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Committees Named for Annual Show, FFA Project Show

The 39th annual Foard County 4-H and FFA Project Show will be held March 12-13. The dates for the show were announced by Ike Everson, president of the Rotary Club of Crowell, sponsoring organization. Due to the work of many, year's show will be held in the newly constructed

Crowell Agriculture Pavilion. All animals, judging, and activities will take place in the pavilion. Exhibitors will arrive at the show grounds on Friday, March 12, at 1:30-2:00 p. m. A health certificate will be issued for animals before they can be unloaded. The judging will begin at 8:30 a. m. on March 13. Leon Burkham, vocational agriculture instructor from Knox City, will judge all livestock entries in the show. The sale will begin at 1:30 p. m.

Immediately after the livestock judging, the Foard County 4-H Horse Club members will also hold the drawing for a horse to be given away. Tickets are now being distributed by the 4-H Horse Club members for a \$1.00 donation each. Ike Everson will serve as Master of Ceremonies for the show. Other show activities will be carried out by the following committees:

Finance Committee - Garland Wiemers.
Sales Committee - W. F. Statter, Hubert Brown, Ray Brown, Marvin Myers and Glen Goodwin.

Judging And Awards Committee - Jeff Bell, George Self, Fred Youree and Ace Whitley.
Materials Committee - Marion Crowell and Clinton McLain.

Publicity Committee - Bill Klepper.
Weighing Committee - Joe Fish, Floyd Borchardt, Don Statter, Warren Haynie and Jack Powers.

Reception Committee - Grady Halbert, Irving Fisch, Cecil Davis, Gordon Erwin, Bill Posey, Bill Bell, Don Crafton and Jerry McLain.

Boys Cage Team in State Tournament



RECEIVE TROPHIES—This picture was made in the coliseum at Lubbock Friday night shortly after the Crowell Wildcat basketball team defeated Seagraves to win the regional crown. The unidentified man in white sweater had just given the

regional trophy to the team and was distributing the individual trophies at the time. No. 25 is Jack Whitley, Coach Randall Ryan is in the center of the picture and the three players on the right are David Bell, Pat Norman and Steve Stapp.

The Crowell High School boys basketball team accomplished what only two other teams in history have accomplished here. That is, win the regional basketball tournament and qualify to participate in the state class A meet at Austin this week end.

Coach Randall Ryan's squad romped over Vega 54-37 Friday morning in the regional tournament at Lubbock, and then that night against Seagraves, had to fight back from a 13-point deficit to win 54-46.

The Wildcats' first game in the state meet will be with Coppell at 10 a. m., Saturday in Gregory Gym on the campus of the University of Texas. Coppell is the team which defeated the Archer City Wildcats in the finals of the regional tournament at Denton last weekend.

The sparkplug of the squad is a 6-foot senior who averages about 25 points per game. Two other boys, a freshman and a sophomore, both 6'4" tall, give the team plenty of height.

The Wildcats will be taking a team to Austin which also has excellent height. Center Ricky Coleman at 6'5" is the tallest man on the squad. David Bell and Jack Whitley, forwards, measure in at 6'4" and Melvin Westover and Pat Norman are 6'3". Rocky Glascock and Marvin Coleman stand 6-1.

Bell, Ricky Coleman and Westover are each averaging over 14 points per game. Dee Finley and Steve Stapp, both 5-9, see lots of action at the guard position.

Other members of the Wildcat squad are David Crafton, Tim Christopher and Daniel Field. Brazos and Broaduss are the other two class A teams in the state tournament. The winner of that game and the winner of the Crowell-Coppell game will meet in the finals at 8:30 Saturday night.

Coach Ryan said Monday that he plans to leave about noon Thursday. Only allotted time for workout in Gregory Gym is a brief 30-minute period starting at 11 a. m. Friday.

Class AA and AAA finals will also be taking place over the week end in Austin.

A large following of Wildcat fans will be rooting for the home team in this big state tournament.

HS Band Students Place High in Competition

Fifteen Crowell High School band students placed in UIL solo and ensemble contests held Saturday at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. Making a first division on difficult solos were Cerda, baritone sax; Thomas, tuba; and Streit, cornet. These also qualified for the

state contest to be held in Austin on May 30.

Also making a first division on a difficult cornet trio were Scott Streit, Stan Gentry and Patsy Williams. They also qualified for the state contest in Austin.

Others making first division ratings on medium difficult solos were Kathy Whitfield, clarinet; Renee Norman, clarinet; and Tim Garrett, French horn.

Making a first division on a medium difficult saxophone quartet were Paul Whitley, Tony Daniel, Jill Bell and Abel Cerda.

Making a first division on an easy solo was Leigh Langford, alto sax. Making Division II or excellent rating were Anita Vecera, piano; and Bobby Dee Powers, trombone.

Mrs. Naylor Named "Distinguished Student" at A&M

Mrs. Rhonda J. Naylor of Crowell has earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University, registrar Robert A. Lacey has announced.

The undergraduate honor is awarded students who have excelled academically. Recipients must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) during the most recent grading period. "Distinguished Student" ranking is limited to 10 percent of TAMU's undergraduate enrollment.

Mrs. Naylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Vecera of Crowell majors in management at Texas A&M. Her husband, Ronny, is a student in the A&M School of Veterinary Medicine.

School Board to Meet on Monday Night

A six-item agenda has been announced for the March 8 meeting of the Crowell School board.

In addition to routine matters of reading minutes and approving bills for payment, the board will employ the coaching staff, discuss curriculum changes, and set policies for and discuss insurance needs of the new Crowell Agriculture Pavilion.

RIFLE STOLEN

Sheriff Emmitt Howard said Monday that George Scott had notified him that a rifle had been stolen from the Scott pickup.

Adcock Family Moving to North Texas

Ed H. Adcock has been named director of special projects for the Retomax of Geriatrics Incorporated of Corpus Christi.

Mr. Adcock was formerly a liaison worker for the Mental Health and Retardation Center in Houston. He is presently working around Texas

visiting various nursing homes under his jurisdiction. He is married, the former Sandi L. Adcock, and son, Brad, will join him in Corpus Christi after the sale of their home in Crowell.

NEW VEHICLES

Several new vehicles were listed here last week: 24, Edgar Long, 1976 Chevrolet pickup; Feb. 24, J. Marr, 1976 Ford 4-door; 24, Mrs. E. C. King Chevrolet coupe; Feb. 25, Elton Carroll, 1976 Oldsmobile 4-door; Feb. 25, Mrs. Johnson, 1976 Oldsmobile coupe; Feb. 27, Mrs. L. Tamplen, 1976 Chevrolet pickup.

"Johnny Can't..."

Recent articles in national, state and local newspapers and magazines have reported that recent tests on national and state levels indicate that Johnny can't read, write, spell, or perform mathematical computations as well as he could ten years ago.

There are many reasons for this, including integration, language barriers, economic, social and moral problems which contribute to this failure of our youth in these areas.

No doubt one reason is that some of our schools do not have dedicated school personnel as in past years. Some may be due to court decisions to reduce discipline and give too many privileges to parents and children relative to what is done in school.

A member of the State Board of Education recently said in a public speech that the goal of the Texas Education Agency would be to insure that every high school graduate have the ability to do eighth grade reading, writing and arithmetic.

Regardless of these factors, the program of the University Interscholastic

League is a motivating and stimulating influence especially to those students who want to rise above the norm. As an illustration, the ready writing contests sponsored by the League give opportunities to develop ability to organize and put thoughts into workable and understandable writing. Tests reveal that many high school graduates can't write a letter which can be understood, can't spell and in many cases, writing is not legible. The League sponsors such contests as spelling, number sense, forensics, commercial and journalism. All offer students a chance to develop in these essential skills of life.

The League program was originally designed as an "honors program." At the present time it is a program to meet those students' needs with a desire to excel and compete with other boys and girls. Schools are missing a great opportunity when they do not encourage students to participate in League activities so at least some of the students rise above mediocrity in our schools.

Cattle Being Moved from Foard County Wheat Fields

With the approach of spring, cattle are being moved off the wheat fields in Foard County.

Practically every day during the past week, trucks loaded with cattle have been moving out taking the animals to feed lots in the panhandle and in other states.

The wet fall gave Foard County some of the best wheat pasture anywhere in Northwest Texas.

EXTINGUISH BLAZE

The Crowell Volunteer Fire Department was called to Thalia last Thursday afternoon to extinguish a fire at the home of Mrs. Fred Brown. Only minor damage was reported from the blaze.

Ainsworth Family Moves to Electra

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Ainsworth and children, Cindy and Ricky, will leave Thursday for Electra where they will make their new home. Brother Joe, as he is known here in Crowell, has resigned as pastor of First Baptist Church in Crowell to accept the pastorate of Electra's First Baptist Church.

The Ainsworth family moved to Crowell on January 31, 1972, from Farmersville. During his Crowell pastorate, the local church has had 72 additions by baptism and 89 by letter. During his ministry here, the local Baptist Church has constructed a new \$300,000 facility on North Main Street which was dedicated June 22, 1975.

Rev. Ainsworth, who began his ministry in 1964, is moving to a church with 725 resident members and the Electra church is currently in a building program. He expressed his appreciation to all the people of Crowell and Foard County for their help and support during the four years he and his family have lived here.

Maybe Third Time Will Be the Charm

If the third time is the charm, maybe this is the year for the CHS basketball team to win the state championship. This will be the third time in the history of the local school that a basketball team has advanced as far as the state play-offs.

The first time was in 1933 when Coach Grady Graves took his squad to Austin to the play-offs. Crowell that year had won 33 straight games before Thomas Jefferson High School of San Antonio knocked the Wildcats out of the running. Crowell defeated Big Spring in the tournament before playing the Alamo city team.

Loraine Carter was captain of that team, and other players were Mitchell Allee, William Wisdom, Jack Russell, Dick Todd, Bill Dunn, Herbert Rettig, Bill Dunagan and Fred Spears.

Coach Graves had another team in the state play-offs and the second time was in 1940. This team won fourth place in the tourney. That year the Wildcats beat Dublin and

lost to San Marcos and Livingston, the defending state champ. San Marcos went on to defeat El Paso for the title.

In 1940, the Wildcats had a 36-5 season record, in 1933 Crowell had a remarkable 33-1 record, and this year the Wildcats have a 16-7 season record.

It is ironic that a nephew of one of the 1940 team members is a member of the 1976 CHS state-bound squad. David Bell, one of the Crowell standouts this year, had an uncle, John Lee Orr, who was on the 1940 team.

Gus Russell, who still calls Crowell home, was named to the first team all-state in 1940 and Dick Smith and Jack Fitzgerald were named to the second team all state. Other members of the team were Ted Crosnoe, Junior Haseloff, Hubert Carl Brown, Jimmy Williams, Rusty Russell and Tom Andrews.

Couple to Be Honored on 60th Wedding Anniversary

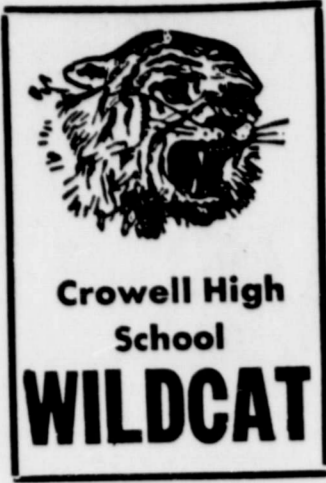
Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford will celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary with open house from 2 to 4 p. m. Sunday, March 7, in the old community center in Crowell.

Friends of the family are cordially invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Ford were married March 4, 1916, in Crowell. Mrs. Ford, the former Ruby Chapman, was born April 19, 1900, in Denison, Texas, and came to Crowell as a young girl. Mr. Ford was born in Waxahachie on May 27, 1896. His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ford. He came to Foard County in a covered wagon at the age of 8 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford's seven children and their families will be hosting the observance for their parents.



MR. AND MRS. HAYDEN FORD



Crowell High School WILDCAT

Co-Editors.....Kimberly Norman and Vickie Tole Senior.....Amie Brasher Junior.....Jill Myers Sophomore.....Paul Whitley Freshman.....Terri McDaniel Sponsor.....Mrs. Jean Halbert

WEEKLY SCHEDULE
 Friday-Saturday, March 5th and 6th - Area FHA meeting at Stephenville
 Saturday, March 6th - State basketball playoffs at Austin
 Monday, March 8th - Seniors TSTA at 10:00
 Tuesday, March 9th - FHA at 3:30

SPRIT OF '76
 The seniors would like to congratulate the boys basketball team for being in the State finals. Senior players are: Melvin Westover, David Bell, Steve Stapp, David Crafton, Dee Finley, Rocky Glasscock and Jack Whitley. The Crowell Wildcats will be playing in Austin Saturday, March 6th. Let's all try to go and back the Mighty 'Cats! Congratulations Guys! GOOD LUCK AT AUSTIN!

In order to qualify for this game, the Wildcats traveled to Lubbock this past week-end for the regional tournament. Friday morning they beat Vega and that night they were successful over Seagraves. Seniors say: "We're mighty proud of you, Cats!"

SENIOR SPOTLIGHTS
 This week in the senior spotlight is Stephen Stapp, son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Stapp. Steve is 17 years old, has brown hair and hazel eyes, and is 5'9" in height. Some of his favorites are: food, fried steak; song, "I Can't Last a Day Without

You"; actor, John Wayne; actress, Shirley McClaine; subject, basketball; hobby, drawing.

Steve is a member of the Baptist Church. He is a member of the band, the basketball team, and he has participated in tennis and golf. His future plans are to attend college.

Also in the spotlight is Sulema De Los Santos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray De Los Santos. She is 5'1" in height, has black hair and brown eyes, and she is 17 years old. Some of her favorites are: food, fried chicken; song, "That's the Way I Like It"; actor, Lee Majors; actress, Elizabeth Montgomery; subject, book-keeping; hobbies, reading and sewing; color, blue.

She is a member of the Assembly of God Church. She is a member of the band, of FHA, and she was in the Spanish Club for one year. Her future plans are to attend college.

JUNIOR J J's
 In this week's spotlight is Mollye Lisa Wisdom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom. She is the 5'1 1/2" forward-guard on the team. This #20 brown-eyed and brown haired Junior's favorite basketball team is the Boston Celtics.

Carol Thomas is the other basketball player in the spotlight. She came here from the Boyles home to live with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ryan. She is the #34 guard with brown hair and blue eyes. This 5'3" Junior's favorite team is the Crowell Wildcats. She likes to play basketball because of the competition involved.

SOPHOMORE SCOOP
 Congratulations to Scott Streit who received a division I on a class I solo Saturday. This enables him to advance to the state UIL Solos and Ensembles contest this summer. Scott is also a member of a trio which advances to state, too.

The basketball boys kept their winning ways as they got sweet revenge on

Seagraves in the regional finals. Crowell was behind as much as fifteen points before they made a fantastic rally which left them ahead eight points at the final buzzer. This weekend, Crowell will be competing in the state tournament at Austin. Let's have a large crowd to cheer 'em on to the State championship. See ya in Austin!

FANTASTIC FRESHMAN
 Our roving reporter asked several freshmen their favorite excuse. Here are some of the answers:

Stephen Matysek: "A tribe of Indians attacked my stagecoach on the way to school and stole my homework and the horses. I was almost lost, but the Lone Ranger saved me."

Terry Boren: "I forgot"
 Bonnie Cox: "You forgot to tell me"

Carolyn Halsell: "I asked you if I could wait"
 Allen Elkins: "I lost it"
 Denise Branch: "I was talking to J. H."

Jonna Naylor: "Well nobody's perfect"
 Later I overheard a conversation between Judy Jackson and her father. Judy said, "Dad, You're a lucky man" Her father asked, "How's that?" Judy said, "I want new books next term because I'm taking the same courses again."

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM
 CHS enjoyed a trained animal show last Tuesday at 1:30. Jimmie Holm's canines are a group of well-trained animals with unusual intelligence, considered by many to be one of the top animal acts today. The program was educational and entertaining. Jimmie has had years of experience in animal training. He directed the action quietly and efficiently so that the audience saw a series of connected acts which made the program lively and snappy. His Canine Revue might well be described as the "Big Top in miniature."

CAFETERIA MENU
 Monday, March 8
 Spaghetti Ring with Ground Beef - Black Eyed Peas
 Cabbage Slaw - Rolls



HORSE TO BE GIVEN AWAY—Terry Boren, right, and Leslie Denton, left, Foard County 4-H Horse Club members, are pictured above with the horse that will be given away after the judging during the annual 4-H and FFA Project Show March

13. Tickets on the horse are being distributed by 4-H Horse Club members for a \$1.00 donation each. Money received from this fund raising project will be used toward building a 4-H Horse Club arena to be located northeast of the Crowell school campus.

Peach Cobbler - Milk

Tuesday, March 9
 Pinto Beans - Corn Bread
 Barbecued Beef - Spinach
 Apple Sauce - Carrot Sticks
 Graham cracker with P. B. Milk

Wednesday, March 10
 Pigs in Blanket
 Creamed Potatoes
 English Peas
 Tossed Salad - Milk
 Jello with Fruit

Thursday, March 11
 Hamburger Patties in Mushroom Gravy
 Macaroni and Tomatoes
 Candied Sweet Potatoes
 Celery Sticks-Rolls-Milk
 Apple Sauce Cake

Friday, March 12
 Hamburgers with Trimmings
 French Fries
 Apple Cobbler - Milk

Ledger sheets, indexes and binders for sale at the News office.

NEWS FROM... Truscott Gilliland JIM CUMLEY

COMMUNITY EVENTS
 The Truscott Bi-Centennial Committee mailed the final design for the Truscott coin Friday. They will be taking orders through March 15 for personalized sets and single gold and silver coins. The coins will be available after that date but the sets won't.

AROUND TOWN
 Mmes. Curtis Casey, Idoma Chowning, and Jack Brown attended the Retired Teachers Association Meeting in Knox City Tuesday night.

Charlie and Don Laquey of Dublin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Owens Saturday. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kinnibrugh of Floydada last week and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dillard from Lockney last weekend.

Steve Baty visited home from college last weekend. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caram this week were Olivia Palacios and daughter of Wichita Falls, Lydia Acosta and daughter and Leta Ezell, all of Haltom City, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Caram and daughters of Munday, and Trinidad Arredondo of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hennan visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie here from Wichita Falls last weekend. Mrs. Sydney Alexander visited friends and relatives in Garland for a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander also visited in Abilene last weekend.

Jill Myers visited in Lubbock with her brothers, Bill and Harold, and also attended the Crowell-Seagraves basketball game at the Coliseum.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrold Ferry of Springfield, Illinois visited Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cook last weekend. Visitors of Mrs. J. D. Cook

this week were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bird of Lubbock, Mrs. Nina Combost of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis of Wichita Falls, and Richard Winstead of Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook of Wichita Falls visited the Elmo Shaw family over the weekend.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne last weekend were Marilyn and Melissa Horne of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Horne went to Oklahoma City last week.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bayers last week were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bartos of Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Beesinger of Slaton, and L. J. Barker of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cash in Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cash in Lubbock and attended the Crowell regional games there. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Simmons last weekend were Marilyn and Melissa Horne of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Dickens, also of Plainview.

BASKETBALL
 The Crowell Wildcats swept right through three big games this week. Tuesday night, they edged by Jim Ned 42-41 in Bi-district and Friday smashed Vega 54-37 in the 1st game of the Region I Tournament. Friday night, they came from behind and shot down Seagraves 54-46. (Sweet revenge!) They took the regional crown and won a trip to the State Championships in Austin next weekend. Congratulations! We from Truscott say: GO ALL THE WAY!

HUTCHISON RETIRES
 Dr. John E. Hutchison, who had served as director of the extension service for the past 18 1/2 years, retired Feb. 29. Hutchison received the superior service award from the U. S. Department of Agriculture in 1961 and has been recognized by many organizations and associations during his tenure as state extension director.

THANKS
 I wish to offer my thanks and deepest appreciation to the people of the Thalia community and to the Crowell Volunteer Fire Department who saved my home from fire last week. Without your help, all would have been lost. I also wish to thank the many friends who have called and visited. May God bless each one.
 Mrs. Knoxie Brown

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Rotarians Hear About Project Show

Vocational agriculture teacher Don Welch told members of the Rotary Club last Wednesday that about 90 lambs are expected to be entered in the annual 4-H and FFA Project Show which will be held in Crowell Saturday, March 13. He added that there will be about 75 or 80 lambs in the sale. He said 15 calves will be judged with from 9 to 10 in the sale, and he expects from 28 to 30 hogs in the swine division to be judged with about 25 in the auction.

Weight limits on the animals this year are for the lambs, from 80 to 120 pounds; calves must weigh over 800 pounds and hogs from 210 to 240 pounds. He said the stocker cattle division, new this year, has drawn five entrants. This new program has the youths purchasing a calf between 400 and 500 pounds through a public auction ring. The animal must be bought during November or December of the previous year. The youth showing the most net profit from his animal will be the winner of the division. There will be no auction of these five animals, but a market priced will be offered on the day of the project show.

Mr. Welch said wiring of the new Crowell Ag Pavilion will be completed this week. The new building will provide an in-door setting for the project show and will have the Little League bleachers inside the building for the convenience of spectators. He said the building will cost about \$23,000 when completed. Nearly \$15,000 of this amount was raised through

A total of 159 High School students graduated during the school year. A total of these students, 79,450 planned either a two-year or year college or un-

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WILDCATS ON YOUR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AND GOOD LUCK IN THE STATE MEET THIS WEEK END!

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 David McAmis, Pharmacist

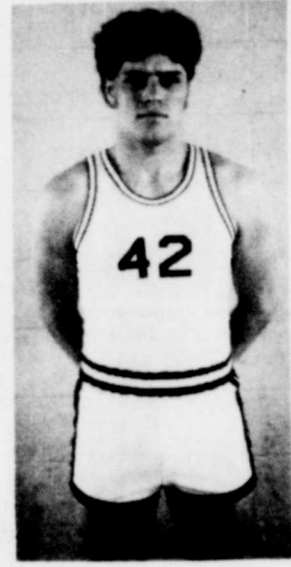
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BASKETBALL TEAM



REGIONAL CHAMPS Crowell Wildcat basketball team is pictured here. Melvin Westover, above, was not present when Stewart Studio of Vernon made the group picture at left. In the picture, from the left, standing, are Rocky Glasscock, Jack Whitley, Ricky Coleman, David Bell, Pat Norman, Marvin Coleman and Coach Randall Ryan. Front row: Steve Stapp, David Crafton, Tim Christopher, Dee Finley, Daniel Field and Manager Mike Cates.

REGIONAL CHAMPS

GOOD LUCK

IN THE STATE MEET AT AUSTIN THIS WEEK END.

From the following friends of the Crowell School:

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CHS Boys Win Regional Tourney

Crowell, Texas, March 24 (AP)—Coach Randall Ryan, in his second year as head basketball coach at Crowell High School, guided his squad of Wildcats to a regional championship at the Texas Tech Coliseum over the weekend.

The Wildcats breezed past Vega in the opening game 54-37 Saturday morning, but found rougher going that night in the finals against Seagraves. In the championship game, Crowell fell behind by 13 points at one time, but rallied in the second half and came away with a 54-46 win.

The team received a large trophy as regional winner, each player received an individual trophy and David Bell received an additional trophy after being selected for the all-tournament team.

The Wildcats were sharp all the way in the Vega contest. Melvin Westover along with Bell and Ricky Coleman, completely dominated the backboard and four Wildcats scored in the two-figure column. Bell held

the hot hand with 19 points. Westover had 12, Ricky Coleman 11, Marvin Coleman 10 and Dee Finley 2.

In the contest, Crowell jumped out to an early lead and held a 14-6 lead at the end of the first stanza. By half-time, Crowell led 25-16. A third period spurt by Vega dropped the lead to 29-22. But the Wildcats moved back to a 33-22 lead with 2:07 to go on two free throws by Steve Stapp and a field goal by Marvin Coleman. After that Vega never got close as the Wildcats continued to pull away.

Seagraves Game
It was a different story that night in the finals against Seagraves. The first half the Wildcats were cold in their shooting, and were ineffectual in the rebound department. At one time during the first half, Crowell trailed by 13 points and were behind by 11, 32-21, at halftime.

Coach Ryan must have had a few friendly words of encouragement for his players during the half-time break as they looked like a

different team the last half. Westover, Ricky Coleman and Bell took charge of the boards holding Seagraves to just 14 points in the entire last half. Crowell scored 18 points in the third quarter and 15 in the fourth to nail down the win.

Westover ended the night with 20 points, Bell had 13, Marvin Coleman 9, Ricky Coleman, Finley and Jack

Whitley 4 each. It was an especially sweet win for the Wildcats as it was the Seagraves football team that squeezed by the Wildcats 6-3 in regional play at Snyder last fall. Little Dribblers all-stars from last year were another group of pleased-as-punch spectators as last year it was Seagraves who defeated the Crowell LD all-stars twice in the state tournament at Idalou.

CARD OF THANKS

A hearty thank you to every one who helped in any way to extinguish the run-away trash fire which endangered our homes and would have completely destroyed the home of Mrs. Knoxville Brown. Words cannot express our appreciation for your help.

Mrs. Flora Short and Mrs. Maggie Capps.
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That popular Liquid Paper available at the News office.

Session on Health Care in Vernon Brings Few Answers

A six-hour meeting on effects of recent health legislation on Texas and residents of Texas failed to shed much light on the situation last Wednesday in Vernon.

Federal rules and guidelines on the new legislation haven't come down yet, so there was no solid ground for a firm answer.

State Senator Ray Farabee presided at the meeting which saw a half dozen speakers cover the meeting with charts, opinions and reasons, but the basic answers weren't given because federal rules and guidelines haven't been finalized and because the health system agencies that will run the system are still on the drawing board.

The proposed health planning would cover a 44 county area, and as one local

resident said following the meeting, it looks like "they want to make a first aid station out of small hospitals like ours."

Goal of the completed program is lower care health costs and to prevent duplication of services, but the questions about the program were many and the answers few.

The need for better health care in rural areas was brought out by Farabee when he quoted information printed in telling the maldistribution of services of doctors and dentists and the shortage of facilities in rural areas.

He said there are 23 counties in Texas without a physician and two of these are in the Rolling Plains area. He added that many more counties are without

sufficient medical services based on one doctor for 1,500 population and one dentist for every 3,000 population.

It was stated that there is nothing directly put into the federal or state legislation that will directly help rural areas get doctors, but there are numerous references to rural development of health care and health facilities.

To insure the new facilities or additions go where they are needed most, most of the state has set up a program whereby a certificate of need will be required.

If a hospital wants to increase its bed space, it must prove it is needed. If they want to add equipment to provide new services, it must prove need and get approval from a new state agency called the Texas Health Facilities Commission.

CHS Boys Win Bi-District Basketball Championship

The Crowell High School boys basketball team, coached by Randall Ryan, captured bi-district honors at Stamford Tuesday night of last week when the Wildcats won a squeaker 42-41 over the Jim Ned Indians.

The Wildcats battled back from an 11-point deficit to take the win. Crowell, which fell behind by 11 in the early going of the fourth period, installed a pressure man-to-man defense and won a

furious turnover for the last minute of play.

The victory was however, until a basket after the clock showed Crowell took its lead on the night with 13 on the clock.

watched as Jim Pearson almost put out of the fire for good. Twice in the final minutes, Pearson went to the line but missed occasions and a turnover battle by 20 seconds left. In called for a violation stole Crowell's pass. A few seconds however, Crowell tied the game with a showing. The basketball, hadn't gone to officials allowed to ball to occur after the Crowell fans of from a premature celebration.

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Foard Bicentennial Program Is Set for Saturday, April 24

Saturday, April 24, has been set as the date for the Foard County bicentennial celebration and 85th birthday celebration for Foard County. The date was set at a breakfast meeting of the bicentennial committee Tuesday morning.

Don Welch will serve as master of ceremonies for the event, and the CHS Honor Band will be performing as a

part of the day's program. Mrs. Virgil Johnson will be in charge of inviting special guests to the program and she will also be contacting ministers of the county requesting that the bicentennial theme be stressed in sermons on Sunday, April 25.

The Foard County museum will be dedicated at the same time, and a brief

history of Foard County will be given.

A flag presentation will be made at the program. The city is expected to be decorated with flags on that day and Mrs. Pat Pittillo will be contacting local businessmen in order to have business windows decorated with appropriate antiques and other memorabilia of early day history.

Ben Byrd was named to plan a bicentennial tree planting on the square in the near future.

Preliminary plans as formulated Tuesday are that the program will be held on the court house lawn if weather permits, and if the weather is bad, the program will be held at the gym.

Attending the meeting Tuesday were Henry Black, Don Welch, Mrs. L. A. Andrews, Robert Kincaid, Rocky Marlow, Mrs. V. A. Johnson, Ben Byrd, Mrs. Pat Pittillo and Bill Klepper.

News from the Nursing Center

The February birthday party was sponsored by the First Christian Church. Mrs. Mary Edna Knox and Mrs. Leoma Rasberry served delicious refreshments of cake and punch. The honorees were Mrs. Ida Sellers, Mrs. Lee Lefevre

and Mrs. Thola Knox. We welcome Mr. Richard Frazier to our home.

Next Sunday, March 7, services will be held by the Thalia Baptist Church with Rev. Wallace Pierce officiating.

Ray Duckworth Retires from Soil Conservation Service

Ray Duckworth retired from the Soil Conservation Service on February 28 after almost 32 years of service. Mr. Duckworth, conservation technician at Henrietta since 1965, began his career with the SCS in Goldthwaite in July of 1944. He and his wife and daughter moved to Crowell in 1947 when he was transferred here and the Duckworths made their home here until his transfer in 1965 to Henrietta.

Eric Sevareid to Speak

CBS news correspondent Eric Sevareid and a Bicentennial musical revue, "Yankee Doodle," will be featured attractions of the 1976 state convention of the Texas State Teachers Association, March 11-13 at the Tarrant County Convention Center, Fort Worth.

Upwards of 10,000 TSTA members and guests are expected.

Theme of the 97th annual convention, set by TSTA President Larry Yawn of Austin, is "TSTA...Partnership of Advocacy." Yawn will preside over the convention, an Executive Committee meeting on March 11, and four sessions of the 1,567-member House of Delegates, official governing body.

Registration will begin at 1:30 p. m. March 11. Official delegates representing some 500 TSTA local associations throughout the state will vote on proposed resolutions, constitutional amendments, and other business.

Sevareid will speak at the second general session at 9:30 a. m. March 12.

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FEBRUARY	1.41	.46	.22	1.37	3.26	.05	.55	2.62	.47	.98	.37	1.31	2.17	.64	.93	.46	1.23	.03	2.76
MARCH	2.10	2.20	.13	.47	3.55	.45	1.23	.85	.26		.65	3.15	1.96	4.17	.23	.08	3.22	.32	1.13
APRIL	8.16	2.22	2.17	.05	.40	2.57	2.57	.18	1.87	3.10	4.33	1.56	1.06	.38	1.05	3.17	2.08	2.48	.63
MAY	10.40	3.56	3.24	4.44	.70	1.77	4.67	3.20	2.17	.25	1.48	2.55	4.54	1.88	2.57	5.02	1.63	2.19	6.19
JUNE	2.54	2.21	4.25	3.89	3.08	5.66	3.56	2.08	1.56	4.12	3.68	2.47	3.80	1.01	.20	3.93	1.30	4.12	1.51
JULY	1.72	5.74	3.20	5.46	2.46	2.40	.36		.97	.89	7.42	3.95	.28		2.15	1.78	4.80		7.60
AUGUST	.03	.55	1.02	2.45	1.34	.95	.40	1.43	2.48	7.10	1.59	1.53	2.48	1.45	1.15	4.31	.37	3.28	1.14
SEPTEMBER	.87	2.00	.59	2.38	2.67	5.29	1.23	2.17	9.62	3.69	1.24	.70	4.97	2.17	5.50	4.18	8.05	7.25	3.64
OCTOBER	2.96	.41	3.59	2.38	1.59	2.35	.13		5.70	.73	2.11	1.63	5.94	1.65	2.60	4.94	.89	3.52	.90
NOVEMBER	5.29	.98			2.78	.84	3.28	1.11	.12	.14	.29	3.08	.92	.29	.90	1.42	1.61	.43	2.52
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Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coffey
and daughter of Carlsbad, N.
M., visited relatives in
Crowell and Quanaah a few
days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert
Brown have returned home
from a week's visit in
Houston with their grand-
daughter, Mrs. Kenny Ber-
gen, and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don
Crafton and David over the
weekend were their son and
family of York, Nebraska,
where Tom is Controller of
York College. While here he
spoke at the Church of Christ
and showed slides of the
college and explained its
work and needs.

Walter Ross of Matador
visited here Tuesday with
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TWO BITS, FOUR BITS...—These Crowell fans were responding to the CHS cheerleaders who had just shouted, "Two bits, four bits, six bits a dollar, all for the Wildcats stand up and holler." This was just a small part of the big crowd of Crowell fans on hand to see the Wildcats win the regional championship.

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COIN DESIGNER WITH TRUSCOTT

Michael Hutton, father-in-law, Ray flew to Knox to coin design last afternoon. They left the airport by Brown and Mrs. Brown.

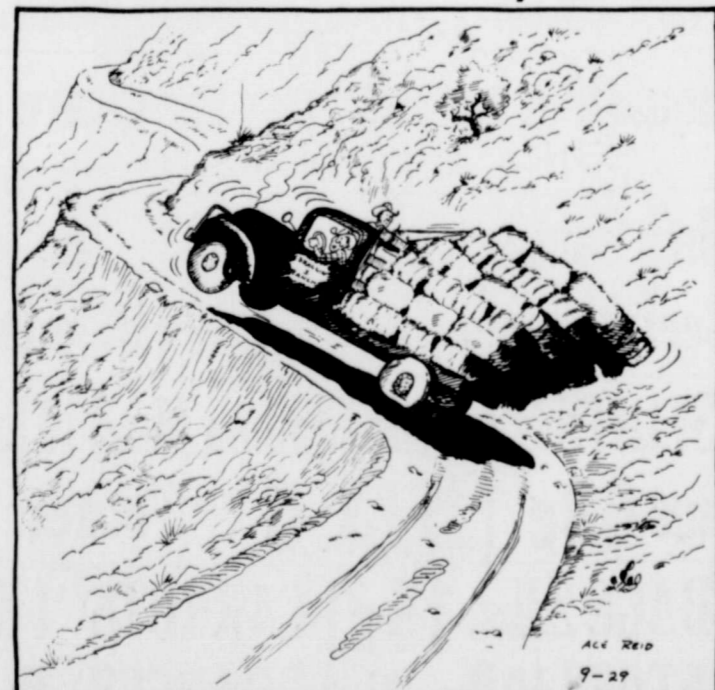
Knight's plane World War II style plane, painted like a fighter, flew in that Photographs and made of the delivery.

Hutton is the Truscott coin Diamonds International sign award in 1975 and Knight are from Falls.

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Loan and Grant Approved for Thirsty Water System

Farmers Home Administration has approved a loan of \$1,401,000 and a grant of \$1,109,800 for expansion of the Thirsty Water Supply Corporation's rural water system. Funds will be used to develop and construct a water system serving some 528 users in a dozen different counties. The expansion project will represent Phase Five of the planned development of the system. The Thirsty System presently serves some 933 meters and consists of about 790 miles of pipeline, with Phases One through Four having been previously completed. The 12-county area involved in Phase Five includes Donley, Collingsworth, Hall, Motley, Childress, Cottle, Har-

Schools to Close Early March 11, 12

Crowell Public Schools will be dismissing classes at 2:30 on March 11 for a faculty meeting and classes will be dismissed at 2:30 on March 12th in preparation for Open House.

Open House will be March 12 from 7:00-8:30 p. m.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Group singing followed a business session of the Senior Citizens on Tuesday, March 2. Twenty-one members were present. Donna Vecera received the door prize.

On Tuesday, March 9, Bro. Don Crafton, minister of the Eastside Church of Christ, will bring the message. Audie Henry will also give a demonstration on brass rubbing.

More than 8,000 young adults are enrolled in Young Homemakers of Texas and Young Farmers of Texas, two organizations sponsored by the Texas Education Agency to continue the vocational efforts of men and women now out of school.

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During 1975-76, some 10,000 men and women are expected to enroll in adult vocational industrial courses sponsored by local public schools in cooperation with the Texas Education Agency.

Mrs. F. K. Harrell of Farmington, N. M., spent last week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook.

Tom Crafton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Crafton of Crowell has recently been appointed Controller of York College, York, Nebraska.

Mr. Crafton attended high school in Houston and Lovelady, Texas, where he graduated. He will graduate from Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas this summer with a degree in Accounting and he plans to continue his studies and become a Certified Public Accountant.

Prior to becoming associated with York College, Mr. Crafton worked three years as Regional Communications Coordinator at E. F. Hutton, stock brokers, in Houston and Chicago, Illinois.

The Craftons have one daughter, Cerish, who is two years old.

Mmes. Faye Whitman, Clyde Self, and Marie Callaway visited T. R. Cates in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last Thursday.

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Society News

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Howard K. Bell of Carpinteria, Ca. have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sara K to Gregory Peter Bava of Hughson, Ca., June 26 in St. Stanislaus Roman Catholic Church in Modesto, Ca.

Sara is a graduate of Santa Maria High School, holds a degree from Alan Hancock College and attended California Polytechnic State

University, San Luis Obispo, Ca. She will be employed April 1st in the personnel department of Tri-Valley Growers in Modesto.

Gregory is a graduate of Hughson High School and the University of the Pacific, where he was a member of the Omega Phi Alpha fraternity. He holds a bachelor of science degree in engineering.

WESTSIDE H D CLUB

Mrs. H. C. Ketchersid was hostess to the West Side Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, Feb. 24. Mrs. Ray Pruet presided at the meeting and Mrs. Ketchersid was in charge of opening exercise. She read a poem, "Look at the Bright Side of Life."

Mrs. C. M. Carroll was in charge of ten minutes of fun. Eight members answered roll call with a sewing hint. Mrs. Pruet gave the council report, and the tea to honor all charter H D club members

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was discussed.

Mrs. Hardin gave a demonstration on types of collars and discussed characteristics of a well made collar. Mrs. Vlasta Ilseing drew the hostess gift.

4-H CLUB REPORT

The 4th grade 4-H club met March 1 in Mrs. Thomas's room. The meeting was called to order by Dan Wall and the pledge was led by Brian Whitman. Linda Dishman read the minutes and Garland Weimers gave the program on the livestock show. Next meeting is April 5.

4-Hers to Enter District Food Show

Foard County youth will demonstrate skills and knowledge in foods and nutrition against those youth from twenty counties when they vie for honor in the District 4-H Food Show Saturday, March 13 in Wichita Falls.

Competing in Senior division food entry classes will be Jan Brown, main dishes; and Theresa Drabek, breads and desserts. In the Junior division competition, those competing are Stephanie Riethmayer, breads and desserts; Michelle Field, main dishes; Arlene Halencak, snacks and beverages; and Brenda Kajs, side dishes.

They earned the right to compete at the district level when they took first-place honors in the Foard County 4-H Food Show held February 21, 1976.

For the main dish class, Miss Brown prepared Vegetable Cream Soup; Miss Drabek will enter Kolaches in the bread and desserts class.

For the Junior Main Dish, Miss Michelle Field prepared Chicken and Rice. For the side dishes, Miss Brenda Kajs created Texas Kraut Salad.

Miss Riethmayer will enter Banana Pudding in the breads and desserts class, and Miss Arlene Halencak will compete with Czech Kolaches in the snacks and beverages class.

County and district 4-H food shows are sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System and The Morrison Milling Company, Denton, Texas.

Porcelain Art Club Sets Show

The Wichita Falls Porcelain Art Club is having its annual show March 21 at the Parker Square Bank in Wichita Falls. Hours of the show are from 1 to 5 p. m. and it is open to the public at no admission charge. Door prizes of hand painted china painted by club members will be given away during the afternoon.

Crowell has four members of the club: Mmes. Lee Black, C. T. Hord and J. D. Kenner and Miss Dorothy Erwin.



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS—These three residents of the Crowell Nursing Center were honored last week since they all had

birthdays during the month of February. From the left, they are Mrs. Lee Lefevre who is 88, Mrs. Thola Knox and Mrs. Ida Sellers, both of whom are 84.

Truscott Bicentennial Committee Has Meeting

The Truscott Bicentennial Coin Committee met at the post office Monday, March 1, with Mrs. Virginia Casey, chairman, presiding.

The committee voted to order 24 Bicentennial trays to sell. The trays are about twelve inches across, made of metal with the national Bicentennial logo printed on a white background and circled by the words "American Revolution Bicentennial 1776-1976."

Clara Brown was asked to complete copy for the local

Bicentennial coin brochure this week.

The committee voted to extend the bidding period on the first five numbered 4-coin sets to July 1, since the coins will have been received by then.

Mrs. Vivian Brown and Mrs. Clara Brown reported on the possibility of having the family history book printed at Quanah. It was agreed to list Clara Brown as editor and to aim for Labor Day as the publication date.

Virginia Browder agreed to gather material on business

places for the book.

The Horizon Committee chairman, Joan Daniel, reported six concrete planters had been purchased at Waco and delivered to Truscott by Ed Lowrance.

The committee voted to pay Mrs. Daniel \$63.00 to repay her for the check she had given on the planters and carry the project through and pay for expenses to put in bottoms and plants. The chairman said she plans to try to get red, white and blue petunias for the planter located at the west end of the post office and the one at the east end of the Community Center. She was also appointed to investigate paint etc., for painting the community sign on the east side of the Community Center.

Mrs. Daniel reported that the street signs are ready to put up. The annual community cleanup was discussed and it was agreed to put up the signs in conjunction with the cleanup. It was urged that persons owning property in Truscott but no longer living here be contacted for permission to clean up their property. The committee mentioned some old wooden buildings which need to be repaired or possibly removed.

In discussion of material for the book it was brought out that at one time Lucian Parrish, later a U. S. Representative, taught at the Truscott school at the cemetery location. He promised one student his fine horse and buggy if she would learn the 2's multiplication table between Friday and Monday. She didn't learn it.

Grandson of Local Couple Is Honored

Darrell Pittillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pittillo of Fort Stockton and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pittillo of Crowell, has been selected to participate in the "America's Youth in Concert" 1976 program sponsored by the Universal Academy for Music in Princeton, N. J.

The purpose of the program is to demonstrate internationally the high quality and fine character of American youth while enriching and expanding the musical and cultural horizons of the young musician.

Darrell's invitation to audition for this group is a result of his being named to the All-State Band last year. He is an officer in the Fort Stockton High School Band and is a junior.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO NEWS

Subscriptions to The Foard County News received since February 23 follow:

Ray Eavenson, Vernon; Jim P. Norman, Crowell; Mrs. Helen Norman, Crowell; Johnny F. Thompson, Crowell; J. Y. Bradford, Vernon; Henry Johnson, Crowell; L. M. Glover, Crowell; Mrs. L. P. Glover, Crowell; Eugene Monkres, Pompano Beach, Fl.; C. R. Moore, Plainview; E. C. Hargrove, Wichita Falls; J. W. Cash, Truscott; Edmund Tomaneck, Truscott; Edwina Halencak, Route 2, Crowell; Edward Howard, Crowell; Mrs. Jim Naron, Quanah; Otis Coffey, Carlsbad, N. M.; Floyd Hibbs, Wichita Falls; McGraw-Hill Information Systems, Dallas; Bill Beesinger, Brownfield.

ARTHRITIS TREATMENT

J. H. Lanier, who is visiting here from Bakersfield, Ca., has given the News a copy of a recent article in the Enquirer which tells about a new simple vaccine treatment for arthritis which is proving successful.

The News has a copy of the story we will be glad to give to anyone interested and Mr. Lanier has several copies of the story.

Cotton polyester sheeting is now available in yard goods. It comes in various designs and colors in 81-inch widths, Marlene Odle, clothing specialist with the extension service, says.

The children of
Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford

cordially invite you
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honoring them on their

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Sunday, March 7, 1976

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BISCUITS | Aunt Jemima Meal 10 lbs. \$1
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NEWS FROM...
THALIA
MAGGIE CAPPS

er, O. C. Holland, and wife and the Jimmy Holland family last week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan and family visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Swan, and his aunt, Mrs. Lottie Pittillo, in a Vernon rest home Tuesday.
Visitors of Mrs. Maggie Capps Monday were Mrs. Loris Walker of Imperial, Ca., and son, John Lindsey to Roseburg, Or., Mrs. Avis Callman of New Melford, N. J., and Mrs. Edna Malm of Downey, Ca. The women are daughters of Ed Payne. They are here to attend the bedside of their father who is seriously ill in a Vernon hospital.

February Not Only
Dry; It Proved to
Be Unusually Warm

Although the February rainfall here measured only .20 inch, it wasn't the driest February by any means. It was only two years ago—1974—when only .03 inch was recorded here in February.
There are no official temperature records available for Foard County, but if there were, February 1976 would probably be the warmest February on record.
When the moisture fell early in the month, the mercury dropped to the teens and one day last week it dropped to 25 degrees. Most of the rest of the time, the nights have been warm, and daytime temperatures have risen to the 70s and 80s.
Since the picture of the early-blooming peach tree was printed in last week's paper, the weather has continued extremely warm, and practically every fruit tree in town is now in bloom. Also, the bermuda grass has started greening up, another after-effect of the unseasonably warm weather.
The mercury rose to 88 degrees Sunday afternoon, Feb. 29.
Mr. and Mrs. Alton L. (Corky) Johnson and daughter, Carrie, and son, Joe Mark, of Fort Worth visited his mother, Madge Johnson, over the weekend.
Yellow ruled pads, note, letter and legal size.—News office.

NEWS FROM...
**Margaret
Riverside**
VIRGINIA SMITH

Have you noticed? Several interested people are cleaning and ridding our community of undesired sights. Let's all get busy and clean. Give Margaret a new face.
Several of the women of the community met Friday morning and cleaned the Community Center and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Culverhouse of Waco put the new ads up in the center Monday afternoon. Please notice when you are visiting our center who all gave us an ad to make the remodeling possible.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Williams of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haseloff of Dumas visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen over the weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wright in Crowell Sunday afternoon.
Bob Gilbert of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Benny Smith and Ray, Friday.
Nile Bryant and David Sewell of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Halenack and family over the weekend. Also visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kubicek and family of Crowell.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens visited Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hopkins of Lockett, Saturday night.
Bill and Myron Halenack attended the basketball game at Lubbock Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gilbert, Brenda, Terry and James of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens Saturday.
Lynn Pruitt of El Paso is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt.
Arlene Halenack and Lori Elkins visited the State Park Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Malone of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel Thursday.

**Museum
News**

Mrs. Virgil A. Johnson
Chairman
Foard County
Historical Commission

Last Wednesday, some more furniture was stripped of its old varnish when Bernita Fish, Faye Bell, Hazel Ramsey, Russie Hord, Lucy Gamble, and Ethel Ferguson worked at the museum.
One piece of furniture is a round dining table which was given by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey of Truscott. Mrs. Casey and her sister, Margaret Todd, have given an old-fashioned wardrobe which was brought in a covered wagon from Jack County to Truscott in 1902 by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Guynn. This will be a beautiful thing when completed.
A wooden ice box is being restored for the kitchen. This is the gift of Mae Solomon who has also given an old fashioned parlor organ. We really appreciate these two "really hard-to-get" items.
We deeply appreciate the \$1500 gift from the Commissioner's Court. Since this comes from the county's revenue sharing fund, we are told that it cannot be spent for labor, but we can surely put it to good use in the purchase of materials.
Since the last report, we have had one donation. It is \$25 from R. R. (Bob) Justin of Vernon. Bob is very interested in area history as his father was a buffalo hunter along Pease River and Beaver Creek in the late 1870's. Thank you, Bob.
Tommy and Jean Forister have given several display cases and many yards of drapery material to be used in interior decorating. This is a great gift! Henry Fish gave us some weathered lumber for our old town. We appreciate that, Henry.
Well, you can see that the interest is high at the museum.
This does not relate at all to the museum, but I thought this was an interesting thing that I found from an old issue of The Foard County News, dated, June 24, 1921, and for contrast sake, I pass it on to you:
One year ago, 100 lbs of sugar cost \$30, according to one of our readers who submitted the following facts without comment: Today any one of the grocery stores in Crowell will sell for a little less than \$30, 100 lbs of sugar and will include in the bill these additional items - 100 lbs. flour, 25 lbs oatmeal, 4 lbs coffee, 12 cans tomatoes, 12 cans corn, package crackers, 12 lbs rice, 16 lbs beans, 12 cans peaches, 12 cans hominy, and 12 cans pork and beans.
By way of contrast, someone said that if you filled your grocery cart with these items on March 3, 1976, you would owe \$100.44.

Bill Bell of Crowell visited T. R. Cates in the Methodist hospital in Lubbock Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom and family and Maggie Capps Sunday.
Billie Dean Brown of Dallas spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Knoxie Brown.
Mrs. Fay Britt of Wichita Falls spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Lee Sims.
Mrs. Florence McBeath and grandson, Marlon McBeath visited Mrs. J. L. McBeath Sr. in a Vernon rest home Saturday.
Several children and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Chavez visited them over the week end.
Cindy Wisdom of WTSU in Canyon spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom, Molly and Polly.
Mrs. Lucille Lambert of Abernathy visited her brother,

Despite the shortage of most all kinds of building material, many new apartments and houses have been completed during the latter part of 1945 and first two months of 1946.
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Mrs. Marion Chowning Jr. Succumbed
Funeral services for Mrs. Marion Chowning Jr., 51, were held at 3 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Truscott. Officiating were Rev. Claude Harris and Rev. Homer Stevens. Burial was in the Truscott Cemetery under direction of Smith Funeral Home of Knox City.
Mrs. Chowning, who died Friday at her home near Truscott, was born in Oklahoma and had been a nursing home administrator 17 years. She moved to Truscott last year when she and Mr. Chowning were married. She was a member of the Baptist Church.
Survivors include her husband; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Jones and Juanita Murphy, both of Gainesville; and a brother, Crodis Davis of Amarillo.

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30 Years Ago in The News

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T. P. Reeder this week purchased the brick building on the north side of the square in which Reeder's Drug Store has been operated for the past four years. The building was bought from Mrs. B. W. Self.

Schedule for the north and south bus line will be changed effective March 1. Bus going south to Abilene will arrive in Crowell at 8 a. m. and will make direct connection with bus to San Antonio. It will return to Crowell at 6 p. m.

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Kid Basketball Game Results Are Given

Little Dribblers basketball action resumed last Monday night with three big games.

The first game saw D&T win 40 to 12 over Rotary Club. Danny McCrary with 16 points was high pointer for D&T. Guy Todd III had 12 points, Mike Branch 8 and Dan Wall and Charles McCrary scored 2 points each. For Rotary Club, Tommy Russell had 6 points, Joe Setliff 4 and Van Coleman 2.

The second game of the night saw a squeaker as McLain took a 20-19 victory over Phillips 66. Thomas Sparkman with 12 points was high pointer for McLain. David Dunn had 4 and Adam Rodriguez and Gary Groves had 2 points each. For Phillips, Ron O'Neal had 17 points and Brad Parkhill 2.

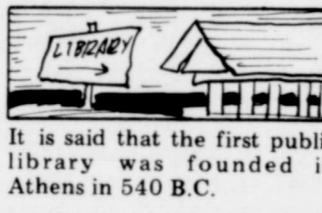
In the last game of the night, Foristers laid it on Thefordys for the lopsided score of 57-4. Elbert Sparkman with 14 points led the winners' attack, and Scott Reed had 13. Larry Criss scored 12, Darren Criss 10, Ray Smith 6 and Vincent Anderson 2. Willie Tucker and Freddie Collins had 2 points each for the losers.

Revenue Sharing Funds Needed

On the assumption that revenue sharing is not renewed, Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock has prepared a table illustrating the percentage increase in tax revenues that local governments would need to generate in order to replace revenue sharing funds in their current budgets.

The table shows that Foard County would need to raise taxes by 24.2 per cent and the City of Crowell 23.8 per cent to create the amount of revenue currently derived by revenue sharing.

Bullock's table shows that Wilbarger County would have to raise taxes by 25.2 per cent and the City of Vernon by 24.5 per cent to create the amount of money currently received through revenue sharing.



It is said that the first public library was founded in Athens in 540 B.C.

H. D. Agent Says...

Nutritionists will join the nation in celebrating the centennial year during March, Nutrition Month, according to Mrs. Lorretta Urdin, Foard County Extension Agent. The theme for 1976-1976 "Improving Nutrition for a Nation" emphasizes the need for good nutrition for eating a balanced diet according to individual food needs.
Even in the fifteenth century Benjamin Franklin recognized the need for Americans to eat in moderation, to exercise and relax as well as the following quote from the Almanac of Poor and Wealthy in the Almanac of 1792: "Eat to live and not to eat."
"To lengthen the life, use thy meals."
"They that study much, eat not to eat so much as use that work hard, their reason not being so good." Today nutritionists recommend moderation in eating to prevent obesity—one of the most common ailments of man. Obesity—excess of 20 per cent over a desirable weight—pre-disposes one to diseases of the heart, diabetes, digestive disturbances and other ailments.
Obesity is basically a problem of eating too much and exercising too little. Daily exercise is necessary burn up calories and keep muscles in condition.
Besides exercise, also cut down the amount of food eaten at each meal. There is no advantage to skipping meals completely, because more is eaten at the next meal.
In selecting foods from the Basic Four Food Groups, choose foods with fewer calories. In the Milk Group, buttermilk, nonfat dry milk, dry curd cottage cheese and iced milk are among the lower calorie choices.
Lean meats, meats canned in water, baked and broiled meats are the lower calorie possibilities in the Meat Group.
Try whole wheat or enriched breads and cereals with no added sugar to meet daily food needs of family members from the Bread and Cereal Group.
Some of the lower calorie foods in the Fruit and Vegetable Group are fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables, and fruit canned in water rather than in syrup.
Season vegetables with bouillon and use vinegar, lemon juice and herbs on salads rather than rich salad dressings.
Celebrate Nutrition Month by cutting down the amount of food you eat, eating a lower calorie diet than usual, and exercising regularly to lose weight and stay healthy.

VISIT A PUBLIC SCHOOL

In this changing world, can public schools continue to perform their function? Will the rising cost of education prohibit quality education? Will state and federal governments be required to assume more and more of the cost of education? How much do you know about your local school district?
Texas Public Schools week being held March 1-5, rents and the general public are being invited to visit local schools; to evaluate the kind of education being provided by local school districts. During the week, all classrooms, elementary through high school, will be open, and school officials are predicting a larger turn out than ever. Interest in education mounts as the cost of education mounts.
This is an excellent time for the parent and the concerned citizen to see, first hand, how the system works. Whether a parent or not, your visit and comments are most welcome during Public Schools week March 1-5.

Pioneer Wellington Publisher Died

Funeral services for H. Deskins Wells, 73, editor and publisher of the Wellington Leader for more than 50 years, were held Thursday in Wellington.
Mr. Wells died Monday afternoon in a Wellington hospital after a long illness.
He is survived by one son, Henry W., now managing editor of the Leader; a daughter, Mrs. Ansel McDowell of Perryton and two sisters. Also surviving are four grandchildren.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP
Meets Tuesdays at 6:30 a.m. at the new community center, Philippines 4-6. You are welcome. 47-4tp

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MARCH 1-5 1976

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Cottage Cheese Pint 69c

Check our circular in this paper for many more sale items!

We will not have the following Shurfine items which are listed on the supplement in this paper: Paper Towels, Detergent, Cake Mixes, Orange Drink, Tomato Soup and Apple Butter.

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WANT ADS

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO THE DUTY QUALIFIED RESIDENT ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CROWWELL, TEXAS AND TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in and throughout the CITY OF CROWWELL, TEXAS, on the 3rd day of April, 1976, on the question of the adoption of a One Percent (1%) Local Sales and Use Tax within said City in keeping with the following ordinance adopted by the City Council of said City as follows, to-wit:

ORDINANCE
An ordinance ordering a special election to be held in the City of Crowwell, Texas, on the question of the adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the City, designating the date of the election and the polling place; appointing election officials; providing that all duly qualified resident electors shall be qualified to vote; prescribing form of ballot, providing for notice of election; containing other provisions relating to said election; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, Article 166c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1947, 50th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 26, Page 42) authorizes the governing body of any City, Town or Village in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such City, Town or Village; Now Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CROWWELL, TEXAS:

Section 1. That a special election shall be held in and throughout the City of Crowwell, Texas on the third (3rd) day of April, 1976, at which election there shall be submitted to the resident qualified voters of said City, for their action thereupon, the following propositions:

"FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

"AGAINST adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

Section 2. That said election shall be held at one polling place for all qualified voters of said City; and the polling place and presiding officer for said election shall be, to-wit:

POLLING PLACE - City Hall, Crowwell, Texas
PRESIDING OFFICERS - Mrs. L. A. Andrews,

Presiding Judge: Mrs. Jack Thomas, Alternate Presiding Judge

The Presiding Judge at such election shall appoint two (2) not less than two clerks.

Section 3. That said election shall be held in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and all duly qualified resident electors of the City of Crowwell, Texas, shall be qualified to vote.

Section 4. That the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Section 2, Subsection G, of Article 166c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Act 1947, 50th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 26, Page 42), and to the requirements of Chapter 3 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended, and the language to be printed thereon shall include the following:

The ballot at such election shall have printed on it the following:
"FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."
"AGAINST adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city."

The election shall be conducted in the manner provided by law for other municipal elections unless otherwise specified herein. If a majority of the votes cast at such an election be in favor of the adoption of a local sales and use tax, the same shall be effective in such city as follows: in order to allow time for the Comptroller's administrative duties under this Act, there shall elapse one whole calendar quarter after the Comptroller receives notice of adoption of such tax provided for in this Act, after which such local sales and use tax shall be effective in such city beginning on the first day of the calendar quarter next succeeding such elapsed quarter.

OFFICIAL BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS: Place an X in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

☐ FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the city.

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that a square shall be placed beside each proposition in which the voter is instructed to place an X or other clear mark to indicate the way he wishes to vote; but which also provides that failure of a voter to mark his ballot in strict conformity with the directions on the ballot shall not invalidate the ballot and the ballot shall be counted if the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable, except where the law expressly prohibits the counting of the ballot. It is specifically provided that the election officers shall not refuse to count a ballot because of the voter's having marked his ballot by scratching out the statement of proposition for which he does not wish to vote.

Section 6. That notice of the election hereby ordered and called shall be given: (a) by publication on the same day of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City; the date of the first publication to be at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the date set herein for such election; and (b) by posting of such notice at the polling place in each of the election precincts of the City not less than twenty (20) days prior to the date set herein for such election. It is hereby found and determined that the Four County News is a newspaper published within the City of Crowwell, Texas, and is a newspaper of general circulation within said City.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 17th day of February, 1976.
ROBERT KINCAID, Mayor ATTEST:
WILMA CATES, Secretary. EXECUTED under my hand and seal of said City of Crowwell, Texas this 12th day of February, A. D. 1976.
SEAL
WILMA CATES-City Sec. City of Crowwell, Texas. 34-2c

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION
The State of Texas, County of Ford, City of Crowwell, Texas.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Crowwell, Ford County, Texas on the third day of April, A. D. 1976, the same being the first Saturday in said month, for the purpose of electing two members for said City.

Mrs. Ruth Andrews has been appointed Presiding Officer for said election and she shall select two (2) clerks to assist in the holding of said election. And said election shall be held in the same manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

Every qualified person who has attained the age of eighteen (18) years and who has resided within the limits of said City for six (6) months next preceding the date of said election and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas shall be entitled to vote in said election.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Crowwell, Texas, this 10th day of February, A. D. 1976.
ROBERT KINCAID, Mayor of the City of Crowwell, Texas.

ATTEST:
WILMA CATES, City Secretary. (SEAL) 34-4c

Fred Adcock Receives Honor

Fred H. Adcock has been notified of his nomination for Outstanding Young Men of America. He was nominated by Lou Evans, director of special projects for National Living Centers, Houston.

The award is sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the final decisions will be announced in April.

The Outstanding Young Men of America award is for young men between the ages of 21 and 35 who show outstanding leadership achievements in their professional and civic life.

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TRESPASS NOTICES

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on T. R. Carnes Estate land. pd. 5-7c

NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on any land owned by the B. A. Whitman Estate or Eldon Whitman. pd. 4-8-7c

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. pd. 5-7-77

POSITIVELY no hunting, fishing or trespassing in any land owned by me.—Edwina Blaincourt. pd. 31-7c

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on the Minnick Ranch.—Mrs. J. H. Minnick Estate. pd. 5-7-77

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in Ford and Knox Counties.—Mrs. Maggie Barber. pd. 3-7-77

NO hunting, fishing, trespassing, or trash dumping on any land owned or leased by us.—Mrs. W. A. Dunn and Bobby Bond. pd. 5-7c

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by us.—Johnson & Ekern. pd. 5-7-77

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Glenn Hanson Cattle Co. pd. 5-7-77

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Ora Gufford. pd. 5-7-77

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on land owned, leased or rented by us. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCoy. pd. 8-7c

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned, rented or leased by Merl Kincaid Estate. pd. 5-7-77

NO DUMPING of any kind on any right-of-way of any county road in Ford County allowed. Violators will be prosecuted.—Commissioners Court of Ford County, Texas. pd.

NO HUNTING or fishing or trespassing of any kind on M. L. Hightman and M. L. Spear land. pd. 11-4-7c

POSITIVELY no trespassing, fishing or hunting on my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mrs. Harry Schiappal. pd. 5-7c

NO TRESPASSING of any kind by non-members will be allowed at the Spring Lake Country Club. Trespassers will be prosecuted. Also no shooting of firearms is allowed on the property by either members or non-members.—Board of Directors. 33-2c

NO hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned by the Juanita Gufford Estate. pd. 1-7-77

Cleaning as you go is the real answer to housekeeping problems. The minute something is spilled on the floor, wipe it up. If mud is tracked in, smack it before it's all over the house. Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, family resource management specialist with the extension service, advises.

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ROSS MADONE, Guardian of the Person and Estate of J. L. Malone.

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TEXAS AMONG LEADING SOUTHERN DAIRY STATES

A dairy specialist for the extension service points out that Texas ranked fourth among the 13 southern states in total milk production for 1975 for herds in the Dairy Herd Improvement program. Texas milk production at 12,905 pounds per cow compared to the southern region average of 12,490 pounds. Butterfat production, at 464 pounds per cow, was just below the regional average of 466 pounds.

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