

Items from Neighboring Communities

RIVERSIDE

(By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mrs. A. L. McGinnis and small daughter spent from Friday until Monday with her daughter in Lubbock.

Mrs. M. Owens has been visiting relatives in Dallas. She was accompanied by Mrs. Edd Moore, who visited her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Raska and Mrs. Mary Richter spent Sunday in the Charlie Matysek home in Five-in-One.

Dave Shultz and family spent Sunday in the Richard Johnson home in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and family spent Sunday with the family of Luther Rummel of Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Farrar and children visited her brother, Pvt. Ralph Hudreons, in the home of their parents at Vernon Saturday night.

Bazel Underwood, who is serving with the Navy in the South Pacific, spent Friday night with his aunt, Mrs. D. H. Skelton, and family.

A-C Tom Rebank of Childress spent the week-end with the fam-

ily of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope. Mr. and Mrs. James Adkins of Fort Worth announce the birth of a baby girl on January 19.

Mrs. Cox of Portales, N. M., returned home Friday after a visit with her son, T. J. Cox, and family.

Mrs. M. Simmonds has returned to her home at Bowie, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Cox, and family.

Mrs. Price and son, Eusa, returned to their home at Whitesboro after a visit with their daughter and brother, Mrs. Jap Scharber and Sherman Scharber. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan and family have moved to Thalia.

TRUSCOTT

(By Mrs. Wynnel Fannin)

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman and son, Jackie, and Mrs. O. E. Durham made a trip to Quanah Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Gene Whitaker, who is working in Stamford, spent the week-end with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynie and Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker Jr. and son, Jackie, of Haskell visited friends and relatives over the week-end.

Miss Gaye Chilcoat honored the Sub-Debs with a slumber party Saturday night in her home. Those present were Misses Joyce and Clara Jones, Ann Haynie, Winnie Turner, and Frances Jones.

Mr. McGahey, county superintendent of Knox County schools, visited in the Truscott school one day last week.

Miss Ann Haynie is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner and daughter, Winnie Sue, and Miss Gaye Chilcoat were in Crowell Sunday night.

Miss Frances Jones, who is working in Crowell, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Jones, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Womack Jr. and children, Francie Ann and Billy, of Crowell visited in the home of Mrs. Womack's aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner.

Miss Joline Lanier of Crowell spent the week-end in the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Collier and daughter, Pervis Kyneth, of Vernon spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bryant and Nile.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wood-

ward of Knox City visited in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ozzie Turner, and family Friday night.

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Raymond Oliver and family of Knox City visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins have received word from their son, Pvt. J. A. Blevins, saying he is in a hospital in England and is able to walk some now.

Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. visited her brother, Hershel Butler, and family near Chillicothe a few days last week.

Mrs. H. W. Banister returned home Thursday from a two-weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Eunice Corzine, in San Francisco, Calif.

J. W. Long and family of Post visited relatives here last week-end.

Pvt. Weldon Hammonds, who has been in points overseas for almost three years, came Friday for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Hammonds, here. He is stationed in California, where he is confined to a hospital.

Mrs. Edith Downing of Lubbock and Pvt. and Mrs. T. R. Cates Jr., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self, here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins here last week-end.

Mrs. W. A. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore attended funeral services for Mrs. Caldwell's sister, Mrs. Sharpley, in Corsicana on eday last week. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. L. McLarty of Five-in-One.

The young people of the Methodist Church entertained the Baptist young people with a social at the Methodist Church Monday night. About 50 young people attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watts of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Webb, here Sunday.

VIVIAN

(By Mildred Fish)

Sgt. and Mrs. Richard E. Davidson and son, John Edward, of Abilene, are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and Mrs. J. M. Denton and daughter, Fay, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper of Crowell.

Pvt. Nolan Martin of Camp Hood, Texas, is visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Plato Carroll of Meadow, spent the week-end with his sisters, Mrs. Arthur Sandlin and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, and families.

Mrs. W. O. Fish visited Mrs. H. H. Fish and Mrs. Parris Raspberry in Paducah Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll is visiting in the home of her son, Plato Carroll, and family of Meadow.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nelson visited their daughter, Berdell, in Paducah Tuesday.

R. J. Everson of Pampa is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everson.

Miss Bernita Fish of Five-in-One spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

David Bowley left Monday for Orange, where he will be employed in the shipyards.

FOARD CITY

(Mrs. Luther Marlow)

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler was brought home from the hospital at Crowell Monday of last week.

Mrs. W. L. Johnson and children, Dale and Kay, returned home Saturday after spending last week with relatives near Jacksboro and Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, Floyd Ferguson, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rader at Crowell Sunday. Pvt. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson of Mineral Wells, Miss Ethel Kempf of Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. Midge Adcock of Truscott were also visitors there.

Danny Callaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway, has been ill for several days.

First Meeting of Directors of Texas Tech Held in 1923

Lubbock.—An enlarged picture of the first meeting of the first board of directors of Texas Technological College has just been hung in the halls of the new agriculture building by Dean A. H. Leidish. The picture is a copy from a smaller original photograph which belonged to Dr. Clifford B. Jones, president emeritus of the college.

This first meeting of the first board was held at Sweetwater in 1923. The photograph includes the following individuals: C. W. Meadows, secretary; Silliman Evans, not a director but staff correspondent for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram; Ex-Gov. W. P. Hobby; Mrs. F. N. Drane; Gov. Pat M. Neff; R. A. Underwood, vice chairman; Clifford B. Jones, treasurer; Dr. J. E. Nunn; Amos G. Carter, chairman; and John W. Carpenter.

Mt. Whitney is the highest peak in continental United States. It is 14,496 feet high or 386 feet higher than Pike's Peak.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What is the official height of a tennis net?
2. What state in the United States has the most miles of railroad?
3. What city besides Washington, lies within the District of Columbia?
4. From what stone is Plaster Paris obtained?
5. Of what organization is Sewell Avery the head?
6. For what is Marian Anderson known in the news?
7. In what sport is the term dribble used?
8. In what sport is the term birdie used?
9. What piece of equipment used by the army is known as a bulldozer?
10. What two well known movie stars play the leads in the new movie "Kismet"?

(Answers on page 3).

AGRICULTURE

(D. F. Eaton, County Agent)

IMPORTANT MEETINGS

May we again call attention to the War Food Production Meeting to be held at Thalia Friday at 7:30 p. m. at the high school building.

Also a similar meeting will be held here in Crowell on Saturday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m.

At Saturday's meeting, a supervisor for the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District will be elected.

These meetings are being held for the purpose of presenting the War Food Production Goals to producers and to explain the Triple A program for 1945.

It is hoped that we may have a good attendance of both men and women at these meetings. We must carry on to Victory.

GARDENING OUTLOOK

Texas home gardeners who are aiming this year to repeat their fine performance of growing more than one million gardens in 1944, will not need to worry about supplies. We are told by the Victory Garden headquarters at the U. S. Department of Agriculture that a forecast of good weather in most areas commercial seed growers produced a large crop last year and that stocks of vegetable seed are adequate.

Generally, the fertilizer situation is not quite as good as in 1944, but it is believed that Victory gardeners should not have difficulty in buying what they need. The same grades used in 1944 in various parts of the county again will be on sale this year.

Supplies of insecticides will be about the same as last year, too. Rotozone, one of the most popular dusts for killing garden bugs, is expected to be available in about the same quantities as in 1944. In 1945, however, there will be no restrictions upon the permissible rotenone content of insecticides. This will be a big help to gardeners.

It is suggested that gardeners should order insecticides and fertilizers as soon as possible. Those who shop early probably will find some rotenone available, or the dealer will accept an order and fill it from the first dust to reach his store. In any case don't wait until the bugs march in. You may not be able to get poison then.

LIVESTOCK FEED REQUIREMENTS

To supply a good dairy cow requires two acres of pasture, one ton of hay or three tons of silage, fifteen hundred pounds of grain, such as corn, grain sorghum or barley, and three hundred fifty pounds of cotton seed meal and plenty of good water available at all times.

To keep one hundred hens requires 3,600 lbs. grain corn, oats, wheat or milo and 3,600 lbs. of laying mash, a couple acres of grazing, water and shelter.

One hundred hens will eat three pounds grain and three pounds of mash per month and drink some 8 gallons of water per day; or 50 bushels corn, 40 bu. wheat and 40 bu. oats and mash 3,600 lbs.

To grow a 200-lb. hog requires around 1,000 lbs. of feed, grain and protein supplement, as well as plenty of grazing, water and shade.

He will consume about four pounds of food for every pound of gain or increase in weight. Around 10 per cent of his feed should be protein supplement, or 14 bu. corn, 50 lbs. tankage, 50 lbs. cotton seed meal.

A beef calf will require some two acres of pasture, 500 lbs. of grain, and 100 lbs. of cotton seed meal to produce a 500-lb. calf at six months of age. When on full feed, he consumes from 6 to 8 lbs. of feed to make one pound of gain.

A work animal will need three acres of pasture, 1½ tons of hay and 30 bu. of grain. Pasturage for livestock must be provided by small grain, sudan, or native pasture in season. Remember forage is the cheapest feed grown and it requires more of it for most livestock.

The above may be useful in planning this year's cropping system in order to plant sufficient acreage to provide the necessary feed requirements of the various crops for the different kinds of animals to be fed out.

A GOOD MEAT SUPPLY FOR A YEAR

For a family of five the following kinds and desirable sizes of animals will provide around 700 lbs. of fresh or cured meats for home use:

One 500-lb. beef, a total yield of 270 lbs.

Two 250-lb. hogs, a total yield of 230 lbs.

Fifteen hens, a total yield of 45 lbs.

One hundred fryers, a total yield of 150 lbs.

Two 90-lb. lambs, a total yield of 60 lbs.

Some wild game and fish may be added to the above.

Now since a freezer locker is available, there is no occasion to lose meat by spoilage.

Also, the shortage of cured hams and bacon should encourage laying aside a good supply of these choice meats. They can be sugar cured, smoked and stored in refined cotton seed oil indefinitely.

Well fed folks are healthy and happy, and with a bountiful supply of meat, vegetables, milk and butter, we can live well.

NATIONAL FOOD PICTURE

A year-end survey of the nation's food situation by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicates that as much meat, lard and fresh vegetables will be available during the first quarter of 1945 as in the pre-war period. But potato and butter supplies, especially butter, will be below that average. The butter shortage has been made more outstanding by a drop of eleven per cent in production from this time last year.

In a report on the survey, the BAE says that total meat supplies in January, February and March will be smaller than either the first or fourth quarter of 1944. This is because stocks are low and meat production is expected to be ten to twelve per cent less than in either quarter. Along with smaller total supplies, war requirements will be larger.

The report emphasizes, however, that despite some reductions civilians will not be faced with any over-all food shortage.

The report forecasts that civilian pork supplies will continue at the rate of the last few months. But this will be below the very large quantities which have been available in the past two years. It reminds that during 1944 civilians were eating meat at a rate of fifteen to twenty pounds per person above the 1935-1939 average. Supplies of eggs are expected to be large enough to permit consumption to continue at record seasonal levels.

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Language is the only instrument of science, and words are but the signs of ideas.—Samuel Johnson.

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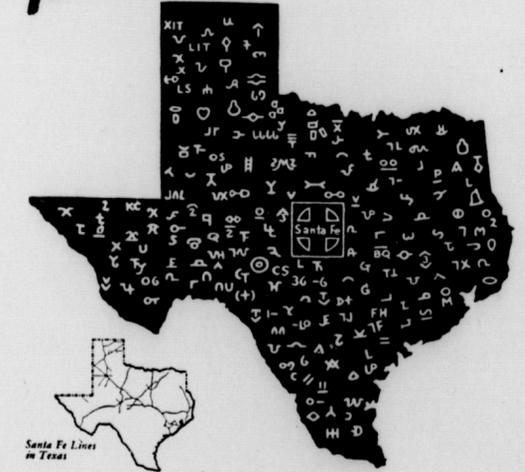
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MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe spent Sunday in Paducah visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McCurley and family of Shamrock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley McCurley and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard has heard from their son, Joe Minyard, who has landed in France.

Gus Russell, who is in the Coast Guards, is here to spend a furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. F.

Russell, and family.

Mrs. C. R. Roden recently received a card from Sgt. Malcolm Tucker Reinhardt. It was written May 6, 1944. He stated he was glad to hear from her and said he was still playing in the Camp Orchestra and that his health was good and sure would be glad to be back with all the family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shultz and Wayne accompanied by Lewis Hunter spent Sunday in Vernon visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. C. Cline, and family.

Mrs. Vard McGinnis has returned from Lorenzo where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs.

Greek Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford of Vernon were here Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford.

Bill Godwin of Crowell spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Porter of Crowell spent Sunday with his brother, Clyde Porter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shultz and son, Roy Martin, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shultz Thursday night. Oral Wharton moved Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell to Avery where they will make their home for another year.

Ed Taylor is spending the week in Wichita Falls visiting his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Garland Taylor, and baby daughter.

RAYLAND

(Norma Jeanne Beazley)

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston and Wanda Ruth and Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Abston and daughter spent the week-end at Ropesville, Texas, with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roberson and family.

Mrs. Capp Tuggle, Eileen and C. J. Tuggle left last week for Corpus Christi to visit Mr. and Mrs. Vick Jones and family.

Mrs. Maurine Pierce has returned from a visit with friends in San Antonio.

Miss Grace Abston returned to Wichita Falls Sunday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston.

Mrs. A. T. Beazley and son, R. D., were visitors in Wichita Falls Monday.

Nathan Daniel of Clovis, N. M., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daniel.

Mrs. Marie Smith and son, Wayne, of Fresno, Calif., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Clarence Clark of the U. S. Navy is here spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Nathan Daniel was a visitor in Amarillo over the week-end.

Misses Doris Edwards and Earlene Edwards and Mrs. Maurine Pierce visited Mrs. W. E. Schoolcraft Sunday.

Rev. Phyllis of Chillicothe filled his regular appointment here Sunday at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crisp and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunt visited in Fort Worth over the week-end.

Mrs. Bob Dyer visited her husband at Fort Sill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clary Flowers and sons of Vernon and Mrs. Maurine Pierce were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards and family Sunday.

Delphas Tolon of Chula Vista, Calif., is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mints and sons and Delphas visited in Llano over the week-end.

Agricultural Phases of GI Bill of Rights to Be Set Up Here

Machinery for translating the agricultural phases of the GI Bill of Rights from promises into actual operation will be set up in Foard County and throughout Texas within the next few weeks, according to Julian Wright, Farm Security Administration supervisor.

Vernon H. Slocumb, District Supervisor, at Dallas, Texas, has called a meeting of supervisors in the 17 counties comprising his district, at Wichita Falls for January 29, 1945, where he will outline how the government farm loan guaranty will work. Mr. Slocumb has just returned from Oklahoma City where regional, state and district officials from Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico heard from R. W. Hudgens, Washington, FSA Associate Administrator, of the part FSA will play in the GI program.

The law provides that the government through the Veterans Administration will guarantee a maximum of \$2,000, but in no case more than 50 per cent, of any loan made to a Veteran by a private or other lending source. The Veterans Administration will guarantee the loan upon recommendation of the Certifying Committee in the respective county that (1) the proceeds of such loan will be used in payment for real or personal property purchased or to be purchased by the veteran, or for repairing, altering, or improving any buildings or equipment, to be used in bona fide farming operations conducted by him; (2) that such property will be useful in and reasonably necessary to such operations; (3) that the ability and experience of the veteran and nature of the operation contemplated are such that there is reasonable likelihood of success; and (4) that the purchase price asked for the property does not exceed the reasonable normal value as determined by proper appraisal.

In applying for a loan to buy a farm, the Veteran should obtain a Veteran's Administration form No. 1700 which is to be signed by the Veteran and the lender and forwarded to the Veterans Administration. Veterans wishing to receive a loan for the purchase of a farm under the GI Bill may contact the Advisory Committee at the County Agent's Office for advice concerning agricultural information in the area in which he wishes to locate. The Certifying Committee furnishes facts and recommendations to the Veterans Administration who approves or rejects the Veteran's agricultural loan. The Certifying Committee is presently composed of three men in each county who also serve as the FSA County Loan Committee. The Certifying Committee may be contacted in each county at the local office of the Farm Security Administration.

Federal Land Bank appraisers will appraise all farms purchased by veterans under the GI guaranty.

Surveys by the U. S. Department of Agriculture indicate that more than one million five hundred thousand men with farm backgrounds are now in the armed services and that more than one-third of these will probably wish to return to farming at the end of the war.

Mumble a few words in church and you're married. Mumble a few words in your sleep and you are divorced.

The guy who said that money talks wasn't referring to hush money.

You can't say that the man with the mustache is a bare-faced liar.



2-Point Program to Stimulate Rural Used Fat Collections

New York, Jan. 6.—A two point program to stimulate rural used fat collection was announced today by War Food Administration in co-operation with Railway Express Agency.

War Food Administration, in assuming complete responsibility for the fat salvage program, has put the full weight of its Extension Service and its County Agents behind the drive, instructing them to work with meat dealers and renderers in straightening out collection problems.

To facilitate the work of War Food Administration, Railway Express Agency has issued a statement instructing its 23,000 local agents throughout the country to pick up used fats from meat dealers and deliver them to renderers. This plan becomes operative at all rural points, with special emphasis on those areas not now served by regular renderer pickups.

It is believed there is an additional three to five million pounds of used fat monthly in rural and small town markets. A recent survey in the middle west placed rural fat salvage at approximately one-fifth of a pound per month per occupied dwelling. United States Army and Navy, on the other hand, are saving fat at a rate of more than four pounds per man per year, or almost 7 times as much as the rural survey figures.

"Because war and home front need for used fat has skyrocketed recently, it is hoped that the 3,037 county seats in the United States will become headquarters for a new intensified fat salvage drive," pointed out a spokesman for the American Fat Salvage Committee.

"Fat salvage can no longer be regarded as a volunteer service. It is a serious wartime obligation that must not be neglected until every Jap is driven back to Tokyo, and the South Pacific Islands again become exporters of commercial fats and oils," he said.

Legal Motor Vehicle License Plate to Be Attached to Rear

Austin, Jan. 16.—Under the authority conferred upon them by House Bill 273 of the Forty-eighth Regular Session of the Texas Legislature, the Texas Highway Commission has passed an order stating that the legal motor vehicle registration insignia for the 1945 registration year will consist of one full-sized metal license plate to be attached to the rear of all series of vehicles with the exception of truck tractors, which are to have the plate attached to the front. All plates have black numerals and letters on a gold background.

At the time the order for manufacture of the 1945 license plates was placed with the Texas Prison System, rulings of the War Production Board prohibited any State from the issuance of more than one full-size metal license plate per vehicle for the 1945 registration year. The Texas Highway Department not only conformed with the War Production Board ruling but went even further in effecting a saving in metal and paint by reducing the length of the plate from thirteen inches in 1942 to ten inches in 1945, or a reduction of approximately twenty-five per cent in area.

A new numbering system is used whereby four numerals are the most used on any one plate and these are preceded by two control letters; for example, A/A 18 and A/D 9999. Under the old system of numbering, each hundred thousand over a million was identified by a letter of the alphabet and it was necessary to use seven or eight letters. Under the new system, in each ten thousand registrations or each time a control letter changes, there are hundreds of plates with three numerals or less. For all series of plates except passenger, the type of series is embossed on the plate.

The order passed by the Highway Commission also requires the removal of all registration insignia for previous registration years.

One of the most dramatic situations of the recent break through of the American lines by Von Runstedt's forces occurred when the Nazi surrounded the 101st Airborne Division at Bastogne and demanded a surrender ultimatum. The situation was

Cotton Still Most Valuable Crop for Texas Farmers

College Station, Jan. 22.—Cotton not only maintained its long time record as Texas' most valuable crop during 1944, but also continued to give growers the highest value per acre of any major field crop grown in the State.

Over 35 per cent of the total value of all field crops, fruits, nuts and truck crops produced this season in Texas came from cotton and cottonseed, although cotton occupied less than one-fourth of the total acreage.

These facts, revealed by the annual report of the United States Department of Agriculture, emphasize the opportunity for making Texas' best "pay crop" even more productive and valuable in 1945, says the War Cotton Production Committee of Texas.

"Although this season's cotton yield in Texas was above the average for previous years, it was 119 pounds less per acre, or 40 per cent smaller, than the average yield for the Cotton Belt as a whole," L. E. Ellwood of College Station, Extension Cotton Work Specialist and chairman of the War Committee, pointed out.

"Wider use of proven methods of increasing yields per acre can materially increase growers' profits and the aggregate value of cotton and cottonseed to farmers and the entire State," Ellwood added. "No crop offers greater opportunity for higher returns through improved practices."

The \$323,696,000 value of cotton and cottonseed from the 1944 crop exceeds by more than one hundred million dollars the combined value of all corn, wheat and oats raised in Texas, Ellwood said, and is nearly three times the value of all sorghums raised for grain. On an acre basis, the \$44.96 per acre value of cotton and seed compares with \$816.50 per acre for grain sorghums, \$817.50 for corn, \$819.50 for oats and \$26.60 for wheat.

Your Horoscope

January 23, 24.—You have a vivid imagination and use it, especially when trying to get out of some thing that you do not want to do. You will make money some way because you have a good amount of intelligence. You have many obstacles to overcome but you always come out on top. You are a good friend although neglectful at times.

January 25, 26, 27, 28.—You are a very willing worker but you are ready to quit when things do not move fast enough for you or when others are not doing their share. You do not rely enough on your own ability. You make things seem so much worse than they really are. Instead of looking so far ahead, you should take things as they come and make the best of them.

desperate and there appeared no hope for the Americans. The officer in charge, Brig. Gen. A. C. McAuliffe sent back the genuine, American and devastating descriptive reply, "Nuts." The expression was not in accord with military procedure and also violated the rules of the best grammar, but the one word carried more clear understandable meaning to Americans than volumes of polished classical prose.

- ANSWERS (Questions on page 2). 1. Three feet. 2. Texas. 3. There is no other city within the District of Columbia. 4. Gypsum. 5. He is head of the board of directors of Montgomery Ward. 6. As a great contralto singer. 7. Basketball. 8. Golf. 9. It is an earth moving machine used in the construction of roads and air fields. 10. Ronald Coleman and Marlene Dietrich.

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Give glory to the Lord your God, before he cause darkness, and before your feet stumble upon the dark mountains and, while ye look for light, he turn it into the shadow of death, and make it gross darkness.—Jeremiah 13:16.

We take the following from one of our good exchanges. It expresses in a concise way what we believe is the feeling of most of the people in this country and especially the feeling of the men in the armed forces, their families and friends: "Men are called to risk their lives in the service of their country. If they refuse they are imprisoned, if they desert they may be shot or forever disgraced. But men called upon to produce ammunition and equipment without which soldiers cannot fight, may sit down, they may strike. They may howl for more pay and shorter hours or quarrel over petty jurisdictional disputes. All honor to the millions of loyal patriotic workers who are not guilty of such treason, but in all

Announcements City of Crowell

For Mayor: JIM COOK

fairness soldiers and munition workers should be treated more nearly on the same level. The fact that a worker belongs to some organization should not give him greater privileges than are enjoyed by the man who is called to wear the uniform of his country, leave his home and friends, and risk his life and health and future in the mud and slime of a foreign battlefield. It isn't just, it isn't fair. It isn't American."

No man visits the scenes of his childhood after an absence of twenty-five or thirty years, without being disappointed and without his heart suffering a nostalgic ache. Childhood invests its surroundings with a sort of fairyland glory, beauty and charm. The trees are taller, the grass is greener, and distances are greater. There is beauty in everything. The unpainted buildings and the sagging crooked fences are a perfect part of a perfect picture. All are a part of a beautiful fairyland—a real and beautiful Shangri-la. When a man returns to these scenes the glamour of childhood's fairyland is gone. He sees the crooked, sagging fences, the unpainted tattered buildings, the trees that once towered to the very heavens, themselves are gone and other trees are on other places. Things, he thinks have changed so much. The change isn't all in things. The change is in his own eyes. He has lost the fairy world of childhood that vested his surroundings in beauty and glamour and is now looking upon the scene with mature realism. He sees things as they are—as they really were thirty years ago. The greatest change is not in things but in the man himself.

They used to say that an apple a day would keep the doctor away. From an economy standpoint nothing is to be gained today by eating an apple a day. It is just as cheap to have the doctor.

HISTORY

St. Valentine's Day—February 14: There are a number of theories and traditions regarding the origin of St. Valentine's Day as a day on which lovers exchange tokens. One theory is that this is the day on which birds begin to mate. English literature contains many references to the day as one being sacred to lovers. Some authorities connect the origin of the day with certain Roman feasts which occurred in February. One suggestion is that the day comes from the Norman word "galatin" meaning lover of women. According to these authorities Galatin's Day with the "G" frequently pronounced as "V" had something to do with the origin of the day. Whatever may have been the origin or the earlier practices, the day has become one on which lovers and friends exchange greetings or gifts. The practice furnished the idea for an industry which grew rapidly until at the present time millions of Valentine Day greetings and messages are mailed each year. The children in the schools usually observe the day with Valentine boxes into which valentines made by the children are dropped during the week. On Valentine's Day the box is opened and the valentines distributed. Among the adults the presenting of flowers or boxes of candy is in some groups an annual practice.

What We Think (By Frank Dixon)

In my opinion the finer manner in which the housewives of America as a whole accepted the recent cancellation of unused food stamps is striking evidence of the willingness of the housewives of America to do with and put up with whatever the leadership of the nation feels is necessary to win the war and care for the needs of the men at the front.

Naturally, when the order was issued, there was a protest and a very general complaint. The reason for this is very obvious.

Many housewives, believing that the ration stamps were good for the periods that they were told they would be good had refrained from using them, preferring to save them to buy food that might be needed for some unforeseen occasion, such as the boys coming home on a furlough, or a family dinner. Others preferred to hoard the stamps rather than the food, and, feeling secure that they had plenty of stamps in reserve for any emergency, bought normally only what they needed and as they needed it.

The result of the order, however, it may have been justified, is going to be that hereafter the housewives of the country are not going to hold in reserve any stamps, rather, they are going to spend them as fast as they become due. The result is going to be, in my opinion, that more food is going to be bought by the average housewife than was bought before the order. Not because it is needed, but rather for fear that the OPA will repeat its performance and some Sunday morning

wipe out their reserve stamp supply.

It is not our purpose to criticize the OPA beyond the statement that housewives feel it has broken faith with them and in the future they will not accord it the trust that it has received in the past. They are going to be distrustful of its promises. They are going to feel that it would have been better to have left the unused stamps undisturbed even though it might have been necessary to set higher point values.

We are not inclined to be critical of the OPA's purpose except in the manner in which it was done. It appears to us that the thrifty housewives, those who refused to spend every stamp and hoard the food were penalized while those who rushed in and spent every stamp whether the food was needed or not got the better end of the deal.

In defense of the OPA it might be said that it was acting in what it believed to be for the best interest of the people of this country and the armed forces. It is possible that in a moment of optimism when an early victory was thought possible and plans for reconversion were in the air that the OPA over-stepped itself and released too many points, more points than actual conditions, as later developments showed the situation warranted. The cancellation of points was the manner in which the OPA sought to correct the error.

It is past history now, and the action has been accepted as one of the conditions of rationing but it is too bad that OPA could not have found some other way to solve its problem without weakening public confidence in its word.

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken in whole or in part from the issue of The News of Jan. 29, 1915, with J. L. Martin, editor:

Robert P. Thompson, one of the oldest residents of the county, passed away at his home north of town Tuesday night at the age of 85 years. He came here from Dallas County in 1891. He was one of the oldest Masons in this part of the state.

C. P. Sandifer has opened up a new business in The News office. He will give his attention to real estate, insurance, loans and discounts, notary work and to the automobile business, he having the agency for the Overland in Foard County.

G. A. Snultz was here from Thalia Tuesday and left a nice order for job printing with The News.

C. W. Sargent and family left this week for Cone, where they will locate.

A Negro is sort of a curiosity in Crowell, and last Saturday a number of our people had a great time watching some of the negroes that have come in to take care of the cotton crop, do some of their dancing stunts.

Work began this week on the Burks and Swain garage and when completed it will be one of the best garage buildings in West Texas.

Miss Lourana Cope is visiting in Elmer, Okla., this week.

W. L. Ricks made a business trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

For sale or trade, a good survey. Would trade for a good milk cow.—N. J. Roberts.

I have 50 head of horses and mules for sale, young stuff and in good condition.—Sam Russell.

John McMillan and Silas Moore have purchased 320 acres off the Will Mitchell tract near Margaret. This is one of the fine bodies of land of the Margaret locality, and the purchasers got a real bargain.

The recent action of the War Mobilization Director Byrnes in calling up all the athletes for examination by draft boards and the closing of gambling race tracks as nonessential will meet with unanimous approval. There is little reason to calling up school boys while husky athletes are exempted along with the employees and operators of nonessential race tracks.

Home front fatalities, due to accidents, are double the number of those killed in the armed forces. In the past ten months of 1944 some 280,000 lost their lives in accidents in this country and 108,897 in battle.

Washington News

By Congressman Ed Gossett, 13th District, Texas.

The work of Congress this week has been largely hearings before committees, plus a few notable speeches on the floor.

Some observers say that this week's speech by leading Republican Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan may go down as the most notable in World War II. The Senator, ordinarily regarded as an isolationist, this week called upon America to abandon isolationism and commit herself definitely to world collaboration. The Senator emphatically declared America must co-operate with other nations not only in the complete military defeat of Germany and Japan, but must use all means necessary to see that neither of these nations can again bring the curse of war upon humanity. His speech is a breath of fresh air to those who fear that politicians might again destroy the peace.

The House Military Affairs Committee has been in constant session on the President's request for a national service law.

Officials say that we must have 700,000 additional war workers and 900,000 additional service men within the next six months. They say 300,000 men under 25, and 265,000 between 26 and 29 are now deferred on the farms. The farmer's answer is that while he makes up only 31 per cent of the country's population he has furnished 43 per cent of the men in the armed services; that he cannot continue to break production records if stripped of remaining labor. Many contend that cost-plus contracts and the 40-hour week is responsible for our manpower shortage. Certainly any "work or fight" law should deal with those already in war work; loafing and profiteering should be eliminated first in war industry.

The impending meeting of Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin has again raised the question of Russian co-operation. We should remember that Russia was an early and enthusiastic member of the League of Nations which we refused to join. Russia wanted to stop Mussolini's invasion of Ethiopia. She actively supported the Spanish Republic against Fascist France. She opposed selling Czechoslovakia to Hitler at Munich. Russia was kicked out of the League when she invaded Finland.

The office of War Information this week gave members of Congress a private showing of some of their propaganda films. Many of us thought the particularity was and are wondering if our appropriation to OWI is being well expended.

Among news items discussed in Congressional cloakrooms this week is the report that seven billion dollars was spent for alcoholic beverages during 1944, also the arrest of several hundred soldiers and some officers in the European theater for black market operations. The first 16 tried were convicted and given prison terms of 25 years and are wondering if our deserts with fabulous black market records were given the death penalty.

Newspaper men have combed the capital this week for evidence of continued rumors that Texan Jesse Jones will be moved out of the Commerce Department and that ex-Vice President Henry Wallace will be named Secretary of Commerce. Those who object to this change fear that idealist Henry Wallace is not the man to replace financier Jesse Jones as the head of for example, the Defense Plants Corporation, which has an investment of more than ten billion dollars in government war plants. These plants include 574 aircraft facilities, 183 steel and iron plants, 161 chemical, 156 machine tool, 97 aluminum, 92 ordnance, 57 synthetic rubber, 52 magnesium, 38 aviation gasoline and 6 pipe line projects scattered among 46 states. Neither of the Dakotas has any of these plants.

Books could be written about presidential inaugurations. Calvin Coolidge was sworn in by his father, a justice of the peace, by the light of a coal oil lamp in a Vermont farm house. This week Mr. Roosevelt was sworn in on the "back porch" of the White House by Chief Justice Stone. The backyard of the White House contains some ten acres while the front yard is quite small. Following the brief inaugural ceremony most congressmen and their wives enjoyed a buffet luncheon in the White House.

Our casualties in the war to date is a staggering total of around 750,000. This is many times our total casualties in World War I. This week Russia may have prophesied the end by saying, "The dead city of Warsaw will soon live again, the alive city of Berlin will soon die."

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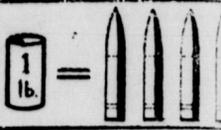
BURLESQUE ON GOVERNMENT

In all the talk about manpower shortage, one fact stands out clearly—under the present labor monopoly in the United States men are prevented from working unless they first pay to get their jobs. If you don't believe this, try to get a job in a war industry.

No American citizen should be forced to join any organization, whether it be labor, religious or political, before he can earn his living. Allowing labor unions to remain outside the laws which regulate all business corporations, while collecting millions of dollars in dues, is a travesty on justice and a burlesque on government.

Such tyranny within a so-called free country cannot be continued without ultimately leading to dictatorship by either labor bosses, political bosses, or both. Freedom flies out of the window when a man must get permission of another man to earn his daily bread.—Industrial News Review, away.

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It is not the intention of the City Council to enforce an undue hardship on anyone, but the time has arrived when the Council must collect these delinquent taxes.

Those who do not pay all or part of their delinquent taxes, it will be necessary to collect same by suit, which we do not want to do, but we have no alternative. So please pay these taxes or make arrangements to take care of same.

See Mr. Atcheson, or City Tax Collector, at an early date and save yourself a tax suit.

CITY COUNCIL

POSSUM FLATS... THE LOCAL GROUCH IS A CHANGED MAN



LOCALS

See Womack's for a complete line of Coleman parts for lamps, lanterns and irons. Repairs made here.

Hagan Whatley has returned from a trip to Louisiana. Mrs. Whatley and their son are in Jefferson, Texas.

Mrs. D. P. Beaty of Wichita Falls is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Hines Clark, and Dr. Clark.

Henry Johnson submitted to an operation in the Quanaah hospital Tuesday of last week. He has been brought to his home and is improving satisfactorily.

Mrs. Frank Brisco returned Tuesday from a visit of a month in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Cogdell, and family in Walsh, Colo., and her son, Cpl. and Mrs. Bill Brisco in Liberal, Kansas.

Alton Reeder Griffin, student in A. & M. College, is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spears and children of Orange were here for a few days last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Speer of Fort Worth spent the week-end here in the home of Mrs. Speer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughston.

Jim Cook left Monday for California to visit his son, George Cook, who is in the U. S. Navy and stationed near San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. M. M. Welch and son, Miles, left Monday morning for South Gate, Calif., to join their husband and father, T-Sgt. M. M. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Andrews of Amarillo spent the week-end here in the home of Mr. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and Mrs. J. M. Denton and little daughter, Fay, of Vivian, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper, Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Beverly and Mrs. H. Schindler are spending the week in Dallas where Mrs. Schindler is buying merchandise for her Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Shop.

Mrs. R. S. Watkins returned last Wednesday from a visit in the home of her son and his family in Bryan and with relatives in Dallas and Wichita Falls.

Mrs. G. D. Reeder of Temple is here visiting the parents of her husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reeder. She and Mrs. Reeder went to Dallas the first of the week to buy new merchandise for Reeder's Drug Store.

A five year post war program to provide electricity for 3,655,000 farm homes has been proposed by the Rural Electrification Administration.

Supt. Grady Graves Releases Honor Rolls for Crowell Schools

High School Honor Rolls for Third Six Weeks

High Honor Roll
Harold Thomson, Betty Lee Williams, Mary Edna Norman, Rachel Hickman, Gwendolyn Owbey, Wanda Crisp, Larry Wood, Irene Peehacek, Sue Jones, E. Ballard, Billy Roy Cooper, Doris Cox, C. D. Campbell.
Helen Marts, John Carter, Bobby Cooper, Bob Edwards, O. L. Jack, Sharon Haney, Betty Seale, Vandolyn Browning, Doris Browder, Billy Dean Brown, Glenna Self.

Low Honor Roll
DeAlva Thomas, Virginia Monkhouse, Mary Catherine Sparks, A. G. Wallace, Henry White, Naomi Crisp, Larry Campbell, George Johnson, Hazel Marlow, Clay Dunn, Kendrick Joy, Garland Denton, Wayne Lindsey.

Perfect Attendance Honor Roll
Jimmie Swan, Mary Ayers, Doris Rummel, Marian Hayes, Marilyn Hayes, Doris Denton, La Verne Abston, Ora Mae Fox, Dorothy Pochacek, Tommy Eaton, La Juan Denton, Doris Jones, Prestly Thomson, Doris Jones, Mary Elizabeth Roberts, June Hickman, Joyce Jones, Leta Jo Carroll, Martha Johnson, Billy Joe Taylor, Horace Todd, Edna Lee Dunn, Bobbie Hammonds, Geraldine Davis, Janet Roark, Bobbie Smith, Caroly Cato, Evalyn Barker, Milton Hall.

Genele Nelson, Hardy Sanders, J. Y. Lindsey, Kathleen Edly, Larry Campbell, Billy Dean Brown, Frances Ann Ayers, Ada Jane Magee, Carolita Jones, Mary Jo Hogan, Joe Seales.

Intermediate Honor Rolls for Third Six Weeks

High Honor Roll
Jane Bruce, Essie Franklin, Jack Albert Johnson, Norma Jean Mathews.

Low Honor Roll
Robert Brock, Bertha Johnson, Barbara White, Self Rondyn, Betty Jo Drew, Joline Lanier, Joline Lanier, Tommie Meason, Floyd Borchardt, Icyphene Wharton, Joyce Smith, Peggy Pittillo, Bobbie Ruth Abston, Betty Barker, Edna Jewel Curtis, Mary Kathryn Huckey, Frankie Mabe, Anna Rea Owens, Mary Alice Rader, Mildred Tamplen.

Perfect Attendance Honor Roll Primary Grades

Don Gobin, Mary Cooper, Jean Hughston, Marcia Kincaid, Helen Faye Ribble, Billy Abston, Royce Dale Drew, Robert Graves, Mary Lynn Hough, Roy Whitley, J. C. Kincheleo, Laurence Hinkle, George Ann Davis.
Sue Meason, Rosa Lee Roberts, Gaylon Whitley, Dale Keith Jones, Johnnie Odell, J. V. Sparks, Mary Lou Denton, Dorris Ann Cates, Glenn Roberts, Donald Macabee, Herman Hinkle, Love Joy Eubanks, Gordon Graves, Aggie Lee Duncan, Frances Kincaid, Lena Fae White.

Honor Roll for Thalia Schools for Third Six Weeks

Mrs. Howard Bursey has released the following names of pupils, who qualified for the honor roll for Thalia School for third six weeks:

High Honor Roll: Fave Jones, Betty Sims, Dorothy Glen Gamble, Iris Abston, Jean Lavove Gamble, Dorothy Gamble, Coleman Self, LaRue Mason, and Mary Cato.

Low Honor Roll: Bobby Cato, Norma Gamble, Letha Marlow, Norma Lou Short, Marlene Mason, Myra Donn Self, James McReath, Travis Crisp, Jean Short, Virginia Railsback, Lewis Cates, Charlie Cottrell, James Hall, Kenneth Hopkins, Jane Cooper, Orval Railsback, Norma Grace Gray, Carolyn Tole, Billy Hopkins, John W. Wright Jr., Jimmy Lindsay, Gaylon Whitman, Don Wisdom.

Perfect Attendance: Bobby Cato, Leon McBeath, Dorothy Glen Gamble, Norma Gamble, Carolyn Tole, Jane Cooper, LaRue Mason, Billy Hopkins and Coleman Self.

Most foods are rationed because the supply is scarce and rationing is necessary that every one may get a fair share. To date, however, it has not been necessary to ration liquor. At the expense of some other things the supply of liquor is still sufficient for all demands.

Riverside School Honor Roll for Third Six Weeks Period

Mrs. Bailey Rennels, principal of Riverside School, announces the following Honor Rolls for the school:

A Honor Roll—Jaquelin Wesley, grade 8; Doris Brock, grade 1; Cora Nell Cox, grade 3; Lanna Joyce Short, grade 5; Emmett Gloyna, grade 5.

B Honor Roll—Billy Bond, grade 8; Ellen Barnes, grade 5; Emelie Kajs, grade 8; Richard Brock, grade 8; Betty Jean Brock, grade 7; Norman Shultz, grade 3; Bennie Short, grade 3; Eugene Kajs, grade 3; Nadine Farrar, grade 4; Peggy Payne, grade 6; Violet Rummel, grade 6.

Perfect Attendance—Buford Wheeler, 7; Betty Brock, 7; LaVerne Farrar, 7; Howard Wheeler, 1; Norman Shultz, 3; Mary Matus, 5; LaVerne Shultz, 6.

The late Albert D. Richardson of Kansas, wrote in his personal impressions of Abraham Lincoln: "I was unconsciously and irresistibly drawn by the clearness and closeness of his argument. Link after link it was forged and welded, like a blacksmith's chain. He ridiculed nothing; burlesqued nothing; misrepresented nothing." And another who heard Lincoln 85 years ago wrote, "His ungainly gestures and his high pitched voice did not appeal. But his skill at logic and his clarity of expression brought many to his side."

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JANUARY 14-31

Last summer America experienced the second worst epidemic of infantile paralysis in its history.

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Ordinarily the farmer plans production schedules years in advance. Investments in crops are made on the basis of probable prices at harvest time. Long experience with the laws of supply and demand teach the farmer what he must grow if he is to stay out of bankruptcy. At least that is the way the farmer operated before the age of regulation and subsidies descended upon him. Now, like the consumer, he knows not what to expect next. A government directive may cut his acreage, reduce prices when his crop is ready to harvest, or put him out of business. It is not a pleasant way to live.—Industrial News Review.

The decision to halt racing of all kinds that the manpower may be devoted to more essential needs will free upwards of 60,000 persons according to some authorities. Among the workers in the racing industry are 1,800 professional jockeys earning an average of \$10,000 each, 15,000 employed as stable help and exercise boys, 10,000 officials including those who handle the betting and track operators and 10,000 on the breeding farms.

The New Year usually brings an epidemic of coughs and colds. Statistics show that February is the peak month of the year for those hard-to-avoid nose, throat and lung infections. Prepare now—visit your Nyal Drug Store and lay in a supply of that good

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SPADING FORK, 4-tine, light or heavy	\$1.50 to \$2.25
HOES, 8-inch, one-piece, forged steel, long handle, each	85c
SHARPSHOOTER, 16-inch, heat treated steel blade, each	\$1.95
GARDEN MATTOCK, forged steel, ladies' size	\$1.45
BRUME RAKE, steel, for sweeping yard	49c
SHOVELS, long handle, round or square point	\$1.35 to \$1.95
SHOVELS, short handle, round or square point	\$1.35 to \$1.95
EYE HOE, 7 1/2 inch, forged steel, with handle	\$1.45
RAKES, 14-tooth, with good handle	79c to \$1.00
YO-YO, weed or grass cutter	\$1.25
PRUNING SHEARS, for hedge and roses	\$1.35
WATER HOSE, 50 feet length, limited supply	\$3.50

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Man at Work—An Observer



Taking life as easy as possible under the circumstances, Corp. Louis C. Reggio of Washington, D. C., a radio operator at a forward artillery observation post in Rurdorf, Germany, sends back results to a 105-mm. Howitzer battery pounding a German command post on the other side of the Roer river opposite the Ninth army front.

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APRICOTS SYRUP PACK No. 2 1/2 Can	33c
SYRUP RIBBON CANE No. 2 Can	10c
PINTO BEANS 10 Lbs No. 1	89c
PUREX 1/2 Gallon	29c
SPINACH White Swan, No. 2 1/2 can	19c
PEACHES Hearts Delight, Gal. In Heavy Syrup	\$1.25
FLOUR PurAsnow 25 Lbs.	\$1.29
50 Lbs.	\$2.39
PICKLES Sour Jar	25c
RUB BOARDS Each	35c
K C Baking Powder 25 oz.	19c
POTTED MEAT Can	5c
SPUDS 15 Pound Peck	59c
EGGS Our Price Now, As Always, is the Highest. We Pay the Same CASH or TRADE	
Egg Mash KIMBELL'S K 5 20% Protein	\$3.45
SALT Block	50c

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And, speaking of Texas boys, aren't they mighty happy at little old Texas? Better still, enter a subscription for your son, husband or friend, so that the paper will come to them direct from the newspaper office each week...

cific islands. Another West resident, Marine Corp. John Stepan, has earned his "M" with a Marine football team in the South Pacific.

Also in the Pacific is Russell Cole of Brownsville, who believes in working when there are no Japs around to fight. While waiting for a new combat assignment after several months of front-line service, Cole volunteered to work with a construction unit building Quanset huts on the island.

Incidentally, Texans at home are going to receive a lot of national publicity when the final report on the recent War Chest drive is made. Details aren't ready for publication yet, but Wayland D. Towner, United War Chest of Texas general manager, has let slip the fact that Texas' generosity came through again!

All you who contributed so generously can be sure that you have helped toward victory and you have helped make life better for our fighting men, too!

Pellagra of Great Concern to Health Officials in Texas

Austin.—Pellagra, although not a communicable disease, is one of great concern to public health officials in Texas for many people die of pellagra in this state every year. The disease is caused by the lack of certain essential foods...

Safety Supervisors Appointed by Santa Fe

Amarillo, Texas, Jan. 15.—The appointment of three additional Safety Supervisors to augment the Santa Fe Railway System program to combat personal injuries among employees, was announced today by E. L. Duggan, Superintendent of Safety.

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For Sale. FOR SALE—My home and two lots, east edge of Crowell.—Bill Carroll. 28-1tp. FOR SALE—North-Tex Seed Oats.—Clarence Garrett. 26-4tp.

Thalia Lodge No. 666. A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, January 27. Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.

FOR SALE—Burkhead seed oats, east good, \$1.00 per bushel, \$1.00 per bu. 1 mile south of Rayland.—Mrs. J. A. Lambert. 28-3tp. FOR SALE—My place 1 mile northwest of square, 5 acres and 4-room house.—C. Dawson. 29-3tp.

FOR SALE—M. T. A. Moline tractor with 4-row tools complete. New block assembled and almost new rubber tires.—J. A. Garrett, one mile west of Crowell. 26-4tc. ERNEST EARTHMAN 2 miles northeast of Thalia 29-2tp.

Lost. LOST—Sterling silver butter knife at Cub House.—Mrs. Richard Ferguson. 29-1tc. Wanted. WANTED—A 12-ft. Baldwin combine and late model tractor. Write F. A. Hinkle, 3213 E. W. 4th St., Amarillo, Texas, stating price, terms and condition of tractor or combine, or of either tractor or combine. 29-2tp.

Notice. FOR SERVICE—One Jersey bull, price \$5.00.—G. R. Webster. 29-4tc. Will grind feed every day, beginning January 22. Your business appreciated.—A. L. Rucker. 28-tfc. reduction in the size of territories so as to enable closer contacts between the safety men and employees. Duggan asserted.

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CHURCHES

Christian Science Church. Sunday services at 11 a. m. Sunday, January 28, 1945. Subject: "Truth." First Christian Church. Bible School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Bible Study, 7:30 p. m. G. O. McMillan, Minister.

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.

Christian Science Services. "Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 28. The Golden Text is: "We can do nothing against the truth, but for the truth" (II Corinthians 13:8).

Texas Service Men Over the World Will Help in Polio Drive. Texas servicemen and women stationed throughout the world will join the folks back home in observing the March of Dimes and the President's birthday celebrations to raise funds for waging the battle against the dread home front enemy, infantile paralysis.

Through the appointment of Major Joe W. Lisman, of the Eighth Service Command at Dallas, as director of army participation in the command area, Texas becomes the focal point for fund-raising efforts among the service forces in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arkansas and Louisiana.

Two Minute Sermon (By Thomas Hastwell). With Shears and Pruning Hook: I recall that when I was a small lad at home we had a large orchard on the place. It was filled with a variety of fruit trees. Each year about the same time my father would go out with the clippers and saw and trim the trees. Sometimes it seemed to me that after the job of pruning had been

Weekly Sermon

By George S. Schuler, Member of Music Faculty, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Men of Conviction. Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, in the days of Daniel, built a large image of gold. Governors, captains, judges, treasurers, counselors, and all the rulers of the provinces were called to the dedication ceremonies.

For everyone to bow the knee to an idol—which is anything that stands in the place of God—is no sign of strength. On the other hand, to acknowledge the God of heaven and the Lord Jesus Christ as one's personal Saviour, when everyone else is serving idols, requires strength from on high.

Are you a person of conviction? You may be. For if you have accepted God's offer of salvation, nothing shall be able to separate you from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus the Lord (Rom. 8:35-39).

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Arizona has led the United States in Copper production for the past thirty-four years. Mining operations in the Philippines include chromite, iron, manganese, copper, gold and silver. The 500,000 gallons of gasoline lost by the American Army in the recent German offensive represented one per cent of total stocks of gasoline in the advanced area.

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Mrs. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
Phone 43

Dick Crosnoe and Miss Gladys Lewis Wed on January 7

The marriage of Miss Gladys Lewis to Dick Crosnoe took place on Sunday, January 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson in the Foard City community with Bro. N. Kibbie, pastor of the Church of Christ of Crowell performing the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and close friends.

After the wedding, a reception was held at the Johnson home for the wedding party and guests. A pretty three-tiered cake centered the dining table and was cut by the bride and groom. The cake was served with lemonade and punch to those present.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Dilford Howard, Mrs. Howard is a sister of the bride.

Attending the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crosnoe and daughter, Miss Evelyn Crosnoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll, Mrs. J. C. Rader, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Owens and baby son, Royce, A. W. Barber and members of the Johnson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosnoe left immediately following the marriage for a short trip and are making their home at the farm recently purchased by Mr. Crosnoe north of Crowell.

Mrs. Crosnoe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis of

Foard City and Mr. Crosnoe has resided in Foard County for a number of years and is well known here.

Cpl. Vance Swaim Weds Mrs. Goodwin of Paducah Monday

Cpl. Vance Swaim, who is here from Parris Island, N. C., and Mrs. Ruth Goodwin of Paducah were united in marriage in a quiet home ceremony in Paducah Monday, Jan. 22. Rev. O. J. Riley performed the marriage ceremony.

Cpl. Swaim has a fifteen day furlough and will then report back to Parris Island. Mrs. Swaim will join him there at an early date and they will reside there.

THIRD BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Mrs. J. H. Carter and Mrs. R. R. Jones entertained a number of little boys and girls at the home of Mrs. Carter on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 16, in honor of their granddaughter and daughter, Shirlene Jones, on her third birthday.

Upon their arrival, the guests were given merry-making caps to wear during the party. Many games were played, songs were sung and speeches recited. The pretty birthday cake was served with ice cream to the following: Shirlene, Mary Ann Myers, Judy Borchardt, Sharon Rashberry, Charley Mike Rashberry, Rondelle

Carter, Sue Bursey, Charlie Bell, Betty McKown, Francie Ann Womack, Charles Strickland, Carlisle Strickland, Ann Walden and Betty Bursey.

Each plate held a nursery rhyme puzzle as a favor. Shirlene received many nice birthday remembrances.

Party to Celebrate Two Birthdays

Mrs. L. S. Mason, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Virginia Cox, entertained with a lovely dinner party at her home in Vernon on Thursday evening, January 18.

The occasion was in celebration of the birthdays of her husband, Mr. Mason, and her sister, Mrs. E. H. Capps, of Thalia.

Those present were Mrs. M. L. Self and Roy Self of Thalia, Cpl. Duane Capps of Sheppard Field, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Capps of Thalia and Mrs. Fred Cox and sons, Ralph and Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. Mason.

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. E. Swaim had as guests in their home Sunday, all three of their children and their families. This is the first time the two brothers had seen each other for more than three years.

Cpl. Vance Swaim, who is stationed at Parris Island, N. C., Capt. Lebert Swaim from the General Hospital at Fort Sam Houston and his wife and children from Vernon, and Mrs. Wayland Griffith and two sons of Gainesville visited in the home of their parents for the day. Mrs. Griffith and sons are still here.

Named Treasurer County 'March of Dimes' Committee

The appointment of Mrs. L. E. Archer of Crowell as treasurer of the Foard County Committee for the March of Dimes and celebration of the President's birthday was announced by George Waverley Briggs, vice chairman of the Texas State Committee from state headquarters in Dallas, today. Miss Elizabeth Elliott was appointed vice director for women's work. The appointment of Miss Blanche Hays as director was previously announced.

The celebrations, Jan. 14 to 21, will mark the twelfth annual campaign to raise funds to fight infantile paralysis. Plans are under way now for special events to be staged in Foard County during the campaign period, simultaneously with celebrations in other counties throughout the state. Of the funds raised here, fifty per cent will remain in the county for direct assistance to local victims of infantile paralysis, and for preparedness against a possible epidemic here, while the other half will go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for national research toward eventual eradication of the dread disease.

Only about 50% of the stories purchased by motion picture companies ever go into production.

Movie Star Flier



Lieut. Bert DeWayne Morris, USNR, better known to movie fans as Wayne Morris, is shown in his flight following a series of missions in which he shot down seven Jap planes. He has been reported several times in dispatches from the Pacific.

Local Methodists Attend Church Meet in Quanah Monday

Attending a District meeting of the "Crusade for Christ" campaign of the Methodist Church which was held in Quanah Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry, Mesdames R. S. Watkins, R. R. Magee, W. L. Thurston, M. J. Girsch, J. W. Bruce and G. L. Cole.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. W. M. Pearce, District Superintendent of the Vernon district, and the main speakers for the meeting were Dr. H. I. Robinson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock, Rev. Dallen Hollings, pastor at Higgins and a returned chaplain from the South Pacific area, and Mrs. Grady Bingham of Odell, who presented the Women's work.

The emphasis in the meeting was laid on the evangelistic need of the world and in this particular phase of the work.

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The fishing season will not open until May 1, 1945.

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Sergeant Marvin C. Hans Jr. of Owensboro, Ky., demonstrates new snow cape being used by U. S. infantrymen battling Nazi winter offensive in Belgium. The one-piece cape, which ties in front, provides quick, easy camouflage for soldiers fighting on snow-covered ground. White rays around rifle give additional protection.

Crowell Wildcats Defeat Chillicothe Here Last Friday

The Crowell High School basketball team remained the only undefeated team in the western half of District 9-A when it defeated the Chillicothe Eagles 42 to 18 here last Friday night. Carlos McBeath, Joe Mason, and Howie Bell were about even in their scoring for Crowell with ten, eight, and eight points respectively. Tidmore scored five points for Chillicothe to lead their team in that department. The Wildcats dropped two games to class AA teams last week. The Vernon Lions defeated them by a 27 to 23 score at Vernon on Thursday night. Electra won by a 24 to 11 count at Vernon on Thursday night, and Electra won by a 26 to 11 count at the Wichita Falls invitation tournament on Saturday. The Cats threw a scare into the Vernon boys when Carlos McBeath got "hot" in the last quarter to run his evening score up to 12 points.

The Crowell boys take on another class AA team at Quanah tonight (Thursday) when they play the Quanah Indians. Crowell has two victories over that club already this season. The Wildcats will be at home for another conference game on Friday night when they meet the Munday Moogles. This will be their last home game in the western half round-robin play of District 9-A.

The Crowell girls will be trying for their second victory of the season in volleyball when they play the Munday lassies here Friday night. They dropped their game to the Chillicothe girls here last Friday night. However, they defeated Seymour the previous week.

Standing of western half district 9-A teams:

Team	Games Played	Games Won	Games Lost	Cent
Crowell	3	3	0	1.000
Chillicothe	3	2	1	.667
Seymour	3	1	2	.333
Munday	3	0	3	.000

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