

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Reasons Explained for Foard County Soil Bank Acreage Reserve

Foard County's 1958 Soil Bank Reserve program requiring each farmer to participate in the program. The base will be calculated from crops and land uses on the farm in 1956 and 1957. County committee members urge any farmer interested in the Soil Bank to contact the county office as soon as possible, so that a base can be figured on the farm. Following crops and land uses will count toward the soil bank base: land placed in 1956 or 1957 acreage reserve; wheat and cotton; oats, barley or ryes for seed, sudan or millet for seed; sorghums for seed; or truck crops.

Family Reunion at Pauline

The first Sunday in August will be spent at Lake Pauline in the home of the Johnson family. The late Mr. Johnson, who was a resident of this county, who attended were as Mrs. W. R. Ferguson, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Mrs. Lena Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. W. Beatty, Mrs. Wayne and children and Doris Quann; Miss Susie Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Brock and Gena, Truscott; Mr. McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. McClellan and Kay of Dallas; Richard Crawford, W. Lovelace and children; Mrs. and Mrs. Johnson, Loco, Okla.; Keith Bell, Plainview; Miss Leah Amarillo; Mrs. Nettie Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Langford, Pasadena; Mrs. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson, sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Adelman and Miss Elizabeth Estelle.

Foard County Residents Now Receiving Social Security Payments

More than 100 beneficiaries in Foard County are getting monthly social security payments totaling \$1,000 at the end of 1956. The number of beneficiaries in 1957 will be much greater, Tate said. For example, during the 6 months, January-June, 1957, 42 farm claims for benefits had been filed. Noting the impact of farm coverage in general on essentially agricultural areas like Foard County, Tate said that a farm employee, for instance, who was already at retirement age by mid-1956 became insured as of April 1 of that year if he had taxable wages of \$400 or more in 1955 and of at least \$200 in 1956. Benefits paid to farmers and their dependents, moreover, figured in the nationwide totals for 1956. At the close of the year, over 9 million people were receiving almost one-half billion dollars in monthly benefit payments.

Band Rehearsals to Start Monday, Aug. 26

Monday, August 26, is the date that has been set for the first rehearsal of the Wildcat Band, according to E. L. Rickard, director. All members of last year's band are urged to be present when the meeting gets under way at 8:30 a. m., as there will be only two weeks of rehearsals before the first performance at the Seymour-Crowell football game. In addition to these students, Mr. Rickard wants all band students who will be in the eighth grade or higher to be present.

Return to Alaska

Mrs. James Browning and small daughter, Barbara Sue, have returned to Fairbanks, Alaska, after an extended visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney, and Mrs. Browning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning, of Truscott.

Attend Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce of Crowell and Mrs. E. V. Halbert and Grady Halbert of Foard County attended a family reunion of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lefevre and three sons at Roaring Springs Sunday. Mr. Lefevre is a cousin of Mrs. Halbert's late husband, E. V. Halbert, and Mrs. Lefevre is a sister of Mr. Bruce.

Bible Class Elects New Officers Last Sunday

The Down Town Bible Class, which was organized six years ago and sponsored by the Crowell Methodist Church, observed its 6th birthday Sunday. The twenty-three members present Sunday heard the reading of a good financial report, prepared by J. T. Hughton, secretary, and read by George Self, president. Mr. Self also mentioned in his talk the many fine accomplishments rendered to the community by the class during its six years of existence, one of which was the renewing of Sunday School attendance in men who had lost interest in that department of their church.

Mrs. Jim Minnick Breaks Hip in Fall Last Wednesday Night

Mrs. Jim Minnick fell and broke her hip at her home last Wednesday evening. She had gone outside her home to shut off the water from some plants she had been watering. Though she had turned on the floodlight in her back yard, it was still a little dark at the side of her home where the hydrant is. She tripped and fell over the garden hose, falling on some brick that decorates her flower bed.

Vernon Veterinarian to Vaccinate Dogs Here Saturday

Dr. Ralph Flesher of Vernon will be at the old Cameron Lumber Co. building on Saturday, August 17, from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m., to vaccinate dogs for rabies. It is important and urgent that all dog owners have their dogs vaccinated against this dreaded disease, and it might be dangerous to neglect it.

Thalia Baptist Church to Begin Revival Meeting August 16

The Thalia Baptist Church will begin a ten-day revival meeting Friday, August 16. Services will be held in the morning at 10 and nightly at 8 o'clock, according to the announcement made by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald.

Four Crowell 4-H Youths Attending Meeting in Vernon

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Attending Sister's Funeral

Earl Davis of Crowell, Mrs. G. E. Goine of Stamford and Mrs. M. A. Moore of Hamlin went to Elgin last Sunday on account of the death of their sister, Mrs. J. N. Whitten of Austin. Funeral services for Mrs. Whitten were held Monday afternoon at Elgin.

Fine Peaches

Henry Bice, who farms in the Riverside community, has had an excellent peach crop this year for the second time since the orchard was planted seven years ago. This was made evident to the News last Wednesday afternoon when Mr. Bice brought a half-bushel of his J. H. Halls peaches to the office. The peaches are a free-stone variety and were delicious. Thank you, Mr. Bice.

Fine Cucumbers

Carl Zeibig brought the News some samples Wednesday of his fine cucumbers grown on his farm northeast of town.



Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson to Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

The sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson will celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of their parents with open house Sunday afternoon, August 18, at the Adolphian Club House from 3 until 5 o'clock. Will R. Ferguson and Miss Bertha Johnson were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferguson on North Main Street in Crowell on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, August 18, 1907. Rev. M. W. Clark, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. They are both members of pioneer families. They established their home on Mr. Ferguson's farm, nine miles south of Crowell, where they lived until moving to Crowell in 1945. Mr. Ferguson still owns and operates his farm. Five children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, 3 sons and 2 daughters. One son, Roy, died in 1949. The others are Floyd and Howard Ferguson of Crowell, Mrs. Gilbert Adecock of Truscott and Mrs. John Rader of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson also have five grandchildren, Billy John, Jimmy and Lynn Rader, of Crowell, Mrs. Karl Wayne Thomson of Grand Prairie and Gena Adecock of Truscott.

Jodie H. Wallace Died in Ft. Worth Monday, August 5

Jodie Hawkins Wallace, 46, passed away at his home in Fort Worth Monday, August 5, following a sudden illness. He and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wallace, had lived on the Mack Gamble farm for a number of years, where he was employed, until they moved to Fort Worth eight months ago. He was a farmer by trade and a World War II veteran. Graveside services were held at Bethesda Cemetery at Alvarado at 4 p. m. Wednesday, August 7, conducted by Rev. Warren Everdine of Crowell. Mrs. Everson and Miss Dorothy Denton also attended the services from Crowell.

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Crowell High's Football Workouts to Get Started Monday, August 26

Crowell's football coach, Thayne Amoneit, will have about 34 boys to report for the initial football workout of the season on Monday morning, August 26. Gordon Erwin and Gen Taylor will be his assistants again. The squad will be made up with mostly seniors and freshmen. There will be nine seniors and fifteen freshmen reporting. There are only three juniors and seven sophomores on this year's squad. The following ten boys have been lost from last year's team: James Doyal, Edward Howard, Joe Calvin, Don Lee Daniel, Larry Sledge, Melvin Washburn, Henry Faske, Jerry Clifton, Dee Boyd and Fredrick Youree. Only four of these, Doyal, Howard, Sledge and Calvin, were lettermen.

Five-Day Revival to Be Held at Truscott Baptist Church

There will be a five-day revival at the First Baptist Church in Truscott beginning Wednesday night, August 28, and extending through Sunday, Sept. 1. Pastor E. W. (Jack) Davis will be the evangelist; church song leader, Mrs. Bud Myers, will be the song evangelist; and the church pianist, Mrs. Owen New, will be the pianist. Morning services will be held on Thursday and Friday morning at 10 a. m. Evening services will be at 8 p. m. each evening. Rev. Davis cordially invites everyone to attend every service.

Foard County A. S. C. Committees to Be Elected Friday, September 6th

Election of 1958 A. S. C. committee chairman, the next vice chairman, next person, member; and two alternate members. Any person who is of legal voting age and who has an interest in a farm as owner, tenant, or sharecropper; and any person not of legal voting age who is in charge of the supervision and conduct of farming operations on an entire farm shall be eligible to vote for committee members. An eligible voter has one vote, and the spouse of an eligible voter also is eligible to vote. Ballots will be tabulated and questions on eligibility to vote settled by the election tabulation board, including Marvin L. Myers, Clinton McLain and J. M. Jackson. Official ballots will be mailed to all eligible voters, and a franked envelope will be furnished for return of the ballots to election headquarters. Write-in votes will be accepted, according to election officials. Space is provided on each ballot for write-ins. Chairmen will automatically become the delegate to the county convention, and vice-chairman from each community will be that community's alternate delegate.

Advertising Is Essential in Selling Products of American Industry

By T. B. Klepper, Editor. No matter how good it is, a new product is rarely accepted readily by the public. None of us rush out to buy a new mousetrap just because a better one has been invented. We buy only after advertising convinces us that the new mousetrap is superior to the old model. The products of American industry—undreamed of luxuries a century ago—could not be distributed until advertising created new demands. Many of us can remember when housewives claimed that automatic washers could not get laundry really clean. Advertising changed that notion and relieved the homemaker of hours of drudgery each week. The television manufacturers could not sell TV sets until newspaper advertising sold the American public on the idea of watching television. Any woman—or man, for that matter—who has washed a stack of greasy dishes is familiar with the virtues of modern detergents. Yet, remember, it took several years of consistent advertising after World War II to convince women that detergents would work. The early communist government in Russia considered advertising to be an economic waste. However, the Russians found that

Beautiful Peaches

Guy Bounds sent the News some fine peaches Saturday morning by Mrs. Bounds. It was a cluster of six beautiful peaches on a small limb. Their small number of peach trees have produced bountifully this year, and it has been necessary to prop the limbs up to keep them from breaking. Thanks, Mr. Bounds.

Buy Rader Home

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. (Buster) Manning have recently purchased the home of the late Mrs. U. C. Rader on North Second Street from the Rader Estate. They have moved to their new home in the southwest part of town.

HOSPITAL NOTES

FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL

Patients In: Mrs. Harriet Moody, Herbert P. Gillespie, James McDaniel, James Price, Fowler, Mrs. J. H. Minnick, B. D. Russell, Mrs. John M. Rader, John Rader, Mrs. Fannie Menefee, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey.

Patients Dismissed:

Billy Marts, Mrs. S. E. Tate, Jessie Lankford, Mrs. W. J. Long, Mrs. George C. Fox, Mike Dishman, Mrs. John Young and infant daughter, Mrs. Guy Morgan, Mrs. Jack Gilliland, Mrs. Jennie Wallace, Mrs. J. D. Harper, George Myers, Mrs. Don Wilkins, Barbara Womack, Mrs. Thomas Hughton.

CHURCH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Assembly of God 37
Bethel 69
First Baptist 171
Bible Class 23
First Christian 64
Crowell Methodist 140

West Texas Utilities Co. Announces Plans for \$51,000,000 Expansion

West Texas Utilities Co. today announced plans to spend an estimated \$51,000,000 during the next five years for construction of new electric facilities in West Texas.

Cal Young, WTU President, said the company's expansion plans were based on recently completed surveys and studies which indicate that West Texas will greatly increase its use of electricity by 1961.

"Most of the proposed five-year outlay will go for the construction of new plants and installation of additional generating equipment, new transmission lines and expanded distribution facilities," Young said.

New generating equipment for WTU, including one new power plant, is expected to cost over \$22,500,000 and will increase by more than two-thirds the company's system generating capability.

WTU plans to spend almost \$15 million during the next five years for the construction and improvement of distribution facilities. Another \$11,500,000 has been allocated for the building of new high voltage transmission lines connecting WTU power plants and load centers. The remainder of the planned expenditure will be used primarily for general construction and improvement of WTU facilities.

"Electric power consumption is an accurate barometer of the health and prosperity of any area. Our undertaking this comprehensive construction program is indicative of our continued confidence in the future of the area we serve," Young said. "We are determined to do whatever is necessary to maintain a dependable and adequate supply of economical electric power for the anticipated industrial expansion of the area as well as for the expected increase in requirements of our domestic and commercial customers."

The announcement of the construction plans begins the second decade of the long-range expansion program begun at the end of World War II. Since then, WTU has invested \$60 million for new facilities and for enlarging existing facilities to provide electric power for West Texas.

Since 1946, the number of electric customers has increased 43 per cent from 72,860 to 104,000. The peak load has more than tripled, increasing from 73,400 kilowatts to 243,500 kilowatts. During the decade, the company's generating capability has almost tripled, increasing from 88,180 to 250,500 kilowatts.

Estimates of future growth indicate that by 1961 the peak load will increase to 366,000 kilowatts. The new generating facilities covered by this five-year construction program will add 170,500 kilowatts to the company's system generating capability. Upon completion of the program in 1961, the company will have available a total generating capability of 421,000 kilowatts, almost 70 per cent greater than the current generating capability.

It was pointed out that since World War II, not only has the number of residential customers increased by almost 47 per cent but individual customers, by adding electrical appliances such as ranges, dryers, air conditioning units, television and other new appliances, have doubled their use of electric service. It is estimated that by 1961, the residential customer's usage will have increased another 50 per cent.

WTU is also interested in the development of nuclear power. Paralleling the present \$51 million power development program, the company is participating in nuclear research activities.

Young pointed out that West Texas Utilities has for some time been associated with the Sargent and Lundy group, designers of nuclear installations at Argonne National Laboratories, Lemont, Ill. More recently, WTU joined with 10 other private utility companies in Texas to form the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation. This non-profit foundation re-

cently completed arrangements with General Dynamics Corporation for a four-year, \$10 million research program in the field of controlled thermonuclear reactions.

Young added that in the immediate future it was not likely that nuclear fuels would become economically competitive with natural gas for electric production.

WTU's construction program is already underway. Work of installing a 5,000 kilowatt gas turbine unit at WTU's gas turbine station northwest of Fort Stockton began earlier this year. The new gas turbine unit will be in service in 1958.

Construction for the addition of major steam units at the company's Paint Creek and Rio Pecos plants will begin this fall.

A 53,000 kilowatt steam turbine unit will be added at the Paint Creek plant on Lake Stamford in Haskell County. Construction will begin next month. The unit is scheduled to be in operation in May, 1959, increasing the plant's capability to 126,000 kilowatts.

At the Rio Pecos plant near McCamey, a 36,500 kilowatt steam unit will be added. Work is scheduled to begin this fall. The new steam unit to be added to the plant is designed for use with a 5,000 kilowatt gas turbine unit now at the plant. The three 6,000 kilowatt steam units now operating at the plant will be maintained for peak load use. On completion of installation of the new unit in the spring of 1959, the Rio Pecos plant will have a capability of 59,500 kilowatts.

A new power plant will be constructed on Oak Creek Lake in the northeast corner of Cooke County. The 117-acre site selected for the plant is on the west shore of the lake and is immediately adjacent to Highway 70. A 57-acre portion of the site has been purchased from the City of Sweetwater, and the company is negotiating with Charles Copeland, Cooke County ranchman, for the purchase of an additional 60 acres to complete the tract.

Construction of the new power plant will begin early next year. The first 75,000 kilowatt unit is scheduled to be in operation in 1961. The ultimate capacity of the plant will be 225,000 kilowatts. This new plant to be located eleven and one-half miles north of Bronte and three and one-half miles south of Blackwell will be approximately in the geographic center of the company's system. Being almost equidistant from Abilene and San Angelo, the plant will be well situated to supply the additional power requirements for both cities and the surrounding areas.

The 138,000 volt transmission line connecting Abilene and San Angelo, which is now nearing completion, extends within two to three miles of the new plant location. A 138,000 volt transmission loop will connect the new plant to the Abilene-San Angelo line. WTU has purchased water rights on Oak Creek Lake from the Gulf Oil Corporation. Gulf had previously purchased the rights from the City of Sweetwater—owners of the lake. A contract between the utility company and Sweetwater regarding future use of water from the lake has been completed.

The increasing of generating capability is only one part of providing electric power. Transmission lines, substations and distribution systems must be expanded and increased in size, capacity and quantity in order to get electricity to towns and customers.

To supplement and strengthen the present 2,652 miles of high voltage transmission lines serving West Texas, WTU plans to have in operation by 1960 a continuous 138,000 volt transmission line from the Oklahoma border near Quanah to San Angelo and another 138,000 volt line from the Rio

Pecos Plant at McCamey to Val Verde County in southwest Texas.

The transmission line from Oklahoma to San Angelo will provide continuous 138,000 volt interconnection for WTU's Lake Pauline Plant, the Paint Creek Plant in Haskell County, the Abilene Plant, the new Oak Creek Plant and the Concho Plant at San Angelo. This line will also connect with the Public Service Company of Oklahoma's system to provide an additional source of power.

The line from McCamey to Val Verde County will connect at the northern boundary of Val Verde County with Central Power and Light Company's system, providing additional power from that area.

The Oklahoma-San Angelo line will be in service in 1958 when construction of the northern segments of the line are completed. New 138,000 volt lines will be built between Paint Creek Plant and Munday and from Lake Pauline to the Oklahoma border. The existing 69,000 volt line from Lake Pauline to Munday will be converted to 138,000 volts.

In 1959, construction of a second 138,000 volt line from Paint Creek to Abilene will begin.

In that same year, ten miles of 138,000 volt line will be built from the Rio Pecos Plant to McCamey, and the present 69,000 volt line from McCamey to the Central Power and Light Company connection in Val Verde County will be converted to 138,000 volt line.

These 138,000 volt lines will be operated in connection with the 69,000 volt system which interconnects with the Southwestern Public Service Company on the north, the Texas Electric Service Company on the east and west, and the lower Colorado River Authority on the south, in addition to the interconnections with the Public Service Company of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Company. These interconnections with other utilities provide for a flow of electric power either into or out of the system as needed.

Not included in the present five year construction budget, but an integral part of future planning, is a proposed new plant in the San Angelo area. Under terms of sale of the water system to the city of San Angelo in 1950, WTU retained water rights sufficient to add approximately 90,000 kilowatts of capacity at the existing Concho Plant in San Angelo or at one of the city's lakes. Current plans indicate the possibility of a new plant being constructed on the Three Rivers Reservoir which was completed. Young said that he was confident that satisfactory details could be worked out with the City of San Angelo.

The company also owns water rights for additional generation facilities at the Lake Pauline Plant and at the Paint Creek Plant.

The Abilene and Concho Plants will continue to be staffed and maintained as operating units of the company's generating system. Additional distribution facilities such as main feeders, additional street lighting, capacitors and conversion of distribution system to higher voltages account for the balance of the five-year program.

NEWSPAPER READING

"Reading is not a completely universal habit, but fortunately for those who publish and edit newspapers the habit is so general that there are few homes today where one or more members of each family do not find it a pleasant and informative habit to keep up with what is going on in their home community and in the nation and the world at large through the simple process of reading their newspapers."—Bartow, Fla., Democrat.

In The News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Aug. 12, 1927:

Miss Bernice Long and Howard Bursley were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Long, Monday evening, Aug. 8, Rev. E. L. Mayfield, Baptist pastor, performing the ceremony.

Esca Brown and Miss Gladys Waller were married Tuesday in the Presbyterian Church at Seymour, home of the bride. Those attending from Crowell were Mrs. E. Swain and daughter, Harriet Evelyn, Mike Brown, Edward Huffman, Jesse Brown and Lebert Swain.

Row crops in the county are considered only fair. However, cotton has advanced \$10.00 a bale since the Government estimates a short crop.

Miss Maye Andrews, county treasurer, has kept the county books for the past year without making a single mistake, according to F. L. Humphreys, auditor for Ernst & Ernst of Fort Worth, who have finished auditing the books. He stated that in his ten years of experience he had never seen a better record.

The death of J. T. Fletcher, 75, occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. T. Dunn, in Margaret last Saturday morning.

F. A. Allen of Gainesville visited his cousin, Mrs. S. E. Tate, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meason left last week for Big Sandy where they will make their home.

J. G. Coffey and daughters, Bernice and Dorothy, and son, Otis, returned Monday from a visit to Hale Center.

Mack Boswell went to Plainview Friday to visit relatives, returning Monday.

Miss Essie McLarty of Vernon and Miss Alice McLarty of Dallas were visiting friends in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. A. Burks of Covina, Calif., and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds of Waxahatchie, came to Crowell Tuesday from Wichita Falls where they had been at the bedside of their uncle and brother, J. F. Hays, who has been seriously ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Fred Diggs and children

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Neill Quartette Popular Musical Entertainers

The Neill Quartette of Carlsbad, Calif., sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Neill, former Thalia residents, are a talented group of young musicians, according to a newspaper clipping given the News by Mrs. C. H. Wood after her return from California. The youngsters are nieces and nephews of Gus Neill of Thalia.

SLIM CHANCE OF SUCCESS

"Expecting our country ahead without the chance of fair profit is like expecting an automobile to run without an engine," said a speaker at the meeting of the Orange Grove, Texas, Club.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Article 689a11, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, that on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1957, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the office of the County Judge of Foard County, Texas, in the courthouse thereof, the budget as prepared for Foard County, Texas, by the County Judge will be considered by the Commissioners' Court. Any and all taxpayers of such county shall have the right to be present and participate in said hearing.

LESLIE THOMAS, County Judge

MEMPHIS PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION

Loans to Farmers and Ranchers for Any Purpose.

Statement of Condition

June 29, 1957

Assets

Loans and interest	\$1,475,563.44
Government Bonds and interest	286,119.66
Cash on Hand	53,788.25
Stock owned in Federal Intermediate Credit Bank	8,460.00
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	5,697.28
Other Assets	558.58
Total Assets	\$1,830,187.21

Liabilities

Due Intermediate Credit Bank	\$1,471,460.14
Capital Stock	215,255.00
Surplus and Reserves	142,783.69
Other Liabilities	688.38
Total Liabilities	\$1,830,187.21

OFFICE IN QUANAH FARM BUREAU, OPEN MONDAYS
CENTRAL OFFICE IN MEMPHIS—PHONE 326

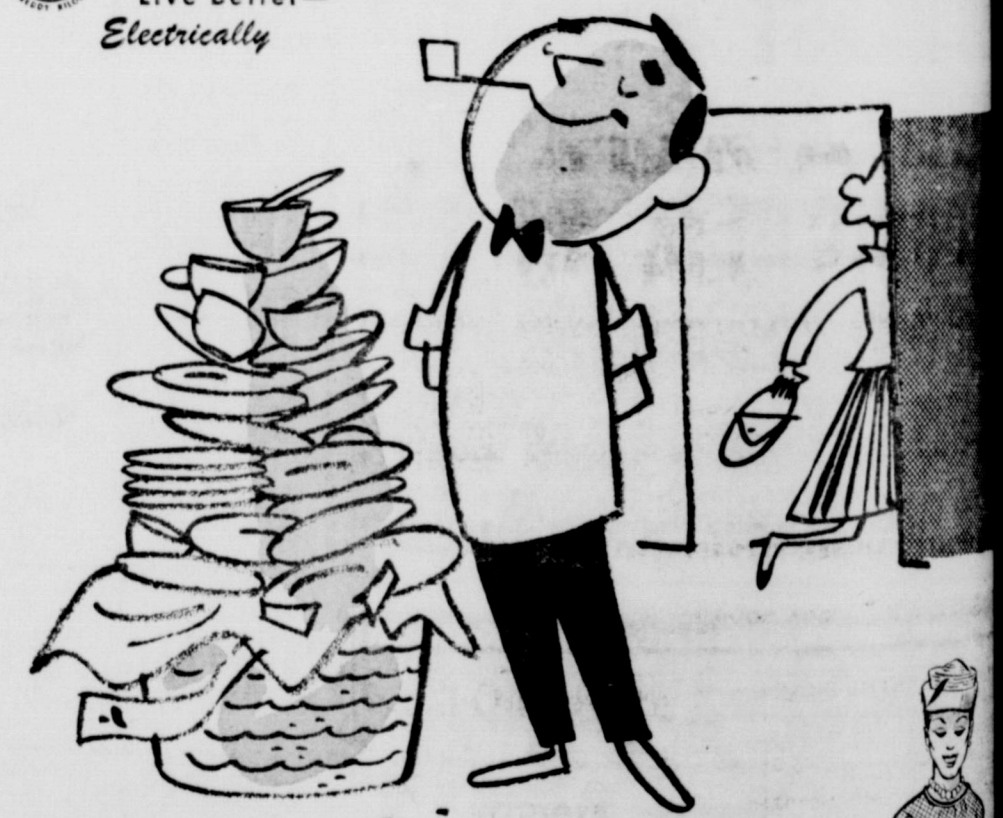
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MEMPHIS PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION

1. Is a farmer owned credit coop—owned and controlled by 600 farmers and ranchers.
2. Obtains loan funds from private sources—reaches the Nation's money market through the Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston.
3. Loans money to a farmer or rancher for any purpose that his credit justifies.
4. Makes short-term loans maturing annually.
5. Makes intermediate term loans, with yearly payments maturing in two to five years, for machinery, cattle, irrigation and other capital purchases.
6. Brings about 2 1/2 million dollars of outside money into the territory each year—money that reaches the hand of merchants and others dealing with farmers.

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And why not? Electric servants draw mighty low wages. Lower, even, than they were 25 years ago. For instance, if yours is the typical American home, you're getting twice as much electricity for your dollar today as you did in 1932. Your electric bill may be higher, but that's because electricity is doing so much more for you now.

* Actually in homes served by WTU, the average cost of a kilowatt-hour of electric service is 20% LESS than it was 10 years ago!



Think about it for a minute. Don't you agree that electricity is the biggest bargain in your budget?

West Texas Utilities Company

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PERSONALS
Crowell attended the meeting of Texas Electronics Association in Fort Worth last Saturday and Sunday.
Margee left Sunday for Hill, after a week's visit to the home of his parents, Mrs. R. R. Margee.
Check our tire prices before you buy.—Crowell's. 46-tfc
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pruitt of Snyder spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt.
Jake Stout and Frank Stone of Fort Worth came Sunday morning for a visit with Jake's grandfather, Earl Davis.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wallace spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting their son, A. G. Wallace, and family.
Plenty of money to loan on farms and ranches. Liberal prepayment privileges. No charge for inspection. See us.—Roberts-Beverly Abst. Co.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughston and children, Larry and Jane, returned home last Friday from a vacation trip to Colorado.
Miss Janis Jones of Paducah was here Tuesday and Wednesday, the guest of Miss Frances Kincaid.
Mrs. J. M. Hill Sr. has returned home from Dillon, Mont., where she made an extended visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. G. B. Durham, and family.
James Ray Hulse and Douglas Carlton of Hamlin visited Barry Barker Saturday, and Barry returned home with them for a short visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canup of Phoenix, Ariz., have returned home after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. G. M. Canup, and other relatives.
Mrs. Jack Phillips and daughter, Jane, and sons, Larry and Steve, of Brawley, Calif., are here to visit their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schlaag, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers of Littlefield visited over the week end with relatives here. Mrs. Ora Kenner, who had been visiting in their home, returned to Crowell with them.
Misses Barbara Ann Duke of Liberty, Kathy Kohler of Dallas Missy Beall of Nacogdoches and Jane Hunt of Vernon have visited Miss Judy Borchardt the past week.
Miss Kathy Kahler of Dallas and Miss Barbara Ann Duke of Liberty were guests of Miss Judy Borchardt in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borchardt, last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youree and son, Fredrick, left August 2 for Yellowstone National Park and are spending their vacation in the park and visiting points of interest in Washington and Oregon and other western states.
W. W. Kimsey of Carrollton is here for a two weeks visit with his daughter, Mrs. Joe Brown, and son, Joe Don. He was accompanied to Crowell by his granddaughter, Miss Bette Shaw Kimsey, of Fort Worth.
Rev. and Mrs. Grady Adcock left last Friday for Chicago, Ill., where Rev. Adcock attended a meeting of the General Board of Pensions of the Methodist Church. Their children, Judy and Stanley, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Oren W. Smith in Throckmorton while their parents are away. In the absence of Rev. Adcock, Leslie Thomas spoke at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.
Margaret Carroll of Carlisle, Mo., visited last week here with her sister, Mrs. Luter Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Cook and a reunion of Mrs. Cook's in Snyder on August 4 and Mrs. Carroll returned home then.


Wanted — Ironing to do. Child care in my home or yours.—Mrs. Henry Greening. 5-2tp
Jerry Settiff is visiting his uncle, J. T. Brooks, and family in Cascade, Colo., this week.
Bobby White of Odessa is visiting in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. G. M. Canup.
Mrs. Herbert King and children, Jennie Sue and David Lee, of Waco visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. King.
Deputy Sheriff Dan E. Callaway in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway.
Mrs. George Pruitt returned home Sunday from Snyder where she spent last week with her son, Billy George, who underwent an appendix operation in a Snyder hospital.
Mrs. Eck Gillespie of Stamford spent Monday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ed Tharp. Mrs. Tharp returned with her for a visit in the Gillespie home.
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Segroves and children have returned from Joplin, Mo., where Mrs. Segroves had been for some time on account of the illness of her mother.
Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Knox attended the funeral in Dallas of Elmer Sloan on August 3. He was the husband of the former Ima Norman of Crowell. He is survived by his wife and one daughter.
B. C. Newton returned to his home in Marietta, Okla., Saturday after a week's visit here with his sister, Mrs. T. B. Klepper, and family. He was accompanied to Marietta by Bill Klepper.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canup, Mrs. G. M. Canup and Bobby White visited last week in the home of Mrs. Canup's sisters, Mrs. R. B. Mason of Fort Worth and Mrs. G. G. Renfro of Dallas. They also visited other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and family of Abilene visited over the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown. Their daughter, Bobbie Jo, remained for a visit with her grandparents.
Robert Les, Jo Ella and Debra Myers of Amarillo spent last week here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Autry, in the Foard City community. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Myers, came for them Sunday.
Miss Marcia Kincaid of Corpus Christi, who is employed as a society editor on the Corpus Christi Caller-Times, spent the week end at home visiting her father, Merl Kincaid, and her brother and sister, Robert and Miss Frances Kincaid, and also her grandmother, Mrs. D. E. Todd, and family.
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown during the past two weeks were their children and their families: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and children, Bobby Joe and Brenda Kay, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown and children, Loretta, Melvin Douglas, Jessie Mark and Rosemary, of Pecos, Jimmy Brown of Snyder, Okla., George Brown of the U. S. Navy, Mrs. June Athey and daughter, Fay, of Oakland, Calif., Mrs. Eli Austin and daughters, Joan and Kathy, of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Henderson of Abilene.
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Odd Fellow and Rebekah Ass'n. to Meet in Vernon
The Lower Panhandle Odd Fellow and Rebekah Association will hold its 9th annual session at the county auditorium in Vernon on Thursday, August 22. Approximately 200 delegates are expected at the meeting. Registration will begin at 9 a. m. under the direction of Mrs. Mina Key of Vernon. Mrs. Lucile Wakley, also of Vernon, will be in charge of the opening program which will start at 10 a. m. Hall Dycus, Seymour, president of the association, will be in charge of the business session.
During the afternoon, reports will be given by lodges in the association. Officers, in addition to Mr. Dycus, include Mrs. Nellie Wilcoxson, Childress, first vice president; M. P. Pybus, Vernon, second vice president; Mrs. Thelma Chandler, Seymour, secretary; Mrs. Pauline Isberto, Electra, treasurer; Mrs. Katie Smith, Wichita Falls, chaplain; Mrs. A. Z. Fowler, Electra, musician; Mrs. Irenshal, Knox, Wichita Falls, marshal; Miss Daisy Bob Vantine, Quanah, junior past president; Miss Myrtle Russell, Electra, reporter.
A banquet will be held prior to the night session. Tickets will be \$1.25 and reservations must be made by August 20 with Mrs. Wakley. A memorial service and installation of officers will feature the program for the evening.
Individual charge contests will be scheduled during the afternoon with cash prizes being awarded to the winners.
The district is composed of the following counties: Baylor, Cottle, Childress, Foard, Hardeman, Hall, Motley, Knox, Wichita, Young and Wilbarger. Odd Fellow, Rebekah, Canton, Encampment and Auxiliary groups will attend from Burk Burnett, Childress, Crowell, Electra, Elliott, Iowa Park, Lakeview, Matador, Memphis, Olney, Quanah, Seymour and Wichita Falls, Archer City, Chillicothe and Estelina.
The Department of Sacred Music, Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, has announced a series of organ scholarships available to young men and women interested in becoming Ministers of Music, with a college degree in Sacred Music. Dr. Nita Akin is chairman of the Sacred Music Department which is a rapidly expanding phase of the school's fine arts program.
New courses to be offered in the school's curriculum this fall will include, in addition to applied organ and voice subjects, hymnology, choir organization and administration, organ literature, an oratorio workshop, organ methods, liturgical music and liturgical services. The degree, a Bachelor of Sacred Music, is a regular four-year course of study at the Wichita Falls University, and includes thorough preparation in theory and composition, history of music, vocal literature, and instrumental and keyboard music.
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CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank everyone for their visits, cards, flowers and many kind deeds during my recent illness. I want to especially thank Dr. Kralicke and the hospital nurses.
Mrs. Joe Vernon Smith. 5-1tp
NOTICE
I will start kindergarten classes at my home on Monday, Sept. 2, from 9 to 11:30 a. m.
Mrs. Jack Turner, Ph. 34-M. 5-3tp
CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all who sent flowers, cards, gifts, and to all who visited me while I was in the hospital. I also want to express special thanks to the nurses and Dr. John W. Raines. May God bless you.
Patsy McRae and Family. 5-1tp
Mr. and Mrs. J. Chisum and daughter, Dana, of Borger spent Monday here visiting Mrs. Chisum's grandmother, Mrs. G. J. Benham.
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benham and daughters, Betty, Barbara and Beverly, of Lovington, N. M., spent Monday night here visiting Mrs. Benham's mother, Mrs. G. J. Benham.
Mrs. Jim Norman of Lubbock is here this week visiting her son, Hugh Norman, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. James Milton Cooper and children of Harlingen spent the week end here visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper. James Milton left the first of the week for Cimmarron, N. M., to attend a school for Boy Scout executives at Philmont Boy Scout Camp for a week. He will also attend a Boy Scout school at Albuquerque, N. M., next week. His wife and children will visit here the remainder of the week and then go to Amarillo to visit relatives.
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If you have an accident while driving 25 m. p. h., the chance of someone being killed is only one in 300. But for each additional 10 m. p. h., you greatly increase the chance for a fatality.
The 1957 edition of "Accident Facts," the statistical yearbook of the National Safety Council shows that the chance of an accident being fatal at 35 m. p. h., is one in 115; at 45, one in 70; at 55, one in 40; at 65, one in 20; and at 75, one in 8.
AGE OF PUSHBUTTONS
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Dr. Ralph Fleisher
Veterinarian, Vernon, Texas
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
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State Capitol NEWS

by VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex.—House members are rather short on enthusiasm for a special session of the Legislature, says Speaker Waggoner Carr.

In a poll of the House, Carr received 101 answers from 149 members. Seventy said they didn't feel a special session necessary. Seventeen said they thought it was necessary; and 12 said they were willing to leave it up to the governor.

In announcing the poll results, Carr emphasized that he's all for lobby control and water conservation, the two measures Gov. Price Daniel has said he wants passed. House members, Carr reminded, approved both lobby and water bills last session.

But, said Carr, he still isn't convinced the state can afford the extra session without new taxes.

In reply, Governor Daniel repeated a previous statement that \$600,012 is on hand for legislative expenses, or more than twice what a short session would cost.

Outlook probably is this: A special session will be held. There will be no open rebellion, though possibly a little legislative foot-dragging.

NEW LAND TROUBLES — Who, if anyone, should pay the back taxes on land bought under the Veterans Land program, then forfeited by the purchaser? State and local officials are in

disagreement. Lack of specific legislation on this subject has resulted in two lawsuits.

In the early days of the land program, a lot of veterans apparently bought land at more than it really was worth. When the drought came and things got tough, many fell behind on taxes and payments, finally had to give up and let the land go back to the Veterans Land Board. In time, the board re-sold such tracts to other veterans.

Local taxing units, such as the Bexar-Atascosa-Medina Water District, say somebody has to pay the piper. It demands payment of the back taxes unpaid by the first purchaser and of the taxes that accumulated during the period when the land was forfeited to the state. Without this money, say district officials, they'll have a hard time paying off their bonds.

Viewpoint of the state, however, is that taxes ceased when the land returned to the board and that the resale was free of tax debt.

SCHOOL "WASTES" CITED — Need for a little overhauling here and there in the Gilmer-Aikin school aid program is suggested in a new Texas Research League report.

Under the "minimum foundation" program the state contributes the money necessary to bring the smaller, poorer districts up to standard.

Research League pointed out that (1) under the scholastic apportionment formula (so much per pupil) some districts actually receive more money than their minimum foundation needs. And (2) guaranteed state contributions discourage local efforts to improve by raising taxes.

It's a system, says the League, that tends to perpetuate "educationally inadequate" districts.

HARRISON NAMED — William A. Harrison, 47, apparently is to be the key man in a program



ATOM TEST BLIMP — The "after" section of a U. S. Navy blimp is shown as it collapses from the shock wave of an atomic blast. The blimp was in temporary free flight over

five miles above ground zero and was not manned by Navy personnel. The test was made for a military effects experiment on blast and heat.

designed to provide Texas with model insurance regulation.

Harrison, who has been serving temporarily without pay since June 21, was named by the Insurance Board to a two-year term, beginning Sept. 1. Senate must confirm the appointment.

The former assistant state auditor moves into the second highest paid job in Texas government — \$20,000 per year.

One of his first tasks will be to expand the department's staff of insurance company examiners. Recent legislation provided for 26 new men, bringing the staff to 65. Former department officials had complained they didn't have enough examiners to keep tabs on the thousands of companies operating in Texas.

BUSINESS PLATEAU — Texas business activity for the first half of 1956 is up four per cent over 1955. This despite an 11 per cent drop from May to June, says the U. T. Bureau of Business Research.

UT analysts say it looks as if the breathtaking rise of the past few years has lost its momentum. But they see no "strong evidence of the beginning of a downward trend." They foresee, instead, Texas business continuing, with minor ups and downs, on its present high plateau.

IT'LL COST US TOO — Texans who think the federal government is going to take care of all their highway problems now are due for disillusionment.

So says State Highway Commission Chairman Marshall Formby. Interstate highways paid for by federal funds will take care of only 16 per cent of the state's traffic load, said Formby. Bringing the other 84 per cent of state roads to first-class condition will cost \$2,000,000,000.

With present funds of \$80,000,000 to \$90,000,000 a year, it'll take 22 years, he said. "And by that time we'll need more four-lane roads."

ASK FIRST — Various departments of the State are playing it safe today. They don't want to run afoul of what has been termed "the new moral atmosphere in Texas."

Indicative of the new trend is the "ask-first" attitude that has developed. Result: Many requests of the attorney general for rulings.

In an opinion given State Auditor C. H. Cavness, it was ruled that it would be legal for a state college cafeteria to buy its milk from a dairy owned by a legisla-

LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK BY TED GOULD

Fort Worth—Trade was very active on stocker and feeder classes of cattle and calves at Fort Worth Monday and prices were from fully steady to as much as 50 cents higher. There was a rather large

representation of out-of-state buyers on hand, a factor which again lent strength to the bright prospects for the late summer and fall market for Texas cattle this year.

Last week agricultural economists in the cornbelt were warning farmers there against the trend toward "paying too much" for replacement cattle this fall.

At the Corn Belt Livestock Feeders Association meeting in Chicago last week, the fact cattle are in strong hands and ample feed and grass are available, was listed as a factor in the strong position of cattle growers. More than normal demand for replacement from grazing areas because cattlemen sold down in the drought, was also expected, and prospects of big feed grain supplies due to sharp increases in grain sorghum acreage and improved corn growing conditions in the Western Cornbelt were cited as bullish factors.

Later than usual marketing of stockers and feeders was also predicted, since cattlemen will hold for added poundage.

These warnings to cornbelt stocker and feeder buyers about high priced replacement cattle found sympathetic endorsement among out-of-state buyers at Fort Worth Monday. But, as one buyer from the Hoosier State of Indiana put it, "We're in the cattle business, we need cattle and our farmers need cattle. Supply and demand will adjust things sooner or later."

In the trade Monday, good and choice stocker steer calves ranged from \$20 to \$24, the higher figure on some 517-pound steer calves, whose heifer mates cashed at \$21.50 and sealed over 100 pounds. Plainer stocker calves sold from \$14 to \$19, and stocker steer yearlings and feeder steers ranged mostly from \$21 down. Fleishy feeding heifers ranged from \$19.50 down. A few replacement cows sold from \$10 to \$14.

In the slaughter division, good

and choice fed cattle sold at best prices since last fall, at \$20 to \$26, the top for Texas 950-pound fed steers from Oklahoma. Plain and medium er sorts cashed at \$12 to \$14.

Fat cows drew \$12 to \$14, canners and cutters brought \$12. Bulls cashed at \$10 and lower grades cashed at \$8 to \$10.

A small supply of sheep lambs cleared at steady to er prices at Fort Worth. Slaughter lambs and ewes sold weak to 50 cents below and stocker and feeder ewes were steady to strong.

Good and choice slaughter cashed at \$20 to \$22.50, and to medium kinds sold from \$18 to \$20. Stocker and feeder pounders at \$17 to \$19, some lings sold at \$18. Good fat muttons sold at \$14.50 down.

Slaughter ewes cashed at \$8.50. Some solid ewes sold at breeders around \$11, and better young ones were quoted to \$13 to \$15. Yearling ewes to \$18 or \$20, bucks sold around \$5 to \$10.

Choice butcher hogs topped \$22.50 and \$22.75 at Fort Monday, with top prices paid for the tone of the market steady to a little easier. But to good butchers sold from \$22 to \$22. Packing sows cashed at \$17 to \$20.

More salt is present in the Atlantic than in the Pacific.

Leading candidate for an ing end position with Texas this fall is Jerry Selfridge, a geologist, who played freshman football instead of football year.

More salt is present in the Atlantic than in the Pacific.

Vivian MISS MARTHA FISH

L'Myra Odell of Quannah spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Leslie McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fairchild and daughters, Barbara, Jerry Ann and Faunche, left Friday evening for California to visit his mother and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Yarbrough visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas and children of Crowell Thursday night and helped celebrate Jackie's 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gafford were Vernon visitors Saturday.

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FOARD CITY W. S. C. S.

Mrs. W. L. Johnson of Crowell entertained the women of the Foard City Women's Society of Christian Service on Monday, Aug. 5, with one guest, Mrs. Claude Callaway, present.

Following the brief business session, Mrs. Virgil Johnson discussed a chapter from the current study concerning the youth and his problems. "There is no end," was the title of the article given by Mrs. W. L. Johnson and it pertained to the limitless quantity of God's power, the endless extent of service which His church can give, and the endless amount of help God needs from each.

Mrs. Grady Halbert presented a meditation entitled "No child is an island unto himself," explaining the vital need of this world for understanding and mutual appreciation in the home, the community and nation, and on to the one world in which we live.

The afternoon's devotional, based on Mark 6: 7-14, was given by Mrs. Jack Welch. She stressed the importance of realizing how much influence each of our lives carries, whether deliberately or accidentally, upon those with whom we come in contact each day. Mrs. Blake McDaniel discussed the meeting with prayer, ice cream and cookies were served to the group by Mrs. Johnson, with Kay Johnson assisting.

GUESTS COMPLIMENTED

Miss Judy Borchardt entertained her house guests, Miss Barbara Ann Duke of Liberty and Miss Kathy Kahler of Dallas with a "get acquainted" brunch at her home on Wednesday morning.

Branch consisted of assorted juices, fruit, cantaloupe, sweet rolls, doughnuts and ham patties and was served to Misses Sue Bursey, Jo Frances Long, Wanda James, Linda Johnson, Lois Ann Painter, Charlotte Sledge, Sandra Campbell, Betty Davis, Roma Jan Spikes, Roxie Adkins, Betty McKown, Sandra Sanders, Shirley Fox, Janie Bowers and the two house guests.

HONORS GUEST

Miss Roseana Adkins entertained a group of girls Friday evening honoring her cousin, Cathy Adkins of Arlington, who was leaving Sunday for her home.

Sandwiches, ice cream and cold drinks were enjoyed by those present, after which the group went riding.

Those present were Jo Frances Long, Sue Bursey, Sandra Sanders, Elizabeth Davis, Linda Johnson, Mary Ann Myers, the honoree and hostess, and the hostess' mother, Mrs. Houston Adkins.

Margaret

MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mrs. Fred Priest and children, Carolyn and Tommy, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matyssek of Vernon visited her brother, Frank Haleneak, and wife Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Owens and Mrs. Ray Hysinger visited in Vernon Friday.

Johnny Black of Dallas is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr, this week.

Mrs. George Riethmayer and daughter, Ann, left last Thursday morning for Baton Rouge, La., where they will spend a week visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Gail Stanfield, and husband, Mrs. Stanfield was Helen Riethmayer before her marriage.

Aunt Sue Devore of Lawton, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crowell and children of Brownsville visited last week with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Bradford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Orr and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr visited in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant of Truett visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haleneak Saturday morning.

John Wesley of Iowa Park spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley. He reported the marriage of his son, John Jr., July 27 to Miss Virginia Gillespie. They are making their home in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Haleneak and children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Haleneak and son were Quannah visitors Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy visited their daughter, Mrs. Dewitt Edwards, and husband in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and children and his mother, Mrs. J. S. Smith, and daughter, Ruby, and Jack McGinnis were at Lake Altus Sunday boating and seeing the carnival.

Rev. Beck and family went to Claude Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Owens of Knox City visited his mother, Mrs. Valeria Owens, Sunday.

Dink Russell was admitted to the Crowell hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Choate visited in Cleburne and Dallas through the week-end. Their daughter, Sandra, who has been spending the summer with her grandparents and other relatives in Cleburne, returned home with them.

Mrs. Loyd Shultz and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley went to Dallas Tuesday where Mr. Wesley underwent a medical check-up.

Cecil and Don Keith Ingle spent Saturday night fishing at Lake Kemp.

Back McCurley of McLean visited his mother, Mrs. W. R. McCurley, last week end. His daughter, Linda, who has been visiting her grandmother, returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Louisa Painter and daughters, Marjetta and Loyce Ann, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford and Jo Nell, Rev. Truman Boyd and family and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford attended baptismal services for Patricia Jackson in Crowell Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr visited Mr. and Mrs. Karl Streit at Lockett Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Bounds went to Kirkland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper and children, J. M. Jr. and John Matthew, of Harlingen spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers.

Duane Orr of Pampa visited his father, Earl Orr, last week end.

Denny Todd of Crowell visited Ronny Bradford Sunday and Sunday night.

Joe Pruitt of Snyder visited Mrs. Jack Roden, Arthur Pruitt and Mrs. Bess Reinhardt Sunday.

Patsy Mechell visited friends in Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford and children, Ronny and Jo Nell, visited Mrs. S. J. Boman in Vernon Thursday night.

Master Sgt. A. C. Porter and family of Phoenix, Ariz., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blevins, and her sister, Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole of Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCurley and son, Charles Jr., of McLean visited over the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. W. R. McCurley.

Mrs. A. C. Porter and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens visited their sister, Mrs. Everett Close, and family in Vernon Sunday.

Dr. John Raines of Crowell was called to see Dink Russell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen took their niece, Sherry Haseloff, who had been visiting here, to Quannah Sunday where she left by train for her home in Dallas.

Ronny Eavenson of Lockett spent from Tuesday until Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas and children, Jackie and Terri, of Crowell were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen, Mrs. Charles McCurley and son, Linda McCurley and Sherry Haseloff visited in Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shortie McAdams of Farmers Valley and Mrs. J. S. Smith and daughter, Ruby, of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and children Friday while en route to their homes from a vacation in New Mexico and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz and her brother, Elmer Watts, and wife left Tuesday for a vacation trip through California, Oregon, Washington and into Canada. They plan to be gone a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz attended the Watts reunion Saturday and Sunday at Seymour. There were about 200 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens left Wednesday for Colorado and other points west. They will be joined by their son, J. S., and family of Lovington, N. M., for their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Payne and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne Wednesday evening.

Rev. H. C. Payne is visiting friends at Army this week.

Coy Payne attended the sales in Vernon Thursday.

FEDERATION MEETING

Presidents and club members met in the home of Mrs. Karl ten Brink on Wednesday morning, August 7, and Monday, August 12, to make plans to entertain the State Federation President, Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum, Texas.

There will be a luncheon at noon, Sept. 9, in the Down Town Bible Class room with the Deluxe Cafe serving the meal.

The lunch will be \$1.00 per person. Every club lady in the county is urged to attend the luncheon and welcome Mrs. House. Mrs. House will bring the program.

William Henry Harrison held the shortest term of any U. S. president. He died one month after taking office.

THIS WEEK
—In Washington



With
Clinton Davidson

Washington is faced this week with what may be the most momentous and far-reaching decision it has made in a very long time—what to do about nuclear weapons.

The question is whether to sign an agreement with Russia to limit or outlaw the use of A-bombs and H-bombs as weapons of war?

Washington instruction to our negotiators at the London armament conference can supply the U. S. answer. Russia, obviously, wants the bombs outlawed, but on her own terms.

Our objective is to reduce and eventually eliminate the threat of war.

The big question is whether the outlawing of nuclear weapons would diminish or increase the threat.

There can be no question but that public opinion throughout the world strongly opposes the use of the most terribly destructive weapon man has yet devised. That fact is on Russia's side.

The primary concern of Washington officials, however, is the safeguarding of the United States and the rest of the Free World from aggression by force from the communist countries.

With nuclear weapons the West holds the power to deter aggression in any part of the world. No nation, it is reasoned, would deliberately provoke a war that would have the terrible consequences of nuclear destruction.

The decision at London, then, must be whether to refuse to ban atomic weapons and hand Russia an important propaganda victory, or agree and then undertake to build up conventional forces superior to those of the communist

nations. To ban atomic weapons might increase rather than diminish the threat of war. Military officials argue that the communists, with their big standing armies, would have a terrific advantage if only conventional weapons were used.

Obviously, President Eisenhower has most to do with this and other major decisions of national security. Most people believe that next to the President, those who play the most important roles in national defense policies, are the Secretaries of State, Defense, Air, Army and Navy—but they are wrong. Of equal importance to Secretaries John Foster Dulles and Charles Wilson, and of greater importance than the Secretaries of Air, Army and Navy, are Senator Richard B. Russell, chairman of the Armed Services Committee of the Senate, and Chairman Carl Vinson of the Armed Services Committee of the House.

Unlike the Secretaries, these two men have been elected by "the people" to plan and supervise

national defense policies. They have a combined record of 68 years of outstanding service in Congress, 25 for Senator Russell and 43 for Rep. Vinson. Both served on the Naval Affairs Committees, Vinson as Chairman, before heading the Armed Services Committees when they were formed in 1947.

The wisdom of their counsel and the great extent of their influence in shaping defense policies is well known in Washington but, due to their personal modesty, is not adequately recognized outside.

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GRAPE JUICE 3 for \$1

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