

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1948

EIGHT PAGES

Tuesday Will Poppy Day for Nation

Tuesday, May 29th, will be Poppy Day in Crowell and throughout the nation. From early morning until nightfall, volunteer workers of the American Legion Auxiliary will be on the streets offering memorial poppies to be worn in honor of the dead of the two world wars.

Exchange for the flowers will receive contributions for the collection work among the disabled veterans and for child work among children of the war.

Poppies which are replicas of wild poppies which grew in European battlefields of the two wars, have been made by disabled veterans working in convalescent work throughout the country.

Day activities in Crowell will be directed by Mrs. Clyde Poppy, chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary. A large corps of volunteer workers has been organized to distribute the poppies in downtown and neighborhood centers. The poppies to be distributed here were made by the Waco hospital.

H. S. Students in National Spelling Contest

The annual National Spelling Contest which was recently conducted over the nation, five high school students from Crowell ranked first among the contestants.

The contest was held at the Waco hospital. The students who participated were: Doris Rummel, first; Betty Brock, second; Ramon Williams, third; and two other members of the class. The contest was held at the Waco hospital.

Senior Resident at School Honors

Lawrence Kimsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Newland, of Crowell, was honored at the Carrollton School last week with high honors, being valedictorian of his class.

His average for the two-year attendance was 94.4.

Member of Commerce Manager Employed

Crane of Grand Prairie was employed by the board of directors as secretary-manager of the Foard County Chamber of Commerce.

It was announced that Herbert Brown, president, and Martha Sparkman and infant son (Col) will assume his duties June 1.



DOGGED BIRD...Rusty, a Seattle, Wash., cocker spaniel, leads a dog's life with Kilroy the pigeon around. The bird likes to perch and walk on the dog's back and flap his wings in Rusty's face, keeping him awake when he'd rather be asleep.

Over 300 Attend Encampment 4-H Clubs May 19th

Lunch was furnished for the encampment of the 4-H Club boys and girls of Foard County at 12:30 on Wednesday, May 19, at the Spring Lake Country Club by the Foard County Chamber of Commerce.

There were 300 4-H Club boys and girls present and 75 adult leaders.

The adult leaders were in charge of the boys and girls and their program for the entire day and are to be commended on the excellent job they did.

The program included group singing, running games, baseball, swimming, lunch, crafts for the girls, and other competitive games.

The lunch consisted of barbecued weiners, ranch style beans, bread, pickles, onions and iced tea.

Two farmers promised three sheep to be barbecued for the 1949 encampment.

The 4-H Club boys and girls, their parents, the home demonstration and the county agent would like to express their sincere appreciation to the Chamber of Commerce and the people of Foard County for making their encampment a big success.

S. S. Claimants Lose Money By Not Filing at Proper Time

More than 20 percent of those filing social security claims in this area during a recent 4-week period lost money because they didn't file soon enough, Erton F. Tate, manager of the social security office in Wichita Falls, said today.

The amount lost and the number of claimants involved in the losses were not large. But when one out of every 5 claimants who do file claim are losing benefits, it indicates that some are not filing their claims at all. It is not necessary to be in need to get this monthly social security income. Yet, many who do not file promptly claims are either depending on relatives or using up slender resources before they file their claims.

The purpose of the insurance provisions of the Social Security Act was to relieve the average man or his survivors from having to depend entirely on relatives or on such small savings as he is able to accumulate against a rainy day. These savings are generally needed for the emergencies of modern life, sickness, accident, and other things that cannot be helped.

Every 65-year-old worker in this area who is covered by the Social Security Act, and the survivors of covered workers who die, should inquire at the social security office at 412 Federal Building, Wichita Falls, Texas, about their benefits rights.

Social security is designed to protect you, your survivors, and your society against the economic cost of your becoming a dependent, nonpaying member of society.

Representative of Texas Employment Commission Here

B. H. Tate, representative of the Labor Division of the Texas Employment Commission, is now located in the county agent's office for the purpose of assisting combine operators and Foard County wheat growers to contact each other in order that the grain crop may be harvested with the greatest amount of speed possible.

This is a free service furnished by the State of Texas and the representative does not have anything to do with fixing prices. His job is to find who needs combines and then notify the combine operators.

Operators who are looking for harvest work are requested to register with Tate at the agent's office, and farmers needing equipment should contact him at once.

The payroll savings plan for Savings Bonds actually provides extra pay because it accumulates Savings Bonds for you which pay off at the rate of \$4 for every \$3 in 10 years.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients in:

Robert Carroll
Mrs. Troy Wheeler
J. W. Klepper
J. G. Ford

Patients Dismissed:

C. T. McDaniel
Jim Bailey
Lewis Sloan
Mrs. Clay Kennedy and infant son
Martha Sparkman and infant son (Col)

Mrs. J. H. Carter Claimed by Death Saturday Morning

Services Held at Baptist Church Sunday Afternoon

Mrs. J. H. Carter passed away at the Foard County Hospital at an early hour Saturday morning, May 22, after a very short illness. She had been in good health until stricken suddenly while about her duties Friday afternoon.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, May 23, at 5:30 p.m. Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor of the church, officiated at the services. He was assisted by Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, a former pastor of the church, now of Austin.

Mrs. A. L. Rucker played piano accompaniment for the songs. She also accompanied Mrs. Alva Spencer as violinist, who played Schubert's Serenade and "I'm Going Home." Ray Baker of Ft. Worth sang as a special number, "Many Mansions."

Interment followed in the Crowell cemetery with Womack Funeral Service in charge.

Pall-bearers were W. B. Tysinger, O. R. Boman, Claude McLaughlin, J. B. Rasberry, Ed McDaniel and Dick Todd. Flower-bearers were Mrs. F. C. Brooks, Mrs. W. B. Tysinger, Mrs. Jack Sauts, Mrs. Charles Ferguson, Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. T. V. Rascoe, Mrs. O. R. Boman, Mrs. Ralph McKown, Mrs. Leon Solomon, Mrs. Claude McLaughlin, Misses Evelyn Jones and May Andrews.

Mrs. Carter, who was Amanda Gosnell, was born in Clayton, Ga., on October 10, 1875. She was married to Mr. Carter on June 22, 1892. They came to Foard County in June, 1899. Eleven children were born to them, one son, Grady, died at the age of 16. The others are living and were all present.

Mrs. Carter was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of 14 and had lived a life of service and devotion to her home, her church and her friends. She was a consistent Christian and was ever alert to be of help to others. Her life will live after her. It may be said of her "Be Thou faithful unto death and I will give Thee a crown of life."

Surviving are her husband; the children, Cora, Ted, Claudia, Mary Ennis and Loraine, all of Crowell; Mrs. A. F. Wright of Littlefield; John Carter of Plainview; Mrs. R. H. Emery of Sterling City; Jim Hinds of Oakland, Calif.; and Mrs. R. R. Jones of Wichita Falls; four grandchildren, John Calvin Carter and Rondelle Carter of Plainview; Mrs. Jim Carroll of Amarillo; and Shirlene Jones of Wichita Falls; one brother, Charlie Gosnell of Clarksville, Ga.; one nephew, Robert L. Gosnell of Springdale, Ark. Sons-in-law and daughters-in-law present were Mrs. John Carter, A. F. Wright, R. H. Emery, Mrs. Jim Hinds Carter and R. R. Jones, and Jim Carroll, a grandson-in-law.

Out-of-town relatives and friends who attended funeral services were Mr. and Mrs. John Carter and sons, Hilyar and Elvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carter of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kirby, Miss Rebecca Wilson and Miss Juanita Thompson of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. John Raser, Miss Emma Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hiatt of Vernon; Miss Nina Jo Chesshir and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tinker of Quanah; Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald and Miss Yvonne Williams of Austin; Miss Vencie Ray of Dallas and Frank Thomas, Robert Thomas, Jack Taylor, Condie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Watson, all of Lockney.



SHIPBOARD WATCH IN EGYPT...As a welcome relief from pictures of profound significance, this is just a photograph of an Egyptian camel driver standing on top of his camel in front of one of the pyramids of Giza and looking for whatever camel drivers look for in Egypt. Probably more camels.

Methodist Church Gains 168 Members Since 1945

Rev. D. D. Denison, Methodist pastor, and Mrs. Denison left yesterday for Lubbock to attend the annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference. The local church has made great progress under the leadership of Rev. Denison for the past two years and seven months. During this time 168 new members have been added to the church roll. 105 of these by profession and vows, making the total membership of the church 600 at the present time.

The average attendance in Sunday School for the past nine months was 163. The total amount of money spent for all purposes during the year just closed was \$19,840.00, \$4,075.00 of this amount went to various missionary interests in the United States and abroad.

Rev. Denison has been named as one of the conference preachers and Sunday he will fill the pulpit at the Pioneer Memorial Methodist Church in Lubbock, a new church that was organized in January of this year.

Claude Callaway, chairman of the board of stewards, will also attend the conference.

Special Messages in Song at Baptist Church Sunday

In announcing the services at the First Baptist Church for Sunday, Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor, states that he will speak both morning and evening, and Ray Baker will direct the music and bring special messages in song.

The pastor also states that for the evening service Ray Baker, and his wife, Mrs. Wanda Baker, are presenting a program which is different, but will be interesting and impressive. This worship in song and picture will appeal to the eyes and heart as well through the normal reception of a service.

The vacation Bible school is being well attended and will continue on through next week. The school meets from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Free Show to Be Given at Rialto at 10 a. m. Saturday

There will be a free show for all ages given at the Rialto Theatre Saturday morning at 10 o'clock sponsored by the theatre. Free popcorn will also be given the first 300 entering the show, which is being donated by the Crowell business firms listed in the ad on page 6 of this issue.

ROTARY CLUB

Rotarians Earl Worley, Quinn Baker and Joe Anderson of Quanah and John Raser of Vernon were visitors at the weekly luncheon of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon in the basement of the Baptist Church.

George Self was in charge of the program, but owing to the fact that the program which had been engaged could not be present on account of the heavy rain, Mr. Self was prevailed upon to tell something about the new Ford. The luncheon for this occasion was prepared and served by Grady Graves and J. A. Stovall. Next week's luncheon will be in charge of Luke Archer and Virgil Smith.

In the past 26 years the railroads of the United States have spent over 13 billion dollars for betterment.

Three-Inch Rain Wednesday Stops Wheat Harvest

The heaviest rain which has fallen in this vicinity at one time in several months came in a steady downpour all day Wednesday and measured three inches by the Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank.

The wheat harvest, which had barely got underway, was stopped short. Out-of-town harvesting equipment had been arriving in Crowell all week and the town apparently was on a boom. All vacant lots near the square are crowded with machinery. Many fields of wheat were harvested before the moisture began to fall on Tuesday afternoon and the yield per acre was better than expected, owing to the long dry spell, and the quality of the grain was also good.

Up until Tuesday afternoon the elevators of the county had received approximately 150,000 bushels of wheat.

Poppy Day and Memorial Day Will Be Observed

Plans for the observance of Poppy Day and also for Memorial Day have been completed by the sponsoring organizations. The Gordon J. Ford Post No. 130, American Legion and the Auxiliary.

On Saturday, May 29th, poppies will be sold by the Girl Scouts in co-operation with the Auxiliary. All business houses will be asked to close from 11 a.m. until noon as a brief memorial service will be held on the Court House lawn, beginning at 11 a.m. Rev. J. R. Smallwood of Paducah will deliver a short address at the miniature cemetery which will be erected on the lawn. Following this, the Legion and Auxiliary will be hosts to all Foard County Gold Star parents at the Premier Hotel.

On Sunday, May 30th, the Memorial service will be held at the Methodist Church beginning at 8 p.m. Practically all churches in Crowell will dismiss their evening service in order that their members may pay tribute to the war dead of our land by attending this service, which will be brief but impressive. An appropriate program has been planned for the occasion.

Couple Will Be Married on Rialto Stage Monday Night

The identity of the couple who will be married on the stage of the Rialto Theatre Monday night is soon to be revealed. It was announced this week by Jeff Hardin, manager.

Many beautiful and useful gifts, donated by the business firms of Crowell, are now on display in the lobby of the theatre.

Lewis Godwin Dies Suddenly Sunday with Heart Attack

Funeral Services Held at Baptist Church Wednesday

Lewis Godwin, 55, resident of Crowell for many years, died suddenly from a heart attack at the Frozen Food Lockers plant about 9 Sunday morning. Mr. Godwin was apparently in good health until the fatal attack.

Funeral services for Mr. Godwin were held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. N. B. Moon, assisted by Rev. D. D. Denison, Methodist pastor.

Special music for the services was a solo, "Near to the Heart of God," sung by Mrs. W. F. Statser, and a duet, "Beyond the Sunset," rendered by Mrs. C. W. Thompson and Mrs. T. B. Klepper. Mrs. Arnold Rucker was accompanist.

Pall bearers were E. W. Kidd, Ed Dunn, Foster Davis, Warren Everson, Jim Riley Gafford and Joe Eddy Jr. The list of flower bearers included Mrs. Jeff Hardin, Mrs. S. P. Hord, Mrs. Jeff Todd, Mrs. Curtis Ribble, Mrs. Henry Edgin, Mrs. Howard Williams, Mrs. Homer Zeilbig, Mrs. J. L. Brock, Mrs. Luther Depton, Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin, Mrs. Frank Moore and Mrs. Arnold Rucker.

Interment was in Crowell cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home.

John Lewis Godwin was born in Fannin County, Nov. 25, 1892. He was married to Miss Jimmie Zeeme Henderson at Holland, Tex. Jan. 3, 1915. Mr. and Mrs. Godwin and daughter, Mrs. L. E. Gafford, of Kearney, Neb., moved to Foard County from Coleman in December, 1942. Mr. Godwin farmed two years before buying the tourist court in the east edge of town.

Mr. Godwin had been a member of the Baptist Church for 32 years and his membership was in the First Baptist Church of Crowell at the time of his death. He had made many friends in Foard County during his residence here.

He is survived by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Gafford, two brothers and eight sisters, Mrs. Gafford and her husband, M-Sgt. L. E. Gafford, were here for the funeral. Four sisters, Mrs. Mary Green and Mrs. Alice Eddington of Albany and Mrs. Georgia King and Mrs. Nanie Watson of Burkett arrived here Sunday and remained until after the funeral.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the funeral included Mrs. Bertha Dalton, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Houston Ruff, Mrs. Charlie Arendt, Mrs. Vance Cotten, Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Green, Neal Green, Mr. and Mrs. Badley, Mrs. Alice Eddington and son, Mr. and Mrs. Buri Baker and family, all of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Reed Henderson of Wimsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Connelly Crane of Kilgore; James Henderson of New London; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Henderson and family, Mrs. Rosa Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitely, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Neal, Mrs. Buren Elkins, all of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Orr of Fort Worth; Charlie Henderson of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold King and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Watson and family, all of Burkett; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dalton and family of Shields and Ethel Dalton of Coleman.

Reburial Rites Held Sunday for Bill Ownbey

Memorial and Reburial Services Held Sunday Afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church for S-Sgt. William L. Ownbey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ownbey, who lost his life on November 15, 1944. He was originally buried in a military cemetery in Epinal, France.

Sgt. Ownbey's body arrived here at noon on Friday and was taken to the home of his parents, until Sunday afternoon, 8-Sgt. Thomas E. Lanville accompanied the body from Fort Worth. Womack Funeral Service was in charge of arrangements.

Pall-bearers were Kenneth Halbert, Glenn Shook, John Cogdell, Clinton McLain, Glendon Hays, Fred Borchardt, Mike Bird and Weldon Hays. Flower-bearers were members of the Co-Ed Sunday School class of the Baptist Church.

Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald of Austin officiated at the last rites. He is a former pastor and was a close friend of the deceased. He was assisted by Rev. N. B. Moon, present pastor of the church. Mrs. A. L. Rucker played accompaniment for the choir songs and also for special numbers by a quartet composed of three of the original members of the Baptist Young Men's Quartet, of which Sgt. Ownbey was a member, Glenn Goodwin of Crowell, Gariand Foster of Los Alamos, N. M., Joe Herman Rucker of Fort Worth and Ernest King of Crowell. The quartet sang favorite songs of Sgt. Ownbey.

Interment was made in the Crowell cemetery under the sponsorship of the Gordon J. Ford American Legion Post.

William L. Ownbey was born on August 24, 1923, at Crowell to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ownbey. He attended the Foard City and Crowell schools where he was active in athletics. He graduated in 1940 and then attended the Dallas School of Aeronautics and was employed in Consolidated Aircraft in San Diego, Calif., until December, 1942. He was married to Miss Marjorie Bradford of this place on May 10, 1942.

He entered the Armed Forces in February, 1943, and received his training at Fort Lewis, Wash., and Camp Phillips, Kansas. He served with the 44th Infantry Division as a machine gunner.

Bill was converted and united with the First Baptist Church of Crowell in September, 1934. He took an active part in all church activities. An obedient son, a true friend, a good Christian, he was loved by all who knew him.

Survivors are his parents; two brothers, Roy and Kenneth Ownbey of Seminole; two sisters, Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Miss Gwendolyn Ownbey of Crowell; one niece and two nephews and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Zilpha Honeycutt, of Tucuman, N. M., and a host of friends.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the memorial service were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie and Mrs. Warren Haynie of Truseett; A. L. Honeycutt of Levelland; Carroll Vickers of Odessa; S-Sgt. Thos. E. Lanville of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Goldston, Mr. and Mrs. Don Goldston and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cavin of Wichita Falls; Sidney Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillson and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gillson of Vernon; Joe Herman Rucker of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gariand Foster of Los Alamos, N. M.; Mrs. W. D. Howell and Mrs. T. M. Beverly of McKinney, and Rev. and Mrs. Fitzgerald and Yvonne Williams of Austin.

Margaret W. S. C. S. Will Present Stamps Ozark Quartet

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Margaret will present the Stamps-Ozark quartet of Wichita Falls at the Margaret School House on Thursday night, June 3. They invite everybody to attend and help the society to make repairs on the parsonage, as well as hear a splendid program.

Miss Elliott Thanks Foard County Friends

Miss Elizabeth Elliott, formerly County Home Demonstration Agent of Foard County, who now is with the Dept. of Home Economics Education at Texas Tech at Lubbock, writes to express her sincere thanks for the expressions of friendship extended her through cards, letters, flowers, etc. during her recent illness. Miss Elliott indicates that she will make a visit to Crowell and Foard County in the near future.

She is now sufficiently recovered to be up and about her duties after an operation recently.

Nikolai Lenin was the first president of Soviet Russia.

Friedrich Elbert was the first president of the German Republic.

Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Mrs. C. H. Wood)

F. A. Brown, Mrs. W. G. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gray and family and Mrs. S. J. Boman of Vernon attended the funeral of Mr. Gray's sister, Mrs. Ab Lawrence in Spur Tuesday of last week.

Word was received here by Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mints that their son, Roy, underwent an appendicitis operation in a Lubbock hospital one day last week.

Charlie Hathaway caught one of the tagged fish at Lake Kemp last week for which he received \$25.

Ray Short, Jim Tarver and Harley Hopkins of Borger visited their parents last week-end. They returned home in the car Ray bought from his sister, Mrs. Clyde Newsome.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm visited Mrs. Grimm's sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wilson, in Amarillo last week-end. Mrs. Minnie Williams of Brownfield visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm recently.

Mrs. J. A. Abston was dismissed from a Vernon hospital Monday of last week and was taken to the home of her son, B. P. Abston, in Rayland.

Mrs. C. H. Wood visited Mrs. Allen Shultz in Vernon Thursday night.

Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and Mrs. W. G. Chapman were business visitors in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

(Answers on page 3)

1. The name of what shrub used in landscape planting, because of its brilliant color when touched by the frost, consists of a girl's name and a man's name?
2. The name of what wood valued for use in fine furniture consists of a girl's name, a farm animal and a girl's name?
3. The name of what fruit consists of the refuse after wheat has been threshed and a small fruit?
4. The name of what beverage suggests one of the letters of the alphabet?
5. The name of what grass used for hay is the same as one of the books of the Bible?
6. The name of what flower suggests the exterior opening of the mouth?
7. The name of what grain consists of the twenty-third letter of the alphabet and the opposite of cold?
8. The name of what flowers consists of the name of the animal that ran the race with the tortoise and an article used to call people to church or school?
9. The name of what tree consists of an abbreviation of a man's first name and a machine used in printing?
10. The name of what vine consists of an instrument in writing used to make final disposition of one's property and a sound made by a cow?

Mrs. G. J. Short, and family Saturday.

Mary Jo Short left Sunday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Shirley Duncan, in Amarillo.

Lana Joyce and Florence Jean Short are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ford in Goodlett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKinley of Fort Worth visited Mrs. McKinley's mother, Mrs. George Doty, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mints of Quanah and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dale of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mints Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Shultz and son, I. M. Shultz, attended the funeral of Mrs. Perry Tedford, also visited Mrs. Shultz's daughter, Mrs. Helen Tedford, in Abilene recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill and Mrs. Bertha Shultz attended the funeral of Mrs. Hamp Carter in Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Watts of Vernon visited her sister, Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Haynes and Mrs. Bob Rutledge of Vernon and Mrs. Laura Crisp of Flagstaff, Ariz., attended services at the Methodist Church here Sunday.

Rev. W. G. Gilbert returned Monday from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Gray made a business trip to Hereford Wednesday.

Norman Gray of Hereford is here to harvest his wheat, also helping his father, H. W. Gray, with his wheat.

Cap Morris of Clarendon is here seeing after his wheat crop.

A. G. Bratcher and his flying instructor, Mr. Meyers, of Denton landed a short while here Monday afternoon and visited the Lee Shultz and C. H. Wood families.

The ladies of the Methodist W. S. C. S. and the Young Ladies Circle No. 2 met together in a joint meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Homer McBeath. Since it was the last meeting of the conference year, a sur-

prise shower was presented to Mrs. L. B. Taylor, the pastor's wife for herself and family. Many beautiful and useful gifts were brought to show love and appreciation for her splendid work this past year.

Mrs. Raff from California is here looking after her wheat crop. Fred Hammonds and Mrs. J. L. McBeath have been ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Marlow of Altus, Okla., were visiting relatives and friends in Thalia Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Linda Spivey of California is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Light.

Allen Shultz and his father-in-law, C. W. Wood, of Vernon were Thalia visitors Monday.

TRUSCOTT

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Heffner of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brummette Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Windell Fannin and children visited Mrs. J. W. Chilcoat last week.

Mrs. Callie Acker left for Lubbock last week where she will make her home.

Jack Whitaker and sons, Gene and Bob, visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whitaker and family of Tahoka Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Shelton and daughters, Ann and Sue, have moved from their home at Glen Rose to the W. A. Brummette farm 3 miles east of Truscott.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Browning visited in Fort Worth and Dallas Friday and Saturday. They returned by Wichita Falls and their daughter, Vandolyn, returned home with them from Hardin College and will be at home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker Jr. and son, Jackie, of Haskell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker Sr.

Mrs. Marion Chowning is visiting her sister, Doris Spivey, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tarpley and sons, Danny and Steve, of Slaton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevill Looney of Fort Stockton are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gunn Hickman.

Mrs. George Solomon and Mrs. D. S. Ellis visited Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Johnston in Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carroll and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and baby and George Myers are visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Claud Harris left Monday for Mineral Wells where he will hold a revival meeting.

Mrs. Otis Hammonds and daughter, Marjorie, of San Diego, Cal., Mrs. John Watson of Salem, Ore., Mrs. Lois Hammonds and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Sr. of Thalia were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Windell Fannin and family of Amarillo visited Mrs. Fannin's mother, Mrs. J. M. Chilcoat, and Gay Nell and other relatives last week.

Wayne Turner and Rachel Hickman went with the Benjamin senior class to Galveston Friday night and returned Sunday.

Clyde Bullion Jr. will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who will be in Lubbock at annual conference. J. L. Bates will preach at the Baptist Church Sunday. Both of these boys were reared here and everyone is cordially invited to give them a good hearing.

NO PLACE FOR EDDIE

The Evening Banner, of Greenville, Texas, recently told, in an editorial, the sad story of Eddie, an inefficient and discourteous clerk in a store. One day a customer noticed that Eddie wasn't present and asked about him. "He's just not working here any more," the proprietor said. "Got anybody in mind for the vacancy?" the customer responded. "Nope," said the proprietor, "Eddie didn't leave no vacancy."

As the Banner added, "There's no place for the Eddies because the days of competition have returned and customers want to be waited upon . . . they want to see clerks take an interest in their requests, give them courteous, attentive service and try to make them feel at home. That's just human nature."

During the war, many a store, from the big chains down to little shops, had to employ poor and disinterested help, because nothing better could be had. But we're getting back to normal now, and we're seeing again that retailing is a career that it calls for very special talents and mental attitudes and capabilities, and that it isn't a job that anyone can do. Many of the larger stores carry on highly developed training programs for their employees, and these are of service to small stores as well, by raising the standards of retail service in general.

The customer is entitled to interested and intelligent service, whether he's after a pound of hamburger or a complete spring outfit, and retailing is giving it to him. That small percentage of stores which takes no interest in this basic form of public relations won't be in business long. And, like Eddie, they'll leave no vacancy. — Industrial News Review.

Cro-Magnards used colors in drawings on cave walls in southwestern Europe 30,000 years ago.

Eugene Debs was five times the Socialist Party's nominee for president of the U. S.

We Invite—

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly

to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Rialto Theatre in Crowell.

We want you to be our guests.

THE RIALTO THEATRE

The Foard County News

Good Health Habits Should Be Practiced

Austin, Texas. "Although we may not be sick, we may be far from being well. There is a great and vital difference between high and buoyant health and the health of the average person, or of one who is only well enough to be out of bed," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today.

"Unless we have the essentials of health in our daily habits of living, we are sure to pay the penalty of impaired health, sickness and early death as we are of cause and effect in other situations," Dr. Cox continued. "We should ask ourselves, 'How long do I expect to live?' 'How long can I retain my efficiency, both in work and play?' 'Do I want to become incapacitated soon after middle life?'"

The alternative, according to Dr. Cox's statement, is to adjust one's program of living to insure the fundamentals of health and thus, barring accidents, keep young and retain active efficiency

to an age of 70 to 80, or more. The essentials of health are simple: sufficient fresh air and sunlight, good food and food habits, regular exercise and adequate rest. Yet, in checking the health of thousands of individuals who considered their health good, it has been rare indeed to find a single person who did not habitually disregard one or more of these essentials. Therefore, no matter how good or poor our health, we should check our daily program of living for health habits that are essentially faulty but of which we may be unaware.

Tobias Hobson, an English stablekeeper, made customers take the horses nearest the door, hence the term "Hobson's choice" meaning to take what's offered or nothing at all.

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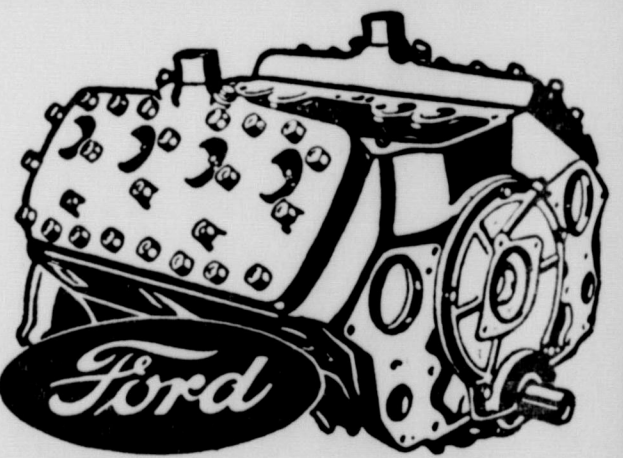
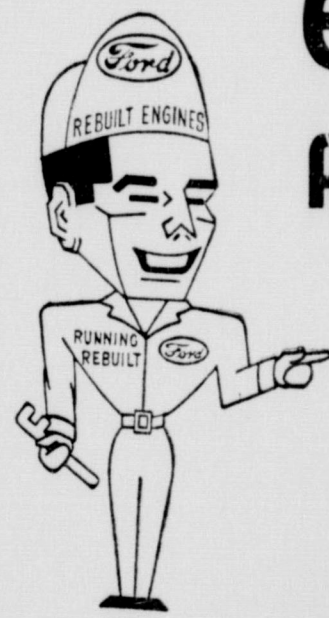
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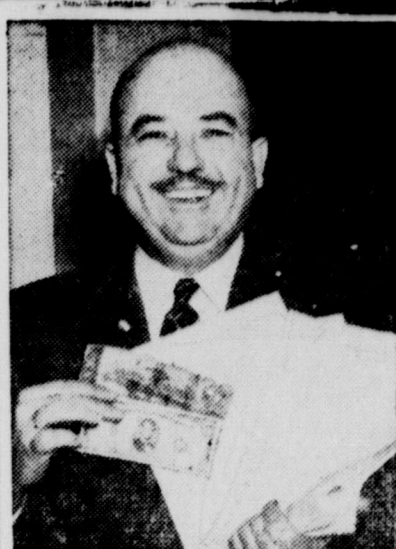
(By Mrs. Cap Adkins) Mrs. W. A. Mussetter, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Helen...

community last week. They were en route from Ft. Bragg, S. C., to his post at Tacoma, Wash. Captain...

and daughter of near Mineral Wells spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler en route to Littlefield.

ANSWERS

- 1. Sumach. 2. Mahogany. 3. Strawberry. 4. Tea. 5. Timothy. 6. Tulips. 7. Wheat. 8. Wheat. 9. Cypress. 10. Trumpet Vine.



FAST BUCK... Gripped by nostalgia for the Old South, sub. Rep. Prince Preston (Dem., Ga.) made the mistake of redeeming a five-dollar Confederate bill sent in by a fellow Georgian.

The storm of protest that arose when a newspaper columnist called attention to the fact that many critical materials for use in war were being shipped to Russia by Americans, has borne fruit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edd Railsback and mother-in-law, Mrs. Railsback, Mrs. Robbie Lee Rogers and baby and Virginia Railsback visited Mrs. Rice, and Mrs. Edward Shultz Sunday afternoon.

MARGARET

(By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook) Mr. and Mrs. Bob Choate and children, Kay and Janet, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, in Fort Worth over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Birchfield of Denison visited her father, Dick Smith, and other relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith and Miss Ruby Smith of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith and daughter, Gail.

Mrs. W. A. Priest, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ewing and Carl Roberts of Wichita Falls attended the funeral of their cousin, Jim Jarvis, Isabel, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Middlebrook and children, Baxter and Sharon, of Denver City, who had spent the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook, and with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook in Vernon, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Owens and son of Vernon visited Dick Smith Sunday afternoon.

Greer Reinhardt of Crowell was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Fred Clark and daughter of Kirkland visited Mrs. Dink Russell Sunday.

J. H. Taylor and son, Hardy, were business visitors in Elida, N. M., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kinnard and children, Leota, C. L., and Gary, of Dacona, Okla. are here again this year working through the harvest.

Mrs. W. L. Smith spent last week in Vernon with her son, Hubert Smith, and family.

Mrs. R. H. Blevins and Mrs. C. F. Bradford visited Mrs. Carl Ingie and family in Quanah Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook.

Mrs. Bell Blevins visited her sister, Mrs. Bobby Long, of Thalia Wednesday.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey and daughter of Gambelville spent Friday with Mrs. Bob Choate and family.

Fred Riethmayer of Vernon was a visitor here Tuesday.

Gib Choate of Plainview spent Friday here with Mrs. Choate and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Taylor and Mrs. C. T. Murphy visited in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyd and daughter, Sharon, of Fort Stockton and C. F. Bradford Jr. of San Angelo spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford.

The H. D. Club meets with Mrs. R. H. Blevins Friday, May 28.

Mrs. W. R. McCurley has returned home from Oklahoma where she was called because of the illness of her brother.

Starlight Operetta to Open in Dallas Monday, June 14th

A brilliant cavalcade of the most popular stars of musical comedy, motion pictures, supper clubs and the operatic stage will head for Texas this summer to participate in the ten-week entertainment festival of the Starlight Operetta, to be presented in the State Fair Casino at Dallas under the auspices of the State Fair of Texas.

Setting a historic precedent in the summer musical theatre field, the Starlight will import a record number of celebrities from every branch of the amusement world. While the complete list for each attraction will not be available for several weeks, the preliminary casting has been on a scale to arouse national attention in theatrical circles.

The Starlight season will open on June 14 with "The Great Waltz," which will run for two weeks. The following attractions for one week each will be "Anything Goes," "One Touch of Venus," "Rosalie," "The New Moon," "Bloomer Girl," "Naughty Marietta," "Hit the Deck" and "The Vagabond King." Season tickets, guaranteeing subscribers the same seats for every show, are now on sale at the Starlight ticket office, 206 South Ervay St., Dallas. Special attention will be given to mail orders.

and Mrs. Claud Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Owens of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. Bell Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. Greer Reinhardt of Crowell.

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Crowell, Texas, May 27, 1948



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He shall call upon me, and I will answer him; I will deliver him, and honor him. — Psalm 91:15.

A special Industry-Commerce Commission reports that there is as much as 10 million tons of scrap iron and steel available in Germany. U. S. scrap metal dealers fear that an effort will be made to return it to the U. S. on a government subsidy basis. In light of the fact that some excellent authorities report that the iron mines of the Mesaba range in Minnesota will not stand another war like the last one, it would seem but common sense to salvage scrap wherever possible and thus protect our own deposits from further drain.

No government concerned with the welfare of its people should permit any one man to have the power to freeze and starve its people, to close its mines and steel mills and factories and bring its railroads and industries to a stop at his merest whim. This is as much power as the dictator of Russia has, against whose advances we are spending billions of dollars to prevent. We want to stop Stalin in Europe though we remain impotent at home.

England which has had capital punishment on the books for many years has abolished it for five years as an experiment.

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of May 24, 1918:

Lance Trigg Shultz died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz, Tuesday after an illness of about a week.

C. P. Sandifer left Tuesday as a delegate from Foard County to Washington, D. C., to be present at the hearing of the Orient claims before Director General McAdoo on May 27th.

Mrs. C. M. Moore passed away in Amarillo Wednesday following an operation, according to a message to her son, Frank, of Crowell.

Miss Lola Huddleston left Sunday for her home in Mabank after graduating from Crowell High School.

Bernice Schlagal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Schlagal, celebrated her 10th birthday this week.

Grady Magee, Henry Burress, Frank Flesher and Julian Wright left this week for Dallas where they will take examination for entrance into the United States Navy.

The Sandifer Grocery store was sold this week to Ellis & Lanier.

On Wednesday evening of this week at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bell, Miss Ora Bell and Marion Hughton were united in marriage, Rev. J. H. Hamblen performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Bennie Chedister was here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Witherspoon.

Miss Lena Rasor left last Saturday for Denton to attend the summer normal.

Miss Essie McLarty was here Saturday and Sunday from Knox City visiting friends and relatives.

Lieut. Jack Brian left this week for Wichita Falls to report for duty.

Frank Long left this week for localities east of here to work in the harvest. The long dry spell has thrown crops behind in this county.

The ice cap on the island of Greenland is from 2000 to 8000 feet thick.

POLITICAL Announcements

For State Representative, 114th District:
REX SULLIVAN JR.
JOHN E. MORRISON

For District Attorney:
R. D. OSWALT
R. R. DONAGHEY

For County Judge:
LESLIE THOMAS

For Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:
R. E. DUNN

For Dist. and County Clerk:
MRS. FERN MCKOWN
HARRY TRAWKOW

For County Treasurer:
MARGARET CURTIS

For County Attorney:
FOSTER DAVIS

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:
J. L. (BILL) BELL

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
W. J. (BILL) BOND

For Com., Prec. No. 3:
C. N. (STY) BARKER

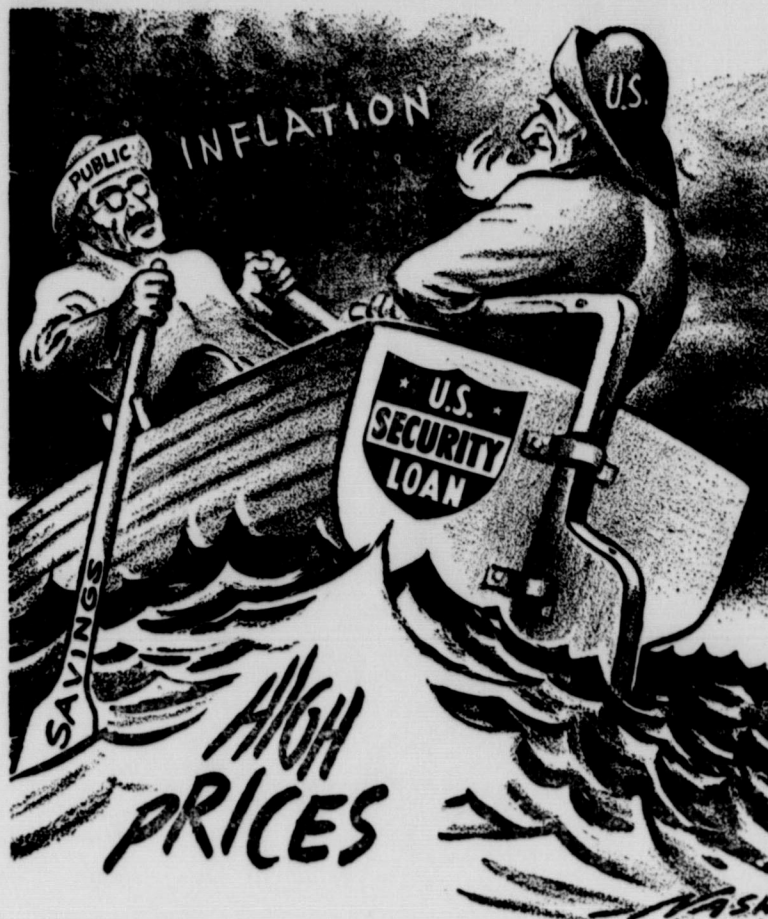
For Com., Prec. No. 4:
TOM BURSEY

HISTORY

Ratification of the Constitution—June 21: Though the Constitutional Convention called for drafting the Constitution of the United States, finished its work on September 17, 1787, it was not until June 21, 1788 that New Hampshire the ninth state, ratified it. This marked the formation of the United States Government as formed by the Constitution. All of the thirteen states ratified the Constitution the last being Rhode Island.

Susan B. Anthony fined for voting—June 18: Susan B. Anthony one of the leaders in the woman's suffrage movement insisted on voting at an election held in Rochester, New York, in 1873. Because of her act she was arrested, tried, and convicted and sentenced to pay a fine. Miss An-

PULL HARD - WE'LL WEATHER THIS STORM!



Lest We Forget

Any farmer or other business man who "went through the wringer" in the business depression following 1929 does not need to be told about the distress caused by a falling price level. But with each successive war, many persons, especially those in the younger generation, have said, "Yes, I know that prices dropped after the other war, but this time don't you think we have quite a different situation?" Many persons are saying the same thing today.

This time we MAY have a different situation from that which followed previous wars and we MAY never see another period of low farm incomes. And we probably need the optimism of youth to offset some of the extreme caution of those who got burned in the last depression. But it would seem that all persons engaged in farming—young, middle aged, and old—will do well to balance those conflicting desires of wanting to "shoot the works" and wanting to save everything by keeping their farm businesses backed up with a reserve in United States Saving Bonds. Such a reserve will be in the safest possible form and readily available in case of need. Also it can always be quickly converted into cash with which to speculate in case one feels nature is not providing enough gambling in farming to satisfy him.

thony was a school teacher for fifteen years. Following the Civil War she devoted herself wholly to the equal suffrage movement. To assist in getting her theories to the people she published a paper called Revolution, and delivered many lectures. For many years she was president of the American Woman Suffrage Association. As a result of her activities a number of states granted the right of equal suffrage to women, but it was not until 1920 that an amendment to the Constitution was adopted giving to all women of the United States the right to vote.

ologists tell us, many cities in many parts of the country whose civilization that flourished thousands upon thousands of years ago lies buried hundreds of feet beneath the debris of centuries. In some places, these historians tell us, and they produce the records to show it, several cities one above the ruins of the other have come and flourished and gone and another has come in their place and these too have gone on and lie buried, a mute but undeviating record of the resistless march of time.

I find myself wondering if the people who one time inhabited these cities did not in the hey day of their existence go about applying the same philosophy to the frets and worries and problems of their age: Everything is going to come out all right. I find myself wondering if the fact that their civilization lies buried by other civilizations which no doubt as they did, practiced the philosophy that everything is going to be all right. Was everything finally all right or are we still marching toward that goal and time when everything will be all right?

This brings me to what I want to say.

I am wondering about this civilization, this country of ours. It is an island of democracy in a sea of ruin and clamor and greed and destitution, and poverty, and ruthless ambition, and discord. It is a comforting thought to tell one's self that this storm through which we are passing will one day blow itself out and everything will come out all right. Comforting but is it true, is it being realistic to assume that it is true? We at the moment are in the midst of the most prosperous age this or any

What We Think

(By Frank Dixon)

I like the philosophy that persists in the contention that everything is going to work out all right. That, came what will, time the great healer and the universal adjuster is going to take care of everything as it should be. It is a comforting philosophy for the individual. It smooths out many rough spots in the pathway of life and lays a cool, comforting hand on the fevered brow of him who is ill with worry and concern and foreboding.

It is a comforting and a reassuring philosophy for a nation when its people, regardless of how serious conditions may appear to its leaders, can hush their fears with the anaesthetic qualities of the merciful formula that everything is bound to come out all right in the end.

There are, historians and arch-



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nation has ever known. Those who make any pretense at being realistic know that we cannot continue in the same course we are now pursuing inevitably. We cannot grant wage increase after wage increase and price increase after price increase, and send prices spiraling ever higher and higher and escape the judgment. Like carefree school boys and girls aboard a roller coaster we are speeding toward our destruction, but the air is filled with shouts and laughter and there is no concern. We are on our way. I am not so much concerned about the financial chaos that will result when the inevitable debacle occurs, but I am concerned about what will be the effect such a debacle when it comes to Communism and other dangers lurking in the background like wolves waiting for the can fire to go out that they may in and attack the helpless traveler. We are riding too high to think seriously, the gay laughter and the roar of the roller coaster drowns out our thoughts and serious thinking, but the is here now, I think, to begin give some serious thought to the question: Will everything come out all right?

The man who is the worst story teller seems always to persist in telling them.

SPECIALS FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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COFFEE White Swan lb. 53c

PEACHES Dried lb. pkg 29c

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HOMINY 2 No. 2 cans 25c

KRAUT 2 No. 2 cans 25c

TOMATO JUICE can 10c

PEACHES No. 2 1/2 can 29c

ORANGE JUICE 28c

PRUNES No. 2 can 19c

PINTO BEANS 2 lbs 35c

PEAS No. 2 can Picksweet 15c

PINEAPPLE crushed 35c

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LOCALS

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Mrs. G. M. Bush and Miss Jane Bruce have gone to Los Angeles, Calif. to visit relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson of Lubbock are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Grady Halbert, and family.

Buy a Fyr-Fyter fire extinguisher for your home at Womack's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Witherspoon and daughter are spending two weeks in Dallas visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradford of Lubbock were recent visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy, of Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brothers and three children, Charlie Gus, Jim and Julia Helen, of Shamrock spent last Sunday in Crowell visiting the W. A. Cogdell family.

Hear Stamps-Ozark Quartet at Margaret School auditorium Thursday night, June 3, at 8:15 and help the W. S. C. S. 50c and 25c admission.

Mrs. W. T. Dunn was returned to Crowell Monday by her son, Sheriff Ed Dunn, and her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Bell, from a Wichita Falls hospital where she underwent an eye operation last week.

Good 52-piece dinner sets only \$16.50 at Womack's.

Jerry Don and Roy Eugene Gray, sons of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gray are visiting in the home of their sister, Mrs. Eldon Crowover, in Odell this week.

A Cole trailer house stove, butane or propane. See it at Womack's.

Mrs. T. S. Patton and her sister, Mrs. J. J. Britt, of Chillicothe went to Littlefield Wednesday on account of the serious illness of their brother.

W. W. Kinsey has been visiting in the home of his son, Lawrence Kinsey, and family in Carrollton for several weeks. He is expected home soon.

Mrs. W. H. Blevins and son, Calvin, of Fort Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Murphy, on the week-end of May 14-15.

Wide mouth fruit jars in all sizes at Womack's.

Miss Mary Ragland Thompson of Commerce arrived at home Wednesday evening for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson.

Portable electric washer, stainless steel. — Womack's.

Mrs. Tom Neal of Carlsbad, N. M., formerly Miss Mildred Cogdell, arrived Tuesday to spend a two-weeks vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell.

Hamilton Beach electric sweeper with all attachments at Womack's.

A. S. Tarpley, postmaster at Truscott, and Dan Tarpley of Lubbock, were visitors in the News office last week. Dan is a former employee of the News, being assistant editor during 1936. He is now employed as news editor for a radio station in Lubbock.

The kind of home freezer you need. See it at Womack's.

Rev. and Mrs. V. M. Newland and family went to Oklahoma City Sunday. They were accompanied by Lois Gentry. Rev. Newland preached the baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening for the first student to graduate from the Midwest Christian College. The college is only two years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Los Angeles, Calif., left Friday for their home after visiting here for two weeks with Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor, and Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. C. T. Murphy, and family, and other relatives and friends in Margaret, Crowell, and Fort Worth.

Come, come to School auditorium at Margaret and hear Stamps-Ozark Quartet on Thursday night, June 3, at 8:15. Benefit Methodist W. S. C. S. 50c-25c.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bushon and daughter, Mrs. Ida Coleman and Richard Bucy of Childress visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin.

Mrs. H. E. Thomson and Miss Joyzelle Thomson left Wednesday for Lubbock where they will attend the annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Thompson Jr. and baby son, Charles W. II, are expected to arrive today from their home in Austin to visit in the home of Mr. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson, and Mrs. Thompson's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly.

Mrs. W. D. Howell of McKinney is visiting friends in Crowell.

Mrs. Allen Fish of Vivian spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper while Mr. Fish was on a business trip to Fort Worth.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to say "Thanks" to everybody who remembered me in any way while I was sick in the hospital. I appreciate the cards, the flowers and each thing that was done for me.
C. T. McDaniel.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my sincere thanks for the many kindnesses shown me during my illness in the hospital by the doctors, hospital staff and others. Neighbors coming in and planting my cotton crop was greatly appreciated.
J. F. Bailey

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind words and deeds of sympathy, for the beautiful flowers and the food; especially the American Legion and the Auxiliary and the quartet who came so far to render service. May God richly bless each of you.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ownbey and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ownbey and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnson and son.

According to Postmaster General deficit in the post office department this year due to increased pay schedules, and other causes, will reach 345 million dollars. To reduce the deficit the Postmaster General recommends a general increase in postal rates. The proposed rates are: post cards, now 1 cent, would be increased to 2 cents, parcel post charges 25 to 75 cents a pound. The present rate is from 8 to 16 cents a pound. Special delivery fees from 25 to 40 cents instead of the present rate of 13 to 25 cents on other than first class mail. Money orders a fee range of 10 to 35 cents instead of the present rate of 6 to 22 cents. Postal insurance from 6 to 65 cents instead of the present rate of 3 to 25 cents. The rates on newspapers and magazines and catalogues would be sharply increased.

Our hand to the fine group of citizens who give of their time and energy and talent to conduct the several drives for funds that come to the community each year. It isn't easy to lay down one's work and give hours or days of time to solicit for funds. It is a service that could not be bought with money and because of this is all the more generous and worthy. The community owes them its sincere gratitude.

Veterans News
Most of the 45,000 World War II veterans taking institutional on-farm training under federal veterans' training programs in Texas, Louisiana, and Mississippi may qualify for increased subsistence benefits due to changes in ceilings, rates and number of dependents, the Veterans Administration reported.

The increases were authorized by Public Law 512, signed May 4, 1948, by President Truman. The law raises pay ceilings, establishes new criteria for computing income from productive labor, and provides for partial increases in subsistence allowances for part-time school training and for combination school and job training programs such as institutional on-farm training.

Under the new ceilings for GI Bill farm trainees, earned income plus subsistence may not exceed \$210 a month for a veteran without dependents, \$270 for a veteran with one dependent, and \$290 for a veteran with more than one dependent. Previous limits were \$175 for a veteran without dependents and \$200 for a veteran with one or more dependents.

Another provision of the new law gives additional increases to veterans training as employees on other persons' farms. Only wages for the standard work week, exclusive of overtime pay, are considered earned income in computing subsistence under the raised ceilings. Previously, veterans included pay for all regularly scheduled overtime work in reporting their earned incomes.

Veterans taking institutional on-farm training under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 may be paid subsistence increases for that time they devote to institutional school training. The increases are based on the percentage of a full-time course of institutional training that their school work represents. No increases will be allowed for veterans whose institutional school work is not the equivalent of at least one-fourth of a full-time course.

The first adjustments will probably be in the August 1 checks, retroactive to April 1.

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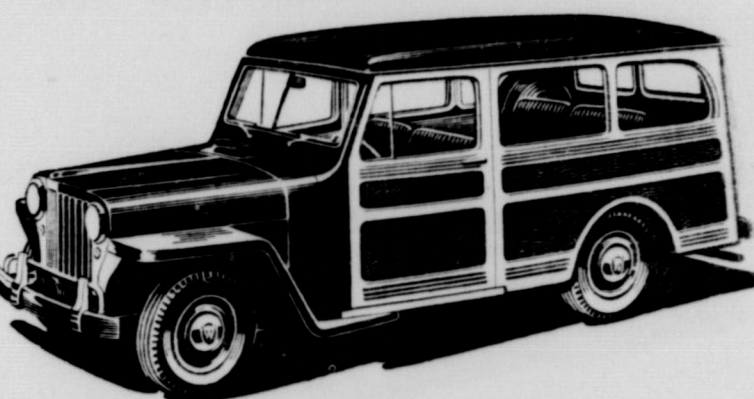
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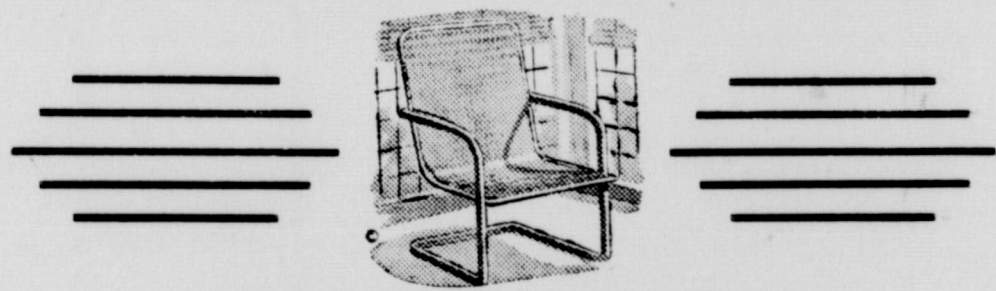
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Foard County News

Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

Means by which additional war surplus will be made available on a donation basis to eligible institutions are being announced this week by the Grand Prairie region-

When Your Back Hurts

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It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly many people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess waste and other waste matter from the blood.

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al office of War Assets Administration. Under the new program, such institutions may make their claim for goods remaining unsold at a location sale immediately following the offering to the standard priority sequences. Thus any property not purchased by veterans and others in the initial sale offering will go to donees free of cost before War Assets makes further attempts to dispose of it. Details of the way to apply for these donations will be explained by the office's priority claimants division, Plant A, the former North American Plant, Grand Prairie.

Next on the list of Texas clearance sales of personal property unneeded for national defense will be some quarter million dollars of assorted goods at the Corpus Christi Naval Air Station. Photographic equipment, heavy machinery, textiles, office machines and furniture, automotive vehicles and industrial machines will go on sale to all buying groups from May 24 through May 27. The date for general inspection of the property will be May 25. Veterans, other priorities and commercial buyers will complete their purchases of the general products on May 26. On the final day, May 27, a group of 21 house trailers will be offered to veterans only through competitive bidding on each trailer.

Need for furniture and equipment to launch the mammoth Chance Vought Aircraft Corporation in operation at its new location in the navy's Grand Prairie plant will probably result in withdrawal of some materials from a War Assets sale planned for the Dal 6 warehouse May 26, 27 and 28. The WAA's location sales crew is hurrying, however, to include everything possible in the \$200,000 offering so as to remove its warehouse facilities to the A plant.

The army-navy munitions board is moving toward a gradual relaxation of the general freeze on disposals of real property in the southwest region. War Assets Administration this week received notice to put back in its sales hopper the following surplus installations: Camp Wallace, Hitchcock, Texas; Baton Rouge Engineering Depot, Louisiana; Shreveport Quartermaster Depot, Louisiana; Key Field, Meridian, Mississippi; and the Darr School of Aeronautics, Ponca City, Okla.

Utility facilities for removal from Camp Barkeley, near Abilene, are now on sale to the highest bidder, subject to priority claims. The materials include more than 5,000 feet of galvanized water pipe in addition to poles, copper wire, transformers, insulators, and related equipment. Under the disposal of the Grand Prairie regional office of real property, applications from priority groups will be considered until May 21, and purchase offers from the public until June 1.

The government is collecting a cash price of \$677,777.77 this week for the sale, by War Assets Administration, of the Reed Roller Bit plant at Houston. The purchaser was Oilman H. H. Coffield, of Rockdale and Houston. The big plant was disposed of under the national security clause by which the government may recapture it in any national emergency. Coffield plans to convert the facility into a warehouse for his oil and equipment supply interests.



AMBITIOUS . . . Because Dennis Corbett, three, of Evansville, Ind., wants to be a lawyer, despite the fact that he was born without arms and legs, friends have formed the "Underprivileged Service, Inc." to see that he gets an education, as well as physical aids.

HOW DOES FREEDOM FARE?

Cecil B. DeMille, whose Foundation for Political Freedom has been conducting an aggressive campaign for the right of men to work without fear of either management or union dictation, recently gave some important testimony before the House Committee on Education and Labor. "My concern is for the individual," he said. "Through the Wagner Act, the Taft-Hartley Act and other legislation, Congress has given the individual some measure of protection from his management bosses and union bosses.

"But bosses never take kindly to restraint. "You have heard reactionary businessmen urging the total repeal of the Wagner Act. Now you are hearing the clamor of reactionary union leaders for repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act.

"Reaction — from whatever side — always aims to enslave. "Every American should have the right to work when he pleases, where he pleases, for himself or for whoever wants to hire him, and the full protection of the government should be put behind this right to work.

That is not an anti-labor argument. It is, to the contrary, a pro-labor argument. It makes little difference whether a business or a union can decide whether a man shall be allowed to earn his living or not. If they have that power, he is as helpless as a slave worker under a dictator. Communists and their fellow travelers are making an all-out effort to control our unions — and thereby control the economic life of America.

The Taft-Hartley Act made one major advance for labor's rights when it abolished the closed shop. But the union shop, under which a worker must join and pay tribute to the organization within a specified time after going to work has not been touched. So the union officials still have a sure thing, a tight monopoly. Whether or not the worker likes their service, whether or not he approves of union policy, he must pay or quit. And if he does quit, it's extremely doubtful if he can find another job where he will be allowed to work at his trade. So far as the union is concerned, he can starve.

To quote Mr. DeMille once more: "The touchstone for any law — or any government, anywhere in the world — is the question: How does individual freedom fare?" It will never fare well so long as any organization, of any kind, can tell any man whether he can work or not. — Industrial News Review.

WIN A GOLD MEDAL

In recognition of outstanding public service in promoting greater safety of life and resources from fire during 1947, the National Board of Fire Underwriters has awarded gold medals to a daily newspaper, a weekly, and a radio station.

The daily is the Evening Record of Chelsea, Massachusetts. It was given the award for continuous fire prevention stories and campaigns which were credited with reducing the city's fire loss to the lowest point in 20 years.

The Syracuse-Wawasee Journal, Indiana, earned the weekly award for a three year fight for new fire equipment and a paid fire department.

Radio station WLS, Chicago, got its third gold medal in four years for its intensive campaign to achieve greater fire safety on Midwestern farms.

Eleven other newspapers and five radio stations received honorable mention citations for outstanding fire prevention work.

Here is a real roll of honor. Fire is a killer and destroyer second only to war. It strikes without a declaration of hostilities. It is always waiting for carelessness, ignorance and plain human laziness to give it a chance to raze and kill. A home, a factory, a forest, human and animal life — fire has an insatiable appetite for all.

Every newspaper and radio station in America should try to win future gold medals and citations. And, whether they reach the winner's circle or not, they will have the satisfaction of performing a vital public service. — Industrial News Review.

John Adams, second president of the U.S., was father of John Quincy Adams, the sixth president.



BOSS SHE-NAZI . . . Although presumed dead long ago, Frau Gertrude Scholtz-Klink, head of the women's branch of the Nazi party in Germany, turned out to be very much alive. She was seized by U. S. agents in French zone of Germany.

VETERANS'

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. May I work while I am enrolled for rehabilitation and training under Public Law 16?

A. A disabled veteran, while pursuing vocational rehabilitation training, should not engage in employment except with approval of the training officer, and in cases of serious disability, only as approved by medical authority.

Q. I am a World War II veteran and plan to go to school under the G-I Bill for the first time next fall. When should I arrange for my entrance into school?

A. You should arrange for your entrance into college or other institution of learning at the earliest possible moment.

Q. What benefits, other than subsistence allowance, is a veteran entitled to while pursuing a course of instruction under the G-I Bill?

A. Veterans Administration will pay for his tuition, books, supplies, fees, and other authorized expenses within certain limitations.

Q. May I take graduate work under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act?

A. Yes, if eligible, you may take graduate work under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (G-I Bill).

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THINK IT OVER

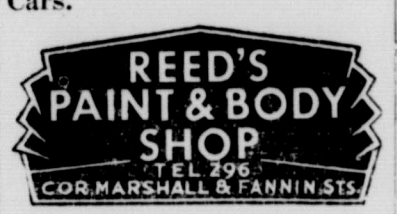
John L. Lewis suggested in his usual oblique manner that there may be a general work stoppage in the soft coal industry before the present agreement between the operators and the union expires. The miners, he said, may just be "unwilling" to keep on working because of a controversy over a pension proposal. Many thousands of miners at once quit work.

As everyone knows, the United Mine Workers is strictly a one-man union, so far as power to decide policy goes, and Mr. Lewis is that man. If there is a complete and prolonged work stoppage, it will be because he wants it. A strike in the mines — whether or not it was called by that name — would be a terrific blow to the whole American economy. Nothing could do more to promote drastic, long-lived shortages in steel, electric power, and other basic needs of the nation.

That might be a secondary consideration if the miners were getting an unfair deal. But they are the highest paid workers, in any comparable kind of enterprise, in the world. Their average weekly pay is above \$75, and those who put in full working time earn around \$100, and many earn even more. They have been given innumerable other benefits, includ-



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ing a short basic working day. And they have attained a high degree of job security and stability.

What ever the merits of the present dispute, it can be settled by arbitration. A soft coal strike now, no matter how camouflaged, would invite tougher labor legislation than any yet proposed. The miners will be wise to do some hard thinking for themselves. — Industrial News Review.

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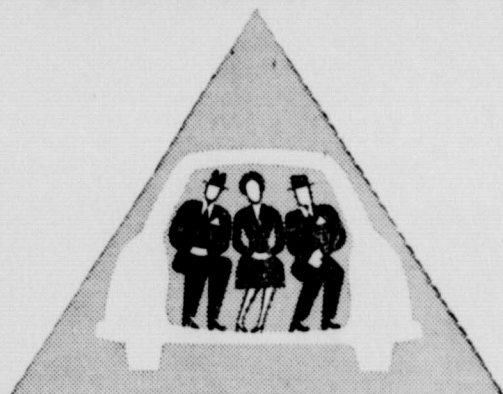
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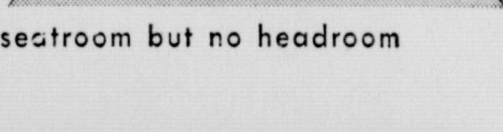
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CITY ORDINANCE

Ordinance fixing the rates charged by the City of Crowell, Texas, to persons, firms, corporations and institutions using sanitary sewer lines and systems...

Logo for M.L.O.O.F. Meet tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.

CLYDE LANGFORD, N. G. PETE GOBIN, Secretary.

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Meets at I. O. O. F. Hall the first and third Tuesday nights in each month.

R. L. BALLARD, Chief Pat. JOE RADER, Senior Warden. CLYDE LANGFORD, Scribe.

Thalia Lodge No. 666 A. F. & A. M.

STATED MEETING Saturday Night, May 22, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend.

C. D. HANEY, W. M. LOYD FOX, Secretary.

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

May 10, 7:30 p. m. May 22, 8 p. m. Members urged to attend.

LEE BLACK, W. M. J. A. STOVALL, Sec.

CROWLEY CHAPTER, O. E. S.

Regular meeting, second Tuesday night, 8 p. m. Study and practice meeting, 4th Tuesday night, 8 p. m.

MABEL STOVALL, W. M. ELLA RUCKER, Secretary.

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Meets first Monday in each month at American Legion hall, 7:30 p. m.

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of the rest thereof shall be in full force and effect just as though the section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase or definition so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional was not originally a part thereof.

Section 7: Conflicts. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

W. H. MOYER, Mayor, City of Crowell, Texas.

ATTEST: Ella Rucker, City Secretary, City of Crowell, Texas. 41-tfc

Hot Springs, Arkansas, with nearly 20,000 inhabitants entertain 300,000 guests a year who come because of its famous springs.

The General Sherman red wood tree in Sequoia National Park in California is estimated to be 3,500 years old.

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Section 3: The above charges shall be due and payable monthly at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas.

Section 4: Any person firm or corporation who shall fail to pay the sewer charge and/or rental herein levied and assessed within 15 days from the first day of the calendar month immediately following the month in which such charge was incurred shall be subject to have their sewer disconnected from the City's sewer system and lines and thereafter the sewer connection which has been disconnected for the non-payment of charges shall again be re-connected for the same user until all delinquent sewer service charges have been paid to the City of Crowell, Texas, and until the costs incurred in the actual re-connection and reconstruction have been paid to said City.

Section 5: The charges herein assessed shall be assessed against the person, persons, firm or corporation in whose name the water meter at such place is assessed.

Section 6: Savings Clause. In the event any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, definition or phrase of this ordinance shall be declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall in no means affect any other section, sub-section, sentence, clause or phrase or definition of this ordinance, but all

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FOR SALE — Butane or gas stove, enamel top kitchen table, and one divan. — Mrs. Ernest Johnson. 43-2tc

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FOR SALE — Several good used Moline, Oliver, John Deere, and Avery one-way plows priced right, 5-, 6-, and 8-foot. — Barker Improvement Co. 41-tfc

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FOR SALE — Scrap iron, some heavy, some light; also some tin and some hog wire. — See J. G. Ford at Hospital. 44-2tc

FOR SALE — One 1947 6-ft. International power take-off combine, A-1 mechanical order. Worth the money. — Lanier Finance Co. 40-tfc

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NOTICE — I will do custom combing at harvest. — J. R. Pittillo, Star RFD, Crowell. 42-3tp

KILL JOHNSON GRASS with ATIACIDE. See your local dealer. Write us for details. — The Rowland Co., Plainview, Texas. 44-2tp

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BIBLE SPEAKS

By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D. D. SCRIPTURE: Daniel 1. DEVOTIONAL READING: 1 Timothy 4:1-16.

Daniel Stands By His Convictions

Lesson for May 30, 1948

"A picket frozen on duty— A mother starved for her brood— Socrates drinking the hemlock— And Jesus on the road."

SUCH a picture we have before us in Sunday's lesson. All you need to do to get this dramatic picture is to read the first chapter of Daniel. You will then feel anew the meaning of that cherished statement, " 'Tis conviction that convinceth."

WE GET THE first draught of this tonic in verses 8-9, 14-15, and 17. "But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank..."

He was brave enough to take a stand for what he knew was right. Which reminds me of the story of Henry Ward Beecher, when yet a small boy. A teacher in the school he attended asked a boy a question which he promptly answered. The teacher appeared displeased, and told the boy to sit down. He asked several other boys the same question, and got the same answer. Finally he asked Beecher, and Beecher gave the same answer, but refused to sit down when the teacher frowned at him. Seeing that Beecher was going to defend the answer, the teacher said, "Boys, you were all correct, but only Beecher was sure enough to stand his ground. I was simply trying to teach you the lesson that you must stand by what you know is right."

Dr. Newton

DARE TO STAND ALONE Daniel knew that he was taking an unpopular position, but he was willing to be alone so long as he knew he was right. He knew that the consequences would take care of themselves. That is the quality of character which America needs today in her youth.

It is easy enough to be popular, if you run with the gang, but remember this—the gang is always heading downhill. Daniel stood by his convictions when it was costly. In the final windup, he was the head man.

ENDURING INVESTMENTS Daniel, winning his point, made every hour count toward victory. He not only abstained from strong drink, but used his superior strength to serve the kingdom in such way that his talents were sought out and brought into larger fields of opportunity.

Standing by his convictions, he had won over those who at first were disposed to poke fun at him. By superb performance, due to clear thinking and high purpose, Daniel made enduring investments that paid off in big dividends. He did not do right for reward, but because he did right, the reward was inevitable. And so it will be with every young man and woman who purposes in his or her heart to do right.

GOD'S FAVOR I want you to look carefully at verse 17. "God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom; and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams. It is impossible to account for Daniel's fortitude apart from his implicit trust in God. Remember the incident of Daniel opening his window toward Jerusalem in prayer?

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PREVENTION FIRST There is a great deal of public misconception concerning flood damage and flood control, which has largely resulted from the organized campaign on behalf of great, enormously costly, multi-purpose dams, such as those built by TVA and proposed for various other river basins.

Recently an analysis was made of the problem, based on surveys on the damage occurred in urban areas, generally far downstream; 6 per cent was agricultural damage along the main stream; 4 per cent was agricultural damage along principal tributaries—and 75 per cent was damage, mainly agricultural, in the headwater valleys. And nearly all the damage in headwater areas is the result of erosion and small and frequent floods, where the big dams offer no protection.

What this means is that the

Weekly Sermon The Vine and the Branches

by G. Coleman Luck, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

One of the simplest and yet most effective figures used in the New Testament to illustrate the relationship between Christ and the Christian is that of the vine and the branches. This figure is found in John 15, and speaks particularly of fruit bearing.

The vine represents the Lord Jesus Christ. He says, "I am the true vine." Notice the word "true". In the Old Testament Israel is pictured as the vine (Ps. 80:8), but sad to say, this vine bore fruit for self rather than for God.

"Israel is an empty vine, he bringeth forth fruit unto himself" (Hos. 10:1). But where the nation failed, the Saviour, who came forth from that nation, wonderfully succeeded. So He is the true vine. Remember that life and power come only from this vine, and union with Him is essential.

The branches refer to those who believe on Him — "Ye are the branches." The goal of the Christian is to bear fruit for Christ, even as the branch does for the vine.

"Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away." God is patient but non-productive branches will eventually be removed from this life. "Every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit." Sometimes God sends trials and testings to fruitful Christians in order that, by this pruning, they may be prepared to bear more fruit for Him.

But our Lord goes on to speak of the possibility of bearing "much fruit" and so glorifying the heavenly Father. This is done only by abiding in Christ. This, He says, is achieved by hearing His words and by keeping His commandments. In this same passage our Lord also tells what the result of such abiding will be—prayer effectual fruit perpetual, and joy celestial.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS Save Orange Peels — Save the peels of oranges and tangerines, dry them in the oven and store in glass jars. They give puddings and custards a delicious flavor.

Clean Out Medicine Cabinet — Spring should be the time to clean out all drugs over a year old, unless sure that they do not deteriorate with time.

Removing Chewing Gum — To remove gum that has stuck to a suit, put a piece of ice on the wrong side of the suit right under the gum. The ice will freeze the gum and make it possible to pick it off.

LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF FOARD, COUNTY OF FOARD.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of U. C. Rader, deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed executrix under the will of the Estate of U. C. Rader, deceased, last of Foard County, Texas, by Honorable Leslie Thomas Judge of the County Court of said County on the 3rd day of May, A.D., 1948, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence, Route 1, Foard City, Foard County, Texas, where she receives her mail, this the 4th day of May, A. D. 1948.

MOLLIE RADER, Executrix of the Estate of U. C. Rader, deceased. 41-tfc

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big, main-stream dams etc., at best, do only a very small part of the flood control job, in spite of their incredibly cost in money, labor and materials. Control in the headwater valleys is principally a matter of soil conservation. The land must be worked and ploughed in a fashion that will keep the topsoil from being carried away when the water comes. In this connection, it is a fact that in areas we believe primitive, such as Guatemala, the Indians of the region have long practiced sound contour cultivation though they have only hoes for tools.

Flood control, therefore, isn't a matter of big appropriations of tax money for huge dams. It lies in intelligent work being done on the individual farms of the nation, and in controlling the flow of water in small streams. The heart of the problem is flood prevention rather than control, after the bulk of the damage has been done. —Industrial News Review.

Attention, Men We invite you to attend the Men's Bible Class at the Assembly of God Sunday School at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

Elmo Hudgins, Class Teacher. The Interior Department is offering 120,000 acres near Twenty-nine Palms and Palm Springs, California, in five acre tracts for \$10 to \$20 an acre. This dry desert land will be sold as home, cabin, camp, health and recreation sites. War veterans will receive preference. Inquiries should be addressed to the district land office at Los Angeles. The land is in the Morongo Valley twenty-five miles northeast of Palm Springs and seventy miles east of San Bernardino.

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A standard gauge railroad track is 56 1/4 inches wide.

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Church NOTICES

Church of Christ (West Side) We solicit your presence to be partakers of his promise in Christ by the gospel." Eph. 3:6. Morning services 10:30. Evening services 8:00.

Methodist Church Church School, 9:45 a. m. Preaching Service, 11 a. m. Young People's Service, 6:30 Preaching Service, 7:30 p. m. W. S. C. S. Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Dallas D. Denison, Pastor

First Christian Church Vernon M. Newland, Minister John E. Long, Church School Supt. Church School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship and Communion 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Evening Service 7:30 p. m. Mid-week Bible study and prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. "A friendly welcome always in all classes and services."

First Baptist Church Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship, 11:00. Prayer meeting — Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Training Union, 7:00 p. m. Evening worship, 8:00 p. m. N. B. MOON, Pastor.

Good Creek Freewill Baptist Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. each Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. on each first Sunday. Preaching each 3rd Saturday night and Sunday. Prayer meeting each Thursday night. C. C. LAMB, Pastor.

Assembly of God Church Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Sunday Evening, 7:45. Prayer service Wednesday night, 7:45. Young people's service, Saturday night, 7:45. WARREN EVERSON, Pastor.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church 1st Sunday at 11:00. 3rd and 5th Sundays, 9:00.

Good Creek Free Will Baptist Church. Rev. H. H. Haston preaches each Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Freewill Baptist Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Church services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited. H. H. HASTON, Pastor.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at Church services at Truscott are 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. held the first, second and third Sundays of each month. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m. J. V. Patterson, Pastor.

Thalia Baptist Church Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. B. T. U. at 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. W. M. U. Monday at 2:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7 p. m. Come worship with us. W. G. GILBERT, Pastor.

Let Us Do Your Laundry Work

Laundry work from the people of this territory is respectfully solicited. Truck makes one trip each week, Monday. Efficient service in every particular is our aim.

MISS VERNON LAUNDRY

Laundresses and Dry Cleaners JESSE H. BARHAM, Solicitor VERNON, TEXAS

NOTICE

A representative of the Hardeman-Foard National Farm Loan Association will spend each Saturday in Crowell for the purpose of taking applications for loans and for the transaction of any other business incident to its operations.

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DEPENDABLE ROOFS

For roofs that last on business buildings or residences call collect or write PIONEER ROOFING CO. Phone 470 Vernon, Texas

Two Minute Sermon

(By Thomas Hastwell) Pictures of memory: There is a poem which contains the lines: "Of all the pictures on memories' walls, the one of the dim old forest seemeth the best of all." Each of us is engaged each day of our lives in creating pictures that will hang on the walls of our memory as long as we shall live. Some of these will be pictures of happy times and some of them will be filled with sadness and unhappiness. Some of them will be pictures that we will go back to in memory many times to look upon and will be pictures that will wish we recall their happy scenes. Others might remove from the walls of our memory, but, happy or unhappy, good or otherwise, they will remain just as we made them and hung them there. If we desire to live with the memory of good and beautiful pictures we must create and hang that kind of pictures each day as we live.

Charter Oak is a tree in Hartford, Connecticut in which the colonial charter was supposed to have been hidden in 1687. A red dye is made from the combinal bug.

STAGE SHOW TONIGHT - KRRLD'S TEXAS ROUNDUP DON'T MISS IT!

Social Happenings

MRS. T. B. KLEPPER, Editor
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Miss Geneile Nelson and John H. Mullins Wed Saturday Evening

In a simple double ring wedding ceremony Miss Geneile Nelson became the bride of John H. Mullins at the First Baptist Church on Saturday evening, May 22, at 6:30 in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

The altar was beautifully decorated with tall baskets of white gladioli and candelabra which held white candles.

Mrs. N. B. Moon played pre-nuptial selections which included "Always" and the traditional wedding marches. Mrs. W. F. Stater sang, "Oh, Promise Me."

Miss Dorothy Pechacek of Crowell and Miss Pat Camp of Vernon lighted the candles. Miss Berdelle Nelson, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor and Ben Smith of Vernon was best man to the groom.

The bride, attired in a soft rose dress with which she wore white accessories, was given in marriage by her brother, Basil Nelson. She carried a white Bible topped with a shower bouquet of gardenias. Her maid of honor wore an aqua dress with white and brown accessories. Her corsage was a white gardenia.

Miss Sue Jones registered the guests in the bride's book. The mother of the bride and the mother of the groom wore corsages of white gladioli and other members of the wedding party wore white carnation corsages.

Mrs. Mullins is the daughter of the late O. H. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson of Crowell. She is a graduate of Crowell High School and was employed by the Leo Spencer Insurance Agency in Crowell and the T. E. Davis Agency of Vernon. She has lived in Vernon for the past two years.

Mr. Mullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mullins of Abilene. He served 3 years in the 32nd Marine Division during World War II. He was employed by the Goodyear Tire Co. of Vernon until his recent transfer to Monticello, Ark. where he is manager of a Goodyear Tire store.

The couple left immediately following the wedding for Monticello where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mullins and a number of Vernon friends attended the wedding.

The average comet is 80,000 miles in diameter and the tail may stretch out 100,000,000 miles.

Miss Moon Becomes Bride of David Bowley Saturday

Miss Imogene Moon became the bride of David Bowley in a candlelight ceremony at the First Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon, May 22, at 4 o'clock.

Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor of the church and uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony before an altar arrangement of white tapers in wrought iron candelabra flanked by tall baskets of white gladioli and stock.

Mrs. N. B. Moon played "Oh Promise Me" while the candles were lighted by Misses Ora Mae Fox and Marjorie Brock. Mrs. Moon accompanied Ray Baker of Fort Worth who sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly." She also played the wedding march from Wagner and the Mendelssohn recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by Dan Orr of Graham, was attired in an aqua blue lace and crepe tunic dress with which she chose to wear white accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Miss Fay Griffin, the bride's maid of honor, wore an aqua blue and yellow flower garden dress with brown and white accessories. Her corsage was of white sweet peas. Clarence Oster of Saint Jo, served as best man and Charles Davis was usher.

Mrs. Bowley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moon of Charleston, Ark. She attended the schools of that city. Mr. Bowley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley of the Vivian community. He is a graduate of Crowell High School.

At the reception which followed the ceremony, Miss Lola Maye Fox presided at the bride's book and Misses Ora Mae Fox, Marjorie Brock and Betty Williams served at the refreshment table.

Bridal Shower Given to Compliment Mrs. James Welch Thursday

Mrs. James Welch, a recent bride, was honored on Thursday afternoon, May 20, at a beautiful bridal shower given at the Adolphian Club House with Mesdames R. L. Kincaid, Oscar Bowman, Charlie Wishon, Joe Burkett, Charlie Bryson, J. C. Prosser, Arthur Sandlin, Earl Davis and Arthur Bell as hostesses.

The guests were received by Mrs. Burkett and presented to the receiving line headed by Mrs. Kincaid who introduced them to Mrs. Welch and Mrs. J. Y. Welch, mother of the groom. Mrs. Homer Street of Vernon registered them in the bride's book.

Mrs. D. D. Denison played incidental piano selections throughout the receiving hour. Mrs. Bowman invited the guests into the attractive dining room where the table was laid with a beautiful Chinese linen lace banquet cloth. The centerpiece was formed of white rosebuds, snapdragons, stock, sweet peas and greenery and flanked by tall white candles. A miniature bride and groom was used at the end of a white satin ribbon bridal path.

Miss Ruth Worthington of Wichita Falls poured orange punch which was served with dainty cookies and mints. Assisting in the dining room were Misses Jean Hughton, Maurine Youree and Marcia Kincaid.

Other members of the house party entertained in the gift room and other parts of the house. Mrs. Welch received many lovely and useful gifts.

W. P. Hord and Miss Shirley Moos Will Wed on August 28th

Announcement has been made in Austin of the engagement and approaching marriage of W. P. Hord, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hord, of Crowell, and Miss Shirley Elaine Moos. The wedding will take place in the St. Lutheran Church in Austin on August 28.

Miss Moos is a junior nutrition major at the University of Texas. She is a member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, Home Economics Club, Austin Club and Lutheran Student Association.

W. P. is a junior business administration major at the University. He is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

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The guests were greeted by Mrs. Williams and presented to the receiving line composed of Miss Moon, Mrs. C. A. Bowley, mother of the groom-elect and Mrs. N. B. Moon, aunt of the honoree.

Miss Lola Maye Fox secured the signatures of the guests in the bride's book and directed them to the pretty refreshment table where dainty squares of white cake were served with frosted lime punch by Misses Marjorie Brock, Betty Williams, Ora Mae Fox and Fay Griffin. Tiny white wedding bells on dainty white napkins embossed with "Imogene and David" served as plate favors.

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President Frank Pierce of Dearborn Motors Corporation gave an enthusiastic talk on the optimistic outlook of the farmers of America and the very important part that the farm equipment dealer would play in this activity.

Mr. Tom Farrell, Vice President and Mr. Merritt Hill, General Sales Manager, both of Dearborn Motors Corporation, gave many pertinent facts regarding the past, present and future of the farm equipment business. Mr. Larry Pomeroy, Western Regional Manager of the Corporation, dealt with facts pertinent to the dealers of the great southwest.

Mr. Barker says, "This was a most inspiring meeting," and he said that he is "more enthusiastic than ever now over the new Ford Tractor and Dearborn Farm Equipment."

Experiments are being conducted at Iowa State College to produce a superior popping popcorn. Not long ago a popcorn that would expand twenty-four times its original size was considered good. Now good popcorn expands from twenty-eight to thirty times its original size and varieties have been developed that expand to

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