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Crowell High School One-Act Play Wins Place At State Tourney; Best Member Named Best Actor

One-act play cast again Crowell High School among outstanding schools of Texas. It won third in the United States Scholastic League tournament at Austin last week. The play cast competing for the state contest.

Winners

Best play first place with "The Jacobins," Housatonic High School, New York. Crowell took third place with "The Overboard." Other winners were Angelo, Martha, and Greenville.

Top Acting Honors

Best actor in the state and best member of the cast were named. The large and beautiful French award, A. J. Crockett, was given to the second Crowell boy to win this honor as Crockett in 1934.

Notable Mention

Three boys were given honorable mention and two of them from the Crowell cast. They were Wallace Beverly, Billy Scott Bruce, a freshman, and Billy Scott Bruce, a sophomore.

Acting Tourney

At a short talk during the act, this was the largest acting tourney in the state. It was held at the state school in Austin. Crowell boys were highly commended. The group visited in Austin before returning to Crowell from San Antonio.

Members of Thalia High School Senior Class To Hear Baccalaureate Sermon At Auditorium Sunday Afternoon

Crowell Homemaking Girls Win Places At State Rally

Two girls of the Homemaking classes of Crowell High School won places at the State Homemaking rally held at San Antonio from April 20 through May 3, and the Area Two chorus, of which the Crowell girls were members, won first place.

Joyzelle Tysinger and Yvonne Weaver, representing the Homemaking classes II and III, respectively, won a rating of "good" on the dresses which they modeled at the rally.

Approximately 2,600 girls and boys participated in this rally and about 500 schools were represented.

Others attending the rally from Crowell were: Betty Johnson, Homemaking I representative; Lois Pickett, club delegate; Jean Orr, Mary Evelyn Edwards and Miss Ruth Patterson, sponsor. The group visited in Austin before returning to Crowell from San Antonio.

The baccalaureate services of the Thalia Consolidated High School will be held in the auditorium Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with T. G. McCord of Vernon, Church of Christ minister, delivering the baccalaureate sermon, it was announced by Supt. Bailey Rennels Wednesday.

The processional and recession will be played by Mrs. Gus Neill and a vocal solo will be sung by Gus Neill. Will Wood will give the invocation.

Fifteen pupils compose the membership of the graduating class.

Four Directors for Farmers Gin Elected at Meeting Saturday

Four directors were elected for the Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1 gin at the meeting held in the court house Saturday afternoon. Two new directors, Dave Adams and Curtis Ribble, were elected and two, A. L. Davis and Henry Johnson, were re-elected.

Following the regular meeting of the Co-Operative Society, a directors' meeting was called and Homer Zeibig was elected president, A. W. Barker, vice president, and A. L. Davis, secretary.

U. S. Highway No. 70 to Receive New Asphaltic Topping

The Public Construction Co. of Denton was awarded the contract for topping 18.6 miles on U. S. Highway No. 70 from 4.2 miles east of Paducah to a point 7.1 miles east of the Foard County line at a recent meeting of the State Highway Commission.

At the same time low bids were announced on nearly \$200,000 worth of highway construction and repair in North Texas in connection with a \$2,000,000 program over the state.

Construction Bids to Be Let on Two New Rural Homes

Blue prints and specifications for two new houses in Foard County, and repairs on two additional houses will be available for contractors in the office of the Farm Security Administration in Quanah, Vernon and Crowell, according to Julian Wright, FSA rural supervisor.

Bids will be opened in the Vernon office on Thursday, May 15, at 2 p. m.

CUBS ON DUTY

Members of the Cub troop with C. P. Sandifer as cubmaster were on duty during the Jubilee and furnished a lounging room in the front part of Brooks Tailor Shop where visitors could rest. The Cubs supplied about 30 chairs for the Cub Hut and did a good job in looking after those who needed a comfortable place to rest.

REUNION OF BROTHERS

The celebration of Foard County's fiftieth anniversary was the occasion of the meeting of many relatives and friends who had been separated for years. In the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley, there was a reunion of four brothers who had not all been together for fifteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Shirley of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shirley of Wichita Falls and Lee Shirley of Princeton, Illinois, were guests in the Paul Shirley home for three days. The men are the sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Shirley, pioneer residents of Foard County.

E. G. CAMPSEY ILL

E. G. Campsey is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Irene Hayworth, in Pueblo, Colo., according to a message received by his sister, Mrs. S. S. Turner, of Truscott. Mr. Campsey is a former resident of Crowell and Truscott, but has been living in Colorado for several years.

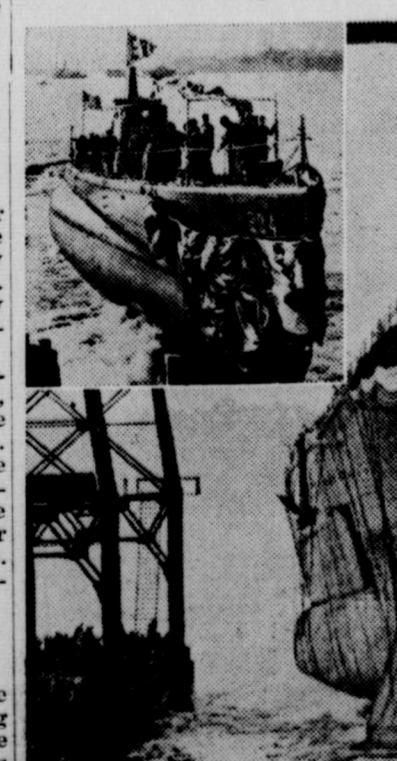
Former Residents Who Registered During Celebration

The list includes names of former residents who lived here in the early history of the county and are now living in various places in the United States, registered here during the Jubilee:

Mrs. Fannie Wisdom-Matthews, Clovis, N. M.; Robert Ford, Springfield, Mo.; Mrs. Bessie Raney-Rexrode, Lockney; Mrs. Tom Adams, Quanah; Mrs. Mack Scott, Acme; Alonzo Bain, Dallas; Mrs. Juliet Harper, Durant, Okla.; Dempsey Wright, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark, Denton; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lawrence, Spur; H. W. Norwood, Vernon; Mrs. Cassie Dockins-Schievers, Clarksville; Mrs. A. M. Bryson, Mineral Wells; Mrs. H. F. Chandler, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Bill Barrett, Paducah; Mrs. Ora Benson-Thurston, Denver, Colo.; Frank McNair, Delhi, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Glover Jr., Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Womack, Dallas; A. L. Cox, Vernon; Arthur Compere, Roswell, N. M.; Mrs. Onabelle Roberts, Dunn, Elida, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barkley, Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hightower, Farwell; Mrs. Nena McGill-Taylor, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grimm, Oklahoma City; W. B. Vantine, Quanah; Mrs. Stator Adams, Rankin; Mrs. Fay Bond, Matador; Mrs. Daisy Crosnoe-Walker, Galveston; Mrs. A. J. Duffey, Vernon; J. D. T. E. and W. B. Carter, Carter, Okla.; Ray Thomas, Vernon; Mrs. Dick Butts, Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wesley, Iowa Park; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Seale, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryson, Palo Pinto; Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Tell; Mrs. Rex C. Starrett, Christineburg. (Continued on Page Four)

More Might for Uncle Sam's Navy



Two powerful fighting ships will be commissioned on May 15, when the 253-foot submarine Nackerel (upper left), and the 35,000-ton super-dreadnaught Washington (below), are placed in service. The Washington will join her sister ship, the North Carolina, which was commissioned last month. Four other battleships will be launched within a year.

Applications for CCC Enrollment to Be Taken for May Quota

There will be another CCC enrollment the last week in May, according to an announcement made by Mrs. R. S. Carroll this week. Those desiring to enroll should make application at once, so as to be included in the May quota.

Former enrollees who have been out of camp as long as three months, and whose discharge is such that they can enroll, are eligible to apply.

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NEW CAR REGISTRATION

The following new automobile was registered in the office of the tax assessor-collector during the past week:

Bob A. Lilly, Ford tudor.

Three True Bills Returned Monday By Grand Jury

Trial of Criminal Jury Cases Opens Monday Morning

The second week of the 46th Judicial District court in Foard County will be opened in Crowell on Monday, May 12, with the trial of felony cases.

The men who have been impaneled for petit jury service during this week are to report at the court house at 10 o'clock Monday morning, and are as follows:

G. T. Lanier, Tom Lawson, Lois Lambert, S. C. Kuehn, Roy Owenby, T. V. Ranson, W. R. Ferguson, G. T. Thompson Jr., G. W. Ross, E. C. King, Lee Black, A. T. Beazley, Roy C. Hoffman, O. M. Gentry, Fred Gibson, E. H. Scales, Q. V. Winningham, Ray Hysinger, George Reithmayer, Claude Orr, Jeff Bruce, O. R. Bowman, J. B. Rasberry Jr., M. M. Welch, Norman Gray, Hubert Brown, M. F. Hunter, E. G. Morgan, C. T. Murphy, Warren Everson, W. A. Dunn, J. P. Davidson, H. E. Gloyna, Archie Campbell, C. R. Bryson, Floyd Thomas.

Foard Scouts Will Attend Camporee in Vernon Today

Boy Scouts of the Foard County district will take part in the 1941 Northwest Texas Council Camporee to be held in Vernon at the athletic field today and tomorrow, May 9-10. The Camporee is sponsored by the Vernon Junior Chamber of Commerce. Members of Troops 49 and 53, with their Scout Masters, G. T. Lanier and Ernest Patton, will attend the camp from Crowell.

Other cities which will be represented will be Childress, Quanah, Paducah, Munday, Vernon, Thalia, Rayland, Chillicothe, Electra, Seymour, Olney, Nocona, Burkburnett, Wichita Falls and Henrietta.

W. A. Cogdell, C. P. Sandifer Buy Defense Bonds

W. A. Cogdell was the first person in Crowell to purchase a defense bond and C. P. Sandifer was the first to buy a \$1,000 defense bond, according to information released by Postmaster Alva Spencer.

Both Mr. Cogdell and Mr. Sandifer bought their bonds during the first day that they were offered for sale which was Thursday, May 1.

Funeral for E. L. Witty Held in Vernon Sunday Afternoon

Many Crowell Masons attended the funeral of E. L. Witty, 85, Vernon pioneer, which was held at the First Methodist Church in Vernon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. Finis A. Crutchfield. The Vernon Knights Templar provided an escort from the church to East View Memorial Park and members of the Blue Lodge conducted a Masonic service at the grave.

Mr. Witty died in a Vernon hospital Friday afternoon. He became a resident of Vernon many years ago at which time he taught school. He was the first county school superintendent and for a long period of years had been actively engaged in the fire insurance business. He was an ardent lover of Masonry and had been active in all its branches during his long residence in Vernon. He served for many years as chaplain of the Vernon Commandery.

Richard R. Blythe Fatally Injured in Airplane Accident

Richard R. Blythe, 42, brother-in-law of Mrs. T. N. Bell of Crowell and World War flier who volunteered for service with the Royal Canadian Air Force for the European war, died Friday from injuries sustained in the crash of a training plane near McQueen, Ontario, Canada, Thursday.

At his death, Blythe was a temporary sergeant instructor and in addition delivered bombers to England. He returned from his fifth trip across the Atlantic at 2 p. m. Saturday, April 26.

A native of Windsor, Canada, Mr. Blythe married Miss Marie Rialler in New York and came to Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Blythe visited in Crowell many times and he was well known here. They operated an insurance business in Lubbock for several months.

In November he returned to Canada and volunteered for service either in Canada or England. During the World War, he was a major and participated in aerial duty at the front. Aviation was his life's work except for the nine months he spent in Texas. The body was cremated in Ottawa, Canada, at 1 p. m. Saturday.

Mrs. Blythe left Dallas last Thursday night by plane and arrived in McQueen Friday afternoon.

Survivors besides his wife are a brother, Robert Blythe, Menlo Park, Calif., and a sister in Canada.

Heavy Rains and Hail Cause Widespread Damage; Rayland, Foard City Crops Hardest Hit

Baccalaureate Services for Members of Crowell High School Senior Class To Be Held At Methodist Church Sun.

Foard County received heavy rains and some hail last Friday, Saturday and Sunday with a total of 4.37 inches being recorded at the Crowell State Bank while as high as 8 and 10 inches were reported in various sections of the county.

Rain started falling in Crowell about 11 o'clock Friday morning and continued into the night. Three and five-tenths inches of water were recorded here Saturday morning. Rain which fell Saturday measured at .55 of an inch and .32 of an inch was registered Sunday.

Damages Cropped

The rains, accompanied by hail on Sunday, caused damage to the crops of the county with the greatest damage being reported in the Rayland and Foard City communities. At Rayland, all of the growing crops were said to have been ruined while at Foard City some farmers placed their wheat loss by hail as high as 50 per cent. All crops of the county were said to have been damaged to a small extent because of too much moisture which is causing rust to appear in the fields, however, wheat men believe that the rust will not cause any serious damage. A lot of wheat near Thalia was blown down by high winds last week, but is straightening up.

Bridge Washed Out

The temporary bridge over the Wichita River south of Crowell, which was erected when the reconstruction of the old bridge was started several weeks ago, was washed out after the rain Friday afternoon and since then south-bound traffic through Crowell has been detoured through Vernon and Paducah, however, for several days the Vernon-Seymour road was under water and the only open road to the south was through Paducah. The Wichita (Continued on Last Page)

Senior Class Roll

Murrell Diggs, Joe Wallace Beverly, Richard Bird, Billy Klepper, Wayne Cobb, Daniel Brisco, Harvey Crossnoe, Duane Capps, Milton Evans, Ralph Flesher, Billy Jo Stephens, Charles Davis, Stanley Sanders, A. Y. Olds, J. M. Hill, Wilburn Davidson.

Lois Pickett, Beverly Hughton, Doris Campbell, Lola Mae Donaldson, Edna Brisco, L. B. Whitfield, Iva Mae Bradford, Fay Griffin, Bette Kimsey, Frances Garrett, Billy Kline, Reed Sanders, Syble Russell, Pauline Adams, Dorene Gibson, Maxine Johnson.

Elsie Vecera, Lou Martin, Marjorie Pechacek, Yvonne Weaver, Frances Haseloff, Anita Wesley, Audra Starnes, Anita Trawcek, Iva Ruth Gafford, Leota Murphy, Wilma Nichols.

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City Street Improving

The Federal money which is available for the improvement of the streets in Crowell through a WPA project will not be available much longer. In July this money will be transferred to some other place, unless the street project is opened here. We must have at least two blocks taking off from other improved streets before the government will approve the reopening of this project. Those wanting street improvements please report to Mayor C. T. Schlagal, or Aldermen J. R. Beverly or E. G. Spears. Please do this at once because there isn't much time left. This will probably be the last call because we will not have time to get the project through unless something is done at once.

C. T. SCHLAGAL,
Mayor, City of Crowell, Texas.

INFANT DIES

Funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers were held at the Womack Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. Don Culbertson of Margaret officiating.

The baby was born last Thursday night in the Foard County Hospital and died Saturday night. Burial was in the Crowell cemetery.

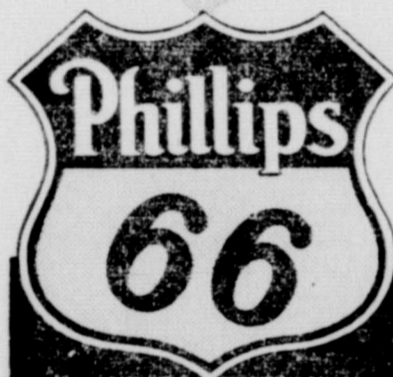
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Items from Neighboring Communities

VIVIAN
(By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beatty and son, Jacques, and daughter, Paula Faye, of Muleshoe spent from Monday until Thursday visiting Mr. Beatty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty Sr., and attended the Jubilee on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berny Fish and son, Jimmie, and daughters, Doretha Louise and Berny Ann, spent the first part of last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish, of Paducah.

Miss Bernice Walling spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walling of Ozden.

Hughes Fish returned to Lubbock Tuesday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish, and attending the Jubilee on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren and small son, Dwan, and Mr. Boren's mother, Mrs. M. E. Boren, Mrs. Elmo Hudgens and daughter, Ramona, of Pampa visited Mrs. Boren's and Mrs. Hudgens' parents a few days last week and attended the Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keller of Skellytown returned home Tuesday after spending a few days with her sisters, Mrs. Egbert Fish and Mrs. B. W. Matthews.

Cecil Davidson went to Paducah Thursday to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. Walter Simpkins, and family.

Around 8 to 10 inches of rain has fallen in this community the past week.

MARGARET
(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dunn and children, Junior, Kenneth, Shirley and Betty Jo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley of Vivian Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore went to Lorenzo on a business and pleasure trip Sunday.

Will Dunn and son of Orange visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dunn several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing of Wichita Falls spent Sunday night of last week with his brother, Jim

Ewing, and wife, and attended the Jubilee at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. King Ray of Dallas are visiting her mother and other relatives.

Miss Anita Wesley of Riverside is visiting Misses Opal and Ruby Priest while the roads are bad, caused from the unusual amount of rain which has fallen the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts of Iowa Park spent Sunday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest and Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Curlee of Crowell and attended the Golden Jubilee at Crowell.

John Warren and sister, May, of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr Monday and Tuesday of last week and attended the Jubilee.

Miss Billie Kline spent from Thursday until Saturday visiting in Wichita Falls.

Orval Bledsoe of El Paso came Saturday for a 10-day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Bledsoe.

Edgar Lee Smith, Hubert Smith and Cecil Short of Brownwood spent from Saturday until Monday with homefolks.

William Whitley of Crowell, Charlie Hinkle, Jim Choat and Leslie Dunn spent from Wednesday until Friday fishing at Lake Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysinger and children, Laverne and Wanda Fay, of Olton spent from Sunday until Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hysinger, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook and other relatives.

L. S. and J. D. Bledsoe left Monday for Dallas to stand examination for the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wozercraft of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith from Sunday until Tuesday and attended the Jubilee at Crowell.

Alvin Hysinger and family of Olton visited relatives here from Friday until Wednesday of last week.

Frank Priest, who is employed at Wichita Falls, spent from Thursday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest.

Buddy Shaw of Riverside spent

Friday night with friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jake Middlebrook and little son, Baxter, of Marfa came Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook.

Mrs. Ona Belle Roberts of Eldon, N. M., is visiting her father, W. T. Dunn, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Reinhardt of Los Angeles are visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Fry, and other relatives.

Robert Choat of Dickens spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choat.

Valmer Bond and family of Colorado spent Monday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bond.

Mathew Bledsoe has returned to his home in Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit with relatives here. Mildred and John Young Bradford of Riverside are staying with their grandmother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford, while the roads are bad.

Several bridges have been washed out and fences are washed away on the streams in the surrounding community caused by the heavy rains the past few days.

Misses Opal Priest and Leota Murphy spent from Thursday until Monday of last week visiting relatives in Vernon. A party was given in their honor while there and they report a splendid time.

RAYLAND
(By J. C. Davis)

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp visited relatives in Dallas Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Mary Tom Anderson of Sweetwater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark, and family over the week-end.

Prof. and Mrs. T. M. Moore of Littlefield spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Tooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers, of Vernon Sunday night.

Mrs. Ora Blanton and Mrs. Margie Lassiter of Vernon visited their father, J. C. Davis, Wednesday.

Approximately 9 inches of rain fell here last week. Monday morning and Tuesday morning rain fell. Then Tuesday night 2 1/2 inches of rain and the ground was covered with hail which damaged thousands of dollars worth of crops. Friday at 9:30 a. m. rain began falling and fell for 13 hours. The ditch from here to the river was washed into a canyon at the river. The canyon is about 30 feet deep and 100 yards long and 40 feet wide. All the concrete and rocks are gone. There was no land here in town that was not covered by water from 4 to 20 inches deep. Fields and crops were washed badly by the flood. Approximately 500 people visited this scene during Saturday and Sunday. Yesterday, Sunday, the ground was again covered with hail ranging in size from one-fourth inch to as large as hen eggs. The water Friday evening was about 2 inches deep in "Uncle" Tom Davis' house and running under J. C. Davis' house. The damage done by flood and hail was great, almost every growing crop was ruined.

RIVERSIDE
(By Bonnie Schroeder)

The faculty and senior class of the Five-in-One High School were entertained with a party in the home of Bonnie Schroeder in the Riverside community Wednesday evening. A green and gold color

scheme was used in appointments and in the refreshment plate. Various contests were held during the evening and a prize was awarded to the "gold" contestants.

Refreshments were served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Ira V. Younger, J. M. Boswell, Henry C. Teague, Dan Burns, Ira Tolo, Misses Ha Scott and Lillie Southernland, Mrs. Oma Fuston and Dave Biggers; Misses Linda Light, Geneva Glovna, Lavoy Burke, Mona Self, Meyrul Burlsmith, Frances Lawson, Messrs. T. F. Lambert, Ray Price, James Ross Jr., Robert Keischnick, A. J. Lambert, Edward Streit, Jack Williams and Carl Lawson.

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Bon Bradford spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting at Norman and other points in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Fred Gibson returned home Tuesday from Lamesa where she attended the funeral of her mother.

Mrs. Bob Huntley and daughter, Floy, and Mrs. Fred Schutte of Vernon visited in the Cap Adkins home Sunday afternoon.

Bonnie Schroeder visited in Craterville Park, Okla., Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Templen, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis, Leonard Owens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy, and Douglas and Mary Evelyn Adkins were among those from this community who attended the funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Janice Ward entered the Rural School Senior declamation contest in the annual interscholastic league meet in Austin last week-end. She was accompanied to Austin by her father, Tom Ward.

BLACK
(Dorothy Hall)

Joe Tom Weddle and Buster Simpson of Hereford visited Doris Gentry a while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and small son, Herman Duane, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jones, of Crowell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall and family accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Weaver Roberts, of Quannah home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holloway of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. Holloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holloway, Sunday night.

J. P. Ballew of Cromwell, Okla., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wallace Sunday.

Doc McKewen returned home Friday week. He has been working on a ranch near San Antonio.

Jake Hauk of Crowell spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holloway and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols spent last Sunday with Mrs. Nichols' sister, Mrs. Frank Moore, of Crowell.

Two Minute Sermon
(By Thomas Hastwell)

Finding God: Some years ago I read the story "The Lost Horizon." In it the central figure spent several years of his life searching for his goal of eternal content and satisfaction, this goal,

the writer of the story chose to call the Shangri-la. Many men and women too, like the character in the story searching for his Shangri-la, spend their lives searching for God. They never reach the point where they feel within themselves that they have found Him, where they have a consciousness of possession of Him. The reason perhaps so many fail in this quest is that they do not know how to search. They start out with the thought that God may be called upon to help them accomplish their own selfish plans whatever they may be. They seek to use God as the ladder by which they may climb to their aims and desires and goals. This, in my opinion, is not the manner in which the search for God should be conducted by the individual. Rather than appeal to God to help them accomplish things in their own way they should appeal to God that He reveal to them His plan for their lives. The secret is, not how much God is going to lend himself to the accomplishment of man's aims, but how far will man go in co-operating with God's will. Along this course will man come nearest to finding God.

The fluid drive is being applied to marine engines in ships. In engines of this type it supplies a long felt need. When a ship encounters a severe storm the tossing of the ship lifts the propellers free of the water at frequent intervals causing the engines to race, and resulting in great strain upon them. The fluid drive device serves to cushion this strain. A fluid drive for an automobile



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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. In what state is the known as the Everglades located?
 2. The name of what organization is designated by the letters C. I. O.
 3. The name of what organization is designated by the letters A. F. of L.?
 4. In what round did the free stop the fight between Louis and Tony Musto?
 5. In what country is the Addis Ababa located?
 6. For what is Tony Gable known in the news?
 7. For what is Don Byrd known in the news?
 8. What European country shaped like a boot?
 9. For what is Virginia G. known in the news?
 10. For what is Alice M. known in the news?
- (Answers on page 3).



Rep. Lyndon Johnson at work on American defense problems House Naval Affairs Committee

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Knows**

From actual work in Washington on American defense problems the acute necessity of—

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You can't possibly get 100% value by accepting a LESSER NUMBER OF FEATURES than Chevrolet gives you in a car!

Items from Neighboring Communities

FOARD CITY

Mrs. Hughston McLain visited in Truscott last Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lefevre of Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lefevre of Vernon spent last Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. E. V. Halbert and attended the Golden Jubilee in Crowell.

Jeff Shook, and daughter, Shirley, of Gracemont, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Dock Borchardt and son, Wayne, visited Mrs. Borchardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shannon, and family in Vernon last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dodd of Melrose, N. M., visited friends in this community last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dodd are former residents here.

Joe McLain of Anna visited his mother, Mrs. P. E. McLain, and Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and son, Jackie, of Tahoka enjoyed a visit with Jack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch, last week and attended the Golden Jubilee in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lilly came home last week from New Mexico where Mr. Lilly has been working.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Whitby and daughter, Jean, visited Mrs. Ruth Marts and children, C. J. and Helen Ruth, in Crowell Sunday evening.

C. W. Shepherd of Vernon spent last Sunday night with his daughter, Mrs. M. N. Morris, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Autrey and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Solomon of Gambelville. Mrs. P. H. Autrey, who had visited there for several weeks, returned home with her son, and will visit him and his family during the summer.

G. M. Eubank of Lubbock, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. Weatherall and family, attended the Golden Jubilee in

Crowell and reported enjoying it and seeing all the old-timers. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Taylor of Gainesville visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Autrey and family last Thursday night.

This community received about 6 inches of rain over the past week-end and several acres of wheat and oats were ruined, also several farmers lost their tanks. The big lake of water here at Foard City built by the PWA and volunteer workers in 1934 and called the City Lake here, was overflowed last Friday and the dam gave way and it was ruined. During the dry summer months when tanks and cisterns are dry people depended on it for water supply. Some farmers east of Foard City reported a 50 per cent loss by hail storm Sunday afternoon.

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parker of Dill, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. J. F. Matthews, and family here a while last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson of Levelland visited his father, J. G. Thompson, and other relatives here and attended the Golden Jubilee in Crowell last week.

Mrs. C. H. Wood accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Rex Snowden, to Winsboro Tuesday and visited there a few days last week.

M. E. Adkins of Amarillo visited his uncle, M. C. Adkins, and wife here Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dono Day of Ro-

tan visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones, here last week-end.

Mrs. J. M. Jackson and sons, Roger and David, visited relatives in Fort Worth a few days last week.

Miss Anna Lucy Bray visited friends here a few days last week. Floyd Wisdom underwent an appendix operation in a Vernon hospital Saturday night.

Mrs. Mack Edens and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble returned home Saturday from several days' visit with Mrs. W. S. Tarver in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Snowden of Winsboro visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, here Thursday night.

Lonnie Johnson of Tahoka visited relatives here and attended the Golden Jubilee celebration in Crowell last week.

W. A. Jones and family of Crowell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones, here Sunday.

George Ingle of Clayton, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey a while Tuesday.

Robert Long left one day last week for a business visit to Canada.

Miss Jo Davis of Sweetwater visited Miss Bettye Miller a while last week.

Edward Shultz returned home Saturday from Ranchester, Wyo., where he has been stationed in the CCC camp the last few months.

The baccalaureate service for Senior class will be in the High

School auditorium Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins accompanied M. S. Henry of Crowell to Carrollton Sunday where they attended funeral services of their brother-in-law, W. L. Waggoner.

Miss Bettye Miller visited Miss Floy Huntley in Vernon last week-end.

Lee Shultz and family of Lakey are visiting their son, Roy Shultz, and wife and their daughter, Mrs. Eudale Oliver, and family here this week.

Miss Floy Huntley and Bobbie Huntley of Vernon visited here a while Monday afternoon.

Rev. T. J. DuBose and family were called to Wichita Falls Monday on account of the illness of Mrs. DuBose's mother.

A large number from here went to Lake Kemp fishing last week-end.

Miss Sidney Swan, who is working in the hospital in Crowell, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan, here last week-end.

There will be a Mother's Day program at the Methodist Church Sunday morning to begin at 11 o'clock to take the place of the preaching hour.

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. Florida. 2. Council of Industrial Organization. 3. American Federation of Labor. 4. Ninth.

- 5. Ethiopia. 6. He is a heavyweight prize fighter. 7. He is a professional tennis player. 8. Italy. 9. He is editor of a Fascist newspaper and the government official spokesman. 10. As an expert tennis player.

Your Horoscope

May 4, 5, 6, 7.—Imagination sometimes rules your better judgment. You like to appear well dressed in public but are somewhat sloppy at home. You are interested in the fine arts as music, poetry, etc. You like harmonious surroundings. You are impetuous and always carry a chip on your shoulder, looking for a fight. You get little sympathy when you run against snags through your own wilfulness.

May 3, 9, 10.—You are shrewd, bold and stubborn and at times hard to please. You are a splendid mathematician and look well before you move. You are very critical of the mistakes of others and an abrupt manner is an ugly fault of yours. You have some fine traits but you are well aware of them. You are affectionate and pleasure loving. You strive to live among beautiful things and love music, poetry and art. You are strong in your likes as well as your dislikes.

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OBSERVATIONS AT AUSTIN

The News is in receipt of the following statement from Senator George Moffett, of this district, concerning affairs at Austin: "The current session of the Legislature," stated Senator Moffett, "has probably done more hard work than any recent session. The emergency through which we are passing naturally brings about a need for considerable new legislation. For example, the matter of airports and the various auxiliary facilities in connection therewith, has brought about a definite need for several new laws concerning the financing, construction, and operation of airports by cities and counties. Since air transportation is undoubtedly going to expand still further, these laws will, of course, have a permanent value.

"After some delay, the Legislature has passed a tax bill scheduled to raise around \$25,000,000 annually for social security. About half of this new money will come from increased taxes on oil, sulphur and natural gas which will pay considerably more than they have been. An increase has also been levied on utilities, corporation franchises, and transfer of stock certificates. The part about this new tax bill to which I seriously and earnestly object is the tax on used automobiles. It has long been customary to place a tax on new automobiles, but I have always thought, and still think, that when an article has been taxed once as a new article, that it is improper and unwise to tax the same article several times more when it changes hands as a used article, but that is exactly what the new tax bill does with reference to used automobiles. I voted against this part of the tax bill with all the emphasis that I could command, but I was badly outvoted.

"This session of the Legislature will probably adjourn in less than a month, as most of its work has been finished. Most of the members will be glad to get home. Some few of the younger members plan to go to the Army, while most of the others will return to pick up the threads of their affairs where they left them nearly five months ago."

Johnson Calls For Solid Backing For Roosevelt

Senate Candidate Has Roaring Opening, Hits Campaign Trail Hard

Austin.—With a rousing campaign opening speech behind him, energetic, fast-moving Cong. Lyndon Johnson, this week had his whirlwind tour of the state to meet supporters and campaign workers.

Johnson opened his campaign Saturday night at San Marcos before a crowd of thousands that time after time roared full-throated approval of his firm stand for unity of all Americans behind President Roosevelt in the current grave international crisis.

From every section of the state a his opening came friends—new ones and old ones—to San Marcos, where in his college days Johnson worked at jobs from janitor to secretary to the college president to pay for his education.

Among them was Federal Judge James V. Allred, former governor and an old friend of Johnson, and Mrs. Allred, once his classmate.

Speakers from the five major sections of Texas bespoke the support of their areas for Johnson and their faith that his experience and dependability in the national congress would carry him to victory.

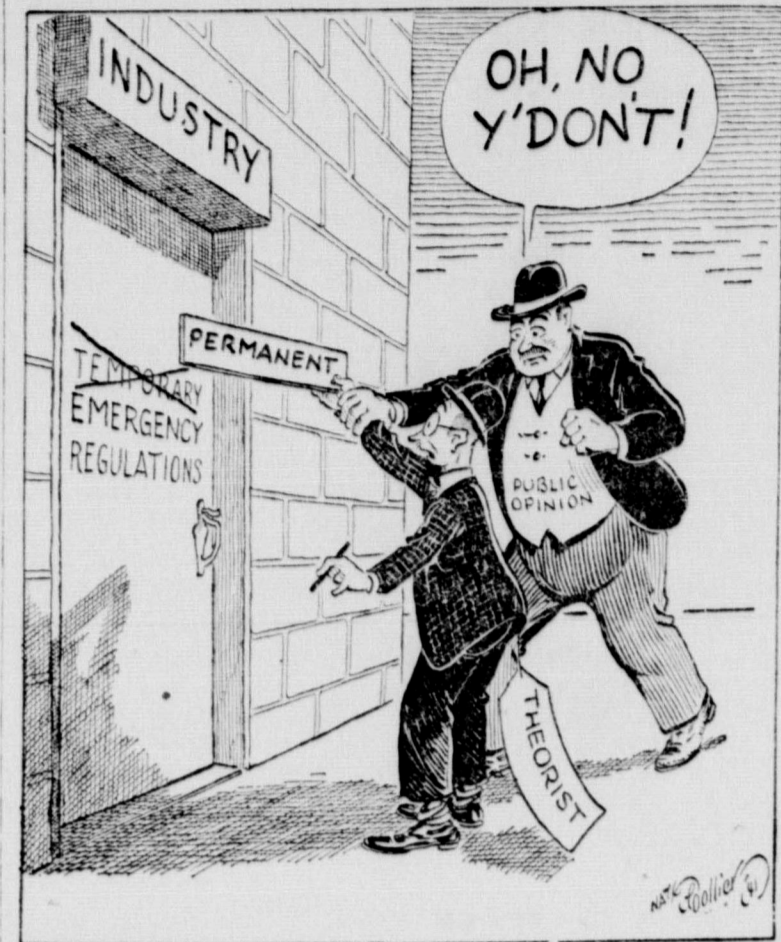
They were Dr. J. T. Harrington of Waco, chairman of the board of Baylor University and noted Texas physician; Mike Anglin of Longview, East Texas attorney; Frank Wilson of Dallas; Lloyd Croslin of Lubbock, and County Judge Roy Hofheinz of Harris County, who also acted as master of ceremonies.

From the piles of telegrams pledging Johnson support were ones from Clara Driscoll, national democratic committeewoman, and Myron G. Blaylock, national democratic committeeman from Texas.

JUBILEE COMMENT

Foard County and Crowell are 50 years old, and the anniversary has been appropriately observed this week. It rained, of course, but nothing like that could defeat the indomitable purpose of this resourceful people, and the celebration was a hilarious success, in spite of all obstacles. And Crowell has had a valuable experience in putting the thing over. A big caravan of cars was in Seymour last week, with costumed occupants spreading the tidings to neighbors round about. Each person in Crowell has constituted himself as a committee of one to see that nothing was left undone toward the success of this celebration. The Foard County News got out a 24-page illustrated edition, which told many things about the town and county, much of which very likely had not been known by even the inhabitants there. Foard county just proved it was everything we thought it was when it put on that show. And it will be a still better place for having fitly observed its 50th anniversary.—Seymour Banner.

IT SHAN'T HAPPEN HERE!



Registered—

- (Continued from Page 1) G. B. Sullivan, Vernon; Mrs. Lida Compere-Blankenship, El Paso; Mrs. Mattie Beverly-Hutchison, Covina, Calif. R. A. Wells, Dalhart; Mrs. R. K. Thomas, Lewisville; Bud Garrett, Oklahoma; Walter Taylor, Iowa Park; Chas. S. Inman, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wiggins and Austin Wiggins Jr., Anheist; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wells, Dalhart; Dink Woods, Paducah; Mrs. Carrie Moore-Brunson, Dallas; Mrs. W. J. D. Moore, Dallas; A. L. O'Neal, Seminole; H. T. Rader, Knox City; Mrs. J. M. Garrett, Harold; E. H. Thomas, Frisco; C. O. Patton, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakemore, Childress; Mrs. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Clayton, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clifford, Childress; Lee Shirley, Princeton, Ill.; A. F. Blakemore, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper, Sweetwater; A. B. Hays, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Roberts, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Fannie Womack-Kimsey, Fort Worth; Lydia Ferebee-Wilkinson, Paducah; J. C. Roberts, Iowa Park; Glenn Shultz, Anadarko, Okla.; Mrs. Lelia Patton-Terrill, Norman, Okla.; Mrs. W. B. Stubbs, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Raney, Headley; Mrs. W. P. Hunter, Abilene; Mrs. Lola McKown, Altus, Okla.; Mrs. Bessie Gribble, Vernon; Mrs. L. D. Harris, Raton, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pittillo, Littlefield; J. M. Patton, Pampa; Jack Standlee, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, Dalhart; Mrs. Bonnie Brothers, Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Counts, Eury, Breckenridge; E. O. Patton, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Thompson, Loveland; Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Jones, Ralls; Omega Standlee, Vernon. Howell Hallmark, Hobbs, N. M.; Luther B. White, Montrose, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross, Willow, Okla.; Mattie Kelly, Handley; Opal Barry Henderson, Wichita Falls; Annie Barry-Bell, Wichita Falls; Ethel Warren, Littlefield; J. T. Wyatt, Seminole; E. T. Standlee, Munday; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Womack, Dallas; Mrs. M. L. Bird, Vernon; Mrs. Tom Davis, Ralls; Mrs. Raymond Oliver, Knox City; Caley Jobe, Munday; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coffman, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. Ella Lawson, Paducah; Mrs. Charleie Ribble-Wyatt, Oklahoma City; Carl Ivie, Denver, Colo.; J. H. Thomson, Delwin; Markham Spencer, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klepper, Los Angeles, Calif.; W. L. Whitley, Whitesboro; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gamble, Chillicothe; Frank Moore, McLean; Mrs. Marion Ryder-Glover, Gilliland; Mrs. Bill Rasor-Ball, Dallas; Andy Shook, Gracemont, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hayes, El Dorado, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Norman, Lorenzo; C. L. Nicholson, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Shirley, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sansbury, Durant, Okla.; Doris Oswald, Vernon; Mrs. Jewell Norman, Dougherty; Mrs. Jack Meason, Roaring Springs; Mrs. Frank Moore, McLean; Mrs. John Shirley-Nichols, Roaring Springs; Mrs. W. R. Myers, Truscott. Mrs. Della Compere-Nichols, Spur; Maye Randolph, Wichita Falls; Earl Wilson, Amarillo; Mrs. R. R. Jones, Monahan; Mrs. Bert Blanton, Vernon; Marjorie Davis, Vernon; Owen McLarty, Vernon; Ray Burns, Denton; Paul J. Merrill, Henrietta; Burnace Monous, Ina, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whited, Hollis, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Dickerson, Quannah; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shirley, Wichita Falls; O. O. Roberts, Fort Worth; Mrs. L. M. Capps, Vernon; Jewell Bentley, McKinney; Frank Bentley, McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thomas, Alma Thomas-Douglas, Claude Thomas, Clovis, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, Vernon; Maude Lee Hughes, Dorothy Ford, Springfield, Mo.; Mrs. R. M. Hudson, Vernon; Mrs. W. W. Griffith, Lamesa; Mrs. Jack Standlee, Vernon; Ida Loyd Reynolds, Childress; Mrs. R. D. Oswald, Vernon; Mrs. Ida Durham, Sweetwater; Mrs. M. T. Bagley, Vernon; Gene Reynolds, Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Stan Westbrock, Truscott; Mrs. John B. Vannoy, McLean; Mrs. J. H. Eubank, Lubbock; Lem Roberts, Amistad, N. M.; L. C. Johnson, Tahoka; Miss Bess Edwards, Lubbock; Mrs. Gladys Thomson-Boykin, W. B.

CEMETERY REPORT

Following is the latest cemetery report of contributions for the new sexton's house and cemetery upkeep as was released Wednesday by Mrs. N. J. Roberts, president of the Crowell Cemetery Association:

- Those listed below contributed to the sexton's house fund: Mrs. Reid Williams, Denver \$2.00; Mrs. Lewis Wilson, Quannah, 1.00; Mrs. Allen Fish, 2.00; Mrs. Lacy Fish, 1.00; Mrs. H. W. Norwood, Vernon 2.00; Mrs. E. C. Maxwell, 1.00; Ola, Ark. Mrs. Nora Boardman, 50; J. H. Thomson, Delwin, 2.50; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis, 25.00; Mrs. D. E. Thomson, 2.00; Mrs. Sam Crews, 1.00; Mrs. S. S. Shanklin, 1.00; Rock Springs, 5.00; Mrs. E. P. Bomar, 2.00; Mrs. Buck Propps, 5.00; Benjamin, 5.00; J. C. Jones, 2.00; Mrs. J. C. Calvin, 5.00; Mrs. J. C. Ferguson's and banquet, 15.54; A Friend, 2.00; A Friend, 5.00; Louis Kempf, 5.00. The following contributed to the upkeep of the cemetery: Mrs. M. M. Hanks, 10.00; Mrs. Odell Gibson, Hereford; Mrs. Una Self-Williams, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. J. J. Johnson (Marvin Daughtry), Sulphur Springs; Dennis Hairston, Quannah; T. J. Barnett, Electra; Mrs. Fred Burgess, Electra; Mrs. Hub Speck, Los Angeles, Calif.; Cary Alger, Vernon; Sid Collins, Vernon; Mrs. Frances Blakemore-Easley, Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Gafford, Electra; A. H. Ferguson, Willow, Okla.; G. H. Duffey, Quannah; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beaty, Quannah; Mrs. T. V. Elliott, Wink; Mrs. Roy Fox, Gilliland; Mrs. R. E. Dodd, Melrose, N. M.; P. L. Ribble, Vernon; Brown Franklin, Vernon; Mrs. E. E. Lefevre, Vernon; Mrs. P. D. Eubank, Vernon; G. M. Eubank, Lubbock; Mrs. J. J. Tyson, Lubbock; Mrs. J. C. Wozencraft, Clinton; Hugh McLain, Frisco. E. P. Worsham, Henrietta; Mrs. R. B. Sherrill, Vernon; W. T. McLain and Mrs. J. R. Berry, Fort Worth; W. W. Johnson, Chillicothe; Mrs. S. W. Burks, Sherman; Ruth Reinhardt-King, Olton; Dora Inman, Hereford; Clifton Hill, Paducah; Mrs. J. D. Mahoney, Quannah; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibson, Vernon; Charles A. Bruce, LaVeta, Colo.; Mrs. Guy Hill, Vernon; Mrs. I. A. Eubank, Lubbock; Mrs. G. L. Henderson, Vernon; Mrs. J. D. Dressback, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Sallie McLarty, Vernon; Georgia Moore, Vernon; Mrs. Luther Roberts, Dallas.

Additional Locals

J. S. Owens Jr., student of Decatur Baptist College in Decatur, is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens, of Margaret.

J. B. Harrison Jr. of Paducah has accepted a position in Ferguson Bros. drug store. He and his mother, Mrs. J. B. Harrison Sr., have moved to Crowell to make their home.

M. F. Crowell attended the state convention of the Modern Woodmen of the World in Houston last week, leaving here Tuesday afternoon following the Jubilee parade.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hutchinson and son, John Franklin, and Ruth Ann Wilson left Thursday for New London, Conn., for a visit with Mrs. Hutchinson's brother and Ruth Ann's father, George Dalton Wilson. They will be away for two weeks.

Mrs. Frank Hofues of Dallas, who was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson, for the past week, returned to her home Monday. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. T. B. Burrow, who will visit her for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson also had as guests for the celebration, another daughter, Mrs. H. W. Cotner, and two children of Altus and Miss Ruby Wilson of Amarillo.

Mrs. Sam Eubank of Dallas, who was here for the Jubilee, a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Laura Johnson, left day for Electra to visit her daughters, Mrs. Lonnie Eubank and Mrs. Pete Knott. Eubank left Foard County 35 years ago. She is a niece of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. non, pioneer residents of County.

Miss Vannoy talked on landscape improvement which was very interesting. Next meeting will be May 20 at the club house, with Mrs. Jack Stinebaugh, hostess.

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- PEAS, Cabro Garden No. 2 can 10c
- SPINACH, Sooner Grade No. 2 can 10c
- CATSUP, bottle, each 10c Pineapple, No. 2, crushed 15c

Pho. 72 LANIER'S Home of Good Eats

Locals

of good fishing tackle.—Womack.

and Mrs. Bob Lane of the visited in the home of Mrs. J. L. Kinchloe during Golden Jubilee.

J. E. Billings and son of N. M., are visiting in the home of Mrs. Billings' sister, Miss White, and family.

W. L. Thurston has returned home in Denver, after being here in the home of her G. A. Mitchell.

Annie Rettig returned to her home Thursday after visiting her parents, Mr. Ed Rettig.

O. T. Ball and son, Tom, were guests in the home of Mrs. F. A. Davis during Jubilee.

Ed Hays arrived in Crowdford for a visit with his Mrs. H. E. Hays, Gerald and the CCC camp at Crowdford.

and Mrs. Smith Tucker and children of Sayre, Okla., were in the home of Mr. Tucker, Mrs. M. N. Kenner, husband during the Jubilee.

Ma Jo Lovelady has returned from Wichita Falls where she took a business course and accepted a position in the shipping department of the Ford Chevrolet Co.

ests in the home of Mr. and J. D. Johnson during the Jubilee. Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Jearilla, N. M., Mr. Mrs. L. N. Johnson of Tell, M. Johnson and Mrs. Cazon of Amarillo.

G. Davis, Conoco agent, Gentry, Ike Wilson, Lake and Frank Fleisher attended meeting of Continental Oil dealers in Childress Tuesday. The meeting was held in the address Hotel where a banquet was served to the visitors. Ninety men of this section in attendance.

Mrs. Arnold Bracewell left today for Vedia to visit with her mother, Mrs. G. A. Miles.

Try a "crippled" hickory shad minnow plug. It gets the fish.—W. R. Womack.

Mildred Johnson returned to Dallas Wednesday after a ten-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verge Johnson.

A big 6 foot gas or Butane Electrolux refrigerator only \$186.50 installed.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. T. V. Elliott of Wink has returned to her home after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Schindler.

Ralph Cogdell has moved from Clovis, N. M., to Kutch, Colo., where he is agronomist for a soil conservation project.

The Safe-Tee-Ke grand gas range. The safest gas range. A key turns the gas from every burner.—W. R. Womack.

George Ingle of Mexhoma, N. M., was here to attend the Jubilee and visit his sister, Mrs. Sim Gamble. Mr. Ingle had not been here since 1926.

Ask to see the safest gas range, the Grand with the "Safe-Tee-Ke."—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. E. G. Bennett of Chicago, Ill., was a guest in the homes of her brothers, C. R., T. J. and H. E. Ferguson, and other relatives during the celebration.

Miss Dorothy Fleisher, a student in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleisher, during the Home-coming.

Our own Butane gas tank and truck will fill your underground system on call. Bring your cylinders for exchange.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lyon had as guests in their home during the Jubilee Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moncus of Ina, N. M. Mrs. Lyon and Mrs. Moncus are sisters and had not seen each other in 30 years. Another visitor in this home was Bernice Moncus, also of Ina. Mr. Lyon's brother, D. G. Lyon and wife, of Vernon were also here for the Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Morris were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney for the Jubilee.

Arthur Comper of Spur spent the three days of the celebration as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson.

Join our Fishing Club; catch that big bass or "cat;" get a nice prize.—W. R. Womack.

G. F. Brewer returned to Crowdford Tuesday of last week from Mineral Wells where he has been located for some time.

Mrs. Pearl Carter left Monday for a week's visit with her son, J. T. Carter, and family in Dalhart.

The very best Butane-Propane gas to be had, 100 pounds (20 cylinders)—W. R. Womack.

Jack Pullins, sheriff of Rockwall County, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup during the celebration. Mr. Pullins married a niece of Mrs. Canup.

Call us for tank gas. Our truck will be right out.—W. R. Womack.

M. S. Henry was called to Carrollton Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, W. L. Waggoner. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins of Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wright and little son, Jacob Julian, and Mrs. Laura Giddings of Vernon were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly a day and night of last week.

Our own Butane truck will come and fill your systems. Bring your cylinders to us.—W. R. Womack.

Lon Gaut and T. T. Thompson of Dodge City, Kansas, were visitors in the home of Mr. Gaut's daughter, Mrs. Herman Kinchloe, of Crowdford during the celebration last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Johnson and children of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and children of Plainview and Mrs. Annie Eubank of Odessa spent the week-end with Mrs. Laura Johnson and attended the Jubilee. Mrs. Eubank is Mrs. Johnson's sister.

Let us show you how you can cook, refrigerate, heat water and heat your home with an "Economy" Butane system. See our window now.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberts spent last week-end visiting relatives in Oklahoma City and Durant, Okla., and Bonham, Texas. En route to Durant they passed through Denison and viewed the big dam under construction.

The W. A. Cogdell family had as their guests during the Jubilee, Misses Lillian Buytard and Nancy Cogdell of Wichita, Kansas, Mrs. James Brothers and little son, Charlie Gus, of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cogdell and little daughter, Nancy Ann, and small son, Bob, of Paducah, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cogdell and Tinker Williams of Brownwood.

Mrs. Orville Hamilton of Rochester is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Atcheson.

Flowers for Mother's Day.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sansbury of Celera, Okla., visited their daughter, Mrs. Edward Brock, and family and attended the Jubilee.

Pot plants and flowers for Mother's Day.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lilly of Turkey spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lilly.

Mrs. Dovie Ferguson of Knox City visited her sister, Mrs. Ernest Anderson, during the first day of the celebration.

Place your order now for Mother's Day flowers.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Bun Johnson of Beauna Park, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Solomon during the early part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hightower of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barclay of Spearman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wells and son, Billy George, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley and other friends on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Electrolux gas or Butane gas refrigerators. No noise, no vibration, nothing to rattle or wear—last longer.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Woodrow Lemons has accepted a position in the Ice Cream Store on the north side of the square. Ray Davis is also a new employee in this new place of business.

P. M. Hinkle of Longworth, former resident of the Good Creek community, is here this week attending to business. Mr. Hinkle reports plenty of rain in his section.

Out-of-town guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Womack during the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLarty of Dallas, Mrs. H. L. Kinsey of Handley, and Mrs. Joe Frank Krizek of Littlefield.

Mrs. T. W. King and Mrs. Cassie Schievers of Clarksville were here for the Jubilee. Mrs. King visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Byron Davis, and Mrs. Schievers visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Deckins.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wiggins and son, Austin Jr., of Amherst, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norman and children of Dougherty were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks, during the Jubilee.

See our "Butane" window now. See a refrigerator, a Grand range, a Rheems hot water heater and a Dearborn heater, all these and other appliances can be used with a Butane system.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. John B. Vannoy of McLean was a guest of her daughter, Miss Joellene Vannoy Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, coming here also to attend the Golden Jubilee.

C. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moore and J. R. Moore of Dallas visited in the home of their son and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, during the Golden Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams and daughter, Willie Nelle, of Amarillo, were guests in the home of Mr. Williams' mother, Mrs. B. F. Ringgold, on Sunday before the celebration.

Mrs. C. A. Adams and Mrs. Patricia Kele of Austin were celebration visitors in Crowdford. Adams was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer and Mrs. Kele was the guest of Mrs. W. C. McKown.

Mrs. E. L. Yeats of Memphis returned to her home Wednesday after a visit here with her daughter, Miss Helen Yeats, in the home of W. F. Kirkpatrick and Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick, and other friends.

J. M. Patton of Pampa, C. O. and E. O. Patton of Dallas, Mrs. W. H. Terrell of Norman, Okla., and her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Stubbs, of Amarillo were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Patton and Mrs. T. S. Patton during the Jubilee.

Guests in the home of Mrs. N. A. Crowell for the Golden Jubilee were Mrs. Garland Burns and son, Ray, of Denton; Mrs. E. L. Stark and two daughters, Misses Carolyn and Winifred Anne, of Dallas; Mrs. Rose Crowell, Mrs. Beulah Gafford and Mrs. Frank Hayes of Wichita Falls.

Harold Groomer and sister, Miss Ada, left Tuesday morning for Hollywood, Calif., after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Groomer. Miss Groomer had been here for several months. They were accompanied by Mrs. Hub Speck of San Pedro, Calif., who came back to Texas with Mr. Groomer to attend the Golden Jubilee, and Miss Betty Stinebaugh, who went to California for a visit of a few weeks. Mr. Groomer expects to enter training in the U. S. Army within a short time.

Latest patterns Gold Seal rugs and yard goods.—W. R. Womack.

Ellis Gafford of Sulphur Springs was a guest in the home of Mrs. C. E. Gafford for the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McLaughlin for the Jubilee.

Just received some more of those \$3.95 rugs.—W. R. Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rucker had as their guest during the celebration, Mrs. Minnie Logan Woodall, of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Stults and two children of Andarko, Okla., were guests in the home of Mr. Stults' mother, Mrs. J. H. Stults, for the celebration.

Mrs. Clarence McKown of Altus, Okla., was a celebration guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Curtis Ribble, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. C. Walker left Saturday for her home in Galveston after attending the Jubilee and visiting her mother, Mrs. L. V. Crossnoe, and brothers, Dick, Eldon and Ernest.

Inlaid linoleum yard goods and Conoleum rugs.—W. R. Womack.

Mrs. Hines Clark spent a few days of last week in attendance upon the District meeting of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs at Amarillo and also visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Cumley, and family.

Miss Oma Floy McLain of Crowdford, a student in Draughon's Business College, Abilene, was one of the twenty-four highest ranking students whose names appeared on the honor roll of the college for the past term.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Duncan of Crowdford and Miss Minnie Johnson of Oklahoma City, Okla., left Monday for Long Beach, Calif., to visit Mrs. Duncan's mother, Mrs. Mary Parks, who has been ill since last December.

Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and Mrs. Grady Halbert attended the meeting of Seventh District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Amarillo last week. They were accompanied to Amarillo by Mrs. W. S. Douglas, who also attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Roark had as guests in their home during the days of the Jubilee, their son, Edward, from John Tarleton College at Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roark of Paducah, Mrs. George Johnson and Miss Vena Garrison of Paducah.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier for the Foard County Jubilee were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benedict, Mrs. A. E. Henson and Mr. Davis of Knox City, also Mrs. V. S. Castle of Littlefield.

J. N. Ribble has returned to Crowdford after visiting for about six months with relatives at Sweetwater, San Saba and Clovis, N. M. He visited a daughter at Sweetwater, a son at San Saba and his sister, Mrs. Lee Thomas, at Clovis. Mr. Ribble arrived at home in time to attend the Golden Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. Counts Ray, their children, Jack Harris and Betty Lou, and Mary Anne Burress of Breckenridge spent Sunday and Monday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Edwards. Mr. Ray's aunt, Mrs. Elton Young, spent the time in the home of her niece, Mrs. T. N. Bell, and family.

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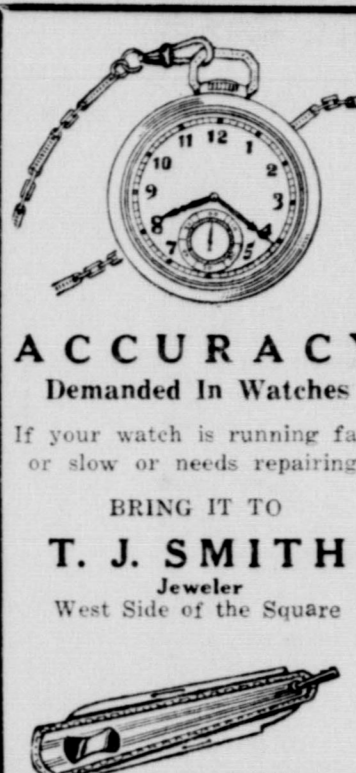
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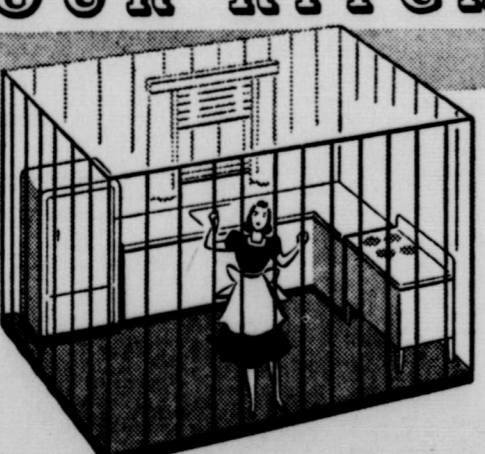
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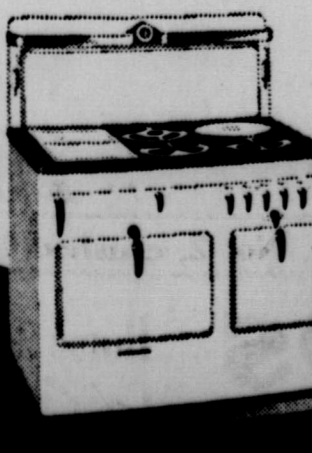


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No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams. 15-tfc

STATED MEETING

of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., May 12, 7:30 P. M., 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. J. A. STOVALL, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

I.O.O.F.

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Our Weekly Sermon

By Rev. George S. McCune, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

Jesus in the Midst
 Text: "Where they crucified him, and two others with him, on either side one, and Jesus in the midst."—John 19:18.

When the Roman soldiers at the crucifixion placed Jesus not merely in the middle, but in the central, the dominant place, they unconsciously came into agreement with the Christian fitness of things. For that is where we find Jesus Christ in every department of life and thought when things are in their proper balance.

Why ought Jesus to be in the midst of life? Our outward lives are determined and our external world is made by what is in the midst of us. Jesus said, "That which cometh out of the man, that defileth the man. For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts" and deeds. The philosopher Kant demonstrated that "mind makes nature," that what a man is in the midst of him determines what he sees and hears and feels in the world outside of him.

The most useful thing a man can do with his life is to make it good. The best thing that one can do for the place in which he is living is simply to be a good man and do his duty where he is placed. And he can do this only as Jesus Christ is in the midst of his life.

In Jesus Christ we have the strongest moral incentive to goodness. He was not put out of existence when He was crucified.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

May 12.—First marriage in Massachusetts Colony, 1621. Tammam Society founded, 1789.

May 13.—Jamestown, Virginia, settled under Captain John Smith, 1607. The American Bible Society was formally organized in New York, 1816.

May 14.—Lewis and Clark expedition to the Pacific, 1804. Fahrenheit, inventor of the thermometer, born, 1686.

May 15.—Airmail begun, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, 1918. Department of Agriculture established, 1862.

May 16.—Abraham Lincoln nominated for president, 1860. Coinage of "nickels" authorized by Congress, 1863.

May 17.—Postal money order act passed, 1864. Benjamin Franklin, died, 1790.

May 18.—Machine for making nails patented, 1824. Panama Canal was opened for regular barge traffic, 1914.

In her book, "I Was Winston Churchill's Private Secretary," Phyllis Moir gives some very interesting sidelights on this well known figure. According to this writer, Churchill is a hero to his secretaries though he works them very hard. He is a tireless, voluminous correspondent. He dictates all his letters and even his books. Before speaking a sentence out loud he whispers it to himself to test the sound of it. He often dictates from his bath tub through a half closed door. Though his clothes are pressed every day they always look rumpled. He smokes on an average of fifteen cigars a day. The 1940 crop of peanuts in the United States totaled 1,200,000,000 pounds.

Mescal Ike

By S. L. HUNTLEY

OUCH!
 'SMATTER?
 I JEST HIT MY CRAZY BONE!
 YEAH?
 TAKE OFF YOR HAT AN' LETS SEE

Spokane Turns Down Municipal Ownership of Electric Power

The rejection of public power by Spokane, Wash., located "in the shadow" of Grand Coulee Dam, looms as a vital factor in the forthcoming political campaign to sell West Texans on the socialistic plan for distribution of electric power generated at Possum Kingdom Dam through government agencies, according to news reports.

Spokane voters turned down municipal ownership of their electric distribution system by a thumping majority.

Although Spokane had enjoyed a boom-town prosperity for nearly 10 years as a result of Grand Coulee's construction, when given an opportunity to choose between political management and investor-owned utilities, the city's voters cast 26,609 "No's" on the question of going into the power business. In favor of the proposition were 17,279 votes.

Defeat of the proposal, according to Spokane newspapers, was due in large part to "the officious intervention of senators, congressmen, Secretary Ickes, and the Booneville brigade."

"There can be no question that the verdict on the principal issue, that of the ordinance to authorize establishment of a municipal power distributing system, represents the well-settled judgment of an impressive majority of Spokane citizens," said the Spokesman Review.

Strong condemnation of interference by Ickes and other public power proponents from as far away as Mississippi was voiced by both the Review and the Spokane Chronicle.

"... Congressmen and senators bombarded the city with letters, in franked envelopes, and they read long dissertations into the Congressional Record—all at public expense.... The propaganda for the most part is dished up by top notch news men who are paid high salaries to step into government propagandist roles. Bluntly, they are feeding the public propaganda for which the public pays.... Such Federal interference in municipal affairs threatens to submerge still further the foundation stone of American government—local autonomy," said the Chronicle.

"The spectacle of these outsiders meddling in a city election and trying to dictate how the citizens should vote on their local problems was strongly resented by a great number of voters," said a Review editorial. "Such interference would be unpardonable at any time, but it appeared preposterous at this particular time, when the nation is facing a grave crisis, that a cabinet officer and members of Congress should turn their attention from a world emergency involving the future destiny of the country to inject themselves into Spokane's municipal election. It is not surprising that their advice should have been spurned and their effrontery rebuked...."

Another answer to the question of why Spokane voted as it did was believed to be "found in the taxpaying and public service record" of the investor-owned service company. It was pointed out that the company "had been an integral part of the community from the time it was a sprawling country town" and had done much to help Spokane grow into a thriving city through payment of heavy taxes and because its management included men trained and experienced in the problem of providing good, cheap power and light.

The fact that a Congressman dominated the meeting at which Possum Kingdom's power output was contracted to government agencies, and that his threats of federal reprisals had some influence in the decision to sell the power to REA units instead of to the private companies for distribution snacks of the methods used by outsiders in Spokane.

In view of the action taken by Spokane voters to show their resentment against socialistic encroachment by federal agencies, it won't be surprising if West Texas towns likewise show their preference for the tax-paying, investor-owned utility when the time comes for disposing of Possum Kingdom's power output.

CHURCHES

Christian Science Church
 Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8:00 o'clock.

Sunday, May 11, 1941. Subject: "Adam and Fallen Man." The public is cordially invited.

East Side Church of Christ
 Each Lord's Day—Bible classes at 10 a. m. Worship service at 10:45 a. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

Mid-week Bible class each Wednesday evening.

Christian Science Services
 "Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 11.

The Golden Text is: "If by one man's offense death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ" (Romans 5:17).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "If that which ye have heard from the beginning shall remain in you, ye also shall continue in the Son, and in the Father. And this is the promise that he hath promised us, even eternal life" (1 John 2:24, 25).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is, always has been, and ever will be independent of matter; for Life is God, and man is the idea of God, not formed, materially but spiritually, and not subject to decay and dust" (page 200).

Methodist Church
 There are times when one feels like peeping out to see if the way is clear now that he may proceed. The rains that made all but impossible many services, other public interests that took precedence, and now we come to the closing of the school. All legitimate, but each claiming the right to time. When I get to be president we will take the twenty-four hours of the day, sub-divide them into two four hour days and two eight hour nights. There will be plenty of days and nights for all. Is our day too speedy or do some of us just need to do the "double-quick."

Sunday is Mother's Day and the morning services will be in keeping with special musical numbers in her honor. It adds so much to the observance of the day to wear a flower indicating as to whether your mother is still with you or has passed on. The red in honor of her presence, the white, in memory. Will you come to the services Sunday in respect and honor of your Mother.

The evening services will be under the auspices of the local High School. They have arranged the preliminaries and the message will be delivered in the honor of the Senior class. They have elected to hold this baccalaureate service in the Methodist Church. We will appreciate your presence and you will do the class the honor of lending your presence toward a crowded house.

We have in mind some very definite and helpful plans for our children and young people during

the vacation season. We appreciate the co-operation of city youth and adults. We must keep a plan thinking for God and man.

H. A. LONGNEAR

Senior Christian Endeavor
 (Roy Joe Calkins) The Christian Endeavor did not meet last Sunday of the rain, but Mary Baker Eddy will be leader next Sunday, May 19. No date have as yet been made. We'll tell you. Tickets sale some time next week. Further information in this banquet, read "Christian Endeavor" week.

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CHAMPS
 they would do it! We would! We knew it! We knew that the one we wouldn't go to. Assuming back with a did it! They did! Third place and isn't full! A. Y. Olds won French award as the in the whole state of don't be surprised if Hollywood on us. Con- play cast and Mrs. A. Y., we want we are not the least kind—because you were kind—the kind that top in everything you proud of you!

H. E. RALLY
 Six homemaking girls, Mary Edwards, Dotie Pickett, Joyzelle Tysinger, Betty Johnson, Jean Orr and Yvonne Weaver, and Miss Patterson attended the State Rally for Future Homemakers in San Antonio from May 1 to 3. They really had a swell time and Yvonne and Joyzelle came back with fourth places on their dresses and our area, Area 2, won first in choral singing. It was well worth the long trip down there!

SCRATCHPADDLINGS
 Why does Kendrick Joy cast so many "sheep's eyes" (meaning lovesick glances) at Billie Billington?

ton in the Study Hall? (Could it be because he likes her?)
 During the Jubilee we found out that a lot of out-of-town kids have been reading "Scratchpaddlings." Well, it's just too bad they don't come to school up here. Just think of the publicity they would get!
 There's one in every crowd. Of course we mean a killer-diller. He got to go to Conn. Here's hoping you have a good time, Johnny!
 The seventh graders—who by the way will be ninth graders next year like—
 Mrs. Graves—because she counts off ten for each word we miss.
 Mr. Burrow—because he keeps us well informed on the war.
 Mrs. Davenport—because she sets off the subject so much and takes up the period.
 Mrs. King—because she gives so many tests and on account of her jokes.
 Miss Black—because she dictates so fast you can't keep up.
 Mr. Rucker—because he kids you so much about your boy friends! Funny he always knows who it is.
 Miss Beville—because she always knows what we don't want to sing.
 This is, of course, all in fun because we think they are all simply grand!
 Yipee! Guess what? Graduation is here and are we glad to see it coming. Why just think, we have been working for seven long years for the one thing that we will receive our diplomas. But those seven years of work have been worth it haven't they? We have all had lots of fun mixed in with lots of hard work. Together they made us—well, they made us, us—and that is enough for anybody!
 —Seventh Grade Reporters.

U. S. Chamber Head



Albert W. Hawkes of Kearney, N. J., elected president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, following final business session of the 29th annual meeting of the chamber.

girls have just returned from a wonderful trip to San Antonio, Texas, and did they ever have fun! Some interesting incidents are: When Dotie Pickett poured ice water all over a flirtatious uniform—and the male in it! Jeeps! He was cute! When Yvonne Weaver came staggering into the room at 2 o'clock in the morning with a gleam in her eye. Mary Edwards going for these Jacks—both in San Antonio and Austin, Jean Orr and Mary Edwards rushing madly back to the hotel after a late date at 12:30, only to find to their disgust that Miss Patterson wasn't in yet! Betty Johnson plunging into night life with a will and a way—and what a way! Miss Patterson sleeping through all the noise! And to cinch it all, the ticket they got while going through the little one-horse town of Grandview. Did you ever!
 Well, the one-act play actors are back just bustin' their vests, they're so proud! For further details, consult your local newspaper! June Billington and Virginia Thomas hooked onto some cute Port Arthur boys and really made the rounds and from what I hear, A. Y. Olds produced a cute little de-icer from somewhere. All of the Crowell kids had a regular meeting in Austin, when the H. E. girls stopped over for a visit with the Browns—and did they have a grand time! They practically all swooned over Jack Fitzgerald's roommate and well-ing Jack and H. C.
 Well, getting back to the little town of Crowell from our travels, let's see what has been happening!
 For instance, Margaret C. Shirley seems to have given a little more than a casual glance to a Vernon lad whose heart certainly doesn't belong to Daddy but to Shirley considering the rush he gave her at the dance. Hmmm, you'll hear more of this next fall, no doubt!
 And dear little Russell, Clonita to be exact, has at last come out of her daze to realize that the wolves are hounding at her door. Not bad, Stanley Sanders and Shorty Roark, not bad!
 Seen at the Jubilee dance also was a couple, and darn cute, that we had not seen in a long time, Mary Edwards and A. Y. Olds. Here's hoping we see much, much more of this cute twosome!
 Flash! Jimmie Cates is just "nuts" about a Quannah gal, or so we hear!
 Welcome back, you rally girls, and that famous play cast. We extend to you all a hearty welcome back to dear old CHS. Whee-Dot's us Edards!
 Despite the fact that J. M. Hill and Doris Campbell, sometimes known as Lee, fuss and fuss, they always patch it up again and do you know kids, they have gone together almost longer than any couple in school, and we can say that we don't blame either one.
 Roy Joe Cates is out of luck. Betty Johnson nearly flew out of the car every time the one-act play cast passed—you know Billie Bruce was in it!
 Since this is the last edition of the "Wildcat" we would like to bid the Seniors a "fond-farewell." Of course, we would like to come and hug each and everyone's neck and shed a few tears but after all you will all be back each summer. (We hope). So adios, seniors, and the best of luck to you

all. Here's hoping you are all caught in a shower of success without an umbrella.
 KITTY.

NONSENSICAL NONSENSE

I was sitting by the fireside one evening eating waffles made by our maid, John, when my dog galloped up and said, "Please pass the biscuits; I'm almost out of molasses."
 I threw him a cup of coffee and replied, "Whenever you need any more butter, just let me know."
 I looked down the table and naturally it looked, too. When my dog turned his head I grabbed a handful of his syrup. He got mad and reached under the table and slapped my face. I thought that was too much, so I put both my feet in his mouth and kicked his shins with the other one. Then I grabbed him by the seat of the neck with one hand and the ankle of his arm with the other and stomped him. I then heard a knock at the window. Since I was in my house-slippers, I went into the kitchen, put on my shoes, and walked to the door barefooted. I locked the door and told him to come in. He said that it was raining so hard that he would not come in, so I went out to sit in the sunshine with him. The moon was so bright that we turned around and took our sun glasses off.
 He was hungry so I gave him a basket of water to soak his head in. He thought that it was too dry, so I pulled a board off the ceiling and whacked him across the head on his bald head. He didn't like this so I ran down the chimney and threw a brick up at him. It caught him between the ears at the left of his foot.
 We then kissed and made up. I sent him home alone, but I went along to keep him lonesome. I didn't like the scenery so I said, "Shut your mouth before I get sea-sick."
 We walked across a cornfield planted in wheat. I stepped on every mouse I saw except one, and I stepped on him, too. One mouse bit my nose when I stepped on him. My eye got black and I needed a beefsteak to put on it. As we were in a sheep pasture, I jerked up a five-hundred pound calf and tied it around my thumb. My ear soon got all right.
 After I threw Jim on his doorstep, I went fishing in a peach tree in the apple orchard to catch worms so that they could chase the chickens out of the stove. I got on my horse and ran home barefooted.
 It was bedtime so I crawled under the refrigerator and went to sleep. I woke up the next morning at the end of a perfect day.
 Gee! Thanks! Thanks to the

Press Club members, all twelve of 'em and you, too, Shirley, and to Mr. Foster, the sponsor, and to Mr. Klepper, who prints the "Wildcat." Thanks to you for all you've done this year. Thanks also to the readers who have borne with me these two years. I've enjoyed working on the paper and I only hope that June has as much fun as I do. Thanks a million! See you in the funny paper.
 —Editor.

"TIPS TO THE TEENS"

We advise Beverly Hughtson not to wear red. Wouldn't she be "clashy" in red. And I do mean "clashy."
 We advise the incoming "fish" '42 to be too fresh. The seniors of '42 are tough customers—just ask the Freshmen of this year—(Juniors won't be softies either). It would be best for Mary Edwards not to wear yellow because she has a sallow complexion.
 Virginia Thomas had better not wear "bamboo pole" skirts. She knows what the effect would be.
 Frances Haseleff should not wear tall hats or slim skirted dresses because she is just the

right height without them. Joyzelle Tysinger is the one tall who who should wear the hats and slenderizing skirts. We advise Jean Orr and Billy Joe Stevens not to wear red. Their complexions serve the purpose.
 Clonita Russell should wear anything that she wants to, and she can do it, too!

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NOTICE

Congratulations, Burly. June Billington has been elected as editor of the "Wildcat" for 1941-42. We know that she will do her very best with the co-operation of the Press Club members. Here's to her success and to the Wildcat's success.

CAMPUS CHAT

"I Want Some Sea Food, Mama!" Quote several of the seniors on their trip to Galveston. And didn't they have a wonderful time! We'd go into detail, except that it is stale news by now. The funniest thing was that Duane Capps left his bag completely packed with his key in it under the bed in Galveston. Some people and their brain cells that aren't there!
 Yip! A Greaser! Don't be cute! There's something about a uniform! You're right, the H. E.

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MARRIED

J. M. Young of O'Brien and Miss Maye Baldwin of Vernon were married Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the office of County Clerk J. A. Stovall with Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Crowell, performing the ceremony.

Those present were Otis Baldwin of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moss, Mrs. Jake Parrish and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell.

Mr. Young is the brother of Mrs. Moss and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Baldwin of Vernon. They will make their home in Abilene where Mr. Young is employed.

B. & P. W. CLUB

The Business and Professional Women's Club wishes to express its sincere thanks to the school board and all who helped make the dance at the gymnasium a success.

The B. & P. W. Club met

Thursday night, May 1, 1941, at the O'Connell Lunch Room for regular business meeting. The happenings at the Jubilee were discussed pro and con. The club feels that no one who attended the Jubilee could forget the fun and good things they were privileged to enjoy.

New officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Lottie Russell, president; Mae Solomon, vice president; Louise Fisch, recording secretary; Blanche Hayes, corresponding secretary; Lilly Welch, treasurer. The president, Lottie Russell, appointed Irene O'Connell, parliamentarian, and Estelle Powers, reporter.

The out-going officers were as follows: Inez Spencer, president; Irene O'Connell, vice president; Lilly Welch, recording secretary; Lottie Russell, treasurer; Joellen Vannoy, parliamentarian; and Mayme Lee Collins, reporter. These have done their work well and are commended for the things they have accomplished for the club.

The State B. & P. W. conven-

tion will convene in Lubbock June 3, 7 and 8, 1941. Lottie Russell was elected delegate to the convention and Estelle Powers, alternate. Several of the members plan to attend the convention.

CROWELL GARDEN CLUB

Mrs. Grover Cole is to be leader for the Garden Club at its May meeting, Friday (tomorrow) afternoon, at the First Christian Church.

"Garden Reminders" will be given in response to roll call. Mrs. L. A. Andrews will discuss a chapter from the text book, "Western Flower Arrangement." Mrs. Ernest Crosnoe will talk on "Vitamin B1 for Plants."

The flower exhibit will be arranged by Mrs. Henry Ross.

P. T. A. TO MEET

The last meeting of the P. T. A. for the current school year will be held next Tuesday afternoon, May 13, with Mrs. A. R. Sanders as leader.

A feature number will be presented by the High School. Mrs. R. L. Kincaid will talk on "Is Peace Possible?"

Mrs. H. A. Longino will sing, "A Little Child Shall Lead." Officers for the next year will be installed at this meeting and Mrs. Frank Fleisher, president, expresses a desire for a large attendance.

ROTARY CLUB

Mrs. R. L. Kincaid was the main speaker on the program of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon. The program was in charge of Martin O'Connell. Mrs. Kincaid, in her talk, gave the highlights of the convention of the Texas Federation Women's Clubs which she attended in Amarillo last week.

Claude Callaway entered his membership in the club Wednesday under the classification of realtor.

Bennett Cooksey, field Boy Scout executive, was a visitor. Payton Powers, the incoming president, H. E. Ferguson, secretary, and John Raser announced their intention of attending the district convention of Rotary International in Lubbock Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. It is expected that several other members will attend this convention.

Positions Open in Texas Unemployment Compensation Com.

Monday, May 10 is the final date for filing official applications with the Merit System Council for competitive examinations for positions in the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, including Texas State Employment Service, and those wishing to take the examinations may obtain application blanks at the office of the Texas State Employment office in Vernon.

All applications must be on official application blanks and must be filed in the office of the Merit System Council, Tribune Office, Austin, Texas, by May 19, 1941, or postmarked before midnight of that date. Examinations will be held for the following positions: Junior clerk, \$90-\$110; clerk, \$120-\$130; senior clerk, \$125-\$135; junior stenographer, \$95-\$115; stenographer, \$110-\$130; senior stenographer, \$120-\$150; receptionist, \$100-\$120; BPX operator, \$100-\$120; interviewing clerk, \$100-\$120; accounting clerk, \$110-\$130; junior correspondent, \$110-\$130; junior accountant, \$120-\$150; chief accountant, \$245-\$250; field auditor, \$160-\$200; interviewer, \$110-\$130; application interviewer, \$100-\$120; placement interviewer, \$115-\$145; junior key-punch operator, \$100-\$130; junior bookkeeping machine operator, \$100-\$120; bookkeeping machine operator, \$120-\$150; junior tabulating equipment operator, \$110-\$130; senior tabulating equipment operator, \$130-\$160; supervising tabulating equipment operator, \$175-\$215.

TRUSCOTT

(Special to The News)

Miss Joyce Horne of Gilliland visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarphey last week.

Approximately eight inches of rain fell in Truscott last week. The hail damaged the houses and wheat crop Tuesday of last week. The wheat crops of J. G. Adcock, Mrs. A. P. Smart, Carlton Browder, C. C. Browning, W. E. Hickman, and Henry Abbott were partially, if not completely destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chowning and daughters, Mary Beth and Lynette, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Snover in Stamford Sunday.

The Truscott P. T. A. will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the school auditorium. This will be the last meeting for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goode, Geneva Kelton, and Mrs. Bill Chowning visited in Knox City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Woods and children, Jimmy and Mary Lou, and Mrs. H. A. Smith visited at the clinic in Knox City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning and daughter, Vandolyn Joyce, visited Mrs. Allie Moorehouse in Benjamin Sunday.

L. P. Jones returned last week from a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Bill Brownlow of Olden is visiting friends and relatives here. Granville Westbrook, who has

West Texas Utilities Co. Will Give Reward for Old Electric Bill

There is a hundred dollar reward out for "Old Bill." It's the old electric bill that is "wanted," according to C. R. Seale, local manager of the West Texas Utilities, who announced the reward.

Fifty dollars, he said, will be paid for the oldest bill sent in by any customer of the company on or before June 15, and five dollars each for the next 10 oldest bills. To be eligible for the reward, he explained, all entries must be dated at least 15 years ago, must be for service in the home, and must be accompanied by a 100-word-or-less letter telling something about the lights and appliances used and the cost at the time the bill was paid.

"All present customers are eligible, except employees," Mr. Seale said. "The old bill may be for service received from the West Texas Utilities or a predecessor in this community."

Purpose of the "reward," he added, is to compare present-day improved service and lower cost with the "good old days" when oil lamps were first being displaced by better light.

Cuba annually consumes about 100 pounds of rice per capita. Because Cuba can no longer secure rice from oriental sources she imported last year her supply from the United States taking about 85 per cent of our exports of this commodity last year.

A new plastic material has been discovered to be used in filling teeth. The plastic produces such a natural appearance that it is difficult to tell where it begins and the tooth leaves off or where the tooth ends and the filling begins. The new plastic was described by Dr. Thomas McFall of Philadelphia at a five state dental clinic held in Washington recently.

been teaching school in Arkansas, has returned to his home here.

Several Gilliland students visited in the home of friends in Truscott Monday night. They attended only one day of school last week.

L. J. Abbott and Henry Abbott of San Angelo are visiting Mrs. Henry Abbott and children.

Court—

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True bills and also warned boys who have been loitering around school buildings of the county after classes to stop the practice, as damage, such as broken windows, has been done. The grand jury recommended that the sheriff take action to punish those guilty unless reports of damage ceased immediately.

The full report of the grand jury follows: "We, your Grand Jury for the May term of the District Court of Foard County, Texas, met in regular session on the 5th day of May, 1941, for one full day.

"We have investigated into all law violations that have been brought to our attention and from our investigations we have returned 3 True bills and no No bills.

"We further wish to report to the Court that it has been brought to our attention that at several school buildings of the County, numerous school boys are loitering about the building after school hours and at night and breaking into windows and causing other damage to the building. This has been occurring at the Thalia school building and others throughout the county. It is our purpose to give these persons, who are doing this, warning so that such practices will cease and if they do not cease that it is our recommendation that the Sheriff's department take necessary steps to stop such depredation and damage and punish the offenders.

"There being no further business having been called to our attention, we respectfully pray the Court that we be discharged for the term.

"T. S. HANEY

"Foreman of the Grand Jury."

Four-fifths of the value of all the crude oil produced in Texas each year is paid to Texas oil workers and farmers and ranchers in wages and lease and royalty payments.

Rain—

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River bridge was re-opened Wednesday afternoon. All east-bound traffic through Childress was routed through Crowell Friday night because of high water at an underpass west of Quanah.

Damage in County The heaviest crop damage in the county was reported in the Rayland community where it was said that almost every growing crop was ruined by water and hail. Reports were that after 13 hours of rain Friday, the ditch from Rayland to Pease River washed until 30 feet deep and 40 feet wide and 100 yards long.

The ground in the town of Rayland was covered with from 4 to 20 inches of water which rose into the home of Tom Davis. The

ground was covered with stones Sunday which was to the size of hen eggs and crops were badly beaten by the rain and 500 people were in Rayland Sunday and Sunday to the damage.

Six inches of rain were reported in the Vivian community, however, no crop damage reported in that section. Several bridges and a number of fences were washed away in the streams in the Mangrove community.

From 8 to 10 inches of rain fell in the Vivian community, however, no crop damage reported in that section. Several bridges and a number of fences were washed away in the streams in the Mangrove community.



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- Next Wed.-Thurs.
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MOTHER'S DAY... a short history

All men, from time immemorial, have honored their mothers, but Frank E. Herring of South Bend, Indiana, was the first to suggest an organized program for this purpose.

At an Eagles Lodge convention at Indianapolis, February 7, 1904, he proposed that a day be set aside by all lodges for honoring members' mothers.

The idea spread rapidly and at a public mass meeting at Philadelphia, in 1907, Miss Anna Jarvis of that city proposed a manner and time of celebration. The day was to be the second Sunday in May, and the manner of celebration was for men, women and children alike to wear a carnation, if the mother was alive; a white carnation, if she had passed on. This custom prevails today.

In 1908, Philadelphia became the first city to officially proclaim the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day.

The occasion was given such wide acclaim by the press that eventually, on May 8, 1914, during the administration of Woodrow Wilson, Mother's Day became a national holiday by Presidential Proclamation. On that day, flags were flown from all government buildings in honor of all American mothers.

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