

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1942

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Crowell Garden Club Sponsors Clean-Up Campaign for Town

As one of its special projects for the year, the Crowell Garden Club is sponsoring a Clean-Up Campaign for Crowell. Mrs. W. V. Grover, president of the club, states that plans are being formulated for a thorough cleaning-up of the streets, alleys, yards, vacant lots, and in this spring campaign. Mrs. Grover is Civic chairman of the Garden Club and is the general chairman of the Clean-Up Campaign. Her committee chairmen for the various sections of the town are: Mrs. A. D. Campbell, Mrs. John Rasor, Mrs. Earl Kincaid, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, Mrs. Q. V. Winingham, Mrs. R. Kincaid, Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, Mrs. Mason Brown and Mrs. M. J. Girsch. These ladies will have assistants aid them in the work of the campaign. The days between April 10 and 11, have been designated by the mayor, C. T. Schlagal, as Clean-Up Week.

First Aid Classes to Be Started Next Monday Night

The second course in Red Cross first aid training will be started on next Monday night at the court house. Numbers have signed that they had been unable to take advantage of the first series of instruction and the new classes will be organized, if there is a sufficient number present on Monday night to justify it. W. V. Grover will meet with the group and plans will be made for a class, if that is the desire of enough people.

High School Band Gives Concert Tues.

The High School Band, under the able direction of Henry C. Sussie, presented a concert in the High School auditorium on Tuesday morning at Chapel exercises. A splendid program of fifteen numbers was given, with several special numbers. Billy Red Short played a trombone solo. He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Arnold Rucker. A piano duet was played by Hugh Longino and John Clark Long. The twirlers, Kathleen Eddy, Bobby Lee McDaniel and Joann Benson, were attractive features of the program. The personnel of the band, at present, is as follows: James Lee Sussie, Billy Red Short, A. G. Wallace, Larue Graves, Billy Colton, Ross Adams, Hugh Longino, Air Attache Clark Long, Lois Evelyn Sussie, Leash, Lowell Campbell, Ray Burrow, Marjorie Young, Joe Harlan, Scales, Harold Longino, Patsy Catherald, Roy Joe Cates, Thomas Rasor, C. D. Campbell, Harry D. Campbell, Betty Jo Zeigler, Yvonne McLain, Wanda Jo Catherald, Wanda B. Cobb, Hardy Sanders, Ada Jane Magee, Rita Carol Jean Harvey, Billy Jo Scott, Ray Longino and Presley Thomson.

3 Foard County Men Leave for Ft. Sill

Six Foard County men were sent to Ft. Sill, Okla., Friday by the local Selective Service Board for induction into the United States Army. They are as follows: Wayne E. Diggs, Raymond Turnbull, William M. Love, Henry E. Brisco, Daniel F. Brisco and Orville H. White.

Patriotic Rally to Be Held at Riverside

A patriotic rally will be held in the auditorium of the Riverside school house on Thursday night, March 19, at 8:30. The feature of the program will be a patriotic pageant by the Riverside school pupils.

Brother Patriots

Heretofore Judge Thomas has been asked to make available all public elementary sites in his jurisdiction for such registration; also to estimate the population to be registered at each such school site and to secure the co-operation of all school administrators and teachers in the county for the purposes of the registration. These requirements have been met, according to Judge Thomas. Just as soon as accurate information is received, same will be transmitted to the public.

On Way Out



This picture is typical of what is happening throughout California, where alien Japanese are being evacuated by the government to prevent sabotage and aid to the enemy. Photo shows a San Francisco resident hanging out "evacuation sign."—Soundphoto.

Edgar E. Marlow of Thalia Graduates from Air School

Sheppard Field, Texas, March 16.—Pvt. Edgar E. Marlow, son of Arthur Marlow, of Thalia, has been graduated from the world's largest Air Corps Technical School at Sheppard Field, where he has been attending classes for the past several months. Private Marlow, attached to the 317th Technical School Squadron while in the school here, was graduated March 10. Prior to enlisting he attended Thalia High School. Having undergone intensive training designed to give him a complete working knowledge of the battle birds, he is now qualified as one of the eight specialists necessary to keep one plane in the air. Graduates of this technical course are eligible to be shipped to any tactical unit maintained by the Air Corps.

Knitting Classes for Red Cross Work Now in Progress

The Red Cross knitting classes being taught by Mrs. Arnold Bracewell are well under way and the sweaters which were started three weeks ago are now nearing completion. Mrs. Bracewell will continue to instruct the ladies who have sweaters started, but, after this week, no new classes will be organized. Mrs. Bracewell has devoted her entire time to the cause since the thread for knitting was received.

Supplies for Ration Book No. 1 Received

Supplies for the issuance of War Ration Book 1 have been received for Foard County, however, definite instructions have not as yet been received as to the procedure to be pursued in the issuance thereof. The latest information which Judge Thomas has received is to the effect that registration day will be one day in April and that just as soon as the "R" day is set that definite instructions and handbooks will be released for distribution to the Registrars throughout the county. It is now definitely known that the registration will be held in the elementary schools of the county and that the teachers in the various schools will be the registrars thereof.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital
Patients In:
R. L. Hudgens.
Patients Dismissed:
Baby Katherine Strunk.
J. C. Thompson Jr.
C. W. Bond.
George Griffith.
Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.; 2 to 5 p.m.; 7 to 9 p.m.

Thalia Basketball Tourney Set for Friday - Saturday

The Thalia All-Star Basketball tournament will be held at the Thalia High School gymnasium Friday and Saturday nights. It was announced here Tuesday morning by Bill Wisdom. One of the outstanding teams which will attend the tournament will be that of the Decatur Baptist College, winner of the O'Brien all-star tournament two weeks ago. Other all-star teams taking part in the tournament will be Tell, Carey, Margaret, Crowell, Five-in-One, Northside, South Lockett, Sunset, Vernon and a team of cadets from Victory Field, Vernon. Mr. Wisdom stated that play will start at 7 o'clock Friday night. Light refreshments will be for sale by the senior class of the Thalia High School. Officials will be chosen at the tournament.

Thirteen Crowell FFA Boys Attend Fat Stock Show

Thirteen Crowell F. F. A. boys, accompanied by their sponsor, Marvin L. Myers, attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday. Some of the boys went on a truck with Kelly Erwin Friday morning and the others went with Mr. Myers Friday afternoon. Names of the boys in the group are: Ray Burrow, Craig Sandlin, Dorace Naron, H. L. Blevins, Wilburn Nichols, Bill Nichols, T. L. Owens, Clifford White, Gordon Erwin, Joe Frank Gilliam, John Calvin Carter, Paul Veceera and Jim Hill Erwin.

Renewal of Library Subscriptions Needed

There has recently been added to the library a book of poems by Nancy Richey Ranson, poet laureate of Texas. She is at her best in this book of poems for children, but the charming collection will appeal to the old as well as to the young. Mrs. Ranson states, in the dedication of the book to her mother, that the poems are for children from 1 to 101 years of age. The Foard County Federation Library is supported by memberships and is very much in need of money to finance it at the present time. The government has asked that, at this crucial time, no libraries be closed, and, if the library is to be kept open, renewal of subscriptions will, necessarily, have to be made. Seventeen periodicals and magazines come to The Library weekly and monthly, and, in order to keep abreast of the ever-changing current of affairs, there could be no better way than to become a member of the Library at the low cost of \$1.00 per family membership.

AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

Leonard Thomas Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith of Crowell, has been awarded an Athletic Scholarship at Southern Methodist University for the spring semester. It was announced by A. C. Zimmerman, dean of students. Smith is a sophomore at S. M. U.

Argentina Keeps Her Powder Dry

A sturdy, tough army, biggest in South America, shows that Argentina is ready to back herself up when her policy of neutrality runs out. She knows that the fact that she has not severed relations with the Axis will not save her from being an Axis objective when the time comes. Here her army is pictured in review. Notice the helmets, not much unlike German helmets.



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Mayor's Proclamation For Clean-Up Campaign for Crowell

The days of April 5 to 11, inclusive, have been designated as Spring Clean-Up Campaign days in Crowell.

The spring and growing days are here and it should be the desire of all citizens that the town should look as clean and fresh as the spring itself. All property, yards, streets, and alleys, should be given a good cleaning. This is necessary, not only from a standpoint of beauty but from a standpoint of health, as well, and all precaution should be made in times such as we are going through to safeguard the health in every way.

Then, a Clean-Up Campaign is a Fire-Prevention measure, and, inasmuch as any fire is a serious drain upon the present economic condition, every precaution should be taken to prevent fires.

Therefore, I, C. T. Schlagal, Mayor of the City of Crowell, hereby set aside the days of April 5 to 11, inclusive, as City of Crowell Clean-Up Campaign Week.

The following committee chairmen are appointed to supervise the Clean-Up Campaign in their respective parts of Crowell: Mrs. Grover Cole, General chairman; Mrs. A. D. Campbell, Mrs. John Rasor, Mrs. Merl Kincaid, Mrs. R. J. Thomas, Mrs. Q. V. Winingham, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, Mrs. W. A. Cogdell, Mrs. Mason Brown and Mrs. M. J. Girsch. The Business District will be under the supervision of J. R. Beverly, Floyd Thomas and George Self.

I call upon the schools, churches, clubs, civic organizations and all individuals to co-operate in the observance of the campaign.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 19th day of March, A. D. 1942.

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

Edgar P. Jinks Killed While on Duty with United States Navy

Edgar Phelan Jinks, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jinks, of Wichita Falls, former citizens of Crowell, is reported to have been killed in an airplane crash on Feb. 24. In a message to his parents from Washington, D. C., announcing the loss of the young man, the statement was made that the body had not been recovered and that further details would be given when received. Jinks was a radioman, third class, U. S. Navy, and doing duty on U. S. S. Enterprise, when he last communicated with his family. He is survived by his parents, five brothers and two sisters. He was a nephew of Mrs. Emma Howard and of Mrs. Chas. Gafford of Crowell.

Mrs. Elsie Hogsett Guest Speaker at Rotary Club Meeting

One of the most outstanding programs of the year for the Crowell Rotary Club was given Wednesday at the luncheon meeting, when Mrs. Elsie Hogsett, of Fort Worth, a special representative of the passenger department of the Fort Worth and Denver Ry. Co., was the guest speaker. Other out-of-town guests were O. M. Smith of Wichita Falls, general agent of the Fort Worth and Denver Ry. Co., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and A. T. Chaney of Quanah, and Mrs. P. N. Stephens of Stephenville. The Rotary Annals and several other guests were also present. Mrs. Hogsett was a charming and entertaining speaker and held her audience with her pleasing manner and worth while address. She related the story of a trip to "Boys' Town" in Omaha, Neb., which she had recently made. She spent three days at the "town" where homeless and underprivileged boys are given a "chance." The town is inter-racial and inter-denominational. While the founder of the place, Father Flanagan, is a member of the Catholic Church, no pressure whatever is brought to bear on the boys' religious inclinations. The boys, however, are required to go to church on Sunday, each boy going to the church of his own choice. The self-management, the independence of the boys, the development of their personality, their outcome, after leaving the town, all tend to make marvelous history.

J. H. Minnick Seriously Ill at Fort Worth

J. H. Minnick, prominent rancher of Crowell and Foard County, collapsed at Fort Worth Sunday night while he was engaged in examining two quarter horses at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show barns. At the last report, Mr. Minnick remained seriously ill but the real nature of his illness had not been definitely determined. Mrs. Minnick is at his bedside. He is at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth.

Aged Banker of Gainesville Died

The death of D. T. Lacey, 96, banker and resident of Gainesville for over sixty years, occurred Tuesday morning of this week, according to a message received by Mrs. T. B. Klepper. Mr. Lacey entered the banking business in Gainesville when a young man and, although he retired from active duty several years ago, he still went to his office in the bank every day up until his death this week. Dr. J. A. Fitzgerald, University of Texas business administration dean, is aiding insurance executives, agents and brokers of the nation in their efforts to develop a school for improvement of professional standards for property and liability underwriters.

Local Football Team Starts Spring Training on Wednesday at High School; Will Continue Until Friday, April 17

Spring training for the Crowell High School football team got under way Wednesday instead of Monday as scheduled. Late delivery of some equipment was the reason for the postponement of the initial practice period. This will allow the spring training to continue until Friday, April 17, instead of Wednesday, April 15.

Due to an old hip injury, Paul Veceera, regular guard last season, will be unable to participate in spring training. J. W. Sillis, center on the last year's B team, returned to school this week.

G. A. Mitchell Passes 85th Mile Stone

G. A. Mitchell, pioneer resident of Crowell and Foard County, quietly celebrated his 85th birthday at his home last Monday. Four of his daughters, Miss Dine Mitchell and Mrs. J. R. Allen, of Crowell, Mrs. W. L. Thurston of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. W. B. Carter, of Lubbock, were present for the occasion. Also, a granddaughter, Mrs. Bob Beck, her husband and small son, of Sudan, attended the celebration. Mr. Mitchell is active and alert and is interested in all affairs of state and country. Friends called during the day to offer their congratulations and to wish him many returns of his birthday.

Green Bugs Are Damaging Wheat

Green bugs are doing considerable damage to the wheat in this county, according to reports made by farmers and elevator men. They are not to be found in every wheat field, but in the fields where they have struck they have destroyed many acres of grain. It is said that they thrive better in damp, cold weather, but when the weather warms up they seem to disappear. At this time it is not possible to foretell the damage that may be done by these bugs, however, it is hoped that warm weather will set in and they will leave.

Delegates Attend Odd Fellow Meeting

Mrs. S. E. Tate, Ed Manard and C. V. Barker left for San Antonio Sunday to attend the State meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows which convenes in that city this week. Mr. Barker is the Noble Grand of the local lodge and a delegate to the state meeting and Mrs. Tate is a delegate from the Rebekah Auxiliary of Crowell. They were accompanied to San Antonio by Mrs. Tom Patton who will visit for several weeks with her daughter, Miss Ella Patton.

JOINS COAST GUARD

Cecil Carroll, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock and son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell, has joined the U. S. Coast Guard. He left Lubbock last week for Amarillo to report to the recruiting office. He was sent to Fort Worth Monday and is now stationed at New Orleans for training.

Wounded by Japs

Gen. Pat Hurley, secretary of war in the Hoover administration, who was reported wounded at Port Darwin while en route to his new post as U. S. minister to New Zealand. Flying from Java, his army bomber was attacked by a swarm of Jap bombers. Later his quarters at Port Darwin were shelled and Hurley was slightly injured.

Names of Men Registered Feb. 15 Listed Below

The list of Selective Service registrants, who signed up on Feb. 15, was released last week by the local board. At the same time the board released rules which should be closely adhered to by all registrants.

1. Report immediately to your local board any change of address.
2. Report immediately to your local board any change in your work, your dependents or your physical condition.
3. Consult with your Government appeal agent if you believe you have been improperly classified.
4. Keep in touch with your local board.

List of registrants follow:

- 195 Abston, Eddie Hays
- 7 Abston, Lester Harris
- 116 Abston, Tom Nelson
- 233 Albert, John Henry
- 101 Allen, Ofie Clarence
- 121 Aranda, Bruno Villard
- 127 Archer, Louis Edward
- 141 Arher, Roy Viregil
- 30 Autry, Jesse Clarence
- 63 Bagley, Felix Sedic
- 57 Ballard, Richard
- 25 Beatty, Richard Numbers Jr
- 219 Beesinger, Clyde Cecil
- 117 Beidleman, Harry Gus
- 307 Bell, Alton Brooks
- 174 Bell, Fred Elmer
- 295 Bell, Gordon
- 146 Bell, James Everett
- 209 Bell, Robert Ralph
- 303 Bell, Valmer Wesley
- 54 Benham, George Sherman
- 15 Billingsley, Samuel Abner
- 302 Billington, James Tanner
- 229 Bonar, Robert
- 182 Bond, Roscoe Edwin
- 152 Bledsoe, Joseph Ely
- 200 Bradford, Anderson
- 191 Bradford, Ralph Henry
- 286 Bradford, Ralph Lenie
- 153 Broxtov, Ernest Willie
- 221 Brisco, Daniel Franklin
- 64 Brisco, Daniel Pinkney
- 305 Brisco, Rubin Mosas
- 202 Brock, James Edward
- 218 Brown, George Washington
- 24 Brown, Esca Wademan
- 29 Brown, Hubert Charlie
- 66 Brown, Jodie Martha
- 176 Brown, Jose Rios
- 148 Brown, Lewis Mason
- 1 Bryant, Glen
- 149 Burk, Edmund Forrest
- 285 Bursey, James Howard
- 107 Byrd, Ren Jr.
- 181 Campbell, Charley P.
- 154 Campbell, Dwight Lowell
- 170 Capps, John Taylor
- 256 Capps, Edwin Harley
- 34 Carroll, Cecil Dalvin
- 248 Carroll, Mellard Marvin
- 52 Carroll, Richard Staley
- 288 Carter, Morris Edward
- 155 Castillo, Juan Mansilla
- 127 Cates, George Astor
- 119 Cavin, Alton Hukill
- 224 Cavin, Charles Lee
- 36 Chism, Luther John
- 158 Christian, Mesbitt Otto
- 6 Clayton, Hoy
- 144 Coffey, James Olis
- 179 Collins, Jesse Fred
- 49 Coltharp, Garland Coy
- 205 Conner, Leroy
- 120 Cottrell, William
- 28 Cox, Earnest McGee
- 5 Crosnoe, Elmer H.
- 141 Croxton, Roy Arthur
- 234 Davis, Audran Lemoir
- 126 Davis, Byron George
- 50 Davis, Travis Clark
- 12 Dawson, Alvin Henry
- 155 Denton, Isaacs Luthie
- 236 Dishman, Author Wayne
- 186 Dockins, Lester Monroe
- 168 Dockins, William Glenn
- 284 Dunn, Cecil Earl
- 228 Durham, Henry Plase
- 140 Dunn, Robert Edgar
- 214 Durham, Henry William
- 254 Easley, Hartley B.
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Items from Neighboring Communities

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

Mr. and Mrs. Oma Monkes of Wichita Falls spent last Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Autry and family. Jesse's mother, Mrs. T. H. Autry, who had visited for several weeks with relatives in Wichita Falls, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Monkes here and will spend the summer with them.

Miss Lou Martin of Vivian spent the week-end with Mrs. E. V. Halbert. Miss Martin left Sunday for Fort Worth where she will visit her parents.

Mrs. E. V. Halbert returned home last Thursday from Wichita Falls where she had been with her mother, Mrs. I. S. Rundell, who was ill. Mrs. Halbert went back to see her mother Sunday, and is still with her.

Miss Marie Whitby of Dallas came in Friday for a visit with her brother, T. M. Whitby, and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Roland and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Merriman.

Mrs. Clarence Barker, who had recently undergone an operation in the Vernon hospital, returned to her home here on Saturday and is reported recovering rapidly.

Mrs. Grady McLain, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

T. F. Welch and Lawrence Glover spent Monday and Tuesday in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch of Tahoka, who were in

Dallas with their son, Jackie Jr., who is in a hospital there for medical treatment.

C. J. Marts of Crowell spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weatherall.

Mrs. Doyle Callaway of Crowell is spending this week with Mrs. Clarence Barker, who is recovering from an operation.

J. L. Farrar returned Sunday from the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo.

Orleans Traweck is improving after receiving medical treatment in Crowell last week. Mr. Traweck was at the home of his sister, Mrs. Amos Lilly, and husband.

Jack Walker, foreman on the Minnick ranch, went to Portales, N. M., last week after a truck load of cattle.

Marcus Mills has just completed a new barn on his farm. Tom Callaway, Jesse Autry and W. L. Johnson were the carpenters.

Several school children in this community have been absent from school the last two weeks with chicken pox and pink eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shook entertained a few friends in their new home on last Saturday evening. Games of 42 and pitch were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Traweck and daughter, Juanita; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Autry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Duncan, Mrs. Jim Shook and Mrs. P. H. Autry. Mrs. Shook served a refreshment plate after the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughston McLain

visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat in Truscott Friday night. Mrs. McLain's sister, Dorothea, returned home with her and spent the week-end.

Charles Merriman is driving the school bus for Jiggs Barker this week while he is in San Antonio attending a session of I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Colburn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Son Propps and daughter, Patsy, of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grady McLain and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McLain.

J. N. Banks of Royce City is here with his carpenters and they have begun construction on a new house for his farm. The house will be modern in every way with lights, butane cooking and heating system. The carpenters are Paul Banks, W. B. McCreary and Jesse Lane of Royce City and Clifton Patton of Crowell. Ernest Lilly is digging the well that will furnish running water for the house. Mr. Banks and his family will move here in June.

The farmers in this community report the green bugs are doing damage to the wheat and oats. Some farmers report their wheat already completely destroyed.

W. A. Patton and son, Clifton, of Crowell visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. L. Farrar, Sunday.

Ernest Patton of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar Monday afternoon.

MARGARET
(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy and daughter, Leota, visited T. J. Priest and family of Vernon Saturday. Mr. Priest was suffering from a broken ankle which he sustained Thursday, when he fell from a ladder while working.

Mrs. Georgia Wrenn was taken to the Quannah hospital Sunday of last week by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest on account of a broken arm which she sustained when she fell while descending the steps at her home. She remained in Quannah at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Eldridge, after her arm was set. Mrs. Studie Bradford also accompanied them. All except Mrs. Wrenn returned home that afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Eldridge was here Saturday from Quannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook of Lubbock arrived Wednesday for a few days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Jim Ewing, and husband.

Misses Opal and Ruby Priest spent Sunday night of last week with their aunt, Mrs. Arthur Powers, and family of Crowell.

Junior, Kenneth, Shirley and Betty Jo, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunn, who were ill with flu last week, are able to be up.

Miss Opal Priest was ill last week but is improved.

Dr. J. A. Wallen and son-in-law of Crowell were here on business Wednesday.

A large crowd attended the program rendered by Pop Stover and family at the Margaret school auditorium Wednesday night. The program was sponsored by the Y. W. A. Girls of the Baptist Church. About \$9.00 was made to the girls' part.

Mrs. Melvin Moore and son, Billy Ray, of Crowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook, Saturday. Her niece, Joyce Ann Middlebrook, returned home with them and visited a while.

Mrs. L. L. Denton and children, James Ray and Kay, and Mrs. Lee Blevins of Crowell visited Carl Ingle and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ingle and little daughter, Betty Jane, made a trip to Quannah Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr visited in Fort Worth from Tuesday until Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Hall of Black spent Wednesday night with Miss Juanita Shultz.

Miss Billie Morrison spent the week-end with Miss Virginia Mabe of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Godwin of Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Bagley of Oklaunion spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. H. T. Kenner, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison and daughter, Billy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Shaw of Riverside Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayton Webb Sikes and little son, Jimmie Lee, of Quannah visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bond and two sons and Joe Orr were among those who attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth Sunday and Monday.

Miss Laverne Owens spent Sunday night with her aunt, Mrs. I. L. Denton, and family of Crowell.

Mrs. Carvel Thompson and son, James, of Crowell spent from Tuesday until Friday with her sister, Mrs. John L. Hunter Jr., and family.

Mary Louise, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spotts of Peecos, spent last week with her grandfather, John L. Hunter Sr.

Miss Laverne Owens spent Sunday and Sunday night with her aunt, Mrs. I. L. Denton, and family of Crowell.

University of Texas geologists have instituted a hunt for manganese and barite ores in the Val Verde County sector, according to Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology. Both ores are needed in war industry.



BLACK
(By Dorothy Hall)

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn McKown of Quannah visited his brother, Dock McKown, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pechacek and family of Megargel visited his brother, R. L. Pechacek, and family and other relatives and friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore of Crowell spent the day Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Nichols, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Roberts of Quannah visited in the home of Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall, and family Sunday.

John Nichols visited Horace Trammel in the Quannah hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pechacek visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drabek at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Grover Cole of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McKown Saturday morning.

Miss Dorothy Hall spent Wednesday night with Miss Juanita Shultz of Margaret.

Mrs. Henry Teague and children of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb Tuesday of last week.

Wilburn and Billie Nichols attended the Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth over the week-end.

Mrs. C. D. Mullins spent from Monday until Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Russell, of Crowell, who was ill with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McWilliams visited Mrs. McWilliams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Huskey, of the Riverside community Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Moody of Crowell visited a while Friday afternoon with Mrs. John Nichols.

Bill Pechacek and family of near Vernon visited in the home of R. L. Pechacek and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hrabal and daughter, Geraldine, spent Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Machac.

VIVIAN
(By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans spent Sunday night and Monday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas, of Floydada.

Mrs. Weldon Burleson and daughter, Rita Ann, and son, James Davis, of Lubbock returned home Friday after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. B. W. Mathews.

Mrs. A. L. Walling spent Tuesday of last week with her granddaughter, Mrs. J. R. Adkisson, of Vernon.

Miss Lou Martin spent Thursday with Mrs. Owens of Crowell.

Mrs. J. M. Denton of Paducah returned home Thursday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Miss Evalyn Evans of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Evans.

Berny Fish attended the Amarillo Stock Show in Amarillo during the past week.

Mrs. Lowe Harris of Breckenridge came Saturday to spend a few days in the home of Mrs. J. B. Rasberry.

Corp. and Mrs. Loyd Mathews and daughter, Marilyn, of Lawton, Okla., left Friday after visiting a few days with his father, B. W. Mathews.

Miss Lou Martin left Sunday for her home in Fort Worth, after staying with her sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, the past three months.

Franklin Evans, who is in the Air Corps at Lubbock, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans.

Mrs. Berny Fish and daughters, Dorothea and Berny Lynn, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman, of Paducah last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adkisson of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Benham, and her grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Walling.

Let's explore the possibilities

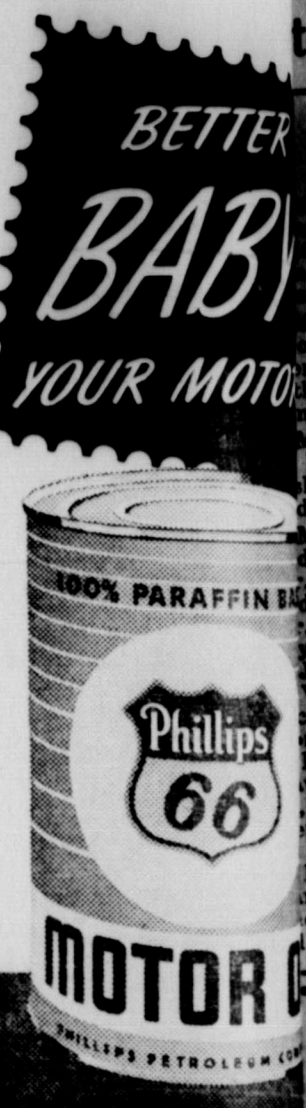
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- In what group of islands is the island of Aruba?
- What federal set-up is headed by James M. Landis?
- From what port did the two German battleships and cruisers recently make a successful run to Helgoland?
- In what group of islands is the island of Bali?
- For what was the well known woman flier, Laura Ingals, tried and found guilty?
- What federal agency do the letters OGD designate?
- What is meant in war parlance by the expression "scorched earth"?
- For what is the material known as comeback used?
- What is the capital of Japan?
- How much sugar will be allowed each member of the family per week under the proposed sugar rationing plan?

(Answers on page 3).

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RIVERSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Belew and daughter, Mary Joe, of Vernon...

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Tole and son Fort Worth came Sunday for short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matyssek and children of Five-in-One and Mrs. George Reithmayer and children of Margaret visited...

James Ward was dismissed from Vernon hospital Tuesday after covering from a mastoid operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cerveny of Newton, Okla., visited her mother, Mrs. Joe Richter, Sunday. Mr. Cerveny is Staff Sergeant in the U. S. Army at Fort Sill, Okla.

Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bursley of Black visited their son, Howard Bursley, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford and children, Evelyn and Kenneth, spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odie Claxton of Abilene.

Theresa Ann Cox is on the sick list.

Joe Zacek returned home Friday from Floyd, N. M., where he visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zacek.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Mathews of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Mathews and daughter of Fort Sill, Okla., and Mrs. J. Weldon Burleson and children of Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr Saturday.

Thank Sponsor of Double-Pay Measure

Sen. Ed C. Johnson of Colorado is shown surrounded by soldiers who are expressing their appreciation to the senator for his sponsorship of the measure...



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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford and children of Margaret were visitors in the Ben Bradford home Saturday.

Ernest Grant and family of Frederick, Okla., visited his son, George Grant, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Halbert and son, Bill, of Foard City were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray.

George Grant was able to resume his duties as janitor and bus driver of the Riverside school Monday following incapacity because of illness.

Mrs. J. L. Rennels and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey Rennels visited A. C. Key and Mr. and Mrs. George Key of Rayland Sunday.

RAYLAND

J. C. Bateman of Lubbock was a business visitor here Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Rutledge of Elliott visited his parents here Thursday.

TRUSCOTT

Mrs. S. S. Turner spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Woodward, at Knox City. Dudley Myers left on Wednesday of last week for Fort Sill, Okla., to enter the U. S. Army.

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THALIA (By Minnie Wood) Hugh Jones and family of Childress visited relatives here Sunday. Raymond Turnbull left Friday for Fort Sill, Okla., where he was inducted into the U. S. Army. Frank Main of Mills, N. M., visited relatives here last week-end. Albert Lee Earthman of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Earthman, here last week-end. Hugh Thompson of Levelland visited his father, who is ill, here last week-end. Mrs. W. J. DuBose of Wichita Falls visited her son, Rev. T. J. DuBose, and family here last week. Jack Wood and family of Lockney visited his mother, Mrs. T. J. Wood, and other relatives here last week-end. Neel Daniels of Vernon visited his cousin, Loyd Fox, and family here a while last week. Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and children of Mrs. J. K. Langley visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hammonds in South Lockett Sunday. Reid Johnson of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, here a few days last week. Clarence Hammonds and family of Floydada visited his mother, Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, here last week-end. A large crowd was present at the Workers' Conference at the Baptist Church Tuesday. Glen Fox and family of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cates Sunday of last week. There will be a program at the Methodist Church on Easter Sunday. It will begin at 11 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Will Howell of Dimmitt, Mrs. Henry Howell and children, Mrs. Howard Dunn and son and Mrs. I. M. Cates of Crowell visited Ed and T. R. Cates and families here recently. Miss Minnie Wood was hostess to the Idle Hour Club in the home of Mrs. C. H. Wood Thursday afternoon. Sixteen ladies attended. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Wheeler on March 26. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins visited in Quanah Sunday afternoon.

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Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee.—Isa. 26:3.

Patrick Henry's Speech for the Revolution, March 23

Patrick Henry's speech for the Revolution in 1775 seems especially fitting in the light of present day events. At the Provincial Convention assembled in Virginia in March, 1775, a resolution was introduced by Patrick Henry providing for the organization of a militia for the defense of the colony. He was bitterly opposed in this by those in this country who were still loyal to the mother country, England. On March 23, he defended his resolution by a speech in the assembly. The speech ranks as one of his most famous. An extract from that speech is especially significant today in the light of present conditions. Not in its appeal to the soldiers in uniform who are doing their full bit, but to the workers and the mass of people throughout the United States. A portion of Henry's speech follows: "There is no retreat but in submission to slavery. Our chains are already forged. Their clanking may be heard on the plains of Boston. The next gale that sweeps from the north will bring to our ears the clash of resounding arms. Our brethren are already in the field. Why stand we here idle? What is it that the gentlemen wish? What would they have? Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death." Henry's prophecy of the "Clash of arms" from the north proved to be a true prophecy. In less than a month the battle of Concord and Lexington was fought between the Colonists and the English soldiers.

This country has been criticized because of the fact that previous to the Pearl Harbor attack we permitted the shipment of oil and scrap iron to Japan. Some point this out as a mistake and insist that we are entitled to criticism for having done so. It might be that we are, but let's consider the facts. Long ago those at the head of the nation knew we were heading toward a war with Japan. This was, from the beginning, a part of Hitler's plan. We could not help it. The only thing we could do was to put off its coming as long as we could, until we could, in a measure, get ready. We accomplished this by permitting Japan to buy certain items in this country and ship them to Japan. This held off Japan for a time. Finally Hitler gave the screw another turn and forced Japan to make impossible demands upon the United States. These demands were the subject of negotiation when Japan struck at Pearl Harbor. True we could have refused all shipments to Japan two years ago but if we had Pearl Harbor would have come sooner and Pearl Harbor came too soon as it was. This country never did desire to release material to Japan. It was done only as an appeasement and to delay as long as possible her entry into the war against us.

The theme of the day is loyalty. Loyalty to our country, loyalty to our allies, loyalty to our soldiers and sailors and air corps who are doing such a splendid job of defending us. At such a time this loyalty should also be extended to our local community. It is the home base. Upon its welfare is based our spirit and our morale. The coming two or three or five years is going to bring severe test to the small towns such as ours. The defense program will take its active young men and young women and the army and navy and air force will take the rest. It will be up to those who remain to keep the home base. There are a number of ways we can do this. One of them is by spending our money with the home merchants. The demands of the defense program are going to exact a heavy toll from communities such as ours and our support is going to be needed all the more. The slogan that has come out of the surprise attack on Pearl Harbor is "Remember Pearl Harbor." America and Americans are going to do just that. It might be well also to adopt for the duration another slogan: "Remember the Home Town." Its worth thinking about.

An exchange calls attention to a beauty contest which was won recently by an Indian girl whose name was Pretty Bear. The Indian beauty contests are evidently conducted along the same lines as those entered by their white sisters.

Overheard in the tire shop: First Tire: "You're pretty smooth aren't you?" Second Tire: "Yes, I've been around some." Third Tire: "You should have seen the blow out I had, it left me flat."

Political Announcements

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For District Attorney, 46th Judicial District: JEAN RODGERS
For County Judge: LESLIE THOMAS
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: A. W. LILLY, A. L. DAVIS, J. P. DAVIDSON
For County and District Clerk: MRS. RALPH MCKOWN, J. A. STOVALL
For County Treasurer: MRS. RUTH MARTS
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: DICK CROSNOW, W. B. TYSINGER, A. B. WISDOM
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: HOMER R. ZEIBIG, DA'VE SOLLIS, JOE JOHNSON
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: A. W. BARKER, VIRGIL JOHNSON
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: LEM DAVIDSON, OSCAR BOMAN
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: H. E. FERGESON
For State Representative, 114th District: CLAUDE CALLAWAY
For County Attorney: FOSTER DAVIS

The Office of Price Administration makes this pertinent suggestion that is worthy of consideration by everyone. The American people should realize that it will be the objective of their government to stabilize the cost of living. They too can do their part. There is no occasion for hoarding food. Supplies of most staple foods are at record or near record levels. Families who hoarded in the past were simply misguided. Now they are both misguided and unpatriotic, for such buying upsets markets and encourages inflationary price advances. It should be a point of pride with every good American not to hoard or to waste food. Consumers should buy more of commodities which are plentiful in supply. They can assist farmers and stimulate the output of larger supplies by directing their purchases to commodities that are relatively abundant. The abundant foods which are just as nourishing as the scarcer foods sell at a lower price.

We glory in the manner in which Churchill takes punishment. He doesn't alibi and put the blame on some one else. Churchill is doing the best job for England that anyone could do under the circumstances, yet every day he has to take criticism of those who are doing nothing for England except criticize. We have some of the same type of patriots in this country. We think a certain amount of criticism is desirable but when it is blindly and heedlessly and vindictively done without knowledge of the facts it serves no good purpose except the satisfaction of the sadistic instincts of the critic.

It's smart business to buy Defense Stamps and Bonds. The country needs the money to carry on the defense program. Its good for the individual too. Aside from the fact that it gives him the feeling of having a share in the nation's defense there is the satisfaction that comes from having a savings account laid by for an emergency. Thus helping your country in its hour of emergency may put the individual in a position to help himself when his emergency arises. Its smart business to buy Defense Stamps and Bonds.

As a rule the fellow who leads the parade on a prancing white horse had nothing to do with getting up the parade. Some one else, who perhaps does not appear in the parade, did all the work—and all the worrying incident to getting up the parade. After everything was taken care of and the leader was called up and handed the route that the parade would take. A lot of things in life are like that. The "up front" person in the show has had little to do with its preparation.

We have come to the conclusion that most of the experts don't know any more about the facts of life than we do. Five years ago when Japan began her war upon China the experts said Japan could not finance a long war. After having warred with China for five years Japan now takes on the United States. It appears that though money may be hard to get for other things, funds can always be secured to carry on a war—the experts notwithstanding.

STRIKES FOR FREEDOM



What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

The Farm Bloc in Congress is sponsoring a move to prevent the price in times of surplus production, and, but for such purchases by the government, most of those products would have sold at a price considerably below what the farmers received for them, and in many instances at a loss to the producers. The fact that the government did step in and buy the surpluses made it possible for the producer to secure a fair price and to escape the disaster of a glutted market.

The government now desires to use these accumulated surpluses to supply an extra demand and to keep prices of foodstuffs on an even keel. Living in the middle west, the farm section of the country, as I do, it is but natural to welcome anything that will better the lot of the farmer and secure for him a better price for his products. It is in this way that the farmer shares in the defense program.

I believe though that in this instance the farm bloc is wrong. I believe that it is taking a short-sighted policy and is not looking ahead or thinking through the problem. Living as I do in the farm belt I am not unaware of the fact that to raise a voice of protest against the move, borders upon heresy, if not treason, to the farm area itself. Nevertheless I believe the bill should be vetoed. My reason for believing that the bill should be vetoed by the President is that if the bill is passed the price of food stuffs will begin to mount rapidly and the spiral of inflation will begin to make itself felt. Wages every where will have to be increased and under the present conditions and set-up these increases will be demanded rapidly, one on the heels of the other. The result will be that the cost of living will mount until it gets out of hand, and price control, which has been managed with such reasonable success up to now will go to pieces.

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Brief Bits of News From Here and There

The War Production Board recently ordered 500 manufacturers to sell their idle inventories of aluminum to the government or submit to seizure of the metal. It is expected that the order will secure enough aluminum to make 1,300 war planes.

The production of typewriters will be cut from 20 to 25 per cent this year. The typewriter industry will make such items as small arms, ammunition, primer's, fire control instruments, fuses, rifles, pistols and parts of aviation instruments.

The rationing of gasoline is being predicted. It will be handled by means of stamps much as it is planned to ration sugar.

Small plants that want a share of war contracts are asked to write the Office of Emergency Management for a list of the 117 field offices of the Contract Distribution Division. The plan is to give the big plants the big and difficult jobs and the small plants the smaller and more simple jobs.

While the government opposes hoarding of all other types it urges the hoarding of coal and coke during the summer months. It is predicted that the railroads will be so burdened with other hauling that transportation of fuel for civilian use may become restricted. The advice is to lay in next winter's coal supply during the spring and early summer.

It is predicted that the rubber shortage will become rapidly more acute. There is no way in which synthetic rubber can be produced soon enough or in sufficient quantity to more than supply defense needs.

A new Secretary of War is being considered. Stimson will be promoted it is said, and some one put in who will institute more direct action in getting things done. Many are said to favor Wilkie for the position.

The rumor persists that Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins will resign.

Must Next Peace Fail? Nobel Prize Winner Says Sacrifice Can Save It

Old notions of "sovereignty" must go—and are going—into the discard in order to build a lasting peace, declares Sir Norman Angell, himself winner of the Nobel prize in 1933, in the current Rotarian magazine. Even before December 7, Britain waived the old ideas of national boundaries to allow the United States to maintain armed forces on British soil.

Peace, warns Sir Norman, cannot be secured by any blueprinted plan alone. It must be implemented with security. And it was to security that United States Navy bases and Army airfields were allowed on British colonial soil. In turn, for security, the United States and Canada waived portions of their traditional sovereignties to set up the United States-Canada Board of Defense.

The failure of the peace of 20 years ago was not due to defects in the plan for peace, but to the unwillingness of nations to carry out the accented plan. Even the Treaty of Versailles itself was based on a feeling of insecurity and unwillingness of the Big Four to promise safety. The League of Nations, child of the peace, failed, writes Sir Norman, "because large sections of the public, and so of vote-seeking Governments in Britain and France, did not really want any league at all, however good; did not see the need of it."

The peace that must ultimately follow the present war need not fail, and the steps already being taken show that there is some hope that it will not fail. The primary right is the right to life, or, as Sir Norman writes, "the right not to be killed, tortured, wiped out, destroyed. It applies to nations as to persons." To protect this, we have wartime alliances which have meant that sovereign States and Governments have yielded some of their lesser rights to protect the greater ones.

"We shall not retrace those steps," writes Sir Norman, "America will not withdraw from British territory; Britain won't ask her to." Other similar untraceable steps have been taken, will be taken. And one day some half dozen, or it may be a dozen or two dozen, countries will wake up to the fact that, without any very bitter discussion, they have brought about a defensive confederation on which peace can be founded."

Now that rubber is scarce it is especially necessary to take care of rubber rolls in the springer. "Don't stall or strain the springer" by putting too much clothing through at one time," Mrs. Claytor warns. Buttons and buckles should be folded to the inside of clothes before they are wrung out. After every washing the rubber rolls should be wiped clean and dry and the pressure on them released. One added warning is: Never use harsh scouring powders on any part of the machine, especially the inside.

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RIALTO THEATRE

What Should You Save To Help?

The following table issued by the Treasury Department is intended as a savings yardstick for the average earner. It suggests how everyone of the employed persons in the United States may participate in the war effort through the systematic purchase of Defense Savings Bonds.

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Locals

Mrs. Foster Davis and children, Bobbie and Bettie, are visiting relatives in Post. Mrs. Audie Brown spent Tuesday in Chillicothe visiting her mother and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bird and children of Vernon visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wehba. The ladies of St. Joseph's Catholic Church will have a food sale Saturday, March 21, at 10 a. m. Haney-Rasor Grocery. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn McKown of Quannah spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Crowell visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cole, and other relatives. A letter from Pvt. Mack Boswell from Camp Barkley at Abilene states that he is well and is liking army life fine. He is in the Medical Replacement Center there. Charles Ferguson left Sunday for Fort Worth where he has enlisted in the Hospital Corps of the United States Navy. Mrs. Ferguson went to Wichita Falls with him. She returned Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore of Dallas spent last Friday night in Crowell visiting Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, and other relatives. They were en route to San Angelo and Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Cone Green and children, Patsy Grace and Dan, of Levelland spent Saturday night and Sunday here visiting Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. J. Russell. Joe Ben Roberts of Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, who is attached to the 3rd Army Headquarters Co., spent a few days last week in Crowell visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberts. He was returning to San Antonio after attending a military school in Aberdeen, Md. Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe spent a short time in Crowell Tuesday afternoon visiting friends. Mr. Moffett made a talk to pupils of Crowell High School at 2:30. He was en route to Benjamin where he was the principal speaker at a district Masonic Lodge meeting Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borchardt left Wednesday afternoon for Ft. Worth where Mr. Borchardt will attend to business and they will also attend the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show. They were accompanied by Mrs. T. S. Haney, who will visit relatives in Dallas.

Full line of Vaughan's high grade flower seed.—Crowell Flower Shop. 39-3tc It's time to plant flowers. Get Vaughan's pedigreed seed at Crowell Flower Shop. 39-2tc Mrs. Maggie Johnson of Amarillo and her daughter, Mrs. Marie Gray, of Lubbock were visitors here this week. Miss Alma Walker spent Saturday night and Sunday in Chillicothe visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper and children of Sweetwater, spent the week-end in Crowell with relatives and friends. For Sale—Cakes, pies and dressed hens. Catholic Church ladies. Saturday, 10 a. m.—Haney-Rasor Grocery. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Beck and small son, Bobby, were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Beck's grandfather, G. A. Mitchell. Edward Roark and Ralph Flesher spent the week-end at home. They are students at John Tarleton College at Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sellers of Vernon visited relatives here Sunday. Mr. Sellers is employed by the Vernon Packing Co. in Vernon. Mrs. P. N. Stephens of Stephenville is a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Calaway, and other relatives and friends this week. Mrs. Webster Mitchell of Ringling, Okla., visited her mother, Mrs. Charley Loyd, here last week. Mrs. Loyd returned to Ringling with her for a visit of several days. Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kilworth returned last Friday from a business trip to Roswell, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Kilworth are here from Lawrence, Kansas, looking after their ranch in the southeast section of the county. E. D. Howard of the Foard City community went to Roy, N. M., Tuesday to take his grandfather, O. E. White, of Haskell County, on a business trip. His father, E. A. Howard, also of Haskell County, went with them. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Owens attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth the latter part of last week. They returned home Sunday night with Shirley Lese of Haskell and Mrs. Owens' sister, Miss Mary Helen Webb, of Goree. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Zeibig and daughter, Bettie Jo, attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryson, in Palo Pinto.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson returned last Friday afternoon from an extended visit with relatives in San Antonio, George West and other points in South Texas. Herbert Rettig left last week for Highwood, Mont., after spending several months here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rettig, and other relatives. Clifton French and small daughter, Carolyn, and Mrs. Maggie French came Tuesday night from their home in Corpus Christi, for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and son, Vardaman, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Mineral Wells visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mayes. Ernest Patton and father, W. A. Patton, returned last week from a visit with relatives in Stephenville. Mrs. Ernest Patton and son, Don, are visiting relatives at Bryan. Pvt. Burke Bell, who is at Camp Barkley at Abilene, was at home over the week-end to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bell, and other relative and friends. Mrs. Emma Howard went to Wichita Falls Monday afternoon to be with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Jinks, who has received a message informing her of the death of her son, Edgar Jinks, who was doing duty in the Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tamplen and children have moved into their new farm home 4 1/2 miles east and 1 mile south of Crowell. Mr. Tamplen bought the south 262 acres of the J. R. Ford farm and the erection of the new home has just recently been completed. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Owenbey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owenbey and Miss Marjory Bradford returned Saturday from San Diego, Calif., where they visited Bill Owenbey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Owenbey. They were away for two weeks. Bill is employed in an airplane factory in San Diego. Judge Leslie Thomas and County Attorney Foster Davis attended to business in Lubbock Monday. They returned home Monday afternoon by way of Post and were accompanied home by Mrs. Davis and children, Bobbie and Bettie, who had been visiting relatives there for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ford and small daughter, June, have returned to Crowell after a year's absence. They are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford, and family, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hough and family. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ford and daughter are making their home in Chattanooga, Tenn. ON HONOR ROLL Miss Oneta Linda Light, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Light of Thalia, made the fall semester honor roll at Texas Technological College with an average grade of A-. She is enrolled as a freshman in the division of arts and sciences. SPRING MEETINGS SET College Station, March 16.—A schedule for spring district meetings of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, organization of more than 40,000 rural club women, has been received by Helen H. Swift, chairman of the Association's advisory committee composed of members of the Extension Service home demonstration staff. The schedule has been prepared by officers of the association, according to an announcement made by Mrs. W. G. Kennedy of Muleshoe, Bailey County, president. It is as follows: District 1, Amarillo, May 7; District 2, Lubbock, April 11; District 3, Graham, May 6; District 4, Greenville, April 21; District 5, Longview, April 22; District 6, San Angelo, May 4; District 7, Baird, April 7; District 8, Palestine, April 14-15; District 9, Rusk, April 23; District 10, Bandera, April 8; District 11, Old Washington, April 23; and District 12, Crystal City, April 10. Last year approximately three thousand women attended meetings over the state, but tire conservation may reduce the number somewhat this year, Miss Swift says. Principal feature of 12 programs will be a check-up on the progress of the association's "all-out nutrition for defense program" adopted at its convention last fall. Members resolved at that time to obtain first-aid training for every home demonstration club woman, to co-operate in the government's Food for Victory program, to make whole grain products available to every Texas family, to obtain benefits of the community school lunch program for all school children who need them, and to "help make eating by the Texas Food Standard an everyday patriotic pleasure for all Texas families." Theme for the University of Texas Round-Up, ex-student homecoming, March 27-29, is "The University at War." The Friday night Revue will tell in music and pageant how the institution has transformed itself into a vast training camp for engineers, skilled workers, service men, civilian defense leaders, nurses and diplomats. The key to the ability of the family-type farmer to survive and function efficiently as an integral part of our modern economy lies in group action and co-operative organization.—Farm Security Administrator Baldwin.

'Gulftrade' Goes Down Near East Coast



Victim of Axis submarines, this tanker, the "Gulftrade," is shown aground on shoal about 3 1/2 miles off Berneget Light, N. J., after being torpedoes and breaking in half. The wreck is visible from shore. Sixteen survivors were landed, with 18 unaccounted for.

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Foster Davis Asks for Re-Election as County Attorney Foster Davis stated this week that he would be a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney and authorized The News to make the announcement, subject to action of the Democratic primary in July. Mr. Davis released the following statement: "I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election for County Attorney of Foard County. I wish to thank the people of Foard County for your many past favors and assure you that I will exert my every effort to serve you in a just, fair and impartial manner."

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EDITORIAL

The birds are busy building nests in the tree tops; the trees are beginning to bud and everything is beginning to have more life and cavity about it. What does this signify? Ah, yes, you are right; it tells of that spring is here at last. For one, am glad to see the cold and heartless winter replaced by the soft and soothing spring breezes. Everyone is beginning to show signs of spring fever, but it seems to me that life is much more pleasant when one can step outside without grabbing a hat and coat to stop the harsh cutting of the chill wind.

When I awake each morning during springtime, I find it much easier to hop out of bed, put on my clothes, and run to breakfast. I don't even mind going to that same old path to school so much as I did; it seems like an altogether different path than the one I have gone over all winter. To me, spring is the loveliest time of the year, and if I were a poet, I believe that spring would be my pet subject upon which to write.

SPRING TRAINING

Spring training for football began Monday with very good prospects coming from the 1943 Wildcats. Crowell not only has some very promising rookies coming up, but has five regulars back from last year. Last year Crowell lost only two games the entire season, which is a very good average for any team. This year with five regular men back on the squad the chances for District Champ winners are very promising. We are all pulling for you, Wildcats, so come on and give them all you got next year.

OUR FACULTY

Mr. Henry Teague is really doing wonders in making for dear old CHS a grand band. He also teaches typing, junior business, and bookkeeping.
 Mr. Teague attended Arizona State Teachers' College where he received his Bachelor of Arts degree. He was a member of the Pi Omega Pi Fraternity.
 His favorite food is fried chicken, his pet aversion is smart-alecks, and his favorite sport is basketball.
 Have you seen his sweet "kids"? Their names are Carol and Don Henry.
 Miss Mary Thompson has been teaching in Crowell High School for the past five years. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree from West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon. If you should want a delicious cheese sandwich you should get Miss Thompson to show you how they're made. She can really make good ones.
 Her favorite sport is football. You "kids" should not make so many mistakes because you see her pet aversion is correcting papers, and I don't blame her.
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Miss Mildred Cogdell has taught school here for seven years. She attended Baylor University at Waco and received her Bachelor of Arts degree. She teaches World History and American History.
 Her favorite food is watermelon and her favorite sport is tennis. Her pet aversion is people who are not dependable.

WORLD HISTORY

The World History Class had its home room program last Wednesday, March 11. As the theme is National Defense, the following officers were elected: representing army officials: Roy Joe Cates, General; Virginia Mabe, First Lt.; Beatrice Lewis, Staff Sergeant; John Thomas Rasor, Mary Lou Nichols and Patsy Ketchersid, Sergeants.

The program consisted of General Pershing's life, given by Patsy Ketchersid, and General MacArthur's life by John Thomas Rasor.
 The name of the club is "Slap Japs" and the motto is "a stamp a week."

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS

What would you do if you and fifty-nine more high school seniors possessed two hundred dollars. Well, that is the problem of the 1942 seniors who have labored for two years to gain this wad of cash.

We could buy twenty thousand all-day suckers—enough to last a lifetime with a few left over for our children and grandchildren. Each of us could go to the movies eleven times. We could have a banquet plus a couple of dances. Or maybe we could entertain the Juniors with ten parties or seventeen picnics. We might camp out in the breaks for four or five days during exams. We could go to the Stock Show in Fort Worth and ride the ferris wheel twenty-seven times.

On the other hand, we might donate it to the Red Cross. We could buy defense stamps and bonds. We might buy a public address system for the school. Isn't it awful?

"YOU FIGURE IT OUT!"

Greetings, fellow sufferers. Yes, it's the third week and you all know what that means—or is yours all over?

Well, well, well, let's get down to business.
 Seems as if Julie Halenack and Evelyn Crosnoe are doing their best to keep up the morale of the army. Anyway, two soldiers, now let me think! seems like their names are Harrie and Johnnie.

Estelle Autry was leading Rudolph Halenack a "dog's life" Sunday, or was it a "dog's life"?
 Speaking of hats—K. O. K. I won't say any more.
 Sunday afternoon Charlie Thompson and his car, Agnes, were seen joyfully "taking the town" with about 9 other high school boys and girls.

Charlie Thompson "squired" Margaret Claire Shirley to the preview Saturday night. This is getting to look good.
 A bunch of Seniors (and 1 Junior) went on a (they-hey) picnic Friday night. Some of the couples were: Richard Carroll and June Billington, "Shorty" Roark and Virginia Thomas, Charlie Thompson and Margaret Shirley. They seemed to have a "spiffy" time.

Puzzle of the week: What happened to the other lipstick? I'm sorry I can't give you the facts of the case (I wasn't along) just draw your own conclusions. But you might ask "Shirley" or "Thomp"—they probably won't know what you are talking about but it won't hurt to ask.

Did you notice how down-hearted "Butch" Carroll looked Saturday night? Anyway, "Butch"—she was in the dog house!
 Does John Calvin Carter puzzle you, too? He does me. By the way, who is his latest?

Flash! The two latest couples that have made dates for the Junior-Senior banquet are "Butch" Carroll and June Billington, Charlie Thompson and Virginia Thomas.
 What's this? Bobby Joe Hunter and Joann Gentry riding around Saturday night in a brown Ford—really the color of the car does not matter—anyway—looks bad. Now wait—let's not get mixed up. Some say that Bobby Hunter likes Ludell Murphy and some say he likes Joann Gentry—let's clear this up. Just drop your news in the Wildcat locker.

Billy Bruce and Jane Roark seem to really like each other. They were seen together Saturday night. (Good work, Bruce.)
 Z. D. Shaw still has his mind on Ada Jane Magee a great part of the time. (So it is rumored).
 Tell me, who does John Thomas Rasor like?
 It is nice to have Mary Edwards back in school. She was out with the German measles—very unpatriotic—don't you think?
 I haven't gotten used to this new time yet—I'm sleepy.
 Do you realize that there are on-

ly 9 more weeks and 1 more day until school is out?
 Really, we will miss you Seniors, really we will, ah, "peace at last."

Weldon Moody is still a very nice eligible bachelor. Girls, that is a hint. Watch out, Weldon!
 What's this about our superintendent having the mumps? We imagine he is having a swell time. We thought about sending him sour pickles, but on second thought we didn't.
 Who is it whom we quite frequently see? None other than our own Little Craig Sandlin and Helen Callaway. What a couple!

The Fat Stock Show was the high spot for this last week-end. Several of our boys were really painting the town red and I do mean red. In fact, all of them were seeing red and almost every other color. Eh, what?
 Wonder why Tootsie wants to leave town or I mean Crowell High School? Could it be that she thinks things aren't going the right way for her? By that I mean not exactly in school, but elsewhere, say Vivian.

Bubble Gum has staged a comeback. And how! We thought there was a rubber shortage.
 The Seniors are having trouble about Senior Day. It seems since the war keeps us from having a school bus that we may not get to leave town, but maybe something else will turn up.
 Shorty Roark has a job. He is now a soda sleet at one of our local drug stores. Gee, he is dashing jerk.

Wonder what is going to happen in the future? Let's find out before it happens and put it in locker 78.
 Where has Clonita been keeping herself? Why don't you come out of isolation, Russell, and keep your end of the bargain?
 Who was it that spent the day with a certain boy Sunday? We are not putting out any information. I do not think it will take very long for you to figure it out.

JOKES

Billie Digges: Say, what's the big idea? Why'd you give that girl such a big tip when she gave you your coat?

Richard Carroll: Look at the coat she gave me.

Warden: Boys, I've had charge of this prison for ten years and we ought to celebrate the occasion. What kind of party would you suggest?

Prisoner: Open house!

Mr. Foster: I would like a preparation of phenylisothiocyanate.
 Druggist: Do you mean mustard oil?

Mr. Foster: Yes, but I could never think of that name.

Foster: Hugh, what does HN53 signify?
 Hugh Longino: Well, ah, er—I've got it on the tip of my tongue!

Foster: Well, you'd better spit it out. It's nitric acid.

Miss Cogdell: (on platform): Which platform for the Chicago train?
 Porter: Turn to the left and you'll be right.
 Miss Cogdell: Don't be impatient.
 Porter: All right, then turn to the right and you'll be left.

Miss Motley: I wonder if I could borrow your rug beater?
 Mrs. Sloan: I'm sorry, but he doesn't get home until six o'clock.

Mr. Graves: You missed my math class yesterday, didn't you?
 Lee J. Stout: Not in the least, sir, not in the least.

Miss Thompson: What caused the revival of learning?
 Travis Veceera: The final exams.

Truman Taylor: (very impatient): Has the joke editor got my joke yet?
 J. T. Hughston: No, but he's trying.

Coach: "If a number of cattle is called a herd, and a number of sheep is called a flock, what would you call a number of camels?"
 Billie Morrison: "A carton."

Daffynition: Itches is something that when a recruit is standing at attention his nose always does.

Medieval Mother: "Hast Sir Gordon asked thee for thy hand in wedlock?"
 Daughter: "Not yet, mother, but the Knight is young."

Ruth: "Bill has a contempt for anybody who doesn't know as much as he does."
 Bobby Joe: "I should think he would!"

"Is this Jimmie?"
 "Yes, this is Jimmie."
 "Doesn't sound like Jimmie."
 "It's me, all right."
 "Can you lend me ten dollars, Jimmie?"
 "I'll ask him as soon as he comes in."

Organization of the Texas Section of the American Association of Scientific Workers was perfected at the University of Texas during a visit to the campus by Dr. Harlow Shapley of Harvard University, distinguished American astronomer.

To stimulate improvements of training of Texas youth at the junior college level, the General Education Board has given the University of Texas a special grant of \$2,000 to finance a workshop in junior college education.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Ralph E. Stewart, Associate Director of WMBL.

The Essential for Salvation

Text: "If thou shalt confess with thy mouth Jesus as Lord, and shalt believe in thy heart that God raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved."—Romans 10:9.

Have you ever asked the question, How can a person become a Christian? We find the answer in our text. It is believing something and confessing something.

Christ's resurrection is mentioned as the object of belief. This is because it is an all inclusive fact. God raised Christ from the dead. If He raised Christ from the dead, Christ must have lived. If Christ lived, died, and rose again, then He has the credentials He claimed; He is indeed the Son of God with power to save from sin.

Belief in Christ's resurrection must be with the heart; a mere intellectual belief of historical facts will not save. Some facts make no appeal to the emotions and the will. For instance, when I hear that the moon is 238,857 miles away from the earth it appeals to my intellect but it does not move my emotions nor cause my will to make any decision. Then, some facts appeal to the intellect and emotions but do not arouse the will. We read in Roman history of the severe persecutions of Christians; how their bodies were lighted as torches while the Romans drove their chariots around the arena. We believe this because it is a fact of history. Emotionally we are stirred, but as far as our will is

concerned there is nothing we can do.

But there are facts that appeal to all three parts of our nature. I received a telegram one day from my mother that my father had passed away. Intellectually I accepted the fact, because I believed my mother. My heart was heavy and sad. Immediately I started to travel the 700 miles to be with my mother, to comfort her and to bury my father. There was something that stirred my whole heart, intellectually, emotionally, and volitionally.

It is strikingly true that the fact of Christ's resurrection appeals to all three elements in man's nature. It appeals to the intellect; it is the best proved fact of history. It appeals to the emotions; we are grieved when we realize that our sins caused Christ's death. It also appeals to the will, for as we see Christ stand forth as the risen Lord we want to worship and serve Him.

Only as the fact of Christ's resurrection dominates our whole being are our lives changed. Nothing less than heart belief secures salvation. "If any man will do his will, he shall know" (John 7:17).

Will you today be willing to believe that Christ died for you; that He was raised from the dead that you might have eternal life?

A \$10,570 grant from the U. S. Public Health Service has been made to the University of Texas John Sealy College of Nursing, located at Galveston. Purpose of the grant is to increase facilities and teaching staff to train more nurses for the national defense program.

The temperatures in the battle area of Malaya reached as high as 130 degrees.

Fire Sweeps Boston Docks Near Navy Yard



This photo, made at the height of the conflagration, shows the fire which resulted in a four alarm at Boston's Mystic docks. Fire brought the flames under control after a two-hour battle. There were no casualties. The building, which contained foodstuffs of a chain, is near the Boston navy yard in the Charlestown district.

Dr. W. F. BABER

Optometrist
 Offices in Crowell: Roberts-Beverly Building
 South Side of Square
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 From 8:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.
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That's how to foil a lot of wear, and not have your engine soon over-eating oil.
 Talk about a strict economy diet! ... Down in Death Valley's record high heat, battling five other big-name oils — impartially — this same Conoco Nth oil was still up above half when all others tested had burned up their engines and their full 5-quart fills!
 That's a certified sample. It makes you realize why you can change to Conoco Nth and keep away from adding quart after quart. Get rid of hazardous Winter oil now, at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Get economy to the Nth degree. Continental Oil Company

CURDS thickening up milk don't half give you a picture of the blobs of muck that can foul your oil — and your engine. For muck and "stickum" from oil that fails under present-day strain can't improve lubrication, nor add to safe mileage per quart. But now that you must change oil for Spring — really a law in every Car Instruction Book — you can easily switch to Conoco Nth motor oil. And in patented Conoco Nth oil you get Thialkene inhibitor... man-made... the modern synthetic invented to restrain stickiness — sluggishness — "simmering down thick!"
 Conoco Nth gets every chance to stay smoothly fluid; full of life. And still another great Conoco synthetic — same as ever — makes Conoco Nth give you an OIL-PLATED engine, with lubricant "plated" you'd say — or seemingly "magnetized" — direct to inner engine parts. Then OIL-PLATING isn't all draining down fast during parking — or even overnight. Instead, OIL-PLATING can stay up high, to help out your engine at every start, before any oil-pump raises up its full stream.

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Penny Sense—Good Defense!

STOCKINGS and socks pulled on and off by the toes wear longer than when tugged by their tops. Teach the "littiest one" to tuck socks gently—

Careful handling of stockings will ease the strain on silk supplies and save you money to invest in DEFENSE SAVINGS STAMPS! War Needs Money!

A WEEK OF THE WAR

The War Production Board said shortages of some materials and manpower were not limiting factors in all-out production of war goods. The Board reported airplane production, though ahead of schedule, would be more advanced if more materials had been available. Chairman Nelson said he has not "recognized the possibility" that any phase of the production program would fail to meet the goals announced by President Roosevelt.

To speed production Mr. Nelson ordered all war supply contracts to be negotiated instead of determined by competitive bidding. Contracts will be assigned to firms requiring smallest quantities of new equipment to fill orders, he said. The WPB began an inventory of all idle machine tools to make them available for war production.

The WPB said war expenditures during February reached nearly \$100 million a day, 18 per cent greater than in January. RFC disbursements and Treasury checks for war purposes totaled \$2,330 million for the month. The Board announced mass production of tanks making greater use of cast iron and welded hulls has begun. Ship mills that last year made sheet steel for automobile bodies are being converted to manufacture ship plate. The Navy Ordnance Bureau said its contractual obligations increased 49 per cent in the two months after Pearl Harbor.

Rationing

Price Administrator Henderson reported United Nations' rubber requirements will not allow any rubber for new or recapped tires for nonessential passenger cars. There is not sufficient rubber now to sustain the rate of military production and the most essential civilian needs, he said. To insure maximum durability of tires now being recapped, Mr. Henderson said he is developing minimum standards for grades of recapping material being manufactured. The WPB reported athletic equipment manufacturers experimenting with reclaimed core for basketballs. The WPB Sugar Section began a survey of the sugar situation in all Non-Axis countries to find all supplies of sugar available to the United Nations.

The WPB stopped all sales and deliveries of new and used typewriters. Chairman Nelson authorized the Office of Price Administration to ration such typewriters at both wholesale and retail levels. Petroleum Co-ordinator Ickes said gasoline very likely will be rationed if the War Council of the Petroleum Industry recommends such action.

Civilian Defense

President Roosevelt authorized the OGD to begin placing orders for civilian defense workers' equipment and medical supplies. OGD Director Landis requested civil officials not to ask OGD Headquarters for equipment before distribution will be based on a priorities system established by the War Relocation Authority.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 12.277 miles of Mixed in Place Bituminous Concrete Pavement from Crowell to 4 miles south, from 5 miles west of Crowell to Good Creek Road, and from Good Creek Road west 3.1 miles; on Highways U. S. 70 and State 283;

covered by Controls 98-3-12 and 146-5-4-11-9; in Foard County will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M. March 25, 1942, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

Title of "Laborer," "Workman" or "Mechanic"	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight Hour Working Day)
Shovel or Crane Operator	\$8.00
Mechanic	8.00
Roller, Tractor, or Blade Operator	4.00
Distributor Driver or Operator	4.00
Team or Spreader Box Operator	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons)	4.00
Teamster	4.00
Welder	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less)	3.20
Teamster	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	2.80
Teamster	2.80
Teamster Boy	2.40

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by the War and Navy Departments. Priorities will be based on likelihood of attack, vulnerability, and importance to war production of manufacturing plants in the community.

The House passed and sent to conference a bill providing the War Damage Corporation with a fund of a billion dollars to insure property in the U. S. against damage by enemy attack. Director Landis said regional blackouts are planned for later in the spring, and a New England test blackout probably will be held this month. He announced a plan whereby the 3,600 posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will co-operate with local Defense Councils in civilian mobilization.

The War Front

Gen. MacArthur's small air force sank more than 30,000 tons of Japanese shipping in Subic Bay, resulting in the loss of thousands of enemy soldiers. U. S. forces in operation west of the Gilbert Islands destroyed 16 of a formation of 18 Japanese heavy bombers. U. S. submarines in the Far East torpedoed 10 additional enemy vessels.

Enemy U-boats in the Atlantic sank the destroyer Jacob Jones, an ore carrier and two freighters. Gen. Wavell was relieved of command of United Nations Forces in the East Indies to resume as Commander-in-Chief of India.

War Taxes

Treasury Secretary Morgenthau asked Congress to increase this year's Federal revenue by at least \$7,500 million to reach the \$27 billion goal set by the President in his budget message. Mr. Morgenthau recommended income taxes be doubled on incomes below \$10,000 to help raise \$3,200 million. He also recommended increases of \$3 billion in corporation taxes and \$1,340 million in excise taxes. He asked that the national debt limit be raised from \$65 to \$125 billion.

Army Progress

President Roosevelt signed the \$32 billion fifth supplemental War Appropriation Bill providing \$23 billion for the Army. Congress completed action on legislation increasing the pay of enlisted men and officers serving outside continental United States. The Senate approved a bill providing clothing and equipment allowances of \$150 for commissioned officers. Secretary Stimson announced formation of the Seventh Armored Division with 10,000 men at Camp Polk, La. He said sulfanilamide is now standard equipment for all U. S. troops in combat areas because it was found particularly effective in curing abdominal wounds at Pearl Harbor.

The War Department estimated there are approximately a million Selective Service III-A registrants of whom 150,000 are suitable as prospective officers under the plan calling for four months training in Field Units and then at least two months in Officers Candidate Schools. The Department said after the March 17 lottery, SS registrants will be placed in two groups—one of the new and the other of the earlier registrants. Local Boards will set ratios between the two groups in calling men for induction. Furloughs to adjust civilian affairs in cases of undue hardship caused by immediate induction will be granted hereafter by the Army and not by Local Boards.

Air

The Civil Aeronautics Administration reported it has given courses to more than 100,000 pilots since 1939 at an average cost of \$600. The CAA said it also has given several thousand refresher courses to instructors at a cost of \$250 each. The Office of Education said the second set of types of 500,000 model planes being made by American school children for the Army, Navy and Civilian Defense personnel will be sent local project directors about March 20.

Priorities and Allocations

The WPB ordered manufacture of radios and phonographs for civilian use to be discontinued after April 22, 1942. The industry will manufacture Army Signal Corps equipment and other war production. The Board restricted installations of home and business telephones to save scarce materials. The Board ordered most women's hosiery manufactured after April 1 to be of rayon instead of silk and nylon. Almost the entire output of cotton duck and tent was allocated to the Armed Services. Greater priority assistance was extended for repair and maintenance of essential mine machinery, and for materials

Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 25c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Underwood No. 5 typewriter, good condition.—T. J. Smith. 38-tfc

FOR SALE—Snap-dragon plants, well rooted. 25c per dozen.—Mrs. Lee Ribble. 39-1tp

FARM EQUIPMENT

Regular Farmall with 2-row equipment, power lift. F-20 Farmall with 2-row equipment. F-12 with 2-row equipment. Also harness and collars.

J. P. McPHERSON

For Rent

FOR RENT—An inside apartment and a cottage apartment.—Mrs. H. K. Edwards. 39-1tc

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms upstairs, gentlemen preferred. Also garage apartment.—Mrs. T. N. Bell. 39-1tc

Lost

LOST—Brownish, Jersey cow with one ear off. Reward.—E. W. Breedlove, Phone 117. 39-1tc

LOST—About Jan. 20, a very large, black and tan, hound dog with white breast, about two years old. Has split in one ear, had collar on. Please write Bill Reed, Box 209, Vernon, Texas, and receive \$7.50 reward. 39-2tc

Found

STRAY HEREFORD yearling, branded "K" backwards on left hip, at my place.—M. S. Henry. 39-1tc

No Trespassing

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community, known as the Harris place, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 33-tfc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. 39-1tc

YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN—

Prepare yourself now to make your future earning power more secure. Competent printers earn a good living and the field is big. If you like machinery or like to work with your hands, printing is one of the finest trades you can follow. Our School has trained many now holding responsible positions. Low tuition. Write for catalog and complete information without obligation. Southwest School of Printing 3800 Clarendon Drive, Dallas, Tex

SAFETY SLOGANS

Money will buy lots of things but it can't buy spare parts for your body that are as good as the original ones.

The bank of Safety pays 100 per cent and never fails.

Safety is the cornerstone of efficiency.

and equipment used by commercial airlines.

Prices

Price Administrator Henderson notified State and local authorities in 20 different areas in 15 states to reduce inflated rents within 60 days or he will set rent ceilings. He said he plans similar action in 100 other areas.

Mr. Henderson requested immediate restoration of prices for mechanical refrigerators at February 2 levels. He advised customers not to purchase rubber products when prices appear excessive, because for many rubber products made, months ago there is "no excuse for charging more than before Pearl Harbor."

Labor

The President asked Congress for a \$100 million WPA appropriation to relieve communities dislocated by conversion to war industries, and to retain workers. Federal Security Administrator McNutt said public employment offices are referring workers to war production jobs before filling requests for men in civilian production.

CHURCHES

Christian Science Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 9:00 o'clock. Sunday, March 22, 1942. Subject: "Matter." The public is cordially invited.

East Side Church of Christ

Each Lord's Day—Bible classes at 10 a. m. Worship service at 10:45 a. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Mid-week Bible class each Wednesday evening.

First Baptist Church

Sunday, March 22, 1942. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning Service at 11 o'clock. Training Union at 7:30 p. m. Evening Service at 8:30 o'clock. W. M. S. every Monday afternoon.

Methodist Church

Of course, our first thought just now is the dedication of our church, March 29. From the way people are talking, the church will be crowded to capacity that Sunday. We cordially invite everyone to come and find his place in each of these services.

WANTED—To buy burlap sacks.

Ballard Feed and Produce. 13-tfc

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

April 13, 8:00 P. M. 2nd Mon. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. J. A. STOVALL, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary

W. L. O. F. M.

Meets tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

T. M. WHITBY, Noble Grand. J. A. THOMSON, Secretary.

Women qualified to teach high school commerce or business administration, mathematics and science are urgently needed in the Texas school system, the University of Texas Teachers Appointment Committee reports. The shortage is due to the fact that (1) men usually teach these subjects and they are leaving the teaching profession for military or other defense activity, and (2) the women normally qualified to teach these subjects are entering the business world.

While a majority of the nation's collegians think the Allies will "probably" win the war, 39 per cent of them fear that there is a "chance" of Axis victory, a University of Texas-edited nationwide poll of student opinion reveals.

ELECTION ORDER

State of Texas, County of Foard, City of Crowell.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas, on the seventh day of April, A. D., 1942, the same being the first Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1942, for the purpose of electing the following: Two Aldermen to serve for a period of two years or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

G. A. Mitchell is hereby appointed Presiding Judge of said election, and is hereby authorized to appoint such help as prescribed by law.

Any person desiring to have his name or their names placed on the Official Ballot as a candidate for an elective office within the City of Crowell, shall file his, her or their names with the City Secretary not later than seven days immediately preceding such election.

All qualified voters who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell for a period of six months preceding said election shall be entitled to vote.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the laws pertaining to general elections in this State insofar as they are applicable.

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.

ATTEST: GUY TODD, City Secretary.

(SEAL) 37-4tc

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

In the Antarctic regions there is enough ice to cover the entire earth for a depth of 120 feet.

This country consumed last year 7,989,000 tons of sugar. In the last World War, sugar, because it was not rationed, sold for nearly 30 cents a pound.

The brushes used in paint brushes come from northern China and the Far East. For this reason there is a great scarcity of paint brushes.

It is estimated that about 100,000 tons of baling wire is used annually to bale hay and straw in this country.

The library of Congress at Washington covers nearly 36 acres of space containing 414 miles of book shelves.

The speed of battleships is given in knots. A knot is 1.52 miles.

Three Red Cross courses—two in nutrition and one in canteen work—are being offered for University of Texas co-eds and faculty wives by the University's home economics department, with special approval from the national Red Cross headquarters.

University of Texas students bought \$794.10 worth of defense stamps in a recent day-long campaign, conducted with much ballyhoo by four student service organizations and about 75 volunteers.

Food needs for defense work must be met in such a way as to avoid a post war economic hangover.—Texas Extension Service.

Let's all sing like the birdies sing

OUR QUALITY FOODS ARE JUST THE THING

24 Lbs FLOUR Light Crust \$1.03

K C Baking Powder 15c

SWEETENED or UNSWEETENED 3 No. 2 cans 25c

MEAL 5 lb sack 13c

APPLE Butter, No. 2 cn 19c

Chili Beans can 7c

Ginger Snaps 2 lbs 25c

WHITE SWAN MILK 3 cans 21c

BEST YET Salad Dressing qt. 29c

Fruit Cocktail 2 cans 35c

POST Toasties 3 11-oz bx 21c

MOTHER'S TOY OATS 24c

1 lb jar 33c

2 lb can 65c

3 lb can 96c

CHOICE MEATS

PORK CHOPS Pound NICE LEAN 28c

MADE BY KRAFT

2 pkgs 43c

Kraft Cheese 2 lb bx 69c

Kraft DINNER 3 for 25c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

SPUDS Red 10 lbs 19c

Oranges Sunkist doz 19c

CABBAGE lb 2 1/2c

APPLES lb 6c

Coltharp Food Store

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By S. L. HUNTLEY

SETH PARSONS JUST GOT A LETTER FROM HIS BOY, TUBBY. WHAT'S IN COLLEGE?

SAY, WHAT IS TUBBY IN COLLEGE ANYWAY?

HE'S A HALF BACK.

AW, I MEAN IN HIS STUDIES.

OH, IN HIS STUDIES HE'S WAY BACK.

Lolly Gags

ONE SAYS HE WANTED TO TAKE A TRIP AROUND THE WORLD FOR HIS HONEYMOON.

BUT SHE DECIDED WHERE ELSE.

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Not the Forward Type

