

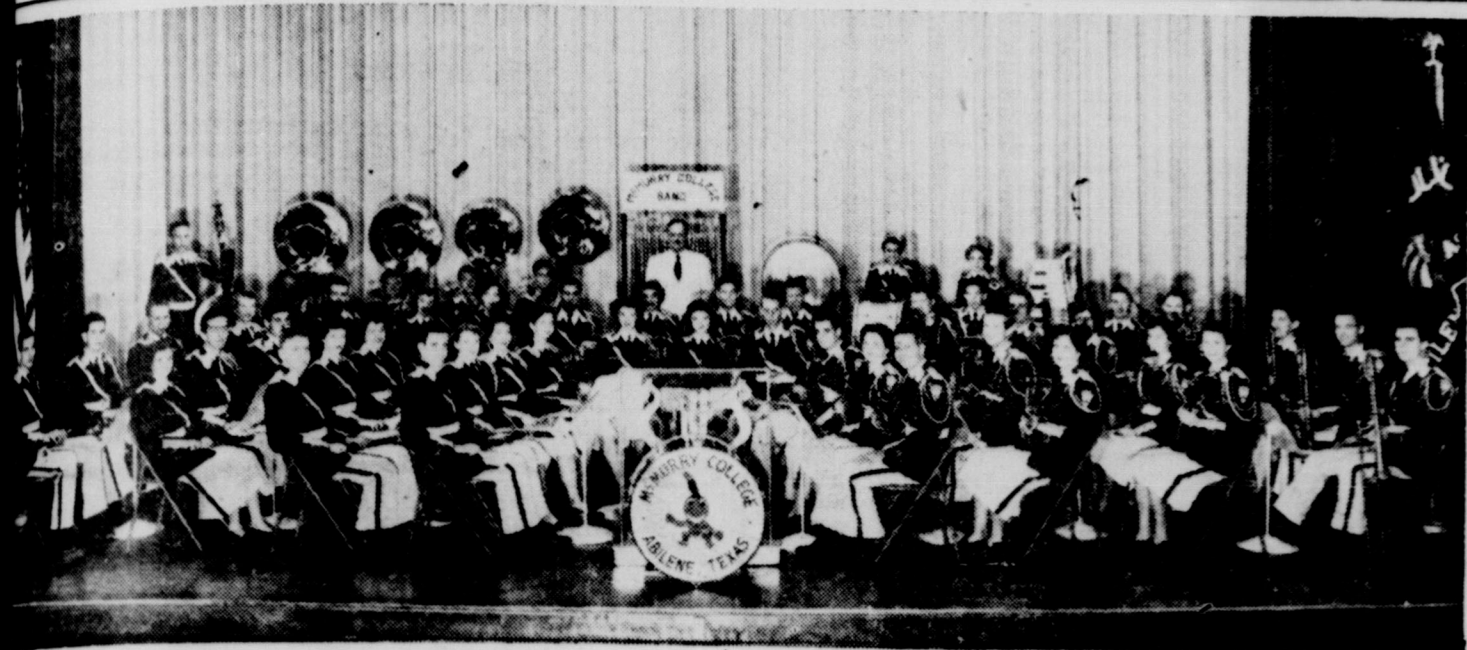
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McMurry College Indian Band to Play Concert Here Thursday Night, April 22

The McMurry College Indian Band will play a concert of symphonic arrangements, numbers, and Latin rhythms at the Crowell High School gymnasium Thursday, April 22, 8:30 p. m. The program is the auspices of the Crowell School band and its director, L. Rickard, and the public is invited.

Telephone Company Celebrates 30-Year Pin Martin Wagon

Wednesday evening, April 14, the General Telephone Co. of Southwest, had a delicious dinner served by the De-Café in the Down Town Class room for officials and employees of the telephone company.

Following the meal, Mills Robison, district manager from Memphis, presented Martin Wagon a 30-year service pin with a red and white ribbon. Mrs. Viola Biggers received her 10-year pin. Mrs. W. A. Laigon, district plant superintendent, of Memphis; Donner, commercial superintendent of Seymour; Mac McCrum, general office in San Antonio; and Miss Alma Patton, operator in Crowell, were also present.

The public is invited to come and see these new improvements, Miss Patton stated.

Carroll Families Held 2-Day Reunion at Ropesville

Four Carroll families composed of children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll, G. Y. Carroll and A. W. Simmons of Abilene, and Mrs. J. L. Carroll and her husband, met at Ropesville, Texas, Saturday and Sunday, April 10 and 11, for a reunion of relatives and friends.

The four families, the reunion was held in the community house at Ropesville and those attending enjoyed each other for two days. The reunion next year at the place.

sembles. The "Indians" from Abilene gave one of their programs for some real Indians—those of the Navajo Methodist mission near Farmington, N. M.

The band's program for high school assemblies features solo performers on trumpet, saxophone, marimba, and other instruments. One of its most popular soloists is Servando Trevino, a senior music major from Chihuahua, Mexico.

A unique "worship through music" program is another of the Indian Band's specialties. This program is carried out entirely by the McMurry bandsmen, from the opening hymn to the closing benediction. It includes Fred Waring choral arrangements of "Onward Christian Soldiers," and "Battle Hymn of the Republic," with choruses sung by members of the band.

Outstanding Director Bynum, the McMurry director, is a veteran of almost 30 years of band direction and music teaching in Texas. He has been professor of instrumental music and director of the band at McMurry College since 1946.

Before that he served 20 years in the Abilene Public Schools, directing the high school band and orchestra and coordinating the instrumental music program of the city's entire school system. During that period, some 2,000 different pupils received musical training under his baton.

Volleyball Girls Win Tournament

Crowell High School's volleyball team, coached by Glen Taylor, captured first place honors at the District tournament held at Archer City last Tuesday. The following schools participated: Archer City, Crowell, Holliday, Iowa Park, Olney, Quanah and Seymour. The Crowell girls defeated Holliday 15 to 0 and 15 to 5, and Iowa Park 15 to 6 and 15 to 5 to advance to the finals. They won over Olney 15 to 7 and 15 to 9 to take the championship.

The following girls represented Crowell: Billye Bell, Charlene Borchardt, Zonell Eddy, Barbara Fairchild, Clara Fiske, Frances Kincaid, Billye McCoy, Sue Meason and Lena Faye White. All of these girls will be eligible to represent Crowell again next year.

OPEN MEETING BOY SCOUT COMMITTEE

Committee chairman Bedford W. Smith has issued a called meeting of the Boy Scout committee, parents of Scouts, and any other interested in keeping this character-building program going in Crowell. Chairman Smith, without any regular Scoutmaster or assistant, has been carrying on alone most every week for several months, but must have dependable help to go on with the program.

"We need at least two men," he said. "It's not a one-man job; but it's a worthwhile job. Won't you help us get a couple of good men who love boys and who will meet with them on Mondays for an hour and a half?" is the appeal issued by the Boy Scout chairman.

EASTERN STAR SCHOOL

An Eastern Star School for District 2, Section 5, was held April 8 at Matador. Members of the Crowell Chapter who attended were: Mrs. W. R. Moore, Mrs. G. C. Phillips, Mrs. J. M. Moore, Mrs. Odessa Moore, Mrs. Walter Cates, Mrs. M. N. Kenner, Mrs. George Carlile, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Choate, Mrs. Bob Thomas, Mrs. Arthur Bell and Miss Lottie Russell.

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Allen-Hough Post No. 9177, met Thursday night, April 9, for installation of officers for the incoming year. Mrs. Alma Whatley of Ver-

Bruno Bergt Dies at His Home Early Wednesday

Funeral Held Friday Afternoon in Thalia Baptist Church

Funeral services for Bruno Bergt, 70, Foard County farmer since 1939, were held in the Baptist Church at Thalia last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald. Special music for the service was a duet rendered by Gus Neill and Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, accompanied by Mrs. Neill.

Mr. Bergt passed away suddenly at his home in the River-side community last Tuesday night. He was found dead in bed about 6 a. m. Wednesday.

Pall bearers were: Monroe Karcher, Grover Moore, Tom Lawson, Charles Nelson, Edgar Schoppa and August Rummel.

Burial was in the Thalia Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home of Crowell in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Bergt was born Oct. 10, 1884, in Germany and came to the United States with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bergt, when he was two years old. He was reared at Giddings, Texas, and came to Wilbarger County in 1909 where he was married to Miss Augusta Gloyne. Mr. Bergt had been enjoying the best of health and had been active in farm work. He was a good citizen and had many friends in Foard and Wilbarger Counties.

Survivors include Mrs. Bergt; two sons and four daughters, Ernest Bergt of Rayland, Mrs. Henry Fiske of Margaret, Mrs. Lorene Gossett of Riverside, Mrs. W. J. Wood of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Vance Nelson of Crowell; also 18 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, three sisters and one brother.

Funeral Services for T. D. Edwards Held Wednesday

Long-Time Resident Succumbs Here Early Tuesday

T. D. Edwards, 88, retired Foard County farmer who had made his home in Crowell for several years, died in the Foard County Hospital Tuesday morning following a short illness.

Funeral services for Mr. Edwards were held in the First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon, April 14, at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. M. F. Hankins, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, assisted by Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Baptist Church at Thalia.

Richard Johnson, Dave Shultz, Ed Huskey, J. T. Tamplin, Buck Odell and Hugh Shultz served as pall bearers. Flower bearers were granddaughters. Interment was in the Thalia Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Thomas Dee Edwards was born Sept. 2, 1866, in Washington County, Texas. He had lived in Foard County since 1911.

Survivors include Mrs. Edwards, one son and four daughters, John J. Edwards of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Roy Keen of Plainview, City; Marion James of Vernon, Mrs. Wade Odle of Crowell and Mrs. Pote Lindsay of Fresno, Calif.; two brothers, Jim Edwards of Lamesa and Walter Edwards of Tipton, Okla.

non, district president, held the installation service. Other visitors from the Vernon Post were Elizabeth Earthman, Billie Lynicum and Beatrice Stonerphier.

Two CHS Students to Enter Regional Meet in Dallas

Crowell High School had two students to qualify for the regional interscholastic League meet that is to be held in Dallas next week end. Robert Graves won first place in the mile run with a time of 4 minutes and 54.3 seconds; CloVonne McKown won third in typewriting with a score of 128.19. Four vocational agriculture boys, Billy Hopkins, Robert Love, Joe Gordon and Gaylon Whitman, qualified to participate in the State poultry judging contest at College Station.

Other students placing in the district meet were as follows: CloVonne McKown, Jean Whitby and Shirley Webba, second place as a typing team; Francine Coffey fourth place in senior girls' declamation; Gordon Graves fourth in senior boys' declamation; DeAnna Ferguson fourth in junior girls' declamation; and Devin McAnally fourth in junior boys' declamation; Wayne Borchardt fourth in 440-yard dash.

The following ten schools participated in the district 1A-15 meet: Archer City, Burk Burnett, Chillicothe, Crowell, Electra, Holliday, Iowa Park, Olney, Quanah and Seymour. There were 47 teams competing in the Area poultry judging contest that was held at Stephenville. The top nine teams will go to the State meet at College Station on May 8. Crowell's team finished in seventh place.

Farmers in Soil Conservation District Plan to Plant Diverted Acres to Guar

A number of farmers in the Lower River Soil Conservation District plan to plant their diverted acres this year to such crops as Guar or Blue Panic grass.

W. F. Statter plans to plant 65 acres to blue panic grass and 20 acres to guar. Mr. Statter has grown guar the past two years and says that guar will increase cotton yields from one-third to one-half.

George Fox, who is a cooperator with the local district, plans to plant all of his diverted acres to guar this year. Mr. Fox had approximately 30 acres in guar last year. He planted two rows in guar and two rows in cotton.

Other farmers who are planning to plant guar are Darwin Bell, W. A. Dunn, John Jekel, Joe Coufal, Jeff Matyssek and Raymond Kubick.

Guar is a summer legume and is planted at the rate of 5 pounds per acre in rows. The seed should be inoculated. Guar is a high residue producing crop in addition to its ability to fix nitrogen in the soil. Clipping studies made in 1952 indicate that guar will produce better than 6 tons of green forage per acre. It will also produce 600 to 800 pounds of seed per acre under average rainfall conditions.

H. R. Zeibig recently completed construction of some terraces on his farm north of Crowell. Assistance in staking the terrace lines and checking was furnished by the Soil Conservation Service.

Three farm ponds have been constructed recently on the Wishon ranch by Geneva Potts and John Wishon, cooperators with the local district.

Brother of Local Men Buried in Lockney Sunday Afternoon

Funeral services for Alex Norris, 67, were held in the Main Street Church of Christ at Lockney Sunday, April 11, at 3 p. m. Mr. Norris, who was a brother of J. E. and S. E. Norris of Crowell, died in the Lockney General Hospital following an illness of three weeks. Elder McDonald, minister of the church, officiated. Burial was in the Lockney Cemetery.

Mr. Norris moved from Crowell to Lockney 46 years ago. He was a carpenter and contractor. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Elvin Lyons, of Lockney; three brothers, S. E. Norris of Petersburg; one sister, Mrs. J. I. Summerford, of Hamilton, Texas.

Honor Rolls for Thalia School Announced Monday

Fifth six weeks honor rolls for the Thalia School have been released by Mrs. Howard Bursey, principal, and follow:

High Honor Roll
Charlotte James, Joan Schwarz, Bruce Cassada, Louis Kajs, Bill Taylor, Judith Johnson, Don Taylor, Eldon Whitman, David Carpenter, Janie Wright, Joanne Shultz, Patsy McRae, Judy Vaughn, Gayle Taylor.

Low Honor Roll
D'Lois Shultz, Ruth Ellen Short, Judy Holland, Patsy Cody, Roy Martin Shultz, Joe Coufal, Roy Chism, James Leslie Blakey, Mary Ruth Riley, Wesley Chism, Edward Cody, Larry Riley, Phillip Johnson, Ocie Tarver, Johnnie Matus, Jimmy Werley, Peggy Werley.

Perfect Attendance
Mike Cates, Rita Sue Hopkins, Betty Kajs, Jimmie Moore, Paul-ette McBeath, Mary Ann Ramsey, Patricia Cates, Beverly Gray, Rhetta Cates, Carolyn Werley, Jerry Toie, Vicki Sue Farrar, Gaye Ramsey, Kay Ann Taylor, Wesley Chism, Gary Carpenter, Charlotte James, James Leslie Blakey, Louis Kajs, D'Lois Shultz, Ruth Ellen Short, Wanda McCurley, Mildred McCurley, Phil Johnson, Judy Riley, Ocie Tarver, Jimmy Werley, Joanne Shultz, David Carpenter, Don Taylor, Eldon Whitman, Patsy McRae, Gayle Taylor, Judy Vaughn, Peggy Werley, Janie Wright.

Church School Attendance
Church school attendance for Sunday, April 11, at the various churches follows:

Assembly of God	130
Foard City	84
First Baptist	220
Free Will Baptist	53
First Christian	95
Crowell Methodist	227
Truscott Methodist	32
Margaret Methodist	28
Margaret Baptist	36

The Ministerial Association says "All are urged to find your place in church this Sunday and attend every service of the day if at all possible. This is National Church School Week."

SUBSCRIPTIONS
Subscriptions to The Foard County News since April 5 include the following: H. R. McLain, Amarillo; Mrs. J. M. Glover, Jackson, Tenn.; Henry Teague, McAdoo, Texas; D. E. Trawick, Truscott; Mrs. C. D. Gilbreath, Houston; J. W. Golden, Crowell.

Drouth-Breaking Rains Soak Foard County's Parched Land with Over Two Inches of Moisture Sunday and Monday

The first measurable rain in Foard County since last November soaked parched wheat fields and pasture lands with 2.35 inches of moisture Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, with skies clearing late Tuesday.

The Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank measured 1.75 inches by early Monday morning, and an additional .60 inches fell Monday. The rain

News About Our Men in Service

Donald E. Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reynolds, who is located at an air base in England, was among the Texas men to attend the Anglo-Texas Barbecue at Denham Studios March 6 at 2 p. m.

Chief Commissaryman John Lee Orr, brother of Mrs. Jeff Bell of Crowell, has been assigned to the Oakland, Calif., Naval Supply Center, it was reported this week by Rear Admiral T. Earle Hipp, commanding officer. The veteran chief petty officer had been serving in the repair ship, USS Conserver. He enlisted in the Navy in 1940 and served in various ships in the Pacific during World War II. The Oakland supply center, largest of its kind in the world, is the main supply base for Navy and Marine Corps operations in the Pacific and Far East.

Marine Capt. Bryant H. Banister, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister of Thalia, landed on Iwo Jima with the 3rd Marine Division during the recent "Operation Flag Hoist."

Nine years and a month after the first landing the Marines came through the surf and dug out a beachhead in the familiar volcanic ash, amid ruins of WW II. They powered their way inland, directing their attacks against an "enemy" force acted out realistically by the 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines, who had spent a month digging in for the "battle."

Following successful completion of the mission—to seize, occupy and defend Iwo Jima—memorial services were held for the more than 4,000 Marines and Sailors who gave their lives in 1945 to take the island for use as an American airbase.

Lions Club Elects New Officers for Coming Year

New officers for the coming year were elected at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Crowell Lions Club in the Down Town Bible Class room with the president, Kenneth Halbert, presiding. Rev. Max Copeland, who is conducting a revival meeting at Foard City, delivered an interesting talk.

New officers elected were Tom McCandless, president; Tom Ellis, first vice president; Roy Hanson, second vice president; L. Campbell, third vice president; Byron Davis, secretary and treasurer; Jiggs Barker, lion tamer; J. M. Crowell and E. L. Rickard, tail twisters. First year directors are Henry Borchardt and Charlie Lowe; second year directors, Mike Bird and Jack Spikes. These new officers assume their duties on July 1, 1954, and serve for one year.

Foard County and Truscott Riders Invited to Ride in Santa Rosa Parade

Plans are under way to have a large delegation of riders from Foard County and the Truscott community to ride in the Santa Rosa parade in Vernon on April 26, it was announced this week by John Cogdell, president of the Crowell Roping Club, which is sponsoring the Crowell and Truscott riders.

At a recent meeting Mr. Cogdell named the following assistants: W. A. Dunn was chosen as general chairman and parade marshal for the local group. Those appointed to head the committees were Jack Seale, J. C. Jones, Mrs. J. B. Fairchild, J. D. Smith and Jack Hickman.

Costumes for the men this year will be levis, white shirts, light colored hats, black bow string

MEETING POSTPONED

Due to the Garden Club Flower Show and the Easter holidays, the Gambleville Home Demonstration Club has postponed its meeting until Friday, April 23. Mrs. Cecil Carroll will be hostess for this meeting with Mrs. A. B. Calvin and Mrs. Milton Hunter giving the demonstrations.

came in a manner that will be of the utmost benefit to the parched earth, since it fell slowly and soaked in as it fell. This is the first moisture received in Foard County since November 3 when light showers delayed the gathering of the cotton crop.

Various sources report the rains measured as much or more all over the county than was received here in town.

The abundant rain will give farmers renewed activity although it probably came too late to be of any great benefit to the largest part of the county's wheat crop.

In addition to the great benefit of the rain for the land, it washed away the remains of the "mud storm" which visited Crowell some time ago.

It was cloudy again Wednesday morning and a light mist fell during the morning. The heavy rains spread over a wide area in Texas and Oklahoma and was accompanied by high winds Saturday night, when a 400-foot short wave antenna belonging to the West Texas Utilities Co. was blown down in Quanah. Many television antennas in that city were also toppled.

Flower Show Will Be Held Friday Afternoon, Apr. 16

The Crowell Garden Club's annual Spring Flower Show will take place at the Farm Bureau building in down town Crowell Friday afternoon, April 16, from 3 to 7 p. m.

"Facts and Fancies with Flowers" will be the theme. Mrs. Roy D. Fox is general chairman for the event.

Entries will be received between 8 and 11 o'clock Friday morning. Specimen exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor, but flowers for arrangements may be borrowed or bought. Special classes have been arranged for visitors and a separate division for juniors. The junior classes are dish gardens, animated vegetables, flower posters and displays of leaves named trees under glass. A luncheon will be served honoring the visiting judges at Mrs. W. C. McKown's at noon Friday. All garden club members are eligible to attend.

Other committee chairmen are Mrs. R. J. Thomas, publicity; Mrs. Jack Roberts Jr., entries; Mrs. J. T. Brooks, placement; Mrs. Glen C. Fox, staging; Mrs. Horace Phelps, awards; Mrs. Grover Phillips, classes; Mrs. Guy Todd, juniors; Mrs. M. O'Connell, hospitality; Mrs. Hartley Easley and Mrs. Hubert Brown, judges committee.

NEW CARS

New cars registered in the tax assessor-collector's office since March 15 follow:

March 15, Gordon Erwin, 1954 Chevrolet 4-door; March 17, S. V. Gamble, Thalia, 1954 Chevrolet 4-door; March 19, S. H. Gentry, 1953 Pontiac 4-door; March 22, Jack Brown, 1954 Chevrolet sedan; March 22, Roy C. Steele, 1954 Ford 2-door; March 27, Vernon Jones, 1954 Ford 4-door; March 31, C. G. Brown, 1954 Chevrolet 2-door; April 1, J. D. Wright, 1953 Chevrolet 4-door.

ties and boots. Women may wear whatever they desire. Those who do not conform to the costume rules, are welcome to ride with the group, but must ride in the rear, Mr. Cogdell stated.

Efforts will be made this year to match horses as to color and size. No double riders will be allowed, according to the general rules of the Santa Rosa parade committee.

According to information furnished the News, there will be a truck leave Crowell from the Jack Seale pens around 10 o'clock on the morning of the 26th, and a small charge will be made by the trucker to transport the horses. The unloading this year will all be at the baseball park on East Wilbarger Street. All who take part in the parade will be issued a ticket to a free barbecue at noon in the baseball park by the parade chairman, W. A. Dunn.

Mr. Cogdell says that everyone is invited to ride in the parade with the local Roping Club and that he would like to have at least fifty riders or more. Further information can be given by any of the committeemen.

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Note: This interview with M. S. Henry by Paul Cooper is another of the most interesting in the group of English IV interviews.

M. S. HENRY, PIONEER BUSINESSMAN, NOW MANAGES FARM

"Yes, the railroad came to Crowell a few months before I did. There were almost as many business houses here then as there are now. The county seat had already been moved to Crowell from Margaret." This was the entrance to Foard County by M. S. Henry as he tells it. Mr. Henry came to Foard County in October of 1908. He bought an interest in the Carroll Hardware Store which was located on the corner where the Crowell Service Station is now located.

Mr. Henry was born October 12, 1879, in Collin County near Plano, Texas. He went to various country and county schools in and around Plano. He married his wife, the former Miss Frances Allen Huffman, in 1903 at Fort

Worth. Being a native of Collin County also, she had grown up there where she lived until their marriage. They had known each other since childhood.

Mr. Henry first came to this part of the country in the summer of 1897, where he had a working interest on a small ranch site of Hollis, although Hollis was not there at the time. He came to Quanah about a year later, where he went to work in a large hardware store for Stiteler and Carroll. This was a large concern, and Mr. Henry said that they sold goods to the merchants in towns around Quanah for one hundred miles. He worked for this firm for ten years. He decided that he would never make a good living working for wages; so he asked Mr. Carroll to sell him an interest in his store in Crowell. Mr. Henry bought one-third interest. T. L. Huganston bought one-third interest, and Mr. Carroll kept one-third interest. Mr. Huganston sold his interest in about two years to Bob Allee. About the same time Mr. Henry bought out Mr. Carroll's share.

In 1910 Mr. Henry put in one of the most modern hardware stores in this part of Texas at the time it was built. It was located on the corner where the Rascor Food Store is now located, and Mr. Henry was the owner until the building was completely demolished by the cyclone in 1942. Mr. Henry handled sheet metal, furniture, implements, cars, and a complete and modern line of hardware. One of the novel attractions was the elevator in this building. The building was two stories, and the elevator, which was operated by a one and one-half horsepower gasoline motor and which was later converted to electricity, was installed to carry wagons and other heavy equipment to the upper floor. This store made tin cisterns quite profitably, as the water was not very good in Crowell at that time. Many of these cisterns are still in use, although the last ones were made in 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry have lived in several homes in Crowell. They built the home owned by Fred Wehba now. It was built in 1925.

It had eleven rooms, and it was one of the showplaces of the community at that time. They built their present brick home on North Third Street in 1949.

Mr. Henry served in the capacity of superintendent of Sunday School in the Methodist Church in Crowell for over 35 years, and is now a member of the board of stewards of that church. Mr. Henry, known to all children, seemed to be thought of whenever Sunday School was mentioned to a Methodist child until his retirement from this office about six years ago.

Since retirement, which came with the destruction of his business, Mr. Henry has seen after his farming interests in the country. He has been farming in this county for about 35 years, and he now farms approximately 1,000 acres of cotton, wheat and feed.

When asked about his move to Crowell, Mr. Henry stated that he came over from Quanah on a bus or hack, and his furniture was shipped by wagons. The hack left Quanah, and at the same time one left Crowell. These hacks left once each day, and met at Teacup Mound, where they swapped passengers and went back to their respective towns. The trip from Crowell to Quanah took the better part of a day.

I asked Mr. Henry about his first automobile, and he told me that it was about a 1914-15 model Dodge. He was the Dodge dealer in Crowell at that time, and as with much of Mr. Henry's accomplishments, his automobile was one of the finest made. I also asked him about the speed at which automobiles were ordinarily driven in those days. He said that they usually drove about 25-30 MPH, but that you had to have a rather good road to hit 30. He seemed quite proud of the fact that his first automobile was not bought on credit. He said that he would not buy one until he owned his home, store, and had the cash to pay for the car.

These are only a few of the highlights of this man's life, remarkable as it is. He is one of the successful businessmen in our city, and likes to recall some of his old friends and neighbors. He especially has a fond remembrance for Dr. Clark. Mr. Henry said, "He was my friend, neighbor, and physician from the time I came to Crowell until his death a short time ago."

PROTECT OUR DEMOCRACY

Although our Heavenly Father made us all equal in his sight, he has not endowed us all equally in some ways. We are not all tall, handsome, strong, bright, brilliant and brainy; not all can think fast and learn easily. We are all, however, endowed with the priceless gift of freedom to choose. In our glorious democracy we

can choose our life work, our home, our church, our school, our manner of behavior. This freedom is evident throughout our great country at all times of the day and night. It is evident on an early spring morning on a small farm in Virginia, as a young farmer looks over the countless rows of golden corn. It is evident among the towering skyscrapers of New York as a middle-aged lawyer rides the subway to work. Yes, the freedom of choice is displayed by the doctor in California, the rancher in Texas, and the school teacher in Georgia. They have all made their own choice of a vocation.

Our country also leaves it up to us as individuals to choose our own religions, theories of doctrines, or opinions. The naturalists and the atheists have the same privileges to express their beliefs as the Catholic, the Jew, or the Protestant. Freedom of religion was one of the basic desires of the first Pilgrims who set foot on the continent and it is still one of the strongest principles in our democracy.

Freedom has always been protected by the American people. The desire to uphold our freedoms was shown by the minute men when they fired the first shots that turned the British on the greens of Lexington. It has been shown on the damp battle grounds of Europe and the shores of Iwo Jima. It was evident on the blood-splattered hills at Heartbreak Ridge and Old Baldy. Every nation that has even threatened our freedoms has been defeated by the strong hand of democracy.

But now, more than ever before, we the citizens of this free nation, are called upon to protect our freedoms. Not as the minute men who fought so bravely for their country, but in an entirely different way. We as individuals must exercise our freedoms or we will lose them. If a man binds up his arm so he cannot use it, it will soon become withered and useless. It is the same with our freedoms. If we practice prejudice and idleness, we destroy the very thing our nation stands for. Therefore, let's all work together in a patriotic effort to keep America the strong nation our forefathers pictured so many years ago.

ENGLISH CLASSES STUDY UNITS ON DEMOCRACY AND SPORTS

The English III and IV classes have just finished studying two interesting units, democracy and sports. The students prepared both oral and written themes on these subjects. The project was not only to help students speak in front of groups of people, but it also taught them more about different types of sports and the importance of living in a democracy.

The students gave excellent reports on what they think about our democracy and about great men of the past and present who influenced the development of the American way of life. They brought out the outstanding values in sportsmanship.

PARTICIPATE IN TIL MEET

Declaimers, ready writers and typists from CHS spent a busy day in Iowa Park last Friday entering and being spectators in several literary events.

In the senior division, Gordon Graves and Francine Coffey gave declamations. DeAnna Ferguson and Devin McAnally entered the junior division. The judges gave much constructive criticism to the declamations, each of which won fourth place.

Genevieve McDaniel and Jean Whitby, ready writer entrants, were unable to compete because their names had not been turned in at the proper time.

The typing team, CloVonne McKown and Jean Whitby, won a second place in district competition with CloVonne winning third place individually.

The students profited from the meet in many ways, best of all perhaps in the association with other high school students from this section of Texas.

HOMEMAKING 1 GIRLS JOIN EASTER PARADE

Not really, of course, but the dresses displayed at the freshman fashion review Friday, April 9, were beautifully made with all the colors of the rainbow represented.

Mrs. Grady Graves and Mrs. Lewis Sloan, judges, had difficulty placing the dresses as they were modeled by the girls.

Girls whose dresses received a grade of 95-100 were the following: Nelda Kay Brooks, Janis Crowell, Anna Marie Faske, DeAnna Ferguson and Patricia Todd; those given a grade of 90-95 were Myrna Sprague, Maxine Walker, Pat Davis, Peggy Long, Latrelle Duckworth; grades from 85-90 went to Marketta Painter, Karen Hall, Lavoy Rummel, June Ford and Sandra Choate; grades from 80-85 were given to Mary Lou Denton, Theda Hough, Doris Smith, Virginia Florida, Wanda Akers, Betty Duncan, Ruth Hinkle, Lula Scott and Wilma Polk.

DELEGATES TO STATE MEETING

Hard work and consistency have really paid off this year for DeAnna Ferguson and Latrelle Duckworth. By counting up points earned, these girls came out with top honors as Crowell delegates to the state FHA meeting April 22-24 in Fort Worth.

Several things taken into consideration in giving points are grades, helping make money, holding chapter, district and area offices, dress contest, garment or toy for a child, junior or chapter degree, and club attendance. La-

treille earned 182 points and DeAnna earned 169.

This event takes place once each year and approximately three to four thousand girls attend.

CUTE, GREEN EYED GIRL SECRETARY OF FISH CLASS

Anna Marie Faske, who is about five feet four inches tall, has green eyes and brown hair. Aside from being a cute and friendly gal, she is also secretary-treasurer of the freshman class.

She has a lot of favorites and no dislikes. For instance, her favorite subject is algebra, but she does not have a difficult subject this year. Her favorite pastime is reading.

Anna Marie's hobby is sewing, and a very good seamstress she is too. A dress she made in home economics won a place in the first group of dresses in the Homemaking I contest. She likes fried chicken and banana pudding; moreover, she enjoys cooking them almost as much as eating them.

A very active gal, she was on the basketball team this winter and plays volleyball now. She is a versatile, personable gal who, we are sure, will be an asset to CHS during her next 3 years.

THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER

Tomorrow's the big night. Everyone remember the Junior-Senior banquet and prom at 7:30 p. m. and 9 p. m. respectively.

Taken from the news: A pastor of a certain church in another city remarked that Easter had come ahead of time! His reason for this statement was that on Easter Sunday the church overflows; however, his church had had a record attendance for several Sundays before Easter. The National Council of Churches reports that at the end of 1952, church membership was at a new record total of 92 million. Moral decay is not likely to make much headway in a nation where more than one-half of the people are so determined to uphold moral and spiritual values.

It is an actual statement that Arturo Toscanini, at the age of 87, has retired. There was much regret at this action by the people. Miss Delphine Binger has gained fame from a very unusual industry—the chicken wishbone industry. She writes about them and her wishbone greetings are now used as boutonniere corsages, wedding cake ornaments, place cards, etc.

A certain elephant trainer named Lanky George Lewis says the best way to train an elephant is to love them and make them love you. He explains there must be a certain feeling between you and the animal.

A different kind of trainer, a beauty queen trainer for the Mardi Gras, says that the reason more girls aren't attractive is because

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they are "slunks" which, as she terms it, is the shuffling feet and turtle head type of carriage of the body. This woman also said, "Walk like you're glad you're alive and you'll look alive. The slouch will fade away."

The study of insects called entomology has come to the end of its first 100 years in America. These 100 years of study reflect the growth of professional entomology.

CROWELL ENTERS DISTRICT GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Crowell High School golf team was eliminated last Tuesday in the District golf tournament held at Quanah by a strong Olney team. The Crowell linksmen totaled a 720. Joe Pruitt led the locals with 186 for an average of 46 per round. Pruitt was the only returning letterman from last year's team.

SOUTH LOCKETT BOUNCES CATS 20-17

The South Lockett High School baseball club scored seven runs in the first inning and ten in the bottom of the sixth to outslug the Crowell High nine last Friday

20-17. Doug McKay and Solomon both homered for Lockett, McKay in the first and Solomon with two on a grand slammer in the sixth. James Dyer and Gerry Knox both hit for the Cats.

The contest was marked many errors on both teams though Lockett made a triple play in the fifth. The play came off a grounder to the third baseman McKay, who stepped on the forcing the runner from second then threw to Collier on first who in turn threw to second caught the Crowell runner base, thus completing a very

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White Swan	
TEA 1/2 lb. box	55¢
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ORANGE JUICE	15¢
Dee Brand Toilet	
TISSUE 4 roll pk.	29¢
White Swan Crushed	Can
PINEAPPLE No. 2	29¢
Zestee Pure Grape, 1 lb. 4 oz. Tumbler	
JELLY	39¢
Sooner Select	Large Bottle
CATSUP	19¢
Marshall	22 oz. Refrigerator Jar
PEANUT BUTTER	49¢

Snowdrift, 15¢ coupon in each can, 3 lbs.	
SHORTENING	89¢
LIGHT CRUST	
FLOUR 25 lb bag	\$1.99
Premium Red	
POTATOES lb.	3 1/2¢
Firm Head	
LETTUCE each	13¢
Carton	
TOMATOES	19¢
Cello	
CARROTS pkg.	9¢
GRAYSON	
OLEO lb.	22¢
Ground	
MEAT lb.	30¢
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STEAK lb.	57¢
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STEAM LOCOMOTIVE'S LAST PUFF
 Transportation history was made when the last team locomotive serving Washington, D. C., puffed its way into oblivion on November 2, 1953. Washingtonians weren't left without train service, however. Newer, more economical diesel locomotives, which are oil powered, already had taken over the runs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Choate and children, Jeanie Kay and Randall, of Slaton spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate.

W. A. Dunn and Ham Tamplen returned home from Orange last Thursday night.

Junior Haseloff of Henrietta was a visitor here Thursday.

L. S. Bledsoe from Oklahoma City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Bledsoe, and son, Bunnie, last week.

Mrs. Crews Cooper and daughter visited her sister in Pampa over the week end. Mr. Cooper went after them Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and son visited his mother, Mrs. J. S. Smith, and daughter in Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kubicek and children of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack Sunday.

Willie Barnett from James Conley Air Force Base in Waco, visited his mother, Mrs. Cora Barnett, last week end.

Mrs. Minnie Hlavaty of Lubbock visited Mrs. Bax Middlebrook Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. George Kampen of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Ayers, and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matyssek and son, Alfred, of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack Monday.

V. Bond of Slaton and Billy Bond from Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bond, last week end.

Earl Orr and son spent the week end with Mrs. Orr and Carolyn in Vernon.

Mrs. J. D. Mahoney of Quanah attended the shower for Mrs. Mary Ray Spirek Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Walker of Mexia visited Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne Friday night.

James Bowers spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Bowers and daughter, Janie, while en route from California to Michigan.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Laney visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee of Jacksboro, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bryan at Olney, G. C. Laney Jr. and family at Red Springs and friends at Graham last week.

Rayland MRS. BUCK CLARK

Pete Tuggle of Gainesville visited Monday and Tuesday with his brother, Cap Tuggle, and wife, who accompanied him home Tuesday afternoon for a visit.

C. H. Sitton and son, Ray, of Kirkland, visited Monday and Tuesday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Claud Carr, and family. The men made a business trip to Rochester Tuesday.

Claud Carr and son, W. C., and Jesse Moore and Ronny visited in Kamay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gray of Carlsbad, N. M., and Walter Cain of Weatherford visited Tuesday in the Claud Carr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lewellen visited from Friday till Monday with her son, Willie Lee Lyles, and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Custer and Sandra visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Herman McAdams, and husband of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Arthur Schulz and Mrs. Barney Martin attended a meeting in Wichita Falls Monday.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral of Bruno Bergt Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gloya of Kress; his

Wayne Lindsay of Wilson, Okla., and Johnny Lindsay of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. Mary Hunter and Mrs. Belle Blevins last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Eavenson and children of Amarillo spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne, and relatives at Zacatecas.

Raymond Halenack of Ranger spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bell and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Maroney and daughters in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Bradford and daughter, Jo Nell, visited her mother, Mrs. S. J. Boman, in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Bagley of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell and Mrs. Jack Roden Thursday.

Mrs. Lewis Hunter of Crowell spent from Wednesday until Saturday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hunter.

Peggy Long and Boyce Cox of Crowell visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Hunter, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. McCurley and Mrs. O. C. Allen visited in Vernon last Thursday.

Mrs. Bob Thomas, Mrs. Arthur Bell and Mrs. Gilbert Choate attended an Eastern Star meeting in Matador Thursday.

daughter, Mrs. Wilbert Joe Wood, and family of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloya and son of Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gloya of Lockney, Mrs. Martha Kalbus and son of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark of Kamay.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark visited over the week end with their son, Steve, and wife of Kamay. They all visited Sunday at Possum Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Richter and family of Electra spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Ruby Mansel.

Walter Carr is on the sick list. He was in Vernon Thursday for medical treatment.

Emmett Martin made a business trip to Clovis, N. M., Tuesday.

The most welcome news in our community was the one and three-fourth inches of rain we got Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Drought of Levelland spent last week end with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert Jr., and family.

Mrs. Lee Harris and Mrs. H. Solomon of Lockett visited relatives in Childress Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Boazley and Mrs. Ervin Schoolcraft and Pam visited Mrs. W. A. Young in the home of her daughter and family, Mrs. Wyatt Hendrick, of Lawton, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark and son, Steve, and wife visited Friday night with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Martin Schoffner, and family of Petrolia.

Mrs. Hixie Raines returned home Saturday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Davis, of Necona. She also attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Christine Davis, at Wichita Falls.

Rex Allen and Slim Pickens to Star in Santa Rosa Show

Vernon—Rex Allen and his partner, Slim Pickens, of movie, radio and TV fame, will make personal appearances in Vernon at the ninth annual Santa Rosa Roundup and Quarter Horse Show which is scheduled for the week of April 26-May 1.

Rex Allen, Republic Pictures western star, came to the film

capital with a ready-made audience of millions of radio fans—the faithful followers he collected during the four years he headed the popular National Barn Dance program over WLS Chicago. Allen joined the National Barn Dance program in 1945 and remained with the show for four years, after which he was signed by Republic and launched on a new career as a cowboy star.

Prior to joining the network show, Allen has been a barnstorming rodeo performer who loved to entertain his pals between shows by singing songs and playing a guitar. He learned to play the range musical instrument while living in Wilcox, Arizona, where his father had homesteaded a piece of land during the height of a range war between homesteaders and cattlemen.

Other special attractions planned for this year's Santa Rosa Rodeo will include The Valkyries and their Flying White Horses—a breathtaking display of bareback riding. The Valkyries, a family of four, present a show of glamour and death-defying thrills—a spectacle guaranteed to leave the rodeo audience entranced.

Another specialty act is Cy Riter's comedy act which features an "arsenal on wheels." This "goldenrod contraption" has been presented by Cy Riter in Honolulu, Canada and all over the United States. The act originated at Arlington, S. D., where Cy won a prize in a dilapidated car parade contest and he has been winning ever since.

All in all, this year's Santa Rosa show—as it has always been in the past—is "tops" in rodeo entertainment, and a sell-out is expected for each of the six performances.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our many thanks to friends and neighbors who were so nice to us while Mrs. Bradford was in the Crowell Hospital. The flowers, cards, gifts and prayers were appreciated; also the faithful care of the doctor and nurses. May God's richest blessings be upon everyone.

Mrs. C. F. Bradford and Family.

The statue of Venus de Milo can be seen at the Louvre in Paris.

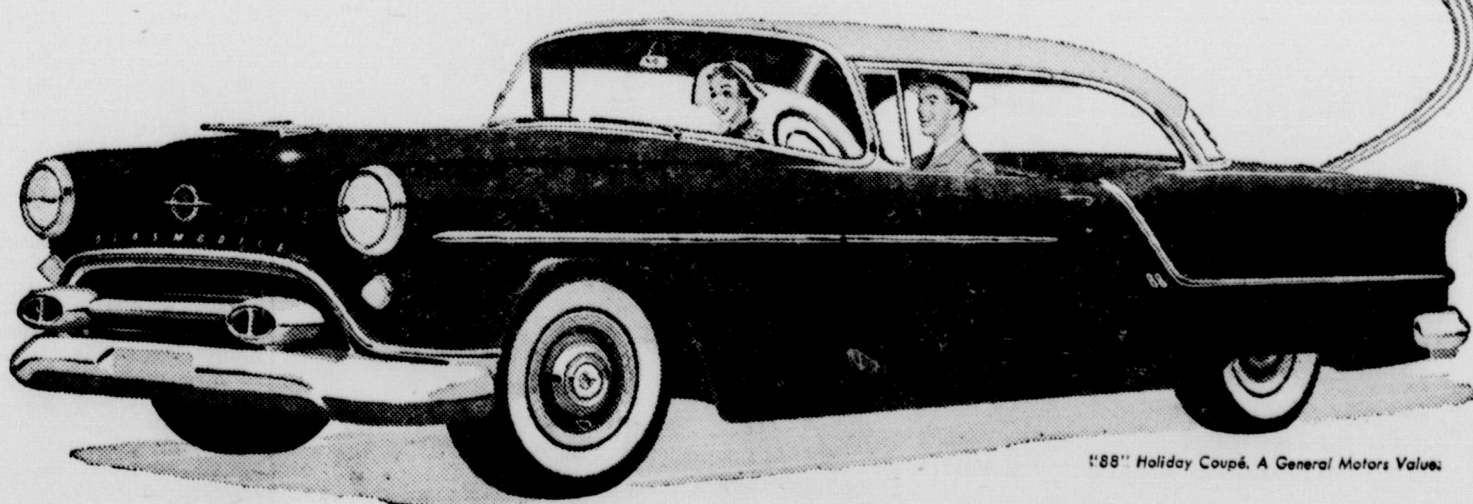
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Warren Everson in Race for Com., Precinct No. 4

Warren Everson announced this week that he is a candidate for Commissioner, Precinct No. Four, Foard County, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

In making his announcement, Mr. Everson had this to say: "I am fully aware of the grave responsibility, both to the county and the individual precinct, involved in the office of a County Commissioner, and my decision to enter the race therefore has come after much careful consideration; I certainly do not profess that my qualifications overshadow all others but do confess to you that I shall greatly appreciate your vote and influence and that in the event you should see fit to elect me to such office, I shall exert my best efforts to the end that the duties of such office may be discharged in an efficient, progressive and impartial manner."

DOWN TOWN BIBLE CLASS

In the opening exercises of the Down Town Bible Class Sunday morning, the group was favored

Truscott Coon Hound Wins Trophy at Meet

A four-year-old male black and tan coon hound won the trophy in the line drag race at the West Texas Coon Hunters Association meet near Crosbyton Saturday, April 10. The contest was held on the Blanco River on the Brunson Ranch east of Crosbyton, a stream that has flowed during most of the dry weather.

Pvt. Vernon E. Jones of Fort Sill, Okla., is owner of the prize-winning hound, Rowdy. Pvt. Jones' father, E. J. Jones of Truscott, and Q. D. Williams of Floydada entered the dog in the meet. Luke Marlow of Foard County exhibited a fine performing Redbone Hound at the meet. Over 200 hounds were entered in the contests.

Contests for judging the hounds' skill included the line drag race, coon on the log, coon in the hole and coon in the barrel. Trophies for these events were miniature gold hounds on black bases.

with a duet rendered by Misses Jo Ann Fox and Jo Helen Aly, with Mrs. W. W. Lemons as accompanist.

There were 86 men present, including 9 visitors. The morning message was delivered by Rev. Warren Everson.

In the News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of The Foard County News of Friday, April 11, 1924:

Ford Touring Car \$295. F. O. B. Detroit.

Fifteen neighbors got together last week with sixty head of work stock and plowed the field of a sick neighbor, John Thompson, and prepared the land for the spring crop and also planted a patch of oats for hog pasture, completing the job by mid-afternoon.

Bud Thompson is here from Clayton, N. M., on account of the serious illness of his brother, John, who has pneumonia.

Deputy Sheriff Jim Chowning caught a bootlegger whose car contained 35 gallons of white liquor and the same amount of red liquor Thursday night of last week when the bootlegger's car collided with another car near Mr. Chowning's home in Truscott.

Mrs. C. C. Browning has returned to her home in Truscott after spending several weeks in Mineral Wells for her health.

Individual deposits in the First State Bank at the close of business on April 11 was \$192,220.39, according to official statement made by M. L. Hughton, vice president, and Sam Crews, cashier.

Arthur McMillan has bought the home belonging to Mr. Cook in the northeast part of town, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson on March 5, a fine boy.

Mrs. F. R. Lefevre of Foard City was operated on last week in the Crowell sanitarium and is recovering satisfactorily.

Alton Nicholson has accepted a position as soda clerk at Ferguson Bros. drug store.

A deal was closed last week whereby Paul Shirley becomes owner of the J. S. Ray home in the northeast part of town.

When you are killing time, don't forget that time is killing you.

Honesty comes in two varieties—the real and the make-believe.

Austin Highlights

by Senator George Moffett

The special session of the Texas Legislature which closed last Tuesday dealt principally with an increase to the minimum pay for Texas public school teachers and with the passage of a law to curb Communists.

A definite year to year increase in student enrollment in our public schools made it necessary to raise the minimum salary scale for teachers so that enough more teachers would be attracted into the profession to fill the needs of the schools. The proper training of our children should never be neglected. Such training is one of the basic purposes of good government. Furthermore, it is well established that Communism flourishes best in countries which do not have a good public school system.

The Legislature adopted the compromise plan proposed by the Governor's 25-member statewide committee. This plan was a give and take proposition for all concerned. Among other things, it provides that the local districts shall furnish 20 per cent of the cost of maintaining the public free school system and the State shall



by VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

Most of Governor Allan Shivers' program passed through the legislative session with the greatest of ease.

There will be an increase of \$402 per year in public school teachers' pay; state employees will get a salary increase of \$120 per year; and \$10,687,500 will be spent for state buildings.

Not only did the Legislature make those appropriations, it also passed a tax bill to raise the money.

To pay for the governor's program, the Legislature passed an increase in taxes on natural gas production, corporations, and beer.

Largest amount will come from gas, the levy being raised from 5.72 to 9 per cent of wellhead value, starting next September 1. This will bring an estimated \$14 million per year. The tax will be reduced to 8 per cent the second year and 7 per cent the third.

Increased from \$1.25 to \$2 per \$1,000 of capital value was the franchise tax on corporations. This hike is expected to produce \$8.6 million per year.

Beer taxes were raised from \$1.37 to \$2 a barrel and will bring in about \$3 million more per year.

Near the end of the session, one of Shivers' proposals ran into trouble.

To a conference committee went a bill to outlaw Communists. The Senate refused to accept House amendments to the measure.

Senator Rogers Kelley, author of the bill, had a sharp verbal exchange with Senator W. H. Moore about the proposition.

Moore asked the presiding officer, Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, a question on the voting, and Kelley said, "If you want to vote with the Communists, vote no."

"I'll put my patriotism up against yours any day," Moore retorted.

"There will be order in the Senate," was Ramsey's order, and a sergeant-at-arms moved into the scene, which quieted when Kelley said he did not mean to reflect on any member.

Another snag was hit when Senator Jimmy Phillips "tagged" 18 appropriation bills, which means that a public hearing must be held on each.

Finance committee hearings were set on the bills Saturday morning, just three hours before the deadline on committee action for the special session.

Appropriations involved included buildings for the Waco, Gainesville and Gatesville state institutions. The bills would furnish 80 per cent, with the further proviso, however, that each district shall have deducted from its 20 per cent a sum equal to \$100 for each teacher in its school system. This really means about 17 per cent local support. If the local districts are to retain local control over the operation of their schools, which is of course very desirable, it follows that the local districts must contribute a reasonable amount to the maintenance of the schools. The 80 per cent State support and 20 per cent local support, less \$100 per teaching unit, certainly seems a reasonable compromise. At least, many sound thinkers felt that it was.

It was an integral part of the plan submitted by the 25-member Statewide committee, and, all things considered, this compromise was as near fair for all concerned as it was possible to pass. It is the best long range plan ever passed for the local districts. The original Gilmer-Aikin bill passed five years ago called for 25 per cent local support and 75 per cent support of the public schools by the State. This new 20-80 plan definitely does not mean an increase in local taxes unless a district desires to pay its teachers more than the minimum State-wide salary scale or to hire more teachers in the future than it now has.

I would be glad to receive comment on this entire subject between now and the next regular session in order that further changes may be made, if needed, at that session.

CANDLE LIGHT COMMUNION SERVICE TONIGHT

A candle light Communion service will be a feature tonight of the three-day membership Consecration Services now in progress at the First Christian Church of Crowell. Services began on Wednesday with the theme, "Consecration through Prayer" with Minister Bedford Smith speaking on "A House of Prayer." Tonight the theme is "Consecration in Christ" with message on "Love to the End." On Friday the theme will be "Consecration in Action" with message "Go Ye!" Time of services are 7:30 to 8:30 p. m. Visitors will be welcome.

FOR SALE — 227 acres land well improved with 185 acres in cultivation; 338 acres on Wichita River with 110 in cultivation. —J. M. Barker, Foard City. 37-2tp

Political Announcements

For State Rep., 82nd District: W. S. (BILL) HEATLY JR.

For Judge, 46th Judicial District: JESSE OWENS (Re-election)

For District Attorney, 46th Dist.: LEON DOUGLAS (Re-election)

For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS (Re-election) ALTON R. GRIFFIN

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: SHERMAN McBEATH J. L. GOBIN (re-election)

For County and District Clerk: J. A. STOVALL (Re-election) HUGH NORMAN.

For County Treasurer: MARGARET CURTIS (Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1: BEN GREENING (re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: PERCY TAYLOR J. L. (BILL) BELL (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: W. J. (BILL) BOND COY PAYNE BAX MIDDLEBROOK (Re-election) SIM V. (Dink) Gamble.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: FLOYD BORDHART (re-election) HARVEY J. CROSNOW KENNETH GREENING

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: TOM BURSEY (re-election) E. H. (DICK) CROSNOW WARREN EVERSON.

tions, several state colleges, a probation system, the committee on alcoholism, and emergency grants for state agencies.

Producers who wish to sell gas to Panhandle farmers for irrigation pump fuel may do so, according to a bill passed late Friday night. The bill sailed through the House of Representatives Thursday and was whipped through the Senate committee in record time.

Final passage came during the late session Friday night when the lawmakers ordered themselves locked in to hold a quorum. The bill provides that anyone who sells gas to farmers for agricultural use is not to be placed under regulations as a public utility.

Seven cities in the drought stricken Panhandle area will benefit from a bill passed by the House which creates a Green Belt municipal and industrial water authority serving those cities.

Author of the bill, which received 112-to-one approval, was Representative Elbert Reeves of Matador. The cities affected are Childress, Clarendon, Hedley, Memphis and Quanah, all on U.S. highway 287 between Amarillo and Paducah, and thirty miles north and south of Childress on U.S. 83. The House amended Reeves' bill to provide that the authority could not acquire or develop underground water. The authority would have the power to use ponds and could condemn property within its limits.

The Legislature also has created a water conservation district including the city limits of Nocona.

False charges have been made against the Texas insurance industry, says Garland A. Smith, chairman of the Texas Board of Insurance Commissioners.

Smith referred particularly to reports printed in armed services publications that "thousands of Air Force personnel will suffer cash value losses in now defunct life insurance and endowment policies" from a Texas insurance company that recently went into receivership.

These reports are without foundation, said Smith in a telegram to Robert B. Anderson, undersecretary of defense.

Smith told Anderson that the company involved, United World Life of El Paso, sold only one policy to a member of the armed forces.

Texas, added Smith, could not have become the insurance capital of the world, with 1860 licensed companies and \$15 billion of insurance in force if the state's insurance laws were not basically sound.

Senator Joseph McCarthy will be a San Jacinto Day speaker in Houston if he is "still alive" at that time, he has told Hugh Roy Cullen.

University of Texas students opposed the selection of McCarthy as a speaker and asked Cullen that the matter be reconsidered.

Signatures of 1,571 students were on the petition delivered to Cullen, Houston oil millionaire and philanthropist, by Bob Kennedy, editor of the university newspaper, and Ronnie Dugger, a former editor.

C. Woodrow Laughlin, ousted district judge of Alice, has paid \$3,079 in court costs resulting from the historic trial that brought about his removal.

Laughlin, elected to his position

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with the help of Duval County Boss George Parr. Just the case when the Texas Supreme Court found that he improperly dismissed a grand jury that had indicted him, and that he feared would indict his brother, a Jim Wells county commissioner.

Another development in the South Texas strife occurred when the court of criminal appeals refused the appeal of Mario (El Turko) Sapet from conviction and a 99-year sentence in the slaying of Jacob S. Floyd Jr. of Alice.

The Parr forces carried an election in Duval county last week—but not by the margin to which they have been accustomed in former years.

Orders went out from Department of Public Safety headquarters to start enforcement of the automobile inspection law immediately after the April 15 deadline.

Many thousands of vehicles had not been inspected as the deadline approached, and a last minute rush was anticipated. Auto owners missing the deadline are subject to a \$200 fine.

Modified this year, the car inspection law is concerned only with lights, brakes, horn and windshield wipers.

State politicians were beginning to crank up for the campaigns designed to get the votes in the Democratic primaries in July and August.

At the moment, the Senate race is drawing considerable interest. Incumbent Lyndon Johnson has a definite opponent in Representative Dudley Dougherty of Beeville whose wife made his race official by paying the \$625 filing fee to Wallace Savage of Dallas, State Democratic chairman.

Coke R. Stevenson Jr. also was mentioned as another possible candidate. He now is administrator of the Texas Liquor Control Board. It was Stevenson's father who was defeated by Senator

Johnson in the much publicized race six years ago. Austin for the junior Stevenson race that he had been approached about making the race this year.

Thomas Evans Riddle, one of the last survivors of the War, died at the Texas State Home for Men last week. He had been suffering from infirmities of old age. He was 107 years old.

There now are only four remaining veterans of the War between the States, Walter Williams III is another Texan of that war. He lives on a farm near Franklin, Texas, and appeared in Austin to kick off the second "Lone Star Car Races" sponsored by Bergstrom Air Base.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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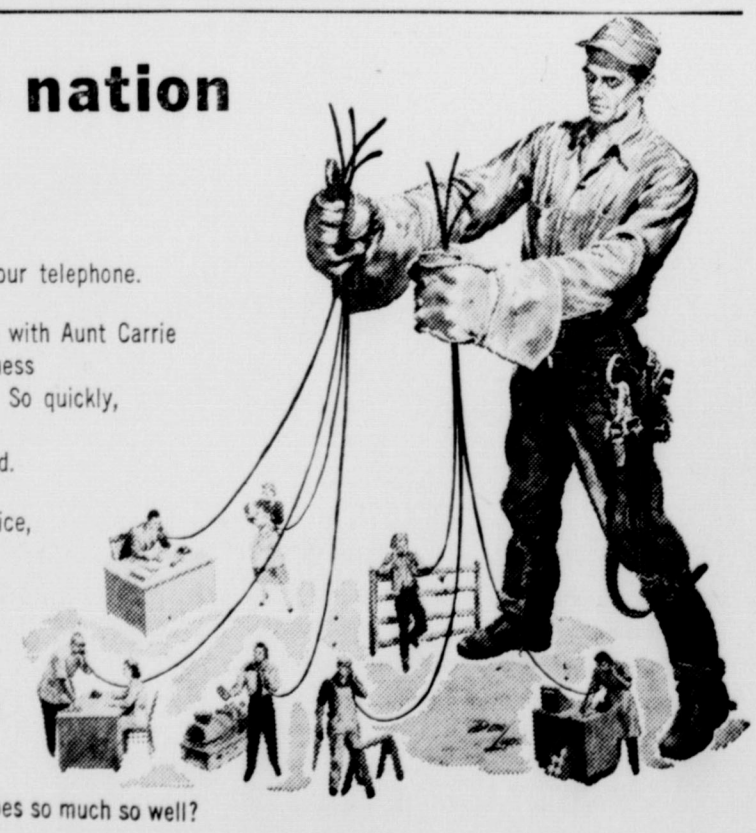
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughston last Thursday and Friday in Denton and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell and children of Fort Worth were last week on account of the death of his father, Dwight L. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ekern returned Saturday from Roundup, where they spent several days at the Johnson & Ekern ranch.

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Harvey Bryant left Tuesday for Mountain Home, Idaho, for a visit to his son and daughter, M. Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Bryant, at a B-36 Bomber Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Minyard and three children of Amarillo, recent visitors in the home of Mr. Minyard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard.

Mrs. Viola Biggerstaff spent last week in Nocona visiting with Mrs. Earl Moody. She visited her son, Dalton, in China Falls.

Mrs. Rob Banister accompanied her sister, Mrs. Hardin Russell, and family of Vernon to San Antonio over the week end to visit H. Russell, who is in the Air Force there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hendrix of Ark., spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hendrix and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix are former residents of Foard County, leaving here 21 years ago to make their home in Arkansas. They lived on the Ferguson Bros. farm south of Crow-

J. A. Wallen was here from Eunice, N. M., last week attending to business and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warren of Littlefield were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard and other relatives.

Roy E. Hanson, owner and manager of the Rialto Theatre, left Sunday night for Phoenix, Ariz., to visit his family for several days.

Mrs. John Binnion and two children, Peggy and Tex, of Weatherford, Okla., visited over the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Campbell.

Mrs. Charlie Lowe spent last week with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Stringer, in Olney, who is ill. She returned home with Mr. Lowe Sunday afternoon. Mr. Lowe went to Olney Saturday afternoon.

W. K. Newton of San Antonio came last Thursday for a visit in the home of his sister, Mrs. T. B. Klepper, and family. He was met in Vernon Thursday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Klepper.

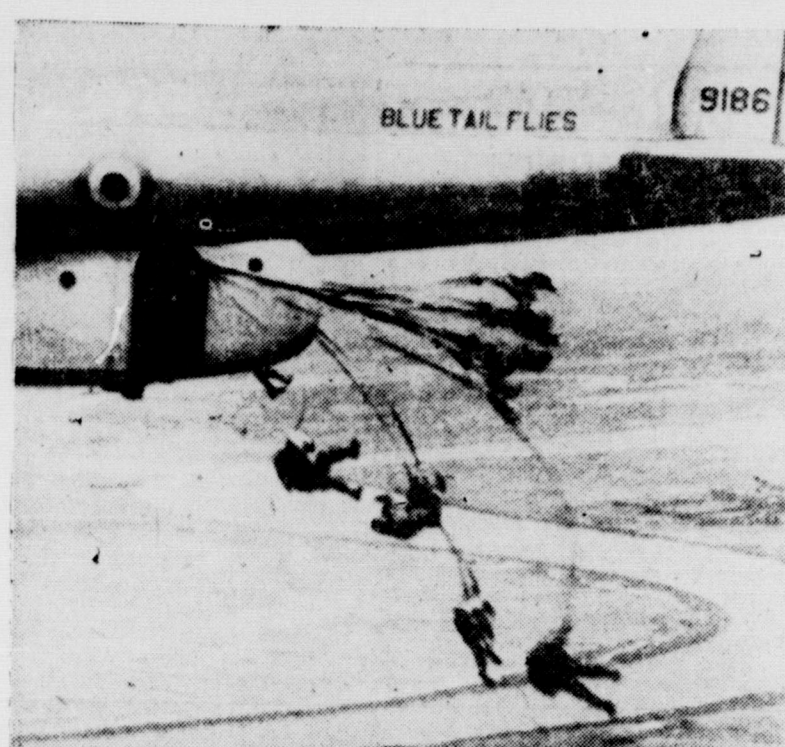
Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Middleton and two children, Sam and Elizabeth, and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Miller of Lubbock spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leon Speer. Mrs. Middleton is the former Miss Florence Miller.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the many wonderful friends who helped to make our sorrow lighter. May God bless each and every one of you. The Family of Bruno Bergt.

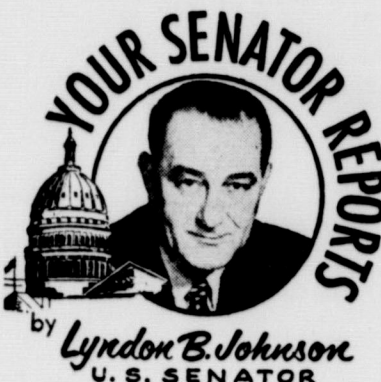
CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful and kind to me during my recent illness in the Vernon Hospital. For the cards, letters, flowers, gifts, etc., I shall always be thankful. May God bless you. Mrs. Grover Nichols.



PARATROOPS BOLSTER FRENCH INDO FORT — In remarkable action picture, objects seen dropping from trans-

port plane are French paratroops reinforcing Dien Bien Phu, Indo-China fort under siege by Communist Viet-Minh rebels.



by Lyndon B. Johnson U. S. SENATOR

H-Bomb: There is one topic that is on everyone's lips—and in everyone's heart. It is the hydrogen bomb—the most destructive force ever wielded by man. As a father, I am deeply concerned over this dreaded weapon. The lives of my little girls—Lynda Bird and Lucy Baines—will be determined by our ability to control this force. The lives of your children will depend upon our collective wisdom and determination to harness this power.

What is it? The H-bomb is simply heavy hydrogen exploded by an atomic bomb. The process, according to our scientists, is similar to that by which the sun gives off the heat that warms our earth. Can it destroy the earth? Our best minds tell us "No"—but it can destroy civilization! It is the mightiest force that has ever been in the hands of man. But experts tell us it is still a "firecracker" compared to such natural forces as the volcano Krakatoa which erupted in the early part of this century.

What can it do? For all practical purposes, it can destroy any city on the face of the earth. It can cause total destruction within a 50-square-mile area; severe damage within a 200-mile square area; moderate damage within a 600-square mile area; fire destruction within an 800-square mile area. This does not take into account the damage from radiation.

What does the future hold? The hydrogen bomb is a force which will either end war or end civilization. The answer lies in our wisdom; our unity; our ability to put aside our petty quarrels and dedicate ourselves to preserving our country for posterity.

Is there hope? I personally have a tremendous faith in the future of our country. I think we have the brains, and the courage, and the will to preserve our freedoms. I take comfort from these verses of the 91st Psalm: Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; nor for the arrow that flieth by day; Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness; nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday.

In that spirit, we can control this tremendous force that we have developed.

How About Indo-China? Here, too, we are at the crossroads. We must make hard decisions—the kind that will tax all our determination and willpower.

I attended a highly secret briefing at the State Department last Saturday. Of course, I am not at liberty to reveal the details of that briefing. But it is no secret that the fall of Indo-China to the communists would be disastrous to all our plans in Asia.

It would mean the loss of the richest tungsten, tin and rubber producing areas in the free world. More important, it would mean the loss of all Southeast Asia and probably the loss of all Asia. Ultimately, we might be driven out of the Pacific itself!

The issues are simply this: Shall we continue to give more aid to the French forces in Indo-China? Shall we insist that the aid be conditioned upon a more realistic attitude on their part? (The French forces actually fighting have been magnificent. But they have had little support from the home front. Furthermore, their leaders have not been inclined to listen to good, common-sense advice.) Shall we continue without clear assurance that others will join with us? Or shall we withdraw altogether and fall back upon the concept of fortress America?

The next few weeks will see the answers to these questions. Whatever the answers may be, they must be based upon the full knowledge and consent of the American people!

Vivian

MRS. W. O. FISH

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowley spent Friday night with her brother, Plato Carroll, and wife of Meadow.

Mrs. Ray Brown, Mrs. Gordon Erwin and children, Cindy and Bill, Mrs. T. W. Cooper and Mrs. Maude Rasberry of Crowell spent Thursday with Mrs. Pat McDaniel.

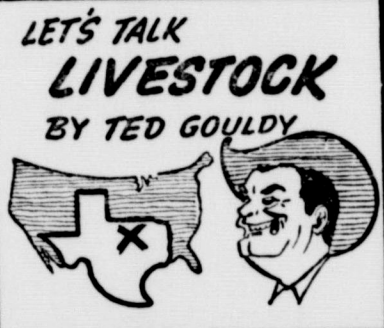
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren and son, Dwain, and Mrs. M. E. Boren visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gidney of Crowell recently.

Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish and Darlene Fish were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson of Paducah Saturday evening.

Della Ree Gilbert of Tatum, N. M., spent the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Dee Gilbert, and son, Ronnie.

Mrs. Dee Gilbert visited Mrs. Billy Harper of Paducah Saturday night.

Miss Reba Jo Boyles of Paducah visited Mrs. Dee Gilbert and



Many dry sections of the state got rains over the week end and the more optimistic feeling was evident among livestock producers at Fort Worth Monday. Many ranchmen reported rains enough to bring grazing along, and in some spots heavy downpours put out critically needed stock water into tanks and ponds.

Livestock farmers with grain that was barely hanging on reported the rains were "life savers." In the North Texas area many farmers told us that "just one more like Sunday and we'll about have an oat crop made."

On the market the cattle trade reacted rather slowly to the good news, but there was definite improvement in the prices for stockers where they had some quality. Fed cattle were again scarce, and apparently the supply is dwindling pretty fast in this part of the country.

This made packers good buyers on the creepfeed types of heavy calves and light yearlings. This class has advanced \$1 to \$2 per hundred in the past few weeks as the supply of mature fed steers has begun to play out in the Southwest.

It looks like another year in which creepfeeding of calves will be highly profitable, especially on those calves with a "plain" background of quality.

Sales of most classes of cattle and calves were fully steady to strong and some sales 25 to 50 cents or more higher were noted through the list. Some stockers were up more.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings drew \$18 to \$23, and common to medium sorts sold from \$13 to \$18. Fat cows drew \$10.50 to \$13, a few topky kinds \$13.50. Canners and cutters sold at \$7 to \$10.50. Bulls sold from \$10 to \$15, odd head \$15.25.

Fat calves of the good and choice kinds sold from \$17 to \$21, and there were numerous loads and small lots of creepfeed calves in the 500-650 pound bracket at \$18 to \$21. Common and medium kinds \$14 to \$17, with culls \$10 to \$13.

Good and choice stocker steer calves and steer yearlings drew \$17 to \$20, and stocker cows sold from \$10 to \$13.50. The range between stocker heifers and steers seemed more narrow, with some heifers up to \$17.25 and \$17.50.

Hogs hit a new top at Fort Worth Monday when they finally attained \$28. Good and choice butcher hogs at \$27.75 to \$28 were at the best level since September 1948. A couple of weeks ago they reached \$27.75 and there had been much conjecture as to whether they would get to \$28 here and if so when. Sows were steady at \$22 to \$24.50.

Ronnie Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathews of Crowell and daughter, Miss Norma Jean Mathews of Vernon, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and family Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ray Wilson of Swearingen visited Mr. and Mrs. John Fish Tuesday night.

Mrs. Allison Denton and daughter, Kathy, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren and son, Dwain, and Mrs. M. E. Boren visited Dale Everson of Pampa in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Everson and family of Crowell Sunday.

Troves Gilbert of Hobbs, N. M., and Miss Carolyn Meeks of Eunice, N. M., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Dee Gilbert, and Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert and daughter, Della Ree, of Tatum, N. M., spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Dee Gilbert, and Ronnie.

Miss Bernita Fish attended the senior play in Paducah Thursday night of last week.

Arthur Sandlin and Allen Fish were Vernon visitors Thursday.

Mrs. John Fish attended the birthday party for Joe Mike Lowry in the Boy Scout hut in Paducah Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion T. Gilbert and daughter, Jana, Miss Carolyn Meeks, Troves Gilbert, Della Ree Gilbert and Mrs. Dee Gilbert visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaudin and daughter of Goodlett Sunday night.

Jo Ann and Norma Sue Thompson of Paducah spent Saturday night with Mrs. Dee Gilbert and son, Ronnie.

Della Ree Gilbert of Tatum, N. M., and Darlene Fish of Paducah spent Wednesday night with A. T. Fish and daughters.

Mrs. C. A. Bowley visited Mrs. J. M. Marr of Crowell Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion T. Gilbert and daughter, Jana, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudgens, and family of Riverside.

Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish and A. T. Fish were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stinson of Paducah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowley, Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin and daughters, Judy and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughters, Joylyn and Sharla, and Mrs. E. Boren attended the Carroll reunion in Ropesville Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fish, Bill Fish and Mrs. W. O. Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Anglin of Paducah Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish spent from Saturday until Monday in Dallas visiting their son, John Allen Fish, and family.

Della Ree Gilbert returned to

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her home in Tatum, N. M., Friday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Dee Gilbert, Ronnie Gilbert and A. T. Fish.

Carolyn, Marolyn and David Denton visited Robert, Gordon and Martha Fish Thursday afternoon.

Misses Bernita, Myrtle and Neoma Fish and Mrs. John Fish attended the shower for Miss DeLores Thompson, bride-elect of James Hopkins of Thalia, in the home of Mrs. Arlie Brothers of Paducah Saturday afternoon. Mrs. John Fish and Miss Bernita Fish were hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughters, Suzanne and June, of Vernon spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Fish, and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ray Wilson of Swearingen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Fish.

Mrs. John Fish visited Mrs. Bryan Handley and infant daughter in the Paducah hospital Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son, Danny, spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. M. C. Gaudin, of Vernon.

Jerry Pittillo and Eugene Davis of Crowell spent the week end with Grady McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr visited Mrs. F. C. Haught and Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Haught and family of Shawwater Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Fish visited Mrs. Emma Setliff of Crowell Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughters, Joylyn and Sharla, visited relatives in Truscott Sunday afternoon.

Raymon Rasberry was a Clovis, N. M., visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Cloyd Ray Condron and daughter, Cynthia Kay, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings of near Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earn Cox of Hackberry were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat McDaniel and son Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arant and family of New Deal Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones of

Crowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Rasberry, and family Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McDaniel and son, Grady, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Gordon Erwin, and family of Crowell Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathews of Crowell Sunday afternoon.

This community received 2.3 inches of rain and was still raining at this writing Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie of Truscott visited their son, Warren Haynie, and family Thursday night.

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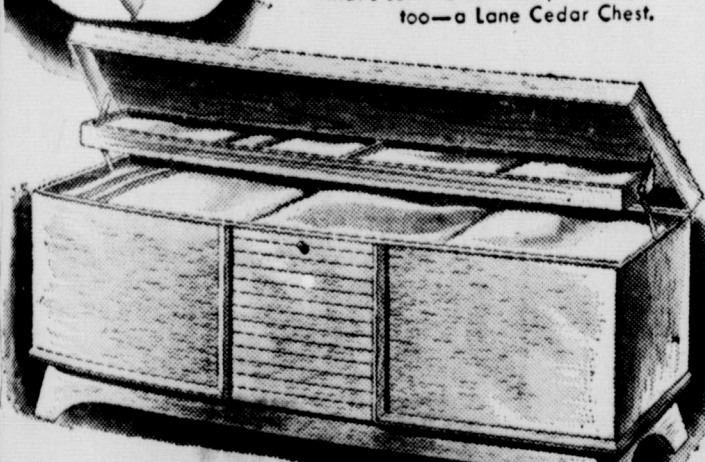
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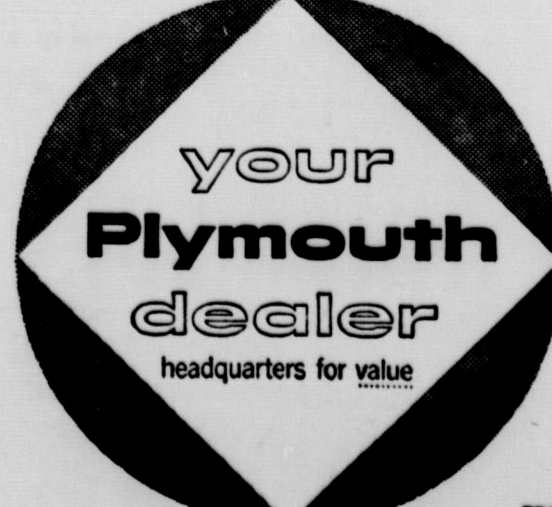
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Truscott

MARY K. CHOWNING

Jimmy Gillespie of Crowell spent several days last week visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gillespie, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Chilcoat and children of Benjamin visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, one night this week. Mrs. Paul Bullion and son returned home from visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Summers, and other relatives in Talpa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickens and Mrs. Warren Pickens of Spur spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon and Mrs. C. M. Guyann.

Mrs. C. M. Guyann returned home Sunday after spending several days in the Knox City Hospital recovering from burns she received one day last week when her clothing caught fire at her home here.

Mrs. Charlie McNeese, Mrs. S. O. Turner, Mrs. Jack Whitaker and Mrs. A. P. Smartt were Vernon visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie visited their son, Warren Haynie, and

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family in Vivian recently.

Mrs. J. E. Stover of Chillicothe spent the week end here. Doyle McNeese of Wichita Falls spent the week end visiting his mother, Mrs. Charlie McNeese, and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. of Vera spent Saturday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and children, Jackie and Carolyn.

Jimmy Cash of Gilliland and his father, Monroe Cash of Truscott, were in Wichita Falls on business last Monday.

Mrs. Marion Chowning, her father, Bill Stoker, and Mrs. Jack Whitaker visited Mrs. Ethel Branton in Knox City last Thursday.

The Truscott Methodist WSCS had as their guests last Monday afternoon the members of the WSCS of Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and girls of Vivian and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie while Sunday afternoon.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Boykin and Keth over the week end were Mrs. Dudley Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Howell and daughter of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Scott, and son, Wesley, of Albany.

Mrs. J. G. Acker and son, David, of Amarillo visited Mrs. E. E. Acker and other relatives and friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Glascock of Cisco spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Corder and James and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bates of Winnboro are spending several

days visiting his mother, Mrs. Anna Bates, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Henry and daughter, Loretta, of Merkel visited friends here.

The First Christian Church of Truscott has announced that Rev. A. G. Abbott, former pastor of the church, will hold a meeting to begin Thursday, April 22 and will close Sunday, April 25. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. New of Gentry, Ark., spent several days here visiting his son, Owen New, and family and friends here.

This community received a 2-inch rain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Chowning and Mary K. were in Jacksboro Wednesday attending to business and visiting friends.

Those out of town guests who attended the Truscott Baptist Church homecoming April 11 were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wisdom and children, Jim, Charles and Betty, of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Henry and daughter, Loretta, of Merkel, Mrs. J. G. Acker and son, David, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bates of Winnboro, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patton and son, Danny, of Crowell, Rev. and Mrs. Joe W. English of Glen Rose, Mr. and Mrs. George Solomon of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Chapman and sons of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. New of Gentry, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. M. Hord of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. H. Glascock of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trawick of Foard City, Mrs. J. W. Rutherford of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Whitley of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Smith and daughter, Carolyn Kay Smith, of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Floyd and Mrs. K. D. Floyd of Seymour, Mrs. Effie Wood, and Mrs. Jack Morgan Jr. of Seymour, Edith Bays of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Woodward and Lillah Campsey of Knox City, Jack Morgan Jr., John Ryder, Marion Wood of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Jess N. Rutherford of Gilliland, Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Seitz of Gilliland, Mrs. Dudley Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Howell and daughter of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Scott and son of Albany. The two former pastors of the church who attended the homecoming were Rev. Joe W. English of Glen Rose, who preached the morning service and E. G. New of Gentry, Ark., who preached the afternoon services.

The Baptist meeting will end Sunday, April 18.

NON-MILITARY EXPORTS

United States exports during 1953 reached a total of \$15,747,000,000 compared with \$15,191,300,000 in 1952. Imports last year, according to the Census Bureau, amounted to \$10,873,700,000, compared with \$10,717,500,000 in 1952.

Riverside

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudgins and family were dinner guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hopkins, of Foard City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward visited their son, Louis, and family of Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. Kampen of Houston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Ayers, and family.

LaVoy Rummel accompanied a number of girls from Crowell to Canyon for the week end.

Dale Pendergraft, who has been employed in Amarillo, spent the week end with his family here. They live on the August Rummel farm.

This community was saddened last Wednesday when the word came that Bruno Bergt had passed away. Mr. Bergt had been a resident of this community for a number of years and had many friends here and other places. His wife, four daughters and two sons survive.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pyle and children of Floydada spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and Mrs. Dave Shultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cato and family of Fort Worth were dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. Dave Shultz, and family Sunday.

Miss Mary Matus underwent surgery in a Vernon hospital Wednesday and is improving.

Junior Hopkins of Foard City spent Saturday night with Jimmy Hudgins.

Roy Blaylock of Vernon spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. R. E. Moore, and Mr. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gloyna of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna Jr. of Kress were here Friday for the funeral of their brother-in-law and uncle, Bruno Bergt.

Mrs. Grover Moore visited her mother, Mrs. Nolan Shivers, of Five-in-One Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey of Thalia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and son, Ward, and Logan Casado visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward of Chillicothe Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Ayers returned last week from visiting her mother, Mrs. George Kampen and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper, of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward spent the week end with their son, Weston Ward, of Grapevine.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seales were in Wichita Falls last week where Mrs. Seales underwent medical examinations.

Mrs. Ruby Mansel, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Ward, spent the week end at her home in Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and son, Michael, visited with her niece, Mrs. Ed Albus, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Petrus, of Harrold Monday. Mrs. Albus has recently returned from a Wichita Falls hospital where she underwent surgery.

Mrs. George Kampen of Houston visited Mrs. John Matus Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, last week.

Paul Matus of Artesia, N. M., and SLC Bert Cerveny of Lawton, Okla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Matus and visited Mary Matus in a Vernon hospital. Mr. Cerveny was accompanied home by his wife and daughter, who had been attending the bedside of her sister, Mary Matus.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koenig and Cathy and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matus and David visited Robert's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shultz and Jerry, Mrs. Dave Shultz and boys were dinner guests of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Glen Gable, of Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Hopkins and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Paducah Saturday and attended a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Dolores Thompson, bride-elect of Jimmy Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Townsend of Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Anton Sosolik and daughter, Tonia Joyce, of Vernon Saturday afternoon.

Mary Cato of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. Dave Shultz, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Florida and girls visited in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Shultz and boys visited Mr. Edwards in the Crowell Hospital Sunday evening. Mr. Edwards is critically ill.

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The Navy recently awarded contracts totalling more than \$1,250,000 for the construction of 88 40-foot wood utility boats.



The Challenge of the Resurrection

When the angel spoke to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary on the morning of the resurrection, he said three great things which we do well to ponder.

First, he declared a tremendous fact—"He is risen."

Second, he offered convincing proof of the reality of the fact—"Come, see."

Third, he revealed the demand made on those who became acquainted with that fact—"To ye, tell."

All three of these things are naturally joined, and each one derives its full value from the others. The angel never would have asked them to tell what they had not seen, and they certainly could not have seen what did not exist. There must first be the empty tomb; then, the invitation to see it; and finally, the demand to go and tell.

But these things are not only intimately joined, they are in necessary and vital sequence. They follow each other naturally and inevitably. If there is an empty tomb, men must see it, or it loses much of its value. And if men experience an empty tomb, they must tell about it, or its blessings are confined to the few instead of being scattered to the many. Going and telling, witnessing to a risen Saviour and Lord, is the ultimate purpose and the immediate challenge of the resurrection.

"Now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the first fruits of them that slept . . . O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Cor. 15:20, 55-57).

News from the Congress

by Congressman Frank Ikard

Just recently the Congress passed the bill that would authorize the creation of an Air Force Academy similar to the Military Academy at West Point, New York, and the Navy Academy at Annapolis, Maryland. The Secre-

tary for Air, Harold E. Talbott, has appointed a five-man commission which will recommend the site for this new Academy. Members of the commission are Virgil M. Hancher, president of the University of Iowa; Merrill C. Meigs, vice president of the Hearst Corporation, Chicago, Ill.; General Charles A. Lindbergh; General Carl A. Spaatz; and Lt. General Hubert R. Harmon. The Air Force has said that the major requirements for the site for the new Academy will be at least 15,000 acres of land which has natural beauty and can be developed as a national monument just as West Point and Annapolis have been; that it must be near a community that has a variety of educational institutions and religious, cultural, and recreational facilities readily accessible to the site; that it must be located in an area that has a mild climate; that a water supply of at least 3,000,000 gallons of water per day be available; that good transportation facilities be at hand, as well as public utilities such as electric power, natural gas, or other fuel. The establishment of an Air Force Academy has been seriously considered for several years. Several Texas sites have been among those that have been seriously investigated. Among these Texas sites is one a short distance southeast of Denton.

The Air Force plans to activate the academy on a temporary basis at an existing Air Force base

just as soon as practicable. The first class of three hundred cadets will be enrolled in 1955. The number of vacancies that will be allocated to each representation in Congress will be allocated twelve vacancies for the first class. Each member of Congress from Texas will be allowed to make nominations to exceed ten persons. These nominees then will take competitive examinations for the vacancies and the appointments will be made from the qualified candidates in the order of their merit.

This week the House passed and sent to the Senate a million appropriation bill to finance the operations of the Interior Department for the year. The amount approved by the House was more than 12 cent below the \$422 million requested in the President's budget. Amendments to the bill amounting to \$35,000 for the Southwest Power Authority and \$500,000 for Fish and Wildlife search \$500,000.

The modern torpedo gets its name from the electric fish, the torpedo electricus.

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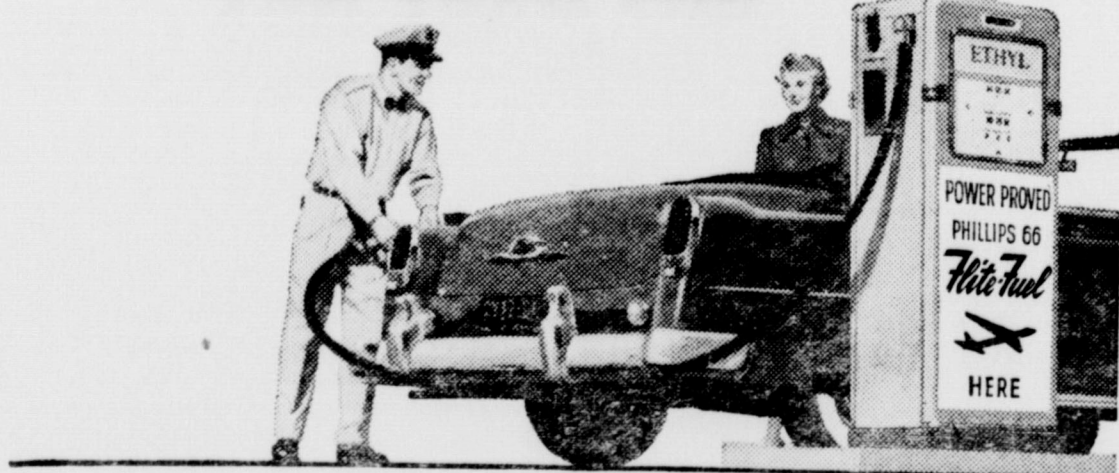
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RENT — Garage apartment,
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38-3tc
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Equip. 31-tfc

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Hereford cow, 4 years
old, 1 month, branded S-
left hip. — Mrs. Maggie
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TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or
trespassing of any kind al-
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HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing
of any kind allowed on any land owned
by the Wilson Estate. — Charlie
Wilson. 47-52tp
TRESPASSING — No hunting, fishing or tres-
passing of any kind allowed on my land.
H. H. H. 24-tfc

FATHER, SON IN CRASH

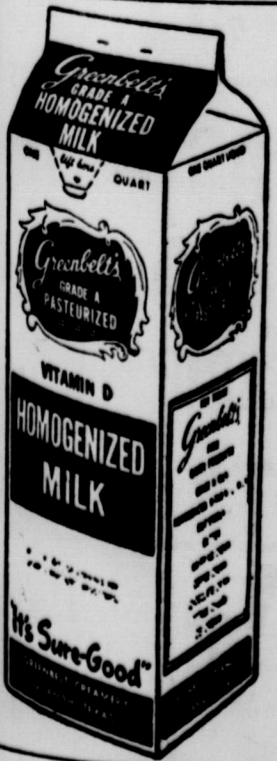
Woster, Ohio — A father and
son, bound for different
places, were killed along with
other members of the family,
in their cars crashed head-on.
The dead were Charles Harrison,
33, and his wife, Naomi, 33, who
were in one car, his sister, Faye,
and his father, Willard 61,
were in the other vehicle. The
father and son lived about eight
miles apart.

BRIDE 65, "TOO YOUNG"

Indianapolis, Ind. — When his
wife, Mrs. Rozella Featherstone,
left him the day after they
were married, the husband Charles
Featherstone, 91, mourned, "I
was too young for me."

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Lodge Notices

CROWELL CHAPTER, R. A. M.
Stated meeting on
Thursday after second
Monday in each
month.
April 15, 7:30 p. m.
W. R. MOORE, H. P.
W. B. CARTER, Sec.

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE
Meets tonight (Thurs-
day) at 8:00 p. m. at the
Odd Fellows hall. All
members urged to attend.
FRANK BRISCO, N. G.
C. A. LANGFORD, Sec.

CROWELL CHAPTER NO. 916
Order of the Eastern Star
Meets second and fourth Tuesday
of each month.
April 27, 8 p. m.
Members please take notice. We
welcome all visitors.
DOVE CARLILE, W. M.
LOTTIE RUSSELL, Sec.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting
Saturday night, April 17, 7:30 p. m.
Members urged to attend and visit-
ors welcome.
JESSE MOORE, W. M.
JOHN W. WRIGHT, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE
meets the second and last Fri-
days of month at I.O.O.F. Hall
at 7:30 p. m. All members urged
to attend, and visitors welcome.
ROWLENE CHOATE, N. G.
MARGARET CURTIS, Sec.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840
A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING
May 10, 8 p. m.
Second Monday each month.
Members urged to attend and visit-
ors welcome.
J. L. GOBIN, W. M.
W. B. CARTER, Sec.

GORDON J. FORD POST
NO. 130
Meets first and third
Tuesday in each month
at American Legion hall
at 7:30 p. m.
COURTIS BARKER, Commander
LEROY STATSER, Adjutant

Allen Hough Post No. 9177
Veterans of Foreign Wars
Meets every 1st and
3rd Thursday even-
ings at 7:30 o'clock
in the Veterans
Building.
L. O. Hallmark, Commander.
J. H. Gillespie, Quartermaster

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Texas,
County of Foard.
TO: The unborn children of
Owen D. Rader and the unknown
owners and claimants of any con-
tingent interest in the land here-
inafter described, claiming such
interest under, through or by vir-
tue of the last will and testamen-
tary of Powell D. Rader, deceased,
defendants in the hereinafter
captioned and numbered cause:
You and each of you are hereby
commanded to appear before the
District Court of Foard County,
Texas, to be held at the court-
house of said county in the city
of Crowell, Foard County, Texas,
by filing a written answer at or
before 10 o'clock A. M. of the
first Monday next after the ex-
piration of 42 days from the date
of issuance hereof; that is to say,
by filing a written answer at or
before 10 o'clock A. M. of Mon-
day, the 10th day of May, 1954,
to answer the petition of Owen D.
Rader, the plaintiff, in cause No.
3099, styled Owen D. Rader vs.
Bertha Campbell et al, in which
Owen D. Rader is plaintiff and
the above named persons, togeth-
er with Bertha Campbell, Thelma
Rader Heath, Wilma Rader Tucker
and John F. Tucker, John P.
Lyons, James E. Lyons, Eta Mae
May, Lawrence P. Glover, Eula
Bryant, Eva Eubank and Owen
Eubank, Leona Francis and Arthur
Francis, Bessie Zeigeb and Carl
Zeigeb, Nora McMillan and Arch
McMillan, Edna Spears and
Frank Spears, Texia Reynolds and
Martin Reynolds, Lena Bailey and

THE WILDCAT

(Continued from page 2)
field play.
The Cats were leading 17-10
before Lockett's ten run splurge
in the sixth. Stally was the win-
ning pitcher while Gaylon Whitley
was the loser.

THE CAT'S PURRS

Busy, busy, busy all are busy
with the banquet and with the
approaching of Easter.
New couple? Logan Casada and
George Ann Davis were seen at
the Plaza Friday night, also John
W. Wright and Helen Rodgers.
Norman Shultz-Virginia Florida.
Lindell McBeath and Mary Cato
were seen in Vernon Saturday
night.

Flash: CloVonne is going
steady, with who? Doyle Mc-
Neese, no less.
Congratulations to Robert for
his excellent time in the mile,
which was 4:54.
J. C. McCoy and Betty Davis
were seen Sunday afternoon at
the Rialto; this could be getting
serious.

Looks like George Ann had a
busy week end; Logan Friday,
Clay Saturday, and Glyndon Sun-
day. May the best man win.
What did Gena and Nell do
Sunday night?
All the Thespians had a good
time at Canyon over the week
end.
Don't you juniors and seniors
forget, as if you could, that the
banquet is this Friday.
DuWayne and Billie, Boyce
and Peggy were seen at church
Sunday night.
Jimmy and Carolyn were seen
together over the week end.
We hear all the kids had fun
at Babs' party.

Seen at the Plaza Thursday
were Mike, Chun, Davis, Lefty,
Rabbit and C. T.
Zonell, Bobby-Ted, Barbara-
Roma, Billy took in the show at
the Plaza Thursday.
Lefty has been with his girl
at Q town again over the week
end. Quite a case, isn't it.
Who were the little boys that
were caught in the rain Saturday
night? It surely was cold, wasn't
it?

Buddy and Patricia were seen
at the show Sunday afternoon.
Lula and J. T. were seen Sat-
urday night.
June and E. O. were seen Sat-
urday night.
Peggy is happy that Boyce is
home on a leave.
Jackie and Jo Helen were seen
enjoying the show Saturday night.
Mary Lou and Floyd Porter
have been seen together quite of-
ten.

Betty Duncan wants a date
with a certain senior boy by the
name of Vance Barker.
We don't know exactly who
was with who, but Butch Abston,
Arleta Teague, Coleman Self,
Doris Cates and Kenneth Oliver
were riding around Saturday nite.
For a change, Charlene was
with her steady, Billy Hopkins,
Saturday night.
And with that we remain your
ever lovin' — Cat's Tail.

Mahogany trees are tradition-
ally cut by moonlight.

Vertie Bailey, Ina Belle Shook
and Tom Shook, Ona Rader Har-
ris and Addie Rader Fox, are de-
fendants, which petition was filed
in said court on the 25th day of
March 1954, and the nature of
said suit being as follows:
An action to secure the appoint-
ment of a receiver to make an
oil, gas and mineral lease on and
covering the described land in
Foard County, Texas to-wit:
80 acres, being the South half
of the Southeast quarter of sec-
tion 2, located and surveyed by
the Public Free School Fund by
virtue of certificate No. 1/15
issued to Seale Morris and
Seale.
The interest of the unknown de-
fendants of said suit being in the
nature of a contingent interest un-
der the will of Powell Rader de-
ceased.
Witness the clerk of the Dis-
trict Court of Foard County,
Texas.
Given under my hand in seal of
said court the office in the city
of Crowell this 25th day of March
1954.
J. A. STOVALL,
Clerk of District Court of
Foard County, Texas.
Issued this 25th day of March
1954.
J. A. STOVALL,
Clerk of District Court of
Foard County, Texas.
37-4tc

Home Demonstration Notes

MRS. MARY D. BROWN

Some time in May all clubs
will need to elect nominees to the
State THDA meeting to be held
in Dallas August 11, 12 and 13.
Then after the June Council
meeting, the THDA committee
will elect three of these nominees
as delegates to this meeting. Per-
haps you need to begin thinking
about who your nominee will be.
An edible Easter nest served
to the kiddies for breakfast on
Easter Sunday will make a hit —
and it's easy to do.

Beat the white of eggs with
a few grains of salt until stiff.
Dip a piece of toast into boiling
water, and then pile the egg
white on top. Make a depression
in the center of the white and
drop in the yolk. Bake in a mod-
erate oven until brown. Try it
before Easter, so you can whip
up the surprise in a hurry Easter
morning.

Steal the bunny's trick of de-
corating beautifully, when you bake
the ham. Decorate the ham with
sprigs of parsley and radish roses.
Or try an Easter nest here by
using pineapple rings as the base
topped with sprigs of mint, and
orange sections. Dip the orange
sections in beaten egg-white and
then in granulated sugar. If you
are looking for a new way to
cook a small ham, mix one box
of brown sugar, 1/2 tsp. cinnam-
on, 2 or 3 cloves, and 1 Coke.
Place your ham in this mixture.
Cover and cook as usual at 325
degrees for about 25-30 minutes
per pound.

CHURCHES

Thalia Methodist Church
Church School each Sunday morning
at 10 a. m.
Worship services at 11 a. m. and
8 p. m. V. F. at 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Give God a chance at your life. At-
tend church regularly.
Robert Oglesby, Pastor.

Truscott Baptist Church
Come thou with us, and we will do
thee good. — Num. 10:29.
10 a. m. Sunday — Sunday School.
11 a. m. Sunday — Morning Worship.
7:30 p. m. Sunday — Evening Worship.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday — W. M. U. meets.
Prayer meeting Wed. night, 7 o'clock.
H. W. Hulise, pastor.

Margaret Methodist Church
Church School at 10 a. m.
Worship service at 11 a. m.
Evening worship at 8:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Monday, 2:30 p. m.
W. J. Knoy, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
Sundays, 8:00 a. m.
1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of month
at 8:00 a. m.
2nd and 4th Sundays of month at
10 a. m.
Holidays of Obligation: Mass at 8:00
a. m.
For sick calls, call Vernon 2-2895.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
Preaching services will be second
and fourth Sundays at Foard City at
11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Church services at Truscott are held
the first and third Sundays of each
month. Sunday School at 10 a. m.
preaching services at 11 a. m. and
7 p. m.
Allen C. Forbis, Pastor.

Freewill Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Church services every Sunday at
11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Everybody is invited.
H. H. Haston, Pastor.

Westside Church of Christ
Extending you a cordial invitation.
Regular services are held at 10:30
a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on the Lord's Day.
Wednesday night services at 8 o'clock.
Crowell Methodist Church
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:00 p. m. —
Russell McAnally, Pastor.

Assembly of God Church
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.
Young People's meeting Tuesday night
at 7:30 o'clock.
Prayer meeting, Thursday night, at
7:30 o'clock.
M. F. Hankins, pastor.

Thalia Baptist Church
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
W. B. Fitzgerald, Pastor.

Thalia Church of Christ
Bible Study, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching and Communion, 11:00
a. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Class, Wednesday, 2:00
p. m.
Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday,
7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend
all these services.
C. Howard Casada, Minister.

First Christian Church
Bible School, 10 a. m.
Communion, 10:55 a. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 7:30 p. m.
The Christian Church extends a cor-
dial welcome to all services.
Bedford W. Smith, Minister.

Temple Gethsemane Assembly of God
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Saturday Young People's Service at
7:45 p. m.
Tuesday Prayer Service at 7:45 p. m.
Thursday Women's C. M. F. Service
at 7:45 p. m.
Saturday Evangelistic Service at 7:45
p. m.
Junn Herrera, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Sunday morning worship at 10:00.
Training Unions at 6 p. m.
Sunday evening worship at 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 8 p. m.
C. T. Aley, Pastor.

East Side Church of Christ
Sunday: Bible Study, 10 a. m. Wor-
ship, 10:40 a. m. Young People's meet-
ing, 6 p. m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
Week Services: Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Thursday, Ladies' Bible Class, 8 p. m.
Radio: Quannah, Mondays, 11:15 a. m.
Mac Layton, Minister.

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Sunday morning service at 11 a. m.
Sunday evening service at 7:45.
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G. C. Laney, Pastor.

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nesday in December.

Thalia

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Rev. Lovelace of Vernon preach-
ed at the Baptist Church here
Sunday morning.
Ed Self has returned to his home
in Pomona, Calif., after visiting
last week with his mother, Mrs.
May Self, and his brothers and
sisters here; his brother, Gordon
Self and wife of Seagraves and
sisters, Mrs. Isa Belle Thompson
and Mrs. Grace Mason and family
of Vernon visited him while he
was here.

Mrs. G. W. Scales was in Ver-
non Hospital Sunday night and
Monday for medical check up.
B. A. Whitman and his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman, re-
turned last Thursday from a visit
with Hines Whitman and family
and M. C. Benham and family at
Lovington, N. M.

Jo Frances Long, Sue Bursey
and a friend from Crowell visited
Mrs. J. L. McBeath one day last
week.

Mrs. Bill Hunter and daughter,
Clydene left last Friday for their
home in Snyder after visiting her
father, G. C. Short, and family.

Mary Cato of Fort Worth visited
in the Sim V. Gamble home
last week end. Her parents picked
her up there Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Banister visited her
sister, Mrs. Grover Nichols, at
Crowell one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Whitman of
Clovis, N. M., were recent guests
in the home of his brother, B. A.
Whitman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Fox of
Crowell and the Fred Gray family
were dinner guests in the Cecil
Carpenter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Morris and
Horace Green of Clarendon visit-
ed the J. M. Jacksons and Carl
Morris Sunday.

Miss Ellen Huskey submitted
to surgery in the Vernon Hospital
last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coffey of
Payetteville, Ark., are visiting this
week in the home of their daugh-
ter, Mrs. Ed Huskey, and Mr.
Huskey.

The funeral of Bruno Bergt
was held at the Baptist Church
here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins were
Wichita Falls visitors last Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cooper and
daughter, Candy, of Lubbock spent
the week end with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper.

The Idle Hour Club met last
Thursday in the home of Mrs.
Raymond Grimm. Dainty refresh-

ments of cake and punch were
served to seven members.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts
and Mrs. Shirley Duncan went to
Amarillo last Saturday where they
re-appeared Mrs. Duncan's rent
house.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ham-
monds and Mr. and Mrs. Louis
Pyle and families visited last week
end with their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, Mr. Ham-
monds was ill several days last
week.

Mrs. E. C. Hardin of Fort
Worth spent last week with her
sister, Mrs. Berry Canafax while
Mr. Canafax was in a Vernon
hospital. Mr. Hardin came up
from Fort Worth after Mrs. Har-
din last Saturday.

M. C. Adkins accompanied Mr.
and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell
to McKinney where they attended
the funeral of Mrs. Henry's broth-
er, Jonas Huifman, Wednesday
of last week.

Coyle Webb of Vernon spent
last week end with his grandmoth-
er, Mrs. B. D. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scales went
to Wichita Falls last Thursday for
medical treatment and were ac-
companied by Mrs. Eudale Oliver.
Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of
Amarillo recently visited her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson,
and her sister, Mrs. Morgan Price,
and family.

Mrs. R. I. Hart of Sunray spent
four days last week with Mr. and
Mrs. F. A. Brown here.

Mac Ford of Orange and Er-
nest Ford of Amarillo left Sun-
day for Orange after visiting
their brother, Oran Ford, and
wife. The Oran Fords accompan-
ied them to Burk Burnett where
they visited their sister, Mrs. Tom
Werley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble visit-
ed his daughter and husband, Mr.
and Mrs. Forest Durham, near
Littlefield and his granddaughter
and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. H.
Allen, near Grady, N. M., last
week. They also visited Rev. Mar-
vin Brotherton and family at
Matador. Rev. Brotherton is a
former pastor of the Thalia Meth-
odist Church and is now retired
due to ill health. Their son, Glen
Hardy, has returned home to help
care for him.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wisdom and
son, Frank, spent the week end
with their son and brother, Char-
lie B., and family at Brownwood.

Wanda McCue has returned
home after an operation in the
Crowell Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright were
Wichita Falls visitors last Thurs-
day.

W. J. Long and Will Johnson
went to Lake Pauline fishing Wed-
nesday of last week.

Mrs. Carl Morris and children
have returned home from a visit
with her husband's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Cap Morris, at Claren-
don.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Webb of
Bismark, N. D., visited his moth-
er, Mrs. B. D. Webb, the past few
days.

B. F. Tarver Jr. and family of
Amarillo spent Saturday night
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
B. F. Tarver, here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Short visit-
ed the Doyle Fords at Goodlett
last Friday.

Rev. Bob Oglesby took his wife
to Fort Worth Monday morning
after she spent the week end here.
They will return here Wednesday
as she will be out of school for
Easter holidays.

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Shower at Margaret Honors Mrs. Spirek

Mrs. Bax Middlebrook, Mrs. W. A. Dunn, Mrs. Blanch Ross, Mrs. Ray Hysinger, Mrs. Frankie Halcenak, Mrs. G. C. Wesley, Mrs. Hack Norman, Mrs. Minnie Hlavaty, Mrs. Jim Owens and Mrs. C. T. Ross assisted in serving. The table was covered with a white maderia cloth with white carnations and green foliage and bridal wreath while candles in silver holders and a miniature bride and groom formed a centerpiece.

Mrs. Spirek, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers, received many lovely gifts from her many friends and relatives.

She is leaving soon for Long Beach, Calif., to make her home and meet her husband who is returning from Japan.

H. D. Council Holds Meeting Last Saturday

The Foard County Home Demonstration Council met last Saturday, April 10, with 12 members and three visitors present.

May 15 was set as the dress revue date. It will be at the high school auditorium. All dresses must be in the agent's office by 5:30 p. m. Friday, May 14.

The majority of clubs reported that they had voted to pay the \$2.00 entry fee. This \$14.00 will

go to the club having the largest percentage of members entering the dress revue.

Council voted to discuss a county-wide picnic with the clubs to see if they were in favor.

Mrs. Verda Bell, Council chairman, reminded the members that there were still a few cook books in the agent's office which could be sold.

The next meeting of the council will be on May 15.

FOARD CITY H. D. CLUB

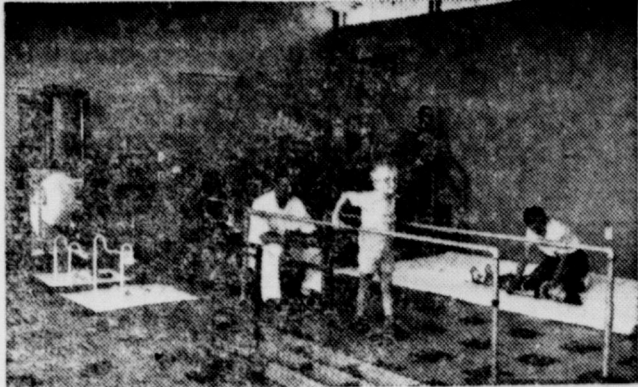
"Did you know that Thomas Jefferson introduced the waffle iron to America?" asked Mrs. Fred Traweck. She continued with an interesting discussion of the waffle. Mrs. Glen Jones gave a report on the development of marshmallows.

The Foard City Home Demonstration Club was opened Tuesday, April 6, with a prayer. Roll call was answered with "My greatest trouble when sewing."

The club voted to adopt EEF recommendations. A very interesting demonstration on belts was given by Mrs. Boss Johnson and skirt bands by Mrs. Miller Rader.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, April 20, at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Doe Borchardt as hostess. Mrs. Brown will have charge of the program with "Accessories for You."

Refreshments were served to six visitors, Mrs. Bob Renner, Mrs. Johnny Odell, Mrs. Weathered, Mrs. E. R. Roland, Mrs. Blake McDaniel and Joy Traweck, and to members, Mrs. Fred Traweck, Mrs. Glen Jones, Mrs. Eldon Cronoe, Mrs. Tom Callaway, Mrs. Glen Shook, Mrs. Virgil Johnson, Mrs. E. V. Halbert, Mrs. John Borchardt, Mrs. Miller Rader, Mrs. Boss Johnson and Mrs. Harry Traweck.



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Carroll Reunion . . .

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Jim Carroll, Mary, Paul and Kathy, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. John Bowley, Betty, Johnnie, Cindy and Cilla, Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin, Judy and Sherry, Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandlin, Barbara and Jeanette, Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carroll and Nita June, Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carroll, Charles and Kenneth, Gilliland; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie, Joylyn and Sharrla, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marr, Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carroll and Jan, Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harrison, G. Y. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lewis and Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll and Kinny, all of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Downing and Michael, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. James Kubena, Ronnie and Dona, Pasadena; Herman Merritt, Dallas; Mrs. Taylor Groves, Pampa.

Friends of the families attending were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pace, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Nelson, Mike, Gary and Janet, of Levelland; Mrs. R. L. Nelson, Flora and Lora, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Jay Norman and Marlene, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nelson, Dewane, Danny and Rodney, and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, of Lovington, N. M.; Don Werley, Thalia; Winnie Phillips, Artesia, N. M.; Mrs. Dave Boren, Vivian; Mr. J. D. Lewis, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Callaway and Wendell, Crowell; Bax Gentry, Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Scouts' Overnight Hike Set for Tonight

Eligible boys for the overnight hike tonight (Thursday) will meet at 4:15 p. m. on the lawn of the First Christian Church after school with bed roll and pack including food for two meals, supper and breakfast, water, and camping gear. The boys will be taken by car to the J. C. Prosser mail box on the highway east of town and will hike to a vacant two-room house on the Prosser farm 2 miles away where they will camp for the night. The boys will hike back to the mail box Friday morning and picked up there at 11 a. m. and returned to Crowell.

Plans were changed to camp at the cabin instead of the tank because of the rains which will leave the ground damp. Cots will not be necessary since the boys will sleep on the cabin floor.

Because of the rain this week it was decided by the boys Monday that for this hike that all Scouts who have attended any one of the last three regular meetings would be eligible. The following boys are eligible to make the hike or will be eligible by paying dues to date if behind: Tam Crowell, Bill Graves, Melvin Johnson, Ronnie Owens, Don Ray

RIVERSIDE H. D. CLUB

"The shoes and purse should be of the same material," Mrs. Mary D. Brown, county Home Demonstration Agent, told the Riverside Home Demonstration Club ladies when they met in the home of Mrs. Grover Moore on Tuesday afternoon, April 6.

Mrs. Roy Ayers, vice president, conducted the business session in the absence of Mrs. John S. Ray, president. To open the meeting the club collect and club prayer were repeated in unison. Mrs. George Wesley gave the council report and Mrs. Ben Hopkins gave a report on the EEF meeting.

Mrs. Brown handed out leaflets on "Your Accessories and You" and discussed the fine points on the rules for proper dressing, ways to carry purses and gloves.

Refreshing drinks were served to four visitors, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. David L. Spirek, Mrs. Ed Mechell and Mrs. Alfred Morris, and to members, Mesdames Cap Adkins, Houston Adkins, Roy Ayers, Ben Hopkins, Monroe Karcher, Sam Kuehn, E. E. Moore, Ewald Schroeder, George Wesley, John Zahn and the hostess.

Japan surrendered formally to the Allies on board the battleship USS Missouri in Tokyo Bay on September 1, 1945.

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Soil Conservation News of District

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

Farmers are using the district grass seed drills to dry plant grass seed. Last week Bill Hopkins planted 15 acres of blue panic in rows on the S. J. Bailey farm north of Goodlett. This grass will be irrigated. Earl Embry planted 12 acres of blue panic in 40-inch rows. Earl has another field of blue panic that has produced considerable grazing and some seed. His grass is not irrigated. Homer and Leslie Wright have level irrigation borders complete to plant blue panic on this spring. This grass will be broadcast with a grass seed drill.

Lawrence Powell has completed a new six-inch irrigation well and plans to plant blue panic in rows. In rows this grass is planted at the rate of two pounds of seed per acre.

Polk, Fred Youree, David Smith, Dewey Harris, R. H. McCoy, Jimmy Rader, Charles Todd, Lewis Sprague, Don Hunter, Dale Rettig, Rickie Rogers, Johnny Thompson, Karl Bell, George Moss, Ivan Cates, Don Wayne Tole and Billy Joe Drabek.

Former Resident Here Dies at Seabrook

Funeral rites for Mrs. E. Davis, resident of Foard County for many years, were conducted at Tulsa on Thursday, April 8, at 2 p. m.

A native Texan, Mrs. Davis and her husband, the late E. Davis, came to Foard County from Fannin County in 1908, and lived here until 1921 when they moved to Swisher County. Mr. Davis died in 1941.

For the past three years Mrs. Davis had made her home with a daughter at Seabrook, Texas, near Houston, where she passed away after a long illness. She was 80 years of age.

Surviving Mrs. Davis are two daughters, Miss Letha Davis, Seabrook and Mrs. Geo. W. Burress, Lubbock; three sons, J. E. Davis, Boulder, Colo., W. A. Davis, Albuquerque, N. M., V. E. Davis, Tulsa; and eight grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

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