

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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## IN SERVICE

Sgt. Audie Brown, 39, of Crowell, was separated from service at Bruns General Hospital, Santa Fe, N. M., on Oct. 3, after serving his country 39 months. He has seen duty in this country during his period of enlistment. Brown arrived at home last night. His wife is visiting a sister in San Diego, Calif.

Raymond Iseng, electrician, 3-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Iseng of Gilliland, was a member of the crew of the U. S. Ocelot when it encountered a storm on Sept. 16. The Ocelot was driven around on a reef in Buckner Bay, Okinawa, and the crew were awarded medals for their bravery. Raymond has been in the Navy for eighteen months.

Tollie Steele, Motor Machinist's first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Steele of Crowell, was given a large number of Texans and was discharged from the United States Navy at the Naval District Office in this recently.

Miss Mary Ragland Thompson, who has been in the WAVES for the past two years, and recently returned from Memphis, Tenn., has been given a discharge from the service and arrived at home last night. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thompson met her at home.

Cpl. Thomas R. Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols, has been honorably discharged from the Army Air Forces at the AAF Station, Center at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. He was in the 19th, 1942, at Camp Bessie, and was stationed at the 1st, 1943, at Trux Field, Wis., and Grand Island Air Field.

The Bronze Star, posthumously awarded to the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Chaney by commanding officer of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, at the residence in Vernon, Mr. Chaney is a former resident of Crowell at which time he was county agent. Mr. Chaney was killed in action on Dec. 16, 1944, while serving in the First Army in Germany. The Bronze Star was awarded for his gallantry beyond the call of duty. Mr. Chaney later lost his life on a foreign battlefield. Feb. 24, 1945, Second Lieutenant Chaney was killed in action in Germany. He was a co-pilot of a B-26.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb are in receipt of a letter from their son, Wayne Cobb, written on a transport en route to Japan in the Philippines. He finished his letter after he had arrived at his destination. He says that his company in the Pacific has received recommendations from every general under whom they have served. The company has gone all the way from Australia to Tokyo. He says the voyage itself is an arduous one. He says the road has been a long one but he is glad it has been taken and that it is near the end. He expects to be home in time next spring.

Mr. Lowell Campbell has received a letter from his son, after spending a 22 day tour here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Campbell.

Charles Thompson Jr., who is stationed on Guam, has been promoted to the rank of Ph M 1-C, according to information from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

C. King, Petty Officer 1-C, stationed in San Francisco, Calif., has called his wife here. He has been in the Philippines since January. He also served in the ETO before he came to the Pacific. King enlisted in 1942.

Valton Wallace, electrician, Army Air Corps, who has been stationed at Victoria, Kan., received his discharge from the service at Sheppard Field last night. Following a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace are visiting relatives in Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Davenport, who arrived home Wednesday morning from Little Rock, Ark., Mr. Davenport received his discharge from the Army at Camp Robinson this week after having been in service for three years.

Billie Fred Short, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Short, who has been spending a furlough at

## Funeral Services for W. O. Fish Held Thurs. Afternoon

Funeral services for W. O. Fish, of Vivian, who passed away in the local hospital on Wednesday morning, Oct. 3, were held at the First Christian Church on Thursday afternoon with Rev. Grant L. Slagle, the pastor, officiating. Mr. Fish had been ill for only a short time.

Pall bearers were Franklin Evans, R. L. Walling, Herbert Fish of Vivian, Clifton Gaudin of Vernon, Arthur Walling of Pampa, and Berny Fish of Paducah. Flower bearers included Mrs. J. M. Denton of Paducah, Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene, Miss Bernita Fish, Miss Bessie Fish, Miss Thelma Beatty and Mrs. R. L. Walling of Vivian, Mrs. Warren Prater of Paducah, Mrs. Ernest Frisbee and Mrs. Winston Simmonds of Vernon, Mrs. Raymond Lawhon of Pampa, and Miss Evelyn Evans of Lubbock.

Interment followed in the Crowell cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home.

William Oscar Fish, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fish, was born in Taylor County on October 8, 1893, and died on October 3, 1945. He, with his parents, came to the Vivian community in 1901. Mr. Fish resided on the same place the entire time, having bought his father's farm. He was married to Miss Maude Adams on May 21, 1917, in Crowell. Four children were born to the couple, one son who died in infancy, Sgt. John E. Fish, in the Philippines, Mildred Fish and Wm. B. Fish of the Merchant Marines.

Mr. Fish became a member of the Crowell Christian Church in 1922 and was an upright Christian citizen, a lover of home and family. He is survived by his wife, the three children, three sisters, Mrs. R. N. Beatty of Paducah, Mrs. Mary Walling of Vivian and Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah; four brothers, A. T. Fish, Vivian; Egbert Fish, Vivian; H. H. Fish, Paducah, and Allen Fish, Vivian.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the funeral services included the following: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams and daughter, Wanda, of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Adams and daughter, Misses Ernest Frisbee of Vernon; Mrs. Ernest Frisbee of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walling and son, Delbert, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lawhon, Jesse Walling, Othalee Nelson, all of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish, Mrs. Warren Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Berny Fish and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Denton and daughter, Fay, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Simpkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty and daughter, Mrs. Thelma and Lillie Fay, all of Paducah, Miss Evelyn Evans of Lubbock; Chief MoMM Wm. R. Henderson of Newberry, S. C.; Mrs. M. C. Gaudin and son, Clifton, Mrs. Harris Ballew, all of Vernon, and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee of Anson.

home, left Tuesday for Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls. Pvt. Short is in the Army Airway Communications and expects to leave soon for overseas duty.

Cpl. Fred Collins, son of Mrs. T. L. Collins, has received a discharge from the service and has arrived at the home of his mother. He served in the ETO for 35 months, in Africa, Sicily, Italy, Germany and France. He has six battle stars and the Arrow-head.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Thomas, who have been at Dalhart, have returned to Crowell to make their home. Sgt. Thomas received a discharge from the service last week.

Capt. and Mrs. Crockett C. Fox Jr. left Monday morning for San Antonio where Capt. Fox will receive a discharge from the service. From San Antonio they will go to Houston for a visit with friends.

Pvt. Albert Bird, son of D. N. Bird, arrived at home Wednesday to spend a 45-day furlough. He was in the European theater for about seven or eight months. He served with the 106th Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gobin are in receipt of a letter from their son, Sgt. Paul Gobin, who has been on Mindanao, in which he states that he will soon be at home, for he has 81 points. He has served in the Pacific since March 1, 1944.

Major T. P. Reeder Jr. and Mrs. Reeder returned to Crowell last week from Fort Sam Houston where Major Reeder received his discharge from the Medical Department of the Army after almost five years of service, one year of which was spent overseas in hospitals in England. Dr. and Mrs. Reeder left this morning for Santa Ana, Calif., their former home, where he will resume his practice of medicine.

Lieut. Herman Sandlin arrived at home Saturday from Fort Sam

## Here Come the Brides—555 of 'Em



When the former luxury liner Lurline docked at San Francisco recently, the cargo included 555 Australian war brides of American servicemen and some 200 of their children. Hundreds of other war brides are awaiting transportation from Australia as well as from England, France, and other European countries. They will all be brought here soon.

## Red Cross Knitting Chairman Asks for Knitting Assistants

Mrs. C. R. Seale, Foard County Red Cross Knitting chairman, states that she has had a shipment of 50 pounds of thread which must be made into olive drab sleeveless sweaters and scarfs. She asks that any who will aid with knitting this shipment meet her at the Red Cross sewing room on Tuesday afternoon for the issuing of the thread for the garments.

If there are ladies who have garments started and do not mean to finish them for any reason, they are asked to return the unfinished garment and the thread so that it may be given to some one else for completion because the thread must be accounted for and the garment is needed at the Red Cross sewing room on Tuesday afternoon, but it is requested that it be taken as soon as possible in order that the quota may be attained and the garments shipped.

## J. M. Denton Buys City Cleaners; Took Charge Monday

J. M. Denton, recently discharged from the U. S. Naval Reserves, bought the plant of the City Cleaners from R. R. Lanier last week and assumed personal charge of the business Monday morning.

Mr. Denton served three years and four months, 32 months of the time being spent at a Naval Operating Base near Hamilton, on Bermuda Island, 850 miles off the coast of South Carolina.

In the cleaning and pressing and laundry business, Mr. Denton is experienced, having owned and operated such a business in Paducah for seven years before enlisting in the service. He was born in Foard County and resided here all his life before going to Paducah. His wife, the former Miss Anita Fish, and their little daughter, Fay, will move to Crowell next week.

Mr. Denton was a member of Paducah Lions' Club and was an active, outstanding citizen of Paducah, at the time he was in business there.

Houston on a 45-day furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, of the Vivian community, and other relatives and friends. Lieut. Sandlin served 28 1/2 months in Hawaii, doing administrative work at Hickam Army Air Field.

Sgt. Joe B. Nichols, who was stationed on Okinawa a month before he was released to come home, arrived here Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nichols. He had spent 39 months on duty with the Signal Corps of the 5th Air Force in the South Pacific and reached Tacoma, Wash., on Sept. 25. He received his discharge at Fort Sam Houston on Oct. 5.

Lieut. Ada Beidleman, daughter of C. W. Beidleman, has received her discharge from the Army after serving two periods overseas with the ETO, and returned home last week.

## Crowell Wildcats Lose to Seymour, 21 to 7, Friday

The Crowell Wildcats lost another nonconference football game last Friday night to the Seymour Panthers at Seymour by the score of 21 to 7. The Panthers looked almost as good as they did last year when they won the regional championship. However, the Wildcats were playing without the services of three of their regulars most of the game. Horace Todd, halfback, received an ankle injury that kept him out of the whole game; J. L. Brock, star end, received a hand injury in the first quarter and will be out of the lineup for about four weeks; Larry Wood, guard, received a knee injury that forced him out of the game. All of these boys will be available in the latter part of the season.

The most thrilling play of the contest came on the opening kickoff, when Kendrick Joy followed some splendid blocking and returned the ball for seventy yards to Seymour's twelve yard line. The Panthers held Crowell for downs and took the ball over on the six yard line. Using their large weight advantage, Seymour marched down field on power plays with Ray Starkey, 190 pound fullback, doing most of the ball carrying. He was responsible for all of the Panthers' touchdowns. Seymour passed for their extra points. Crowell's score resulted from a partially blocked punt by Clay Dunn, substitute guard for Crowell, which caused the ball to go short and into O. C. Wharton's arms. Wharton returned the punt for thirty yards and a touchdown. Kendrick Joy ran the extra point over. Besides Wharton and Joy, V. Bond, guard, and John Mitchell, end, did some outstanding defensive work for Crowell. Starkey, fullback, John Keck, guard, and Jack Hatter, quarterback, were the stars for Seymour.

The Crowell boys get a rest this week before going to Holliday next week for their first conference game of the season. The Wildkittens will play the Vernon "B" squad here tonight (Thursday) in a free exhibition game.

Beginning with October 1, the three lowest grades of beef went off the ration list and are being sold without ration points. These grades are known to the trade as canner, cutter and utility. Normally these grades are used principally in canned and processed meats, hamburger, sausage and boiling meat. They constitute about 20 per cent of the beef supply.

## We Invite

MR. and MRS. VIRGIL SMITH and MR. and MRS. T. S. HANEY

to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Rialto Theatre in Crowell.

We want you to be our guests.

THE RIALTO THEATRE

The Foard County News

Ekern left Tuesday for San Francisco, Calif., where he will report for duty. Paul Baxter remained here with his grandparents.

## Baptist Church Starts Revival Sunday, Oct. 14

The First Baptist Church will begin a series of evangelistic services on Sunday, October 14, and will continue through Sunday, October 28. Rev. Otis Strickland, the pastor, will do the preaching and the song services will be under the leadership of Roland Leath.

Mr. Leath is educational director of the First Baptist Church in Little Rock, Ark. He is a long time friend of the pastor. He is a young man and consecrated to the task of gospel music and soul-winning. In addition to being a splendid singer, he is a talented pianist. Mr. Leath will appreciate the presence of all singers of Crowell in the choir.

The pastor states that there will be an attempt to break all records in the Sunday School and Training Union attendance during the revival. The services will be held at 10 o'clock each morning and at 7:30 each evening. The services will start promptly at the appointed time and will last approximately one hour. There will be plenty of time for school children to study after the evening services, says Rev. Strickland.

The pastor and the church express the hope that the meeting will be a help and strength to every one who attends and that it will strengthen every church in town, and they extend a personal invitation to everyone to attend any and all the services.

## Picnic for Returned Service Men Will be Held Friday Night

The picnic supper which was to have been given at the Margaret School House last Friday night, was postponed on account of bad weather. It will be held Friday (tomorrow) night, Oct. 12, and all service men of the area are especially invited to attend.

Everyone in the community and surrounding communities is invited to be present and each family who attends is expected to bring a picnic lunch. A good program has been planned for the occasion.

## Truscott Minister Given Recognition As Capable Poet

Special recognition has been awarded Joseph Willis English, poet of Truscott, Texas, with the inclusion of five of his poems in "Voices of Avalon," a new book of verse designed especially for radio broadcasting, according to news release received from the International Writers Club of Denver, Colo.

Mr. English was recently accorded an honorary membership in the International Mark Twain Society, and will appear as Guest Editor in an early issue of "Scimitar and Song."

## B. F. Whatley Dies at Amherst

B. F. Whatley, father of Mrs. F. J. Jonas of Crowell and former resident of this county for 23 years, passed away at his home in Amherst on Tuesday, Oct. 2. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Amherst with interment in the Amherst Cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 3. Mr. and Mrs. Jonas of Crowell attended the services.

Mr. Whatley is survived by his wife and six children: Mrs. F. J. Jonas, Crowell; Mrs. W. T. Hurt, Sapulpa, Okla.; Mrs. Sherman Nichols, Odessa; Chester Whatley, Odessa; Herman Whatley, Wichita Falls. Twenty-eight grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren also survive.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients In: Mrs. David Eaton Jr., and baby son

Mrs. Jose Brown (Mex)

Patients Dismissed: Joe Philip Johnson

Mrs. Grady Magee

Mrs. J. Y. Campbell

Mrs. Lonnie Halenack and baby daughter

## Victory War Bond Campaign Will Start on October 29th; Overall Quota for Foard County Is Set at \$95,000.00

According to information received this week by George D. Self, Foard County War Finance Committee chairman, from Nathan Adams, State War Finance Committee chairman, the Victory Loan Drive quota for Foard County has been set at \$95,000.00. Of this amount, \$65,000.00 worth is to be sold in Series "E" bonds. The overall quota of \$95,000.00 is \$40,000.00 less than the seventh drive, for which the county quota was \$135,000.00.

The drive will start on October 29 and will come to a close on

December 8. However, sales of Series "E," "F," "G" and Series "U" savings notes will run through December 31st.

In the preceding seven War Loan drives, Foard County has purchased well over \$1,000,000.00 worth of war bonds. According to local reports from the Crowell State Bank and the postoffice, a very small per cent of these bonds have been redeemed. It is estimated that less than five per cent of Foard County people have cashed their bonds and in the majority of cases this was because the owners have had some unexpected emergency that required extra cash immediately.

Mr. Self says that we are approaching this final drive with the knowledge that it will not be easy, but, with the greatest determination during the entire war financing program to see it succeed.

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County Chairman Claude Callaway announces that the drive for War Chest funds in Foard County is progressing favorably and an early attainment of the total goal in all communities is expected. The rains have been a drawback but each chairman has expressed himself as confident that his individual community will soon have reached its quota.

County Chairman Callaway requests that each community chairman turn in his final report on or before Tuesday, October 16, and the grand total will be reported next week, for it is expected that the drive will be brought to a successful close by that time.

Up to the present time, the quotas assessed the various communities and the amount thus far turned in in each place, follow: Crowell, \$1085.00, \$1130.55; Margaret, \$150.00, \$150.00; Black, \$40.00, \$51.00; Vivian, \$150.00, \$75.00; Good Creek, \$50.00, \$51.00; Thalia, \$400.00, \$225.00; Rayland - Riverside, \$275.00, \$240.00. Thus, a total of \$2130.55 has been subscribed against a quota of \$2350.00 for the county.

## American Legion Calling Meeting for Friday Night, 7:30

The American Legion Post of Foard County is calling a meeting for all veterans of World Wars No. 1 and 2 to be held in the district court room Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. It was announced by Legion officials here Wednesday. The meeting is being called in an effort to revive the membership in the local Post and all war veterans are urged to attend, whether they are members of the American Legion or not.

## Crowell PTA Will Meet Tuesday, Oct. 16

Mrs. Verne Walden will serve as leader for the October program of the Crowell Parent Teacher Association next Tuesday, Oct. 16, with "The Family, the P. T. A. and the Community" as the subject. A feature of the program will be presented by the Intermediate Department, with Mrs. E. C. King's room in charge. County Judge Leslie Thomas will be the speaker for the afternoon on the subject, "Teachers and Parents as Partners." Every parent of the school is especially urged to hear the address.

## Rationing Office in Crowell to Continue

Information was received Monday by the executives of the Rationing Office in Crowell from the Board Supervisor, Loyd Neeley, that the Foard County Rationing Office will continue to operate after the 19th of this month until further notice, and everything will be handled out of this office instead of going to Vernon.

## OUTSTANDING CAST

One of the most outstanding casts ever assembled will be seen in 20th Century-Fox's magnificent filmization of A. J. Cronin's best-seller, "The Keys of The Kingdom," which shows at the Rialto Theatre Sunday and Monday. Gregory Peck, Hollywood's newest screen sensation, is seen in the role of Francis Chisholm, the picture's central character. Other important roles are played by such stellar stars as Thomas Mitchell, Vincent Price, Rosa Stradner, Roddy McDowall, Edmund Gwenn, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Peggy Ann Garner and Jane Ball.

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## Fall Bargain Rates on Dailies Same As Last Year

The fall bargain rates on the most popular dailies in this territory have been announced and the prices are the same as they were in the fall of 1944. The Times Publishing Co. of Wichita Falls announced last week that the yearly rate for its two papers, the Wichita Record-News and Daily Times, would be \$6.50 each. Fort Worth Star-Telegram has announced that its yearly rate is \$8.95, open to old subscribers only. Yearly rate of the Vernon Daily Record is \$4.45.

## Clubbing Rates

Clubbing rates with The Foard County News are: Record-News and Foard County News, 1 year, \$8.00. Daily Times and Foard County News, 1 year, \$8.00. Fort Worth Star-Telegram and Foard County News, 1 year \$9.95. Vernon Daily Record and Foard County News in county \$6.45.

## Crowell Garden Club Will Meet

The Crowell Garden Club will hold their first meeting of the new club year with Mrs. B. W. Self, Friday afternoon (tomorrow) at 3 o'clock. The program for the meeting will be on "Bulbs and Seeds for fall planting." A large attendance is urged.

## CEMETERY DONATIONS

Since the last report, the following have made donations to the cemetery upkeep: Mrs. Mary Tabor, Nashville, Tenn., \$12.00. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Martin, Weatherford, 5.00. Frank Calvin, Santa Fe, N. M., 25.00. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin, Lockett, 5.00. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Casey, Gene, Texas, 5.00. Mr. and Mrs. Howell Overstreet, Pampa, 5.00. Mrs. G. C. Mills, 5.00. A Gift, 10.00.

## ROTARY CLUB

With Grady Halbert in charge of the program at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club, Rotarians had the privilege of listening to a very interesting and enlightening talk by Henry Black, Phm. 1-C, of the U. S. Naval Base on Parris Island, S. C., who is a dental prosthetic technician in the Navy and works in the laboratory. Horace Coon of Vernon was a visitor. Rude Magee was elected to membership in the club.

## ALMOST INCH OF RAIN

During the rain storm last week .97 inches of rain was recorded by the Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank. The rain was general over the county, as well as over West Texas.

Honey-bees will produce an average of 50 pounds of honey per colony.



## Items from Neighboring Communities

## MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watts and Willie Watts, of Iowa Park, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Faulstich.

Conrad Black visited his sister, Mrs. G. Morrison, several days last week. He has recently returned from the Pacific.

Mrs. W. S. Carter and daughter, Linda Kay, have returned from Jonesboro, Ark., where they spent two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Elrod. Miss Lanora Bradford of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford, over the week-end.

Mrs. Robert Choate and daughter, Laurel Janette, and Mrs. Evelyn Priest spent the week-end in Vernon visiting Mrs. Arthur Powers, who returned home with them. Ed Smith visited his mother, Mrs. J. S. Smith, and sister, Ruby, in Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Taylor, who have been visiting relatives here, have gone to Shamrock to visit his sister, Mrs. Margaret Trout, and family.

Mrs. Sudie Bradford has re-

turned from a three weeks' visit with her daughters, Mrs. Lizzie Bradford and Mrs. Maud Bradford, in Chickasha, and Pauls Valley, Okla.

Children of Tuck Ingle surprised him Sunday with a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orr were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Sheppard and daughter, Frances Kay, have returned from Lincoln, Kan., where they spent two weeks visiting relatives.

Johnny Sikes of Amarillo visited his brother, Green Sikes, Tuesday. They also visited their sisters in Bonham.

Mrs. Cy Licastro of Vernon spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis, and family.

Tuck Ingle went to Fort Worth last week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gunter and son of Vernon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. G. Morrison Friday, October 12.

Miss Leota Murphy of Frederick, Okla., spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford in Vernon Sunday. They also visited in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. J. H. Kenner received a message from her husband, who has been in Germany three years, to meet him in San Antonio. She left Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kenner and Mrs. J. H. Kenner went to San Antonio.

Mrs. R. A. Bell and children have returned from a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Winnie Phillips, of Levelland.

Mrs. Raymond Sikes and daughters, Reta and Neva, of San Angelo visited in the homes of R. H. Blevins and Green Sikes last week. Mr. Sikes came up Saturday and they returned home Sunday.

Morris Furgason, who has recently returned from Germany, visited his aunt, Mrs. Grant Morrison, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saxon and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Brewer of Spur spent Sunday in the Grant Morrison home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Blevins and son, Calvin, of Fort Worth are spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy.

C. F. Bradford of Muleshoe is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford, this week.

W. M. Godwin has returned from Dallas where he has been for medical treatment. He also visited relatives in Coleman.

Mrs. Bax Middlebrook has returned from West Texas and New Mexico after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Ed Dunn has bought lots in Crowell and is building a house there.

## RIVERSIDE

(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hopkins have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Kentucky.

Col. Bobbie Huntley of Shoppard Field and his wife and small daughter, Gail, of Cleburne, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huntley of Vernon visited in the Cap Adkins home Saturday night a while.

Mrs. Herman Butler and small daughter of Mineral Wells are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler.

Little Phill Johnson was return-

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What general was left in charge of the Philippines when General MacArthur was ordered to leave for Australia?

2. What Jap general made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide when he saw American Army officers approaching his home to arrest him?

3. Who is the author of the new book "The Black Rose?"

4. Where is President Truman's home and summer White House?

5. Senator Alben Barkley is a United States Senator from what state?

6. Over what country does Haile Selassie rule?

7. Who is the present Secretary of State?

8. Which of these three items is still rationed, cheese, gasoline, meat and tires?

9. For what did Skaneateles, New York, recently become known in the news?

10. In the defense of what island was General Devereux engaged at the time of his capture by the Japs?

(Answers on page 3).

ed home Sunday from a Vernon Hospital after receiving medical treatment there Saturday night.

Pvt. L. Z. Tole of Fort Lewis, Wash., and wife and baby of Fort Worth are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole, and other relatives.

Habit Grisham and wife of Byers spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and Ward visited Tom Ward and family of Chillicothe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Gilliland spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole and daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grisham, of Quanah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ward spent Saturday with their son, Tom, and family of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mason, formerly of California and now of Vernon, visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Ward and small son have returned to their home in Wichita Falls, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Thalia Sunday.

Mrs. George Grant and sons of Hollister, Okla., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Durham of Littlefield spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, who observed their 48th wedding anniversary Sunday at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farrar spent the week-end with relatives at Fargo and attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Christine Ketchers.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kirkpatrick of Electra spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope.

Mrs. Herschell Butler and children of Chillicothe, Mrs. Arlie Cato and sons, Mrs. Charles Earhman and Mrs. Jim Whitten and Children, all of Vernon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins have received word from their son, Douglas, who is recuperating from an operation, which he underwent in an Army Hospital about two weeks ago, that he has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. He expects to get a discharge soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver in Thalia.

Bobbie Gloyna and Lewis Pyle attended a Bus Drivers' meeting in Quanah, Saturday. All the bus drivers of the county attended.

## FOARD CITY

(Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Mrs. J. W. Weaver of Batesville, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and family and George Myers of Truscott spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Gordon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar visited in the home of her father, W. A. Patton, and family of Crowell Friday night.

Mrs. Howard Ferguson of Paducah spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow.

Grady McLain spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Coltharp of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow and Mrs. Howard Ferguson spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Marlow near Thalia.

Mrs. Dallas Marlow became very ill Saturday night and was taken to the Vernon Hospital Sunday morning.

Pvt. Bob Van Der Mallie, who is stationed at Sheppard Field, spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook and Mrs. Glen Shook.

Rosella Autry spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Autry and Jim Trammell spent from Monday until Wednesday of last week with relatives at Gainesville. They were accompanied by Mrs. P. H. Autry, who had been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Autry for several weeks.

John Lilly of Muleshoe spent Monday night of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly.

C. E. Farrar returned to his home at Royce City Thursday. He was accompanied by his son, J. L. Farrar, who returned home Friday.

Mrs. Luther Marlow spent Mon-

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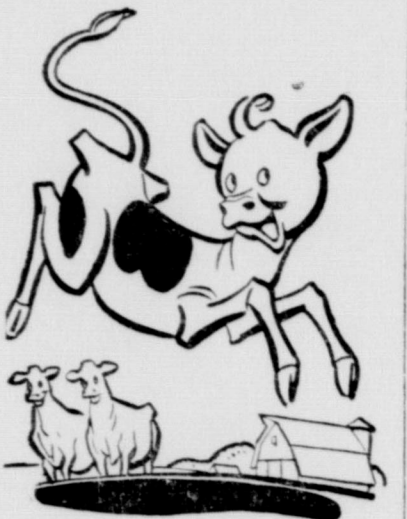
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## TRUSCOTT

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Patsy Sue Young of Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wayne Young, and family.

Mrs. Owen New visited her mother, Mrs. S. B. Maddox, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie and Bob, spent Sunday in the home of her nephew, Spencer Woodruff, in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and Jackie visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Boykin in Albany, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chowning of Abilene visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lindsay and family of Granite, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Lindsay and family Sunday night.

Bob Haynie, Francis L. Young, Mrs. Duard West, and Mrs. Raymond Hennan visited Mr. and Mrs. Rexall Haynie in Stamford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitaker of Lamesa visited relatives here during the week-end.

Mrs. H. C. Chowning and Mrs. Billy English of Ackerly visited relatives here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Browning and Vandolyn visited their daughter and sister, Marjorie, in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Guyann, Hickman and Ralph Caram were visitors in San Angelo last week.

Mrs. H. R. McLain and son, Jonnie, of Foard City visited Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coody of Monday visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown visited their son, Sgt. Buford Brown and Mrs. Brown in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith and daughter, Betty Jean, visited relatives in Stamford Saturday.

Mrs. Gene Whitaker of Stamford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Less Haynie and Ann.

Gaylon Parris, who is working for the Banner Ice Cream Company in Abilene, visited friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mrs. Raymond Hennan return-

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## THE CASE OF THE DAMAGED LIBRARY BOOK

Joe Skunkly went to the library one day to get a history report. As Joe Skunkly got about half-way through the material in the book that he had borrowed from the library, the bell rang. Not realizing that others would want the book, but thinking only that the report would be due the next day, he tore out the pages to take with him. As a result, he got a good grade on his report; but others who tried to find the material in the book, found nothing but the result of Joe Skunkly's

thoughtlessness. There is at least one Joe Skunkly in every school. He never thinks of his fellow students or the work he causes the librarians. Least of all does he consider the price of the library books. Are you a Joe Skunkly?

## SWING TRIO

Did you know that the Swing Trio that plays Saturday evenings at 6:30 on KVWC, Vernon, is Jimmie Johnson, pianist, Miles Neill, trumpeter, and Hulda Cannon, vocalist, of Vernon? Students of CHS are very proud to have

such talented musicians in their school, and we know they will be our future Count Basie and Harry James.

## THIS WEEK'S PERSONALITY

For this week's personality, I have chosen one of our football co-captains. He plays quarterback on our present team and is one of our best players.

Our personality was born in Crowell, Texas, and lives here at the present. When asked what kind of food he liked best, he said, "Any kind!" His favorite screen star is Dorothy Lamour.

I'm sure you know exactly who I am talking about by now. Of course, Kendrick Joy. Kendrick is medium height, has brown hair, green eyes, and a very nice smile. He also has quite a physique, too. Kendrick says that his favorite pastime is loafing, but he declares emphatically that he is not lazy. He likes to read, too.

Yes, you can take it from us that Kendrick is not lazy, and I know that he is one member of our class that is certain to succeed in whatever he undertakes in life.

Hey, Newshounds! How's your nose for news? Are you a new student? Would you like to be a reporter on the Wildcat?

Then you're the one Mrs. Lewis Sloan, Wildcat sponsor, is looking for. She wants "fish" and below senior newshounds with a nose for news to turn in personal items, bits of news about their friends and their friends' friends. If you have always thought you could write a short story, now is the time to find out. Just turn in your material to Virginia Monkhouse or Mrs. Sloan.

## THE CAT'S WHISKERS

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Vera Lee, I just love high school and a lot of people in it.

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Many injuries have entered the Wildcat den since opening of the season and have had a great effect on the team's showing.

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Horace Todd pulled a muscle in his leg and has missed the last two games.

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The Wildcat story of victories and defeats would probably have been a lot different had it not been for these injuries.

PEP SQUAD

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WILDCATS BOW TO SEYMOUR

The Crowell Wildcats were defeated by the Seymour Panthers Friday night by a score of 21-7.

The game opened very fast with Joy taking the kickoff with extra good blocking and galloping about eighty-two yards to the Seymour twelve yard line. The Wildcats seemed as if they could not get going and failed to make the tally.

In the second quarter the Panthers scored a after a drive from the fifty-yard line. Seymour's other touchdowns came in the third and fourth quarters. The Wildcats' lone score came in the fourth quarter when Wharton caught a partially blocked punt and raced about twenty-five yards for the score. Joy carried over for the extra point.

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1. General Wainwright.
2. General Hideki Tojo.
3. Thomas B. Costain.
4. Independence, Missouri.
5. Kentucky.
6. Ethiopia.
7. James F. Byrnes.
8. Meat and tires are still rationed.
9. It is the home of General Wainwright.
10. Wake Island.

he yelled back, "Heck, you get 'em; I don't want him."

Rastus: Say, boy, you ought to make a good radio announcer.

Jake: How's 'at bo'.

Rastus: Youse has got short hands.

Jake: What in de worl' has short han's got to do wif bein' a radio announcer?

Rastus: You dumb nigger, hain't you ever heard. Short paws for station identification.

Mr. Purvis was visiting an insane asylum, and when he was there he made a telephone call. He had difficulty in getting his connection. Exasperated he shouted to the operator, "Look here, girl, do you know who I am?"

"No," came back the calm reply, "but I know where you are."

Beat Holliday

## Your Horoscope

October 8, 9, 10.—You are very firm of purpose, genuine, loving and true. You take a great interest in reform movements. People have confidence in your integrity and judgment. You are very painstaking and thorough, and have much originality.

October 11, 12.—You have wonderful self-control, are well balanced, have a harmonious nature, but few intimate friends, but those you admit to your friendship are very close. You are conscientious in all your dealings, and are always true and loyal to your friends. Your carefully considered and well laid plans are not always successful. You work them to almost a complete end, then someone comes along and robs you of all the glory and credit.

October 13, 14.—You are painstaking and a natural adjuster of incomplete or imperfect work. You often make mistakes in judgment, being somewhat of an excitable nature. People have confidence in your honesty and integrity.

Bill Cooper: What do you call frozen water?

Walden Johnson: Iced water.

Bill: What do you call frozen ink?

Walden: Iced ink.

Bill: You're telling me.

Mouse Ballard: Do you use tooth paste?

M. W.: Why should I? None of my teeth are loose.

In a hard-fought football game an extraordinary large player intercepted a pass and was running for his goal line. J. L. Brock yelled "get 'em." Johnnie Mitchell was the closest player to him but

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Mosquitoes live but a few weeks in adult form.

## HISTORY

United States Marine Corps Day—November 10: The United States Marine Corps dates back to November 10, 1775, when the Continental Congress sitting at Philadelphia passed a resolution authorizing its formation. Samuel Nicholas was commissioned as the first captain of the Marines. He opened headquarters in Philadelphia and began enlisting the two battalions provided for in the resolution passed by Congress. Enlistment headquarters were set up in the Tun Tavern in Philadelphia which is recognized by the Marines today as the birthplace of its corps. Though the building has been torn down and a bronze tablet placed by the Marines marks the site of the building. The first expedition of the Marines was to the Bahama Islands to capture a store of ammunition held there by the British. The Marines were ordered abolished along with the army at the close of the Revolutionary War in the interest of economy, but on July 11, 1798, Congress ordered the creation of the Marine corps as it is presently constituted. At this time it was given the name The United States Marine Corps. The Marines have engaged in every war in which this country has been involved and have made a brilliant record. In World War I they amazed the Germans by the fierceness with which they fought. They were called Devil Dogs by the Germans.

The traditions of the Marines are set forth in their hymn which they sing on every appropriate occasion. It is familiar to everyone. The first verse follows:

From the halls of Montezuma  
To the shores of Tripoli  
We fight our country's battles  
On land as on the sea.  
First to fight for right and freedom  
And to keep our honor clean,  
We are proud to claim the title  
Of United States Marines.

What We Think  
(By Frank Dixon)

In my opinion the suggestion that federal workers be given a thirty-hour week is, to put it very kindly, a critical error, and is not based on sound reasoning, sound economics, or even good judgment.

The talk of the 30-hour week has not come from the workers or the labor unions. It has come from the government. It is ridiculous for the reason that thirty hours is not a week's work for any normal worker and everyone with common sense knows it.

The suggestion, coming at a time when there never was a greater need for manufactured goods, not only in this country but in every country in the world, is depressing. It appears to be a planning for failure, of admitting that full employment and full production are not possible and are only dreams—dreams that cannot be realized.

What energetic man worth his salt would be content to work three days a week and loaf the other four? The idleness, unless he was naturally a drone, would drive him frantic. In order that the plan do what it is intended it should do, the thirty hour week worker could accept no other productive work. If he did he would be taking a job away from some one else and defeating the program of full employment. If he is going to do any work at all he might better do it on the job on which he is employed and where his best skill doubtless lies.

Most of the Democratic Congressmen paid a brief visit to the Jefferson Island party attended by President Truman. Jefferson Island is the site of a Democratic club at which the late President Roosevelt entertained Democratic members of Congress back in 1937. A pleasant errand of this week was a visit, accompanied by Senator Tom Connally, to the office of Secretary of War Patterson some few hours after he had taken the oath of office. Judge Patterson, as he is called in Washington, is regarded as an outstanding and able public servant.

While on the subject, it might be in point to observe that most members of Congress feel the military should not be permitted to turn the country in time of peace. While our army has always been the most democratic in the world, military regimes by their very nature are the opposite of democracy. All Congressmen are now flooded with letters complaining of demobilization bottlenecks and the slowness with which both Army and Navy are moving in releasing men from the service. Many of us disagree with the contention of the military that it is necessary to continue the draft of 18-year-old boys in order to release those entitled to immediate discharge.

While most people will agree that our country must become and remain the strongest military power on the face of the earth, we know that even military strength does not lie in numbers alone. The miraculous invention and development by Americans of radar, the atomic bomb, revolutionizing our thinking, both as to war and to peace. Certainly it is going to require both intelligence and good character not to be eventually destroyed by these titanic forces of our own creation.

I was honored this week by a visit from Captain Clyde Fillmore of Wichita Falls, who was a member of the 131st Field Artillery, known as the "Lost Battalion." Captain Fillmore had just been flown to Washington from the Burma theater after 41 months of imprisonment.

Many of us here are greatly concerned with strikes which now would be such rejoicing and celebrating at the war had ended and that peace had come again to the world that men and women everywhere would be glad to turn to the job of putting our country in order and winning the battle of reconversion and peace at home. Such does not seem to be the case. The thought doesn't seem to be, what I can do for the country? It doesn't make a very pretty picture for those at home to contemplate and certainly not a very happy situation for the boys to come home to.

It seems to me that there is no occasion for the panic that seems to prevail among workers. There never was a time in the history of the country when there was such a huge backlog of needed merchandise. There is plenty for everyone to do. The best interests of everyone would be served if all would unite in the reconversion program leaving no details to be worked out after the home front is back in running order again.

## Washington News

By Congressman Ed Gossett,  
13 District of Texas.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—This is my first news letter since the Congressional recess on July 21. At a later date I hope to report on voluminous hearings conducted by the House Committee on Territories in Ketchikan, Juneau, Anchorage and Fairbanks, Alaska. This Territory, twice the size of Texas and about a third the size of the 48 States, is governed by the Congress. Among the problems up for solution are those of statehood, transportation, Indian rights and reservations, mining and fishing laws, homesteading, etc. Our committee hopes to report legislation which will result in tremendous developments in this territory, which as yet has been practically untouched, and whose white inhabitants number 35,000.

Most of the Democratic Congressmen paid a brief visit to the Jefferson Island party attended by President Truman. Jefferson Island is the site of a Democratic club at which the late President Roosevelt entertained Democratic members of Congress back in 1937.

A pleasant errand of this week was a visit, accompanied by Senator Tom Connally, to the office of Secretary of War Patterson some few hours after he had taken the oath of office. Judge Patterson, as he is called in Washington, is regarded as an outstanding and able public servant.

While on the subject, it might be in point to observe that most members of Congress feel the military should not be permitted to turn the country in time of peace. While our army has always been the most democratic in the world, military regimes by their very nature are the opposite of democracy. All Congressmen are now flooded with letters complaining of demobilization bottlenecks and the slowness with which both Army and Navy are moving in releasing men from the service. Many of us disagree with the contention of the military that it is necessary to continue the draft of 18-year-old boys in order to release those entitled to immediate discharge.

While most people will agree that our country must become and remain the strongest military power on the face of the earth, we know that even military strength does not lie in numbers alone. The miraculous invention and development by Americans of radar, the atomic bomb, revolutionizing our thinking, both as to war and to peace. Certainly it is going to require both intelligence and good character not to be eventually destroyed by these titanic forces of our own creation.

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plague the nation from coast to coast. The United Automobile Workers, C. I. O., composed of about a million and a half members, completely controls the automobile industry and the farm machinery industry. More than three years ago I predicted this CIO union would demand a short work week with drastically increased wages which would short result in at least a 30 per cent increase in the price of automobiles, trucks, tractors, and farm machinery. The Political Action Committee of the CIO (which I have often condemned) is now threatening political vengeance on all Congressmen who oppose their program.

While the laborer is worthy of his hire, no organized group in this country is entitled to demand more than its services or products are worth to the general public. Before the war we struggled primarily against gigantic industrial combinations, trusts, and monopolies. To these problems now is added that of powerful labor organizations. Certainly a country whose youth has fought so sacrificially and heroically in war will not be dominated by selfish pressure groups.

The House this week by a vote of 189 to 130 passed a bill to exempt from taxation annuity payments to federal employees up to \$1,440. I voted against the bill. I have voted against all tax exemptions except those to soldiers on their first \$1,500 of income. Federal employees should have no better treatment than other employees. Beware of the politician who votes for all appropriations and against all taxes.

## RAYLAND

(Norma Jeanne Beasley)

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lewellen and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lyles visited in Grapeland, Texas, last week. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Rutha Creager, who had spent two months there in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cleve Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmons of Harrold visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jordan in Bridgeport.

Miss Mary Tom Lawson of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. Bob Dyer made a business trip to Weatherford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carr and family visited in Kirkland over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stitt and family.

Sgt. M. B. Lincoln of Shepard Field, Texas, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Abston.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schoeffner and children of Petrolia visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark and family, recently.

Pvt. and Mrs. John Wesley Taylor and family of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Richie of Lockett visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mason of Chula Vista, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Beasley, Mrs. W. E. Schoolcraft and Mrs. M. G. Garvin and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin and family in Crowell, Monday.

Miss Doris Edwards of Lockett spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Abston and daughter spent the week-end visiting in Chillicothe with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fenley and son, Hubert Lee, of Ringgold, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pilgrim of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tugle recently.

Bob Price of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mrs. Martha Price, Mrs. Bonnie Price and Bobby Price.

Alaska is the only portion of the United States in which tin is found.

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## Announcing

## New Ownership of White Auto Store

We have recently bought the White Auto Store on the west side of the square and have come to Crowell to make our home. It is our purpose to operate the business so that it will be of real benefit to the people of this trade territory. The best line of merchandise that it is possible for us to secure will be in our store. We want to get acquainted with the people of this community and cordially invite everybody to visit us.

MR. and MRS. A. A. HOWELL.

## Gas Heating Stoves

|                                |         |                                          |               |
|--------------------------------|---------|------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 4-Radiant . . . . .            | \$10.95 | Bath Room Heaters . .                    | \$6.48        |
| 5-Radiant . . . . .            | \$12.95 | Circulating Heaters . .                  | \$12.95       |
| Card Tables . . . . .          | \$5.35  | Auto Seat Covers<br>(Deluxe Fibre) . . . | \$16.75       |
| Smoke Stands . . . . .         | \$6.95  | Engine Tire Pumps . .                    | \$4.25        |
| Baby High Chairs \$4.98-\$9.95 |         | Sealed Beam                              |               |
| Sealed Beam Lights . . . . .   | 98c     | Adaptors . . . . .                       | \$4.98-\$9.95 |

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| Ford Starters, 1929-31 Models . . . . . | \$7.45           | Exchange |
| Ford Starters, 1935-39 Models . . . . . | \$7.45           | Exchange |
| Ford Distributors . . . . .             | \$3.19           | Exchange |
| Ford Fuel Pumps . . . . .               | \$1.39           | Exchange |
| Chevrolet Fuel Pumps . . . . .          | \$1.39           | Exchange |
| Chevrolet Starters . . . . .            | \$10.75          | Exchange |
| Chevrolet Water Pumps . . . . .         | \$3.19 to \$7.69 | Exchange |

We carry a full line of auto parts and accessories for a number of popular makes of automobiles. We also have a stock of tools, house paint, cooking utensils, Glassbake ovenware, radio batteries and tubes, hot shot batteries and dry cells; light fixtures, oil and greases.

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**FLOUR** Southern Queen, 50 lbs \$2.19  
Southern Queen, 25 lbs \$1.17

**POTATOES** 15 Lbs 43c

**Sweet POTATOES** Peck 47c

**Grapefruit Juice** Large 29c

**Tomato Juice** Large 26c

**PINTO BEANS** 5 Lbs 39c

**COFFEE** Schillings 2-Lb Jar 65c

**COFFEE** Magnolia 3-Lb Jar \$1.12

**English Peas** A Good One 16c

**Dried Blackeyed Peas** 2 Lbs 25c

**APRICOTS** 2 1/2 Lb Can 29c

**Fruit Cocktail** 2 1/2 Lb Can 37c

**PEACHES** 2 1/2 Lb Can 27c

**Green Gage Plums** 2 1/2 Can 27c

**MEAL** 25 Lb Sack \$1.00

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**BEANS** No. 2, 2 for 25c

**TOMATOES** No. 2, 2 for 25c

**CORN** No. 2 Can 17c

**SYRUP** West Tex, Maple Flavor, 1 gal. 85c  
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J. T. Carter of Dalhart spent several days of this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Pearl Carter.

Mrs. Charlie Melton of Henrietta visited in the home of her brother, B. W. Self, and family Wednesday.

Mrs. Bob Moody of Fort Worth is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Howell, of the White Auto Store.

Roy Joe Cates, who has been studying at the Pasadena Play House in Pasadena, Calif., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cates.

Miss Naomi Teal, who is a student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the week-end visiting her father, Jim Teal, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. G. D. Reeder of Temple is here this week visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reeder. Her husband, Lieut. G. D. Reeder, is still in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts spent Sunday in Altus, Okla., visiting Mr. Roberts' sister, Mrs. Monte Lincecum, and family. They were accompanied by Mrs. John S. Ray.

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Roy Archer arrived here from McKinney Wednesday and will be employed by the West Texas Utilities Co. in his former position. He expects to move his family to Crowell in the near future.

Mrs. Minnie O. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham of George West are visiting in the home of Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. J. A. Johnson and her brother, J. H. Olds and family this week.

Mrs. J. M. Kimbrough of Oklahoma City is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Strickland, and 24 for Panama to live with her father, Rev. Paul C. Bell, during family. She will leave October the time her husband remains overseas.

According to the Office of War Information the cost of killing an enemy in battle in Caesar's time was 75 cents; in the Napoleonic wars it was \$3,000; in the American Civil War it was about \$5,000; in World War 1, it was from \$21,000 to \$25,000; and in World War 2 it was \$50,000.

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Cut the pieces of chicken as for frying, and leave bone in. Do not roll in flour or batter. Sear the pieces until slightly brown. Pack while hot into plain cans. Place cans without lids in pressure cooker which has about 3 inches boiling water. Fasten lid, but leave petcock open. Steam 30 minutes. Seal and process at 15 pounds pressure.

Number 1 cans, 40 minutes; No. 2 cans, 50 minutes; No. 3 cans, 75 minutes.

**Cheese**

Cheese has been sent in several different ways. Some have cut it the size of the can, wrapped it well in wax paper, sealed it in cans. Others have rolled it in melted paraffin before sealing it. Some bought a jar of cheese mixture, wrapped it well in paper or cotton and sealed it in a can. The small packages of cheese that are already sealed in cellophane may be packed, without opening, in cans and sealed.

**Crackers, Fritos and Potato Chips**

These products were packed into cans and sealed. Even though they were not as crisp as the fresh ones, and they were often some what crushed, the men asked for more to go with their chili or cheese.

**Pecans**

Heat shelled pecans in a slow oven until they are hot through and through. Have cans and lids in oven getting hot at the same time. Pack hotnuts into hot cans and seal. If desired, a small amount of butter or oil and salt may be added while they are roasting; these two ingredients often aid rancidity. Nuts may also be canned as recommended in B-85, "Canning Fruits and Vegetables."

**7-B 4-H CLUB**

The 4-H Club of the 7-B Grade met Wednesday in the Grammar School. The purpose of the meeting was to elect officers and those elected follow: Betty Barker, president; Peggy Weaver, vice president; Edna Jewel Curtis, secretary; Joyzelle Thomson, recreation leader; Jenny Wehba, reporter; Anna Rea Owens, assistant reporter; Christine Hanks and Wanda Spears, committee delegates; La Rue Scott, garden demonstrator and Jenny Wehba, bedroom demonstrator.

Projects for the coming year were discussed. Another meeting of the club was held on Oct. 3, when a demonstration on fireproofing was given by Miss Elizabeth Elliott.

**Food, Home Notes**

(By Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Home Demonstration Agent.)

**Holiday Fruit Cookies**

Here is a good cookie recipe: 1/2 cup shortening, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 egg, 1 1/2 cups flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/4 cup thick sour milk or juice from maraschino cherries, 3/4 cup broken nuts, 3/4 cup maraschino cherries, 3/4 cup dates.

Cream shortening; add sugar gradually and cream well. Add the well beaten egg. Sift measured flour, salt and soda together. Add the broken nuts and fruits with last addition to the flour. Drop by teaspoon on greased cookies sheet, bake 10 to 15 minutes at 400 F. Raisins, citron or candied pineapple may be substituted for cherries or dates. Line No. 2 can with waxed paper. After cooling, wrap each cookie with waxed paper and pack in cans.

**Candies**

Candies may be made with sugar substitutes or with no sugar. Fruit and nut candies are the most desirable to send. Here is a warning about using nuts in candy. Nuts should either be heated thoroughly before being added to the candy or they should be cooked long enough with the candy to destroy any insect eggs which might be present. Chocolate often gets rancid when subjected to extreme heat during storage; however, fudge was reported as being successful. Fudge should be beaten or kneaded well, then packed solidly into the can which has been lined with wax paper. Fill to the brim and seal. If candy is sealed hot, it does not get hard. Divinity was reported to be a good traveler. As soon as it is cool, each piece is wrapped with wax paper and packed tightly in the can. Mexican pralines, date loaf, candied fruit, and brittles were other candies most frequently sent successfully. Several reported using blotter paper to help absorb any moisture in the cans where candies were packed. Here is a good fudge recipe for shipping:

**Overseas Fudge**

Mix 4 cups sugar, 3/4 cup cocoa, 1 cup hot water, 6 tablespoons white corn syrup and cook to firm ball stage. Add 1 package of Philadelphia Cream Cheese and 1/2 pound butter. Cool. Add 1 teaspoon of vanilla. Beat well. Add 2 cups of nuts. Beat thoroughly and pour into greased cans. Cool, and then seal.

**Meats**

Chili, tamales, barbecued meats

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Our hearts are filled with grateful appreciation to the many friends who were so very kind to us during our recent bereavement. We wish to express our thanks to each and every one who ministered to us in any way. The flowers, the food, the words and deeds of sympathy were all a great help to us and will never be forgotten.

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Mildred Fish.  
Wm. B. Fish.

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## WTCC Affiliates Now Voting on Program for Year

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is taking to its affiliates, for their balloting during this month, a comprehensive made-at-home plan and program for helping the returned war veteran and for introducing into the region's economy a new era of industrial consciousness and development. The two-point proposal is contained in Planks Nos. 4 and 6 in the WTCC's 1945 referendum ballot being presented to town affiliates at a series of 8 district meetings. The tour started at Cisco last Tuesday with meetings following at Brownwood, Fort Stockton and Big Spring. This week's gatherings, Tuesday through Friday, are at Decatur, Seymour, Borger and Plainview.

Plank 6 in the referendum proposes to perform a substantial service to returning war veterans. It calls for the establishing in each community of a Veterans' Business Opportunities Bureau charged with the responsibility of, first, placing the veteran in the business of his choice on a stock ownership rather than an old job basis; and second, adding to the community's capital structure his war-accumulated assets of experience, cash, bonds and liberal credit privileges. These assets are estimated by the West Texas chamber as being equivalent to—or exceeding—the total assessed values of the towns which the veterans left to wage and win history's greatest war. The over-all objective, says the commission recommending the plank, is to help the veteran invest his savings wisely, and make of him a sound business investment to his community instead of a spender of assets on luxury goods and things not permanently enhancing his future.

The plank concedes that much has been done in the way of government and private aid to returning veterans, such as low interest loans up to \$4,000, unemployment compensation, educational and hospitalization benefits and job priorities. But, it adds, "nowhere in these plans has there been organized effort toward putting the veteran in a business partly his own and toward his becoming a part of and contributing to the capital structure of his community. That is what we are advocating and starting in this plank originating in our organization."

Under the veterans' plank, local chambers of commerce will have the job of organizing and operating the business opportunities bureau, through committees composed of experienced men who know values and the ramifications of business, and have the veterans' interests at heart.

**Industrial Advertising**  
Referendum Plank No. 4 relates to the WTCC's display advertising campaign recently launched and now running in Eastern periodicals of national circulation, inviting industrialists to investigate West Texas resources and opportunities. It is proposed to continue and greatly expand this venture, both toward bringing outside capital into the area and in making West Texas, for the first time, industrially minded.

WTCC officers and committeemen are emphasizing at the district meetings that the two planks really may be considered as one. They predict the net results of the advertising program will be to attract a growing stream of new money for new enterprises, and create business opportunities not now existing for West Texas people. They are confident that the area's economy will undergo swift advancement when its thought embraces industry as well as ranching and farming. The opportunity is here at last, contends the WTCC, thanks to the promise of parity in freight rates, after many years of bitter frustration, contained in the May 15th ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission calling for the abolishing of the 60-year-old system of zone freight rate making.

That decision, the Chamber believes, will be a decisive stimulus to decentralization of industry into under-industrialized sections, such as is West Texas.

### INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

The Masonic temple at Detroit, Mich., is the largest Masonic temple in the world.

According to Lt. Comdr. M. G. Henry, the human bite is more serious than the bite of a dog, unless, of course, the dog is infected with rabies. Dog's mouths are healthier than human mouths.

Five out of eight oysters marketed are of the cultivated type. The rest grow wild.

It has been discovered the oysters may be readily removed from their shell by immersing them in carbonated water. The carbonated water causes the oysters muscles to relax and the shell opens.

Most oysters are marketed at the age of four or five years.

The world center for canned oysters is Biloxi, Miss.

According to figures supplied by the government the average American woman is five feet three inches tall.

Saratoga was the decisive battle of the American Revolution.



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to \$20 or more per ton. Alfalfa is one of the very best feed crops that can be grown, both for hay and as a grazing crop, and is well adapted to this small area.

Other legumes can be grown more extensively and like alfalfa are good soil builders in that they restore nitrogen and vegetable matter to the soil, thus increasing its fertility and water holding capacity.

Perhaps the most useful of these is the field pea, of which there are many varieties. This crop produces hay and peas for food and is used in crop rotations. As a cover crop to be plowed in which the vine has reached a maximum growth. A red soil improvement program on any farm and on all kinds of soil.

**Sweet Potato Crop**  
This is another important crop in the county which has a wider range than alfalfa but is grown in the same area.

While the acreage is some smaller than alfalfa yet it is a specialized crop and is important in the food supply of the county.

Every year our friend, E. A. Miller, Extension Agronomist, comes out with some very valuable suggestions on harvesting and curing sweet potatoes. Some of these we will repeat.

"Handle your sweet potatoes like eggs. Don't drop or toss them around while digging and crating them in the field. They bruise easily, and bruised sweet potatoes are hard to keep and are unfit for market. Storage and curing make up the most important stage of the crop after it leaves the ground. Storage and curing make it possible for growers to sell their crops over a longer period and get the benefit of demand prices being offered during the fall and winter season."

Spillage of potatoes in the curing house may be due to a cut or bruise on the delicate skin during harvesting. Tests show that the dried juice on the surface of a wound is not a protection against the entrance of rats. Also the presence of dried juice on a sweet potato should not lead you to believe that it is safe from storage diseases.

"Large production justifies a sweet potato storage-cutting house, but bank storage will take care of small production. For a bank holding twenty bushels dig two trenches on high ground each nine feet long, one foot wide and one foot deep. The ditch should cross at the center with the lower one dug out to surrounding ground level for drainage. A ventilator six feet long should be placed at the center of the intersection of the trenches. It should have six inches clearance for free air circulation. Lay short pieces of plank on the bottom of the cross trenches and cover them with corn stalks or hay five or six inches deep."

"Starting next to the ventilator, pile the potatoes carefully around it to a height of three and one-half to four feet in cone shape. Then cover the potatoes with six or eight inches of hay, straw, corn stalks or similar material and follow with three or four inches of soil which should be packed down. If cold weather comes add three or four more inches of dirt and close the trenches with wide boards or old tin."

Since we have a number of curing houses in the county the need for farm storage is not so great, however, it is important. Practically all growers grade their potatoes before offering them on the market. The quality is excellent.

**Soil Conservation Program**

Two meetings have been held the past week, one participated in by the supervisors of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District and the second by the chairmen of the supervisors, W. C. Howard and myself.

The draft of the program of work for the district has been completed, and work on the plan of work begun. Both will be completed soon.

It is necessary to complete these two documents and secure their approval by the supervisors, the soil conservation service, and the department of agriculture, before work in this district can begin.

This will take several weeks yet to complete. When this has all been approved and a headquarters office established the district will then be ready for operation.

In the two documents mentioned above a lot of work as a vast amount of information is required.

The program of work sets forth data showing the soil conservation needs and the causes for these needs.

The plan of work suggests methods of meeting these needs and details the necessary methods and procedures to gain this end.

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FOR SALE—Two-bottom mold board plow, International with power lift.—Carl Wishon. 14-1tp

FOR SALE—Sweet Sudan seed, \$17.50 per 100 lbs.—Walter Ramsey, Thalia. 11-4tp

FOR SALE—Two rocking chairs, one cabinet style Philco radio.—Mrs. John Long, phone 162-W. 14-2tp

FOR SALE—3,500 bundles of Arizona Sweet Hedges, well headed, 2½ miles east of Margaret.—Tom Smith. 12-3tp

FOR SALE—Model B John Deere tractor with 2-row equipment, practically new. See Alton Farrar, 3 miles east of Margaret. 14-3tp

FOR SALE—Practically new 5-burner, High Speed Perfection cook stove. Clean, well kept and in excellent condition.—Mrs. Geo. Johnson. 13-1tp

FOR SALE—Ivanhoe distillate heater, Maytag washing machine, in A-1 condition. Also Ford Deluxe tudor, in A-1 condition, good tires.—Dan Callaway. 12-2tp

FOR SALE—1941 Chevrolet pickup, 1943 model A C combine, 1938 Baldwin combine and model A John Deere tractor.—R. B. Bedell, Vera, Texas. 14-2tp

FOR SALE—320 acres of land in Hardeman County, 3 miles east of Crowell and Quannah highway, 275 acres in cultivation, three houses, two springs, good well. Possession at once. Can all be sown to wheat. Price \$15,000.00. If interested see Claude Callaway or J. R. Beverly, Crowell, Texas. 14-1tp

**Lost**

LOST or MISPLACED—38 caliber Winchester. Last seen in my car. Reward.—Sim Gamble. 13-3tp

LOST—Three white-faced steer calves branded T on left shoulder.—Tom Russell. 14-2tp

STRAYED—Sorrel horse with collar marks, branded SS on left leg.—Henry Greening. 14-1tp

LOST—Chevrolet tire and wheel. Exchanged by mistake at Dunagan's Phillips "66" Station for Ford tire and wheel about two weeks ago.—H. D. Poland. 14-1tp

STRAYED—From my place two miles northwest of town, two head of mixed cattle, one a roan steer branded RN on right hip.—Roy Barker. 14-1tp

LOST—One black, ring-necked female Fox hound, wearing collar with F. A. Brooks, Bowie, Texas, Rt. 1. Also two black and white spotted male hounds, wearing collars with B. C. Evans, Stoneburg, Texas. Finder please notify owners. 14-1tp

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Bedroom in modern home. Men preferred.—Mrs. E. A. Fox. 14-1tp

### Crowell Rebekah

Lodge No. 388

Meets Second and Last Fridays at 8 p. m. at I. O. O. F. Hall.

MRS. S. E. TATE, Noble Grand.

MARGARET CURTIS, Secretary.

**Thalia Lodge No. 666**

A. F. & A. M.

STATED MEETING

Saturday Night

October 20

Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.

MORGAN PRICE, W. M.

MARLIN WOODSON, Secretary.

Up Stairs in Rock Building.

**Meet tonight (Thursday), at 8:00**

at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

AB JONES, Noble Grand.

JIMMIE FRANKLIN, Secretary.

**STATED MEETING**

of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M.

Nov. 12, 8 p. m.

2nd Mon. each month.

Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

J. L. BELL, W. M.

D. R. MAGEE, Sec.

**No Trespassing**

**TRESPASS NOTICE**

Positively no fishing or hunting on any of my land on Beaver Creek.—J. M. Hill. 4-1tp

**NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 4-1tp**

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

I AM STILL terracing for Government money. Will appreciate your patronage.—Howard Dunn. 4-1tp

**NOTICE—I will continue to buy your livestock. See me if you have any to sell.—Jim Cook. 41-1tp**

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**Notice**

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**Wanted**

WANTED—Old-style hand-cranked record player for a child.—D. F. Eaton, Phone 161-J. 14-1tp

WANTED TO BUY—A Superflex or Ivanhoe distillate heater. Must be in good condition.—Texas Ford. 14-1tp

WANTED—Veteran, either man or woman, or service man's wife, for temporary work in Crowell. Excellent pay. Write fully about self and mail to box 488, Crowell. 14-2tp

## CHURCHES

**Thalia Church of Christ**

Bible Study, 10 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m. Subject: "Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth."

Bible classes, 7 p. m.

Preaching, 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Why I Am a Member of the Church."

Brethren and friends in reach are cordially invited to attend.

W. D. Starr, Local Minister.

**First Baptist Church**

Sunday

10:00 a. m., Sunday School.

11:00 a. m., Preaching Service.

7:30 p. m., Training Union.

8:30 p. m., Preaching Service.

Monday

8:30 p. m., W. M. U.

7:30 p. m., Cabinet Meeting.

Wednesday

8:00 p. m., Prayer Meeting.

**Christian Church**

Bible School at 10 a. m.

Lord's Supper and Preaching at 11 a. m.

Evening Worship at 7 o'clock.

Our subject for the morning service is "The Baptismal Formula." Many have had the words, "Into the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit," pronounced over them without understanding the meaning of this term. Attend and let's compare our understandings.

In the evening we will discuss "The Three Literal Translations to Heaven." Also we will have a period of questions and answers.

Come.

Grant L. Slagle, Minister.

**Rayland Baptist Church**

Sunday School, 10 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

B. T. U. at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening and preaching service at 8:00 o'clock.

Everybody is welcome to attend these services.

D. R. PHILLEY, Pastor.



## --SOCIETY--

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor  
Phone 43

### 48th Wedding Date of Foard Couple Celebrated Sunday

Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble on Sunday, Oct. 7, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Gamble on their 48th wedding anniversary, which fell on Oct. 3.

The beautiful three-tiered wedding cake centered the table which was placed in the yard and held

a lovely covered dish dinner. The day was spent in talking over old times and singing and piano numbers.

Those attending were: the children of the couple, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble, Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Durham of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble, Thalia; the grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett, Crowell, Mrs. John W. Bradford, Thalia, Mrs. D. H. Allen, Littlefield, Walden Johnson, Thalia, Jean Lavoy and Dorothy Gamble. Another grandson, who was unable to be present was Edgar A. Johnson, P. I. C. on the Atlantic. They have two great-grandchildren, Aldon Ray and William Dennis Garrett, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett.

Other relatives attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble, Pete Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock and children, Bobbie Ruth, Richard and Doris, and their niece, Betty Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Travis McKinley and son, Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey and daughter, Mildred Gay, Mrs. Mollie Gamble, Mrs. Zola Greening, Mrs. Carrie Hart, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford.

Friends in attendance were: Mrs. A. C. Light, Miss Vera Lee,

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starr and children, Billie Jean and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursey and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cordell and grandson.

### Pfc. Daniel Brisco and Miss Betty Ash Wed on Sept. 17

Pfc. Daniel Brisco of Crowell and Miss Betty Ash of Crockett were married at the Methodist parsonage in Conroe on September 17, with the pastor of the church performing the ceremony. The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mattox of Houston. Mrs. Mattox is the sister of the groom.

Mrs. Brisco is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ash of Crockett and has been reared in that place, graduating from the High School there. She was employed in Fort Worth for two years and then entered training as a Cadet Nurse at Jefferson Davis Hospital in Houston.

Pfc. Brisco, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brisco, was reared in Crowell and graduated from Crowell High School in 1941. He entered the U. S. Service in March, 1943, and was seriously wounded in action in Sept., 1944, in the ETO. He returned to the States in Jan., 1945, and was in Hammond General Hospital at Modesto, Calif., for treatment before being sent home. He has the Purple Heart with 1 cluster, the ETO ribbon with five battle stars, the Bronze Star and the Good Conduct Medal.

Pfc. Brisco has now gone to Modesto for a short time and his wife will remain here in the home of his parents until his return.

### Local Girl on TSCW Committee

Miss Joyzelle Tysinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tysinger, a student at Texas State College for Women at Denton, is rush captain of the Athenaeum Club, one of the eleven literary and social organizations on the campus, and is, this week, engaged in making arrangements for rush activities on the campus.

Miss Tysinger is a senior student and is majoring in home demonstration and vocational home economics.

### TRUSCOTT 4-H CLUB

The Truscott 4-H Club met on Sept. 20, in the room of Miss Jones, at the school. The purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for both boys' and girls' clubs for the coming year. Miss King, Knox County Home Demonstration Agent, and Mr. Dinkie, Knox County Agent, were present.

Winnie Turner, outgoing president, had charge of the election of officers. Those elected were: Mary Kathleen Chowning, president; Patsy Owens, vice president; Martha Ann Orr, secretary; Ann Haynie, song leader; Miss Jones, Adult Sponsor, and Winnie Turner.

er, reporter.

The study for the coming year will be bedrooms and whole grains. The next meeting will be held on Oct. 15.

### Surprise Birthday Dinner Party

Mrs. Charlie Campbell entertained a group of High School boys at her home Monday evening with a dinner party in honor of Johnny Frank Mitchell on his seventeenth birthday. The party was a complete surprise to the honor guest.

Those who attended the dinner were the honoree, J. L. Brock, Larry Campbell, C. D. Campbell, Ed Thomas, Hardy Sanders and Joe Scales. Surprise birthday remembrances were presented Johnny Frank.

### ADELPHIAN CLUB

Members of the Adelphean Club met in the home of Mrs. S. S. Bell on Wednesday, October 3.

During the period devoted to business, Mrs. Merl Kincaid presided. Mrs. L. A. Andrews directed a discussion on the purchase of ten feet south of the Club house. Mrs. M. S. Henry directed the members in the decision to make a cash donation for payment. Mrs. S. S. Bell asked for a continuation of Red Cross sewing helpers.

Mrs. Merl Kincaid has been appointed district chairman of Mothercraft Department for District 7, of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. John Long, in an interesting and entertaining manner, reviewed James Hilton's new novel, "So Well Remembered." Mrs. William Ricks rendered a piano solo.

During the social hour the members were invited into the dining room where delicious refreshments were served from a lace-covered table with a centerpiece arrangement of red roses and white burning tapers. Mrs. Bell presided at the tea table and was assisted in the serving by Mrs. T. N. Bell and Mrs. W. A. Dunn.

On October 17, Mrs. J. E. Stover will entertain the club at the club house.

### B. & P. W. C.

The Business and Professional Women's Club met in a regular business meeting October 4, 1945.

Bertha Womack, chairman of the International Relations Committee, was in charge of the program. "Take Peace" was given by Hazel Harrison; "Women of One World" by Sally Archer, and "Things We Have Lost" was discussed by Bertha Womack.

### COLUMBIAN CLUB

The Columbian Club met on Wednesday, October 3, in the home of Mrs. N. J. Roberts with Mrs. John Ray as hostess.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Charlie Thompson, vice president, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Roberts served as leader for the afternoon, with Mrs. Carvel Thompson and Mrs. Charlie Wishon assisting. They ably discussed in panel form, the subject, "Compulsory Military Training in Peace Time." The affirmative stressed the fact that the result of isolation and unpreparedness has already been seen and also that one year of training for 17-year-old boys would place equal responsibility on all and would enable all to start life on the same basis. She stressed the fact that patriotism is something besides singing "The Star Spangled Banner."

The negative brought out the fact that the European countries have had military training for a hundred years and have failed to

keep wars down and that it is a question whether principle should be depended upon or civilized power. Also, the fact was stressed that it is more important to expand educationally, both physical and mental and that just one year of military training would not be of much help to an underprivileged boy.

The hostess served a delicious refreshment plate during the social hour.

There will be no meeting of the club next week.

### 3rd and 4th GRADE 4-H CLUB

The third and fourth grade girls met Thursday afternoon, Sept. 27, in Mrs. Gordon Cooper's room, with Miss Elizabeth Elliott presiding.

The following officers were elected: Mary Lynn Hough, president; George Ann Davis, vice president; Clovonne McKown, secretary; Carolyn Bell, reporter; Mary Sue Ellis, assistant reporter; Oneita Bond, bedroom chairman; Shirley Wehba and Jolyne Wallace, garden demonstrators.

### 7A 4-H CLUB

The 7A 4-H Club of Crowell met on Thursday, Sept. 27, their first meeting of the year. Election of officers was held at this meeting and the officers were:

low: Bobbie Abston, president; Rader, vice president; M. Tamplen, secretary; Mary Key, vice secretary; Frankie demonstrator; Mary Huskey, demonstrator.

The club will meet again Thursday afternoon, Oct. 12.



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**J. M. DENTON**

## ADVANCE NOTICE

OPA has recently raised ceiling price restrictions on all granite and marble quarriers and wholesale finishers.

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We extend a genuine invitation to all who are contemplating the purchase of any memorial work to visit our sales display located two miles east of Vernon on the Wichita Highway. Our Sales Manager, Mr. Lolo N. Anderson, will be on duty there from 9:30 to 5:30 daily. For the convenience of those who wish to come on Sunday, we will be open through Sunday, October 21, from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m.

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