

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Cpl. Floyd (Sleepy) Francis is somewhere in Africa, according to information furnished The News by his wife of Clovis, N. M. He says everything is pretty and green in Africa.

The story is told that at Camp Mackall, N. C., a new lieutenant of small stature and fragile appearance was assigned to a company. On the occasion of his first appearance before the company a voice from the ranks boomed out: "And a little child shall lead them." On the bulletin board the next day appeared an announcement: "The company will take a twenty-five mile hike today with a full pack—and a little child shall lead them."

## J. W. Cook, Long Time Resident, Died Saturday

### Last Rites Held at Funeral Home Monday Afternoon

Death came to J. W. Cook, a pioneer resident of Crowell and Foard County, Saturday afternoon at his home following an illness of several months. Funeral services were held at the Womack Funeral Home Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. G. O. McMillan, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. E. S. Watkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Otis Strickland, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Pall bearers were Hubert Brown, Bill Bell, Alton Bell, T. S. Haney, A. Y. Beverly and D. R. Magee. Flower bearers included Mesdames John E. Long, T. S. Haney, Marion Crowell, Charlie Campbell, Ebb Seales, W. B. Tyng, John Carter and Roy Steele. Honorary pall bearers were Frank Cates Jr., Pvt. Wm. Cates, Pfc. R. B. Cates, Roy Joe Cates, F. K. Harrell, George Cook, Jodie Posey and D. W. Jefferson.

With Mrs. Paul Shirley playing the accompaniment, musical selections were "Rock of Ages," sung as a solo by John Rasmussen, a duet, "Nearer My God to Thee," sung by Mrs. T. B. Klepper and John Rasmussen, and a quartet, "Beautiful Isle," sung by Messrs. Rasmussen, Charlie Thompson, J. P. Davidson and Mrs. Klepper.

Burial services were conducted by members of the Crowell Masonic Lodge, of which the deceased was a member of long standing. Mr. Cook was born in Jasper County, Missouri, in November, 1861, the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Cook. He was married to Miss Mellie Stone in Grayson County in 1891. Mr. and Mrs. Cook came to Foard County in 1907, then moved to Oklahoma where they lived for about 14 years before returning here. Leaving Foard County again in 1913 they spent several years in Arkansas and Pilot Point, Texas, before returning to Crowell in 1927, where they have resided since.

Nine children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Cook, seven of whom are living and were present at their father's bedside at the time of his death. Two passed away in infancy.

Mr. Cook became a Mason in 1904 and a Shriner in 1911, and has retained active membership since that time. He was a good neighbor and has many friends in this section.

Survivors include the widow, and seven children as follows: Mrs. Frank Cates, Jim Cook and Miss Frances Cook, all of Crowell; Staff Sgt. Joe B. Cook, of Tulsa, Okla.; and Mrs. M. D. Sloan of Tyler. One sister, Mrs. Clara Rowland, of Weber Falls, Okla., and one half-brother, Ab Bowling, of Elsinore, Calif., also survive as well as 13 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Out-of-town relatives present for the funeral services were Pvt. Wm. P. Cates of Camp Abbott, Ore., his wife of Los Angeles, Calif.; Pfc. R. B. Cates and wife of Way Cross, Georgia; Mrs. Clara Rowland of Weber Falls, Okla.; Jodie and Leo Posey of Mountain View, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. George Cook and Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Harrell of Binger; Miss Joan Schooling of Tulsa, Okla., and W. U. Curtain of Tulsa.

## Revival Services to Start at Church of Christ Saturday

Revival services will start at the Church of Christ, two blocks northwest of the square, Saturday evening at 8:00, according to announcement made by officials of the church last week. Alva Johnson of Turkey will bring the messages during this series of revival services.

The meeting will continue through Sunday, March 26. People of this section are invited to attend each night.

## Guadalcanal Veteran Visits Grandparents

Floyd Carter, private first class in the U. S. Marine Corps until receiving a medical discharge recently, is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lyons. Carter received serious injuries when he was on Guadalcanal when hit by artillery shell which struck him on the left shoulder, back and hips. He was on Guadalcanal three and one-half months before being injured. He spent two months in a hospital in New Zealand before being sent to the U. S. Naval Hospital in San Diego, Calif. After remaining there five months he was sent to the Naval Hospital at Corpus Christi, his home town.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF CROWELL:

Many of you have asked, and you are certainly entitled to know, what changes, if any, the officials of the City of Crowell contemplate it may be necessary to make in the water rates of the City, provided we are authorized at the election on March 18 to issue Revenue Bonds for the purpose of improving the waterworks system, and bring into the City a larger and better supply of water.

We have studied not only the additional cost to the City of providing this improved water condition; but we have also investigated the water rates charged by every other City in Texas with a population close to that of the City of Crowell. We have a report on sixty-four cities, other than the City of Crowell, with a population ranging from 1,600 to 2,184.

Your officials have agreed that, if the bonds are voted, and we are authorized to put in the additional water supply and improvements as called for by the election proceedings that the rate charged for water will be as follows:

Minimum monthly charge for 4,000 gallons	\$2.60
charge for 5,000 gallons	2.30
charge for 10,000 gallons	4.50
charge for 15,000 gallons	6.00
charge for 20,000 gallons	6.75

Any person of voting age, who owns Property, Personal or Real, within the City, and who has rendered this property for taxation, and who also has his Poll Tax, may vote in the bond election.

In the proposed bond issue, we have provided funds for all necessary lines so that water may be provided to all parts of the City.

Respectfully,

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.  
R. J. ROBERTS, Alderman.  
L. G. ANDREWS, Alderman.  
M. O'CONNELL, Alderman.  
RECIE WOMACK, Alderman.  
JIM COOK, Alderman.  
J. P. DAVIDSON, Sec.-Treas.

## Shipment of Red Cross Garments Made This Week

Mrs. S. S. Bell, War Production chairman of the Foard County chapter of International Red Cross, reports a shipment of finished garments on Tuesday of this week. The shipment was made by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clint White, sewing chairman for the chapter, and Mrs. J. A. Stovall, knitting chairman.

There were 144 army kits in the shipment, 21 large OD sweaters, 9 medium OD sweaters, 19 small OD sweaters, 8 OD helmets, 5 pairs of OD gloves and 39 OD mittens. There were also 7 Navy Turtle-neck sweaters in the shipment.

## Increased Postage Rates Effective on Sunday, March 26

First class mail for delivery on rural routes will be 3 cents for each ounce or fraction of an ounce, when the increased postage rates go into effect on Sunday, March 26, it was announced this week by Postmaster Alvia Spencer.

Air mail sent to or by men and women in the armed forces of the United States overseas served through Army or Navy postoffices will be 8 cents for each half ounce or fraction of a half ounce. There will also be an increase in fourth class (parcel post) mail, insured fees on parcel post packages, registered fees on first class mail, and on money order fees, Mr. Spencer said.

## MOVING TO IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerley of Margaret will leave soon for Liscomb, Iowa, to make their home. Mrs. Kerley has been rural correspondent for The News from the Margaret community for the past thirteen years and has been faithful and efficient in her duties. Mr.

## Annual Red Cross Campaign Exceeds Quota by \$215.90

The annual Red Cross drive in Foard County was brought to a successful conclusion more than a week ago, and the quota of \$3,760 was over-subscribed by \$215.90, the total amount raised being \$3,975.90.

Hubert C. Brown, chairman for the county for the drive, is grateful for the co-operation of all workers and subscribers which made a decided success of the campaign.

Practically all the communities exceeded their quotas to a considerable extent. The various communities, the workers in each and the amount subscribed by them follow:

Crowell, \$1,618.72; John Rasmussen, Mrs. W. B. Johnson, Alton Bell, Mrs. Karl ten Brink, Mrs. Tom Russell, A. Y. Beverly, Mrs. Crews Cooper, Mrs. J. S. Long, Mrs. Grover Cole, Mrs. Ben Greening, Mrs. M. L. Hughston, Mrs. Lewis Ballard, Mrs. Alton Bell, Mrs. Jim Christian, Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. S. H. Ross, Mrs. E. A. Fox and Mrs. Paul Shirley. Rayland and Riverside, \$427.00; J. H. Robertson, Mrs. T. E. Lawson, T. C. Davis, H. H. Crisp, Monroe B. Karcher, Mrs. Bailey Renels and Mrs. T. F. Lambert. Vivian, \$123.75; Mrs. T. W. Cooper and Mrs. James Sandlin. The Texas Company, \$143.50; J. J. Hagan and Mrs. J. B. Fairchild. Four Corners, \$80.00; Chester Graham and Zeke Bell. Thalia, \$294.50; E. G. Grimley, A. B. Wisdom, Mrs. E. H. Capps, Mrs. C. H. Wood, Mrs. Mack Edens, J. C. Taylor and Mrs. H. W. Gray. Margaret, \$316.10; W. A. Dunn, W. F. Bradford, Bill Bond, J. L. Orr, Mrs. J. S. Owens, and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe. Foard City, \$294.50; A. W. Barker, Mrs. Grady Halbert, O. N. Baker, Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Mrs. J. L. Farrar. Black, \$171.55; Mrs. J. J. McCoy, Mrs. John Carter and Mrs. J. D. Bursey. Good Creek, \$105.00; Jack Stinebaugh and Glen Jones.

and Mrs. Kerley's son, Willard Kerley, is a minister of the Christian Church in Liscomb.

A broom shortage is predicted for this year. There is a shortage of broom corn for the straw and lumber for the handles.

## Election to Be Held in City Saturday to Approve or Reject the Issuing of Water Improvement Revenue Bonds

Voters of the City of Crowell will go to the polls Saturday to vote on a proposition which many citizens of the town believe to be the most important election held since the organization of the city. In this election the taxpayers of

Crowell will have the opportunity of authorizing the City Council to issue revenue bonds for the purpose of improving the water system of Crowell and give its residents plenty of good water at a reasonable rate.

The election will be held at the city hall with T. W. Rascoe as presiding judge. Mr. Rascoe will be assisted by Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. Marion Crowell and Mrs. J. B. Harrison. All qualified voters of the City of Crowell, who own taxable property, real or personal, in said city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, are entitled to vote.

The plan for improving the water system of Crowell is to pipe water here from the Margaret community, where there is an abundant supply, according to an extensive survey made by the State Board of Water Engineers under the direction of C. S. Clark, of Austin, chairman.

All details regarding the improvement of the water system have been worked out by the City Council and The Crummer & Co., Inc., investment securities, of Wichita, Kansas. C. N. Smith of Plainview, representative of the company, was here Tuesday and informed the City Council that all arrangements, including priorities on material, had been made to begin construction work immediately, if the election carries for issuing the revenue bonds for the improvement, owing to the fact that this is an emergency. It is thought that the new system can be put into operation within a period of ninety days, provided nothing unforeseen occurs.

## Pfc. Thos. C. Short Seriously Wounded in Action in Italy

Pfc. Thomas Cecil Short, son of J. L. Short of Olton, formerly of the Riverside community, has been wounded in action in Italy, according to information received from the War Department Saturday, March 11. The telegram sent to Mr. Short here follows: "Regret to inform you your son, Pfc. Thomas C. Short was on Feb. 11 seriously wounded in action in Italy. Mail address follows. You will be advised as reports of condition are received.—Adjutant General."

Pfc. Short was born and reared in the Riverside community and volunteered his services on March 3, 1941. He was inducted at El Paso and sent to Camp Bowie, Brownwood, where he was later assigned to a medical regiment. He took further training in North Carolina and Camp Edwards, Mass. Short had been overseas about a year and was in the North Africa and Sicily theaters of war before going to Italy.

Pfc. Short was an outstanding young man in his home community and was an active church worker.

## Price Survey Will Be Made of Food Stores in County

Beginning Monday, March 20, and continuing throughout the week, a price control survey of every food store in Foard County is to be conducted by volunteer workers of the War Price and Rationing Board. C. R. Seale, board chairman, announced Wednesday. The check is part of a nationwide survey and calls for Price Panel representatives to check the grocery stores in this county.

Although the basic purpose of the survey is to obtain better compliance with price control regulations by helping retailers to understand these regulations, the chairman emphasized that the drive also will serve to protect both store keepers and their customers from unfair competition by black market operators.

"OPA Washington and Regional Officials can help us by providing rules and regulations but they cannot actually make price control effective in Foard County," the Chairman declared. "That job can only be done by a thorough understanding of and compliance with the regulations by the merchants and consumers of Foard County," said Mr. Seale.

The initial move in the store survey will send volunteer price panel representatives into more than 15 food stores here during the week of March 20. Their duties will include: (1) Assisting merchants to understand the regulation which requires that they have posted in a prominent place the dollar and cent ceiling prices of most of the items in their stores, including groceries, meats and soaps. (2) Comparing the retailers' selling prices for a selected list of foods with the official OPA ceiling prices.

"The shortage of help and the increased volume of business for most retail food dealers in Foard County has made it difficult for many grocers to keep up with OPA's requirements," Chairman Seale stated. "Many of my grocery friends have indicated to me that they will be glad to have this help from these volunteer representatives of the local board," he continued. The honest merchants are anxious to see 100 per cent compliance with all price regulations because they understand that it will protect them from sky rocketing prices and the inevitable depression to follow. "None of us want to go through another 1929, and we can be assured of not doing so by making price control actually effective."

## Annual FFA, 4-H Project Show Will Take Place April 1

The annual FFA and 4-H Project Show will be held on Saturday, April 1, in the Self Motor Co. building, according to Marvin Myers, vocational agriculture instructor in the High School.

There will be approximately 11 calves entered in the show. One or two of these will be as fat and in as good condition as any calf ever presented in the show, but most of the calves are short-fed on account of the feed situation.

There will be a few hog and chicken entries. The boys will take their calves to Fort Worth, after the show, and put them on the market. They sold their calves last year and were well pleased with the result, for they brought nearly 16¢ per pound.

## Two Aldermen to Be Elected for City on Tuesday, April 4th

Two aldermen will be elected to serve on the City Council on Tuesday, April 4, according to an order passed by the City Council on Feb. 18, calling for the election to be held.

M. O'Connell and Recie Womack, who have served as aldermen for the past two years and whose terms expire, have filed their names with the City Secretary for re-election. Candidates for City offices, who desire their names placed on the official ballot, are required to file their names with the City Secretary not later than seven days preceding the election.

G. A. Mitchell has been appointed as presiding judge and the election will be held in the city hall on the above date.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

**Foard County Hospital**  
Patients In: Mrs. Walter Balibruch, A. L. Johnson  
Patients Dismissed: Mrs. Bill Carroll, Bobbie McDaniel, Mrs. S. T. Holloway, Hazel Whitley, Mrs. Lee J. Stout, Mrs. Cleve Gordon, Mary Lou Tucker and infant son, (col.) Virgil Greer, K. H. Erwin  
Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

Panel and store keepers found "out of line" during the second survey check. (4) Deliberate violations referred to OPA Enforcement Division in the Fort Worth District Office.

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**Charles S. Clark**, A/S, U. S. N., who is studying at the State Medical School in Galveston, is at home for a short time, during mid-term holidays at the college.

**T-Sgt. Burke Bell**, who has been stationed at Granite, Calif., for the past several weeks, is spending a 10-day furlough here visiting his mother, Mrs. Bob Bell, and other relatives and friends.

**Pvt. Doris Gentry**, who has been at Camp White, Ore., has recently been transferred to Camp Howze, Gainesville. Mrs. Gentry went to Gainesville Wednesday to spend a few days with him.

**Cpl. Floyd (Sleepy) Francis** is somewhere in Africa, according to information furnished The News by his wife of Clovis, N. M. He says everything is pretty and green in Africa.

The story is told that at Camp Mackall, N. C., a new lieutenant of small stature and fragile appearance was assigned to a company. On the occasion of his first appearance before the company a voice from the ranks boomed out: "And a little child shall lead them." On the bulletin board the next day appeared an announcement: "The company will take a twenty-five mile hike today with a full pack—and a little child shall lead them."

## J. W. Cook, Long Time Resident, Died Saturday

### Last Rites Held at Funeral Home Monday Afternoon

Death came to J. W. Cook, a pioneer resident of Crowell and Foard County, Saturday afternoon at his home following an illness of several months. Funeral services were held at the Womack Funeral Home Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Rev. G. O. McMillan, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. R. S. Watkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Otis Strickland, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Funeral bearers were Hubert Brown, Bill Bell, Alton Bell, T. S. Haney, A. Y. Beverly and D. R. Magee. Flower bearers included Mesdames John E. Long, T. S. Haney, Marion Cowell, Charlie Campbell, Ebb Seales, W. B. Tysinger, John Carter and Roy Steele. Honorary pall bearers were Frank Cates Jr., Pvt. Wm. Cates, Pfc. R. B. Cates, Roy Joe Cates, F. K. Harrell, George Cook, Jodie Posey and D. W. Jefferson.

With Mrs. Paul Shirley playing the accompaniment, musical selections were "Rock of Ages," sung as a solo by John Rasor, a duet, "Nearer My God to Thee," sung by Mrs. T. B. Klepper and John Rasor, and a quartet, "Beautiful Isle," sung by Messrs. Rasor, Charlie Thompson, J. P. Davidson and Mrs. Klepper.

Burial services were conducted by members of the Crowell Masonic Lodge, of which the deceased was a member of long standing.

Mr. Cook was born in Jasper County, Missouri, in November, 1861, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Cook. He was married to Miss Melbie Stone in Grayson County in 1891. Mr. and Mrs. Cook came to Foard County in 1907, then moved to Oklahoma where they lived for about 14 years before returning here. Leaving Foard County again in 1913 they spent several years in Arkansas and Pilot Point, Texas, before returning to Crowell in 1927, where they have resided since.

Nine children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Cook, seven of whom are living and were present at their father's bedside at the time of his death. Two passed away in infancy.

Mr. Cook became a Mason in 1904 and a Shriner in 1911, and has retained active membership since that time. He was a good neighbor and has many friends in this section.

## Revival Services to Start at Church of Christ Saturday

Revival services will start at the Church of Christ, two blocks northwest of the square, Saturday evening at 8:00, according to announcement made by officials of the church last week. Alva Johnson of Turkey will bring the messages during this series of revivals.

## Guadalcanal Veteran Visits Grandparents

Floyd Carter, private first class in the U. S. Marine Corps until receiving a medical discharge recently, is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lyons. Carter received serious injuries when he was on Guadalcanal when hit by artillery shell which struck him on the left shoulder, back and hips. He was on Guadalcanal three and one-half months before being injured. He spent two months in a hospital in New Zealand before being sent to the U. S. Naval Hospital in San Diego, Calif. After remaining there five months he was sent to the Naval Hospital at Corpus Christi, his home town.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF CROWELL:

Many of you have asked, and you are certainly entitled to know, what changes, if any, the officials of the City of Crowell contemplate it may be necessary to make in the water rates of the City, provided we are authorized at the election on March 18 to issue Revenue Bonds for the purpose of improving the waterworks system, and bring into the City a larger and better supply of water.

We have studied not only the additional cost to the City of providing this improved water condition; but we have also investigated the water rates charged by every other City in Texas with a population close to that of the City of Crowell. We have a report on sixty-four cities, other than the City of Crowell, with a population ranging from 1,600 to 2,184.

Your officials have agreed that, if the bonds are voted, and we are authorized to put in the additional water supply and improvements as called for by the election proceedings that the rate charged for water will be as follows:

Minimum monthly charge for 4,000 gallons	\$2.80
charge for 5,000 gallons	2.30
charge for 10,000 gallons	4.50
charge for 15,000 gallons	6.00
charge for 20,000 gallons	6.75

Any person of voting age, who owns Property, Personal or Real, within the City, and who has rendered this property for taxation, and who also has his Poll Tax, may vote in the bond election.

In the proposed bond issue, we have provided funds for all necessary lines so that water may be provided to all parts of the City.

Respectfully,  
C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.  
R. J. ROBERTS, Alderman.  
L. G. ANDREWS, Alderman.  
M. O'CONNELL, Alderman.  
RECIE WOMACK, Alderman.  
JIM COOK, Alderman.  
J. P. DAVIDSON, Sec.-Treas.

## Shipment of Red Cross Garments Made This Week

Mrs. S. S. Bell, War Production chairman of the Foard County chapter of International Red Cross, reports a shipment of finished garments on Tuesday of this week. The shipment was made by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clint White, Sewing chairman for the chapter, and Mrs. J. A. Stovall, knitting chairman.

There were 144 army kits in the shipment, 21 large OD sweaters, 9 medium OD sweaters, 19 small OD sweaters, 8 OD helmets, 5 pairs of OD gloves and 39 OD mufflers. There were also 7 Navy Turtle-neck sweaters in the shipment.

Mrs. Stovall states that the Red Cross room will be open for knitting on Thursday afternoons now instead of on Tuesdays as before. Anyone who desires aid in knitting or anyone who desires to learn to knit, may go to the room on Thursday afternoon and Mrs. Stovall will be glad to help them.

## Increased Postage Rates Effective on Sunday, March 26

First class mail for delivery on rural routes will be 3 cents for each ounce or fraction of an ounce, when the increased postage rates go into effect on Sunday, March 26, it was announced this week by Postmaster Alvia Spencer.

Air mail sent to or by men and women in the armed forces of the United States overseas served through Army or Navy postoffices will be 8 cents for each half ounce or fraction of a half ounce. There will also be an increase in fourth class (parcel post) mail, insured fees on parcel post packages, registered fees on first class mail, and on money order fees.

## MOVING TO IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerley of Margaret will leave soon for Liscomb, Iowa, to make their home. Mrs. Kerley has been rural correspondent for The News from the Margaret community for the past thirteen years and has been faithful and efficient in her duties. Mr.

## Annual Red Cross Campaign Exceeds Quota by \$215.90

The annual Red Cross drive in Foard County was brought to a successful conclusion more than a week ago, and the quota of \$3,700 was oversubscribed by \$215.90, the total amount raised being \$3,915.90.

Hubert C. Brown, chairman for the county for the drive, is grateful for the co-operation of all workers and subscribers which made a decided success of the campaign.

Practically all the communities exceeded their quotas to a considerable extent. The various communities, the workers in each and the amount subscribed by them follow:

Crowell, \$1,618.72; John Rasor, Mrs. W. B. Johnson, Alton Bell, Mrs. Karl ten Brink, Mrs. Tom Russell, A. Y. Beverly, Mrs. Crews Cooper, Mrs. J. S. Long, Mrs. Grover Cole, Mrs. Ben Greening, Mrs. M. L. Hughton, Mrs. Lewis Ballard, Mrs. Alton Bell, Mrs. Jim Christian, Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. S. H. Ross, Mrs. E. A. Fox and Mrs. Paul Shirley.

Rayland and Riverside, \$427.00; J. H. Robinson, Mrs. T. E. Lawson, T. C. Davis, H. H. Crip, Monroe B. Karcher, Mrs. Bailey Renels and Mrs. T. F. Lambert.

Vivian, \$123.75; Mrs. T. W. Cooper and Mrs. James Sandlin. The Texas Company, \$143.50; J. J. Hagan and Mrs. J. B. Fairchild. Four Corners, \$80.00; Chester Graham and Zeke Bell. Thalia, \$294.50; E. G. Grimsley, A. B. Wisdom, Mrs. E. H. Capps, Mrs. C. H. Wood, Mrs. Mack Edens, J. C. Taylor and Mrs. H. W. Gray. \$316.10; W. A. Dunn, W. F. Bradford, Bill Bond, J. L. Orr, Mrs. J. S. Owens, and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe. Foard City, \$294.50; A. W. Barker, Mrs. Grady Halbert, O. N. Baker, Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Mrs. J. L. Farrar. Black, \$171.55; Mrs. J. J. McCoy, Mrs. John Carter and Mrs. J. D. Bursey. Good Creek, \$105.00; Jack Stinebaugh and Glen Jones.

## Election to Be Held in City Saturday to Approve or Reject the Issuing of Water Improvement Revenue Bonds

Voters of the City of Crowell will go to the polls Saturday to vote on a proposition which many citizens of the town believe to be the most important election held since the organization of the city. In this election the taxpayers of

Crowell will have the opportunity of authorizing the City Council to issue revenue bonds for the purpose of improving the water system of Crowell and give its residents plenty of good water at a reasonable rate.

The election will be held at the city hall with T. V. Rascoe as presiding judge. Mr. Rascoe will be assisted by Mrs. Pearl Carter, Mrs. Marion Crowell and Mrs. J. B. Harrison. All qualified voters of the City of Crowell, who own taxable property, real or personal, in said city and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, are entitled to vote.

The plan for improving the water system of Crowell is to pipe water here from the Margaret community, where there is an abundant supply, according to an extensive survey made by the State Board of Water Engineers under the direction of C. S. Clark, of Austin, chairman.

All details regarding the improvement of the water system have been worked out by the City Council and The Crummer & Co., Inc., investment securities, of Wichita, Kansas. C. N. Smith of Plainview, representative of the company, was here Tuesday and informed the City Council that all arrangements, including priorities on material, had been made to begin construction work immediately, if the election carries for issuing the revenue bonds for the improvement, owing to the fact that this is an emergency. It is thought that the new system can be put into operation within a period of ninety days, provided nothing unforeseen occurs.

## Pfc. Thos. C. Short Seriously Wounded in Action in Italy

Pfc. Thomas Cecil Short, son of J. L. Short of Olton, formerly of the Riverside community, has been wounded in action in Italy, according to information received from the War Department Saturday, March 11. The telegram sent to Mr. Short here follows: "Regret to inform you your son, Pfc. Thomas C. Short was on Feb. 11 seriously wounded in action in Italy. Mail address follows. You will be advised as reports of condition are received. — Adjutant General."

Pfc. Short was born and reared in the Riverside community and volunteered his services on March 3, 1941. He was inducted at El Paso and sent to Camp Bowie, Brownwood, where he was later assigned to a medical regiment. He took further training in North Carolina and Camp Edwards, Mass. Short had been overseas about a year and was in the North Africa and Sicily theaters of war before going to Italy.

Pfc. Short was an outstanding young man in his home community and was an active church worker.

## Price Survey Will Be Made of Food Stores in County

Beginning Monday, March 20, and continuing throughout the week, a price control survey of every food store in Foard County is to be conducted by volunteer workers of the War Price and Rationing Board. C. R. Seale, board chairman, announced Wednesday. The check is part of a nationwide survey and calls for Price Panel representatives to check the grocery stores in this county.

Although the basic purpose of the survey is to obtain better compliance with price control regulations by helping retailers to understand these regulations, the chairman emphasized that the drive also will serve to protect both store keepers and their customers from unfair competition by black market operators.

"OPA Washington and Regional Officials can help us by providing rules and regulations but they cannot actually make price control effective in Foard County," Chairman declared. "The job can only be done by a thorough understanding of and compliance with the regulations by the merchants and consumers of Foard County," said Mr. Seale.

The initial move in the store survey will send volunteer price panel representatives into more than 15 food stores here during the week of March 20. Their duties will include: (1) Assisting merchants to understand the regulation which requires that they have posted in a prominent place the dollar and cent ceiling prices of most of the items in their stores, including groceries, meats and soaps. (2) Comparing the retailers' selling prices for a selected list of foods with the official OPA ceiling prices.

"The shortage of help and the increased volume of business for most retail food dealers in Foard County has made it difficult for many grocers to keep up with OPA's requirements," Chairman Seale stated. "Many of my grocery friends have indicated to me that they will be glad to have this help from these volunteer representatives of the local board," he continued. "The honest merchants are anxious to see 100 per cent compliance with all price regulations because they understand that it will protect them from sky rocketing prices and the inevitable depression to follow. "None of us want to go through another 1929, and we can be assured of not doing so by making price control actually effective."

The nationwide store survey provides for a schedule divided into 4 specific periods as follows: (1) First survey from March 20 to 25. (2) A follow-up check of stores found in violation on the first store survey, during the week of April 3. (3) Compliance conferences during the week of April 10 between Foard County Price

## Annual FFA, 4-H Project Show Will Take Place April 1

The annual FFA and 4-H Project Show will be held on Saturday, April 1, in the Self Motor Co. building, according to Marvin Myers, vocational agriculture instructor in the High School.

There will be approximately 11 calves entered in the show. One or two of these will be as fat and in as good condition as any calf ever presented in the show, but most of the calves are shorn-off on account of the feed situation.

There will be a few hog and chicken entries. The boys will take their calves to Fort Worth, after the show, and put them on the market. They sold their calves last year and were well pleased with the result, for they brought nearly 16¢ per pound.

Further information concerning the show will be given at a later date.

## Two Aldermen to Be Elected for City on Tuesday, April 4th

Two aldermen will be elected to serve on the City Council on Tuesday, April 4, according to an order passed by the City Council on Feb. 18, calling for the election to be held.

M. O'Connell and Recie Womack, who have served as aldermen for the past two years and whose terms expire, have filed their names with the City Secretary for re-election. Candidates for City offices who desire their names placed on the official ballot, are required to file their names with the City Secretary not later than seven days preceding the election.

G. A. Mitchell has been appointed as presiding judge and the election will be held in the city hall on the above date.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital  
Patients In:  
Mrs. Walter Balibruch  
A. L. Johnson  
Patients Dismissed:  
Mrs. Bill Carroll  
Bobbie McDaniel  
Mrs. S. T. Holloway  
Hazel Whitley  
Mrs. Lee J. Stout  
Mrs. Cleve Gordon  
Mary Lou Tucker  
and infant son, (col.)  
Virgil Greer  
K. H. Erwin  
Visiting Hours: 9:30 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.  
Panel and store keepers found "out of line" during the second survey check. (4) Deliberate violations referred to OPA Enforcement Division in the Fort Worth District Office.

Items from Neighboring Communities

FOARD CITY (Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ferguson and family moved to this community last Wednesday from Mangum, Okla.

DR. H. SCHINDLER DENTIST New Location Ringgold Bldg. Office Hours: 9 to 12 and 2 to 5 Crowell

FARM and RANCH LOANS

Made by the Federal Land Bank of Houston, Texas, through the Crowell National Farm Loan Association, at 4% and 5%, 20 and 34 1/2 years. Make inquiry at the office of Crowell N. F. L. A. in Crowell State Bank Building.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Cremulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Cremulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Will Receive Applications for Manager of Farmers Co-Op. Gin at Crowell on Saturday, April 1st

At the regular meeting of the directors of the Farmers Co-Op. Gin of Crowell, which will be held at the office of the gin, on Saturday, April 1st, at 2:30 p. m., applications for manager of the gin will be accepted.

GLENN JONES, Secretary, Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1.

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FARMERS SUPPLY STORE

Q. V. Winningham, Mgr.

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Lt. Roger K. Owen of Shepard Field visited Nick Craig here.

E. H. Roberts visited in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom and daughters, Mrs. Mary Pollard and Mrs. Pauline Whittaker, attended funeral services for Mrs. Wisdom's aunt, Mrs. Lee Porter, in Gainesville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Race Higgs of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford here last week.

Cpl. Elmer Patterson and wife of Newport News, Va., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grimsley, here this week. They also visited with their parents in Red Springs.

J. A. Blevins left Friday for Fort Sill, Okla., for active duty in the Army.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennis in a Vernon hospital Friday, March 10, a boy, Roger Keith.

Miss Audra Abston and Nick Craig visited friends in Northside Friday evening.

W. N. Cato and family and Huston Adkins end family attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last week-end.

Arlie Dunn and family of Pampa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn, here last week-end.

Miss Mildred Marlow of Foard City visited Miss Edith Blevins here last week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Toie in a Vernon hospital Saturday afternoon, March 11, a boy, Jerry Michael.

Mrs. Charlie Roberts received medical treatment in a Vernon hospital a few days this week.

Mrs. Ruby Craig of Vernon visited her son, Nick Craig, here Wednesday night. The church gave Nick a very nice pounding at the mid-week service Wednesday night.

Miss Edith Blevins visited Miss Mildred Marlow in Foard City Sunday night.

E. G. Grimsley, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wisdom and William Wisdom attended funeral services for Mrs. Grimsley's mother in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Tom Abston and E. G. Grimsley attended the ginners convention in Dallas last week. They were accompanied by Grady Price of Five-in-One.

Mrs. Eunice Corzine is visiting in San Antonio and California.

Will Wood went to Marlow, Okla. Monday in response to a message saying his brother-in-law, Joe Thomas, had died.

Cpl. Joe McKinley of Sioux City, Iowa, Bill McKinley and family of Amarillo and Clyde McKinley and family of Fort Worth visited Mrs. George O'Day and other relatives here this week.

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

Mrs. Travis Reed and small daughter, Evelyn Ann, and Miss Mary Doty, of Cleburne spent from Tuesday until Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and family.

Mrs. Melvin Neyman of Fort Worth spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and Mrs. J. M. Denton and small daughter, Fay, spent from Sunday until Wednesday with their son and brother, John Allen Fish, and family of Dallas.

Charlie Beatty of Melrose, N. M., visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty Sr., this week. He was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Lilly Faye Beatty, who is visiting there.

J. W. Klepper is visiting in the home of his son, T. B. Klepper, and wife of Crowell.

Ike Worley Jr. of Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and family Sunday afternoon.

Pfc. Wilburn Davidson left Wednesday for North Carolina after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Belew of Vernon spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Walling. Mrs. Belew remained for a longer visit.

Lee Whitman of Thalia and Durward Benham of Pampa visited in the home of Mrs. A. L. Walling and family last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bery Fish and son, Jimmy, and daughters, Dorothy and Bery Ann, spent from Friday until Sunday attending the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young and family while there.

W. C. and Betty Jo Teel of Ogden visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and family Sunday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Davidson of Fort Worth spent last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson.

Elmer Holley of Ogden visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Parris Rasberry of Paducah is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. N. Beatty Sr., and family.

Harold Fish returned from Amarillo Thursday after spending the week there attending the Fat Stock Show. His 4-H Club calf won fifth place in an entry of 200 calves and sold for 20c per pound.

Mrs. J. M. Denton and daughter, Fay, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mrs. Ella Lawson and Mrs. Bill Mulkey and daughter, Margaret Ann, of Paducah.

H. H. Fish of Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. Walling has recent-

Ice 'Ain't So Hot'



Rabie Susie Mapes is unimpressed with her first set of ice skates. Her mother is the former Evelyn Chandler. Ice Follies star. Here we see Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mapes putting on Susie's skates.

AGRICULTURE (D. F. Eaton, County Agent.)

4-H Club and F. F. A. Calf Show Coming Up

Saturday, April 1, has been set for the 4-H Club and F. F. A. Calf, Pig and Poultry Show. The boys themselves planned the show and fixed the date and will make all arrangements.

This will be youth day in Foard County and everyone will have an opportunity to see some of the accomplishments of these boys here in the county.

These boys are making a fine contribution to the war effort in food production in the face of high and scarce feed and the demands of home, farm and school upon their time. Home responsibilities fall pretty heavy on rural youth when we have a labor shortage and during war time.

Pretty soon the boys will have arranged for a judge, a place to hold this show and a premium list and other details.

Some breeders have asked about bringing in some of their livestock to display on that day. They are welcome to do so.

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RAYLAND (By Mrs. T. C. Davis)

A. J. Lambert of the U. S. Navy is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert.

Grandma Beazley is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Ramsey and children visited in Kirkland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers of Vernon spent the week-end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson.

Mrs. Mary Tom Anderson and Nick Campagno of Sweetwater spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Anderson's daughter, Barbara Lee, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Mrs. Taylor Shaw and daughter of Vernon spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Williams.

Mrs. Arnold Hines and daughter and Mrs. L. D. Mansel visited in Electra Monday.

Mrs. Arnold Hines had a phone call from her husband from South Carolina. He had just returned to the States from Sicily and Africa on a hospital ship. He is being transferred to the Camp Hood hospital at Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmons of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor.

Mrs. Buck Clark and grand-daughter have returned from a business visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schoefuer, of Petrolia.

Mrs. C. H. Tuggle is visiting in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Fred Duffy and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp.

Miss Earlene Wood of Waco is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Sisk.

Mrs. Edna Mae Woodruff of Frederick, Okla., spent last week with Mrs. Virginia Nichols.

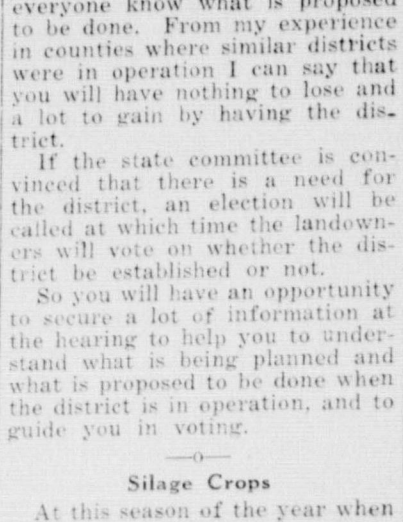
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A. J. Lambert, Billy Cleveland and T. F. Lambert Jr., made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Lambert and children of Abernathy spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston and daughter spent Sunday visiting their son and brother, Hubert Abston, and family of Northside.

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At this season of the year when we are planning our farm crop program for the coming year, it would seem wise for those farmers and ranchmen who have livestock to include in their program the growing of silage crops. Any of the grain sorghums make good silage.

Let me give you a good example of how a reserve of good silage can help relieve an acute feed shortage. Last week we visited the stock farm of Egbert Fish and Sons and here is what we found:

They stored some 150 tons of silage in 1941 in a trench silo, so when grass got short and wheat grazing scarce they opened up this silo and began feeding it to the cattle, an emergency situation.

If they had not had this they would have had to buy a lot of expensive hay and a lot more grain and meal.

This is the third case of this kind we have run onto in the county, Grady Halbert and O. H. Nelson being the other two.

I was at Mr. Nelson's this week and found him hauling his cut to his cattle with a string of cattle following his wagon.

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AGRICULTURE (D. F. Eaton, County Agent.)

At this season of the year when we are planning our farm crop program for the coming year, it would seem wise for those farmers and ranchmen who have livestock to include in their program the growing of silage crops. Any of the grain sorghums make good silage.

Let me give you a good example of how a reserve of good silage can help relieve an acute feed shortage. Last week we visited the stock farm of Egbert Fish and Sons and here is what we found:

They stored some 150 tons of silage in 1941 in a trench silo, so when grass got short and wheat grazing scarce they opened up this silo and began feeding it to the cattle, an emergency situation.

If they had not had this they would have had to buy a lot of expensive hay and a lot more grain and meal.

This is the third case of this kind we have run onto in the county, Grady Halbert and O. H. Nelson being the other two.

I was at Mr. Nelson's this week and found him hauling his cut to his cattle with a string of cattle following his wagon.

Better Care Brings More Eggs

We've been emphasizing good management as the most direct means of getting more eggs from that poultry flock. Production is doubly important this year. Hens must lay more to bridge the spread between the high price for feed and the current market for eggs.

And Texas poultrymen have been asked to produce three per cent more eggs this year than they did in 1943.

Here's a story which shows results of care and good management in poultry. Three months ago this particular flock was producing 20 eggs a day from a flock of 115 hens. This wasn't profitable so the grower called us up.

We found this particular flock to be of good breeding and well fed. But they seemed to be wormy and unthrifty. The first act was to cull 30 low producers, then recommended giving the remaining fowl on two successive days once monthly two tablespoonful of methiazine mixed with enough mash for 100 birds to control worms. At the same time it was suggested adding one tablespoonful of a solution of two ounces of bluestone and one pint of vinegar to each gallon of drinking water. This was to be given for three successive days twice each month in non-metal containers.

Three weeks after starting this treatment the grower was getting 74 to 82 eggs daily from the 85 hens remaining after culling. And, this production continued throughout the winter. Neighbors who adopted this program also obtained increased yields.

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Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT (By Gaylon Parris)

Wilburn Ayers of Crowell visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Stan Westbrook, last week. Floyd Roberson spent the latter part of the week in Dallas with his brother, Fred Roberson, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Wyndell Fannin and daughter, Linda, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. Fannin's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fannin, of Chillicothe. County School Superintendent Meerkel McGohey, of Benjamin, was here Thursday. Mrs. Clifford Orr and children, Martha and Clifford Jr., spent the week-end with friends in Ballinger. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox were called to Hereford Friday, on account of the death of a nephew. S-Sgt. John B. Chilcoat, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, for the past few weeks, left Tuesday to report for duty back to Boise, Idaho. Mrs. Ozzie Turner and children, Wayne and Winnie Sue, visited their mother-in-law and

on to Seymour where they will visit their mother, Mrs. W. E. Solomon. Mary Beth Chowning, who is attending T. S. C. W. at Denton, spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chowning. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and children visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones, of Vernon, Saturday. Mrs. V. W. Browning and daughter, Marjory, were in Wichita Falls Saturday. Mrs. Duard West, who has been visiting in Wichita Falls, returned home last week to stay with her mother, Mrs. Wayne Young. S-Sgt. John B. Chilcoat, Mrs. Edward Ratliff, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, Gaye Nell and Dorothy Chilcoat were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McLain of Foard City Sunday. Warren Hainie, Jerry Westbrook, and Perry Todd, of Crowell spent the week-end in Fort Worth where they attended the first part of the Fat Stock Show. Mrs. Frank Spann and mother, Mrs. Long, of Amarillo were visiting in the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Stover, Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Boykin and grandson, Keith Whitaker, and Gaylon Parris were in Vernon

Food, Home Notes

(By Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Home Demonstration Agent.) Produce Clean Milk Texas' 1944 milk goal of more than four and one-half billion pounds includes milk for home use. For this reason, it is most important that all farms and ranches produce enough milk for home use. And the milk should be of high quality for both the trade and home consumption. Clean milk is milk of good flavor, comes from healthy cows, is free from dirt, and contains few bacteria, none of which are harmful. Here are a few brief suggestions for producing clean milk which are being emphasized in home demonstration club meetings in March in addition to a demonstration on making cheese. Have a good milk pail, preferably one which is seamless and has a small or hooded top. Keep a strainer which is large enough and can be cleaned easily. One in which cotton filter disks can be used is preferable. Clean and sterilize all utensils just before milking to remove dust and bacteria and banish odors. Use a chlorine solution in the water to do this. Have a clean barnyard and a clean, well-ventilated barn or milking shed. Keep the cow clean and healthy. Brush the flank and udder before milking, and wash the udder and the flanks with clean water. The milker should be healthy. He should wear clean clothing, should wash his hands and disinfect them before milking, and should milk with dry hands. Cool the milk immediately after milking, and keep it cool to prevent bacterial growth. Water cools quicker than air too. The milk should be set in cold water to cool quickly. More Spice Most of the familiar spices used in home cooking are now in good supply in this country because shipping from South America, India and the West Indies has become safer and easier. Two spices, cloves and allspice, are now in such large supply that the War Food Administration has lifted its restrictions entirely. Cloves have been coming in recently in large shipments from Zanzibar. Restrictions on other spices have been eased because of larger supplies. Mace and nutmeg, two different spices from the same tree, are so much more plentiful that civilian allowances of mace have gone up from 40 to 80 per cent, and of nutmeg from 60 to 70 per cent. Mace and nutmeg have been coming in recently from the British West Indies. A large crop, easier shipping, and some carryover of supplies from last year are responsible for the big rise in civilian allowances of mace. Three Pimentos The Spanish word, pimento, originally meaning a hot seasoning, has come to refer to three different spices. First used for black pepper, pimento then came to be the name for allspice because early Spaniards visiting Jamaica saw the allspice berries which looked much like the berries of the pepper vine. Later Spaniards in America, on tasting the hot pods of the Aztec chili plant, called these pimentos. Today the canned or preserved mild red pepper pods are commonly referred to as pimento when used to flavor cheese or stuff olives. The word allspice has also proved confusing. Some housewives have supposed it was a mixture of different spices instead of one spice with a blend of the flavors resembling nutmeg, clove and cinnamon. Store A Little Lard The home refrigerator that has an empty corner for holding a couple of pounds of lard this month may do its bit to relieve a temporary storage emergency and also help provide for pies and biscuits for the family's future meals. Right now while more lard is on the market than cold storage warehouses can accommodate and while lard is off the ration list, the housewife may put by a small amount if she has refrigerator space for it. Lard will keep its fresh flavor only if it is stored in a cold, dark, dry place and closely covered. Moisture, air, light and warmth all encourage rancidity. Lard in general keeps longer than butter or margarine but not as long as hydrogenated cooking fats and refined oils. Buying too much lard or hoarding quantities which are likely to become rancid before they can be used and thus become a waste of valuable food. The heavy run of hogs to market in the last two months has caused a temporary surplus of lard. During January and February of this year 200 million more pounds of lard were produced than during the same two months of 1943. Storages are crowded to the limit. Shippers' space is lacking to carry the extra lard overseas. In the temporary emergency the Office of Price Administration has removed lard from the ration list until the end of March and the War Food Administration is allowing soap manufacturers to buy 50 million pounds of this fat to help supply civilians and armed forces with the soap

RIVERSIDE (By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Butler and family and Rex Whitten spent from Friday until Monday with the families of Arlie Cato and Ernest Cribbs in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. John Matus spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mott, of Bonmarton. Mrs. Leonard Owens has returned home from a Wichita Falls Hospital, where she had been for medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farrar and family spent Sunday with relatives at Fargo. Mrs. Hubert Smith of Crowell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Owens. Pvt. Ellis Wilson of Sheppard Field spent Sunday with his brother, M. Wilson and family. Autry Pope and daughter, Lula Grace, Calvin and Billie Jo Bates of Goree visited his father, T. C. Pope, and family Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole announce the birth of a son on Saturday, March 12, in a Vernon Hospital. J. G. Vaughn and family of Farmers Valley spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skelton, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tole and son of Thalia were dinner guests of his father, Ernest Tole, and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward and family of Chillicothe spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sara Tole. Charles and Elza Lambert of Levelland spent the week-end with Edmond Ward in the Sam Kuehn home. Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and baby attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Schumann in Harrold Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmonds have returned to their home at Levelland after a visit with relatives and friends. Noah Scharber was taken by Cap Adkins to Crowell Monday for medical treatment. Mrs. Freeman Durham and children of Sweetwater are visiting her sister, Mrs. T. J. Cox, and family. Richard Johnson and family of Crowell were visitors in the Dave Shultz and D. M. Shultz homes Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and children were dinner guests of Oliver Holland and family of Five-in-One Sunday. Mrs. Allie Huntley is visiting relatives in Vernon this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and Mrs. Weston Ward visited in Wichita Falls Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajias and family spent Sunday with Phillip Raznonskia and family of Vernon. Faith Lavoy Rummel is on the sick list. August Rummel visited his uncle, Herman Kubitz, in a Vernon Hospital Sunday. Mr. Kubitz received injuries from a tractor overturning on him Friday. A/C Roy E. Shultz, of Victory Field, was a dinner guest in the Cap Adkins home Sunday. Word has been received here that Cecil Short, formerly of this community, but now in Italy, has been wounded in Italy. Roxiann Adkins of Thalia spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins. MARGARET (By Mrs. John Kerley) Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison and daughter, Billie, visited Coy Payne and family of Riverside Sunday of last week. Others visiting in the Payne home were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rettig and children of Four Corners and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Greaves of Crowell. Mrs. Grant Morrison received a letter from her brother, Conrad Black, last week, the first she has heard from him in about four months. He is now stationed in New Guinea. Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Williamson of Denton spent from Friday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison. They spent Monday visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Black, and husband of Wichita Falls while en route home. Pvt. Charley Haseloff of Sheppard Field visited his family here Saturday night. They spent Sunday with his cousin, Homer Haseloff, of Lockley. Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook accompanied her husband on a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday. Mrs. Arthur Bell received a letter last week from Billy George Dunn, who is now in Italy. Mrs. Bax Middlebrook also received a letter from John Henry Kenner, who is in England. It is with sincere regret that I will no longer be writing these items, and I wish to thank each and every one who has in any way assisted me in my efforts for the past 13 years. I truly hope that

they need. The present lard emergency does not mean that this country now has all the fat it needs. Many millions of pounds of hard fat are still needed for making glycerine, soap and other wartime industrial products. Every housewife still has the patriotic duty of saving every drop of kitchen fat.

Point Free Pie Pie, the all-American dessert, can have its innings at the family dinner table this month, unrestrained by ration points, if the cook knows the secrets of making pastry with lard.

Lard, if properly mixed, makes a pastry that is tender and flaky rather than mealy. Three important points for achieving this flaky texture are: first, have lard and water very cold; second, use as little water as possible to hold the dry ingredients together, and sprinkle the water on; third, work the dough as little as possible.

A good all-purpose flour is better than a very soft flour for pastry, because the dough it makes is easier to handle and the pastry more flaky. The proportions for one pie are: 1 1/2 cups sifted flour and 1 teaspoon salt with 5 or 6 tablespoons lard. To moisten this quantity only about 2 1/2 to 3 tablespoons of water are necessary.

The cold, solid lard is cut into the flour, or worked in rapidly with the fingertips, until only a few

- ANSWERS (Questions on page 2). 1. As a pianist, composer, author, motion picture actor and member of the cast of the Information Please program. 2. It is a coral reef surrounding a body of water. 3. Cordell Hull. 4. Mary Pickford. 5. Finland. 6. Harry Woodring. 7. July 19. 8. June 26. 9. Russia. 10. He vetoed it.

particles about the size of peas remain. The water is sprinkled, never poured, on the dry mixture. A small salt shaker or some other such utensil can be used as a sprinkler and will moisten the particles of flour and fat evenly. Then the mixture is molded into a stiff dough with a fork and allowed to stand about 5 minutes before rolling out. Instead of rolling on a flour board and adding extra flour to the dough, lay the dough between waxed papers and roll it out. If the pastry is baked before the filling is added, as in custard type pies, and some fruit pies, it takes only 10 or 12 minutes in a hot oven.

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Drop down, ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness; let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring up together; I the Lord have created it.—Isaiah 64:1

The Wichita, Kan., Airplane Company reports that it has orders on the books amounting to \$1,000,000 for planes to be delivered to civilians after the war. This is probably true of every airplane manufacturer in the country. It indicates that one of the post-war projects that is going to confront many communities is a local air field. When the thousands of army pilots go back home after the war, aviation as a civilian activity is going to receive an enormous impetus. Airplanes will be found in every community and the instruction of flyers and the manufacture of planes will become one of the big post-war industries. There is a fascination about air travel that is going to make it a most popular means of travel.

Oil men say that this nation faces the same future in the matter of oil that it is now experiencing in the matter of its timber reserves. At one time it was thought that the timber resources of this country were inexhaustible. We have reached a place where we are practically without timber resources. We have thought in the past that our oil supply was inexhaustible, but we are beginning to wake up to the fact that the end of this may be closer than we think. Last year 17,850 new oil wells were drilled, but at the end of the year this country had 698,000,000 less barrels of reserve oil than it had at the beginning of the year. Are our oil resources going the same way that our timber resources have gone?

It is believed by many that Amelia Earhart, who lost her life in the South Pacific during her round the world flight in 1937, came to her death from causes other than that related to the natural hazard of flying. Many believe she was killed by the Japs. In the year 1937 the Japs were preparing for war with the United States. They were at that time developing naval and airplane bases in the Pacific and were making every effort to keep visitors away. The famous aviator's flight crossed this area and she landed on some of these islands, possibly the Marshalls. Representative Hefferman of New York has suggested that the Army and Navy keep Amelia Earhart in mind and search for any evidence. The likelihood is that if she was a victim of the Japs, all traces that might connect them with the crime, have been destroyed.

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### HISTORY

The Establishment of the U. S. Mint—April 2: The Constitution conferred upon Congress the power to coin money and to regulate its value. On April 2, 1792, Congress passed an act establishing a mint for the coinage of money. Alexander Hamilton, the first Secretary of the Treasury, recommended to Congress in May, 1791, the adoption of a coinage system with the dollars as the unit, specifying the amount of gold and silver that should go into each dollar. He also recommended the coinage of gold pieces and the fractional silver and copper coins. The first coin produced by the U. S. Mint was a copper cent. It bore the date of 1792. The next year the silver dollar appeared and later the gold coins. Previous to the coinage of American money English and Spanish coins were used by the Colonists, and earlier commodities such as beaver, Indian wampum and barten of commodities was employed as the medium of exchange. Following the union of the Colonies to resist Great Britain, the several Colonies were permitted to issue paper currency. So much of this was issued that it became practically worthless. It required five hundred dollars in currency to buy one Spanish dollar. It became so worthless that it was a common practice in describing something of little value to say that it was not "worth a Continental." The first mint was located at Philadelphia. At the present time mints are located at Philadelphia, San Francisco, New Orleans, Carson, Nevada, and Denver, Colo. The word mint comes from the Latin word meaning money.

One good feature in the tax bill that Congress recently passed over the President's veto is that it holds the payroll tax to one per cent. Had the bill not been passed over the President's veto the tax would have increased to two per cent. Even at one per cent the tax is too high. It raises several times more money than is needed for the administration of the provisions of this bill. Why continue to collect more in this fund than is needed? As surely as a fund builds up above needs, someone in Washington will find a way to create a new agency to spend it.

The boys in the service in the South Pacific have been over-promoted. They are not at all like the movie picture them. In fact none of the places in which our boys are stationed begin to measure up to this country. They will all be glad to get back home for more reasons than the fact that they can drop in at the Hamburger Spot and get a hamburger with pickles or onions, or sit in a booth at the drug store and revel in a chocolate malted milk, two things that no country can make as good as they make them in the old home town.

In spite of all the talk of post-war activities and employment projects, industries with big payrolls and a ready-made market for all of their products are not going to drop into the lap of any community after the war. The matter of getting new industries and holding up local payrolls is still going to be the same tough job that it has always been. Industries are going to continue to be the result of private capital and private risk and private enterprise. Whenever there is an individual with the genius and the courage to supply these, the payrolls will come.

### Political Announcements

For Congress, 13th Congressional District:

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ED GOSSETT

For State Representative, 114th Legislative District:

CLAUDE CALLAWAY

For District Attorney, 46th Judicial District:

R. R. DONAGHEY

For County Judge:

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A. L. DAVIS

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For District and County Clerk:

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JOE JOHNSON

For Commissioner Precinct 3:

VIRGIL JOHNSON

For Commissioner Precinct 4:

OTIS GAFFORD

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:

H. E. FERGUSON

### Brief Bits of News From Here and There

Manufacturers state that after the war a freezer and storage locker will be made available for about the present cost of a 6 cubic foot refrigerator. With such equipment housewives will be able to have their freezing and locker plants in their homes instead of depending upon community commercial lockers.

Stirred by the stories of the Japanese torture of American prisoners, 45 American relatives of U. S. soldiers captured by the Japs in the Philippines met in Washington recently and formed an organization for Bataan Relief. They have asked Congress for more help for General MacArthur and more relief for Jap held prisoners.

Because the higher octane gasoline is necessary in the airplane used in the war, civilians will get a lower grade of gasoline this year than during peace time. One barrel of crude oil will produce but 4.2 gallons of 100 octane aviation gasoline.

Red Cross officials home from overseas estimate that a million American lives will be lost before Germany is conquered. They are openly disgusted with the apathy and complacency at home.

Flies were once regarded as amusing, harmless insects, says an entomology textbook. Well, so were the Japs.

The draftee who was assigned to K. P. duty soon learned that what K. P. really stands for is "Keep Peeling."

### 'Paper Doll'



To help spur the current waste paper drive, the boys of the San Antonio Air Service command at Kelly Field, Texas, have selected Eleanor Parker of Hollywood as the "paper doll" they'd like to call their own.

### This Is a Bicycle Built for TWO!



### What We Think

By Frank Dixon

Without doubt the biggest news coming out of Washington is the President's veto of the tax bill and the repercussions that followed.

The President had asked Congress for a tax bill that would provide \$10,500,000,000. The bill as passed by Congress provided about \$2,915,000,000 or about \$8,000,000,000 less than the amount asked for by the President.

In my opinion the President erred in the manner of presenting his veto to Congress. The phrasing of the veto was unnecessarily antagonistic and irritating, especially in view of the fact that there were so many sound reasons why the bill should have been vetoed.

Had it not been for the irritating nature of the message Senator Barkley and Congress could have had no reason for criticizing the President or resenting his veto of the bill.

The Constitution expressly provides that the President may veto any bill passed by Congress and presented to him for his signature. If Congress desires and can muster the votes it can then pass the bill over the President's veto and it becomes a law.

In my own humble opinion which is not based on a technical knowledge of the intricacies of taxation but merely on the general knowledge that is available to everyone, the bill, as passed by Congress, did not provide as much revenue as it should and the President was justified in vetoing it, as he had every right under the Constitution to do.

I believe taxes should be sharply advanced during the duration of the war. I believe that we should pay as much as possible on the cost of the war while it is being fought.

The reason I think this should be done, is that whether we realize it or not, we are in a period of inflation. Employment is at an all time peak. The earnings of workers is at an all time peak. This evidenced by the condition of banks in every town and village and hamlet in the United States. In my own town, a small county seat town, the banks have by far the largest deposits that they have carried in the history of the community. Every bond drive has gone over by a liberal margin, as does every drive for funds. This condition exists throughout rural America.

This is the time to levy taxes and this is the time to pay taxes. In my own community income taxes, though higher than they have ever been before, are going to be paid easier and with less sacrifice than at any time in the past.

We have acquired an immense debt in the conduct of the war. It has been necessary. It has been unescapable. It must be paid. It is not wise nor smart to put off the payment of this debt until after the war. We should pay more of it now while the flood tide of prosperity is with us.

To put it off until after the war will be equivalent to saying to the boys in the service when they come back home: "Well boys, you did a fine job of fighting and winning the war, but we have a surprise for you. We are also going to let you pay for it. We didn't get much done on paying for it while you were away because we didn't choose to make the necessary sacrifices to do so, but you are home now and to show our appreciation we have saved most of the debt for you to pay. Here's good luck to you boys, you'll need it."

Somewhere in Italy.—War version of the "postman's holiday" is the remark of the GI to the Red Cross clubmobile girl: "Say, Lydia, will you take me up to the front with you on my day off?"

### IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

Items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The News of March 13, 1914:

T. N. Bell and J. C. Self, agents for the Ford cars in Foard County, went over to Vernon one day last week to bring in their first car. They made part of the trip all right, but on the latter part of the trip, they sold the car, and it is said, they had to walk home.

J. M. Brown, Huey Tapp and John Williamson left Saturday in a covered wagon for Clovis, N. M. Mr. Brown has gone to prove a claim on some land out there, and the other men went along to help him kill snakes and to keep him from getting too lonesome. Mr. Brown says that he has killed snakes in Foard County for fourteen years, has drunk water out of Beaver Creek, Pease River and both the Wichitas, and feels that he should be allowed the privilege of returning at any future time that he may choose.

Phil Witherspoon returned the first of the week from Gainesville where he had been at the bedside of his mother, who was reported very ill.

A young man by the name of E. L. Norman was killed by the train while performing his duties as brakeman near Truscott last Friday afternoon.

W. Y. Grimlan brought to town Monday one of the largest bobcat hides ever seen in this part of the country. The hide measured something over four feet in length.

For some time Lester Donaldson, who lives eight miles southeast of town, has had sickness in his family, and as a result has not been able to do much toward farming, so one day last week a number of his neighbors went in and with dishes and plows, put Mr. Donaldson's ground in shape for planting.

### Worried German



This picture, received in the United States from neutral sources after it had been published in one of Germany's leading magazines, shows Hauptmann Nowotny, an ace Nazi pilot, walking from his plane after a skirmish with Allied bombers and fighters. He looks worried.

### FIRE IS DESTRUCTIVE FIRE DESTROYS BARN and CONTENTS

of M. L. McCULLOUGH, near Plano at 9:30 Feb. 11th; Value of Barn \$4,000.00; value of contents \$2,500.00; Total, \$6,500.00.

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### LIBRARY NOTES

There are three new books in the Library and all of them deal with the war from various viewpoints. "Trampled Lilies," by Lady Fortescue shows the author's understanding of appreciation for the solid virtues of the French people and the unflinching union of the grave and the gay. She was an eye witness of Britain under bombardment. "Out of the Blitz," by G. P. S. Hopwood, is a graphic and vivid story of Britain's dwelling in its realism hears or reads in the "Taps for Private Jess Stuart," is the third book was winner of the Thomas Jefferson Award for Best Poetry in the year 1943. "Out of the Blitz," by G. P. S. Hopwood, is a graphic and vivid story of Britain's dwelling in its realism hears or reads in the "Taps for Private Jess Stuart," is the third book was winner of the Thomas Jefferson Award for Best Poetry in the year 1943.



### Friday and Saturday Special

- Mother's OATS Pkg 30
- PLATE or CUP and SAUCER
- BROOK'S VICTORY Only 6 Pkgs
- Tomato SAUCE Large Bottle 10
- SIR FRANCIS DRAKE
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- Shortening 4 Lb Carton 70

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- FLOUR 50 Lb Bag \$2
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- Baking Powder 25 oz Can 10
- Tomato JUICE 46 oz Can 20
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- JOWLS Dry Salt Per Lb 10
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- GROUND MEAT Per Lb 20
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- STEAK (7 Cut) Per Lb 30
- Kraft's DINNER 3 Pkgs 25

### Haney-Raso Grocery

We Deliver Tuesday and Saturday

LOCALS

Plenty of Fiesta at Womack's... Mrs. Marie Francis of Clovis, N.M., was here Wednesday on a business trip... Mrs. H. E. Hays and daughters, Marian and Marilyn, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Chillicothe...

Ask for DES-TEX Dry Cleaner at Womack's... Mrs. R. D. L. Killough of Vernon visited Mrs. Lula Walthall Sunday... J. M. Bartow of Vernon, former Margaret resident, was in Crowell Tuesday...

Buy your yard chairs and settees at half price at Womack's... Mrs. Clyde Cobb made a trip to Fort Worth the latter part of last week... We have good seats and cordially invite everybody to attend services at our church...

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vernon and granddaughter, Mrs. Seldon Price and baby daughter, Seleta, of Martin, near Lubbock, came in Wednesday on account of the illness of Mrs. Vernon's brother, A. L. Johnson... Mrs. Perry Doby returned Saturday from Concordia, Kansas...

Shoe Shine Boy



This study of a shoe shine boy who works for our soldiers on maneuvers in Tennessee was judged the "Picture of the Week." It was made by T/4 Harold King of Los Angeles, Calif.

AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE... Breakage of Glass however caused, and damage caused directly by Fire, Tornado, Cyclone, Windstorm, Hail, Falling Aircraft or parts thereof and damage resulting from Theft, Earthquake, Explosion, Riot, Riot Attending a Strike... LEO SPENCER

CARD OF THANKS... We desire to express our thanks and grateful appreciation to the friends who so kindly ministered to us during the long illness and at the death of our loved one... Mrs. J. W. Cook and Family.

BRONCHIAL COUGHS!... Back the attack against those who attack in the back... REEDER'S DRUG STORE

Make Every Day a B-Complex Day! VITAMASTER "B" Complex Fortified Capsules... Aid digestion and elimination, build nerve tissues. \$1.95... Reeder's Drug Store

With the Fifth Army, Italy... Private William H. Adams, of Crowell, Texas, has become a charter member of the 36th "Texas" Division Band... The new band is a combination of an infantry regimental band and an artillery band...

Rabies Is More Prevalent in Winter Disclosed Recently... Austin.—Contrary to popular belief, rabies is more prevalent in winter than in the so-called days of summer... The division band is organized so that two separate ensembles can be formed from the parent group...

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellis and son, Kenneth, returned to Crowell last week from Portland, Ore., where they spent seven months... Mrs. Charles Dickerson has returned from a visit with her husband in San Antonio and with the family of her son, Wilburn Johnson, in Compton, Calif.



Postwar casualty? WILL YOUR CHILD be a victim of this War—after it's over? It's up to you. It's in your hands—now. So—buy War Bonds—now. All you can. Hold them until the date of maturity. Let them bring you \$4 for every \$3. Keep saving—and keep the money you save! For if all of us do that, this post-war America will be the finest place in the world for your child—and you.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cook and little daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Harrell, and little son, all of Borger, were here this week to attend the funeral of their grandfather, J. W. Cook... Mrs. Lee Echols and small son, Perry, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tamplin...

Women Who Suffer from SIMPLE ANEMIA... Here's One Of the Best Home Ways To Help Build Up Red Blood! Lydia Pinkham's TABLETS

SUBSCRIPTIONS... The following renewals and new subscriptions have been received at The News office since Feb. 15, 1944: L. G. Pool, Thalia; Robt. Schlagal, Rankin, Texas; Grover Vocham, Brawley, Calif...

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### EDITORIAL

Students in the United States do not realize to the full extent their privilege in being permitted to attend school to acquire knowledge from books instead of the school of hard knocks. Students in occupied countries could tell the youth of America many stories of the hardships and privations they undergo daily to go to school. For instance, in Norway two hundred pupils of high school were arrested and sent to work camps and concentration camps by the Germans who claimed they were being taught the principles of government that rises out of the people instead of a government that rises over the people. But the killing and arresting of the students did not put an end to the school system. They began an open rebellion, printed many articles that expressed the grievances against the German government, and refused to work for the Gestapo.

Students in the U. S. who do not make use of every moment of their time in the acquisition of knowledge are not only doing themselves harm but also are a disgrace to the American system.

### STYLE SHOW

Are those the famous Powers' Models passing in review? There are so many "but-ti-ful" and well dressed girls! Oh, no. They are the C.H.S. girls modeling their Home Economics dresses they have made themselves.

Come with us now to the annual style show in the Home Economics Department of Crowell High. The capable judges are Mrs. Meri Kincaid and Mrs. H. C. Brown. The teacher is Mrs. Doyle Kerner.

First, the third year Home Economics girls march in very gracefully and form a line facing the judges. The judges confer and finally reach their decisions. The winners are: Highly superior—Valeria Mae Owens, Virginia Mabe, Nancy Godwin and Ruth Ribble. Superior—Joann Gentry, Edith Blevins, Clarence Roberts and Doris Denton. Excellent—Polly Davis, Mary Adkins, Janice Ward, Betty Johnson, Dorothy Paschok, Billie Ruth Skelton, Jewell Johnson, Nell

Thompson and Dot Pierce. Next the second year girls are judged. They also have very pretty dresses. The girls, individually, march in front of the judges, turn and go back to their places. The decisions of the judges are: Highly superior—Robbie Rallsback, Jean Drew, Bessie Gamble and Doris Browder. Superior—Wanda Crisp, Leta Jo Carroll, Doris Jones, Janet Seif, Excellent—Vandelyn Browning, Good—Joan Breedlove, Rebecca Ross, Wilma Flesher, Mary Sparks.

### FAT STOCK SHOW

And I, darn me, didn't go. I, darn me, didn't attend the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth; however, the following lucky boys of CHS report a splendid time: Billy Fred Short, Craig Sandlin, Bill Cox, John Calvin Carter, Gordon Erwin, James Milton Cooper, Stanley Russell, Travis Vecera, Donald Lewis and Pat McDaniel.

After an eventful week-end in Fort Worth, all of our connoisseurs returned home broke, but happy, with the exception of two, Donald Lewis and Pat McDaniel. These two industrious young men, realizing the shortage of manpower in that city, rose to the occasion and went to work. (By the way, if you would like to have some pointers on selling hats, just ask Donald Lewis.)

### JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

Whew—finally—at last—it's coming. Annual Junior-Senior banquet. The plans are under way, under the capable guidance of the members of the Junior class.

All you fellows hurry and get dates. After you get 'em, tell Polly Davis. Not that she is inquisitive, but after all, wouldn't you like to sit by your date?

Another thing! Notice, Boys—if you will be in service before next school year, please tell John Calvin Carter. Don't forget the dates, and speaking of dates, it will be held April 28, at the Baptist Church.

### WHAT'S BUZZIN'

"Spring has sprung  
 The grass has riz,  
 I wonder where  
 The flowers is."

Kenneth Payne and La Verne Archer were seen together Saturday night. My, my, what a cute couple!

Raymond Ford is still carrying the love torch for Leta Jo Carroll.

Poor Geraldine had to stay at home over the week-end because Stanley made a business trip to Fort Worth.

These sailors really get around when they get a leave. At least a CHS ex-senior does, and we're

speaking of "Simp" Davis, Friday night he was with Betty Johnson; Saturday night, Betty Johnson; Will someone please tell me if Betty is the only one?

Gaylon Parry's was having a good time Sunday evening riding around with a certain cute girl. Come on, Gaylon; give us the low-down.

Four of our prominent seniors were in our suburb, Vernon, Saturday night. They were none other than Clarence and Helen, and Mickey and Delmar. The boys of CHS wish to express our deepest regrets for the loss of Geneva Fogle in our midst. Seen at the previous Saturday night were J. L. Brock and Evelyn Barker.

Edith Blevins is still true to the Marines. That certain Marine is Pfc. Sherman McBeath. Lovingly yours,  
 The Cuzzins.

### SPRING TRAINING

Football is rolling again—spring training started Monday. The boys going out are as follows: John Carter, Pat McDaniel, O. C. Wharton, Glen Taylor, Ray Tamplin, R. E. Johnson, Howard Bell, J. V. Cunningham, Kenneth Payne, Donald Lewis, Travis Vecera, V. Bond, Joe Mason, J. D. Brock, J. S. Gobin, Carol McBeath and many more too numerous to mention. More information will be given at a later date.

### JOKES

The inquisitive lady bent solicitously over a wounded soldier whose head was swathed in bandages. "Are you wounded in the head, my boy?" she asked.

"No, ma'am," replied the victim, feebly grinning. "I was shot in the foot and the bandages slipped up."

Two thieves were pilfering a hotel room when there came a loud knock at the door. "Open up!" shouted a voice. "It's the police!"

"What'll we do now?" whispered the first thief.

"Let's jump out the window," answered the second.

"But we're on the 13th floor!"

"Listen, pal, it's not no time ter git superstitious!"

The minister was baptizing a baby. "Name, please," he said to the father.

"It's Reginald Cholmondeley Monmorency Chillingworth Athelstane Burpington, III!"

The minister turned to his assistant. "More water, please," he said.

Sailor (Simp): "Yes, that's a man o' war."

Betty: "Indeed, and what's the little ship just in front?"

Simp: "Oh, that's just a tug."

Betty: "Of course. A tug of war. I've often heard of them."

A young man entered a florist's shop and ordered two dozen roses to be sent to his fiance on the occasion of her 24th birthday. On the card he wrote: "One for each precious year of your life."

After he had left the shop, the proprietor said to the clerk, who had taken the order: "He's a good customer of ours. Throw in an extra dozen."

To date the wedding has not taken place.

"What are you doing in the pantry, Willie?" asked Mother, sternly.

"Fighting temptation, Mother," replied Willie meekly.

"You look fed up, Mr. Jones."

"Yes, I've had a trying day. My office boy tried that old gag about wanting the day off to attend his grandmother's funeral. I thought I'd teach him a lesson, so I said I'd go with him."

"Not a bad idea. Wasn't it a good baseball game?"

"It wasn't a baseball game. It was his grandmother's funeral."

A passenger boarded a street car, felt in his pocket for change, then analogically tendered the conductor a \$5 bill: "I'm sorry, I haven't a nickel."

"Don't worry, mister," grimly comforted the conductor. "In a minute you'll have 99 of them!"

At no time is freedom of speech more precious than when a man hits his thumb with a hammer.

"Dear Teacher: Kindly excuse Jimmy for having been absent yesterday, as he fell in the mud on his way to school. By doing the same you will oblige his mother."

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Unusual and colorful tie-backs for draperies can be assembled by using celluloid poultry rings, which are available in assorted colors.

Paint is "good to the last drop" if kept in glass jars tightly covered.

Drafts caused by air entering under baseboards can be eliminated by tacking felt weatherstripping under the quarter-round.

Hartford, Conn.—Film star Joan Fontaine likes working inognito as a Red Cross nurse's aide because it reverses the usual relationship—"the patient is the star."

People who long for the good life days would hate to read this stuff by a candle.

At birth the kangaroo measures only one or two inches.

## TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION



### RATIONING REMINDERS

Meats, Fats.—Brown stamps Y and Z in Book Three are good through March 20. Red 10-point stamps AS, BS, CS, DS, ES, and FS, in Book Four are good through May 20. Waste kitchen fats are redeemed at two ration points plus four cents a pound.

Processed Foods.—Green stamps K, L, and M, are good through March 20. Blue 10-point stamps AS, BS, CS, DS and ES in Book Four are good through May 20.

Sugar.—Stamp 30 in Book Four is good indefinitely for five lbs. Stamp 40 in Book Four is good for five lbs. of canning sugar through February 28, 1945.

Gasoline.—In 17 East Coast states, A-19 coupons are good through May 8. In states outside the East Coast area, A-10 coupons are good through March 21.

Tire Inspection Deadlines.—For A-coupon holders, March 31; for C-coupon holders, May 31; and for B-coupon holders, June 30.

Fuel Oil.—Period 4 and period 5 coupons are good in all areas through September 30.

Shoes.—Stamp No. 18 in Book One is good through April 30. Airplane stamp No. 1 in Book Three is good indefinitely. Another ration stamp good for one pair of shoes beginning May 1 will be announced soon.

### Who Must File Declarations

The following persons must file a declaration of estimated income and victory tax for 1944 on or before April 15: single persons (or married persons who have separated) who expect to receive more than \$2,700 of wages subject to withholding or more than \$100 from all other sources, provided total income is expected to be \$500 or more; married persons if they expect to receive more than \$3,500 of wages subject to withholding or more than \$100 from all other sources, provided that their combined total income is expected to be \$1,200 or more or his total separate income is expected to be more than \$624. Blank forms are to be distributed by the Bureau of Internal Revenue late in March.

### New Farm Gasoline Rules

To aid in the drive against the Black Market in gasoline, the Office of Price Administration announced that after April 1 the five-gallon "R" coupon will be invalid at filling stations and may be used only by those who buy gasoline at bulk plants or who have it delivered into storage tanks on their premises. Farmers buying most of their gasoline at filling stations have until April 1 to exchange at local boards their "R" coupons for "E" coupons, which will be accepted at filling stations. After March 15, "R" and "E" coupons in all cases must be endorsed whether for gasoline delivered into storage tanks or picked up at filling stations. However, to ease the task of endorsing these coupons, the consumer buying a large quantity of gasoline may endorse a whole strip or block of coupons with a simple signature and address written across the required number of coupons given as a unit for his single purchase. For one gallon he continues to endorse one "E" coupon.

### Reduces Ceiling On Flour

The OPA has reduced the ceiling price on all enriched flour by five cents a hundred pounds. About 75 per cent of all family flour is enriched.

### Prices on Used Photo Equipment

Reconditioned, used photographic equipment, (still and movie cameras, projectors, lenses, range finders, etc.) must sell for no more than 75 per cent of the March, 1942, ceiling price of the new article, the OPA rules. A 30-day guarantee of free repairs and replacements of defective parts must accompany this equipment. Other used equipment sold "as is" must sell for no more than 33 1/3 per cent of the ceiling price of the new article and need not be guaranteed.

### Ammunition Saved For Farmers

While it is possible that by fall there will be sufficient rifle and shotgun ammunition for game shooting, the WPB said that for the time being none can be spared from supplies needed by farmers to protect crops and livestock. No ammunition will be made available for amusement purposes.

### Addressing Letters To Seamen

Many letters to seamen are being improperly addressed, often in violation of national security rules, the War Shipping Administration reports. The address of the steamship company, a specific street address, or a place name of a foreign country should not be given.

The proper form to be used is: Seaman's Name, Name of Ship, Care of Postmaster, San Francisco, New York, or New Orleans, (depending on last port from which addressee sailed). The return address of the writer should appear in the upper left corner with the name of the Steamship Company in the lower left corner.

150,000 Planes Since March, 1941. Of the 150,000 planes produced by the United States since March, 1941, the U. S. has retained 122,000 for its own use and has shipped 28,000 to its Allies, the Foreign Economic Administration has announced. The Allies paid cash for almost 7,000 planes and received more than 21,000 under lend-lease. The British and Russians produce most of the planes they are using, but American

Lend-Lease planes with British, Norwegian, Polish, Czech, and other Allied pilots are playing a vital role against Germany.

### Promote Unrationed Foods

To increase the consumption of unrationed foods, the Retail and Wholesale Food Distributing trade and the restaurant and hotel industry are conducting a campaign that will reach its peak during March and April. Foods to be specially emphasized are oranges, potatoes, eggs, breakfast cereals, enriched bread, soy flour and grits, macaroni, spaghetti, egg noodles, crackers, orange and grapefruit marmalade, peanut butter, and coffee.

### Round-Up

Total U. S. war casualties as announced March 9 by OWI were 162,282, including 37,853 dead, 57,228 wounded, 35,565 missing, and 61,636 prisoners of war.

WPB announces that the ban on two-trouser suits, trousers with pleats, vests with double-breasted suits, and other clothing production restrictions will not be eased.

Restriction on manufacture of such items as baby rattles and teething rings from nitro-cellulose plastics have been removed. Phonograph record manufacturers in the second quarter of this year may use one-fourth as much shellac as they used in 1941, due to increased supplies.

The Department of Agriculture announces a 1941 goal of 22 million victory gardens, two million more than last year. Achieving the goal would mean 19 billion tons of fresh food or 25 per cent more production than in 1943.

### Two Minute Sermon

Hoarded Talents: A number of years ago in the neighborhood in which I live there was a never falling spring of water. In summer's heat and winter's cold, in the dry years as well as the wet years, it continued to pour forth its stream of cool, clear, sweet water. One day the spring stopped flowing. The farmer on whose land it was located dug into the earth to discover the cause or reason for its drying up. He found that a mass of small tree roots had clogged the outlet shutting off the flow of water. Although

### Even Mules Fight Axis



Despite mechanization, the army needs the lowly mule. Mules have been picked from a mule market in St. Louis, Mo., to be sent to a branch of the armed service. The demands of military operations on mules to bear and there is a brisk rush of mules for this cross between a jackass and a mare.

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### Japanese Treasure Chest in Hands of U.S.

Sergt. Maj. William B. Richards of Fitchburg, Mass., has captured a treasure chest full of Japanese money which was captured by the first offensive on the Solomon Islands. Maybe sergents will spend some of this dough in Tokyo—with the army of the future we hope.

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the channel was cleared the spring could never be made to flow again. It is a long time to dig for an inexhaustible supply, but once they shut off their talents, they disappear as do our talents and keep them only keep them from them, and kill the them to the world.

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### Food for Victory is as Important as Munitions

Tractors have supplanted

Soldiers on bleak Attu island

Oranges are squeezed for fruit

Mechanical devices now milk Cows

Instructing group of Navy

THE Four Horsemen — War, Plague, Hunger and Death are now riding again throughout the World. Hunger is walking in this year of global war of bloodshed and destruction. In Europe and Asia famines and plagues have occurred almost annually for centuries. The history of world in Europe ranges from the Black Death year of 1347 to the interlocking period between World War I and the present conflict when starvation and disease in Russia took many millions of lives.

Food will be the important necessity as Axis occupied countries are freed. It will be the first thing that 70,000,000 Western Europeans, 50,000,000 European Russians and millions among the smaller peoples of Eastern Europe now in Axis hands will plead for. More

ern equipment, is dependent on Copper and its alloys amount 45 pounds of these a tractor—the same amount is in the average automobile. It is up to the American farmer and the food processor to furnish the cornucopia of plenty that we and our Allies may win this titanic battle against the enemy in the most intense war the world has ever seen. Through modern invention and engineering skill the hard work of food production no longer depends entirely upon the muscles of man and animals. The modern tractor has largely replaced the horse and mule. Electricity is the harnessed power that pumps water to the home, barn and field, milks cows and brings added comforts and conveniences to the farmer and his family.

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March 16, 1944

**Back To The Bible**  
 Christ has a Church. We read His Lips, "And I say unto that thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build My Church, and the gates of hell shall prevail against it" Matt. 16:18. Christ is the architect for the House of God. During the centuries since our Lord stepped upon this earth, man has followed the traditions of his fathers and the decisions of ecclesiastical conferences to reject His Word. Upon comparing religious institutions of today, Catholic and Protestant, with Church as it existed during the life of the apostles, one cannot but note that changes have been made in organization, doctrine and practice. Will you come help restore the apostolic Church? Will you erst aside all traditions of men and all the decisions of ecclesiastical conferences? Will you bring your Bible, blue print left by our Divine Master, and help reconstruct Church according to the instructions of our Lord?  
 Martin Kamstra,  
 East Side Church of Christ.  
 (Advertisement)

**Classified Ad Section**

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 95c

**For Sale**

FOR SALE—Good saddle horse, or will trade for good work horse or mule.—T. L. Ward, 2 miles north of Thalia. 36-3tp

FOR SALE—Northern Star pedigree cotton seed.—Farmers Co. Op. Gin. 34-1tc

FOR SERVICE—Jersey bull at my place six miles east of Crowell. \$5.00 for season.—H. Greenlee. 36-2tp

FOR SALE—Small boned Poland China boar, 6 months old; also 4 weaned pigs.—T. R. Cates, Thalia, Texas. 36-2tp

FOR SALE—My household furniture at once. Dresser, cabinet, chairs, bedstead, coal or wood heaters, gasoline lamps, Army strong rug with border, and book case.—John Kerley. 37-1tp

PERMANENT WAVE, 59c! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.—Ferguson's Drug Store. 33-19tp

**Notice**

310 ACRES of LAND to lease, 100 acres in cultivation, A. C. Tractor and equipment for sale, 80-acre field to rent with deal, all cotton, one-fourth rent.—Mrs. W. C. Thompson. 36-2tp

NOTICE—I repair stoves, sewing machines, clocks and furniture. Can do work at your home. Call City Hotel, Phone 180-M.—Henry Steele. 35-1tp

**NOTICE**

I am buying Government equities in 1942 and 1943 cotton.—Ebb Scales, Crowell Gin. 34-2tp

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms.—Mrs. Lula Walthall. 37-1tc

WANTED—Electric hot plate.—Duke Wallace. 37-2tp

**Strayed**

STRAYED—Two-year-old white-faced bull, weighs around 1,100 lbs.—Roy Steele. 37-1tc

**INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT**

Temperature of ocean water ranges from 28 degrees Fahrenheit in Polar regions to 85 degrees in the tropics.

In normal times there are approximately 130,000 doctors caring for the ill of the people of the nation.

In peace time America's death toll from burns was approximately 7,000 a year.

The U. S. Department of Labor announced recently that 3,750 strikes in 1943 involved 1,900,000 persons and caused a loss of 13,500,000 man days of work.

Cotton cannot be grown successfully in areas having an annual rainfall of less than twenty inches.

Two million workers have lost their jobs since Christmas due to war contract terminations.

**THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS**

Confidence is that feeling by which the mind embarks in great and honorable courses with a sure hope and trust in itself.—Cicero.

By mutual confidence and mutual aid, great deeds are done, and great discoveries made.—Homer.

If we are truly prudent we shall cherish those noblest and happiest of our tendencies—to love and to confide.—Bulwer-Lytton.

**Your Horoscope**

March 13, 14, 15.—You do not to be idle and if you are compelled to give up one job, you employ yourself at some kind of work, while out looking for the job you want. Though you do demand any special attention, you have the faculty of making friends and keeping them. You are not over enthusiastic in any action, but in a quiet way get your measure of enjoyment out of everything.

March 16, 17, 18, 19.—Possess general business knowledge, are able to keep an accurate account of expenses and receipts, can stand a good deal of criticism from your employer, to whom you are always faithful, often find it necessary to follow the guidance of another. You always grateful for any consideration given you or yours. You usually win and hold the respect of all your acquaintances.

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 FIRE, TORNADO, HAIL, Etc.  
 Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

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**Alka-Seltzer**  
 HAVE you tried Alka-Seltzer for Gas on Stomach, Sour Stomach, "Morning After" and Cold Distress? It's the Best! Pleasant, prompt in action, effective. Thirty cents and Sixty cents.

**NERVINE**  
 For relief from Functional Nervous Disturbances such as Sleeplessness, Crankiness, Excitability, Headache and Nervous Irritation. Tablets 35¢ and 75¢. Bottle 29¢ and \$1.00. Read directions and use only as directed.

**MULTI-PAIN PILLS**  
 Dr. Miles Anti-Rheumatic Pills often relieve Muscular Pains, Rheumatism, Headache, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Gout, etc. Get them at your drug store. Read directions and use only as directed.

**Let Us Do Your Laundry Work**  
 Laundry work from the people of this territory is respectfully solicited. Truck makes one trip each week, Monday. Efficient service in every particular is our aim.  
**MISS VERNON LAUNDRY**  
 Launderers and Dry Cleaners  
 VERNON, TEXAS OTHO T. CARRUTH, Solicitor

**LIFE INSURANCE**—A man's greatest financial anchor, in good times and in bad, a great medium of saving money, almost fool proof plan of investing money, and has no competition in creating a large sum of money as future income, if death prevents your saving, your investing, your creating.  
 Your dollars invested in Life Insurance, secures your American Home and the Government at same time. Buy Life Insurance and War Bonds.  
 Serving my fifteenth year with.  
**THE GREAT NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.**  
**JOE COUCH, Agent**

**Thalia Lodge No. 666**

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, March 4

Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.

JOE JOHNSON, W. M. JNO. W. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Up Stairs in Rock Building.

Meet tonight (Thursday), at 8:00 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.  
 JIMMIE FRANKLIN, Noble Grand. E. H. CROSNOW, Secretary.

STATED MEETING of Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., March 13, 7:30 p. m., 2nd Mon., each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome.

Work in Master's degree and refreshments. Tuesday night, Mar. 15, work in the E. A. degree.  
 T. S. HANEY, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Secretary.

**No Trespassing**

NO TRESPASSING allowed on the Teague Estate land. No passing through.—Mrs. L. Kamstra. 31-tfc

**TRESPASS NOTICE**

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

TRESPASS NOTICE—Trespassing on my place in the Vivian community known as the Harris place, and my place north of Crowell, is hereby forbidden. Please stay out.—J. H. Carter. 4-tfc

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

**WANTED**

Highest Cash Prices Paid for Any Model Used Cars.

**SELF MOTOR CO.**

**SAFETY SLOGANS**

Nature made the only moonshine fit to use.

Life is precious, make it safe. To keep out of hospitals keep out of danger.

An uncomfortable place to live is just beyond your income.

It seems strange that a great many small extravagances mount up to a staggering sum while a great many small savings add up to but a few meager dollars.

America's first minister to England was John Adams.

**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 4th day of April, A. D., 1944, the same being the first Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1944, 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, her 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.

All candidates for City office are required to sign and execute a loyalty affidavit and file with the City Secretary. Blanks can be obtained at the City Hall.

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor. ATTEST: J. P. DAVIDSON, City Secretary. (SEAL) 35-4tc

**CHURCHES**

**Christian Science Church**

Sunday services at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening services at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sunday, March 19, 1944. Subject: "Matter."

**First Christian Church**

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Jesus said, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."

Do you labor? Come. Are you tired or worried? Then come and worship God and find "rest unto your souls."  
 G. O. McMillan, Minister.

**East Side Church of Christ**

Sunday Services, 10 a. m. Communion, 11 a. m. Ladies' Bible Class, 3 p. m. Tuesday. Mid-week Service, 8:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Martin Kamstra, Minister.

**Methodist Church**

Church School, 9:45 a. m. Church Services, 11 a. m. Young People's Fellowship Meeting, 7 p. m.

Church Services, 7:45 p. m. Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday, 3 p. m. Women's Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 4 p. m.

Our revival meeting will begin the third Sunday in April. We will have Evangelist Horace F. Erwin and his wife with us for a two-weeks' meeting. Fuller announcements will appear later.  
 R. L. WATKINS, Pastor.

**Truscott Church of Christ**

Sunday Services, 10:15 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Communion, 11:45 a. m. Evening Service, 8:15 p. m. Services each evening at 8:30 p. m. Starting Monday, March 20 and closing Saturday, March 25.

Martin Kamstra, Minister.

**West Side Church of Christ**

A revival will start at the West Side Church of Christ on Saturday, March 18, and will continue through March 26, with services beginning at 7:45 each evening. Evangelist Alva Johnson of Turkey will do the preaching and everyone is invited to attend. The song service for the meeting will be under the leadership of Clark Johnson, son of the evangelist.

**Margaret Baptist Church**

Sunday School, 11 a. m. Preaching Service, 12 m. Evening Services, 8 p. m. Come and help in the Lord's work.  
 A. C. Hamilton Jr., Pastor.

**St. Joseph's Catholic Church**

Time of Masses: October-April (inclusive), 1st Sunday at 11:00. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00. May-September (inclusive), 1st Sunday at 10:30. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 8:00.

**Truscott and Gilliland Baptist Churches**

Preaching services are held at Gilliland on the first and third Sundays, and at Truscott on the second and fourth Sundays.

A most cordial welcome is extended to all. Delightful Christian fellowship.

J. W. ENGLISH, Pastor.

**Truscott Church of Christ**

Assembly of God Church Services Wed. and Saturday nights, 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. and Sunday evening service 8:30 p. m. Every one is invited.

WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

**Thalia Church of Christ**

Sunday 10:30 a. m., Bible Study. 11:15 a. m., Morning worship and Lord's Supper. 5:30 p. m., Church of Christ hour over station KWVC, Vernon.

7:30 p. m., Young People's Meeting. 8:15 p. m., Evening Worship. Wednesday 8:00 p. m., Mid-Week Meeting.

NICK P. CRAIG, Minister.

**Church of God**

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Evangelistic service, 8 p. m. Bible Study, Thursday, 8 p. m. Young People's Service, Saturday, 8 p. m.

Mrs. Gertrude Alexander, Acting Pastor, Phone 34W.

**Christian Science Services**

"Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 19.

The Golden Text is: "Turn ye not unto idols, nor make to yourselves molten gods: I am the Lord your God" (Leviticus 19:4).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The grass withereth, the flower fadeth; but the word of our God shall stand for ever" (Isaiah 40:8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The fading forms of matter, the mortal body and material earth, are the fleeting concepts of the human mind. They have their

**Forest "Smoke-Jumper" in Togs**



Close-up of forest "smoke-jumper." Helmet, mask, and heavy canvas outside suit are for protection against trees and brush in landing. Regular parachute is in pack on back, and emergency parachute, in front. After the "jumper" bails out, the plane circles and drops fire-fighting tools, rations, and rescue equipment by cargo parachute. Ten "smoke-jumpers" were on duty last summer in Siskiyou National Forest in Pacific Northwest—which the Japs apparently tried to set afire in 1942.

day before the permanent facts and their perfection in Spirit appear.—(Page 263).

**Weekly Sermon**

By the Rev. Will H. Houghton, D. D., President Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

**The Power of Choice**

The Bible frequently sets contemporaries together that we might see the power of choice in both lives.

In Hebrews 11:20 we read the simple statement, "By faith Isaac blessed Jacob and Esau." It is strange, but Esau is the only character in the entire chapter who is out of tune with the message of the chapter. When you reach Hebrews 12 Esau is mentioned by way of warning: "Lest there be any fornicator, or profane person, as Esau, who for one morsel of meat sold his birthright. For ye know how that afterward, when he would have inherited the blessing, he was rejected" (vv. 16, 17).

Two brothers in one home—the same home, the same influences, but different choices, diverging paths, one to a life of stumbling but eventual success, the other to everlasting defeat.

The future might have held for Esau responsibilities of family leadership and of representing the family before God; but his body cried for something it must have, and must have at once. Gone with the future, with all its promise. The little satisfactions of the present were his, and then they too were gone.

How cheaply men sell out. An act of dishonesty, a few drinks, an hour of passion, an evening of illicit thrills—and then a life of remorse.

How interesting some of the contemporaries, as we survey biblical and secular history. Moses and Pharaoh—probably the same university education, the same palace life, but different choices. Pharaoh to an ignominious death, Moses to a place of honored leadership.

When you enter the New Testament you see John and Judas. Think of it—both of them accompanied with Christ. Both saw His miracles and felt the force of His character. But how different their choice, and how different their destiny!

February 5 brought the birthday of D. L. Moody, the great evangelist of a generation ago. P. T. Barnum, the American showman, was born a few years before, but their success covered approximately the same years. Both were born and buried in New England. Perhaps the great difference in the two characters can be seen in phrases they coined. Barnum is given credit for originating the phrase, "There is a sucker born every minute."

Moody was known to his friends by this ideal, "I must speak to one soul each day about Christ."

The Bible always takes the long view. There is always an afterward. Jacob and Esau—an afterward. Moses and Pharaoh, John and Judas, Moody and Barnum—an afterward. We determine today—now—what the afterward will be.

Whatever the past has been, God will make it different if you will but today receive Christ as Saviour. You can make new choice and find out of it a new life, and one day an afterward with no regrets.

**DO YOU KNOW THAT.....**

One hundred dollars provides a sufficient number of Red Cross recreation workers in hospitals overseas to cheer and comfort 7,000 sick and wounded men for a day.

Approximately 6,500,000 volunteers have been active in Red Cross services under wartime conditions.

One hundred dollars pays for Red Cross medical first aid kits for American prisoners of war in enemy hands to meet the emergency health needs of 1,250 men for a month.

The International Red Cross has acquired its seventh prisoner of war relief ship in a former Danish cargo vessel bought by the American Red Cross to speed parcels to Allied prisoners in German camps.

Red Cross chapters are busy with the recently-added responsibility of assisting veterans of the war in filling applications for mustering out pay.

**Soil Conservation Board of Texas**

Notice of hearing upon organization of proposed Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, embracing land lying in Foard and Hardeman Counties, Texas.

Whereas, on the 26th day of February, 1944, there was duly filed in the office of the State Conservation Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 47th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 444, requesting the establishment of Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District; and Whereas, the lands described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Foard and Hardeman Counties, described substantially as follows:

Foard and Hardeman Counties. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity of the creation of such district; on the question of boundaries to be assigned to such district; upon the propriety of the petition, and of proceedings taken under the said Act.

The said public hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the 21st day of March, 1944, beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., at Crowell in the county of Foard.

All interested parties are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time and place hereinbefore specified.

State Soil Conservation Board, By V. C. Marshall, (SEAL) Administrator. Dated this 1st day of March, 1944. 36-2tc

St. Louis.—The Red Cross serves on the tax front as well as the war front. There's a first aid station at the internal revenue collector's office here "for income taxpayers unable to stand the strain of waiting—or possibly the shock."

If the fellow who thinks he "knows it all" really knew it all, he'd know he didn't know it all.

Saviour. You can make new choice and find out of it a new life, and one day an afterward with no regrets.

**CANDIDATE CARDS**

The News has a good supply of Candidate Cards in stock now and ready to supply candidates with all the cards they need on short notice.

Place your order now and the cards will be ready any time you need them.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES**

We have a good stock of office supplies: Mimeograph stencils, typewriter ribbons, large receipt books, Mephisto pencils, ledger sheets, two sizes; letter files, file folders, two sizes; legal pads, filing trays, 3x5 cards and 4x6 cards; typewriter carbon paper, 8 1/2 x 11, and 8 1/2 x 14, also pencil carbon, any size; stamp pads, all colors, and many other items.

We also have Tot staplers and several thousand staples.

**THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS**



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Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor  
Phone 43

## Local Ladies Attend Camp and Hospital Council Meeting

Mrs. L. A. Andrews, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and Mrs. Mack Edens spent last Thursday, March 9, in Wichita Falls in attendance upon a meeting of the Sheppard Field Red Cross Camp and Hospital Council.

Their report of the work done by the local chapter of the Council included 20 packages, for individual patients, provided by the Crowell Baptist Church; 24 pencils and 24 score pads given by Mrs. L. A. Andrews; 51 phonograph records furnished by Mrs. T. W. Cooper and Mrs. T. L. Hughton; 2 books and 12 coat hangers given by Mrs. N. J. Roberts; 24 magazines given by Miss Maye Andrews and Mrs. Roberts.

The local Red Cross chapter gave a check for \$10.00 to be used for the purchase of easy chairs

for ward porches but the military department asked that this amount be applied toward the purchase of a green-house where wounded patients may be employed and entertained. A further report of the disbursement of this money will be given later.

## Daughter of Former Crowell Residents Weds in New Jersey

Announcements have been received in Crowell of the marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Clark of Oklahoma City, to Wishard Franklin Lemons Jr., of the U. S. Navy. The marriage took place in Madison, New Jersey, on March 10. Mrs. Lemons is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Clark, former residents of Crowell. She is a niece of Mrs. J. M. Hill of Crowell.

## GAMBLEVILLE H. D. CLUB

The Gambleville Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Guy Morgan, March 7. There were eight members present with two new members, Mrs. Luther Tappin and Mrs. Jesse Miller, and one visitor, Mrs. Henry Ross.

Included in the business was a questionnaire given by Mrs. Willie Garrett to see what the club had accomplished. A 10¢ fee was also paid to the Texas Home Demonstration Association Fund and the educational fund.

The program was a very helpful and useful one, titled "Health on the Home Front."

"So many of our doctors are in service that a first aid training course should be given to everyone," said Mrs. Guy Morgan.

Mrs. Milburn Carroll talked on contagious diseases of children. One of the important things is to have your child immunized early in life and keep his bodily resistance fit.

Mrs. Fred Dicks gave a list of things that should be done to cheer the sick, such as take them small gifts that they might appreciate.

Mrs. Milburn Carroll also asked questions on "How much we know of our heredity?"

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. C. Prosser, March 21, with Miss Elizabeth Elliott, home demonstration agent, present for a demonstration on making cheese.

## VIVIAN H. D. CLUB

"Dry Milk, What It Is, Made From and Its Use," was given by Mrs. Oscar Fish at the meeting of the Vivian Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. Elbert Evans Thursday, March 9.

Mrs. Fish stated there was some whole milk on the market, but most dry milk is made from milk that is left after the cream is removed for butter. Such milk is high in food value.

In using dry milk to turn the

## Royal Couple Inspect U. S. Air Base



King George and Queen Elizabeth of England are shown leaving a billet during their recent tour of a United States army air base somewhere in their country. The king and queen are frequent visitors at American camps and bases and are usually enthusiastically welcomed by the men and women stationed there.

## Football Spring Training for CHS Started Monday

Thirty-two boys reported to Coach Grady Graves for their initial spring training football workout last Monday afternoon, March 18. The workouts can last for only thirty calendar days, according to the Interscholastic League rules, which will terminate for the Wildcats on Tuesday, April 12. It has been the custom in the past for the spring training period to end with a game between the new team and the seniors and in all probability this will be the case again this spring.

The 1944 team will be built around the four returning regulars: Pat McDaniel and John Carter in the backfield, and Glen Taylor and O. C. Wharton in the line. Other returning lettermen are Kenneth Payne, Kendrick Joy, Ray Tappin, and J. V. Cunningham. Other squad members that Coach Graves will have to pick the '44 eleven from are Joe Mason, Howard Bell, Travis Veera, J. L. Brock, Horace Todd, Carlos McBeath and Bobby Cooper. The following seventeen boys are reported for their first football: R. E. Johnson, A. G. Wallace, Wilson V. Bond, J. C. Patton, R. L. Ballard, Jerry Westbrook, Charley Pete Moody, Lon Laquey, Larry Woods, Jimmie Johnson, C. F. Bradford, Bob Cooper, Billy Roy Cooper, C. D. Campbell, Bill Breedlove, J. C. Autrey and Dalton Biggestaff.

The district race should be of much more interest next fall than it has been for the past two years as Chillicothe and Iowa Park are coming back into the League to boost the number of participating teams to six instead of four. The following five games have been scheduled to be played in Crowell next fall: Quanah, Seymour, Chillicothe, Holliday and Wellington. The games the Wildcats will play away from home are Floydada, Archer City, Iowa Park and Valley View.

## Cemetery Report by President of the Association

Since the last cemetery report was made, the following names and donations have been listed: Mrs. Egbert Fish \$2.00, Mrs. George Davis 2.00, Mrs. L. D. Campbell, 2.50, Vernon, Mildred L. Lukens, 25.00, Santa Ana, Calif., Mrs. Floy Haney, 5.00, H. E. Ferguson, 5.00, Mrs. May Klepper Darby, Fresno, Calif., 5.00, J. H. Kincheloe, 1.00, J. L. McBeath, 5.00, A Friend, 10.00.

## ODD FELLOWS MOVE

The Crowell Odd Fellow Lodge has moved its equipment to the second floor of the corner rock building from the room adjoining the Masonic lodge room in the Ringgold building where they had been meeting for the past year. The new meeting place is being repaired and remodeled and will be in excellent condition when the work is finished.

## Crowell PTA to Meet Tuesday

Mrs. Thomas Hughton will be leader at the March meeting of the Crowell Parent-Teacher Association on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. She will talk on the subject "Freedom from Fear."

Miss Clara Carter will discuss the subject "Preparing to Meet Post War Mental Problems."

## Martin Kamstra to Hold Meeting at Truscott Next Week

A protracted meeting will be held at the Church of Christ in Truscott beginning Sunday and continuing through Saturday, March 25, with the pastor, Martin Kamstra, doing the preaching. It was announced here this week.

## ROTARY CLUB

Rotarians George Backus of Vernon and Vance Favor of Quanah were visitors at the Wednesday meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club at O'Connell's Lunch Room. The program was in charge of Verne Walden with J. A. Stovall giving excerpts from the book, "I Give You Texas," by Boyce House, well known Texas newspaperman.

milk back to fluid form, you sprinkle about 1 cup over a quart of water, either cold or just warm, never hot, and beat with an egg beater. In biscuits, puddings, muffins, you use it dry, then use water, not the fluid milk.

Miss Elliott gave a demonstration on cheese making.

The club had a delicious covered dish lunch at noon. Visitors for the day were Mrs. Allen Fish, Mrs. Travis Reid and little daughter, Evelyn Ann, and her sister, Mary Betty, from Cleburne, Texas.

The club members are planning to have an Easter food sale in Crowell.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ransom Haskew March 28, with an all-day meeting. Subject for the meeting: "Health on the home front."

## MARGARET H. D. CLUB

The Margaret Home Demonstration Club met on Friday, March 18, at the Margaret school house. A demonstration on making cheese was given by Miss Elizabeth Elliott, county home demonstration agent.

The milk for making cheese should be held at a temperature of 75 degrees F. for 12 to 14 hours, to get a firm curd.

Miss Elliott said to adjust the temperature of one gallon of skimmed milk to 75 degrees F. by pouring the contents of skimmed milk in a larger vessel of water. The temperature of the water depends upon whether the milk is to be warmed or cooled.

Mrs. Grant Morrison joined the club. Six members and one visitor, Mrs. O. C. Wharton, were present.

The next meeting will be held at the school house, March 24. Subject for the program will be "Health on the home front."

## WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met at Mrs. Gertrude Alexander's home for a discussion on "Cheese Making." After a brief business session, the program of roll call, answered by "How I make use of cheese," Mrs. Herman Kincheloe discussed dry milk. Miss Elizabeth Elliott gave a demonstration of making Neufchatel cheese and cooked cheese. Miss Elliott also showed how to score butter.

The next club meeting will be held with Mrs. Herman Kincheloe on March 22.

The early cabbage crop this year is estimated at 575,000,000 tons, a record. It was produced in Texas, California, Florida and Arizona. Cabbage was selected as the Victory food for February 24 to March 4.

Blytheville, Ark. — The Red Cross chapter here points its nutrition service to be of maximum assistance to that important branch of war service, the Winks — Women in Numerous Kitchens.

Women used to spend a lot of time worrying about what to have for dinner. Now all they have to do is to take a look at their ration books.

Harvard celebrated its 300th anniversary in 1936.



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Saturday Only, March 18  
Charlie STARRETT  
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"DAREDEVILS OF THE WEST"  
"BABY PUSS"

"Owl Show" Only, 10:30  
Saturday, March 18  
"Adventures of  
A Rookie"  
—plus—  
"Eric  
Mabriguera's  
Orchestra"

**RIALTO**  
Sunday and Monday, March 19 and 20  
Bette DAVIS  
Miriam HOPKINS  
"Old Acquaintance"  
—plus—  
"HERRING MURDER MYSTERY"  
NEWS

Tues.-Wed., March 21-22  
Robert DONAT  
Valerie HOBSON  
"Tarter"  
—plus—  
"KINGS of  
BASKETBALL"

Thursday and Friday, March 23 and 24  
Alice TAYE  
Carmen MIRANDA  
Paul BAKER  
"The Gang's All Here"  
and  
"YOU NEED GLASSES"

**RED CROSS DANCE**  
at FRED'S PLACE  
Thursday Night, March 16  
Vernon, Texas

**NEW MATTRESS FACTORY  
OPENED**  
Invest in Rest  
I have opened a mattress factory in the building  
next to Ballard's feed store. I specialize in mattress  
making. Satisfaction guaranteed. I will also carry  
a general line of second-hand merchandise—Clothes,  
oil stoves, furniture, etc. Will buy anything of value

**J. B. HARDIN**

**BUY YOUR  
LUGGAGE  
NOW!**  
When the federal tax goes on Lugg-  
age April 1, there will be a 20 per cent  
increase in the price of suit cases, women's  
purses and other articles in the luggage  
line.  
Better supply yourself with the lug-  
gage you need before that time and save  
this increase in price.

**BIRD DRY GOODS STORE**  
The Friendly Store

PHILIP  
What  
WANT A JOB where  
hour you work is  
that helps win the war  
Want a job that gives  
chance to increase your  
earn a new one? A job  
gives you new experiences  
friends?  
Then join the Women's  
Corps and take over a job  
in the Army.  
For full details about the  
apply at any U. S. Army  
Station or write: The  
Adjutant General, 4415 Mead  
Bldg., Washington 25, D. C.  
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