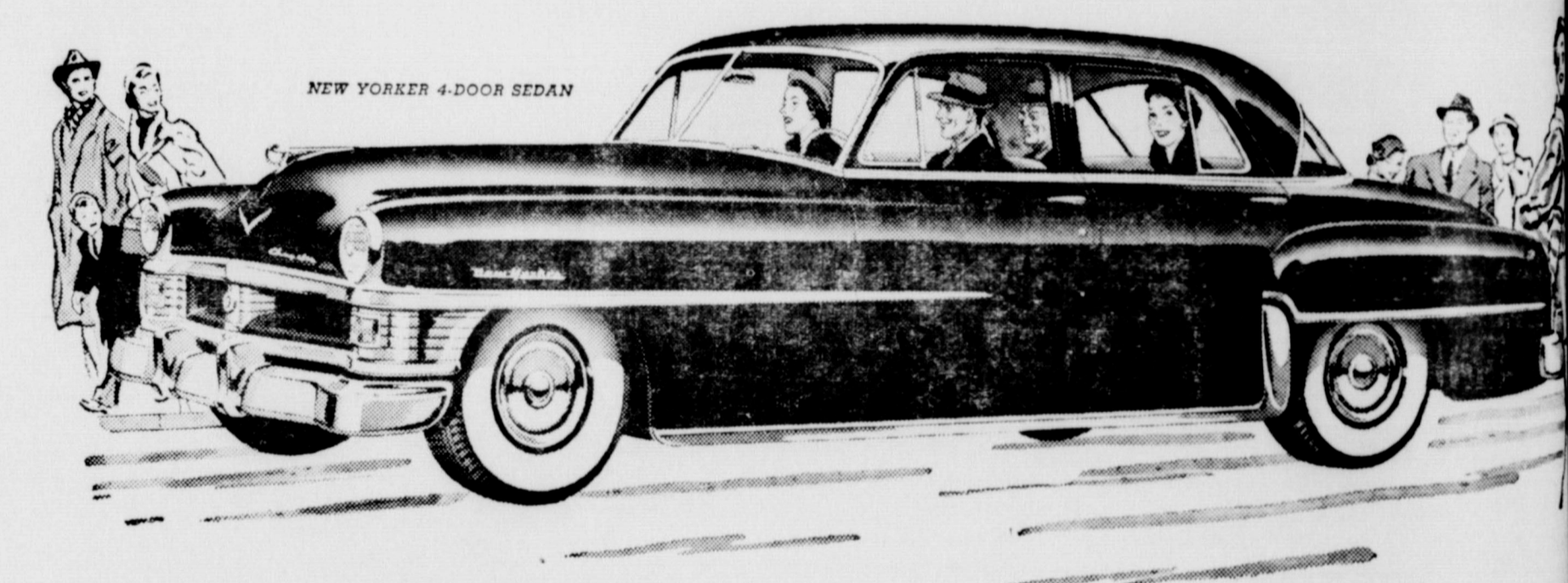
and other perils

control inflation. Apparently the labor bosses will continue to push the Government around. Seemingly the Administration is going to control everything except inflation.

Last Tuesday night, I made a speech to a Methodist Brotherhood meeting in Arlington County, Virginia. To give it local color, I cited from statements of renowned Virginians of past generations, finally reminding the audience that one of these early-day native sons, the noble Patrick Henry was called because he cried "give me or give me death" while he ent-day descendants say "gimme."

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PERSONALS

Ray Brown spent Sunday with his parents, Mrs. Will Deeb.

Joe Stevens of Newport Va., a 1941 graduate of Crowell High School, was a visitor at Crowell Monday.

am taking off a hatch of baby chicks every Tuesday. Will also buy hatching eggs, heavy breeds preferred. — Moyer Produce & Hatchery. 28-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore of here spent the week end here with his brother, Frank Moore, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ford and Mrs. Paul Ford were here re-visitng their daughter, June, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayford, and children.

Plenty of money to loan on farms and ranches. Liberal pre-ferred. No charge for applica-tion. See us.—Roberts-Bev-erly Abst. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard returned from Friday until Sunday at Grand Falls visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Ford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stovall and small daughter, Melissa, of here are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dixon and family returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City where Mr. and Mrs. Dixon bought merchandise for their family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Shelton of Chardon spent Sunday here visitng their daughter, Mrs. Tom J. Shelton, and husband, new-ly of the Ben Franklin Store.

Mr. Perry Nuckols of Abilene spent the week end with his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carroll, of the Good Creek community. His husband came Friday and they returned home Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baker.

Honor Rolls for Thalia School Are Announced

The honor rolls for the second six weeks term of the second semester of the Thalia Schools have been released by Mrs. Howard Bursley, principal, and are as follows:

High Honor Roll Martha Gaye Ramsey, Barbara Gaile Short, Carolyn Gene Jenkins, Earlyn Hammonds, Vicky Sue Farrar, Jerry Toie, Dannie McRae, Jerome Matus, Wanda Moore, Jo Frances Long, Joan Schwarz, Janice Morris, Patsy McRae, Donna Gayle Taylor, Janie Wright, Joyce Wilson, Neta Mae Hall, Eldon Whitman, Peggy Cates, Don Taylor, David Carpenter, Johnny Joe Matus, Iven Judy Johnson, Betty Porter, Loneta Savage, Ruth Ellen Short, Barbara Wilson, Joe Coufal, Mary Hall, Rufus Whitman and Vida Tarver.

Low Honor Roll Edward Kajs, Anna Jean Hall, Kay Ann Taylor, Patty Carpenter, Gerald Dene Edens, Charlotte James, Mary Ruth Riley, Sharon Short, Peggy Ann Werley, Roy Martin Shultz, Melvin Nethery, Bobby Powers, Albert Cates, Cecie Tarver, Karen Rose Hall, Peggy Sharon Long, Billy Short, Cloyce Marlow, Oliver Savage, Cleta Edens, Norma Hall, Sybil Henry, Barbara Luckie, Carolyn Willis, Barbara Campbell.

Perfect Attendance Martha Gaye Ramsey, Raymond Luckie, Jo Frances Long, Mary Ruth Riley, Milton Howard Boyd, David Carpenter, Iven Cates, Don Taylor, Joe Coufal, Betty Porter, Peggy Cates, Janie Wright, Louis Kajs, Gary Carpenter, Ruth Ellen Short, Albert Cates, Larry Joe Riley, Karen Rose Hall, Doris Ann Huskey, Peggy Sharon Long, Billy Short, Coleman Self, John W. Wright, Jerry Cates, Cleta Edens, Barbara Luckie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Callaway of Sayre, Okla., were here Sunday visitng Mr. Callaway's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway. In the afternoon, both couples went to Wichita Falls to visit another brother, Tom Callaway, of the Foard City community, who is having an eye treated in a hospital there.

INDUSTRY INVESTS \$2 BILLION FOR EXPANSION

The petroleum industry's 1950 capital expenditures for expansion, improvement and modernization of domestic facilities exceeded \$2 billion, bringing investments over the postwar period, 1946-50, to more than \$10 billion. The investment last year of \$2,172,000,000 was equal to approximately \$14.50 for every man, woman and child in the United States. In addition, about \$228 million was spent by American oil companies on facilities abroad, many of which help meet domestic oil needs.

OIL EQUIPMENT AIDS ICE STUDY

Test hole drilling equipment, generally used by oil geologists in exploring and probing possible oil-bearing territory, is being used by a geographical expedition which wants to measure the rate of flow of an Arctic ice cap. The polar explorers will drill a hole in the ice and measure the hole's deviation from the vertical. A re-survey in 1951 will disclose the direction and rate of flow of the ice cap at different levels.

Iodine is obtained chiefly from kelp or ashes of burnt seaweed.

Mr. Whitaker . . .

(Continued from page 1) employed by Chester Cherry in Ballinger as a lineman in the District G distribution crew. In 1927 he was transferred to Munday where he served as distribution foreman for eleven WTU towns, and assumed his duties as local manager at Truscott in January, 1932.

From August, 1944, until January, 1946, Mr. Whitaker served as local manager at Rankin. After serving four months in Munday as substation operator, he returned to Truscott in May, 1946.

The Truscott local manager suffered a stroke of paralysis while he was in Rankin which left his arms partially paralyzed, and a slight impediment in his speech. However, he had practically recovered when he suffered a heart attack last December, and since that time he has been able to work only part time.

He is a member of the Methodist Church, has been an Odd Fellow since 1923; and is a past president of the Truscott school board.

Up until his death two years ago, "Red," a Chesapeake Bay retriever, was Jack's constant companion. The dog helped him read meters, make service calls and was known by every resident of Truscott. Red went to Rankin; helped Jack operate the substation at Munday; and when they returned to Truscott the pair resumed their daily routine. Both were great bird hunters, and the Chesapeake Bay retriever had pulled hundreds of birds out of the tanks and lakes in that section of the state.

In 1948 the dog was hit by an automobile and never recovered. Right now Mr. Whitaker is looking for a young Chesapeake which he can train to take Red's job at Truscott.

Mr. Whitaker is the father of one daughter and four sons by his first wife, the former Julia Tyra. Mrs. Josephine Hord lives at Spur, Texas; Jack is a lineman for the telephone company at Post; and Oscar is a lineman for the same company at Tahoka. Gene is employed by the Humble Pipe Line Company at Katy, Texas; and Bob is employed by WTU in

Health Letter

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

Austin, Texas.—Millions of flies help to cause illness and death of thousands of children and adults each year in the United States. Hundreds of these casualties may be in Texas this year if residents fail in their responsibility for developing the best possible sanitation measures in the area where they reside. Typhoid fever, summer complaint and other intestinal diseases can be traced to the common housefly as the carrier of the infection.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, speaking in this connection, recently said, "Be sure that windows and doors are tightly screened so that stray flies from a careless neighbor will not endanger your family. Be sure that flies are kept away from food,

Mr. Whitaker . . .

(Continued from page 1) the service department at Crowell. He was married to Mrs. Lottie Stout in 1932; she has one son, Lee J. Stout, who is employed by a milling company in Wichita Falls. (Reprinted from 'Electric Times')

LARGE NICKEL CONSUMER

The steel industry of the world as in past years again accounted for the largest portion of the nickel consumed in 1950 and the demand by this industry was appreciably above that of the previous year.

TRUSCOTT

ELBA JOYCE CADELL

Mrs. V. W. Browning went to Dallas Monday for an eye examination. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and children and George Myers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Weathered.

Mrs. Farris Caddell, Linda and Buddy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Collier one evening last week. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kincaid and her mother, Mrs. Agnes Berg, of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Woods and several others attended the funeral of Bolden Moorhouse at Benjamin. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning returned Sunday after spending a few days in Mineral Wells. Leonard Myers spent Saturday night with L. C. Gordon of Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins of Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Raymond Henman and son, Junior, of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie. Junior will visit his grandparents a couple of weeks longer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker, W. J. and Mr. and Mrs. Dobie Tapp spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tapp of Willow, Okla.

Mrs. D. A. Smith spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dell James and children of Ralls. Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Loyd and daughters, Judy and Jane, of Odessa spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon. Jane is spending the week with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pitts and children of Wichita Falls spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubanks.

Ed Langster of Lubbock spent awhile Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie. Mrs. Irving Eubanks returned to her home at Lubbock Wednesday. Jody Gordon of Foard City spent Saturday night with Gerald Myers. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubanks were in Vernon one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie and children have been transferred to Big Lake. They left Saturday. Joe Reed Jones of Abilene spent the week end with his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hudson, Mrs. Curtis Casey, Mrs. Chester Pogue and Mrs. S. O. Turner attended the "Workers with Youth" meeting in the Methodist Church in Quannah Monday night.

Miss Opal Jean Browder and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner attended Miss Winnie Turner's capping service at the St. Anthony Hospital School of Nursing in Amarillo over the week end.

Mrs. J. B. Chilcoat is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hughston, of Ralls. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams have moved into our community. Mr. Williams works with the Ohio Oil Co. at Benjamin.

Mrs. W. T. Blevins, Mrs. C. M. Guynn and Mrs. Oscar Solomon and Jane were in Quannah Tuesday, Nethercutt of Pine Bluff, Ark., is conducting the services. Mr. and Mrs. George Solomon and Mrs. C. M. Guynn attended the funeral of Mrs. Solomon's brother, Tom Craig, of Jacksboro recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins attended church in Margaret Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blevins. Miss Oma Falkner and Mrs. Les Haynie and Jean Ann were Knox City visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chowning were in Altus, Okla., on business one day last week. Mrs. W. T. Blevins, Mrs. C. M. Guynn and Mrs. Oscar Solomon and Jane were in Quannah Tuesday.

Advertisement for Cooper Service Station, featuring a car and text: "We'll show you how to get quick, sure starts. Fast warm-ups, smooth pick-ups too - with hill-climbing power to spare. Let us keep your tank filled with the gasoline that has controlled volatility and octane - in perfect balance. That's Texaco Sky Chief with Volatane Control - for those who want the best."

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## EDUCATION COOPERATION

Recently a group of Wellington parents sat down and took a critical look at the school system and made some recommendations that will receive further study. Since some of the criticism was directed at the failure of high school students to learn such elemental things as English and spelling, Wellington parents were interested in a step the Denver, Colo., schools did about this very problem.

Now the Denver School System, by the modern method of measuring such things, is supposed to be right at the top in education. It teaches everything from sewing to sociology and includes "General education" classes that cover such things as driving, family living and health.

In spite of this, some Denver parents have made that familiar complaint that their children just can't read and write as well as they should.

"Time Magazine" reports that to settle this, Denver school men gave 4,672 of the high school students a series of tests to find out just how much of these subjects the boys and girls did know.

And the school men had to admit that to an extent the parents knew what they were talking about. In math, the pupils scored three points below the national average; in spelling they were a little better; and almost all the

students were weak in grammar. Supt. Kenneth Oberholtzer, regarded as one of the leading school men in the nation, said that from now on, Denver students will take twice as much English as formerly, and more math and U. S. history. As for the required classes of "general education," they are taking a back seat.

After reading the above, perhaps the CHS curriculum is best since it does stress the basic subjects.

## INTERVIEWS CONTINUED

This interview is by Betty Barker.

### Solomon Arokos

Solomon Arokos is his name. The spelling of his name may not be correct, for he is of Bohemian parentage, and can neither read nor write.

Comparing him to the Biblical character of wisdom, Solomon is an appropriate name for him, for although he never went to school, he is a wise man.

A man that once stood tall and erect, at seventy he shows the strain of a life of hard work. Hair, once black, is streaked with gray, and eyes, once blue, have faded with his years of experience. A week's growth of stubby gray whiskers frame his wrinkled, weather-beaten face. Rough, tanned hands denote the outdoor life he has lived. A chuckle or a sly joke creeps into his conversation from

time to time, and he slaps his knee as he laughs at a pun he thought about.

He is a simple man, but an eccentric one. Perhaps ranchers would call him a nester, for he lives on another man's land several miles southeast of Crowell. Far out among the cedars amid the breaks, he built him a hut from cedar posts with a tin roof. It is a comfortable, neat little house of one room, but he does not live there the year around. During an unusually cold winter, or at his fancy, he goes to Seguin to visit his only son. A cow, chickens, pigs, a few cattle, a horse and a red-coated hound complete the list of his home companions.

In his earlier days he was a drifter, drifting from a lumber-jack town in Oregon to the region around Raton, New Mexico, to Old Mexico, back to Illinois, and to other states. He worked at odd jobs, mostly as a cowhand. Finally, in 1908 at the age of 27, he wandered into Bexar County where he lived until 1934.

While in Bexar County, he met the love of his life, a small woman of Spanish heritage, married her, and began to work diligently as a herder on a sheep ranch.

Three sons were born to them, Antonio, Johnny and Charlie. Charlie, the youngest of the boys, was killed in Germany in World War II, while Johnny was stricken with diptheria and died. Antonio is happily married and resides in Bexar County.

After his wife's death and hard luck in the depression of the '30's, Solomon again began to drift. He came to Foard County and worked on ranches in all parts of the adjacent country as a cowhand. With-out his beloved wife, he no longer desired a settled life.

Solomon has gained many friends in this county, working loyally with a hand of experience on different farms and ranches.

Even his unofficial landlord does not seem to mind that Solomon's cattle graze on his land. He lives on his own, raises most of his food, and occasionally wanders into Benjamin for the simplest of provisions. On rare occasions he may purchase oranges, water-melons, or ice cream, his favorite luxuries.

He is a man who is well acquainted with the trades of the cattle country. His eyes have seen and recorded things in his memory that this generation will never know or experience. His nickname is "Sol." This is a fitting name, for like the card game of "Sol," he plays the game of life alone.

## HENRY BLACK GUEST SPEAKER

"Buenas noches! Senor and Senora," greeted the FHA girls as they ushered their guests to their places at the festive Mexican supper tables.

The members of the FHA Chapter entertained their parents Tuesday night, February 27, with a Mexican Supper in the home economics room. Guests were Henry Black, Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tاملين and Mildred, Mrs. Alton Bell and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Woods and Mary Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Merl Kincaid and Marcia, Mrs. Henry Moss and Rosemary, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Ribble and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davidson and Nora Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Todd and Camille, Mrs. Cleo Spears and Bobbie Jean, Mrs. Shelby Wallace and Jelene, Mrs. Hayden Ford and Joyce, Jane Bruce, Peggy Weaver, Elba Caddell, Jean Hughston, Margaret Thompson and Faye Black.

For the table centerpieces and around the entire room were placed Mexican pottery, baskets and serapes and in keeping with the theme, on the menu was Mexican enchilladas, red beans, tossed green salad, and a choice of crackers or light bread. For dessert there was fruit jello with vanilla wafers.

Then followed a very interesting and educational program. Senor Henry Black talked on "The Habits and Customs of Old Mexico." Henry has visited Old Mexico several times before and so spiced up his talk with some very interesting experiences of his own. The customs of Old Mexico in which he described the dress, manner, food, homes, traditions, pastimes and courtships of the Mexican people. The unusual courtship custom is that boys and girls of Mexico walk in opposite directions around the city square on Sunday afternoons. If the boy sees the girl of his choice, he then joins her in her walk. After they have walked together for four or five Sunday afternoons, they are considered engaged.

Miss Kirkpatrick showed many movie slides which were taken in Mexico. She also explained some of the customs of Old Mexico.

After a thoroughly enjoyable evening the hostesses bade "hasta la vista" to their parents and so ended one of the more outstanding meetings of the year for the FHA.

The hostesses were Norma Jones, Genevieve McDaniel, Ruth McRae, Neva Lou Potts, Jackie Rashberry, Helen Ribble, La Verne Shultz, Joy Sparks, Mildred Tاملين, Camille Todd, Peggy Weaver, Shirley Wehba, Wanza Parks, Myra Don Self, Joylene Wallace, Jean Jones, Barbara White, Maurine Youree, Pauline Wheeler, Carla Manning, Noma Kelly, Joyzell Thomson and Lareta Lyons.

## BORED

... with one class? Suppose you had five classes, yes, with the same teacher. Three of these classes in consecutive periods. This is the case of seven Junior girls, Jamile and Margaret Caram,

Camille Todd, Elba Caddell, Jane Bruce, Maurine Youree and Essie Franklin. They are all contented and agree, however, that no class could be boring with Mrs. Lena Davis as teacher.

They have first period biology class and since most of them live in Truscott and have to hurry, they usually enjoy their hurried breakfast of candy and peanuts that period (8:30-9:00). Next is fourth period study hall. In the afternoon come the next three periods, Algebra II and two more study halls, but the more study halls, the more sleep one gets.

Asked about the arrangement, Mrs. Davis said simply, "You think it's bad for them? What about me?"

## "FUN ON THE BUSES"

Fun on the Thalia Bus by Jean Gamble

How wonderful it would be if for once you didn't have to fight to get a seat on the bus. The students usually have to sit three in a seat, and before we reach our destination, we feel like a sack full of ripe persimmons.

The whole bus of girls was buzzing with talk on how they wish the boys would learn better manners and use them.

The students from Thalia have often wondered how George Fox is such a good bus driver since he has made a habit of starting into the rear view mirror. He also manages to get all the gossip and he seems to know exactly what you do, not only on the bus, at school, but every other place.

With the exception of the fights, fusses and the teasing, the students seem to have loads of fun. You don't know what you're missing if you don't ride a bus with a gang.

## Fun on the Truscott Bus

by Pat Owens

To a stranger or visitor on our bus, our behavior might seem extraordinarily loud and boisterous. New students usually stare in open-mouth astonishment for the first few days, but gradually they become one of us and have as much fun as we do. We like to laugh and say, "We have as much fun as people!" and we really do.

If we feel particularly happy for a particular reason, like it being Friday, we sing gay songs that are currently popular. Occasionally we slip into a nostalgic mood and sing some of the old familiar ones—folk songs are a specialty. Buster Laquey has his own method for quieting rowdy freshmen boys, ask them about it some time.

All in all, the fun we have makes the journey from Truscott to Crowell seem short.

## DO YOU KNOW THAT—

Joyzell's middle name is Effie? We have two Peggy Joyce's in the Senior class?

Ann Haynie, Mary Rader, Jean Gamble, Martha Orr, Posy Autry, Mildred Tاملين, Barbara White and Peggy Weaver are going to business college after they graduate?

Donald Reynolds has a unique hair style all his own? Jimmie Jones has a Veronica Lake hair style?

The horse's knee is really his ankle? The Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors have to write Fire Prevention themes?

The band has two more trips to make—Altus, Okla., and Brown-wood?

Five of the faculty men play on the all-star basketball team? The annual has only one more shipment to make?

Henry Black's favorite song is the "Tennessee Waltz"?

Our vocational agriculture teacher plays croquet?

Mr. Sollis likes to fly? Mr. Graves likes to fish?

Mrs. Todd likes to herd sheep? Mrs. Sloan goes mad on Mondays?

Mrs. Davis has a skunk plus family under her house?

Elba Caddell has twelve rabbits?

Pat Owens' cowboy is recovering from a car accident while thinking of her?

Norma Jones has a little sister? That's funny, neither did her mother.

## WISHON ATTENDS AMARILLO FAIR

Charles Wishon, one of our prominent FFA boys and one who is particularly interested in cattle and sheep, attended the Amarillo Fair at Amarillo last week. Leaving Crowell Sunday afternoon, he arrived in Amarillo at 6 o'clock p. m. and took his sheep to their assigned pen at the fair grounds.

The following morning Charles tended his sheep and began blocking them for the show on Tuesday. It took about four hours to shear them to the proper shape and form.

The show for the sheep was held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. About one hundred sheep were entered in this show. Among these sheep, there were three classes: the Fine Wool class, the South-down and Southdown Crosses class and the crosses and other breeds.

Charles' sheep were entered in the Crosses class in which he won tenth and eleventh places. After the show he waited until Friday for the sheep sale at the auction arena.

Wednesday, Charles met Glen Halsell Jr. at the registered Hereford sale, and they decided to buy two registered heifers. Going in

halves on the heifers, the next thing Charles knew, they had bought them. At this sale there were 62 bulls and 19 females sold. The top bull brought \$2,500 and the top female brought \$2,555. All the cattle at this sale averaged better than \$500 each.

On Thursday the boys took care of their calves and sheep. That night they saw a good wrestling match in the Sportatorium on the fair grounds.

Friday morning Charles sold his lambs for 40 cents a pound at the sale. The grand champion lamb sold for \$2.30 a pound and the grand champion calf for \$2.50 a pound.

Charles and Glen left Amarillo about 3 p. m. with their heifers and arrived in Crowell at 7 p. m., two tired and weary boys.

## WILDKITTENS END SEASON VICTORIOUS

The Crowell Grade School basketball team climaxed its season

last week end with four victories and the championship of the Little Rock tournament. The Little Rock (Continued on Page 7)

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**For Sale**

SALE—Weaning pigs.—Jack 32-2tp

SALE—2-room house in west part of town.—H. P. 33-2tp

SALE—A 9x12 kitchen rug, orange, cheap.—606 E. Honner, phone 22-W. 32-1tc

SALE—Duncan-Phyffe occasional table.—Mrs. Fred 33-1tc

SALE—Fryers at our home.—Mrs. J. R. Merriam, 32-3tp

SALE—Bundle cane, 3 miles east of Crowell.—D. C. Zeiler, 2, Crowell. 32-1tp

SALE—Table top range in best condition. Cooks perfectly.—Jesse Gamble, Thalia, Tex. 30-3tc

SALE—4-bar Case side delivery; John Deere trailer mower and two International tractors.—S. B. Farrar, 2 1/2 miles west of Rayland. 33-1tp

SALE—TO BE MOVED—House with porch, hardwood floor in one room, cabinet kitchen. See W. A. Johnson, 33-4tp

SALE—1947 Jeep, low mileage and spotlight, good driven less than 1,000 miles complete overhaul. Also Ford coupe, good tires, modern good condition. See Ike 24-1tc

SALE—Spinnet piano, used for sample only. Save \$200.00. New piano warranty. Also used upright piano at a real price. Contact us at once as representative will be in this city soon. Please state which instrument you are interested in if desired. Call or write Toyer Piano Co., 1603 Ave. F., Childress, Texas. 31-2tc

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RENT—Furnished apartment—Phone 99-R. 33-4tc

RENT—4-room house.—C. Collins. 31-1tc

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RENT OR LEASE—Rooming, furnished.—Mrs. G. W. 30-3tp

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RENT—5-room house with brooder houses, and garden 1 mile west of Crowell. See W. E. Wells. 33-2tc

**ORDER**

Board County Joint Airport Zoning Board.

Whereas, pursuant to the order Board dated February 26th, there was created an Airport Zoning Commission for this county, which said Airport Zoning Commission did on the 2nd of March, 1951, make its preliminary report relative to the zoning of airport zoning regulations by the Board County Joint Airport Zoning Board for the purpose of Chapter 391 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 50th Legislature, 1947; and whereas, it appears to this Board that Chapter 391 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 50th Legislature, 1947, re-

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The Singer Sewing Machine Co. will have a representative in Crowell each Tuesday.

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**HORSES, COWS, MULES** removed FREE. Our trucks operate 7 days a week.—VERNON RENDING CO., Phone 1630, Vernon, collect. 27-1tc

**Lodge Notices**

**CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE**  
Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.  
J. D. HUSKEY, Noble Grand  
H. E. HILBURN, Secretary.

**THALIA LODGE NO. 666**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, March 17, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.  
JNO. W. WRIGHT, W. M.  
IRA TOLE, Sec.

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

**CROWELL LODGE NO. 840**  
A. F. & A. M., STATED MEETING  
Second Monday each month.  
March 12, 7:30 p. m.  
Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
GRADY HALBERT, W. M.  
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  
CECIL CARROLL, Adjutant.

**Trespass Notices**

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Mrs. R. T. Owens. 10-52tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on any land belonging to Lee and B. A. Whitman, Thalia, Texas. 24-52tp

NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on F. L. Reed's place, 3/4 miles southwest of Thalia. 51-1tc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 45-1tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by me.—W. B. Johnson. 11-1tc

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 hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 1tc

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

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Leslie McAdams. 24-1tc

NO TRESPASSING—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land or land rented by me.—Gay Morgan. pd. 3-1-51

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—W. J. Long. 18-52tp

**Weekly Sermon**

IN TOUCH WITH CHRIST  
by M. Wilson McKenzie, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

A crowd was thronging about the Lord Jesus. Many were jostling against Him. But one sick woman, in physical weakness, yet with child-like faith, made her way up behind the Lord and touched the border of His garment. Immediately, the Scriptures tell us, she was healed (Luke 8:43-48).

"Who touched me?" the Lord Jesus asked. With puzzled faces, Peter and the other followers of Christ said, "Master, the multitude throng thee and press thee, and sayest thou, Who touched me?" Jesus replied, "Somebody hath touched me: for I perceive that virtue is gone out of me." The woman who had been healed came trembling and fell down at Jesus' feet, telling why she had touched Him and how she had been immediately healed. "Daughter, be of good comfort: thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace," Christ gently said to her.

Many today are thronging about Jesus. Many are touching Him philosophically and morally—seeking to follow His way of life, setting Him up as their example. But they do not touch Him in faith, and therefore no power enters into their lives from His. In their own strength they stumbly seek to imitate His life, with little or no success, for they have not been healed of the deadly sickness of sin which prevents a Christ-like life.

Others touch Him intellectually, believing that He is the Son of God, the One who died for the sins of mankind. But they never accept Christ in their hearts and experience His forgiveness.

But there are those who, like the sick woman, come in simple trust to the Saviour, believing that He can and will heal of sin, and accepting His offer of salvation. "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16). How have you touched the Lord Jesus Christ?

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**Thalia-Margaret Methodist Churches**  
Church School each Sunday morning, 10 a. m.  
Preaching Services  
Margaret, 1st and 3rd Sundays. Thalia, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Time, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Give God a chance at your life. Attend church regularly.  
Clark Campbell, 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.  
6:45 p. m. Sunday—Training Period.  
7:30 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. Shozka, Pastor.

**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.

**Free Will Baptist Church**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Church services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Everybody invited.  
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**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.

**Church of Christ (West Side)**  
Extending you a cordial invitation.  
Regular services are held at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. on the Lord's Day.  
You are always welcome.  
Preaching services by Lynn Fisher.

**First Christian Church**  
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John E. Long, Supt. Bible School  
SUNDAY SERVICES  
Bible School ..... 10 a. m.  
Communion-Worship ..... 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:15

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

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## THE WILDCAT

(Continued from page 6)

kittens averaged 44 points to the game and held the opposition to an eleven point average. They defeated Northside of Vernon 53 to 9, Odell 47 to 7, Thalia 49 to 9, and Lockett 20 to 18. Coach Gordon Erwin used all ten of his boys in each of the first three games: Gaylon Whitley, Ronny Fox, Mike Wishon and Billy Hopkins, forwards; Gordon Graves and Merl Nelson, centers; and Billy John Rader, DuWayne Elliott, Gerald Knox and Robert Kincaid, guards.

The final game with Lockett was close most of the way with Crowell leading by only three points at the beginning of the fourth quarter. Gaylon Whitley's floor work and Gordon Graves' eight out of ten free shots scored were outstanding for the Wildkittens. Douglas McKay scored nine points for Lockett and Graves scored twelve points for Crowell. The Wildkittens were presented a nice trophy for their accomplishment.

**BASEBALL COMES INTO SPOTLIGHT AT CHS**

Crowell's prospective baseball players had their first work out Monday, March 5. The players paired off and began getting their arms in shape for the coming season, which should be a very successful one.

The Wildcats' star pitcher, "Ace" Whitley, is back this year hoping to better his record of fourteen wins out of sixteen starts last season.

Crowell lost their catcher, Billy Lynch, who caught every game for the Wildcats and also F. L. Ballard and Bobbie Stinebaugh, who held down shortstop and second base, respectively, and left fielder, Rouse Todd.

The returning starters are: Jim Norman, who can cover anywhere around that first base bag, and Jon Sanders is back on third base. "Scoot" Marlow and "Booger" Rasberry are the returning outfielders.

The empty spots should be easily filled for there are many recruits coming out. The other prospects reporting are: Hack Norman, Jimmy Stinebaugh, Glendon Johnson, Billy Abston, Doyle McNeese, A. L. McGinnis, Ginger Johnson, Billy Marlow, Jimmy Hall, Wayne Berchardt, Jimmy Woods, Gene Pogue, Fred Barker, Martin Langham and Billy Johnson.

**WILDCAT SCREAMS**

"If she laughs at your jokes and tells you you're funny, nine times out of ten she's after your money."

With this heartwarming bit of poetry we begin another column

**UNDERGROUND TRAFFIC JAM**

The extent of the nation's pipe line system developed by the oil industry is pointed up by the recent experience of a line-laying crew. The men were putting down a 16-inch crude oil line 30 miles south of Chicago. In one spot, within a space of 150 feet, they found four other pipe lines crossing their path. The new line was put through under the existing lines.

of bits from here and there.

Two cute "Fish," Buddy Caddell and Mary Alice Werley, are enjoying the companionship of each other 'round the halls.

A. L. McGinnis has his heart set on Dorothy Gamble.

Jimmye Louis, Mary Alice, Pat and Joe Reid were seen cruising around Vernon Saturday night.

Billy Abston and Carolyn Bell were also Vernon visitors.

"If I can't see her, I'll call her"—that's the motto of Bubba Bell. The telephone line between Abilene and Crowell was buzzing Saturday night.

The hearts of Joyce Ford and Rosella Denton have been captured by boys from out of town.

The case of Jean Jones—Wayne Brown is getting to be serious.

Frankie and Maurine were seen with their Quannah pals Saturday night.

Posey, Martin Earl, Betty and Buster patronized the drive-in theater in Vernon Saturday night.

Tuesday ballad of the lunchroom: we rush to the lunchroom door and stand in line just as before. We stand and watch as others go by, starving, weak, and ready to cry. Then the checker says, "Four more." This gives me hope, I'm closer to the door. Then others finish and I go in, I look upon my plate, beans again.

Notice: Roy Whitley isn't taken.

Couple of the week: Mary Carroll and Doyle Sparks.

Clifford Orr and Ann Haynie were together Saturday.

Until next Thursday, I bid you Bon Voyage.

The Cat's Tail.

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# Society

MRS. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor  
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**B. & P. W. CLUB**  
The Business and Professional Women's Club met in a regular dinner meeting in the home of Mrs. Irene O'Connell on March 1 with Mrs. Bertha Burkett, Mrs. Sally Archer and Mrs. Ura McLain as hostesses.

Mrs. Inez Spencer was in charge of the program, "Texas under Six Flags." The guest speaker was Mrs. Lena Davis, who made an interesting talk on "Texas under Six Flags." "Facts about Texas" was given by Miss Mayme Lee Collins. "Music of Texas Under Six Flags" was played by Mrs. Foster Davis and Mrs. Inez Spencer. A solo, "Give Me Back My Dear Old Texas" was sung by Miss Joan Fox.

The members of the club decorated a friendship tree with gifts to be delivered to Mrs. Ella Rucker, a member who is ill.

Members present were Mrs. Viola Biggestaff, Mrs. Maye Solomon, Mrs. Marjorie Magee, Mrs. Irene O'Connell, Mrs. Ura McLain, Mrs. Bertha Burkett, Mrs. Sally Archer, Mrs. Dove Carlile, Mrs. Inez Spencer, Misses Mayme Lee Collins, Gusta Davis, Cora Carter, Martha Rettig and Lottie Russell. Guests present included Mrs.

**GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB**

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 16 in the home of Mrs. Willie Garrett with an interesting and instructive quiz given on the organization vocabulary of the County Home Demonstration Clubs. At this meeting a pink and blue shower was given for Mrs. Eugene Owens who was the recipient of many gifts. The hostess served a lovely refreshment plate to the following guests: Mrs. Sim Gamble, Mrs. Zola Greening, Mrs. Hazel White and children, Bobby and Barbara, Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. Walden Johnson and daughter of Thalia, Mrs. Ray Brown of Crowell and the following members: Mrs. Andrew Calvin, Mrs. Milburn Carroll, Mrs. Fred Diggs, Mrs. J. C. Prosser, Mrs. Cecil Carroll, Mrs. Oscar Solomon made an interesting talk on trees and shrubs for West Texas, listing a large number suitable for this soil. Mrs. Browning also read a paper on tulips, petunias and dahlias, prepared by Mrs. J. H. Gillespie.

The club will meet March 15th with Mrs. Jack Whitaker as hostess in the home of Mrs. J. E. Stover.

W. R. Womack, Mrs. Leo Spencer, Mrs. F. A. Davis and Miss Joan Fox.

tor, gave a demonstration on making whole wheat muffins which makes a very nourishing and tasty breakfast or luncheon bread. Tasty refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Andrew Calvin, Mrs. Milburn Carroll, Mrs. Willie Garrett, Mrs. J. C. Prosser, Mrs. Cecil Carroll, Mrs. Achie Campbell, Mrs. Ed Huskey and Mrs. Owens, the hostess.

**TRUSCOTT ALPHA CLUB**

The Alpha Club of Truscott met March 1 at the home of Mrs. D. S. Ellis at 3:30 p. m. As the guests arrived, they were invited into the dining room where they were served a delicious refreshment plate. The table was decorated with a large white star centered with blue carnations, carrying out Texas Day theme.

Mrs. Jack Whitaker, president, presided over the business session when club members made donations to the Red Cross and Cancer funds.

Mrs. Van Browning, leader, discussed West Texas lawns and roses, giving many interesting suggestions for planting roses. Mrs. Oscar Solomon made an interesting talk on trees and shrubs for West Texas, listing a large number suitable for this soil. Mrs. Browning also read a paper on tulips, petunias and dahlias, prepared by Mrs. J. H. Gillespie.

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## Home Demonstration Notes

MARY DEEB BROWN

Thursday and Friday of this week the agent plans to attend the Landscaping Workshop in Denton.

This is the schedule for the second meeting this month: Foard City, March 14 and 28. Riverside, March 15. Gambleville, March 16. Vivian, March 22. Margaret, March 23. West Side, March 27. At these meetings the agent will give a demonstration on preparation, use, and storage of the Master Mix. This mix can become one of your greatest time savers, so make your plans to attend that meeting.

**BAPTIST W. M. S.**

The First Baptist Church Women's Missionary Society met on March 5 at the church for the regular business meeting with Mrs. Glen Goodwin in charge.

After the business session, a short was devoted to Mrs. H. G. Hays gave the devotional and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin gave "Pueblo Land in New Mexico." Mrs. Leon Solomon gave "Papeho Indians in Arizona." She told how much missionaries are needed right here near door to Texas.

There will be a home mission program at the church Friday, March 9 beginning at 10 a. m. Each one is asked to bring a dish for the covered dish luncheon at noon. All the ladies of the church are urged to attend and hear this program.

The W. M. S. will meet March 12 in the home of Mrs. J. B. Harlan for mission study. Mrs. T. W. Cooper will bring the lesson.

**SEW-N-SEW CLUB**

The Sew-N-Sew Club of Foard City met on Thursday, March 1, for the first meeting held since January. The members drew unknown friends' names.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Harry Trawek to the following: Mrs. James Sandlin, Mrs. Boss Johnson, Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, Mrs. J. C. Rader, Mrs. Glen Shook, Mrs. Marlin Thompson, Mrs. Bob Myers and Mrs. R. J. Owens.

**SEASONAL DEMAND SHIFT**

In recent years, the seasonal consumption of oil has shifted. Prior to the mid 1930's gasoline dominated the petroleum market. The months of heaviest consumption were from April to September. Since then, the use of fuel oils in the homes, in industry and in various diesel-powered machines increased tremendously. As a result, total petroleum products consumption from October through March now exceeds summer demand.

Under existing laws, Navy permanent warrant officers become eligible for promotion six years after the date of their permanent appointment.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford, on Feb. 23. Eighteen boys and girls were present to enjoy the occasion. Roy received many nice gifts. Cake and hot chocolate were served by the hostesses.

**Mr. Seale . . .**

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at Cisco as an assistant chief clerk; in 1926 he went to Menard; and later was transferred to Mason as chief clerk. The following year he went to District J as local manager at Turkey and Quitaque.

From November, 1929, until September, 1930, Mr. Seale served as assistant manager in Childress; as sales manager in Dalhart until June, 1933; and from June until February, 1934, he worked in Abilene, San Angelo and McCamey. In February 1934, he went to Quanah where he served as storekeeper until September, 1936, when he assumed his present duties as local manager.

Mr. Seale has been very active in the civic affairs of Crowell; he is a past president of the Rotary Club; served as drive chairman for the Red Cross; was treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce for three years; chairman of the Foard County Rationing Board; chairman of the board of directors of the Community House.

He is a member of the Christian Church and served as treasurer for three years. He has been a member of the Masonic Lodge since 1924.

Farming and stock raising are his hobbies; he owns a 330-acre farm five miles west of Crowell, most of which is planted in wheat each year.

Mr. and Mrs. Seale were married at Tulsa in 1928, and they are the parents of one daughter, Mrs. Richard Stripling. Mr. Stripling is a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

(Reprinted from "Electric Times")

### Cut Cooking Time for Beans, Agent Says

Do you cook your beans all day, asks Mrs. Mary D. Brown, Acting County Home Demonstration Agent? Well, it's not necessary any more as a new short cut has been discovered.

Prepare your beans as you would for ordinary cooking by washing and soaking them. Then add two cups of beans to 6 cups of water and boil rapidly for two minutes. Then turn off the fire and leave them tightly covered for one hour. Then turn the fire back on and finish cooking them, about thirty minutes and you'll have beans as good as any you have cooked all day. Try it and see, says Mrs. Brown.

### VOLUNTARY METHODS WORK

Late in January one of the voluntary health insurance organizations in an eastern state reached a milestone. It has been in existence less than seven years—yet it just enrolled its 2,000,000th member.

Dr. Elmer L. Henderson, president of the American Medical Association, spoke at the dinner commemorating this event. He said, "The remarkable growth and development of voluntary health insurance—just the past 10 years—is proving that voluntary methods can take the economic shock out of illness, and that dangerous government intrusion in the field of medical care is completely unnecessary."

The facts bear out this view. A considerable number of voluntary plans are now in operation. The largest of them recently passed the 40,000,000 mark in membership, and enrolled 3,000,000 people in 1936. It is estimated that this type of protection will extend to 50,000,000 people within the next two to three years. In every kind of plan, the rates are moderate, and the coverage has been steadily improved. Some are now preparing to offer protection against the prolonged, costly illnesses such as cancer and heart disease. Proposals for imposition of state medical care do not include such protection.

Growth such as this in so short a period of time deserves the description "amazing." It proves that the majority of the American people can and will provide needed protection for themselves. And it is the answer to those who would put the politician into the medical field through compulsory government health insurance.

It is argued that some people cannot afford the most inexpensive medical protection. Certainly this small minority can be aided without an enormously costly political program which would inevitably lead to socialization of medical practice.

**GRASS ROOTS OPINION**

Clarissa, Minn., Independent: "Minnesota Municipalities, the monthly publication of the League of Minnesota Municipalities, carried an editorial in its January 1937 issue that we hope all state, county, village and township officials, to say nothing of Federal employees and the ordinary citizen, can well take to heart. The editorial said that it is time for citizens to pull in their belts and quit asking their government on all levels for all kinds of unessential services."

Meade, Kansas, Globe-News: "We take a dim view of these old welfare state items that have been presented repeatedly to Congress

in recent years, and that have repeatedly rejected by Congress. Budget for national defense. West Bend, Wis., News: Responsible newspaper regarding one of its most solemn duties, bringing to the attention of citizens the details of public affairs which they pay for and control. . . . The great task is getting the wheat from the mill; public affairs that is essential and its operations."

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