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DRILLING ON DEEP OIL TEST SOUTHWEST OF CROWELL PASSES 4,785-FOOT MARK WEDNESDAY

Drilling on the Wynne-Smith wildcat oil test on the J. W. Smith ranch 11 miles southwest of Crowell was going ahead Tuesday afternoon at a depth of 4,785 feet. According to reports, no traces of oil or gas had been encountered in the hole up to Tuesday afternoon.

This test, which is the deepest to be drilled in Foard County, is expected to search both the Greth and Ellenberger formations in that section of the county. The Landreth formation has been passed and the Ellenberger is being neared.

Operators first thought that pay sand would be found at the Landreth. It was expected to be topped about 4,000 feet, and expressed opinion that oil would be found in the Ellenberger, which is found about 5,000 feet in this section. It was missed in the formation, and the bottom should be reached in the next few days.

New Federal Judge



Gov. James V. Allred was appointed to judgeship of the second judicial district of Texas by President Franklin D. Roosevelt Monday. The appointment was made in a speech by the President in Wichita Falls and Gov. Allred will assume duties of that office when his term as Governor of Texas expires.

ABSENTEE VOTE STARTS; MANY CAST BALLOTS

Only 19 last day to return votes, laws of state says

Twenty-one voters of Foard County had voted absentee or had mailed absentee ballots by Tuesday afternoon, according to county clerk.

Of that number, twenty-seven absentee votes had been cast by the office of the county clerk. The remainder had been mailed applications for the absentee vote may be made at the clerk's office. The blanks require the applicant to state the reason of the absence from the voting day.

Ballots mailed from the office of those who intend to vote by absentee ballots must be received at the clerk's office not more than three days prior to the election. The election will be held July 23, so the absentee ballot must be in not later than Tuesday, July 19.

Three days before the election absentee ballots are sent by mail to the presiding election officers of the respective precincts. The opening date for making application for absentee ballots Monday of last week, July 4.

The laws of Texas state the ballot must not be obtained more than 20 days nor less than 20 days before election.

Landmark on Mrs. W. S. Bell's Farm Burned Last Friday

A large barn that had been more than forty years ago at the farm home of Mrs. W. S. Bell last Friday morning, was discovered about 8:30 a. m. The loss included a pair of scales and 70 bales of oats, belonging to M. L. Hughes. No insurance was carried.

DERRICK ON THALIA WILDCAT TEST COLLAPSED MONDAY; HOLE IS ABANDONED AT 2,365 FEET

The wildcat oil test of O. P. Chapman and Associates on the Ward farm three miles north of Thalia was abandoned Monday at a depth of 2,365 feet, after the hole was drowned with salt water.

Derrick Collapses

The 50-foot steel derrick collapsed Monday morning when drill pipe was being pulled from the hole. Another machine was used to pull the derrick and was being pulled from the hole Wednesday afternoon. The company was released from the 2,400-foot contract on Tuesday.

"Hard Luck" Test

The test was a "hard luck" test and "hard" was encountered on this test more than any other ever drilled in Foard County. A depth of 2,365 feet in the No. 1 hole was lost when the casing collapsed.

The casing was reached at 2,010 feet. The casing was moved for the third time and a derrick rig was used to pull the plug into the hole. When the plug was pulled, salt water was struck and the hole was drowned. Monday morning when the pipe was being pulled.

RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

John Allen Fish has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish, in the Vivian community after spending two years in Stockton, Calif., where he was employed during the cotton season by the Port Stockton Compress, Inc. During this time John Allen also completed a business course in a Stockton business college. While in Stockton he lived at the home of his aunt, Mrs. E. S. Darby, and family.

On the return trip home John Allen visited his uncle, J. L. Klepper, and family in Los Angeles, Calif. for several days and was taken to places of interest in Southern California, including a trip to Tijuana, Mexico.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ernest Wisdom, a girl, Bobby Ann, July 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Garvin, a boy, Kenneth, July 3.

ed from the hole, the derrick collapsed when the pipe struck and the strain was too much for the steel structure.

BAPTISTS WILL HOLD MEET AT CHURCH HERE

Two-Weeks' Revival to Start Sunday Morning

A two-weeks' revival meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church of Crowell by Rev. Ralph Grant, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Childress, and Volus Norsworthy, educational director of the First Baptist Church of Vernon, starting Sunday morning, July 17, and continuing through Sunday, July 31, according to Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, local pastor.

Both morning and evening services will be held each day during the revival, with Rev. Grant delivering the sermons. Mr. Norsworthy will conduct the song services. Rev. Fitzgerald will assist in the services. Miss Anne Lee Long will serve as pianist.

The morning services will be held in the church each day from 10 to 11 a. m., but the evening services will be held on the outside. The evening services will be started at 8 p. m.

The public is invited and urged to attend these services to hear Rev. Grant's messages.

Many Foard Citizens See President While on Tour of Nation

Many people of Crowell and Foard County saw and heard Franklin D. Roosevelt when he passed through this section of Texas Monday on his tour of the United States. He spoke in Bowie, Wichita Falls and Amarillo and stopped for a few minutes in Vernon and Childress. Practically all of the Foard County people went to Wichita Falls to hear the President speak there, but many were in Childress when his train stopped there Monday afternoon.

Praises Texas and Allred

In his speech at Wichita Falls, the President had much praise for the State of Texas, at which time he appointed Governor James V. Allred to judgeship of the second federal judicial district of Texas.

A crowd of 15,000 people heard the President at Wichita Falls and large crowds were on hand to welcome the presidential party in every town through which it passed.

Revival Meeting Started Last Night

The Methodist revival meeting at Thalia started Wednesday with the pastor, Rev. E. A. Irvine of Margaret, in charge, and Rev. Cal C. Wright of Vernon, presiding elder of the Vernon District, doing the preaching. The meeting will continue through Sunday, July 24.

There will be no preaching services at the Margaret Methodist Church next Sunday, according to an announcement made Tuesday by Rev. Irvine, on account of the revival in progress at Thalia.

JOINS RIVERSIDE FACULTY

J. Paul Hill of Lubbock was employed as English teacher and coach for the Riverside school at a meeting of the trustees last Friday night. Mr. Hill takes the place made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Hill completes the faculty of Riverside school for the 1938-39 term.

Presiding Officers for Polls Named; 1,632 Votes Cast in 1936 Primary

Presiding officers for the voting polls in the first Democratic primary election to be held Saturday, July 23, were announced this week by the County Democratic executive committee.

The polls, the presiding officers, number of polls paid are as follows:

Voting Box	Town	Place	Presiding Officer	No. Poll Taxes
1	S E Crowell	Clerk's Office	A. D. Campbell	69
2	N E Crowell	Judge's Office	L. A. Andrews	327
3	S W Crowell	J. Peace Office	Forrest Burks	49
4	N W Crowell	Co. At. Office	Henry E. Thomson	175
5	Margaret		Luther Tamplin	132
6	E Thalia		Chas. Hathaway	76
7	W Thalia		A. B. Wisdom	86
8	Foard City		E. V. Halbert	90
9	Black		C. E. Gafford	37
10	Vivian		Mrs. Mattie L. Carroll	70
11	Rayland		A. T. Beazley	38
12	Good Creek		G. C. Owens	38
Supplementary Poll Taxes				146

The number of poll taxes given is as they are recorded for each of the boxes, but the exact number of eligible voters was not determined because the number of exemptions was not known.

For the entire county 1,322 poll taxes were paid. In 1936, there were 1,321 poll taxes paid and 1,632 votes were cast.

Expense Accounts Are Due Tomorrow

The second expense account must be turned in by the candidates for public office not later than tomorrow, Friday, July 15, if they have not already been turned in, according to election laws for 1938.

The law says the second expense report must be turned into the office of the county clerk between July 11 and July 15.

Speaks Here Today



Congressman W. D. McFarlane of Graham will be in Crowell and Foard County today in the interest of his campaign for re-election. He will speak at Margaret at 3 o'clock this afternoon and at Thalia at 8 o'clock.

Tonight at 8:30 he will speak on the court house lawn in Crowell.

Thermometers Register 107 Degrees Here

Street thermometers in Crowell reached the 107-degree mark last Thursday afternoon when rains the highest point they have reached this year. The highest mark reached the week before was 103 degrees.

Rains Break Wave

The heat wave was broken last Thursday afternoon when rains and showers fell in the county. Only a light shower fell in Crowell, but from a point two miles west of Crowell, a heavy rain was received in the western part of the county.

Hot Again

The temperature was lower Friday due to the rains, but the weather started getting hotter Saturday and on every day since that time the mercury has hovered around 105-degree mark some time during the afternoon.

Young cotton and feed crops in the county are needing rain, as it has been three weeks since a measurable amount of moisture has been received, and the hot winds have started hurting the tender plants.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued to William Simmons and Miss Lee Ellen Hanks of Crowell from the district and county clerk's office on July 12.

FIRST PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD JULY 23

92 Names to Appear on Ballot; 29 Listed in County Races

The first Democratic primary election will be held Saturday, July 23. Foard County voters will then be given the privilege of choosing their candidates for all offices up to and including the governor of the state.

Sixty-nine names appear on the ballot down to the county and precinct offices. This number includes all candidates for state and district offices, and the names of twenty-nine candidates for county and precinct offices. There is a total of ninety-two names on the 1938 ballot. The number of candidates for county and precinct offices is three less than the ballot for 1936 carried.

Ballots have already been printed and will be in the hands of the presiding officers of the voting boxes before July 23.

Amos W. Lilly and Howard Bursey are campaigning for the sheriff's office and Leslie Thomas and Claude Callaway are running for the office of county judge. Mrs. Ruth Marts and Miss Margaret Curtis are opponents for the county treasurer's office.

It was left up to the precinct officers to bring forth the largest number of candidates. Only one precinct commissioner was not opposed this year and that was Frank Cates, commissioner of precinct No. 1. Four candidates, Edgar Womack, E. G. Grimsley, W. A. Dunn and E. M. Croshaw are on the ballot in the order named for commissioner precinct No. 2. Only two candidates are in the race for commissioner of precinct No. 3. They are A. L. Davis and A. W. Barker. Although the names of only three candidates will appear on the ballot for commissioner of precinct No. 4, there are four men running for that office and are as follows: Egbert Fish, Hartley Easley, J. M. Marr and Lem Davidson.

In the Margaret precinct, William F. Bradford and E. F. Dunn appear on the ballot for public weigher.

Man Arrested Here for Cattle Officers on Forgery Complaint

A man who gave his name and home as W. H. French of Denver, Colo., was arrested two miles east of Crowell Tuesday afternoon by Sheriff Amos W. Lilly and held for Paducah officials who were wanting the man for check forgery. French gave his age as 73 years.

He was returned to Paducah by Sheriff Payne of Cottle County and will face forgery charges there for passing a forged check of \$20 to a service station there. French gave the check on an Amarillo bank for two gasoline coupon books. The manager of the station telephoned the bank and found that the check was forged. Paducah immediately got in touch with the local sheriff's department.

French was driving a 1938 model automobile and was equipped with driver's licenses from Colorado and Tennessee. The Tennessee license carried the name of W. H. Lee. A search revealed that French had license plates from Colorado, California and Tennessee. He also carried the check books of a bank in Nebraska, two in Kansas, one in Wyoming, two in Iowa, one in Minnesota, two in South Dakota, one in Oklahoma and one in Amarillo.

An Amarillo check was found already filled out for \$20 and was signed by the name of Lee, and from the account of the Omaha Blanket & Mattress Co., Amarillo branch, a fictitious account.

Fire Department Has First Call in Many Weeks Here Monday

The Crowell fire department answered its first call in three months Monday when a truck was called to extinguish a brush fire that threatened the live stock pen owned by Zeke Bell, one block south of the railroad.

Wheat stubble near the pens became ignited from some unknown origin and a part of the wooden fence burned. Only the chemical truck answered the call and the blaze was extinguished before damage was done.

RETURNS TO CROWELL

Mrs. C. B. Garlinghouse and Mrs. Belle Conrad returned to their home in Crowell Wednesday afternoon after visiting in the home of Mrs. Garlinghouse's son, Bruce Garlinghouse, and family of Siloam Springs, Ark., for the past several months.

They were accompanied to Crowell by Mr. Garlinghouse, who returned to his home in Siloam Springs Thursday.

Funeral Held Wednesday for John Wesley, Foard's Oldest Pioneer and Last Surviving Civil War Veteran

Veteran Passes



JOHN WESLEY

The death of John Wesley, 97, which occurred at his home in Margaret Tuesday morning at 5:30, removed from Foard County its oldest citizen and last surviving veteran of the Civil War. Mr. Wesley had been a resident of this section for 58 years.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the Margaret Methodist Church at 3:30 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. E. A. Irvine, officiating. Burial was in the Old Margaret Cemetery beside the grave of his wife, who preceded him in death July 14, 1937, with the Womack Funeral Home of Crowell in charge of arrangements.

pall bearers included six grandsons, Fred Taylor, John Grimm, Gordon Taylor, John Wesley, Kenneth Taylor and Raymond Pollock.

Flower girls were Misses Gladys Taylor, Rita Grimm, Alma Moore, Margaret Trout, Mildred Grimm, Ona Taylor, Janie Morris, Anita Wesley and Muriel Wesley.

Native of New York

Mr. Wesley was born in Cochecon, Sullivan County, N. Y., on May 18, 1841. February 10, 1873, he was married to Miss Mary Frances Dogherty in New York City. Nine children were born to this union, six of whom survive.

Mr. Wesley first enrolled in the Union Army on May 14, 1861, and was a member of Co. H, 28th Regiment, New York Infantry, under the command of John C. Terry. He served two years and received a discharge at Lockport, N. Y., June 2, 1863. Later he re-enlisted and served throughout the struggle. At the close of the war he became a member of the New York police force.

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To Texas in 1873

In the fall of 1873, Mr. Wesley and his wife left New York for Texas, coming by boat to Galveston. They lived on a farm near Brenham for about three years, then moving to Weatherford where they lived for a number of years. Mr. Wesley engaged in several occupations, working in a bakery, teaching school and farming, and he also served as a peace officer.

Arrive Here in 1879

On December 18, 1879, Mr. Wesley and family, Fred Ditman, and D. E. Lower, arrived in this section and settled about 5 miles north of the present site of Crowell. It was decided that the place would be a good location for a town, so a section of land was laid out in streets and town lots and was named "Peace City," which became the first post office in Hardeman, since Foard County had not been created at that time. Mr. Lower became the first postmaster and Mrs. Wesley, assistant. Later Mr. Lower resigned and Mrs. Wesley became the first postmistress of Hardeman County in (Continued on page four)

Funeral for Tip Edgin at Baptist Church, 6 P. M.

Funeral services for Tip Edgin, 50, who died at 11:30 last night in a Wichita Falls hospital, will be held in the First Baptist Church in Crowell this afternoon at 6 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, officiating. Burial will be in the Crowell Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Death followed a long illness. His condition became critical at 6:30 Wednesday afternoon and relatives were summoned to his bedside.

Survivors include his wife and two children, Miss Lilly Mae and Edwin; his mother, Mrs. J. R. Edgin, and one sister, Mrs. Arnold Rucker, all of Crowell.

COTTON BLOOMING

James Everett Long brought a cotton bloom and a small boll to the News office Wednesday morning. The cotton that is now blooming is on the J. F. Long farm north of Thalia.

ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF PARK FOR CITY OF CROWELL COMPLETED; MANY IMPROVEMENTS ARE MADE

Statutory Charges Filed Against Quanah Man in Crowell Sat.

William Pruitt, 22, of Quanah is being held in the county jail here on statutory charges and is facing an attempted criminal attack charge in Wilbarger County.

Pruitt was arrested in a Crowell cafe early Saturday morning by Sheriff Amos W. Lilly on a charge of a criminal attack upon a local girl, 15 years of age. After an investigation by local officers, it was learned that Pruitt had been to Vernon Friday night with several girls of minor age and upon the return home, he attempted to attack one of the girls. The girl leaped from the automobile and was pursued by Pruitt until she was rescued by a passing motorist, who brought her to Crowell, where the complaint was filed.

The investigation revealed that the offense took place in Wilbarger County and charges were to be filed in that county Saturday, according to local officials.

Immediately after the attempted attack investigation was completed, the father of another minor girl, 12, filed a statutory charge against Pruitt. This offense was alleged to have been committed on a minor girl on the night of July 5, near the Crowell cemetery.

In the case filed in Foard County, the accused waived examining trial and his bond was set at \$5,000.

About one-third of the municipal park now under construction one block south of the court house square is completed, according to a statement by Walter Thomson, WPA supervisor, Wednesday afternoon.

The block tract of land has been cleared and leveled and has been hedged with trees, and many trees are now growing in the park. The banks of the creek which travels through the park has been ripped and straightened. Native stone masonry columns have been erected at each of the entrances. A portion of the ground has been sodded with grass and all of the park will be sodded in Bermuda grass when it is completed.

Mr. Thomson feels that a large part toward the completion of the park was finished when the large steel-reinforced wading pool was completed. This large oval pool varies in depth from one and one-half feet in depth to three feet, and will furnish an ideal "swimming hole" for the small children of Crowell.

Construction of a concrete bridge across the creek in the park was started early Thursday morning. The floor of the bridge will be of concrete and the pillars and rails will be of native stone.

Forty-nine workmen are employed on this WPA project at present.

When completed the park will contain the wading pool, picnic units, tennis courts, horse shoe courts, stone benches, drinking fountains and play ground equipment. The entrances will be connected through the park by flagstone walks.

Citizens of Crowell feel that the city is turning an "eyesore" into a spot of beauty by sponsoring the WPA project for the construction of Crowell's first municipal park.

NEW CAR REGISTRATION

The following new automobile was registered in the office of the tax assessor-collector this week: C. C. Wheeler, Chevrolet sedan.

Items from Neighboring Communities

FOARD CITY

(By Mrs. J. L. Farrar)

Hughston McLain and Fate McDougle returned last Thursday from Anna after having finished plowing wheat land for Hughston. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lilly, Allison Denton and Mrs. Roy Ferguson left Wednesday for a four weeks visit with relatives in Texas and New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mooney are staying at their farm and looking after their things while they are away.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mooney and daughter, Ernestine, returned last Tuesday from Jones County where they visited relatives and friends over the week-end. They were accompanied home by Mr. Mooney's mother, Mrs. Howard, who will spend the summer with them.

Ferniz Gamble is visiting this week with her aunt, Mrs. Sue Parker, of Burk Burnett.

Miss Peggy Minnick returned to her home in Notman, Okla., last Wednesday after a visit of several weeks with her father, Jim Minnick. Mr. Minnick accompanied his daughter to Norman and returned

to his ranch Sunday. Mary Gladys Morris of Lubbock is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Ferguson, and family.

Miss Alma Patton of Crowell is spending this week taking care of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Farrar, who received a severely sprained ankle last Friday when she fell on some lumber. Although the injury has been very painful she is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton and daughter, Miss Truda, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. L. Farrar, and family.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Luke Vaughn Monday afternoon. The infant only lived a few hours and was buried in the Foard City cemetery Monday evening. The baby is survived by its parents and one sister, who live at the Minnick ranch.

The candidates of the county spoke here at the school house last Tuesday night. J. A. Stovall proved to be the greatest orator among the speakers. The club ladies of this place served punch free of charge to a large crowd present.

Mrs. Kaola Bell and J. W. McDaniel returned to their home in Hobbs, N. M., Saturday after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel, and other relatives.

Mrs. Everett Carter and son, Mack, returned to their home in Midland Saturday. They were accompanied home by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel, who will visit in Mrs. Carter's home and with relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. J. L. Farrar and son, Joe, visited last Wednesday night with her parents near Crowell, then on Thursday went to Vernon to visit her sister, Mrs. L. M. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Campbell of Crowell attended a supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Whitby Friday night. Other guests included Mrs. M. L. Owens and Mrs. Lee Lefevre of this place.

On last Thursday afternoon, Lavoyce Lefevre and Polly Johnson entertained with a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Roy Payne who, before her marriage, was Miss Glendon Glover. As the guests arrived Mrs. Henry Johnson and Miss Lefevre served punch to them, then they were asked to register in the bride's book. June and Billie Billington sang "Love Is the Same Old Story." Thelma Swindell of Altus, Okla., cousin of the bride, sang, "The Glory of Love," after which Polly Johnson, Blanche Hays and Lavoyce Lefevre gave a clever play entitled, "The Honeymooners." Lavoyce then asked the bride to follow her to a hidden treasure where she found many beautiful and useful gifts hidden in the tree are that spoke the love and admiration of her many friends.

TRUSCOTT

(By Estelle Chilcoat)

Charles Moorehouse of Benjamin visited friends here Saturday.

Gaylon Gover of Hobbs, N. M., who was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel, of Foard City, spent Sunday in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Ozzie Turner.

Misses Chrystalene and Estelle Chilcoat, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Delwin, returned to their home here Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, who has been visiting in San Angelo due to the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Abbott, returned to her home here this week.

Pete Stoker of South Texas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stoker, several days this week.

The Christian meeting, which is being conducted by Rev. C. E. Cogsdell, began Sunday, July 10, and will last through Sunday, July 24.

George Moffett of Chillicothe, candidate for State Senator, made a campaign speech here Monday.

Mrs. Frank Brown and children,

Frank E. Jr. and Benny Joyce, left Monday for Thoreau, N. M., where they will visit Mrs. Brown's parents.

Rev. Joe W. English and Rev. John Davis are conducting a revival meeting in the Antelope Flat community this week.

Earl Sams of Benjamin transacted business here Monday.

Gordon Acker spent Sunday visiting his wife, Mrs. J. G. Acker, who is attending school in Lubbock.

Lloyd Haynie of Munday is visiting in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Tom Westbrook, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moody and small daughter of Bishop, Calif., are visiting his father, Jim Moody.

Miss Margerite Westbrook is visiting her cousins, West Jo and Beth Haynie, of Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clue Mosley and children of Bishop, Calif., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Winifred of Houston are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Lelah Jones returned this week from her vacation spent in Dallas, Galveston and New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning and son, James Clyde, made a business trip to Quanah this week.

Charles Haynie Jr. of Munday is visiting in the home of his grandparents.

Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls, candidate for Congress, made a campaign speech here Friday.

Floyd Robertson went to Lubbock Sunday and was accompanied home by his children.

Miss Jewel Barton and her fiancé, Leon Thompson, A. J. Barton and his girl friend, Oleta Thompson, visited in the home of Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bishop and daughter, Carmin D., spent the week-end visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. L. Bates and son, J. L. Jr., left Monday for Paducah where they will visit relatives.

Winnie Horne left Monday for Lubbock where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Grady Spivey of Crowell is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Arlon Bridge, who has been running the Magnolia Service Station for the past several months, sold his business to Lewis Hughes this week.

Mrs. D. C. Hutton of Lubbock visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Abbott and children, L. C. Maxine and Peggy Jeanette, who have been visiting relatives in San Angelo, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Myers, who has been visiting relatives in Oklahoma, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strange visited relatives in Alvord last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Balcom and children, Monty and Mike, who have been on their vacation in the Ozarks, returned to their home Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Callaway of Crowell visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newsom returned Sunday from a visit in Brownwood.

Randolph Lesley of Ardmore, Okla., and Jack Lesley of Palm Springs, Calif., visited friends here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ohr and children, Clifford Jr. and Martha Ann, visited friends in Vernon Saturday.

Doris Marie and Opal Jeanne Morris, who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris of Booneville, returned home Tuesday.

One-Minute Stories of 100 Texans

(By W. T. Carley)

R. E. B. Baylor
Judge Baylor was born in Bourbon County, Kentucky, in 1791, and died in Washington County, Texas, in 1873. He was buried, according to request, on the original campus of Baylor University, at Old Independence.

Before coming to Texas in 1830, Judge Baylor had served in the Kentucky legislature and two terms in the national congress from Alabama. He served in the Texas Congress, in campaigns against Mexicans and Indians and in the constitutional convention that paved the way for Texas to enter the American Union in 1846.

When President Anson Jones solemnly proclaimed that the Republic of Texas was no more, when tear-dimmed eyes watched the Lone Star Flag of Texas pulled down for the last time and supplanted by the sacred folds of Old Glory, it was Judge Baylor that invoked divine blessings for the newest member of the Federal covenant.

After statehood he served as a district judge for 15 years and usually preached wherever he held court. He presided over the first court in the city of Waco and preached the first sermon that was ever heard in that city.

He gave Baylor University its first thousand dollars, when money was really scarce, and the school was fittingly named in his honor. He was never married. His only children are the noble sons and daughters of Baylor University—upon whom the sun never sets!

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The Philippine Islands consist of 3141 islands.

The Adams apple is the most sensitive part of the human body.

The leather binding on a book lasts longer when the book is used a great deal.

Bells are made of metal alloy generally composed of 80 parts copper and 20 parts tin.

Nearly half the weight of the body is made up of muscles.

This Lone Star State

(By W. T. Carley)

Real Facts of Texas Public School System

Oran M. (Pay as you go) Roberts became Governor of Texas in 1879. His administration marked the passing of the last dark cloud of reconstruction and the first light of public education.

Roberts gave the public school system its present setup and A. & M. College its forward impetus. During the Roberts' regime Sam Houston Normal Institute and Texas University were opened to youths who became real pillars of the Lone Star State.

The first public school was established at New Braunfels in 1858, and the first high school at Brenham in 1875.

School System Today
We have 48,311 teachers that are paid \$48,765,846 per year for the instruction of 1,564,118 school children.

We have 305,149 high school students and 1,160 high schools that enjoy complete affiliation with schools of higher learning.

We have 11,476 school buildings; more than 30,000 school trustees—and 5,881 busses to insure training for children residing in outlying districts.

Our school libraries have a total of 3,585,928 volumes—and the total value of all public school property is \$240,427,171.

Your Horoscope

July 9, 10—While you are not always sure of the outcome of your projects, this does not lessen the energy you put into it. You would make a good lawyer, as you possess imagination, a legal mind and are not easily forced into anything before you have time to investigate. You have sound judgment, are faithful to business and loyal to your patrons.

July 11—You would make a good physician as you are sympathetic, gentle and thoughtful. You are not easily swayed from your convictions once you have decided on the course you desire to take.

July 12, 13—People find you very reliable as you are trustworthy and capable. Home is your throne. You are quiet, a deep thinker, close mouthed and shrewd. You make your decisions quickly and your conclusions are apt to have the appearance of being made too quickly.

July 14, 15—Traveling appeals to you and you are apt to take the notion of changing your employment without notice. People always know they can turn to you for help and that you will never turn a deaf ear to their stories.

The American Boy Magazine Companion To Thousands of Lads

Teachers, librarians, parents, leaders of boys' clubs and hundreds of thousands of boys, themselves, enthusiastically recommend The American Boy Magazine for all boys over twelve.

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4. What event brought Nahant, Massachusetts, into the news recently?
5. Where was the scene of the

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7. Of what state is Herbert Lehman governor?
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Mrs. C. C. Hinkle and Mrs. William Whitley and their children of Foard City spent Sunday morning with Mrs. J. P. Whitley...

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Scott of Crowell visited their son and brother, L. R. Scott, Sunday evening...

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crittenden of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clifton of Foard City and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clifton Sr. of Crowell spent Sunday with their sister and daughter, Mrs. O. G. Whitley, and family...

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Beloved, if our heart condemn us not, then have we confidence toward God. And whatsoever we ask, we receive of him, because we keep his commandments, and do those things that are pleasing in his sight.—1 John 3:21, 22.

Veteran Dies—

(Continued from Page One) 1881. At that time the post office served a territory which included Hardeman, Cottle, Motley and a part of Childress Counties. Peace City never experienced any growth and with the organization of Hardeman County in December, 1884, it was abandoned and the postoffice was moved to Margaret, where the county seat was established. Mr. Wesley was the first county clerk of Hardeman County. Margaret at that time was located two miles north-east of the present townsite. Old Margaret remained the county seat of Hardeman County until 1890 when Quanah became the county seat. The town of Margaret was named for the first white child born in Hardeman County, Margaret Wesley, second daughter of Mr. Wesley.

With the organization of Foard County in 1891, Mr. Wesley became one of the commissioners and remained in that office for eight years. Margaret became a part of Foard County, since the greater part of Foard was created from Hardeman. Mr. Wesley had owned and operated a farm on Mule Creek near Margaret since moving to that vicinity in 1884, however, he retired from the active duties of farming many years ago. Four

years ago he again became interested in the active management of his farm and bought a tractor when he was 93 years old and since that time he had harvested four wheat crops, with the help of his grandson, Fred Taylor.

The place where Cynthia Ann Parker was recaptured from the Indians in 1860 was on the Wesley farm and a permanent marker was placed at the spot in 1936, Texas Centennial year. Survivors include six children, H. A. Wesley of Margaret, Mrs. W. H. Grimm and Mrs. E. M. Pollock of Oklahoma City, George Wesley of Margaret, Mrs. S. H. Taylor of El Reno, Okla., and Mrs. Joe Magill of Oklahoma City, and a large number of grandchildren.

Tennyson Says Old Age Pension Red Tape Should Be Abolished

In an address recently before a large audience in Crowell, Representative Charles H. Tennyson of Wichita County, brought his campaign for State Senator to Foard County. Mr. Tennyson is now serving his third term as a member of the House of Representatives from Wichita County, having been first elected in 1932. He was re-elected in 1936 for a third term by a margin in his district of more than three to one. He is a teacher in the high school of Wichita Falls. He is chairman of the important Committee on Education in the House of Representatives.

Mr. Tennyson pointed out that he had passed a number of measures to regulate utilities in Texas, having passed a bill to allow all cities and towns in Texas the right to regulate utilities, a right not heretofore given to towns with a population under 2,000. The same measure lowered the rate of return allowed all utilities. He also passed a measure which allowed towns to extend their lines beyond city limits in order to furnish power to rural areas. He also passed a bill in the house abolishing the fifty-cent ready-to-serve-charge by gas companies as well as a measure to make gas pipe lines common carriers. The latter two were killed in the Senate.

He pointed out that he had passed bills to transfer funds of the state in a more business-like manner, and that same had resulted in a decreased tax rate of 28 cents on the hundred dollars of property valuation for the state. He also passed a measure which guaranteed the payment of high school tuition for rural boys and girls. In discussing old age pensions he pointed out that what Texas needs in this respect is a good house cleaning at Austin, declaring that there was entirely too much discrimination among the aged needy of the state. He said he voted for a bill in the House, but which was killed in the Senate that would have made it against the law to consider the position of relatives in granting assistance to the aged needy.

Political Announcements

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For Sheriff: A. W. LILLY (Re-Election), HOWARD BURSEY
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For County and Dist. Clerk: J. A. STOVALL (Re-election)
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LEASE NEWSPAPER

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H. L. Kimsey and his other son, James, will continue to publish the Handley News at Handley. The aged needy. "There are thousands of aged needy in Texas that should be receiving pensions but are now denied same because of red tape. Permit me by your vote to help straighten the situation out as your next State Senator," Mr. Tennyson said. Regarding the farm question, Mr. Tennyson pointed out that he was born on a small Texas farm, where he spent the first 20 years of his life. He declared that what we need in Texas, "are men who have felt the swing of the hoe, and the feel of the plow, because they can understand the needs of the great mass of average Texas farmers." He further pointed out that we need to work on a program of soil conservation for Texas; to regain lost markets; and eliminate profiteering.

Makes Appeal for Support in Race for Congress

To the people of the 13th Congressional District:

You, my friends, have told me your troubles and their cause. You've told me that the Congressional representation for this district is suffering with the legal-itch. And you've told me that on election day you intend to relieve that condition by delousing politics of those legal leeches who have bled your confidence for so many years. You've also told me of your hopes and your disappointments and I shall not forget them.

My opponents in this Congressional race are three: There's the present incumbent coming from Graham, Texas, who has received \$80,000.00 and more from this position.

Another opponents is the political emigrant from Vernon, Texas, who aspired to this same position two years ago, and failed. Now, he calls himself the "mystery man."

My other opponent hails from Dallas, Texas, and claims to be a legal professor. I know his background is dim and yet unknown.

Each of these opponents claim to be lawyers, but few are the cases tried by all of them. Instead of being lawyers, they are what we better term "Political Lawyers" with whom the country is now overrun.

I am not now a lawyer, never have been, and never expect to be a lawyer, for honest parentage and from the ranks of the laboring class that works for a living as does more than 90 per cent of the voters of my district. And I direct my remarks in this campaign—not to bankers—not to lawyers—not to financiers, or political lawyers—but to that sound thinking group of working men and women.

Being in favor of a business-like administration and not being a trained political lawyer, I have not dared guess at the nature of your ailments which have brought a sickness of fear, insecurity and discouragement to the hearts of our small farmer, our small business man, and those of us who work for a living. To me it was never serious matter for guessing. So I've talked to thousands of you on the streets, in your homes and at your work. I've asked you to tell me your troubles and to let me feel first-hand the weight of those burdens that are slowly bending your already stooped shoulders to the breaking point.

The old and the young, the hale and the haled, the hungry and the sick, the man on the street and the man at the crossroads; all have helped to guide my search for the cause of their condition and have aided in pointing out the way to their relief. And their story, sad with blighted hopes and the seemingly futile struggle of each returning day, has left me with the feeling that they need something more than the hollow pretense of a high-sounding platform that they deserve something more than the treachery of impossible and empty promises. They have left me with the conviction that our people are in need of more fairness and less red tape in dealing with the problems of their present welfare and their future security, that they are entitled to receive from the ir representatives in Congress less political trickery and more of a business-like attack on those burdens that threaten their future and future of their children. This conviction, my friends, I am resolved to fight for and to always honor in your behalf.

Those Three Clever Men of Politics, my opponents, have offered you every relief under high heaven, save and except that one great promise made long ago to all of mankind: "Come unto me all you that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." And that promise they dare not claim. Why they've only left me one promise that I can give you as my own—That I will honestly work to lighten those burdens that are not rightfully yours and that I will never forget nor betray your rights as American Citizens.

Those lawyers have accused me of being an humble man who works with his hands for a living. I admit it. For more than fifteen years I've fed and clothed my family with the earnings of honest labor. It's also true that I know all the burdens and heart-aches that sooner or later come to every man who sweats for the food he feeds his family, and I'm not ashamed of it. But, my friends, out of that fifteen years of working for a living, I have gathered the certain knowledge that our people in this district need more than temporary salves with which to insure them that fair measure of happiness and security to which they are fairly entitled. And our people are weary of measures that feed them today and enslave them tomorrow; they're sick of assistance that is so ham-strung with the legal schemes of political lawyers that they must suffer long before any aid is at hand; and they're sick with bartering their pride and self-respect for a puny portion of security when that security is rightfully theirs. And I, for one, am of the belief that our citizens, large or small, great or lowly, strong or weak, are entitled alike to a fair measure of pride, self respect, and security in the future—that they are entitled to those things as a matter of right.

The Three Clever Men will forget to tell you that I am fully qualified and equipped to be your Congressman. They will forget to tell you that I've studied at nights for more than twelve years. And they'll not remind you that as an humble man I earned my education as well as my living by working for it. They probably won't think to tell you that I've personally begged thousands of dollars

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—Whether or not Pappy's biscuit's are really cooling off in the Governor's race was the focus of attention in the capital this week-end, as W. Lee O'Daniel, the Pied Piper of Fort Worth, continued his unique campaign. O'Daniel adherents, who have sprung up in force, derided the attacks on the flour broker as only serving to solidify his support, while the experts were interestedly watching the strategy of the other two top candidates, McCraw and Thompson. The attorney general opened up vigorously on O'Daniel, attacked his lack of experience and his hill-billy music. Thompson did not alter his policy of attacking nobody, but consistently held to his plan of urging his "constructive program for Texas."

Some analysis contended McCraw's fire on O'Daniel was a clear indication that the McCraw board of strategy was desperately afraid O'Daniel had nosed their man out of the runoff, and felt their candidate had nothing to lose by sailing. Others claimed McCraw forces felt sure the runoff will be between their man and O'Daniel, and they might as well start the war now.

Thompson's forces apparently were skeptical of O'Daniel's strength proving enough in the actual voting to get the flour man into the runoff. So they put Myron Blalock, chairman of the Democratic State executive committee on the radio to fire a few mild blasts of ridicule at McCraw. Thompson, himself, has attacked no other candidate so far, thus getting the double benefit of winning considerable support for a clean campaign, and maintaining an excellent position to bid for everybody's support in a run-off.

School Fund Row

The annual row over the fixing of the per capita school apportionment, and the tax rate necessary to finance it, broke out here this week. It attracted a large delegation of teachers, school officials, taxpayers' representatives, textbook salesmen, and others who profit by the "big business" of the public schools.

The Board of Education after long argument adopted a resolution advising the Automatic Tax Board that \$37,829,161 from the available school fund, will be needed to guarantee a six months term next year. This represents a per capita apportionment of about \$24—\$2 higher than the present \$22, highest in history, apportionment. It also recommended \$2,000,000 for text books. This would require upping the present State ad valorem levy from 7 cents to somewhere between 21 and 32 cents. The usual arguments about whether the board should fix the apportionment in advance of the Automatic Tax Board's action, or wait until the tax rate is fixed and then apportion available money to conform, broke out. Conflicting laws make even the lawyers doubtful about the proper procedure. Gov. Allred contended the Legislature never intended a rate higher than one required to

with which to care for the blind, and the sick and to feed the poor of Wichita Falls during the past fifteen years. And it is likely that they will forget to tell you that I am well versed in the needs of the people of our district. Well, I am—and I know the difference between right and wrong, too.

Sincerely, K. C. SPELL.

AUTOMOBILE HAZARDS

More than 100 persons fatally injured on Texas Highways during the month of June.

Better let us write you an accident policy in connection with your automobile insurance.

Every one should carry Collision, Property Damage and Public Liability Insurance.

We represent old and established companies who are financially sound.

Hughston Insurance Agency

Phone 238 Crowell, Texas

pay a 17.50 apportionment should be levied. The State school fund now receives substantially more than the constitutional allocation of certain special taxes, including gross production tax on oil, and sales tax on cigarettes. Increasing revenue from these levies is certain to bring a movement from economy advocates in the next Legislature to cut the school's share of these special taxes back to the minimum provided in the Constitution.

Move To Save Lives

Seeking to cut the heavy toll of traffic deaths and injuries on Texas highways, the Texas Traffic Safety Council met here with representatives of other interested groups and laid plans for a three-year co-ordinated program of engineering, education and enforcement. C. J. Rutland of Dallas, president of the Council, presided, and co-operation of the Texas Good Roads Association, Public Safety Department, Highway Department, League of Texas Municipalities and Texas Safety Executive Association was pledged by spokesmen for these groups.

Austin Notes

Members of the board of control are engaged in their biennial task of compiling budget recommendations for the various State departments, to be submitted to the lawmakers in January. The Railroad Commission and the Seven State

Teachers Colleges presented estimates this week. The Board of Control, the largest spending agency in the State government, makes the budget estimates for other departments—but the Legislature usually scraps the recommendations and rewrites the budget, anyway. Mrs. L. Snow Phinney, who has been clerk of the House of Representatives for several terms, will not be a candidate for re-election by the 46th Legislature. She has reserved a room at a maternity hospital sometime this autumn. Her husband is Carl Phinney, an able and popular young Dallas barrister. Her sudden death of Jeff Strickland, Senator and Secretary of State under Gov. P. Neff, brought her to a large circle of friends throughout Texas. Strickland was known as one of the most effective legislators in Austin, representing that sulphur and insurance interests. Lynn Landrum, former editor of the recently merged Dallas-Journal and a first class writer, (whether you agree with him or not), devoted his column in Dallas News last Saturday to barking a gubernatorial candidate who has attacked and maligned newspaper reporters who think this candidate will win the election from our store in Crowell. Landrum's defense of W. Hornady, the News' able political commentator, is worth reading.

TRACTORS NEED REPAIRING

Summer is Time for Seat Covers Complete Repair Stock at Our Store

Tests have proven that the summer sun, hot winds and sand shortens the life of any automobile upholstery and automobile owners should prolong the life of upholstery by equipping the car with seat covers.

We have a line of seat covers that will fit any size or model car and give to you a seat of the highest quality for the lowest price.

Put Covers on your car seats today and keep the inside of the car looking new for a great number of years.

AUTOMOTIVE SUPPLIES

To the mechanics of Crowell and Foard County, we want to say that it is a pleasure to

OWENS AUTO SUPPLY

ELECT

Charles H. Tennyson

of Wichita County

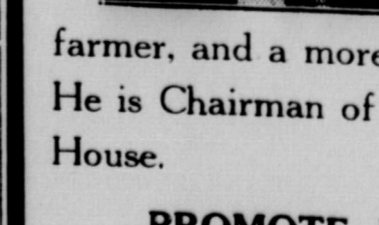
State Senator

He has a record of six continuous years of service in the House of Representatives. He has worked for a liberal pension program; for the regulation of utilities; for education; for the

farmer, and a more business-like administration of state affairs. He is Chairman of the Committee on Education in the Texas House.

PROMOTE HIM TO THE TEXAS SENATE BY YOUR VOTE JULY 23rd

(Political Advertisement Paid for By Friends)



Will Appreciate Your Support

During the past several weeks, I have tried to see each voter in Foard County personally in my campaign for re-election to the office of

COUNTY TREASURER of Foard County

In making my house to house canvas of Foard County, I have found many voters not at home and, therefore, could not solicit their support personally. I wish to take this opportunity of soliciting those I have failed to see, as the duties of the office make it impossible to see everyone personally during the next two weeks.

I am taking this method of again soliciting your support and vote in the first Democratic Primary on Saturday, July 23.

ANY CONSIDERATION GIVEN ME WILL BE APPRECIATED

MARGARET CURTIS

(Political Advertisement)

Office of the Majority Leader House of Representatives U. S. Seventy-fifth Congress Washington, D. C. June 10, 1938 Honorable W. D. McFarlane House of Representatives Dear Bill: The Seventy-Fifth Congress is rapidly drawing to a close. I am writing you this letter to thank you for your fine spirit of cooperation with the House Leadership. It has been a pleasure and a benefit to be associated with you here as fellow members of the Texas delegation. I want you to know how personally grateful I am to you for your loyalty not only to the House organization but also to the Administration. I have depended on you much and during the time you have been a member of the House, you have impressed yourself upon its membership in a way that has made you very highly regarded. Your work on the Appropriations Committee has been of great service. I trust that the people of your District will exercise the good judgment to return you to the House of Representatives where, on account of your character and ability, you will gain in power and in influence in the years to come. With every good wish for you personally, I am Sincerely yours, Louis B. Burn

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Locals

Moyer Produce for baby... Doris Hudgin of Quanah... James McKown of Altus, Okla., spent last Friday in Crowell visiting relatives and friends.

Field and garden seed.—Ballard Produce Co. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor and children of Wichita Falls were visitors in Crowell Wednesday.

Field and garden seed.—Ballard Produce Co. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennis and "Uncle" Ben Meason went to Altus, Okla., Saturday to visit Mr. Meason's daughter, Mrs. S. R. Swindell, who is seriously ill.

Straw Ballot Being Made at Local Drug Store in Next Week

W. Lee O'Daniel, "hillbilly band" candidate for the governorship of Texas, is leading the field of thirteen candidates for governor in Foard County as shown in the "straw ballot" that is being taken at the Corner Drug Store in Crowell.

Thalia is Still Pacing Teams of County in Race

Thalia took its double-header from Riverton to continue to pace the Foard County Softball League. To date, Thalia has not lost a scheduled game this season.

ORR'S Veri-Best Bread Eat more Bread—It's a body building food

Ernest C. King, Sinclair wholesale agent for Foard and Cottle counties. The office was moved from the Quick Service Station and is now located in the office used by Dr. Sam J. Muirhead before he moved to Fort Sill, Okla.

ATTENDING ENCAMPMENT Margaret Long is attending the annual encampment of the Young People's Summer Conference, at Big Spring.

TEN LUCKY PERSONS have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at The News office to see—

"KIDNAPED" Five of them will find their names in the classified ad section and the other five will find their names in the Rialto Theatre ad on the back page of this issue.

Committees for New Rotary Club Year Announced

Standing committees for the Crowell Rotary Club were announced by the secretary, Floyd Thomas, at the meeting of the club Wednesday at noon at O'Connell's Lunch Room, and are as follows:

B. & W. Man's Shop Gives Many Values During July Sale

The B. & W. Man's Shop in Crowell is staging a "July Clearance Sale" during the next eight days in which boys' and gent's furnishings are being offered to the people of the Crowell trade territory at reduced prices.

HERE'S A REAL STORY HERE! BANK BOOK No. 235241 ARE YOU SAVING FOR IT? Whatever your aims are in life, a bank account will benefit you!

Improvements at Club Improvements on the golf course of the Spring Lake Country Club were started last week.

Club Ladies of Foard Visit Carlsbad Cavern

Thirty-one ladies of the Gambleville, Vivian, West Side and Foard City home demonstration clubs visited the Carlsbad Cavern near Carlsbad, N. M., last week.

Ed Vandergriff, Oklahoma Highway patrolman, who is stationed at Lawton, Okla., was a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. E. M. Cates, and husband, of the Thalia community Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

VIVIAN (By Rosalie Fish)

Mrs. R. N. Beatty and daughters, Lillie Faye and Thelma, spent a while Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell of Paducah.

Corner Drug Store Staging Drug and Toiletry Sale Here

A sale of drugs and toiletries is being offered to the people of this trade territory this week by the Corner Drug Store in Crowell.

WEST TEXAS DON'T FAIL ME HELP ME TO ELECT JERRY SADLER Railroad Commissioner Sincerely HARLEY SADLER (POL. ADV.)

To the People of Foard and Cottle Counties As the WHOLESALE AGENT of the SINCLAIR REFINING CO. of FOARD and COTTLE COUNTIES, I solicit your orders for GASOLINE, KEROSENE and LUBRICANTS in the future

John Allen Fish spent from Friday until Sunday in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. M. Denton, of Paducah. Aubrey and Charles Clendon Beatty spent from Wednesday until Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brewer, of Paducah.

M. J. R. JACKSON Candidate for Nomination to the Office of CHIEF JUSTICE Of The Court of Civil Appeals Amarillo, Texas In the Democratic Primary July 23, 1938

Where Can You Beat THESE PRICES? PINEAPPLE, No. 2, each ... 15c GRATED OR SLICED TOMATOES, 3 No. 2 cans .. 19c JELLO, all flavors, each 4c LIMIT, 3 PACKAGES POTATOES, large white, 10 lbs. 19c CHEESE, Print, full cream, lb. .19c SAUSAGE, Pork, 2 lbs. ... 25c SOAP, Palmolive, Camay, each 5c SUGAR, in paper bags, 6 lbs. .. 25c LEMONS, large size, doz. .. 18c CORN, No. 2 can, each 9c FANCY COUNTRY GENTLEMAN MILK, Blue Grass, limit, 2 cans 5c SPINACH, No. 2 cans, each 7c BREAD, ORR'S "VERI-BEST" TOMATO JUICE, 2 cans 7c MEDIUM CANS How Can We Do This? No Rent ONIONS, 3 lbs. 8c WHITE BERMUDAS BEANS, large navys, 2 lbs. 15c FOX-WAY FOOD MARKET

Classified Ads

For Sale

FOR SALE—5-room house in east part of Crowell. Write Mrs. T. E. Turner, Swearingen, Texas. 4-2tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a 14x16 frame building, shingle roof, in first class condition.—Hughston Insurance Co. 3-2t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Reconditioned 15-30 McCormick-Deering tractor.—Roy Steele. 3

MR. AND MRS. HOWARD WILLIAMS of Crowell have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at the News office to see "Kidnaped" at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday.

Wanted

WANTED—16-inch wheels to fit Model "A" Ford. Inquire at The News office.

Found

FOUND—A stray Jersey cow with white feet and legs and sawed-off horns. No brand, across highway from Mid-Way Station east of Thalia.—B. W. Gilbert.

MR. AND MRS. A. D. CAMPBELL JR. of Crowell have complimentary guest tickets awaiting them at the News office to see "Kidnaped" at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Southeast bedroom.—Mrs. T. B. Klepper, phone 165.

Notice—Tractor Owners

It is unlawful to pull plows or run rims on paved roads as it is to run tractors with lugs. Any rim or lug is forbidden by law. TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPT., C. C. Ribble, Section Foreman. 4-2tp

MRS. C. C. BROWNING of Trustcott has a complimentary ticket awaiting her at The News office to see "Kidnaped" at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday or Monday.

NOTICE

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Aug. 8, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. HENRY BLACK, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

No Trespassing

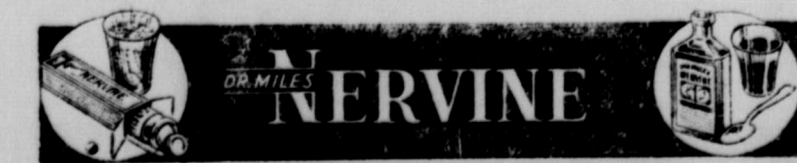
NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. If trespassing of any kind allowed on land owned or leased by me. Any est. extent of law.—W. B. Johnson.

"Mountain of the Bird"

Gebet-el-Ter, "the mountain of the bird," in Egypt, has a legendary story attached to it. All the birds of Egypt are believed to assemble there annually and, after selecting one of their number to remain until the next year, they fly away into Africa and only return at the annual convention day to release the bird and set another in its place.



Do you "fly all to pieces" when the children are noisy, or when the vegetables burn, or when the jelly won't "jell"? Some mothers are just naturally cranky. Some mothers are cross and impatient because they are nervous. If you are a natural crank, DR. MILES NERVINE won't do much for you. If you are irritable because your nerves are overtaxed, DR. MILES NERVINE will do a lot for you. Do you suffer from Sleeplessness, Restlessness, Nervous Irritability, Nervous Headache, or Nervous Indigestion? Do you worry over trifles, start at sudden noises? Overtaxed nerves will cause all these troubles, and DR. MILES NERVINE will help you to relax those overtaxed nerves. Why don't you give it a trial on our guarantee of satisfaction or your money back? Your druggist can tell you about DR. MILES NERVINE. He has been selling it ever since he started clerking in a drug store. Dr. Miles Nerveine comes in two forms—Liquid and Effervescent Tablets. Both equally effective in quieting overtaxed nerves. Both sell for 25¢ and \$1.00 depending on the size of the package.



CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 23.351 miles of highway improvements, consisting of 4,648 mi. Seal Coat and 18,703 mi. Reshaping Base and Double Asphalt Surf. Treatment on Loop in Spur and from 4 mi. East of Spur to 2.4 mi. North of Kent Co. Line—Hwy. 18, Dickens County, and from Beaver Creek (So. of Crowell) — south 17.879 mi. Hwy. 16, Foard and Knox Co.'s, on Highway Nos. 18 and 16, covered by Control Nos. 106-9-2, 106-2-7, 98-3-7, and 98-4-10, in Dickens, Foard and Knox Counties, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., July 15, 1938, and then publicly opened and read. The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing and minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the proposals in compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of	Prevailing Minimum Wage (Per Diem)
"Laborer"	Eight (8) Hour Working Day
"Workman"	Eight (8) Hour Working Day
"Mechanic"	Eight (8) Hour Working Day
Carpenter	\$8.00
Shovel Operator	8.00
Crane Operator	8.00
Powder Man	8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Crusher Operator	4.00
Asphalt Raker	4.00
Roller Operator	4.00
Distributor Driver	4.00
Distributor Operator	4.00
Tractor Operator	4.00
Blade Operator	4.00
Broom Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons)	4.00
Finisher	4.00
Form Setter	4.00
Air Hammer Operator	4.00
Blacksmith	4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00
Mixer Operator	4.00
Compressor Operator	4.00
Pump Operator	4.00
Spreader Box Operator	4.00
Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel)	4.00
Oiler	4.00
Weighter	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Teamster	3.20
Dumper	3.20
Form Setter's Helper	3.20
Watchman	2.80
Cook	2.80
Water Boy	2.40

Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of E. W. Mars, Resident Engineer, Spur, Texas, for Dickens Co., and H. T. Cunningham, Res. Engr., Benjamin, Texas, for Foard and Knox Co's. 3-2t

Windows Once a Luxury

In colonial times windows were considered a luxury. Glass was scarce, expensive and generally of inferior quality. Most of the original early Nineteenth and Eighteenth century glass that has survived the vicissitudes of the years shows bubbles and other irregularities. Nevertheless, these panes were placed in the range of luxuries, and a tax on every window in a house was levied.

Los Angeles a Seaport

Los Angeles is a seaport, having its harbor in San Pedro bay, which is connected with the main part of the city by a narrow strip of territory about 24 miles in length.

Deer Mouse Chirps

Most interesting of the wild mice is the deer mouse. It has a musical voice and often chirps like a bird.

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY



Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE

(By Bonnie Schroeder)

Mrs. Sam Kuehn went to Quanah for medical treatment Friday.

Word has been received here that Edward Hendrix of Alpine, Calif., received a serious arm injury in a car wreck there Wednesday. He was resting his arm on the door of his car and it was badly crushed when another car crashed into his. The other occupants of the Hendrix car were Mrs. Hendrix, Miss Mary Donovan of Chula Vista, Calif., and Bud Caldwell of San Diego, Calif. Mr. Caldwell was slightly injured but the ladies escaped unhurt. The Hendrix car was badly damaged and the other car that figured in the collision was completely demolished. Mr. Hendrix was still confined to a hospital, according to latest reports received here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix are former residents of this community and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler of Thalia. Miss Donovan has visited friends here several times and only recently returned home from an extended visit here. Mr. Caldwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Caldwell of Five-in-One. He is with the U. S. Navy being stationed at San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sitton, of Margaret.

Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels returned to Denton Tuesday to resume her studies in North Texas State Teachers' College after a visit here. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Johnston of White City visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert Sunday.

Bill Pope of Gainesville visited here several days last week. He was accompanied here by his wife and children, who had been visiting in the Trammel Pope home here.

John Bradford and family and Ben Bradford visited their mother, Mrs. Suddie Bradford, of Margaret Sunday.

Harry Beideman returned Tuesday from Bristol, Tenn., where he had been visiting relatives. He was accompanied home by his cousin, Joe Beideman.

C. J. Fox and family and Eric Wheeler and family attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Jim Howard, of Stoneburg, Texas, Sunday.

Douglas Adkins left Sunday for Archer City where he has accepted a position to work for his uncle, Gene Speer, in the Archer City Service Station.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grant of Frederick, Okla., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trammel Pope, recently and were accompanied home by Mrs. Pope and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reithmayer of Margaret.

Mary Evelyn Adkins entertained a few of her friends Saturday afternoon in celebration of her eleventh birthday anniversary which was Monday, July 11. After several games were played, refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the following: Faith and Hope Cribbs of Hess, Okla., Carletta, Retha Jo and Fay Jones, Mary Jo Hogan, Sammie and Sue Jones and Mrs. Carol Jones of Thalia, Frances Ann Ayers, Janice and Nora Bell Ward, Joyce, M. J. and Wayne Cribbs and Mary Evelyn and James Adkins. Mary Evelyn received several nice gifts.

Mrs. Tom Ward entertained the members of the primary Sunday School class of the Thalia Church of Christ with a picnic at her home here Sunday. Mrs. Ward is teacher of the class, which had their mothers as guests for the affair. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Abston and children, Bobbie Ruth and Billy, Mrs. Tom Abston and children, Lora Mae and Iris, Mrs. Hayes Abston and children, Wynona and Ramona, and Marlene Mason of Thalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and son, Ward.

Lucille Tole of Crowell spent several days last week with Mrs. Sam Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Todd and children of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scales Sunday afternoon.

Jim Gray celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary Sunday with a family reunion at his home here. Approximately 150 people called during the day.

Miss Helen Zacek returned home Saturday from an extended visit with her brother, Ernest Zacek, of Floyd, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cribbs accompanied Faith and Hope Cribbs to their home at Hess, Okla., Sunday.

Mrs. Loyd Whitten spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fox, near Crowell.

J. Paul Hill of Carey was elected to fill a vacancy in the Riverside school faculty in a meeting of the

Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE

(By Bonnie Schroeder)

Mrs. Maurine Wheeler, who has been ill, is improving.

Mrs. Odie Claxton, Carl Bradford and John Winston Bradford of Abilene, spent the week-end with relatives here. They were accompanied on their return by Mrs. Carl Bradford, who will join her husband to make their home in Abilene, and Odie Claxton Jr. and Francis Elliott, who spent last week in the Ben Bradford home.

Alma Lee Townsley of Thalia spent the week-end with Zella Scales.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Key of Rayland spent Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Rennels.

Jack Wisdom of Thalia spent Saturday night with Douglas Adkins.

Ray Price of Five-in-One and Edgar Allen Johnson of Thalia spent Sunday as guests of James Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rhey and Mrs. Jewel Young and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, visited at Electra Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Splayin of Roby is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Grady Walker, and family.

Mrs. Lucy E. Young has been visiting relatives in Dallas the past two weeks and will remain there an indefinite time.

Roy Ayers and family spent Sunday with relatives in Chilli-cothe.

friends and relatives in Alabama. Clarence Garrett of near Crowell spent Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett.

The home demonstration club women that visited Carlsbad, N. M., last week from here were, Mrs. Dave Solis, Mrs. Fred Diggs, Mrs. Frank Gamble, Mrs. Roy Alston, Mrs. Frank Gates, Miss Leona Solomon, Mrs. Willie Garrett, Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, Mrs. Lewellyn Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and daughters, Wilma Faye and Letta Jo, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr and family of Vivian.

Rose Ella Autry of Foard City is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Solomon and family.

Misses Frances and Opal Garrett visited Miss Dorothy Alston of Crowell a while Sunday evening.

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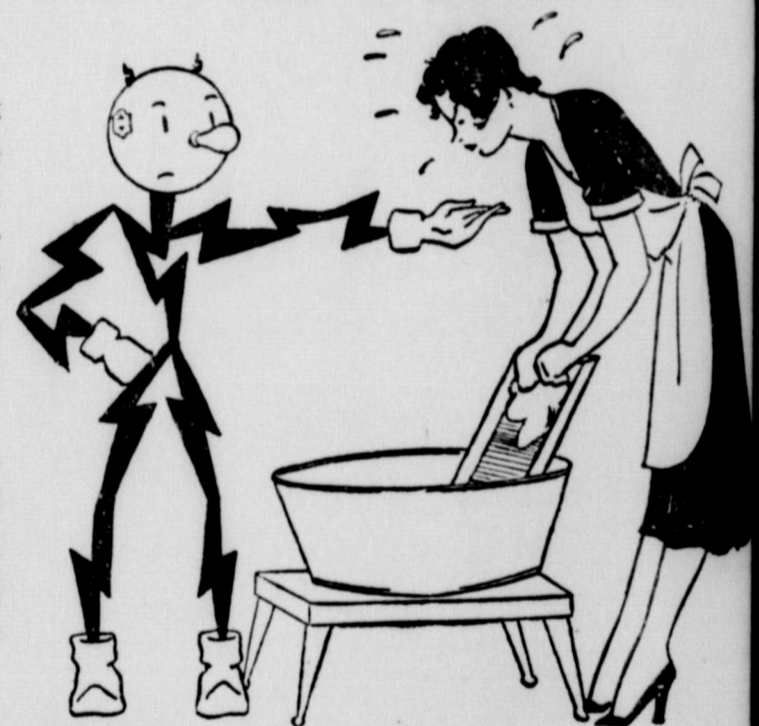
Let's Talk About Service

MOST everyone knows that SERVICE, as defined in the dictionary, means: "the act or occupation of working for another . . . the manner of performing work . . . that which is supplied or furnished to meet a demand," etc.

Working for you is Your Electric Servant's occupation. By that act of providing light and power for your home and business, the electric company renders a service. You pay a small amount each month as compensation for this service.

It, perhaps, seems like a simple transaction: but, in order to perform the work of providing the electric service you demand, this company is forced to employ approximately 1,000 men and women to whom it paid over \$1,200,000 in wages during 1937. As a citizen and property-owner in every community it serves, it paid the equivalent of \$9.25 in taxes per customer in 1937.

By maintaining three centrally-located power generating stations, it eliminates the necessity for less-efficient, isolated and expensive small



Reddy Kilowatt
Your Electric Servant
Says:
"DON'T KILL YOURSELF!
It ain't worth it"

plants in each community. Its 2,000 miles of high tension transmission lines are interconnected with still other sources of electric power so that failure of any one, or all three, of its own plants means only temporary interruption of the service you have learned to demand.

Efficiency in operation of this system of power plants and transmission and distribution lines permits rendition of electric service at its present low cost. The "manner of performing work" allows this company to render the good service you are receiving at an average net residential rate of below the average.

We want you to know we are glad to render this service, "supplying and furnishing that which meets a demand," and we invite you to use this service freely.

ALL ELECTRIC KITCHENS CUT WORK RIGHT IN HALF



West Texas Utilities Company

July 14, 1938



Pig Iron and Watch Springs

There is a classic illustration of a pig iron and watch springs... The value of watch springs is thousands of times the value of pig iron or steel from which they are made.

66 cures in 7 days and relieves first day Headache, 30 minutes. Headache, 30 minutes.

Hines Clark PHYSICIAN and SURGEON Office Over Reeder's Drug Store

Exclusive Life Insurance Service Nine years with GREAT NATIONAL LIFE Insurance Company

SLIE THOMAS Attorney-at-Law Office Phone 38J Lanier Building

ARM LOANS We have unlimited funds to loan on good farm land at five percent interest.

FARMERS! are prepared to give you night and day service on a complete line of MAGNOLIA PRODUCTS Gas—Kerosene—Oils—Greases

Company, and Allison Grain Company. Of this amount, 31 cars have been shipped from Crowell and 18 from Foard City.

Good Average The wheat crop raised by W. W. Kinsey, which has just been put into the bin, was not so bad, after all.

Team Initiates Members New members were initiated in the Rebecca Lodge at Quanah Tuesday night, the Crowell team putting on the work.

Class Enjoys Outing Class No 8 of the Methodist Sunday School, chaperoned by their teacher, Mrs. J. R. Beverly, enjoyed a day in camp down on the Wichita River.

Stop, Thief Some one broke into the Crosnoe Bros. store at Foard City last week.

Explanations on 1938 Soil Conservation Program

Warning To Cotton Farmers Many farmers have failed to grasp the idea what it will mean if they overplant their cotton allotments this year.

Brief Bits of News From Here and There

One hundred and forty-one Class A railroads, the better lines of the country, reported a loss of \$28,000,000 for the month of March.

In 1915 the country produced its largest wheat crop up to that time. It totaled 1,020,623,000 bushels.

There are 28,000,000 acres planted to cotton in this country this year. In 1937 there were 34,600,000 acres in cotton.

The federal administrator of the wage-hour law passed by the last Congress will receive a salary of \$10,000 a year.

CHURCHES

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION The Baptist Training Union of the First Baptist Church of Crowell will meet at 7 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Christian Science Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited, Sunday, July 17, 1938. Subject: "Life."

Christian Science Services "Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 17.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set

before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live!" (Deuteronomy 30:19).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is without beginning and without end, Eternity, not time, expresses the thought of Life, and the time is no part of eternity" (page 468).

Because of extra help and policemen needed, it costs \$1,200 to simply open the gates of Yankee Stadium or the Polo Grounds in New York City.

Speaking of the Governor's Job....



TEXAS NEEDS A LEADER

ERNEST THOMPSON

Trained...Talented...Tested

Qualified for the Governor's Job by a Sound Record of Public Service

WHAT HE HAS DONE!

As Mayor of Amarillo, he saved citizens nearly a million dollars a year by cutting every utility rate in the city and lowering the tax levy.

As Texas Railroad Commissioner, he assisted the farmer through lower freight rates and the livestock industry with emergency drought rates; brought many millions of dollars to the school fund by sensible supervision of the Texas oil industry; helped lower the gas rates in scores of Texas towns.

As a man, whose boyhood was spent at hard work, he has achieved a brilliant record of private and public service, fought for his country with high honors during the World War, is chairman of the Oil States Compact Commission, has earned the respect and admiration of straight-thinking people all over the nation.

WHAT HE WILL DO!

Tackle the farm problem with both fists and help the farmer and rancher work out a solution that will take the penalty off owning or working a farm or ranch—his belief being that the farmer is entitled to a fair profit, the same as any other man.

Urge the legislature to change the old age assistance law so that no needy old person will be denied a pension merely because a son or daughter happens to have a job.

Actively encourage industrial expansion to relieve unemployment; wage war on governmental waste and fight new taxes; and advocate state control and regulation of all utilities.

ERNEST THOMPSON for GOVERNOR

(Political advertisement paid for by friends of Ernest Thompson)

CHEVROLET THE SIX EXTREME Leads the Sixes... Sixes Lead the World THE ONLY LOW-PRICED CAR WITH ALL THESE FEATURES: Perfected Hydraulic Brakes 85-Horsepower Valve-in-Head Engine All-Silent, All-Steel Bodies Genuine Knee-Action

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Phone 165 or 43J

Surprise Birthday Day Dinner Honors Foard City Woman

Mrs. M. J. Traweck of the Foard City community was honored on her 75th birthday with a surprise birthday dinner at her home last Sunday.

Just before noon her children, grandchildren and friends arrived with well filled baskets of food which were spread on tables on the porch.

and Mrs. D. B. Traweck and children, Willard, Jack, Glennie, Harry and J. E. Mr. and Mrs. Sexton Hord and sons, W. P., Raymond and Bobby Truman, and Marion Elgene Hord, of Antelope Flat; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Traweck and daughters, Anita and Juanita, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mooney and daughter, Ernestine, Mrs. Mattie Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDanel and Billy Bell, and the honoree.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

On last Wednesday afternoon, July 6, Mrs. Tanner Billington honored her daughter, Carolyn June, with a swimming party and picnic at the Spring Lake Country Club to celebrate her 13th birthday.

picnic lunch was served to the following guests: Mary Evelyn Edwards, J. T. Hughton, Mary Katherine McMillan of Childress, Jean Orr, Margaret Claire Shirley, John Thomas Raser, Harry Harwell, Joyzelle Tysinger, Paula Plunkett, Rita Jo Bruce, Clonita Russell, Ada Jane Magee, Billie Jolyne and Gloria Ruth Billington and the honoree.

Following the lunch many games were played. June received many nice gifts.

JUNIORETTE ADELPHIANS

The Juniorrette Adelpian Club met at the club house Friday, July 1, at 4 o'clock with Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick as hostess. Games of "Wow" were played as diversion.

Following a business session a delicious refreshment plate was served to twelve members.

SHOWER FOR TRUSCOTT BRIDE

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Seth Woods for Mrs. T. B. Masterson Jr. of Truscott, a recent bride, on Thursday, July 7. Mrs. Masterson received many lovely gifts.

FOARD CITY H. D. CLUB

Roll call was answered by eleven members with "My Favorite Radio Character," at the regular meeting of the Foard City Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, July 5.

Radio personalities were represented by members of the club. Mrs. G. M. Canup represented W. Lee O'Daniel and Mrs. Fab Farcar represented Bing Crosby. Mrs. Tom Ferguson read an article on "The Menace of Short Wave Propaganda."

Visitors were Misses Hazel Canup, Doris Earl Logan, Mary Ermine and Betty Jean Owens.

Mrs. G. M. Canup will be leader at the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. R. L. Taylor on July 19 with a demonstration on "Cooking Fresh Fruit," by Miss Myrna Holman, home demonstration agent.

LIBRARY NOTES

Josephine Lawrence says, "Plain people have the most complicated problems, and usually work them out in terms of their emotions, not their intelligence." This is the

"Kidnaped"



Freddie Bartholomew and Warner Barter, above, are appearing in Robert Louis Stevenson's story, "Kidnaped," which is said to be his best. Like "Treasure Island," this picture is filled with all the romance and adventure of the sea and a struggling people.

"Kidnaped" is showing at the Rialto Theatre at the Saturday night preview, Sunday and Monday

Officers of Crowell Masonic Lodge Are Installed This Week

Officers of the Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & M., were installed at the meeting of the lodge Monday night and are as follows: Granville T. Lanier, worshipful master; Walker P. Todd, senior warden; C. B. Graham, junior warden; J. M. Kincaid, treasurer; D. R. Magee, secretary; John E. Long, senior deacon; Charles D. Ferguson, junior deacon; J. W. Bruce, senior steward; E. W. Brown, junior steward; E. G. Spear, tiler; W. L. Callaway, chaplain.

central theme of all her stories; she takes an important position of the middle-class family and shows how they solve it as well as how it should be solved. Her books appeal to all readers, and her latest, "If I Have Four Apples," has been on the list of the best sellers.

"If I Have Four Apples" is a study of the budget in an average family that repeatedly tries to make eight apples out of four by buying on the installment plan. The story is very interesting and keeps the reader guessing and amazed even at the close.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

July 11 — John Quincy Adams, president, born, 1767. Drafting of soldiers begun in New York, 1863.

July 12—Invasion of Canada by General Hull with an army of United States volunteers, 1812. Americans captured Santiago, 1899.

July 13—Steamship Great Eastern began the laying of the third Atlantic cable, 1866. Tientsin bombarded by allies in Boxer war, 1900.

July 14—Plate glass first successfully made in America, at New Albany, Indiana, 1879.

July 15—T. C. Platt, statesman, born, 1833. Battle of Chateau-Thierry, 1918.

July 16—Russian Royal family shot, 1918. Capture of Stony Point, 1779.

July 17—First issue of Punch, English humorist magazine, 1841. Santiago de Cuba surrendered to the Americans, 1898.

State Observes Fast Day

New Hampshire has observed Fast day as an annual holiday since 1681.

Complete Returns of Election to be Posted at Local Drug Store

Complete returns from the first Democratic primary to be held Saturday, July 23, will be given by Reeder's Drug Store as soon as they are obtainable after the votes have been counted.

Returns from every voting box in the county will be given for all candidates throughout the district and for the candidates for governor of the state.

The complete returns as they are turned in by the election officers will be posted on a large blackboard so that they may be obtained in detail by those who wish to get them.

A fair, clear-thinking fact-facing business man
TOM F. HUNTER
for
GOVERNOR
(Political Advertisement)

YOUR SUPPORT SOLICITED

I have tried to see every voter in the county but if I have failed to see you, please consider this an earnest solicitation for your support and vote in the DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, SATURDAY, JULY 23.

I feel that I am qualified for the duties of the office and, if elected, I will do my utmost to serve the people of Foard County in this capacity in an honest and efficient manner.

MRS. RUTH MARTS

Candidate for
County Treasurer

of Foard County
(Political Advertisement)

To the Voters of Foard County:

For fear that I have not seen each and everyone of you in my campaign for election to the office of

SHERIFF

and
TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

of Foard County

I take this means of soliciting your vote and support in DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY on SATURDAY, JULY 23

To the voters I have already contacted and to those whom I have not yet seen, I wish to thank you for any consideration shown me.

HOWARD BURSEY

(Political Advertisement)

July Clearance Sale

BEGINS FRI., JULY 15 - ENDS SAT., JULY 23
PRICES SLASHED - ENTIRE STOCK OF SUMMER CLOTHES MUST GO!

SUMMER STOCK MUST BE SOLD TO MAKE ROOM FOR NEW AND A COMPLETE FALL STOCK!



MEN'S WHITE SHOES

- \$3.95 and \$5.00 values...\$2.95
- \$3.25 value...\$2.45
- \$3.95 value...\$2.25
- One Lot of—
MEN'S DRESS SHOES
valued up to \$4.25...\$2.95
(While they last)
- BOYS' DRESS and WORK SHOES,
valued up to \$3.25...\$1.95
- MEN'S WORK SHOES
\$4.95 value...\$3.65
- \$4.25 value...\$2.95
- \$3.50 value...\$2.65
- \$2.65 value...\$1.95
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MEN'S DRESS PANTS

- \$5.95 and \$5.50 values, only...\$3.95
- \$4.50 and \$4.95 values, only...\$3.50
- \$3.25 values, only...\$2.50

JAYSON SHIRTS GOING AT UNHEARD-OF PRICES

- SILK SHIRTS**
New Patterns \$3.95 value
Going for
\$2.95
- SALE DRESS SHIRTS**
\$2.00 value
Slashed to
\$1.55

MEN'S SHIRTS, \$1.50 and \$1.35 values...\$1.00

Clearance VALUES!

MEN'S SUMMER PAJAMAS, \$1.95 Value...\$1.45

One Lot of MEN'S and BOYS' WASH PANTS, values up to \$2.25, while they last...\$1.00

MEN'S JOCKEY SHORTS, 3 pair...\$1.00
Sell for 50c per pair

THESE PRICES ARE CASH ONLY

Men's Spring and Summer Suits

All New!
\$25.00 Value
\$17.50
2-PANTS SUITS

Men's White Linen SUITS

\$8.95 Value
\$5.95

MEN'S and BOYS' DRESS HATS

Men's Mallory Hats, \$5.00 value...\$3.95

Men's Davis Hats, \$3.95 value...\$2.95

One Lot of \$1.95 values

Men's and Boys' Dress Hats...\$1.00
While they last



B. & W. MAN'S SHOP

Men's and Boys' Furnishings

CROWELL, TEXAS

Highest Quality Cleaning and Pressing

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LAST TIME THURS.

LOVESICK LEGIONNAIRE

going the rounds of the county as they fight their war of words and wise-cracks!

BATTLE OF BROADWAY

VICTOR McLAGLEN
BRITISH DONKEY
LOUISE HOVICK

Good Comedy
W. INGLE

FRIDAY NIGHT, SATURDAY MATINEE

WILLIAM BOYD
in
"Cassidy of Bar 2"

Russell Hayden
The Painted Stallion, Chap
"Community Sing"

SATURDAY NIGHT

7:30 until 11:30

A MURDERER

BETRAYS HIMSELF UNDER PRESSURE

MYSTERY HOUSE

Serial and...
C. E. GAFFORI

Saturday Night Preview SUNDAY, MONDAY

The price on his head made him the most sought after man in the history of Scotland!

WARNER BAXTER

Freddie BARTHOLOMEW

Robert Louis STEVENSON
KIDNAPED

Arlen WHELAN
20th Century-Fox

News Pictorial POPEYE

R. L. TAYLOR

TUESDAY MATINEE and Night

YOUTH TAKES A FLYING AT FOLLY WITH SHOCKING RESULTS!

CRIME SCHOOL

The DEAD END HUMOROUS

CLAUDE CALLAWAY

NEXT WED. & THUR

Deanna Durb

Mad About Me