

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

AND CROWELL INDEX

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## Annual Picnic and Celebration for Descendants of Henry Baker Held in Margaret Community Over Week-End

Relatives of Henry Baker and friends held their annual Labor Day reunion at the George Wesley park on Mule Creek over the past week-end. A large number of the boys of the relatives are in the service and overseas, but the un-daunted spirit of their pioneer parents returned. Those present for the reunion were: Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Hart and Mrs. Glendale; Mrs. James Bowers and daughter, Evalyn Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkinson and Patsy Quinn, of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grimm of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morris and daughters, Carolyn Lane and Gwendolyn; Oklahoma City; Mrs. Nena E. McGill and daughter, Dee McGill, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Garvey and daughter, Judy and Lynn, of Houston; Mrs. E. M. Pollock and daughter, Stephen Taylor, of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mildred Ross and Otis Ross and W. J. Ayers of Flomott; S. H. Taylor of El Reno, Okla.; Mrs. Walter Ross and daughter, Betty, of Stillwater, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Malone and children, Ross and Carole Lynn of Vago Park; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor and daughter, Mary Beth, of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney Sr. of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Moore and children, Bill and Jeanie, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mahoney Jr. and children.

## Crowell Wildcat High School Football Team Has Average Weight of 147 Lbs.; 30 Boys Report to Coach Wilkinson

Thirty boys have reported to Coach Harold Wilkinson for the Crowell High School football squad. Carlos McBeath, center; O. C. Wharton, guard; J. L. Brock, end; and Kendrick Joy, quarterback, are the four regulars whom Coach Wilkinson has back from last year's squad, around which will be built the team. Wharton will be shifted from the guard slot to the fullback position, while the other three boys will remain in their old positions.

### ROTARY CLUB

Grady Halbert, vice president, presided at the Wednesday meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club at the Deluxe Cafe, in the absence of the president, Verne Walden.

With Richard Ferguson as program chairman, Henry Ferguson gave a very interesting talk concerning his visit of two months in Colorado during the summer. This was followed by an instructive talk to the new members of the club by John Kasor.

Mrs. Woodrow Lemons acted as pianist in the absence of Mrs. Ella Barker.

Rotarian Howard Bartley of Quanah was a visitor. Pete Gobin, club secretary, attended for the first time as a new member.

## The Ladder of Fame



United Nations girls, all prize winners of war bond campaigns, see their work from a ladder atop the tower of their hotel. They visited Washington and New York, having a four-day trip for their meritorious services in war work and other tasks.

## IN SERVICE

Pfc. Alfred C. Matyssek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matyssek, of the northeast part of Foard County, wears the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star, the Silver Star and the Purple Heart with two clusters, in addition to the American and European ribbons, the latter with four battle stars. Matyssek was a combat engineer with the Eighth Infantry Engineers. He went ashore on D-Day in Normandy and took part in the sweep into Brittany. He was captured by the Germans and taken to Brest. However, he escaped and got back to American lines and finally, to his own outfit which then moved into Luxembourg, into thick fighting. He was injured there and crawled into the basement of an abandoned house. He was rescued by American Artillery men. For his part in the rescue of other wounded men he was awarded the Silver Star. Matyssek volunteered for his part in nearly every one of his experiences and said, when he returned from the ETO, that he was ready to volunteer to help down the Japs.

Pfc. Virginia F. Nunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Sanders of Crowell, received an honorable discharge at Fort Sam Houston Tuesday after serving 20 months with the Army Air Forces, according to a news release received by The Foard County News. Pfc. Nunn was stationed at the Oklahoma City Air Technical Service Command, Model Maintenance and Supply Depot of the A. A. F. before reporting to Fort Sam Houston. Prior to her service with the air forces, she was a sales clerk at San Antonio.

Paul Ford, S. 2-C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford of Crowell, is in a hospital in San Diego, Calif., according to letters received from him. Though not seriously ill, he is hospitalized for a rest period. His little daughter, June, lives here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hough.

Pfc. Alvin E. (Cotton) Barker received his discharge from the Army last week at Fort Sam Houston and returned to Crowell to make his home with his wife and small son, Bobbie. Pfc. Barker was in the service 3 years and was overseas for 21 months in the European theater of operations. Repairs on the home in the west part of town are now underway.

Pfc. George B. Cook of the U. S. Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook of Crowell, is an operator of an amphibian tractor with a unit of the Fifth Marine Amphibious Corps and is now in a rehabilitation area, according to the Public Relations Section of the Marine Corps. He graduated from Crowell High School in 1935. His wife and daughter, Lillian Catherine, live at Quanah.

Pfc. Alton Roark of the U. S. Marines, who recently returned from overseas duty in the South Pacific, is spending a 30-day leave to make his home with his wife and small son, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roark, of the Y Ranch. He returned home Monday from College station where he spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fleisher.

John Nichols, first class petty officer of the Seabees, arrived in Seattle, Wash., Tuesday of last week from the South Pacific, and spent the week-end here visiting his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols. He has gone to Galveston to receive his discharge and expects to be at home permanently the last of the week. Nichols served 28 months overseas in New Zealand, the Russell Islands and Guadalcanal.

Sgt. Elmer Gidney, who spent a 30-day furlough in the home of his mother, Mrs. E. F. Brewer, has returned to Fort Bliss, El Paso, for re-assignment. Mrs. Brewer accompanied him as far as Roswell, N. M., where she visited another son, John Gidney, and family. She returned home last Friday.

Charles Ferguson, Chief Ph. M., and Mrs. Ferguson, went to Dallas Wednesday where Chief Ferguson will report for re-assignment following a leave home.

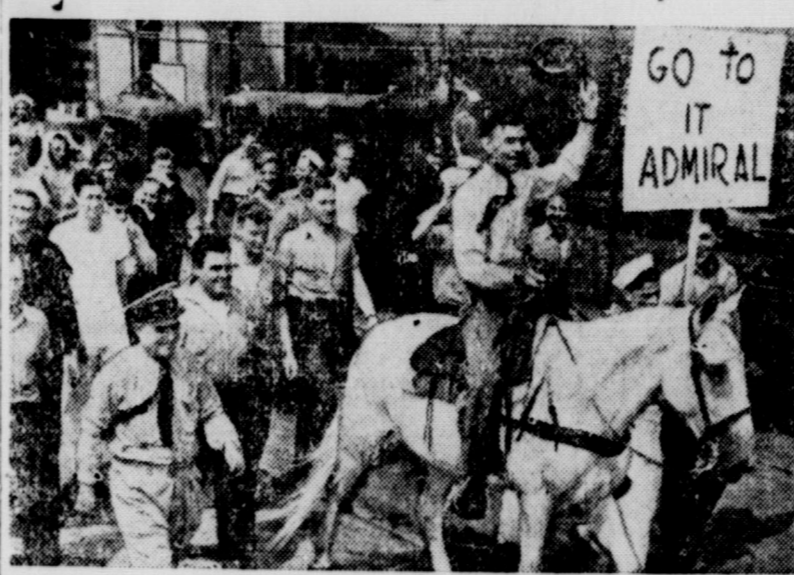
Major and Mrs. T. P. Reeder Jr. arrived here Sunday from Ft. Sam Houston to visit relatives.

Frances Hill, SK 2-C, of the WAVES, who is stationed at Norman, Okla., spent the week-end visiting in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill.

Capt. Crockett C. Fox Jr. called his wife Wednesday morning from Miami, Fla., to tell her that he would be in Dallas Thursday. Capt. Fox has been stationed on Trinidad Island for several months. He will have a 30-day leave at home. Mrs. Fox left this morning for Dallas to meet him.

Sparkling romantic comedy is achieved in "Those Endearing Young Charms," which stars Bobbie Young and Loraine Day, at the Rialto Sept. 12 and 13.

## Symbol of Complete Victory



Symbol of conquest over the Japanese, in the eyes of every navy man, is the dream picture of Admiral Halsey riding the emperor's white horse through the streets of Tokyo. Sailors at naval frontier base Tompkinsville, N. Y., react to Jap surrender news in fashion shown in photo, including a mounted white horse and parade.

## Information Given Regarding Buying Surplus War Goods

The News is in receipt of the following statement by Senator Geo. Moffett relating to the sale of surplus war goods, which may prove of considerable interest to many readers.

"Large quantities of war goods are rapidly being classed as surplus items. Quite a number of people ask me daily how these goods can be bought. I do not have any direct information but on a very recent trip to Dallas and Ft. Worth gathered the following which is believed to be reliable as of this date.

"Surplus government property has been divided into two general classes. First, consumer items ordinarily bought at a retail store. Second, non-consumer items, such as electric motors, machine tools, lathes, chemicals, scientific apparatus, etc.

"The government has decided to sell the consumer items through dealers engaged in a retail business. These will include retail outlets handling hardware, farm implements, automobiles, trucks, and tractors; clothing, blankets, cots, and various other items customarily sold at retail. A veteran may purchase these items if he plans to engage in business. He is limited to twenty-five hundred dollars worth. Two veterans may form a partnership and buy double this amount. If you are interested in these consumer items, write to the Department of Commerce, Neil P. Anderson Building, Fort Worth, Texas, or call upon them in person.

"For non-consumer items write to or call upon the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Cotton Exchange Building, Dallas, Texas.

"Cities, counties, colleges, schools and hospitals have a certain priority which should be beneficial if used promptly. Anyone can ask to be placed on the mailing list for bulletins describing the property which will be sold. But the best way is to go, or send someone to personally arrange the purchase.

"Farmers have a certain priority which is established through their local Triple A Committee. There is considerable red tape involved in purchasing surplus government merchandise. However, the regulations can and may be changed whenever the Surplus Property Board in Washington sees fit."

## Annual Meeting Held for C. N. F. L. Ass'n.

The Annual Stockholders' meeting of the Crowell National Farm Loan Association was held Sept. 1, 1945. The following borrowers were elected directors for a period of three years: H. E. Davis and E. H. Crossnoe. The following officers were elected: H. E. Davis, president; Ike Everson, vice president; J. C. Thompson, secretary-treasurer; Deulah Bowley, assistant secretary-treasurer.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital  
Patients In:  
Mrs. Clyde Owens  
Mrs. Abb Jones  
Mrs. Frank Mahe  
Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick

Patients Dismissed:  
D. N. Bird  
Mrs. J. A. Marr  
Miss Lena Reed  
Wesley Wayne Cunnings  
Green Sikes  
Tommy Marks  
Mrs. Marcelliana Goana (Mex.)

Visiting Hours: 10:00 to 11:30 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.; 7 to 9 p. m.

The chief cereal food of western man is wheat.

## Two Girls Drown in Lake Kemp Friday Night When Boat Capsizes; One Victim Was Edith Joy Moore of Thalia

Miss Ida Mae Hudgens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudgens of Vernon and Edith Joy Moore, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore of Thalia and niece of Miss Hudgens, were drowned at Lake Kemp about 9 o'clock Friday night when the boat in which they and others were riding capsized. The fatal accident occurred near the north bank of the lake where the members of the families were having an outing.

When the boat capsized, all who were in it knew how to swim with the exception of the younger girl and it is presumed that Miss Hudgens attempted to save her niece when she lost her own life. The body of the Moore girl was found Friday evening but the body of Miss Hudgens was not found until Saturday morning at an early hour.

Double funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Vernon Monday afternoon with Elder Garner, minister of the Quanah Church of Christ and Rev. Richard Hudson, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made side by side in the Vernon cemetery, under the direction of the Henderson Funeral Home.

Pall bearers for Miss Hudgens were Orville Ray, E. C. Ward, Dewey Cook, Louis Webb, Joe Johnson and Travis McKinley. Pall bearers for Edith Jo Moore were Carlos McBeath, Eddie Abston, Wayne Short, Bobbie Cooper, Ray Gamble and Dalton Ralback.

Edith Jo is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore of Thalia; one brother, Jesse Moore; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudgens of Vernon and Mrs. M. E. Moore of Thalia. She is also survived by a number of uncles, aunts and cousins.

Miss Hudgens is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudgens of Vernon; three sisters, Mrs. Jim Moore of Thalia, Mrs. S. B. Farrar of Rayland and Mrs. Loyd Robertson of Vernon; eight brothers, Bill of Berger, Hines of Farmers Valley, R. E. of Vernon, Ralph of California in the Army, Pfc. J. T. in the South Pacific, Sgt. Kenneth, also in the South Pacific, Pfc. Joe in France, and Pvt. Ray Hudgens, also in France.

Miss Hudgens was born in Thalia on April 15, 1922, and moved to Vernon with her family about four years ago. She had recently been employed by the Southwestern Telephone Co. Edith Jo Moore was born in Vernon on May 5, 1938, but had lived in Thalia practically all her life.

## First Individually Owned Plane Belongs to R. N. Barker

The first individually owned airplane for Foard County is now possessed and piloted by R. N. Barker, farmer and implement dealer of Crowell. Mr. Barker recently bought a P. T. 19 Fairchild, 175 h. p. Trainer from the Government and the plane is now being kept at the Municipal Airport in Vernon.

However, Mr. Barker has leveled off a runway on his farm one-half mile east of town, near the Godwin camp ground, and in the near future expects to erect a hangar, and when this work is finished he will keep his plane here. Mr. Barker has been flying for several years and at one time before owned an interest in a partnership plane.

Revival Meeting To Begin Sept. 16 at Methodist Church

A series of revival services will be begun at the Crowell Methodist Church on Sunday, September 16, according to Rev. R. S. Watkins, pastor of the local church. Rev. H. C. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Big Spring, will do the preaching for the campaign and the singing will be under the direction of Rev. W. M. Culwell of Moran.

Rev. Smith is considered to be one of the most successful pastor evangelists in the Northwest Texas Conference while Rev. Culwell has been in the evangelistic song work for about sixteen years. He has traveled with Conference Evangelists Rev. Joan Neal and Rev. Frank Neal and General Evangelist Hogg. Rev. Watkins feels that the church is very fortunate in getting the services of these men for the meeting.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend and to take part in the meeting. Those of all denominations are urgently invited as the church feels the need of all help and hopes to be of great good to all who attend the meeting. Those of no denomination are also urged to attend.

## Charlie Reynolds Makes Fine Corn on Three-Acre Patch

Charlie Reynolds of the Claytonville community, brought some fine ears of corn to the News of Friday that he had raised on a 3-acre patch on his farm. The ears measured 8 and 9 inches long and had a fine grain, although this has been an exceptionally dry year in that part of the county.

As far as President Harry S. Truman is concerned, the war is over and the tasks of peace now have his priority. The gun that was on his desk has been replaced with a model of a plow.

Tin is scarce in the United States.

Highbred No. 12 and the tassels do work for hot weather. Mr. Reynolds gathered a truck load from the three acres and has enough to fatten four hogs.

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## Heads West Point



Major Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, former commander of the 101st Airborne Division, has been selected as superintendent of the U. S. military academy at West Point. He flew from Washington to be with his men when they were reported out of behind German lines.

Items from Neighboring Communities

TRUSCOTT

Mrs. Lowell Wolford of Houston is visiting in the home of her father, Dr. J. E. Stover. Gave Chilcoat spent part of last week in Foard City with her sister, Mrs. H. R. McLain. Miss Earlyne Gilliam of Frederick and Floyd Kiessler of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hamm and Judy. Mrs. Pearl Hester of Crockett is visiting her brother, W. L. Casey, and other relatives. Bob Haynie and Dutch Young went to Stamford last Friday and were accompanied home Saturday night by Wm. R. Haynie, who is working there. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Guyann and Misses June and Rachel were in Vernon Wednesday last week. Mesdames Eddie Ratliff and Wyndel Fannin left for San Angelo Monday. Mrs. Bernard Bishop and daughter, Carmen Dee, of Quanah are visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Mary Cullum of Dallas left Monday after several days' visit with her father, Joe S. Bell, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll and daughter, Janice, and Lester Patton of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner and Wayne and Winnie Sue Turner, returned Sunday from several days' visit in West Texas and New Mexico. They visited Carlsbad Cavern during the time they were away. A. C. Casey and daughters, Nancy Ruth and Billie Jeanne, of Denison visited in the home of his brother, W. L. Casey, Sunday. Mrs. J. E. Stover visited her mother and other relatives in Amarillo during the week-end. Miss Martha Arp of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday in the W. H. Haynie home. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowning and daughters, Mrs. Billy English and Miss Lynette of Ackerly visited relatives here en route home from Denton where they attended the graduation exercises. Mrs. English received her degree at that time. Mrs. Gene Whitaker of Stamford is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynie, on account of the illness of her aunt, Mrs. Ina Faulkner. Mrs. R. R. McLain and son, Jonnie, Mrs. Myrtle Jones and Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat and daughters, Dorothy and Gaye, were in Vernon Wednesday of last week. Rev. and Mrs. J. W. English, W. L. Casey and others attended a Workers' Conference at Red Springs Thursday. Mrs. Wilma Chowning and son, Carroll, of Crowell are visiting relatives here. School opened Monday morning in the annex at the Methodist Church with Miss Lelah Jones, Mrs. Curtis Casey and Mrs. Ivie Brummett as teachers. Mrs. Long of Mankins is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Chowning, and family. The people of the town and surrounding country of Truscott are very proud of its city, and especially are they glad they have an up-to-date and modern drug store. Clyde Myers, who has recently acquired this business, is carrying a stock that would do credit to a much larger place. This business is owned and operated by Clyde Myers and his capable and efficient assistant, Miss Irene Myers. A Roping Club has been recently organized here and practically the entire community are stockholders. The first roping contest was held last Sunday, and there will be one each week. Any of you good ropers who think you can win a prize is invited to come and take part, and if you can't rope, you are welcome as visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Todd of Oklahoma City, Okla., are here visiting their son, Elmo Todd, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills of Ft. Worth were visiting in Truscott Sunday. Derril Hord and family have returned from a visit with her relatives in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley were visiting in San Angelo over the week-end. Jack Hickman and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Hickman's father in Albany. Frederic Auguste Bartholdi, French Sculptor of Alsace, was commissioned by the French to make the Statue of Liberty.

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MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mrs. J. S. Owens and grandson, Jimmie Joe, and Mrs. Valera Owens were Vernon visitors Friday. James Ross from A. & M. College at Stillwater, Okla., visited his cousin, Edwina Ross this week. Miss Ross will enroll at Hardin-Simmons College at Abilene on September 18. Mrs. C. T. Murphy went to Frederick, Okla., Friday after Miss Leota Murphy, who spent Labor Day here. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Tex Allen of Graham spent the week-end with the families of Curtis Bradford and Oph Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Neal and children of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Mrs. C. F. Haseloff, Mrs. Jack Roden and Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jolly of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Powers and daughter, Gelene, of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts and children, Sue, Ruth Ann and Linda Jean, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Thurlo, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Sunday. They also attended the Wesley Taylor reunion. Mrs. J. C. Roberts, who had been visiting here, returned home with them. Mrs. Ray Smith and children, Ray Jr. and Gaylene, of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith Thursday. T-5 Robert Choate left Saturday night for New Orleans after spending twenty days with Mrs. Choate and daughter, Laurel Janette. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith visited his sister, Mrs. C. E. McAdams in Farmers Valley one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hunter and family and Bud Godwin of Albany visited their father, Bill Godwin, Monday. Mrs. Bob Taylor and Mrs. Les Chatman spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Curtis Bradford, and brother, Oph Allen, and families. Green Sikes was brought home from the Crowell hospital Sunday. Miss Ruby Smith and Mrs. Tom Smith spent several days in Vernon this week. Sgt. Harry Black and wife of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison, over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith, Bobby Ruth, Helen and Verna Mae Smith, visited their cousin, Bunk Hunt, and family in Vernon Thursday. Kenneth Payne left Saturday for San Diego, Calif., after spending an eight-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne, and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Tabor and Sonny Barnett attended the carnival in Crowell Friday night. Laverne Owens has returned home after visiting her uncle, Carl Ingie, and family of Quanah. L. L. Prather of Erick, Okla., spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Claud Lamond, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spotts of Pecos and Mrs. Louise Spotts of Sundown visited her father, J. L. Hunter, and family Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. T. Ballard and daughter, Rose Ann, of Monahans visited Mrs. Lee Echols and son, Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Tamplin Thursday. Mrs. Erlene Moore of Vernon visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Sunday. G. M. Owens of Lubbock visited in the Will Tamplin home this week. Miss Frances Ann Ayers left this week for Fort Worth to enter T. W. C. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maddray of Wichita Falls visited in the Curtis Bradford home Sunday. Mrs. Robert Choate and Mrs. Pearl Sheppard were Crowell visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Flowers went to Sulphur Springs, Okla., Friday. Mrs. Mary McGinnis, who had spent several weeks there, returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Kenner, over the week-end. Mrs. Jimmie Hembree returned from Dallas Sunday where she was called because of illness of her daughter, Winona Hembree. Joyce Ann Middlebrook of Vernon returned home Friday after spending a week with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dalton and son, Jimmy, of the Merchant Marines, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison over the week-end. Daniel DePoe, author of Robinson Crusoe, was trained for the ministry. There are 200 to 250 islands in the Fiji Islands group.

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Mrs. Ruby Smith and family of Elbert visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Temple, here last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Taylor of Denton visited Ben Hogan and family here last week. Mrs. Lucy Day and daughter of Reton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones, here this week. Mrs. M. E. Moore visited relatives in Spur last week. Truett Neill and family and John T. Neill and family and Alex Neill of Monrovia, Calif., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Neill, and other relatives here this week. W. F. Hlavaty and daughter, Marie, visited his mother in Houston last week. Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford are visiting in Colorado. Oneal Johnson and family and Woodrow Johnson visited relatives in Amarillo last week-end. Truett Neill and family and Minnie Wood visited Frank Wood and family in Vernon Friday night and Saturday. Travis McKinley and family visited in Lubbock last week. Bill Long and family of Post visited relatives here last week-end. Coyt Webb of Vernon visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Webb, here last week. Ed Railsback and son, Wilburn, visited relatives in Brady a few days this week. Miss Lilyan McKeever of Tulsa, Okla., visited her sister, Mrs. M. Woodson, and husband here last week. Pvt. Wilburn Railsback of

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- 1. What is the name of the Japanese emperor?
2. What is the present capital of China?
3. What is the name given an individual who criminally burns houses and buildings of others?
4. What is a rickshaw?
5. Who is the author of the new book "Immortal Wife"?
6. What is the primary material used in the new atomic bomb?
7. What is meant when we say a musician sings his swan song?
8. Who is the president of the American Federation of Labor?
9. Where is Eiffel tower located?
10. What screen and radio character is known as "the beard"?

(Answers on page 3).

SANTA FE CHANGES

Changes in the operating department affecting the Slaton and New Mexico divisions were announced today by G. C. Jefferis, general manager, Amarillo. Effective Sept. 1, W. H. Jones becomes acting superintendent of the Slaton division with headquarters at Slaton, and J. N. Landreth returns from that position to that of trainmaster at the New Mexico division with headquarters at Las Vegas. J. H. Rapier, acting as train-

er, in Houston. G. A. Shultz and family of Vernon visited friends here Monday evening. Charlie Hathaway is visiting relatives in Gainesville this week.

master in the absence of Landreth will return to Amarillo where he will be assigned other duties.

BAPTIST RADIO HOUR

Dr. Harold W. Tribble, outstanding Bible teacher, assembly speaker and radio preacher will be heard in six radio talks on the Book of Philippians over WFAA of Dallas, 7:30 to 8:00 o'clock Sunday morning closing with the end of September, as announced by the Radio Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, S. F. Lowe, Director, Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Tribble is Professor, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky. The music in these programs is by the Baptist Hour Choir.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

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By GRAHAM HUNTER

GLADIOLA FLOUR FANTY MILLING COMPANY SHERMAN, TEXAS

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Items from Neighboring Communities

RAYLAND (Norma Jeanne Beazley) Chillicothe visited Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Philley and family here last week. Mrs. Wayne Price and children of Richardson are here visiting

Mrs. Martha Price and Mrs. Bonnie Frisbie. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Forester and son, of Forestburg, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Justice and son of Memphis, and Mrs. R. E. Poynor of Bowie visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Poynor recently. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haynes and children visited on the Plains recently.

Pfc. L. V. Parkhill Jr. of Seattle, Wash., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Parkhill Sr.

Carl Lawson and Travis Davis were business visitors in Frederick, Okla., last week. Pvt. Elbert Mann has reported back to Camp Bowie after spending a leave here with his mother, Mrs. A. K. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewellen and H. B. Thurman have returned from a visit in Snyder with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston and Mo M M 2-C and Mrs. Charles Pierce visited Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Roberson and family in Ropesville recently.

Mrs. Lottie Raley and children and Mrs. Effie Jordan and Mrs. Minnie Clark visited in Brownfield last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jordan and family. Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Philley and family visited in Chillicothe, Wednesday.

Miss Loretta Tuggle has returned to Dallas after visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tuggle.

Mr. and Mrs. Idress Phillips and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Opperman and daughter, Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Thompson made last week trip to the Brazos River.

Garland Mansel of Quanah visited Harrold and Carol Edwards over the week-end. Mrs. Lottie Haley and children and Mrs. Effie Jordan have returned to Poteet after visiting here with relatives.

RIVERSIDE (By Mrs. Cap Adkins)

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wheeler, who have been visiting their son, Wayne Wheeler, and family have gone to Knox City for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tacker and son, Jim Tacker, and wife of East Vernon spent Sunday afternoon in the H. H. Hopkins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and son, Ward, have returned from a visit with his mother in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald King of Childress spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Alton Farrar, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Camp of Houston are visiting her brother, Sam Kuehn, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and family and Mary Ray Ayers attended the wedding of Mrs. Rummel's niece, Miss Mildred Schoppa, to Ben Micken of Vernon Sunday night.

Douglas Adkins, who has been spending the past two months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins, left Wednesday for Rot Springs, Ark., for re-assignment.

Mrs. J. W. Hopkins and daughter of Paducah spent Friday in the Ben Bradford home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grant and sons of Hollister, Okla., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Barnes and family, T. C. Pope and children, Francis and Kenneth, have returned from a visit with relatives at Thackerville, Okla.

J. W. Hopkins, who is working in Louisiana, came for a visit with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford. They are visiting his parents in Paducah now.

Cpl. Bobbie Huntley and wife and small daughter, Gail, of Wichita Falls and Cleburne, and Bob Huntley and wife of Vernon visited in the Cap Adkins home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Matus and sons visited her brother, Robert Mott, and family of Bomarton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reithmayer of Taylor and A. Horn and family of McAllen spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Cato and sons of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Butler and sons of Chillicothe spent Sunday in the R. G. Whitten home. Mr. and Mrs. Cato are moving to Vernon to make their home.

Mrs. Wilson of Tyler has returned to her home after a visit with her son, Morris Wilson, and family.

I. H. Vice and family have moved from the Whitten farm to Frederick, Okla.

Walter Hysinger and family of Chillicothe, Albert Lowke and family of Five-in-One, Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughters, Bonnie and Emma, of Vernon visited in the Herman Gloyna home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. John Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Skelton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carey of Vernon are visiting in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Nole Swan spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Richards of Vernon.

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskew are visiting relatives in Wyoming. Craig Sandlin, who is stationed at Shoemaker, Calif., with the U. S. Navy, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin.

Cpl. Cecil Davidson left Friday for a furlough with his father, day for San Antonio, after spending time with his family.

Miss Geniele Nelson has accepted a position in the Spencer Insurance office in Crowell.

Miss Bessie Fish left Monday for Valley View, where she is teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christian of Crowell last

Thursday afternoon. Miss Berdell Nelson left Friday for teaching in the Alamo Grade day for Paducah where she is School.

Miss Bernita Fish left Sunday for Five-in-One where she is teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish and daughter, Winnie D., of Paducah spent Sunday with their son and brother, Benny Fish, and family.

Mrs. Tom Sivells of Ogden visited in the home of her father, A. T. Fish, and daughters last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Fish has resumed her position in the County Agent's office in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennis Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sivells of Ogden visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling Saturday night.

FOARD CITY (Mrs. Luther Marlow)

Mrs. Dwight Adams and Mrs. Glen Shook made a business trip to Lawton, Okla., Wednesday. They returned home Wednesday night. They were accompanied by Miss Dorothy Erwin of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, visited Mr. and Mrs. Midre Adecock of Truscott Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Martin of Clarendon spent last week with Mrs. M. J. Traweck and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Traweck.

A large crowd attended the Sunday School social and shower honoring Rev. and Mrs. George Smith at the school house Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Audry Johnson and family of Abernathy visited relatives in this community from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Scifers and daughter, LaVerne, and son, Sam, of Gilliland, attended the Sunday School social and shower honoring Rev. and Mrs. George Smith at the school house Friday night.

Mrs. John Story of Fort Worth spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. G. G. Mills and son, Marcus.

Mrs. Luther Marlok spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning and family and attended the auction sale at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reithmayer Tuesday afternoon.

J. L. Farrar went to Royce City Tuesday. He returned home Wednesday accompanied by his father, C. E. Farrar, who is visiting in their home.

Virgil Johnson, Roy Ferguson, Sty Barker, Joe Rader and Grady Halbert made a business trip to Tipton, Okla., Tuesday. They returned home the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Esca Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills of Fort Worth came Saturday for a visit with Mrs. G. G. Mills and son, Marcus, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, visited Mrs. Clyde Owens in the hospital at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marlow accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Weathers of Crowell, to Vernon Monday afternoon where they attended the double funeral of Ida Mae Hudsons of Vernon and Edith Joy Moore of Thalia, who were drowned in Lake Kemp Friday night.

C. E. Farrar and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar visited Mr. and Mrs.

Your Horoscope

September 3, 4.—You are accurate in design and detail, and take pride in doing everything well. You are able to adapt yourself to any change in your home or business and can be content wherever circumstances places you. You are loyal to your employer, looking out for his interests as well as your own.

September 5, 6, 7.—In disposition you are a strange mixture of happiness and sadness. You have a keen sense of justice, are determined, positive and firm. People have confidence in your judgment and fairness and often come to you to settle their disputes. You are conservative and a stickler for old forms and customs.

September 8, 9.—You may be quite certain your acquaintances will never doubt your integrity and honesty. You have a keen and discriminating mind, intuitive and search of knowledge and information. There is very little that happens around you that does not come to your attention.

Ireland has the most intensive cultivation of potatoes of any country in the world. Most of its people subsist largely on the crop.

Idaho and Maine vie for the honor of producing the largest and finest potatoes in the United States.

Roy Fox of Gilliland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton and son, Don, of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar Tuesday afternoon.

Home Town Thoughts

It is noted that the personal appearance of some folks is better than the way they keep their home places. The home place should look as well as the people who live there.

The "go ahead" town is not satisfied to trail along toward the rear of the procession. It wants to keep up with the leaders.

The people have a way of forgetting many things, but they do not forget the advertised store.

ANSWERS

- (Questions on page 2). 1. Hirohito. 2. Chinking. 3. Arsonist. 4. A two wheeled cart used in the Orient drawn by a man. 5. Irving Stone. 6. Uranium. 7. It means that he is playing his final or farewell concert. 8. William Green. 9. Paris. 10. Monty Wooley.

ALWAYS SURE

"What's the first thing you do when you clean your rifle?" asked the corporal. "Well, sir, first I look at the number, to be sure I'm not cleaning someone else's."

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SYRUP Crone's Sorghum Gallon . . . . . 39c

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PORK and BEANS Phillips 2 cans 19c

PEAS Wisconsin Early June No. 2 2 cans . . . . . 25c

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Whoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law; for sin is the transgression of the law.—First John 3:4.

The atomic bomb is easily the greatest wonder of the age but equally as remarkable as the bomb is the fact that during the several years employed in its production and the fact that 65,000 persons were employed in the making of it not a single word of it appeared in any American newspaper, or was heard over any American radio. The vital secret was perfectly kept.

HISTORY

Frances E. Willard Birthday—September 28: The birthday of Frances E. Willard is observed each year on September 28 by the Women's Christian Temperance Union as a Children's Harvest Home and Young Crusader Day. It observes the anniversary of her death on February 17 as a Memorial Day. A statue of Miss Willard was placed in the Hall of Fame at Washington by the state of Illinois in 1923. A tablet in her honor was unveiled in 1929 in the Capital of Indiana and her home in Evanston, Ill., is preserved in her memory. Shortly after the death of Miss Willard on April 14, 1898, the Legislature of Kansas passed a law directing that every public school of the state at least one-fourth of the school day on every September 28 should be devoted to exercises in the memory of Miss Willard. Her birthday is also observed in the schools of Delaware.

In 1904 Japan pushed Russia around and took from her Manchuria and Port Arthur, robbing her of her only warm water port. Russia has come a long way since then. She stopped the great German war machine and found herself militarily. No one will ever push Russia around again. She has emerged from her helpless state of 1904, and is now one of the greatest military forces in the world.

We rejoice because peace has come. What must be the feeling of the Chinese who have fought for nine years against impossible odds and but for our intervention faced destruction, devastation and a life of slavery.

What We Think (By Frank Dinca)

Easily the biggest problem before the country and the world today is the surrender of Japan. By the surrender of Japan I do not mean the formal agreement to surrender but the complete taking over and the complete subjugation of the Japanese nation, the removal of the Japs from China and other occupied lands, and the restoration to the rightful owners of the territory that has been stolen from them by the Japs.

There is a large number of people who incline to the belief that we should not have temporized with Japan and should not have accepted anything but unconditional surrender. They may be right and it is also possible that the course followed by the Allies was the best course under all the circumstances. Only time can give the full answer to this question.

In an effort to understand the situation let us look at a few of the commonly known facts.

Military authorities agree that an invasion of Japan would have cost the lives of a million American soldiers. This is based on the assumption that had the Jap request to retain their emperor been denied they would have chosen to make a death stand and to commit national suicide by way of the allied armies and the atomic bombers.

The other consideration is that by permitting the emperor to remain as a figurehead, allied armies can secure a foothold in Japan without loss of life and be in a position to carry out their wishes in spite of the desire of the emperor, the military party and the Japanese people.

The decision to surrender found the Japanese authorities in a peculiar position. Ever since the beginning of the war they have broadcast that this was a holy war and had withheld from the Japanese people any news of defeat or reverses. The decision to surrender found them faced with the necessity of bringing the true situation to their people and of convincing them that the only hope lay in surrender. It should be clear that this situation is one which would place the leadership of any country in a difficult position. No matter how sincere they might be in their desire, the task of changing the thinking and attitude of a people scattered over wide areas of the Pacific is most difficult.

I believe that the surrender plan adopted is going to work out if—and the whole secret of the whole success will depend upon this—if it is properly handled.

By being properly handled I mean that our forces must occupy the Jap territory and must carry out the same stern unrelenting policy that they have toward Germany. They must remove from Japan all industry that might aid in building the country back to a war power. They must remove from power for once and all the military party which is shrewd enough to capitalize on the silly system of emperor worship to the point where it uses the emperor at will to further its unholy ambitions. They must set up in Japan a new form of government of a more democratic type that will get the people away from the silly, heathenish system of emperor worship with all its silly trimmings.

The terms of surrender or the manner of surrender is not important. What is important is what we will do once we have possessed Japan. Therein lies the secret of future peace.

Desire For Revenge

One of the motives of many Germans in starting the war was said to be the desire for revenge, to make up for the defeat which they had suffered in 1918. That defeat rankled in their minds, and was called an important force in inducing the German people to fight again.

A great number of people in both Germany and Japan may be again actuated by a similar emotion. Germany has suffered in 1918. Terrible destruction has been visited upon its cities, while in the previous war these cities were scarcely touched. A great many Germans have a bitter feeling of hatred for our country and the rest of our allies. If they thought conditions were favorable, they might join a movement to start a new war and obtain revenge.

Similarly many of the Japanese people are likely to nurse thoughts of revenge. They have seen terrific destruction visited on their cities. The atomic bomb has created terrible devastation and loss. Many of those Japs may cherish deep hatred and a desire to hit back.

Some of the scientists in these lands may try in quiet and seclusion to study out for themselves the atomic bomb secret. They may be able to find it. It will take strong control over these people, perhaps for many years, to prevent the planning of measures of revenge, and to deprive these nations of the means by which this revenge could be obtained.

The American forces will treat these defeated enemies generously, so long as they show no sign of an attempt to revive their war-making power. The enemy governments have filled their people with a false notion of what the Allies would do to them if these countries were defeated. The Allies will give these people a fair chance to live and prosper, if they give up forever the desire for revenge and military domination.

Returning Servicemen

What will be the attitude and condition of the servicemen as they are discharged from the army and return to civilian life? Have some of them suffered such severe nervous strain as to affect their relations with their families and associates?

Observers who have come closely in contact with these men express the belief that most of them are going to return to their homes and families just about the same as when they left home. Except of course, that their minds and intelligence are going to be enlarged and broadened by their service. They have seen a great deal of life, they have had new experiences, and have learned to

End to Lend-Lease

The end of the lend-lease plan which has been ordered by President Truman, will finish a program which has distributed \$39,000,000,000 worth of war goods and civilian necessities to the countries fighting the Axis.

If some people think this is an excessive amount, they can consider that this aid given to our Allies greatly shortened the war. It saved a vast number of casualties which our forces would have suffered if this aid had not been given.

The ability of Britain and Russia to fight Germany was enormously increased by the war supplies which our country sent them under this program. Those two countries could not have fought as they did, if they had not had this equipment and these supplies. Russia was in a very desperate position when the Germans got close to Moscow. The planes and trucks and the rest of the equipment flowing in from the United States helped them weather the storm, and was a powerful factor in helping them drive the Germans to Berlin.

Did you ever stop to think that Japan as a nation has contributed nothing to civilization and mankind? There has never come out of Japan a great scientific discovery, a great art, a great musical composition or song. Japan has been an imitator, a copyist, never a discoverer or an originator.

adjust themselves to all sorts of people and to difficult situations. Their families are going to be proud of them.

They are going to be better qualified for the tasks of business and industry or professional service. They have learned to do new things, and their minds and hands will be better qualified for the tasks of peace.

Some of those who have been exposed to specially tragic experiences or have suffered severe wounds, may still suffer from the strain of these ghastly features of war and battle. Time and healing measures should cure them. They can be sure that the country has the warmest affection and admiration for them. Those who have suffered some permanent and crippling injury will find doors of opportunity opening to them.

The joy of the men on returning home and taking up the tasks of civilian life will be great. They will feel thankful for the chance to do peaceful and useful work. Their enthusiasm will make them specially useful workers. The country welcomes them back with great happiness, and it will do its utmost to find useful employment for them.

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Home Town Criticism

They say "It's a poor bird that fouls its own nest." So one should not detract from the home town nest in which he dwells, by excessive and carping criticism. All communities, of course, have faults, and if a critic makes a sincere effort to remedy some fault, and is willing to do some work to remove it, he usually accomplishes progress. Many towns have people who indulge in aimless knocking, and that accomplishes nothing.

someone starts a progressive movement, and they laugh at it, and say it can't possibly attain success. Their criticism discourages people from starting or cooperating with such a movement. Saying good things about the home town encourages people to make it still better.

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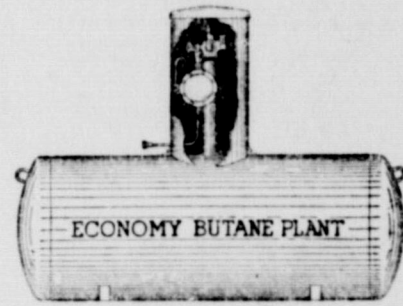
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Mrs. C. L. Wittlif and baby ...

Miss Doris Jean Roberts of ...

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Milton Hall returned home last ...

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Mrs. Pearl Carter returned ...

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Andrews and ...

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We have our Christmas toys ...

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Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cato and ...

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chesser and ...

Mrs. Bert Ekern and small son ...

Bobby Cooper, student at Tex-

W. A. Daniel, who is making ...

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Stephens ...

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaton left ...

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bomar, who ...

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra and ...

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love re-

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Our hearts are filled with thanks and gratitude to the friends who came to us with words and deeds of sympathy and help at the time of the double tragedy in our homes. Such ministrations are very much appreciated and will ever be remembered and cherished. While our hearts are grieved so bitterly, such friendship is a great comfort. May God bless each one who helped in any way. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and Jesse. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hudgens and Family.

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### OUR LOSS -- YOUR GAIN

1—One-Piece Blue Silk Tapestry Studio Couch, Good Grade of Upholstering, Well Padded but no springs	\$73.00	\$36.50
1—Two-Piece Kroehler Living Room Suite, Excellent Grade of Beige Tapestry Upholstering, Form Fitting Construction; No Springs, very comfortable	110.95	52.00
1—Two-Piece Kroehler Living Room Suite, Heavy Grade of Wine Velour. Same construction as one above	119.50	59.50
2—Two-Piece Living Room Suites, One Wine Tapestry; One light rose Tapestry, Soft Cushions, no springs	112.62	37.50
3—Low Back Rockers, Web Seat, No Springs; Colors—Wine, Blue, Green	8.58	5.75
2—Maple Bedroom Chairs	10.94	6.98
1—Pull-Up Occasional Chair, Wine Tapestry, Web Seat	11.75	7.85
1—High-Back Rocker, Web Seat	11.50	7.75
2—Wine, Large Comfortable Platform Rockers, Springs on Rockers	38.70	24.95

We want to move this furniture, and if you want it, come get it at once. We will be glad to show it to you and let you see for yourself how it is constructed and explain why we have reduced it this much.

## W.R. Womack

HARDWARE HOUSEWARE  
FARM & ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sollis have moved to their farm east of Crowell from Vernon where they operated a hotel.

Milton Hall returned home last week from a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Hollis Reagan, and husband, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Charles Dickerson, who has been in Denver, Colo., with her husband, who is stationed there, has returned to Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper of the Vivian community went to Dallas Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Lula Bowley returned home from the Wichita Falls Clinic, Sunday, where she underwent an operation on August 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patton and son, Dan, returned home last week from Orange where they had been living for the past two years.

Mrs. Pearl Carter returned Monday afternoon from Dalhart where she visited in the home of her son, J. T. Carter, and family.

J. E. Gouge has accepted a position in the repair department of F. W. Mabe's Shoe Shop. He assumed his duties Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Andrews and son, Jack Franklin, of White-wright were here last week visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lankford and small daughter, Barbara Dale, moved to Crowell from Quannah last Friday.

We have our Christmas toys, dolls, etc., out now on display. Come and pick what you want, and buy on the lay-away plan.—W. R. Womack.

Glen Dockins returned home last Thursday from Long Beach, Calif., where he had been employed in Craig's Shipyards since the first of the year.

Miss Margaret Claire Shirley spent the week-end at home. She returned to Austin Sunday to resume her duties as a student in the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cato and Mrs. C. W. Snyder of Vernon and Mrs. O. H. Cole of Wichita Falls, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chesser and children of Whitewright spent last week here visiting Mrs. Chesser's brother, R. E. Love, and family of the Foard City community.

Mrs. Bert Ekern and small son, Paul Baxter, and Mrs. Thomas Johnson, who have been spending the summer months at Raton, N. M., have returned home.

Bobby Cooper, student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, is spending this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper. He will return for the fall semester.

W. A. Daniel, who is making his home with his sister, Mrs. E. A. Fox, suffered a stroke Wednesday morning. He was reported to be resting very well Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Stephens and daughter, Claudette, of Mobile, Ala., are visiting in the home of Mrs. Stephens' parents, Rep. and Mrs. Claude Callaway. Mr. Stephens has recently received a discharge from the service, having been a Chief Petty Officer in the Coast Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaton left Saturday for Gunnison, Colo., to spend their vacation on the ranch of I. J. Thornton near Gunnison. They were accompanied as far as Pampa by their daughter, Miss Babs Eaton, who spent the summer here and who will teach in the Pampa schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bomar, who have been visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Long and family, left Sunday. Mr. Bomar went to Sour Lake and Mrs. Bomar went to Marfa where Mr. Bomar will join her later. Their son, Mance Bomar, and family reside at Marfa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Fuller and little son, Ed, of Sherman, spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. Fuller's parents, Rep. and Mrs. Claude Callaway. Another son, Joe, has spent the summer months with his grandparents. Mr. Fuller has returned home but Mrs. Fuller and baby remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra and Miss Maymie Lee Teague made a trip to Lometa last week to visit Mr. Kamstra's son, Martin Kamstra, and family, who have moved to Texas City where he will be minister of the Church of Christ. Mr. and Mrs. Kamstra and Miss Teague also stopped at Sweetwater to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Larue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Love returned home last week from a visit with two of Mrs. Love's sisters in Supulpa, Okla. They visited in the home of Mrs. Annie Drake in Supulpa and another sister of Mrs. Love, Mrs. Virgie Taylor, of Berryville, Ark., whom Mrs. Love had not seen in 44 years, was also a visitor in the home. They had not seen Mrs. Drake in 28 years.

# STEAK GRAIN FED BEEF

YOUNG and TENDER **35c**  
Round, Loin or T-Bone

# ROAST

Chuck Pound . . . . . **27<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c**

# FLOUR Gold Medal

25 Pounds . . . . . \$1.09  
50 Pounds . . . . . \$2.15

# VEGETABLES

VISIT OUR VEGETABLE COUNTER AND FIND A COMPLETE LINE OF KRISPY COLD VEGETABLES

# PINTO BEANS

5 pounds . . . . . **39c**

<b>TOMATOES</b>	<b>WATER MELONS</b>	<b>CABBAGE</b>
FRESH No. 1	ICE COLD	Fresh Green
Pound	Pound	Colorado
<b>15c</b>	<b>2c</b>	<b>3c</b>

# COFFEE Magnolia

3 pound Jar **\$1.09**

# EGGS WE TOP THE MARKET

Cash or Trade

<b>HONEY</b>	<b>Blackberries</b>	<b>MILK</b>
Gallon Bucket	Gallon	Daricraft
<b>\$2.19</b>	<b>\$1.25</b>	Large Can
		<b>9c</b>

# OLIVES pt. jar 49c | VINEGAR bulk, gal 25c

# PUTNAM DYE All Colors 2 15c packages 25c

# CRACKERS 2-lb. Box Sunshine 29c

# Baking Powder, Clabber Girl, One Pound Can 12c

# GROWING MASH Kimbells \$3.85

# EGG MASH Kimbells 100 Lbs. \$3.29

# Brooks Food Market

Zinc is a metallic ore usually found with lead.

### Food, Home Notes

(By Miss Elizabeth Elliott, County Home Demonstration Agent.)

#### Readying For Fall Vegetables

The happy change from war to peace does not relieve Texas families from growing a fall garden this year. There's still need for all of the food we can grow and will be for some time.

Although there need be no rush about working up the soil of the fall garden while the weather remains hot gardeners should give a little time now in the early mornings and late afternoons to removing weeds and vegetation from the surface of the garden plot. Don't attempt to turn this vegetation under because there isn't enough moisture in the soil to decay it. Put this material in the compost pile for use next spring.

From there the gardener may go on to turning up the soil as rain and temperature permits. But if the weather remains dry, flood the garden plot with a hose and after it has dried sufficiently the earth will break up into fine particles after spading or plowing. Barnyard fertilizer is the best plant food because it tends to increase the water holding capacity of the soil. Scatter it over the surface before plowing or spading. Where barnyard fertilizer isn't available, commercial fertilizer may be used successfully as plant food. About seven to ten days before planting vegetables apply three to four pounds of a 5-10-5 mixture for each one hundred feet of row space. Mix it thoroughly with the soil by opening the furrow with a hoe, putting down the fertilizer and chopping it in.

Tender green mustard, leaf lettuce, green beans, Swiss chard, beets and onions from sets, and white potatoes are the vegetables which should be planted in late August and early September. Even if it remains hot during October and early November these heat-tolerant vegetables will hold their own. On the other hand spinach, carrots and fall English peas should not be planted until the cool season definitely has arrived.

#### Limited Quantities of DDT For Civilians

Although more DDT, the new insecticide, will be made available

**Alka-Seltzer**  
 HAVE you tried Alka-Seltzer for Gas on Stomach, Sour Stomach, Morning After and Cold Distress? If not, why not? Pleasant, prompt in action, effective. Thirty cents and Sixty cents.

**NERVINE**  
 FOR relief from Functional Nerve Disturbances such as Sleeplessness, Crankiness, Excitability, Nervous Headache and Nervous Indigestion. Tablets 35c and 75c. Large 25c and \$1.00. CAUTION—Take only as directed.

**ANTIPAIN PILLS**  
 A SINGLE Dr. Miles Antipain Pill often relieves Headache, Muscular Pains or Functional Monthly Pain—25 for 25c 125 for \$1.00. Get them at your drug store. CAUTION—Take only as directed.

### INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT

Railway passenger cars are now being built with a second deck. The roof of the car is made of transparent plastic permitting the passengers an unobstructed view of the scenery.

St. Paul, Minn., has passed an ordinance making it illegal to leave the key in a parked car. In 1944 three-fourths of the 284 autos stolen in St. Paul had been parked with the ignition key in them.

False teeth made of plastic, it is predicted, will replace porcelain teeth. Their drawbacks are that they wear off after a few years, don't cut as well as porcelain and are no good for chewing gum.

Following are four substitutes of equal nutritive quality to one-fourth pound of meat: (1) two eggs, (2) a half cup of cottage cheese and a half cup of green leafy vegetable, (3) two cups of milk and one cup of cooked whole cereal, (4) one-fourth pound of codfish and a cup of milk.

A honey bee has been known to fly as much as three miles to each flower from which to gather honey.

One hundred and twenty-five thousand workers were employed in the manufacture of the atomic bomb.

The explosive force of the atomic bomb equaled that of 20,000 tons of TNT, 2,000 times more than the mightiest bomb ever made.

A total of 3,585,189 passenger automobiles have disappeared from U. S. highways between July 1, 1941, and July 1, 1944, a registration survey discloses.

Cancer is said to kill more people in this country than anything else except heart failure—and anything else includes war.

The goal of the American Red Cross in the present nationwide drive is \$200,000,000.

The Cologne Cathedral at Cologne, Germany, the largest Gothic church in all northern Europe and one of the most brilliant examples of Gothic architecture in the world is 489 feet long and 235 feet wide. Its towers are 515 feet high.

### Retires After 45 Years with Santa Fe

Amarillo, Sept. 1.—After a successful career of 45 years in the railway business, C. A. Casler, auditor of the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway, with headquarters in Amarillo, retired today to enjoy a merited leisure. He is being succeeded by R. D. Ewers, formerly chief clerk to the auditor at Topeka.

In announcing Casler's voluntary retirement, F. G. Gurley, president of the Santa Fe at Chicago, warmly praised the retiring official for "many years of loyal, faithful and efficient service."

"Mr. Casler carries with him the best wishes of all of his fellow officers and employees," President Gurley said.

The commendation by President Gurley was emphasized by G. C. Jefferies, General Manager of the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway and the Western Lines. He said:

"Mr. Casler has performed an outstanding job for the railway and through his efforts the patrons, likewise have been served. We will miss his friendly activity and helpfulness. He performed the functions of his office with great credit and enjoyed splendid contacts with the public. With other officers of the Company I wish to extend him sincere wishes for many years of happiness."

Cellophane was invented by Dr. J. E. Brandenberger, a Swiss chemist.

Goat skins are used to make kid gloves.

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Thoughts of serious moments.

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### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Keep Bacon Cold.—Keep bacon cold before using. If it has stood in a hot room it will not become crisp fried or broiled.

Molasses Instead of Sugar.—Molasses in place of sugar in cakes and desserts give a new flavor and supplies minerals that the refined sugar has lost.

Graham Cracker Pudding.—For a quickly made and delicious pudding use graham crackers instead of bread. Make just as one does bread pudding and add a few dates. Serve with or without whipped cream.

### SAFETY SLOGANS

Well-kept working places pay bigger dividends than well-kept hospitals and cemeteries.

The habit of safety is just as easy as the habit of carelessness.

Make common colds uncommon. Don't rush—it is better to kill a little time than people.

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In addition to these larger centers, there are 23 other steel-making plants which use electric or open-hearth processes to produce steel from pig-iron and scrap. In all, there are 137 steel furnaces in Canada, including 50 open-hearth units, 23 electric units and 3 converters.

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## SEED WHEAT

**Lot 1**  
 494 bushels, purebred Black Hull.  
 Price \$3.00 per bushel. All sold.

This last week we sent the trucks to Kansas and bought 494 bushels of purebred Black Hull seed wheat. The breeder of this wheat has been working on a new variety for the past three years, and this is the first raised by him. It was bred for short, strong straw, selected only the best heads, and is the very finest that can be grown in Black Hull wheat. For sale next year.

**Lot 3**  
 Foard County Black Hull. 8990 bushels.  
 Price \$1.75 per bushel. 7290 already sold. Every load of this wheat was moisture tested dry, and shoveled by hand in our granaries. None run through the elevator during the harvest. Every bushel has been run through our cleaning machine, through our separator or oat machine. The State Department of Agriculture analysis as follows:

Germination	92
Purity	97
Other Crop	none
Weeds	none
Nox. seeds	none

**Lot 2**  
 Purebred Black Hull. 4995 bushels.  
 Price \$2.00 per bushel. All sold. Last year we bought in Kansas 400 bushels of purebred Black Hull wheat from the originator of the Black Hull seed in this part of the country. It was sowed on lands this past year, that has not had anything on it but Black Hull for several years. The State Department of Agriculture analysis as follows:

Germination	94
Purity	99
Other Crop	none
Weeds	none
Nox. seeds	none

**Lot 4**  
 10,000 bushels. Price \$1.65 per bushel. None sold. This is regular run elevator wheat just as it came to us from the combines. This wheat has been run over our cleaner, through our separator or oat machine. No analysis made on this wheat.

**Lot 5**  
 All you want. Price \$1.60 per bushel. None sold. Just the regular elevator run wheat as it came to us from the combines in June. Not cleaned and not run over our separating or oat machine.

We have done our best to have some good Seed Wheat for you. Just what nature will do with it after you sow it we can not tell you. So we are selling this wheat with the distinct understanding that when the wheat leaves the elevator the RISK IS ALL YOURS.

# Self Grain Co.

Phones: L. D. 14, Night 128. CROWELL, TEXAS

(Above) Out of a hot sulphuric acid bath comes this steaming coil of "spaghetti." The 40 separate coils shown will be made into drills and punching instruments.

(At right) A circular saw cuts through an 8-inch thick steel rod.

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Classified Ad Section

An Ad in This Section Will Get Results—Minimum 15c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Seed wheat and seed oats.—J. Y. Welch. 6-tfc

FOR SALE—Turkey Red seed oats.—Roy Todd. 9-2tp

FOR SALE—Three-room house to be moved.—John Rader. 9-tfc

FOR SALE—Seed wheat, Black Hull. Phone 210.—J. A. Bell. 9-1tc

FOR SALE—30-runner, 81-inch Superior drill, \$75.00.—S. S. Bell. 9-1tc

FOR SALE—168 Superior wheat drill, fair condition. See at Leon Callaway's, Crowell, Texas.—Ed M. Cates. 9-1tc

CORN FOR SALE.—\$1.00 per bushel.—G. W. Scales, Thalia. 9-4tp

FOR SALE—Medium size Gul-bransen piano.—Mrs. Ura Orr. 9-2tc

FOR SALE—About 75 White Leghorn fryers.—Mrs. Homer Ketchersid. 9-1tc

FOR SALE—Cream separator in A1 condition. Can be seen at Moyer Produce.—L. Kamstra. 7-2tp

MR. and MRS. T. F. HUGHSTON are invited to be guests of the Rialto Theatre management to see "Those Endearing Young Charms" on Wednesday or Thursday night, Sept. 12 or 13. Call for tickets at window.

FOR SALE—Good gas range and good kitchen cabinet, \$25.00 each.—Mrs. E. A. Dunagan. 4-tfc

FOR SALE—160 acres, 110 in cultivation, located in the Vivian community. Fair improvements and good water.—R. N. Beatty Jr. 6-4tp

FOR SALE—My home, five blocks west of Court House and 1/2 block south of Highway.—Mrs. G. L. Burk. 9-1tc

FOR SALE—McCormick-Deering single-row power binder, good condition. Also set of 6 volt storage batteries, and Royal Blue cream separator, large size.—A. T. McWilliams, 7 miles north of Crowell. 8-2tp

FOR SALE—Medium size Perfection distillate heater. Also wood stove with warming oven, 3-burner Perfection cook stove, breakfast table and three chairs. All in good shape.—Mrs. Jimmie Franklin. 8-2tp

FOR SALE OR RENT—Section of wheat land, 5-room stucco house, 7,000-bushel storage, land plowed, good season, ready to sow. 20 miles north, 7 west of Hereford; 7 miles west, 10 south Vega. Tools for sale. Price, \$30.00 acre, half cash.—J. D. Love, Rt. 4, Hereford, Texas. 8-2tc

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FOR SALE—5-room house, bath and hall, tub and shower, new automatic water heater, all modern, Dugout, chicken house, fenced in chicken yard, small barn, 2 lots on pavement, northeast part of town.—W. T. Gorrell, telephone 168J. 8-2tc

O. R. O.

Yes, sir! It will rid your chickens and turkeys of blue bugs, lice and stick tight fleas. Also worms in stock and poultry. Highly recommended for sore head. Your money back if not satisfied. For sale, Johnson Produce & Feed. 8-5tp

Salesmen Wanted

BE INDEPENDENT. Sell Rawleigh Products. Good nearby route open. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXI-175-D, Memphis, Tenn. 9-1tp

Wanted

WANTED—Will pay cash for a good 3- or 4-room frame house to move.—G. D. Self. 9-2tc

WANTED—To rent house, 3 rooms or more.—Dan Erisco. 9-3tp

ROOFING

Roofs of all kinds installed by skilled roofers. Rock Wool insulation—makes house cooler in summer. Free estimates, reasonable prices. Phone 470. PIONEER ROOFING CO., 1220 Main St., Vernon, Texas

Shoddy is a woolen material made of reclaimed cloth.

Crowell Rebekah Lodge No. 388

Meets Second and Last Fridays at 8 p. m. at I. O. F. Hall. MRS. S. E. TATE, Noble Grand. MARGARET CURTIS, Secretary.

Thalia Lodge No. 666

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING Saturday Night, September 15. Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome. MORGAN PRICE, W. M. MARLIN WOODSON, Secretary.

Up Stairs in Rock Building.

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

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

Sept. 17, 8 p. m. 2nd Men. each month. Members urged to attend, visitors welcome. J. L. BELL, W. M. D. R. MAGEE, Sec.

No Trespassing

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

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

Found

FOUND—Truck tire.—See Earl Davis. 9-1tc

Notice

I WANT YOUR WASHING—Experienced, price reasonable. Report name and day to Mrs. Collins at New Way Laundry and tell her you want me.—Mrs. Charlie Durham. 9-1tp

I AM STILL terracing for Government money. Will appreciate your patronage.—Howard Dunn. 4-tfc

NOTICE—I will continue to buy your livestock. See me if you have any to sell.—Jim Cook. 41-tfc

Astro Science Farming

Increase Crop Yield 40 to 60%. No Fertilizer. Perennial Weeds Extirminated. No Chemicals. Send stamp for particulars and Texas testimonials. Guaranteed. J. M. BAXLEY, Astro Plant Grower 711—13th St., Modesto, Calif. 6-5tp

CITATION

The State of Texas, County of Foard. To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of David M. Shultz Sr., and Alice C. Shultz, both deceased, late of Foard County, Texas, by the Honorable Leslie Thomas, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1945, hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law at their residence, Route 2, Crowell, Foard County, Texas, where they receive their mail, this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1945.

DAVID M. SHULTZ, JR. GEORGE ALLEN SHULTZ, Administrators of the Estate of David M. Shultz, Sr. and Alice C. Shultz, both deceased. 9-4tc

BUILDING

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CHURCHES

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Methodist Church. Church School, 9:45 a. m. Church Service, 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday at 4 p. m. R. S. WATKINS, Pastor.

Rayland Baptist Church. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 9 o'clock. B. T. U. at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening and preaching service at 9 o'clock. Everybody is welcome to attend these services. D. R. PHILLEY, Pastor.

Foard City Church. Sunday School every Sunday. Preaching every first and third Sunday by Rev. George Smith, Baptist pastor. Preaching every fourth Sunday by Rev. D. A. Ross, Methodist pastor. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services each Sunday.

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 in the month. A most cordial welcome is extended to all. Delightful Christian fellowship. J. W. ENGLISH, Pastor.

Thalia Church of Christ. The local minister did the preaching in the meeting at Chillicothe the past two weeks with R. H. Beasley of Vernon conducting the song service. Oliver preached for the local church during our absence. We wish to announce that we will be with the local congregation at Thalia, Tuesday, Sept. 9, and urge all members of the church to be present for both services. Bible study, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Class study, 8:30 p. m. Preaching, 9 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. W. D. STARR, Minister.

Christian Church. Bible School at 10 a. m. Lord's Supper and Preaching, 11 a. m. Evening Worship, 8:30 o'clock. Lord's Day morning, our subject will be, "Reformation or Restoration?"

The present religious world is rather a perplexing problem to the great mass of humanity. They are saying, "We do not know whom to believe." Let us reason together and perhaps we can arrive at an understandable and unifying conclusion. Two cannot walk together unless they are agreed, says the Prophet of God. While it is true that we can never be agreed on the opinions, theories and philosophies formulated on the Word of God (these have no power to save nor do they damn any soul), it is equally evident and true that we can be agreed and united on the doctrine of Christ. Hence nothing but testimony, oral or written, is a subject, or an object of faith or belief. Therefore, to reap salvation through the faith is to believe Christ and not theories, speculations, etc. All systems of theology hold to and are sustained by the peculiarities of their systems. To most systems there are vital points. These points are essential to their survival. But to the true and real Christianity there are but three transcendental spiritual powers. These are, Faith, Hope and Love. Faith has testimony, Hope has promise, and Love has beauty for its object. Through these three, and these three alone, does God fulfill the obligation of His divine philanthropy. These three will lead to perfect and complete Unity. This should be the sincere desire of every child of God. Nothing is more desirable, more earnestly pleaded for at the throne of Grace than the unity of the people of God, by us. "I pray that they may be one of us, that the world may believe that thou hast sent me," prayed our saviour, John 17:21. But perfect unity is accomplished by perfect knowledge. Perfect knowledge of God, His Son, the Holy Spirit, the work and means of redemption, sanctification and glorification. These will be our discussion for Lord's Day evening. Grant L. Slagle, Minister.

Weekly Sermon

By the Rev. Harold L. Lundquist, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

Spiritual Worship

The first and second commandments bid us worship God, exclusively and spiritually (Exod. 20:2-4). Israel had lived among a people known for idolatry, and were about to go where there were many false gods. The Lord was careful to forbid the worship of other gods, the making of images, whether they represented the gods of heathendom or were attempts to symbolize the true God.

Men are forbidden to make any material likeness which to them represents a being to be worshipped. It matters not whether it be man's idea of God, or the image of an angel, or a heavenly body; it is not to be "anything that is in the heaven above" or in the earth, or under the water. If such objects have been made we may not bow down to them, nor render service to them.

It comes as a shock that people so highly privileged, ably led as Israel, turned to idolatry. The story in Exodus 32:1-8 reveals the depravity of the human heart. Let us be careful lest we mislead ourselves into creating a God after the concept of our own hearts and minds. It may not be out of place to warn against the folly of almost defying our Christian leaders. A man who is called to speak for God is highly privileged. But remember, he is only a servant, and let us never be guilty of worshipping and serving "the creature more than the Creator" (Rom. 1:25).

"God is a Spirit, and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth" (John 4:24). Even today many people believe that worship has something to do with place (vv. 20, 21) or race (v. 22) or some other external device or formula. What a pity, when the gracious and delightful way to worship is through personal, spiritual communion between God and man.

PLAN TO CAN THE PLANNERS

If the regulators who have had control of production and selling of such necessities as sugar, meat, milk products, clothing and commodities used by the average American family, are responsible for the shortages we are now experiencing, it is time the American people were given the facts, and let the chips fall where they may. The planners of our sugar supply started their "control" experiments in the thirties, and the net result is economic dislocations and serious shortages of this basic product in every family and industry. In spite of such a record under a planned economy, it has been proposed to bring all basic foods under world-wide centralized control.

Lawrence Sullivan, writing in the Nation's Business, asks the question: "Does world planning by committees and chartists produce adequate supplies, or do free markets call forth a more dependable abundance?" Under the planned sugar program of 1934, American beet sugar production was restricted and our needs allocated to various areas, including Cuba, Hawaii, the Philippines, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and scattered sources. After the Japs struck at Pearl Harbor, we lost enormous sugar production in the

Two Minute Sermons

(By Thomas Hastwell) Keeping the Weeds and the Insects out of Life: I visited for a time with a farmer friend of mine the other day. As I followed him about his duties I remarked that there was more work than many people realized in operating a farm. "If hard work was all there was to it," he said, "it would be a pleasure to operate a farm. The greatest difficulty is combating the elements; the rain, the wind, the drought, the cold, the diseases among livestock and the insects. The work, however hard it is, is the easiest part of operating a farm he said. Every head of livestock has to be watched and protected against disease. The seed, from the time it is put into the ground is the prey of insects of all types and kinds. Sometimes it is a race between the insects and the farmer. It seems to me that farming is a process of constantly overcoming problems and difficulties." I thought as he talked how like life. At no time can we say, "Well, I am all right, I have taken care of this and I have taken care of that and everything is all right." Living a good life is like operating a good farm. It requires constant vigilance to keep out the evil things that corrupt and destroy, and to nurture the good things that grace and beautify it.

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Philippines, Hawaii, and the Caribbean areas. But despite these losses, the planned restrictions on United States beet production were continued in full force and were not eased until time for planting the 1945 beet sugar crop. Had acreage limitations been lifted when losses began, more United States sugar would have come to market by October, 1942. If we want things to eat and wear, and buy and sell, in the United States, it is time we demanded a free peacetime economy under which individuals can carry on without the permission of professional planners. Otherwise, we may be eating rations in another five years. Like government ownership, a compulsory planned economy in peace will destroy a free America.—Industrial News Review.

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REMEMINDERS

Meats, Fats. Last Date For Use. Stamps Q2 thru U2, Aug. 31. Stamps V2 thru Z2, Sept. 30. Stamps A1 thru E1, Oct. 31. Stamps F1 thru K1, Nov. 30.

Sugar Stamps. Aug. 31. Stamp becomes valid Sept. 1.

Shoes. Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4. Shoes three continue valid indefinitely.

WPB Lifts Controls On Consumer Products

A series of sweeping moves facilitate the reconversion of industry and speed the flow of a variety of peacetime products to the hands of consumers, still avoiding price inflation, depletion of scarce supplies, or buyers' scramble, the War Production Board has dropped 210 individual controls over industry. J. A. Krug, WPB Chairman, says, "The number of controls on the number of refrigerators and trucks that could be manufactured for use were removed. Regulations on a long list of other goods were lifted and the materials freed for consumer goods. Metals are metal furniture, domestic stoves and laundry equipment, electric fans, motorcycles, batteries, photographic equipment, silk and cotton-goods, as well as a large number of other products."

Teen Agers Urged To Go To School

Teen age boys and girls who had wartime or summer jobs urged to go back to school by officials of the Department of Agriculture. L. Wilson, Director of Extension Work, says: "In preparation for the world of tomorrow, boy or girl can afford to sacrifice educational opportunities at the completion of his or her school education offers. World War II has proved that it is relatively easy to acquire practical training for a specific job. But the greatest happiness, and the most intelligent and the most as a citizen in a free society, every boy and girl should consider the completion of high school education as the minimum educational goal."

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NEW Citation Stamps Valid September 1

More red stamps in War Book Four will be good for purchase of rationed meats, fish and dairy products on Monday, September 1, OPA announced. The new stamps are R1, N1, P1, and Q1. They being validated for the usual months' period—in this instance, September 1 through December 31. Near stamp 38 in War Ration Book Four will be good for purchase of rationed meats, fish and dairy products on Monday, September 1, OPA announced. The new stamps are R1, N1, P1, and Q1. They being validated for the usual months' period—in this instance, September 1 through December 31.

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## Former Residents Observe Wedding Anniversaries

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Mayhew, former residents of Crowell at which time Rev. Mayhew was pastor of the Methodist Church here, will observe the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home at 1201 S. 53rd St. in Temple on Wednesday, September 12, with a reception, according to invitations received here. Rev. and Mrs. Mayhew were here in about 1923 or '24, and will be remembered by many.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haney, also former residents of Crowell, observed their fifty-third anniversary last Friday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. T. F. Morton, in Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Haney also live in Waco. They resided in Crowell about thirty-five years ago, when he was engaged in the banking business.

One pound of uranium 235 would equal in energy five million pounds of coal and three million pounds of gasoline.

## Breakfast Honored Mrs. M. O'Connell

Mrs. A. G. Margee was hostess at a delightful bridge breakfast last Thursday morning at 9:30, complimenting Mrs. M. O'Connell who has recently returned to Crowell to reside after several months' absence.

A breakfast of V-8 cocktail, waffles, bacon and coffee was served prior to the bridge games. A guest gift was presented to Mrs. O'Connell and Mrs. T. N. Bell received the high score prize.

Those playing were Mrs. O'Connell, Mrs. R. R. Lanier, Mrs. Alton Bell, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Mrs. C. R. Ferguson, Mrs. Doyle Kenner, Mrs. Leo Spencer and Mrs. T. N. Bell.

The first army jeeps sold to farmers were priced at \$1,090 plus tax. Extras include drawbar for pulling farm machinery, \$6.91; hook for use when jeep is used for a power plant for hoisting, \$4.01; power take off to convert jeep into a stationary engine, \$90.67; pulley and pulley drive for pulling stumps, \$56.28.

## School Children Need to Be in Good Physical Condition

Austin. — Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges the parents of all children who will respond to the school bell for the first time in September to be sure the child is physically ready for school duties.

"First and foremost is the need for vaccination against smallpox. Parents should see that children are vaccinated before they are one year of age. However, if not done previously, at school age vaccination becomes absolutely necessary," Dr. Cox said. "If your child has not been vaccinated, have it done immediately for his own protection and that of others."

Immunization against diphtheria is also highly important, Dr. Cox declares. This disease which causes serious illness and deaths among young children can be prevented with toxoid. The child who has never been protected should be given this safeguard against a dreaded killing disease. Even though he may have been immunized as a baby, doctors and health officers usually recommend an additional dose of toxoid to strengthen immunity before entrance into school.

"In addition, before you send your child to school you are urged to take him to your family physician and dentist for a thorough examination," Dr. Cox adds. "You will want to know that he is in good physical condition and can compete with the other children on equal terms. If the check-up reveals any weakness or defects they should be corrected at once. Don't let your child start his school life with any avoidable handicap."

## Small War Plants to Manufacture Civilian Goods

The Smaller War Plants Corporation in the transition period to follow the peace has a deeper responsibility than ever before to supply long-term capital at low rates of interest to small business for the production of essential civilian goods, Russell Smith, SWPC District Manager, said today.

"During the war the list of 'essential civilian goods' was highly limited to a few necessities, but the definition steadily is being liberalized by the SWPC Board of Directors to take in new types of processors and manufacturers," Smith said. "The liberal interpretation of the lending powers of SWPC now permit direct loans for the production of almost all types of articles with the exception of items with a strictly luxury cost."

"Essentiality" will be construed as liberally as possible in all instances when loans are requested for the manufacture of final

## COMPLAINTS GET PUBLICITY

It's about time the American people recognized a few of the facts of life in connection with their railroads. We have become so used to headline news that we ignore outstanding accomplishments that are not morbidly sensational. No better example of this can be found than in the transportation situation today.

When the railroads are doing the greatest hauling job in the history of the world, occasional inconvenience to our soldiers or civilian travelers, becomes headline news. But an accomplishment like moving 20,000 rations from Camp Kilmer, N. J., in one day and night, with every man in a Pullman who was making more than a 12-hour trip, is not mentioned. In other words, complaints are news—a job well done is taken for granted.

As a nation, we should be proud of the fact that two-thirds of all the sleeping cars of all types are available for use in special troop trains; that in July, approximately 1,150,000 members of the armed forces were transported, and that this number is expected to reach 1,500,000 a month, shortly. What country can match us in such an accomplishment and with as comfortable equipment as is the rule rather than the exception in the United States?

In one month recently, 95,630 cars of fresh fruits and vegetables were loaded and moved; and in 30 weeks of 1945, 1,500,000 cars of grain and grain products were sent to their destinations—all time records. Think of the magnitude of these figures in comparison with the few instances of inconvenience that are bound to occur in such mass transportation movements over such vast distances.

Redeployment is a big, human-interest story. It is tremendous. It represents the greatest movement of human beings in this or any other age. But one overcrowded train, out of hundreds of "perfect service" trips, gets the publicity. — Industrial News Review.

The National Dairy Association reports that it has been unable to discover any instance in which butter has been used for soap making or any other purpose than food. The Association reports that it has investigated to the final conclusion every rumor of such use of butter. The Department of Agriculture reports that several shipments of butter unfit for use because of improper manufacture and impure materials have been rejected for food.

The atomic bomb project cost two billion dollars. Treasury experts figure that if the bomb shortened the war nine days it will have paid for itself.

processing of items, Smith continued.

The need to maintain high employment levels throughout the nation is having a direct reflection on SWPC lending policies, and one of the strong determining factors in loans made by SWPC will be the number of jobs to be made available by the small plant applying for the loan. "In the reconversion period SWPC will exert the lending powers granted it by Congress to aid thousands of small companies in shifting back into normal peacetime production and in assisting new businesses to get started in order that small business as a whole may maintain its competitive position in the free economy of America, and that the economic stability of the nation may be safeguarded," Smith said.

The termination of the war is shortening the powers of many wartime government agencies, but the Smaller War Plants Corporation is charged in the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act with specific responsibilities to help little business during the transition period from war to peace, and accordingly during this transition period will continue as it always has to make loans for the production of essential civilian items.

In the months immediately ahead the Corporation can make long-term loans to buy buildings and building sites, improve buildings and convert buildings to peacetime manufacture. It can also make loans for working capital where the working capital of a plant has been depleted. The SWPC Board of Directors also have recently liberalized the Corporation's policy on loans for the purchase of machinery and equipment, making it possible to borrow 100 per cent of the purchase price, provided sufficient collateral is pledged.

Bank participation in all of these loans is encouraged, and the percentage of bank participation in the Southwest Region of SWPC is steadily increasing.

According to the journal of the American Dental Association a new drill known as the "airabrasive" has been perfected. By means of the new drill the most difficult type of drilling can be accomplished without discomfort to the patient. A thin stream of aluminum oxide, on abrasive dust, is directed against the tooth with a fine stream of compressed air. No pressure is exerted against the tooth and there is no heat or sensation of grinding. The only sound is the hissing of escaping air. Report on the new device was made to the Journal by Dr. Robert S. Black, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Cancer is said to kill more people in this country than anything else except heart failure—and anything else includes war. Information now released reveals that if the present rate of death from this cause continues 17,000,000 Americans now living will die of cancer. Eric Johnston, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, plans to start a nation wide drive in the spring to raise a fund of five million dollars to fight cancer.

According to experts Japan had on hand at the time of her surrender 8,000 military planes. Army men believe they were being hoarded for the final showdown which was to come if an invasion of the home island had been attempted.

Evidence that industry is willing to do its bit in the full employment program following the war is shown by figures from the U. S. Commerce Department showing that 7,000 manufacturers plan a \$9,200,000,000 plant expansion in the next 12 months.

Following his request that Congressman Alvan O'Konski find him a wife, Arthur Birstengal, a Wisconsin farmer received 1,400 letters from 47 states and Canada from women applying for the honor.

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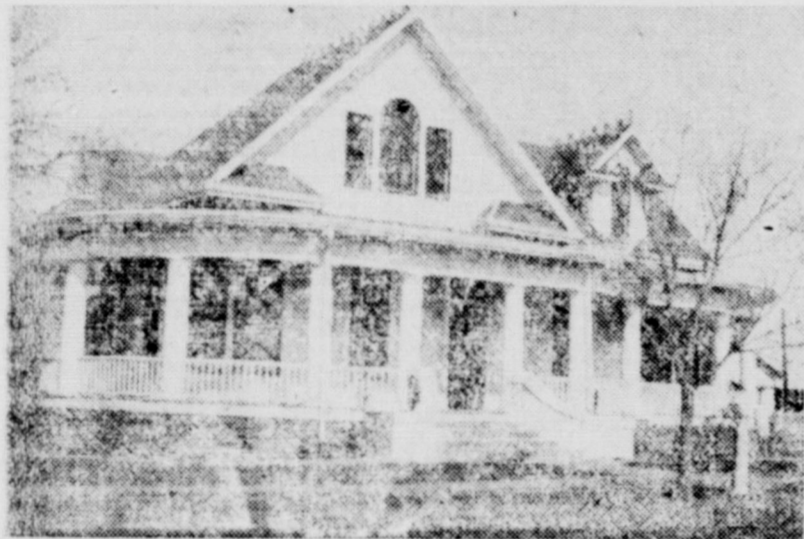
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