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## Resolution Being Circulated Which Will Ask Governor to Call Special Session to Renew Road Bond Assumption Law

### County's U. S. Quota of \$150,000 Subscribed

A petition is being circulated over the county by Judge Leslie Thomas and the Commissioners' Court urging the new Governor, Coke R. Stevenson, to call a special session of the Legislature for the purpose of enacting the Road Bond Assumption Law.

The 47th Legislature which recently adjourned omitted from the departmental appropriation bill the appropriation of the money on hand in the County and Road District Highway Fund for distribution by the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness in accordance with the previous so-called Road Bond Assumption Law. The present Road Bond Assumption Law expires on August 31st, 1941.

The absence of this appropriation makes it necessary for the counties of Texas to raise approximately \$9,500,000.00 from an ad valorem tax levied during the next fiscal year to meet maturities on bonds, the proceeds of which were used to construct state highways. Foard County would have to raise approximately \$27,000.00 additional tax money by the ad valorem tax if the special session is not called and the Road Bond Assumption Bill is not passed and, to raise such an amount, approximately ninety cents per one hundred dollars increase would be required. Judge Thomas says the Court will not levy the tax unless forced to do so by mandamus proceedings.

### Wheat Under Marketing Quota Be Converted

Wheat under 1941 marketing quotas may be converted to wheat this fall, Grady Halbert, chairman of the Foard County committee, has announced.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has provided that wheat to the amount by which a producer's production falls below his normal yield, the amount his next year's production falls below the normal yield of his allotted acres, be marketed without penalty, clarifying this statement Halbert assumed that a producer with excess wheat has a normal yield of 10 bushels per acre and 80 bushels of wheat are to be released from storage as the seeding was completed. The acreage measured to their entire wheat allotment and actual production falls below the normal yield, the amount of excess wheat would be converted to free at the time the wheat crop is harvested.

Producers present wheat marketing commissions, farmers with excess

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### Anniversary of Knox County Pioneer Celebrated Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benedict of Knox City last Friday celebrated the anniversary of the founding of Knox County. Mr. Benedict's father, W. H. Benedict, was the first settler in that section, having served in organizing the county in 1884, and was its first commissioner. Mr. Benedict was a pioneer and is extremely active in his age. He milks and looks after his own cow and walks to work every day. He reads headlines in the papers without glasses and his hearing is good.

Three of Mr. Benedict's five children and their families were present for the celebration. Mr. Benedict, in addition to being a merchant, operated the cotton gin and the first bank

### Revival Meeting to Start Sunday at the First Baptist Church

A revival meeting will begin at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, Aug. 10, with the pastor, Rev. B. Fitzgerald, doing the preaching. The services will be held each evening at 8 o'clock and will be held on the church lawn. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend these services. Meeting will continue through Sunday, Aug. 18.

### TO BE INDUCTED

Travis W. Fox will leave on August 14 for the induction station of the United States Army at Dallas, according to information released this week by J. R. Beverly, president of the local

### SELLS FARM

J. H. McDaniel has sold his farm in the Foard City community where he and his family have lived for many years. Claude Calaway, local real estate dealer, made the sale. Mr. McDaniel has announced his future plans.



O. M. OLIVER

O. M. "Mark" Oliver assumes new official position with the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway, in this territory, as assistant general passenger agent. He is a member of a pioneer Texas family and one of the youngest officials in the country to hold such an important position. His headquarters are in Amarillo.

### Truscott High School Students Transferred Here

Students of the Truscott High School, 11th and 12th grades, have been transferred to Crowell and will attend school here next term which will open on Sept. 8, it was announced Tuesday by Supt. I. T. Graves.

The Truscott school system failed to secure a sufficient number of scholastics this year to maintain a seven-teacher school and keep their affiliation, so it became necessary for the high school students to be transferred to another school.

### Dist. Young People's Meeting to Be Held at Methodist Church

There will be a meeting of the young people of the Vernon District of Methodist Churches at the church in Crowell Friday evening, Aug. 8, (tomorrow). Registration will begin at 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The young people of the local church will be hosts and every young person in the district is urged to come and bring a covered dish for the evening meal. Each member is also asked to bring 10c registration fee.

The most important part of the business meeting will be the election of officers. Miss Laverne Lott, district director, will be in charge of the meeting. The local committee will be responsible for the recreation at the close of the meeting.

### Wheat Producers Meeting to Be Held Wednesday, Aug. 13

A wheat improvement meeting for Foard County wheat producers will be held in the court house at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, Aug. 13, it was announced Wednesday by John Nagy, county farm agent.

Fred T. Dines, director Texas Wheat Improvement Association, and E. A. Miller, Extension Agronomist, will attend the meeting and it is suggested that wheat producers bring a sample of the wheat

### Mrs. H. M. Goode Succumbs in Big Spring August 1

#### Funeral Services Held at Cemetery Sunday Morning

Funeral services for Mrs. H. M. Goode, 73, former Crowell resident, were held at the Crowell Cemetery Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. A. Longino, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church. Mrs. Goode died Friday, Aug. 1, at Big Spring, and the body was brought to Crowell Saturday morning by the Womack Funeral Home, local undertakers, who supervised funeral arrangements.

Pall bearers were Floyd Thomas, Tom Beverly, Edwin Greening, Virgil Greer, Oscar Gentry and D. R. Magee.

Lula B. Barron was born June 1, 1868, in Hamilton County, Texas. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Barron. On Dec. 24, 1885, she was married to H. M. Goode. In an early day they moved to Roby in Fisher County. In 1909 Mr. and Mrs. Goode and family moved to Crowell and Mrs. Goode made her home here until 1919. Mr. Goode was State cattle inspector for Foard, Hardeman and Wilbarger Counties until his death in 1917. Two years after his death Mrs. Goode moved back to Roby.

Five sons and one daughter were born to this union, all of whom are living. They are, T. A. Goode of Flagstaff, Ariz., S. B. Goode of Roby, Mrs. Percy Ferguson of Lubbock, Minor Goode of Greenville, N. M., H. M. Goode of Washington, D. C., and J. L. Goode of Bastrop, Texas. Other survivors are four grandchildren and one brother, W. W. Barron, of Rotan; two sisters, Mrs. F. H. Parker of Sweetwater and Mrs. W. D. Wetsel, of Roby.

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Barron Goode of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ferguson and daughter, Genevieve, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goode and son, Robert, of Bastrop; Mr. and Mrs. Minor Goode and daughters, Lucille and Emma Lu, of Greenville, N. M.; W. W. Barron and son, Mike, of Rotan; Mrs. F. H. Parker and daughter, Mrs. Exa Ford, of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wetsel and son, Joe, of Roby; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hammers and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hammers and baby of Seymour.

Mrs. Goode was a life-long member of the Methodist Church and lived a consistent Christian life.



### Lieutenant Governor Coke R. Stevenson became Governor of Texas Monday when Governor W. Lee O'Daniel took the oath of office and became a Senator from the State of Texas in Washington, D. C., the nation's capital.

Lieutenant Governor the last two and a half years and twice speaker of the Texas house, the 53-year-old Stevenson automatically became governor when W. Lee O'Daniel vacated the office by occupying the U. S. Senate seat of the late Morris Sheppard. In the big hall of the house where he once presided, Stevenson next Friday will be inaugurated formally with simple ceremonies.

Victor in a heated special election in Texas June 28, O'Daniel is to complete the unexpired term of the late Morris Sheppard, ending Jan. 3, 1943. His family, with only the soldier son, Pat, absent, sat in the spectators' gallery as Senator McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, presiding, administered the oath of office. He was escorted to the rostrum by the state's senior senator, Tom Connally.

### C. L. Williams Succumbs at Local Hospital

C. L. (Cleve) Williams, 66, passed away at the Foard County Hospital Wednesday evening at 10 o'clock following an illness of five days. Mr. Williams became critically ill at an early hour Saturday morning at his home two miles east of Crowell and was brought to the hospital.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Methodist Church at 4 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. A. Longino, with burial in the Crowell Cemetery.

Bob Moyer and Clyde (Sonny) Eddy left Sunday for Compton, Calif., where they will visit Mr. Moyer's sister, Mrs. W. C. Johnson, and family. They expect to attend an airplane school at Los Angeles or Long Beach and when the course is finished to secure employment in the aircraft industry.

### New Bridge on Wichita River to Be Opened Aug. 10

The new highway bridge across Wichita River will be completed and ready for traffic to pass over Sunday, August 10, it was announced Wednesday by Vance Favor, maintenance foreman.

All of the concrete has been poured and the bridge crew is now busy putting on hand rails. Asphalt work on approaches is in progress and will be completed soon.

which they intend to plant to this meeting. These samples could be analyzed during the meeting which would add to the effectiveness of same.

### HOPKINS' Arrival in Moscow

Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's personal representative, is shown (left) being greeted on his arrival in the Soviet capital after a secret airplane flight from Britain. Shaking hands with Hopkins is Lieutenant General MacFarlane, head of the British military mission to Moscow. Between the two men is Laurence Steinhardt, U. S. ambassador to Moscow, and (right) Sir Stafford Cripps, British ambassador to Moscow.

### HOSPITAL NOTES Foard County Hospital

Patients in: Mrs. Dale Jones, Cleve Williams, Baby Ronald Parrish, Mrs. Frank Gamble, Mrs. Dana Williams.

Patients dismissed: Baby Clois Marlow, Mrs. O. C. Evans, Mrs. Joe Short and baby, Mrs. Henry Ashford and baby, Jean Orr, J. S. Owens.

### NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

New motor vehicles were registered in the office of A. W. Lilly, tax assessor-collector, during the past week as follows:

Howard Bursey, Chevrolet Master Deluxe Sedan.

Otis Gafford, Ford Tudor.

Antone Caran, Ford Super Deluxe Fordor.

Borchard Chevrolet Co., Chevrolet Special Town sedan.

W. E. Patterson, Ford Deluxe Coupe.

W. E. Benedict, Chevrolet Special Coupe.

J. M. Knapp, Dodge 1 1/2-ton truck.

Kadane Griffith Oil Co., Chevrolet pickup.

M. L. Williams, Chevrolet pickup.

### July 1st Registrants Subject to Same Rules of Individual Classification As Those Previously Enrolled

### Harvey Crosnoe Given Lone Star Farmer's Degree

Harvey Crosnoe, local FFA boy, received a Lone Star Farmer's degree this summer. With this degree he was given a gold FFA emblem.

This is the highest award offered by the state FFA organization. To secure one of these awards a boy must carry out an excellent project program for three years and be outstanding in other Future Farmer activities. Harvey was president of the local chapter last year and represented the chapter at the national convention in Kansas City in 1940. He also participated on some of the judging teams.

### Postoffice Receipts Show Greatest Gain in Last Ten Years

Receipts at the local postoffice were \$4,205.01 for the first two quarters of 1941 as compared to \$3,752.64 for the same period in 1940, it was announced this week by Postmaster Alva Spencer, a gain of 9 1/2 per cent over last year.

According to the records at the postoffice, the amount of business done in the first half of 1941 is the best in ten years.

### C. G. Graves Receives Master's Degree

C. Grady Graves received his Master of Education degree at the close of the summer term at A. & M. College. Mr. Graves had attended three summer sessions at A. & M. during which time he majored in school administration with a minor in sociology.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves and two sons, Charles Bradley and Gordon Thomas, returned home Saturday after a short visit with his parents in Stephenville.

Mr. Graves is High School principal and athletic coach of Crowell High School.

### Registrants Mailed Questionnaires from Local Board

Men who registered with the local board whose order numbers are S-141 to S-664, inclusive, were mailed questionnaires Wednesday, Aug. 6, which are required by the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 to be executed and returned within five days from that date.

Any registrant whose order number is included above and who seeks a deferred classification, may, within five days from the date hereof, submit proper affidavits to the local board. He may submit such affidavits in space provided in questionnaire or submit them separately, according to officials of the board.

### ON FISHING TRIP

A group of F. F. A. boys left Wednesday morning on a fishing trip. They plan to spend four days fishing near San Angelo, Texas, on the South Concho River. The group will be accompanied by Marvin Myers, Coach Graves, Pat McDaniel and Otto Davenport.

Boys going on this trip are J. W. Sollis, Bill Cox, Harold Wallace, J. T. Hughtson, Pat McDaniel Jr., Dan Pechacek, Billy Boggs, Harry Harwell, Albert Bird and Harold Canup.

### BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ashford, Aug. 2, a boy, Henry Oscar.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oscar Short, Aug. 1, a girl, Julia Sharon.

### U. S. Gunboat Bombed by Japs



Photo of the 370-ton U. S. gunboat "Tutuila," which was struck by bombs during a Japanese raid on Chungking, China. It is reported the boat was in the so-called "safety zone" when she was hit. There were no casualties. Japan has promised the U. S. government a complete investigation and full indemnities. The "Tutuila" was built in 1927.



Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

R. L. Clements and Leroy Eubanks of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., Misses Nettie B. Anderson of Rock Crossing and Mary Jo Stowe of Fargo were dinner guests of Mrs. Arthur Porter in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins, Saturday evening.

Lowell McKinley and family and Mrs. E. J. McKinley were visitors in Hardesty, Okla., Amarillo and Panhandle, Texas, last week-end.

Miss Edith Blevins is visiting with her grandparents in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Truett Neill and sons, Miles and Billie, left Sunday for their home in Monrovia, Calif., after a 6-weeks' visit with her father, Will Wood, and other relatives here.

Mrs. C. H. Wood and Mrs. Truett Neill visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Snowden in Winstboro a while last week.

Jesse Grimm of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, here last week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short in the Crowell hospital Friday, Aug. 1st, a girl.

Mrs. Myrtle Speers and son, Wells, of Archer City visited relatives here last week-end.

Leotis Roberts and family visited relatives in McKinley last week-end.

Allen Patty and family of Benjamin have moved into the G. A. Shultz house here. Mr. Patty has accepted a position as mechanic in the Panhandle Service Station here.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson received



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FORT HOWARD TISSUE . . . . . 3 rolls 19c

Clipper COOKIES 2 pkgs. 25c

EGGS - 26c Dozen in Trade

WHITE SWAN Pork and Beans 2 1-lb cans 15c

ROAST arm . . . . . lb. 25c

STEAK (seven) . . . . . lb. 25c

EGGS - 26c Dozen in Trade

Haney-Rasor

W. N. Cato and family this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sansbury of Durant, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey, here Monday afternoon.

Miss Betty Jo Short of Lockett visited Joe Short and family here last week-end.

Announcement has been made here of the marriage of Miss Savannah Gamble, formerly of this place, and Jack Kempton of Morenci, Ariz. The wedding took place in Arizona Saturday, Aug. 2, where the couple will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Duncan of Shannon, Texas, visited relatives here last week-end.

Miss Lossie Hammonds of Gasoline, Texas, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, here this week.

Travis McKinley of Dimmitt visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKinley, Thursday.

MARGARET (By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMillan and daughter, Mary Katherine, of Overton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Moore, last week.

Mrs. Raymond Sikes and Mrs. C. T. Murphy visited Mrs. W. T. Blevins of Truscott last Friday.

Mrs. Sodie Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Arwine visited their son and brother, Ben Bradford, and family of the Riverside community last Friday.

T. C. Davis of Rayland was here on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bradford and daughter, Mary, returned to their home in Chickasha Wednesday of last week after spending several weeks in the home of his mother, Mrs. Sodie Bradford.

Mrs. James Bowers of Pontiac, Mich., and her mother and sister, Mrs. Louie Kempf and daughter, Ethel, of Riverside visited Mrs. W. A. Priest Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Culbertson and son, Don Jr., have returned to their home after attending a conference in New York City.

Private Edgar Lee Smith of Camp Bowie at Brownwood spent several days with friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cavin of Crowell were visitors here Sunday.

Private Hubert Smith of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pruett and children visited her sister, Mrs. Walford Thompson and family of Black Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Owens Jr. was released from the Foard County Hospital Wednesday following an operation Sunday of last week.

Mrs. J. R. Eldridge of Quanah is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. S. Wren.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McCurley and children of Vernon visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills and daughter, Neva, of Truscott visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Gilbert Choate, who is working with a bridge crew, visited home-folks here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradford of Mineral Wells are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford.

Mrs. Bobbie Long visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Hunter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Arwine and son, Bennie Clinton, left Monday after several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sodie Bradford.

Robert Choate and J. W. Lee of Snyder visited Robert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, Saturday night and Sunday.

Lenora Bradford went to Quanah Sunday where she has secured a place to work. She is employed by Mrs. Lawrence Carter.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey and daughter, Doris Ann, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, Saturday.

Miss Reta Bradford of Riverside spent Saturday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Sodie Bradford.

W. E. Taylor returned Monday from Mobeetie where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Murel Trout, and family.

VIVIAN (By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll and daughter, Leta Jo, of Gambleville spent Sunday in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Johnny Marr.

Mrs. Lem Davidson and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Simpkins, of Paducah.

Dorothea Fish is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman, of Paducah.

Leland Lewis was able to be brought from the Crowell Hospital to his home last week, after undergoing an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty and daughters, Lillie Faye and Thelma, and Mrs. J. B. Rasberry spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Beatty's sister, Mrs. Joe Rasberry, of Cement, Okla.

Miss Wilma Faye Carroll of Gambleville spent Sunday with Miss Geneva Marr.

Harvey King of Dallas is here visiting his father, A. J. King, and family.

R. J. Everson, who has been in Pampa working, has returned home.

Lee Morgan and grandson, Claud Patton, returned home Wednesday after being on the Plains with their combine for a

RIVERSIDE (By Bonnie Schroeder)

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Walker of Floydada recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cribbs spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Cribbs of Goree.

The Riverside Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school Thursday afternoon, August 7, at 4 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Key and son, Elton, of Mission visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Scales and Mrs. J. L. Hennels Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kveton and three children of Abernathy visited their sister, Mrs. Ignac Zacek, and family Friday.

Rudolph Matus of Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio spent from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Matas.

Mrs. Hale of White City visited Mrs. R. G. Whitten and family Sunday.

J. Bailey Rennels and Mrs. J. L. Rennels visited J. W. Walker in Chillicothe Thursday night. Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels, who had been attending the bedside of Mr. Walker, returned with them.

Mrs. Grady Halbert of Foard City visited Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher attended a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Haseloff of Five-in-One in observance of Mr. Haseloff's birthday.

Miss Faith Cribbs returned to her home at Goree Friday after a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cribbs.

Mrs. Wallis Scales visited Mr. and Mrs. Hearrell Scales of Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cervenka of Harold visited Mr. and Mrs. Ignac Zacek Monday.

Mrs. Hubert Simmonds and children, and Mrs. S. C. Starr and daughter, Marguerite, of Stroud, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten.

Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels was called to the bedside of her father, J. W. Walker, in Chillicothe, Friday afternoon. Mr. Walker died Friday night at 9 o'clock. Funeral services were held in the

few weeks.

Misses Rosalie and Bernita Fish and Mrs. W. O. Fish and daughter, Mildred, were visitors in Kirkland Monday afternoon of last week.

Misses Lillie Faye and Thelma Beatty visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Franklin of

Crowell Tuesday afternoon. Methodist Church in Bridgeport Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment was in the Bridgeport cemetery. The deceased had reached the age of 83.

Several weeks ago he went from Bridgeport to the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. L. Derr, in Chillicothe at whose home he died, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels and Mrs. J. L. Rennels attended the funeral.

Mrs. Ed Mullins of Stamford spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels, and accompanied the Rennels family to Bridgeport to attend the funeral of J. W. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haseloff of Lockett visited their daughter, Mrs. Monroe Karcher, and Mr. Karcher Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moerbe and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilson of Farmers Valley Saturday night.

Miss Hope Cribbs of Goree is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cribbs.

Mrs. Gene Spears and son, Wells, of Archer City spent from Saturday until Monday with her sister, Mrs. Cap Adkins and family. They were accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Allie Huntley, and niece, Mary Evelyn Adkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheatem of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with her brother, Richard Johnson, and family.

Jessie Baker of Bay City visited Wallis Scales and family recently.

Aubrey Simmonds of Dallas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmonds.

J. Bailey Rennels, accompanied by I. T. Graves and Judge Leslie Thomas of Crowell, attended a teacher's meeting in Childress Thursday.

Mrs. Hugh Jones and children of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huskey and daughter of Gambleville visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford and children left Monday for Brownwood where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Odie A. Claxton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moerbe and children visited relatives in Quitaque Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Allie Huntley accompanied Mrs. Gene Spear of Archer City to Vernon to spend Sunday night with Bob Huntley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Scales and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray visited in the George Key home in Rayland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Aaron Simmonds of Vernon visited in the R. G. Whitten home Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughter, Misses Emma and Bonnie, spent the week-end with their son and brother, Alfred Schroeder, and family of Amherst.

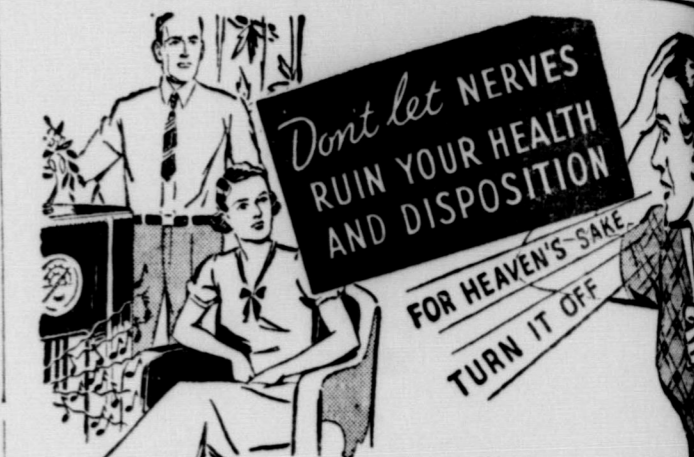
Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins and daughter of Thalia spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wheeler were guests of Mrs. W. A. Reed of Thalia Sunday.

Mary Evelyn Adkins spent Sunday with Bobbie Walsher of Five-in-One.

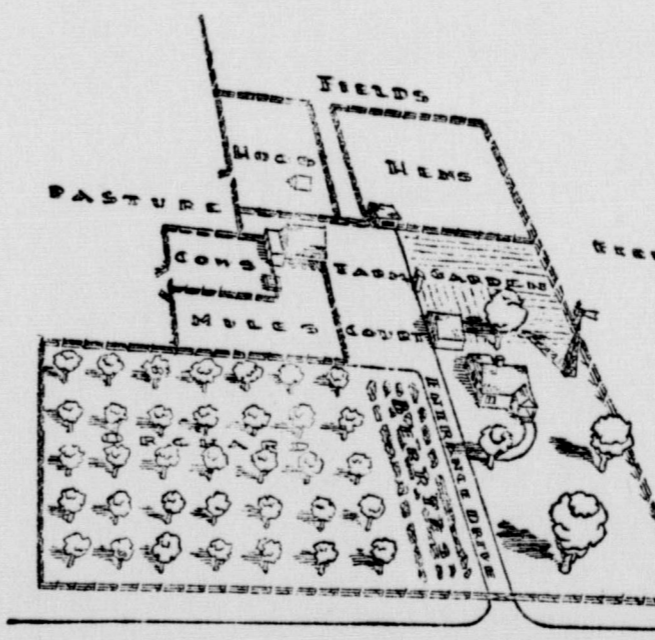
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. In what state is the mountain known as Pike's Peak located?
2. In what European country is the city of Smolensk located?
3. A new law has been passed requiring the label on certain fabrics used in clothing to give complete information as to the fabric content. What does the law cover?
4. For the collection of metal for defense purposes, what is the name of the national wide drive being made?
5. For what is Gene known in the sporting news?
6. What position under the federal government is held by the dell Hull?
7. On what continent is the port of Dakar located?
8. For what is Little known in the news?
9. From what state is G. W. Norris a U. S. Senator?
10. What locality frequently mentioned in the war news is referred to as "The Rocket" (Answers on page 3).



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News from Neighboring Communities

BLACK (Dorothy Hall)

Belle Bulkeley of Los Angeles visited her farm in community Sunday afternoon. Sherman Nichols and children visited in the home of Mrs. F. J. Jonas, Sunday.

daughter, Geraldine.

Mrs. L. Kamstra and daughter, Miss Maymie Lee Teague, of Crowell visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clyde Cobb, and family Monday.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

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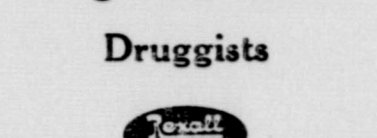


SAFE DAY-LONG PROTECTION

You can't afford to take chances on offending—in fact, there is no need to take chances. Just get Rexall Deodorant Cream. It assures daintiness for hours.

Rexall DEODORANT CREAM 50c

Ferguson Bros. Druggists



ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. Colorado. 2. Russia. 3. Wool. 4. Aluminum. 5. As a professional golfer. 6. Secretary of State. 7. Africa. 8. He is an orchestra director and entertainer. 9. Nebraska. 10. Gibraltar.

TEXAS HENS PRODUCING

Austin, July 31.—Texas hens are doing their part to meet the country's food emergency. June shipments of Texas eggs totaled 346 cars as compared with 182 cars a year ago, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

FOARD CITY (By Mrs. J. L. Farrar)

Mrs. Blake McDaniel spent last Wednesday and Thursday with her father, C. W. Beldeman, of Thalia.

RAYLAND (By J. C. Davis)

Mrs. Tom Lawson visited Miss Ethelene Lawson in Wichita Falls Friday. Ethelene, who is employed by the Jefferson Standard Insurance Co., was transferred Friday from the Wichita Falls office to the Fort Worth office.

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Sugar 10 Lb. Cloth Bag 53c

POTATOES U. S. No. 1 RED or WHITE 15-lb. pk 19c

CRISCO or SPRY 3 lb can 55c

HOMINY ... 4 No. 2 cans 25c

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MILK, Milnot 3 LARGE or 6 SMALL 19c

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SUGAR PEAS MISSION No. 2 CANS 2 for 25c

JELLO, all flavors .... pkg. 4 1/2c

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN, 50c bottle for ... 39c

PHILLIP'S Milk of Magnesia, 50c bottle 39c

KILL-KO, kills flies, mosquitoes, pt. 19c

Folger's COFFEE .. 2 lbs 53c

Flour 48 lbs. .. \$1.59 24 lbs. .. 85c

RINSO or SUPERSUDS, large pkg. 19c

All Bran or Raisin Bran pkg 10c

KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes .. 3 pkgs for 25c

Baking Powder, K. C., 25c size .... 15c

SAUSAGE, pure pork .. lb. 17 1/2c

PORK CHOPS, small and lean, lb. 20c

Chuck Roast CUT FROM FANCY BEEF lb 18c

BOLOGNA, pure meat ..... lb. 12 1/2c

BUTTER CREAMERY or COUNTRY lb. 33c

STEAK, tender seven .. lb. 18c

KRAFT'S CHEESE ALL KINDS 2-lb. box 53c

WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR MORE SPECIALS and EGG MARKET

WEHBA'S CASH GROCERY WHERE YOUR DOLLARS HAVE MORE CENTS Free Delivery Phone 83M

LIVESTOCK SALES RISE

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NEW OIL That gives car engines GOOD OLD OIL-PLATING

far Outlasts 5 other big brands in Desert War of Endurance



Oil-Plated engine proves good for more than Double the Mileage averaged by rivals in Daring Death-Test... Certified

Plenty of good old pre-streamline cars with OIL-PLATED engines still pass your house quietly... pass newer cars on the road... pass oil-inspection many a time without needing a quart.

CONOCO Nth MOTOR OIL — Lasted 5,683 miles longer than next-best oil tested in Death Valley

Conoco Nth oil invited itself straight up against 5 other representative oils in an all-out test to the death... unbiased... Certified. The graveyard was cruel Death Valley—so hot you can't sweat. 6 everyday coupes were used—all alike. Each

got one 5-quart fill of some one competing oil—locked in by the Official Referee. Then under strictly equal conditions all cars sped without added oil, till engines cracked up.

The weakest oil gave up while Conoco Nth still had 3,268 miles to go... Certified. All 5 rivals together averaged 7,057 miles less than Conoco Nth oil... Certified.

Real difference—from a Real source

Two modern synthetics are in new Conoco Nth oil. Now think of modern vitamin synthetics, replacing some of Nature's life-givers lost in modern food processing. Similarly, the latest oil refining methods destroy some of Nature's life-givers. But today full life is brought back—more than generously—by the two Conoco synthetics.

One of these will make Conoco Nth motor oil keep your engine OIL-PLATED. The other will check the effect of foul leftovers caused by every engine's normal firing. This commonest of all oil troubles is now checked—inhibited—by Thialkene

IMPARTIAL

Latest available oil of each competitive brand bought retail by Referee. New stock coupes all alike, broken-in alike; tuned alike; handled alike. Engines had been taken apart for Referee—to assure same conditions for all oils. Same route for all. One fill of oil per car. None added. Engines under lock—under scrutiny—every mile.

Inhibitor... Conoco Patent 2,213,102. But why technicalities?—when you know the Certified Economy record of Conoco Nth in Death Valley. You'll never Death-Test your Conoco Nth oil, nor make your car try any other proving-ground tortures. You'll still drain and refill at the recommended intervals. But knowing that one fill of Conoco Nth outlasted the other Death-Tested oils—by 74% all the way up to 161%—you can figure on a long time between quarts of Conoco Nth oil. Change today—at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Company—Pioneers in Bettering America's oil with Synthetics

CERTIFIED I hereby certify that the Death Valley Test and related work were thoroughly and fairly conducted. Engine Destruction occurred in each case at the mileage stated.

H. M. Jackson Consulting Engineer, who during Academic year is Professor of Automotive Engineering, Purdue University

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In all things show yourself a pattern of good works...

Whatever Hitler's reasons were for invading Russia...

There is no use planning on the return of old times and old ways of doing things...

Various established industries are being replaced by a new type of industry...

They Call It "Escape"— You Can Have It on a

MOVIE VACATION

Doctors and psychologists have long recognized the value of "escape"...

A movie vacation will take you into the wonderful world of unreality...

Turn to page 8 for the most convenient "guide" to movie vacations at the local theatre.

The Foard County News

Why Do People Brush Their Teeth?

You might see that people brush their teeth to keep them clean...

But few people brushed their teeth until advertising told them it was important.

In more ways than most people realize, advertising has promoted health and happiness...

And at the same time, by increasing business, it has helped make more jobs—so more people can enjoy the things it offers for sale.

The Foard County News

It is said that a person who is rendered unconscious in an accident...

We believe that the United States should seize whatever points would prove advantageous...

The most deceived person is the person who thinks he or she is fooling everyone...

Every community should have at least one community project each year...

The number of farm accidents has increased as the use of power machinery on the farm has increased...

There will be no peace on Earth in the world until Hitlerism is destroyed.

The wages of sin are never commensurate or in default.

KEEP HIM THAT WAY!



What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

At the present time throughout the wheat producing section of the country...

It is possible that some incursions may exist in the wheat section...

In connection with the government's offer to aid the agricultural industry...

The farm industry and the individuals who make it up are going to have to regulate themselves...

Not only is federal control and oversight of the farm industry new to us...

Though more criticism and opposition has been heard from the farm industry...

At the present time most of the complaints against the farm program are heard from the wheat and corn and cotton farmers...

Within the next few years federal control and supervision is going to extend to all branches of the farm and food producing industry.

The government is going to control surplus and production. It is going to say in the surplus and make the penalty for excess production so severe...

Though not apparent to many of us, the program is going to work out to the betterment of the farm industry...

There will be no more going back to the old plans and methods. These are gone forever.

Vegetable bed for drying and growing corn, nature beans and peas, and sweet potatoes.

Troop Movements Began on Texas Highways August 2

Austin, July 31.—The Army will virtually take over a number of major west-east Texas highways beginning August 2...

Colonel Garrison announced that Highway Patrol units, some of them equipped with two-way radio, will secure all major highways across the state.

The State Police portable radio transmitter, KTXN, a full-scale radio station mounted on a truck, will be set up at Terrell as part of a State Police unit which will be maintained there throughout the summer.

Highway Patrol Chief Bill Foreman announced that Patrol units under command of Capt. Jimmie Lee of Wichita Falls will oversee Fort Sill, Okla., troops from the state line near Empress to the Louisiana border.

From Atlanta, Capt. Lloyd Wright will direct escorts for convoys and one from Woodward.

Capt. Harry Hutchinson will be in charge of escorting troops from the headquarters from Fort Sill, Houston, San Antonio.

Carroll E. M. Wells of Fort Worth and S. J. Gilbert of Dallas will work together in helping to maneuver several large convoys through the Fort Worth-Dallas area.

In the counties of Fairfield, McKinney and Dallas, large convoys of troops will spend a day marching while troops return to their bases to pack up additional supplies.

Highway Patrol Forces will be directed to some units accompanying the trucks while others remain to protect the postscript convoys.

The convoys will be escorted through towns and cities in close formation, without regard to stop signs or signal lights.

Any vehicles are kept a sufficient distance apart to allow highway traffic to pass under normal conditions.

According to a report published recently in the American Medical Journal there are about 6,000 "test-tube" babies in the United States...

Some produce one-third of all the natural gasoline made in the United States.

H. SCHINDLER DENTIST Office Hours: 8 to 12 and 1 to 5 Crowell - - - - - Texas

Program Launched by State Dept. to Aid Needy Blind

The State Department of Public Welfare has announced that it will begin accepting applications for aid to the needy blind on Monday, August 11.

In order to be eligible, the applicant must be: (1) Over the age of 21 years; (2) One whose vision with correction glasses is insufficient for use in an occupation...

(3) One who has resided in Texas for five years during the nine years immediately preceding the date of application...

(4) Must not, at time of receiving such aid, be an inmate of any public institution; (5) A person not having sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with health and decency;

In order to expedite completion of investigation, applicants are urged to bring with them documentary proof of their age, and if foreign born, proof of their citizenship...

Applications will be accepted by the present Old Age Assistance workers. A worker will be at County Welfare Office located at Crowell to accept applications for the needy blind on Monday, Aug. 11, at 2 p. m.

J. B. Owen, area supervisor, State Department of Public Welfare, Wichita Falls, asks that all persons who feel that they meet the above eligibility requirements...

Applications for this type of assistance will be accepted at the Field Worker's regular scheduled intake day.

Excess Wheat—

(Continued from Page One)

Wheat may store the excess, secure it by bond or money in escrow and be eligible for a Government loan at 60 per cent of the regular loan rate...

These deposits are the producers' assurance that some of the excess will be sold, but not marketed or disposed of in any other way...

Loans on excess wheat, which are made at 60 per cent of the regular loan rate after the payment is secured by bond or money in escrow...

The producer may collect 12 cents a bushel storage allowance. Delivery of the wheat in payment of the loan, however, is considered marketing and calls for payment of the penalty unless a release is secured...

Farmers who wish to sell or feed their excess may pay the marketing penalty of 49 cents a bushel on the amount of the excess. They will then be free to market or feed their entire wheat crops.

Every wheat farm has a wheat marketing quota, and the only wheat that is subject to penalty when marketed or otherwise disposed of is the smaller of the actual or normal yield on the acres in excess of the farm's acreage allowance.

377 DEATHS ACCOUNT of Automobile ACCIDENTS JULY 4th, 5th and 6th

not counting the injured who will have to pay hospital bills and the hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property destroyed.

WE WRITE ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE and WILL BE GLAD TO ASSIST YOU IN SELECTING JUST THE KIND OF INSURANCE THAT WILL GIVE YOU THE PROTECTION YOU NEED.

BETTER SEE US TODAY!

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Examination and Induction of Men 28 Years Old Postponed

All Selective Service Local Boards in Texas have today received instructions from State Headquarters to postpone the physical examination and induction of men who were twenty-eight years of age or over on July 1, 1941...

General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director, said that this directive has been issued on the strength of the status of age deferment legislation pending in the National Congress.

It is estimated, the Director said, that approximately one-half of the 825,420 men who registered in Texas last October are affected by this order.

General Page said that local boards have also been instructed to postpone the induction of men who were or will be discharged from the Regular Army or the Coast Guard for the convenience of the Government within six months prior to the completion of enlistment...

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Dr. Hines Clark

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Dr. W. F. BABER

Optometrist Offices in Crowell: Roberts-Beverly Building South Side of Square Open Wednesday, August 13 From 8:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. Vernon Offices in Wulfbarger Hotel Building

Summer Specials

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes CORN, KRAUT, MEAL, and HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR EGGS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes VEGETABLES (CARROTS, GREEN ONIONS, RADISHES, WAX BEANS, LETTUCE, OKRA) and HARDWARE SPECIALS (Coolerators, Used Ice Boxes, New Baltic CREAM SEPARATORS).

LANIER'S Home of Good Eats

Ph. 72



# Local

**Miss Hattie Darrow** of Waco is here visiting her sister, Mrs. S. J. Ferguson.

**Mr. and Mrs. Esca Brown** left Monday for a vacation in Sulphur Springs, Austin and other cities.

New shipment of cut flowers and pot plants.—Telephone 223. Crowell Flower Shop. 8-1tc

**Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McAdams** spent several days this week in Midland where they attended a rodeo.

Misses Carrie and Eva Hughton of Dallas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughton and other relatives and friends.

Bottled gas is still \$2.00 per gallon, for one hundred pound cylinders. Six cents per gallon in underground tanks. See us.—W. R. Womack.

**Mrs. Q. V. Winingham** and daughters, Dorothy and Jane, spent several days last week with Mrs. Winingham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gordon, of Mountain View, Okla.

**Mrs. Henry Bird** and three sons, Namer, Eddie and Jack, and small daughter, Frances Ann, and Mrs. Mary Homsey of Oklahoma City, were guests in the home of Fred Webb and D. N. Bird Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

A big shipment of most everything found in an up-to-date furniture store—rugs, floor covering, furniture of various kinds, shades, gas and oil ranges. See us before you buy.—W. R. Womack.

**Rev. and Mrs. Donald Walker** of Lamesa visited Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson, and other relatives here this week. They were on their way to Oklahoma where Mr. Walker will hold a revival meeting.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Plunkett** and daughter, Paula, spent Sunday with relatives in Gould, Okla. Mr. Plunkett's niece, Norvain Plunkett, returned to Crowell with them and is spending this week here.

**Mrs. Paul Shirley** and Reed Sanders returned to Abilene Sunday to get Margaret Claire Shirley and Jean Scales, who had been visiting Dotie Pickett, in Post for the last few days. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fields and son, Joe Paul, and Mrs. W. M. Murrell while in Abilene.

**Miss Oma Floy McLain** has recently accepted a position in the bookkeeping department of the S. & Q. Clothiers in Abilene, after completing a business course in that city. She is a new subscriber to The News.

**Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McMillan** and daughter, Mary Katherine, of Overton spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. McMillan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moore, of the Margaret community and other relatives and friends.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickerson** left Monday for a vacation in New Mexico and California. In Compton, Calif., they plan to visit Mrs. Dickerson's son and daughter, Wilburn Johnson and Mrs. Roy Hunt.

**Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carpenter** of Houston were guests of Mr. Carpenter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox, and his aunt, Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson, and Mr. Thomson, and other relatives here this week.

The W. R. Womack Burial Association offers three separate benefits payable in funeral supplies and service. Adults and 13 years, \$150.00; 12 years and down to 5 years, \$100.00, and five years and down to birth (if written and healthy), \$50.00. Ask us or our agents for full particulars.—W. R. Womack, Pres.

**Mrs. Bert Self** and daughter, Miss Mary Frances Self, and Mrs. Paul Shirley visited friends in Abilene on Wednesday. Miss Self went on to La Jolla, Calif., to visit her sister, Mrs. T. P. Reed.

**Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stancliff** and daughter, Johan, of Houston visited Mrs. Stancliff's aunt, Mrs. Sam Crews, on Friday and Friday night. They were on their way to Ruidoso, N. M., where they will spend their vacation.

Guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seale and daughter, Betty, are Mrs. Seale's niece and nephew, Georgia Bell and Bill Casey, of Brownwood. They were returning from a vacation in Wyoming and Colorado. Bill has proved quite a fisherman since he caught a three-pounder at the Country Club Lake Monday.

**Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nagy** and baby daughter, Helen Beth, of Dilley were guests in the home of Mr. Nagy's twin brother, John Nagy, and Mrs. Nagy from Saturday until Wednesday. These two Nagy brothers are identical twins, and as the old saying goes, "are as much alike as two black-eyed peas."

**Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kelly** of Austin were here last Thursday for a short visit with Mrs. Kelly's brother, Earl Benedict, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly were en route to Colorado on a vacation trip and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale Lanier, their small son, Bobbie, going to Arapahoe to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mills.

**Larry Dan Campbell** is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Campbell, in Vernon this week.

**Beverly Hughton** returned Sunday after a visit with Marjorie Prepps of Knox City.

**Mrs. Marvin Myers** left Sunday for Bryan where she is spending several days with friends there.

Dove shooting season will soon be here, Sept. 1st. Buy your dove shotgun loads here at W. R. Womack's.

**Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole** are on a vacation trip to Breckenridge, Eastland and other Texas points.

**Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Martin** and children of Lubbock were guests last week of Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins, and Mr. Wilkins.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson this week were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burdine and children of Lamesa. They also visited other relatives here.

We invite each and everyone in Crowell's legitimate trade territory to become members in The W. R. Womack Burial Association, now.—W. R. Womack.

**Dorothy Flesher** left Sunday to go to Hamlin where she will spend several days with Eva Fowler. Miss Flesher and Miss Fowler were roommates at John Tarleton College.

**Lieut. Louis Nagy** and Mrs. Nagy and their small son, Edward Louis, of El Reno, Okla., spent the week-end as guests in the home of Lieut. Nagy's brother, John Nagy, and wife.

Buy your Butane underground systems now before another rise comes. There have already been two rises in the past four months. We have bought to protect you. See us now.—W. R. Womack.

**Mrs. Joe Cook** and two small daughters, Barbara Jo and Janice Marie, of Jackson, Miss., are here visiting Mr. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook, and other relatives.

**Mrs. D. R. Magee** and daughter, Ada Jane, are spending this week in Avoca, visiting in the home of Mrs. Magee's sister, Mrs. Eck Gillespie, and family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves** and daughter, Eva Clara, of Palestine spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the home of G. A. Mitchell. They were en route to Carlsbad, Cal.

Folks! We certainly would like for you and your family to become members of The W. R. Womack Burial Association now!—W. R. Womack, President.

**Yvonne McLain** returned from Abilene Sunday after a week's visit with her sister, Oma Floy, Oma Floy and another sister, Mrs. Jack Sparks, brought Yvonne home and spent Sunday in Crowell.

**Mrs. J. D. Lockhart** and Misses Flora Mae and Audra Thompson of Rankin and Mrs. W. R. Thompson of Odessa are here visiting in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson.

**Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughton** and their house-guests, Misses Eva Hughton and Carrie Hughton of Dallas and Mrs. Carrie Hart of Rockwood, who is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. R. Magee, spent Tuesday on a trip to Palo Duro Canyon, and Amarillo.

**Rev. and Mrs. Don Culbertson** returned Friday from a three-weeks' stay in New York City where they attended a conference of ministers and other religious workers at Union Theological Seminary. Rev. Culbertson is pastor of the Margaret-Thalia Methodist churches.

**Mrs. Joe Y. Roberts** visited her husband in Wichita Falls last week.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryson** of Palo Pinto are here this week visiting their children.

**Buddy Moncus** of Wichita Falls is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, and family this week.

**Nettelu Daniels** of Vernon is a guest this week of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson.

**Evelyn Flesher** is a guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Roberts, in Wichita Falls this week.

**Mrs. P. P. Cooper** is spending this week with her son, Roy Cooper, in Cocona.

**R. S. McKinzie** of Lawton, Okla., visited his niece, Mrs. Stanley Sanders, Monday.

**Mrs. Everett Ford** and Mrs. Jesse Chapman returned Sunday from Oklahoma where they visited relatives for several weeks.

**Mrs. C. E. Gafford** and son and daughter, Jim Riley and Iva Ruth, were in Quanah on Saturday visiting relatives.

**Miss Jimmie Adams** of Quanah visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams, Tuesday evening.

**Carl L. Ivie** returned Wednesday from Denver, Colo., to make his home here. He is going to carry on his father's business.

**Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cresnoe** spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with their son, Ted, who is attending summer school at Texas Tech.

Let us fill your order for cut flowers and pot plants. Free delivery service within the city limits.—Crowell Flower Shop. 8-1tc

**Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn** of Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas of McLean left Crowell Tuesday afternoon on a vacation trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

We have a \$70.00 used Coolerator, and two used High Power Perfection oil ranges, in good condition, much cheaper than new ones. Who wants them?—W. R. Womack.

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**Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker** and family and Mrs. G. M. Canup spent several days this week in San Antonio and Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Barker's daughter, Betty, who has been visiting relatives in San Antonio, returned to Crowell with them. In Brownwood they visited Mrs. Canup's son, Wayne Canup.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lilly** and small daughter, Meshalle, came in Monday night from Philadelphia, Pa., where they have been living for the past two months. Mr. Lilly being employed by the B. & O. Railroad as a perishable food inspector. He will report for duty in the Army Air Corps in Wichita Falls Monday where he will assume his duties as a 2nd Lieutenant, having been transferred from the infantry. Lieut. Lilly received his reserve commission upon graduating from A. & M. College in 1940. Mrs. Lilly and baby daughter will remain in Crowell until a place to live is secured in Wichita Falls.

A drive has been launched in this country by Britain to recruit thousands of volunteer radio technicians and mechanics to man their new "secret weapon"—a plane detector. The device which it is expected will make impossible surprise night bombing has been revealed to the American army and navy.

## Classified For Sale

**FOR SALE**—Two 2-room houses, 4 blocks north and half block west of square.—Mrs. Jimmie Franklin. 8-1tp

**FOR SALE**—Nice Elberta peaches at my place in Rayland, 75c per bushel.—H. T. Faughn. 8-1tc

**USED refrigerator** A-1 condition. can be seen at my office.—Leo Spencer. 8-1tp

## CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends in Crowell for their kindnesses on the death of our mother, thanks, and may God continue to bless you.

Barron Goode,  
Mrs. S. F. Ferguson,  
Jennings Goode,  
Minor Goode,  
and Their Families.

J. W. Klepper returned to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Allen Fish, in the Vivian community Wednesday after a ten-day visit in the home of his son, T. B. Klepper, and family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Karel ten Brink** moved Monday to Vernon and are located at 2112 Houston Street. Mr. ten Brink is an employee of The Texas Company and has been transferred from the Texaco oil field west of Crowell to the Fargo field in Wilbarger County.

**Joe Bryant** of Brownfield and Mrs. Bain Price of Plains, arrived here Tuesday night on account of the seriousness of their sister's husband, Cleve Williams. They were accompanied by Mrs. Price's daughters, Virginia Lee Price and Mrs. Brown Simpson and small daughter, Joyce.

# ORR'S Veri-Best Bread

EAT MORE of ORR'S VERI-BEST BREAD  
It's Healthful and Delicious

## RETURN FROM CALIFORNIA

**Mrs. J. H. Lanier** returned Sunday from a month's vacation. She, in company with Miss Faye Easley and George Cates Jr., went to California the first of July. Miss Easley returned last week. While in California, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hub Speck in San Pedro and Mrs. Verna Walker in Wilmington, as well as many points of interest. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis in Ruidoso, N. M., en route home. Mrs. Lanier went from Ruidoso to Littlefield where she had been for a week visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Lanier, Miss Alyne Lanier, Miss Bertha Womack and Miss Agnes Plumley went to Littlefield for her Sunday.

**J. H. Lanier Jr.** returned Tuesday with his combine from Panhandle where he has been harvesting wheat. He reports that the harvest is over in that section.

## Texaco Station Opens Tuesday for Business

**Ike Wilson** and **Bill Gafford** have leased the service station one block east of the square from the Texas Company and opened the station for business Tuesday morning. Travis Fox formerly operated this station.

**Mr. Wilson**, who formerly operated the Conoco Station on North Main Street, will be manager of the new business.

**Mrs. J. R. Allee** returned Monday from a stay of several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Greene and Mr. Greene in Houston.

**Mrs. Laura Giddings** and Mrs. Julian Wright and son, Jacob Julian, of Vernon spent Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly.

# Thanks, Everybody

We want to express our sincere thanks to the people of this section for the good volume of business given our store in the opening sale on last Friday and Saturday. Below you will find many bargains that we are offering the public on Friday and Saturday of this week.

EGGS	Cash or Trade ...	25c
The Market is Getting Higher.		
STEAK	Round, Loin, T-bone	27 1/2
Cut from Grain Fed Steers. Lb.		
SUGAR	Packed Kraft Bags	10 lbs 49c
VINEGAR	..... 1-gal. jug	25c
PINTO BEANS	.	10 lbs. 49c
PICKLES	sweet, 1/2-gal jar	37c
Corn Flakes	JERSEY TWO LARGE PACKAGES	17c
LARD	Wilson's LEAF	4 lbs. 55c; 8 lbs. \$1.07
BRIGHT and EARLY		
TEA .. (limit) ..	1/4 lb. pkg.	10c
BACON	sliced, smoked, lb.	17 1/2c
Beef Roast	rib or brisket .	17 1/2c
CHUCK ROAST	..... lb.	20c
SAUSAGE	pure pork, .. lb.	20c
PORK STEAK	..... lb.	23c
BANANAS	Golden Fruit doz	10c
CARROTS	.... 3 bunches	10c
Green Bell Peppers	..... lb.	7 1/2c
Fresh Red POTATOES	... lb.	2 1/2c
Potatoes	large No. 1 white pk.	25c

# J. T. BROOKS Food Market

Price Quality Service

# LAND Anywhere Any Size Any Price

Several ranches in radius of 150 miles of Crowell.

Farms and stock farms in Foard County, Wilbarger County, Knox County, Hardeman County and on the Plains. Also ranches in New Mexico and Colorado.

# R. W. BELL

Phone Crowell, Texas  
Box 662

## ARE DEBTS WORRYING YOU?

Pay Off with a Bank Loan

It's good business to clean up old bills with a bank loan. If unexpected demands for money have forced you to let bills "slide," come in and arrange a personal loan to pay off your obligations.

Our loans may be repaid through regular monthly deposits if you wish. Relieve yourself of debt-wor-ry. Keep your credit good. Come in and consult us.

**MONEY FOR HIRE**

We have money that wants to work in this community. We welcome inquiries about good loans.

# CROWELL STATE BANK

Member of F. D. I. C. and Federal Reserve System

# ANNOUNCEMENT

We want to announce to the people of this community that we have leased the Texas Company station one block east of the square and the station is now open and ready to serve you with TEXACO products.

We will greatly appreciate the patronage of the motoring public and will use every effort to give satisfactory service in every particular.

# IKE WILSON and BILL GAFFORD

OPERATORS

Spencer Marrow, Agent  
TEXACO PRODUCTS



FOR DEFENSE



BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

AMERICA ON GUARD!

Above is a reproduction of the Treasury Department's Defense Savings Poster, showing an exact duplication of the original "Minute Man" statue by famed sculptor Daniel Chester French.

R. R. Brotherhoods Reject Changes in Rules of Carriers

Following the blanket rejection by the five railway operating brotherhoods, of various rules changes proposed by the American Railroads, F. G. Gurley, chairman of the executive committee of the carriers' conference committee, told labor representatives that proper human relationships between managements and men and the spirit of equity and fair play require the revision and modernization of a patchwork of rules that are burdensome.

Mr. Gurley made his statement regarding rules proposals at a joint conference of railroad and labor spokesmen with the press. Inasmuch as the meetings of the negotiators are closed sessions and the proceedings not made public, the discussion with the press this week was the first public expression of the reasons that certain rules be changed.

"We are convinced," said Mr. Gurley, "that the great majority of the American Railroad workmen want only what is fair. They know that on the long pull they profit most on such a plan."

"Human nature is such, that profligate acts undermine and weaken honorable men," he continued. "When men see others receive large sums of money not for services rendered but because of penalties inflicted upon their employer, and when they themselves quite unexpectedly receive money over and above that already received for a day's work, they are subject to conditions which threaten their moral fiber. Yet those things have happened."

"From such a background there may emerge an entirely new and improper concept of honor. One argues with himself that if his neighbor performs in a manner which is of questionable propriety and gets away with it, that perhaps after all that is all right. At least it seems to be accepted. Thus is provided the seed bed for producing and developing unwholesome ideas and ideals."

"Since the opening of negotiations with railway labor on July 24, the conferees for railway management have been proposing changes in various existing rules for the purpose of fitting them to modern railroad conditions and of affording relief for the carriers from the severity of interpretations that heavily penalized them."

Referring to those rules, Mr. Gurley told the brotherhood representatives that something is wrong "when members of the Adjustment Boards can make decisions that subject the railroads to heavy penalties by way of payment for a few minutes' work, in some instances entailing payment for work not done and extending back over periods of several years. Yet that condition also exists."

Mr. Gurley cited as "a sad commentary" the fact that representatives of railroad labor organizations and representatives of railroad management admit to each other that they do not understand the basis for "interpretations" made by the National Railroad Adjustment Board concerning the services and compensation of railroad men.

"Obviously," he added, "something is wrong some place when members of the adjustment boards decide that the language of a schedule rule has a meaning contrary to that intended by the railroad and employees representatives who reached an agreement and then chose the language to express and record the agreement in a rule."

The principle prompting the railroads' requests for changes in the rules, he stated, "is that there is need for rules covering the conditions under which men work and the pay they are to receive for their work."

He said that such rules should be founded on equity "and expressed in simple language so officers and employes can understand them alike." Nothing, he continued, will do more to promote harmony and stimulate wholesome co-operation between officers and employes.

"Such harmony and such co-operation is essential to our industrial tranquility and to the

Classified Ad Section

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For Sale

FOR SALE—8-week-old pigs—Ed Cates, 4 miles south of Thalia. 8-1tp

FOR SALE—All or any part of my Foard County property. See C. B. Graham. 7-3tp

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room house, also 2-room house. See L. Denton. 6-3tp

FOR SALE—Peaches, 2 1/2 miles north of Thalia.—W. J. Long. 7-4tp

FOR SALE—186 young ewes.—E. T. Evans, 1 1/2 miles west of Crowell. 7-3tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain. Two ice boxes, 2 show cases, 1 cabinet.—J. M. Archer. 8-1tp

FOR SALE—Service station on highway, good equipment, doing good business. Phone 212-M, or see Henry Ross. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—One 5-ft. base bath tub for \$20.00. One model A Ford coupe for \$85.00.—Ballard Produce. 7-2tp

Lost

LOST—White faced steer calf, 6 months old. Lost 3 miles east and 1 mile south of town.—Roy Todd. 6-2tp

NOTICE

We pick up dead, unskinned horses, mules and cows, FREE! Will also pick up crippled livestock and hogs. Call, collect, within 15 miles of town.

Crowell Soap Works BERNICE WEBB, Agent Phone 24

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Italy has called in all of her coins that contain nickel. The metal will be used in the manufacture of guns.

Potatoes yield approximately twice as much food per acre as do wheat.

Rats have from four to five litters a year with from six to 16 young in each litter.

The United States on an average exports only about one per cent of its corn crop.

It is estimated that there was smoked in the United States last year cigars in the amount of \$274,478,450.

Mrs. Roosevelt will receive \$2,000 per broadcast under her new contract with the Pan American Coffee Bureau.

Your Horoscope

August 8, 4.—You have a keen, discriminating mind, and are a good reasoner. You are secretive and as impassive and immobile as a stone lion. No words or facial expression will reveal your thoughts or intention. The only way to throw you off your guard and cause you to show your hand is to arouse your temper. You are courageous, but sometimes become baffled but never defeated.

August 5, 6, 7.—You have marked religious inclinations and a strong love of justice, and sometimes lack charity in your condemnation of what you think is wrong. You have great regard for cleanliness and neatness, and can be well dressed out of what some people throw away. You have good executive and business ability.

August 8, 9.—You have the faculty of looking out for yourself and getting the best end of most everything. You are not always sincere, but dominating and determined, and have a way of strongly swaying people's minds and carrying conviction with you. You have a deep love for your family, are fond of travel and spend money freely, whether it is your own or that of others. You are a valuable and useful member of society.

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

Make yourself an honest man, and then you may be sure that there is one rascal less in the world.—Carlyle.

Honesty is one part of eloquence. We persuade others by being in earnest ourselves.—Harrill.

Honor is worth its danger and its cost, and life is worthless without honor.—G. Bernard Shaw.

Do your work, be honest, keep your word, help when you can, be fair.—J. P. Morgan.

success of our industry. We owe it to ourselves and to those we represent to accomplish it."

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, August 10, 1941. Subject: "Spirit." 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.

Thalia Methodist Church Revival meeting services are being held in the Thalia tabernacle.

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No Trespassing

NO TRESPASSING—No hunting or fishing allowed on my land. It is in a game preserve.—W. B. Johnson. 8-4tp

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 7-2tp

TRESPASS NOTICE No fishing or hunting allowed on my premises.—Leslie McAdams. 15-1tp

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M. Aug. 11, 7:30 P. M. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. J. A. STOVALL, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

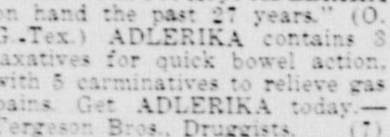
I.O.O.F. Meets tonight (Thursday), at 8:00 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend. C. V. BARKER, N. G. JIMMIE FRANKLIN, Sec.

"Only Medicine I Ever Used and now I'm 81! Kept ADLERIKA on hand the past 27 years." (O. G. Tex.) ADLERIKA contains 3 laxatives for quick bowel action, with 5 carminatives to relieve gas pains. Get ADLERIKA today.—Ferguson Bros., Druggists. (7)

Abstracts and Insurance Crowell, Texas

Exit Lawes

For 21 years Lewis E. Lawes was boss of Sing Sing and now he is leaving to be a writer and lecturer. He is shown taking a last look at his old domain, where as warden he became internationally famous as penologist.



HOUSEHOLD HINTS Grass stains can be removed from summer's white linens and cottons by rubbing them with molasses before washing.

To keep kitchen and bathroom nickel faucets bright, rub them daily with cleansing tissue or other paper.

The cooking time of hominy grits, whole-grain cereals or rice can be shortened by soaking overnight in water to cover.

like snakes, carrying their poison wherever they go. Some are like semi-precious or even precious stones of varying value. But there is one book, called the Bible, which is the diamond of jewels, the lion of strength, and yet it is the bread of nourishment.

The Bible is entitled to live, if for nothing other than its claim to be the Word of God. According to its own evaluation, revelation is its content, inspiration its method, salvation its goal. Who but God could conceive such a plan and theme? And who but He could achieve it so gloriously?

Those who would deny inspiration to the Bible are under the necessity of explaining difficult literary phenomena. How could Moses give laws which are still formative and normative? How could the prophets tell of nations not yet existent and of kings yet unborn? How could such a book of fine artistry come from an in-artistic people?

Even the few sparse scientific references in the Bible seem to be in anticipation of recent discoveries. One race said the world rests on the shoulders of Atlas; another said the world rests on four turtles. The Bible says, "He hangeath the earth upon nothing." The word "nothing" is literally "thinness." Do you know of a better word for other than "thinness"? And while the cultured but heathen races discussed a flat earth and wondered how far the sea could be traveled without reaching the dropping-off place, the Bible held hidden in its depths the simple statement, "He sitteth upon the sphere of the earth." Harvey is given credit for the discovery of the laws of blood circulation, but one many centuries before Harvey said, "The life of the flesh is in

the blood." It is everywhere evident in the Scriptures that the writers are on the side of truth. They abominate lying and deception. They advocate veracity, and glory in integrity. If these ideas are according to their standards, are they then liars or deceivers?

The Bible claims to be without a rival. It is not only a word from God, it is the Word of God. There are other religious books, but there is no other divine revelation. The detractors will one day be retractors, but too late. The men who now say to the Bible, "You are wrong," will one day say, "I am wrong, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven."

When men strike they but matches don't. Fire—its cure is costly, its prevention cheap. Fire waste can never be placed. Taking another's due is than "to dust returned."

PREPAREDNESS Your income is worth more to your family than all else in the world. Insure this, your greatest asset for your family's future need. Sooner or later it will stop, from unemployment, disability, old age, or death. Plan your family's future through Life Insurance. The sooner you plan your family's better your future will be. Is your family secure? Preparedness is meaningful.

JOE COUCH 13 years service with The Great National Life Insurance

MISS VERNON LAUNDRY Truck makes two trips to Crowell each week. You will be satisfied if you give us your laundry. All work guaranteed. Call Bruce Barber Shop for further particulars.

OWEN McLARTY, Solicitor

Where's the trouble? When your business drops off

- Do you wonder why? Do you do anything about it... or just complain about it? Have you got what they want? You must have if you expect to do much business. Are your prices right? People won't pay higher prices at your store than they'd pay elsewhere. Do they know it? It doesn't matter if you have been in business two years or twenty years... People who don't frequent your store don't know your prices or whether you have new and desirable merchandise unless you TELL 'EM! and tell 'em all! The first six you may tell may not need your merchandise or services at present—but the seventh may. Be sure you tell 'em! It's our business to help you publicize your business, your merchandise, your good services and your prices. Tell every person in the Crowell trading area through the advertising columns of this newspaper. Largest paid circulation and greatest territory coverage in the history of the paper. Free cut and copy service if you want it. No charge for advice or information—you pay only for the space you use at reasonable rate per column inch. Telephone 43.

Foard County News

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY





Week In Defense

Roosevelt sent a message to Congress saying that as we did in the months of 1915, at the time of an upward swing of the price structure, and authority to set ceilings for rents, to purchase commodities necessary to assure stability, and to deal sensitively with excesses in credit.

War in Europe, he said.

"The whole production machinery falters under inflation," he said, and "the unskilled worker, the white-collar worker, the farmer, the small business man and the small investor all find that their dollar buys ever less and less."

Economic Defense

President Roosevelt created an Economic Defense Board consisting of Vice President Wallace, chairman, seven Cabinet members, and such additional members as Mr. Wallace may select.

Foreign Affairs

The President ordered the freezing of all Japanese credits in the United States and extended the order to Chinese assets to protect China against Japanese use of assets controlled from occupied China.

Aid to Russia

Lend-Lease Administrator Hopkins arrived in Moscow to discuss expediting of needed war materials to the Soviet Union and the Russian Military Mission conferred with President Roosevelt and

State Department

Acting Secretary Welles said Lend-Lease aid has not been discussed because the Russian Government can purchase needed materials with cash.

Tax Anticipation Notes

The Treasury placed on sale at Federal Reserve Banks tax anticipation notes intended to help taxpayers set aside sufficient money to meet increased tax bills of the coming year.

Army

The War Department created five air support commands in order to co-ordinate the activities of aviation units and ground forces.

Oil

Defense Petroleum Co-ordinator Ickes recommended 100,000 gasoline filling stations in the following States be closed from 7 p. m. to 7 a. m. every night beginning Sunday, August 3: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, District of Columbia, and "all marketing areas in or east of the Appalachian mountains in the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia."

Priorities

Director of Priorities Stettinius issued an order freezing all stocks of raw silk because of "unsettled conditions in the Far East."

Agriculture

OPM Director Knudsen told Agriculture Secretary Wickard the OPM will co-operate to meet shortages of farm equipment and machinery now hindering efforts to increase farm production.

Materials

The OPM Production Division formed a defense advisory committee of the pulp and paper products industry and said defense requirements will increase consumption of the industry's products by 2,000,000 tons this year and an additional 2,000,000 tons next year.

Labor and Employment

Labor Secretary Perkins reported non-agricultural employment increased by 484,000 during June to reach a new all-time high of 38,799,000—an increase of 3,365,000 since June, 1940, and 1,900,000 more than the June, 1929, record.

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS

MANY U.S. COMPANIES, IN ANSWER TO THE NATION'S NEED FOR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT, BEGAN MAKING NEW KINDS OF PRODUCTS ALTHOUGH THEY WERE USED ONLY TO PEACETIME MANUFACTURE—



Two Minute Sermon (By Thomas Hastwell)

It is Man's Responsibility: "If God is supreme and all powerful why doesn't he put a stop to this terrible war?" This question was asked in a group in which I was present recently. It is perhaps being asked by many people everywhere every day.

TEXAS MILK INDUSTRY

Austin, July 31.—Approximately one-fifth more Texas-produced milk is being converted into staple dairy products now than a year ago. Reports from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reveal 151,927,000 pounds of milk were used during June in making 4,813,000 pounds of creamery butter, 1,870,000 gallons of ice cream, and 1,946,000 pounds of American cheese.

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

- August 11.—Fulton steamboat makes first trip, 1807. Carrie Jacobs Bond, play wright, born, 1862.
August 12.—United States formally annexes Hawaii, 1898. Lewis and Clark entered Idaho, 1805.
August 13.—First American flag raised in Los Angeles, Calif., 1846. Manila surrendered to American forces, 1898.
August 14.—Colonel Roosevelt and Rough Riders return from Cuba, 1898. Gov. Binwidie fort makes Washington commander of Virginia militia, 1755.

August 15.—Panama Canal opened to navigation, 1914. Lafayette returns to visit America, 1824.

August 16.—First message by Atlantic cable, 1858. Battle of Bennington, Vt. (Revolutionary War), 1777.

August 17.—Klondike gold discovered, 1896. David Crockett, pioneer, politician, born, 1786.

Life insurance statistics show that there are five causes of death each of which today take an annual toll greater than the U. S. war deaths of the last war: heart disease, cancer, cerebral hemorrhage, accidents, and Bright's Disease. Care and preventive effort can reduce this death toll, it is pointed out by life insurance men.

INSURANCE FIRE, TORNADO, Hail, Etc. A. E. McLaughlin



... that's the kind of bargain Your Electric Servant brings YOU NOW under Business Operation



1. Twice the speed. Electric servants breeze through your housework in less than half the time it used to take—at about half the cost.



2. Twice the labor saving. Ask the woman who owns a washing machine what electricity has done for her!



3. Twice the light. No blackouts here! Today you can get twice as much light as you used to, for the same money.



4. Twice the comfort. Constant research is developing new and cheaper ways of using electricity.

Credit for the steadily improved service to you at steadily reduced rates is due the trained and experienced men and women of this organization.



Letters from the People:

"We used to pay 15 cents a kilowatt-hour. The low rates today enable us to use our many appliances without being extravagant. Besides lights, we now have range, water heater, refrigerator, sweeper, air conditioner, iron, percolator, toaster, waffle iron, radio, fans and heating pad—making for better and more economical living."

West Texas Utilities Company

Take it Easy... HOT-WEATHER SPECIALS CUT DOWN ON KITCHEN TIME

Come out of the kitchen and enjoy more summertime leisure! These homemaking time-savers help you cook and keep house with a minimum of effort and expense.

- CRISCO 61c TWO-pound can
FAVORITE COCONUT 2 cans 15c
OLIVES, 5 1/2 oz. 19c
WAPCO CATSUP, 14-oz. 10c
WHITE SWAN SALAD DRESSING . . pt. 21c
DEL MONTE RIPE OLIVES, 9-oz. can 17c
SUGAR, Pure Cane 53c Cloth Bag, ONE BAG LIMIT, 10 POUNDS
WHITE SWAN FAVORITE CORN Cream Style No. 2 can . 11c
Ranch Style Spaghetti, 3 cans . 23c
CONCHO PEAS No. 1 Can 10c
FLOUR, Pur-A-Snow 24-Pounds 89c
MEAL, Lightcrust FIVE Pounds 19c
K. C. Baking Powder, 25-oz. . . 16c
HOMINY, White Swan THREE No. 2 1/2 Cans 23c

SPECIALS GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 10-oz can 8c PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3 cans . . . 27c GRAPE JUICE, White Swan, pt. 15c APPLES, 150 size, Dozen . . . 27c ORANGES, large size, dozen . . . 27c SPUDS . . . 10 lbs. . . 15c

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# --SOCIETY--

Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor  
Phone 165 or 43J

## Miss Dorene Gibson Becomes Bride of Chester Graham

With Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald reading the ceremony, Miss Dorene Gibson and Mr. Chester Graham were married at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning at the Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson, and the groom is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with white and navy accessories. Her corsage was of dusty rose peach blossoms.

For "something old" the bride wore an heirloom pearl pin which has been in the family for five generations.

Only members of the immediate families, Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCrohon of San Angelo were present for the wedding.

Mrs. Graham is a 1941 graduate

of Crowell High School.

When the couple return from their wedding trip to Houston, Galveston and points in Mexico, they will be at home on Mr. Graham's farm southeast of Crowell where a newly built house completely furnished is ready for them.

### SHOWER TO HONOR BRIDE

Mrs. C. D. Haney and Mrs. Dave Shultz were joint hostesses at a shower on July 23 to honor Mrs. Arthur Porter who was Miss Rudell Blevins before her recent marriage. The shower was held at the Thalia Baptist Church.

The honor guest and her mother, Mrs. Charlie Blevins, were seated at a table placed just inside the door of the church. A lace cloth covered the table which was centered with a Fostoria vase filled with marigolds and petunias and placed in a bed of verbenas. Bachelor buttons, zinnias and other cut flowers were used in decoration.

The gifts were received by

Mrs. Roy Shultz and were unwrapped by the honoree and her mother.

A short program was rendered. G. B. Neill Jr. gave piano selections and Jimmie Johnson played accordion numbers. Mrs. Haney gave an original skit which was addressed to the honor guest and was in token of her friendship and expressed best wishes to her for her future.

Mrs. Porter thanked the donors in words of appreciation. Many nice and useful gifts were received.

Miss Evelyn Johnson presided at the guest register. Miss Frances Tamplin poured punch.

### MARRIED

The marriage of Mrs. Ethel Scott to C. H. Dickerson, which occurred on April 26, in Childress, was announced here this week. The ceremony was read by Rev. Orion W. Carter, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Childress.

Mrs. Dickerson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox and has owned and operated the Premier Hotel for several years. Mr. Dickerson is a geologist for the Foster Petroleum Corporation and lived here while the exploration work was being done in the Alcee oil well.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickerson left this week on a vacation trip to California.

### FAMILY REUNION

For the first time in several years all the children of Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark were together in a family reunion at the Clark home over the week-end. The families of all were present with the exception of one son-in-law, J. C. Cumley, who was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Male and children, Marilyn, Richard, Virginia, and Sherbourne of New Orleans; Mrs. J. C. Cumley and son, James Hines, of Johnson City; First Lieutenant Dan Hines Clark, M. C., and Mrs. Clark and their baby daughter, Paula, who are being transferred from Camp Bowie to Brownwood to the Ordnance Depot at Charleston, S. C.; Charles Stuart Clark with Dr. and Mrs. Clark and Miss Ila Richardson who lives in the home, compared the house party.

The family was together from Friday evening until Sunday morning. Dr. and Mrs. Dan Clark and baby, together with Mrs. Cumley and son, left early Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Cumley and James Hines will reside in Dallas after the first of September where Mr. Cumley will be an instructor in the Dallas schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Male left this (Thursday) morning for Wichita, Wakefield, and Clay Center, Kan., to visit Mr. Male's father, brother and two sisters. There will be a reunion of the Male family, also. They plan to return to Crowell before going to their home.

### METHODIST SOCIETY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service held its August social meeting in the home of Mrs. M. S. Henry Monday afternoon

with Mesdames Henry, George Self, Henry Ferguson and Jeff Bruce as hostesses.

Mrs. Frank Fleisher was leader for the program. She gave a devotional and also a meditation. With Mrs. Sam Crews, accompanying, those present sang "The Church's One Foundation." The Church's One Foundation was the last chapter in the book, "Investing Our Heritage." The chapter was titled, "Investing Our Heritage in Interdenominational Co-operative Work."

Mrs. Claude Brooks, president, conducted a short business session. The hostesses served a refreshment plate to the members present and to Misses Carrie and Eva Hughton and Mrs. Carrie Hart as guests.

## Nearly 500 Texas Tenants Make Start to Farm Ownership

Nearly 500 Texas tenant families were started on the road to farm ownership during the fiscal year 1939-40 through the tenant purchase program of the Farm Security Administration. It is revealed by an analysis of the program just completed.

County FSA Supervisor, Julian Wright, has received details of the survey covering 432 Texas farm families, from C. M. Evans, Dallas, regional director of Farm Security.

Very few of the buyers, the analysis shows, were able to find fully developed farms for reasonable prices. Almost all of them bought farms with rundown buildings or unimproved farms and had to borrow enough to make improvements to land or buildings.

On 382 of the farms, new homes have been built, at an average cost of only \$1,368.78, and on 119 of the farms existing houses were repaired at an average cost of only \$478.51. The total average cost of new construction and repairs to existing buildings, including homes, barns, and all other outbuildings, was only \$1,881.68. An average of \$302.08 per farm was spent on improvements to land, including fencing, terracing and water supply improvement.

The average price of the farms bought under the tenant purchase program in Texas was \$5,195.40, which, with the additional outlay for improvements to buildings and land, brought the average loan to \$7,079.16. The average farm loans under the Bankhead-Jones act are amortized over 40 years at three per cent interest.

## 40th Birthday of Spindletop Oil Field to Be Celebrated

Beaumont, Aug. 4.—Spindletop, the most famous oil field in history, will have a birthday party this year.

Discovered forty years ago when the Lucas gusher blew in with a roar heard around the world, Spindletop will furnish the theme for a national oil anniversary celebration to be held here Oct. 9, 10 and 11 by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

Highlighting the birthday observance will be the dedication of a huge monument to be erected to the Lucas gusher and the pioneers of Spindletop. Made of Texas granite, the shaft is the result of the efforts of the Lucas Gusher Monument Association headed by J. Cooke Wilson of Beaumont, and of scores of oilmen who have contributed to its completion. It will be the second tallest monument in Texas, yielding only to the stratospheric San Jacinto memorial.

Spindletop, first gusher oil field in the United States, was the beginning of the modern petroleum industry. Oil was found here in 1901 in such tremendous quantities that it could be used not only for lubricants but also for fuel and power. As the inscription now being carved on the monument base points out, "Petroleum has revolutionized industry and transportation; it has created untold wealth, built cities, furnished employment for hundreds of thousands, and contributed billions of dollars in taxes to support institutions of government. In a brief span of years, it has altered man's way of life throughout the world."

In Texas, the petroleum industry has grown in the four decades until it is now the largest business in the State. Production last year was almost half a billion barrels from nearly 100,000 wells, and expenditures for Texas labor, supplies, etc., totalled \$750,000,000.

Taking part in the birthday celebration will be leading oil men from all parts of the country, many of whom entered the business at Spindletop. Both the convention program and its entertainment will carry out the anniversary theme, according to Mr. Wilson, who is convention chairman. E. L. Smith of Dallas is president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, research and service organization of Texas oil men which is planning the observance.

More than 3 1/2 per cent of all life insurance death claims are paid for automobile accidental deaths, it is reported by the Institute of Life Insurance, this tragic toll costing life insurance policyholders \$35,000,000 annually.

## Pay Day for Dollar-a-Year Men



Here are some of the 262 dollar-a-year men in the defense program on their recent "pay day." Total of all payments was only \$126 to the 262 workers as many of them had not worked a full year and could not receive their "total" salary. Distributing checks above (center) is Edward Stettinius, priorities director.

## Co-operative Fresh Peach Campaign Continues Aug. 7th Through 15th

Results of the initial drive just concluded, of the fresh peach cooperative campaign were most gratifying, according to L. J. Cappelman, regional director for the Southern States, Surplus Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Dallas. Starting August 7 through 15 a further intensive drive will be launched. This drive will preface a sustained co-operative effort throughout the remainder of the fresh peach season.

"In this public spirited drive the peach producer, wholesaler and retailer, in co-operation with the Surplus Marketing Administration, are all working hand in hand for the benefit of consumer and producer. This campaign is an example of the outstanding results that can be achieved when a co-operative effort is made," Mr. Cappelman continued. "The peach producer was faced with several important problems at harvest time. First, this year's crop of southern peaches is the largest in the last 10 years. Marketing time for fresh peaches is unusually short, and only through a co-operative effort on the part of all groups handling the fruit could this bountiful crop be marketed with a fair return to the producer."

"A further important aim of this co-operative campaign is to educate the consuming public as to the health-building value of fresh peaches. Not only are peaches delicious, but they contain certain vitamins so necessary in our daily diet. The program is proving successful in this two-fold problem of helping farmers move their crop into consumption, and improving diets of American families."

"In order to further increase our domestic consumption of this abundant fresh peach crop, and assist needy families in securing

a more nutritive diet, peaches have been included on the list of health-protecting foods in the Federal Food Stamp Plan.

"The peach producing industry, in co-operation with local Food Industry Committees, Chambers of Commerce, as well as wholesalers and retailers are stressing the value of peaches in everyone's diet. American homemakers in turn are doing their share by purchasing and serving fresh peaches daily. Our reports show, not only are they serving more fresh peaches, but the alert homemaker is canning and preserving peaches in order to serve them to her family all winter long."

In conclusion, Mr. Cappelman urged, the same spirit of co-operation shown during the first phase of the fresh peach campaign be continued through the final drive August 7 through 15, and as long as the fresh peach crop is available.

### ROTARY CLUB

John Razor was in charge of the program of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon. A very interesting and instructive talk was given by I. T. Graves.

Rotarians Jack Goodkootz, E. A. Sanders, Arthur Wey, Earl Morley and Johnnie Jones of Quanah, also T. W. McCoy of Quanah, were visitors at the club meeting.

The soy bean, unknown in this country a few years ago, has become one of the country's important crops. This year there are about 10,000,000 acres of soy beans. The value of the crop was estimated to be over \$55,000,000 in 1940.

France has been a disappointment in the war—too much fifth column work.

## Beauty Shops to Make Small Changes in Prices

Because of the advance in cost of supplies, the Beauty Shops of Crowell have been forced to make minor changes in prices on some of the services rendered. The following rates will be effective on Monday, August 18:

- Permanents . . . \$2, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5, \$6
- Plain Shampoos . . . 25c
- Special Shampoos . . . 35c
- Hot Oil Shampoos . . . 50c
- Finger-Waves . . . 25c
- Color Rinses . . . 10c
- Henna Packs . . . \$1.50
- Hair Dyes . . . \$2.50
- Lash and Brow Dyes . . . 50c
- Manicures . . . 35c

Modern Beauty Shop  
Rader Beauty Shop  
Davis Beauty Shop

# DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS

To make room for the large amount of Fall merchandise we have coming, we offer the people of this section many BARGAINS on the stock we have on hand. We MUST make room for more merchandise. BUY NOW and SAVE!

Regular \$1.95 and \$1.49 <b>DRESSES \$1.00</b> now	<b>Men's Knit SHIRTS \$1.00</b> 4 for
Regular 69c <b>Pure LINEN \$1.00</b> 2 yards for	<b>Boys' Knit SHIRTS \$1.00</b> 6 for
Regular 25c and 19c <b>BATISTE and DIMITY \$1.00</b> 8 yards for	<b>Men's Sport Shirts \$1.00</b> Long and short sleeves; Reg \$1.49, now
35 Summer <b>SILK DRESSES</b> Regular \$4.95 now . . . \$2.50 Regular \$3.95 now . . . \$2.00 Regular \$2.95 now . . . \$1.50	<b>Men's Dress Straw Hats \$1.00</b> Regular 98c values now 2 for
Close-Out Ladies' Slacks <b>SUITS</b> Regular \$3.95, now . . . \$2.79 Regular \$2.98 for . . . \$1.98	<b>Men's Wash Pants \$1.00</b> Regular \$1.95, now
	<b>Many Other Bargains</b>

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