

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAR. 31, 1955

TEN PAGES

Crowell Schools Begin Self-Appraisal Study at Meeting Held Last Tuesday

Crowell's entire school faculty Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 4 p. m. to start their self-appraisal study of the local schools. The pupils were sent to the meeting early to make it possible. There will be appraisal meetings on a regular basis this spring. The Texas Education Agency requested all schools to make a study. It is designed to evaluate quality of work done in schools, finding strong and weak points and bringing out constructive ideas for improvements. Guidance tests are being given in both High School and Junior High School students this week. The three upper grades are taking the Kuder Preference Record, a national test and the Junior High students are taking the mental abilities test. The vocational test is for the purpose of determining the student's preference in type of work to follow. The mental ability test stresses verbal-meaning, word-fluency, and number reasoning. Dr. Veril A. Tester of Tulsa, Okla., a guidance specialist, explained these tests to the student body two weeks ago. Superintendent Grady Graves and both Principals, Henry Black and Clark Hitt, attended an area meeting in Wichita Falls last fall where representatives from the Texas Education Agency explained this program in detail. Mr. Black and Mr. Hitt attended a follow-up meeting at Electra last month.

Superintendent Graves announced the following committee members at Tuesday afternoon's meeting:

1. Curriculum Planning and Development: Henry Black, chairman; Marvin Myers and Mrs. Grady Graves.
2. Social Skills and Attitudes: Clark Hitt, chairman; Mrs. Zelma Hulme and Thayne Amonett.
3. Other Instructional Areas: Miss Marilyn Hays, chairman; Mrs. Doyle Kener, E. L. Rickard and Mrs. W. C. Smith.
4. Pupil Services: Mrs. F. A. Davis, chairman; Mrs. Grace Davis and Miss Marian Hays.
5. Ways to Determine Individual Differences: Mrs. Lewis Sloan, chairman; Mrs. Earl Manard and Mrs. Ernest King.
6. Instructional Materials: Mrs. Gordon Cooper, chairman; Mrs. Otto Davenport, Mrs. Carrie Hart and Mrs. Elmo Todd.
7. Methods, Techniques and Procedures: Mrs. Guy Bounds, chairman; Miss Florence Black, Gordon Erwin and Glen Taylor.
8. Continuous Evaluation of Pupil Progress: James Welch, chairman; Mrs. Dick Todd, Mrs. Floyd Thomas and Mrs. Ector Solis.

Community Concert Membership Drive Now Underway

Community Concert time in town is here again. The Community Concert Association opens its membership drive now. Three or four cents or even more are assured, depending upon the results of the membership campaign. The attractions to be presented during the 1955-56 season will be selected by an artist committee at the completion of the membership campaign. Any suggestions will be welcome. Dues for the Community Concert are \$6.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students. There are no admissions sold for any concert during the season and membership will be accepted to the close of the campaign. Admission to each concert is by membership card only. Members will receive their cards by mail in sufficient time before the first concert in the fall of 1955.

Ellenburger Test Being Drilled on Grady Halbert Land

The Stasney-Halbert No. 1, Ellenburger wildcat test spudded in on March 15 on Grady Halberts land in the Foard City community, was down to 4,824 feet Sunday.

The test is being drilled by H. R. Stasney of Albany. Cato Test A 5,500-foot wildcat test will be drilled on the E. V. Cato place three miles east of Thalia by B. D. Burke of Oklahoma City. The rig was being moved in the first of the week.

Crowell Merchants Will Offer Dollar Day Bargains Friday and Saturday

Monthly dollar days, which are scheduled for the first week end in each month, will be observed by Crowell merchants next Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2. Extra copies of the News will be printed and mailed to box holders in the trade area with advertisements telling of the bargains obtainable at stores in Crowell on those two days.

DOWN TOWN BIBLE CLASS

There were seventy-nine men present Sunday morning at the Down Town Bible Class, including six visitors and one new member. The visitors were introduced by Claude Callaway. The group singing was led by T. T. Golightly with Mrs. J. R. Beverly as accompanist. In the opening exercises, Mrs. Howard Ferguson and Mrs. Delmar McBeath favored the Sunday morning assembly with two beautiful numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Paul Shirley. Leslie Thomas, regular teacher, delivered a forceful message in his usual capable manner.

Church School Attendance Report

Church school attendance at the various churches of the county for Sunday, March 27, follows:

Assembly of God	85
First Christian	85
First Baptist	202
Margaret Baptist	32
Margaret Methodist	14
Crowell Methodist	158
Down Town Bible Class	79
Total	655

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO NEWS

Subscriptions received to The Foard County News since March 18 follow:

Mrs. Doyle Callaway, Crowell; Mrs. Henry J. Evans, Austin; C. O. Midland, Route 1, Crowell; J. M. Hill Jr., Matador; Rouse J. Todd, Fort Devans, Mass.; Glenn Shook, Route 1, Crowell; Mrs. C. W. Barker, Crowell; Mrs. Doyle Kenner, Crowell; Mrs. R. H. Tanner, Crowell; Darwin Bell, Crowell; Bruce Benham, Hobbs, N.M.; Mrs. L. D. Campbell, Vernon; Henry Tague, McAadoo; Chas. Hathaway, Thalia; Mrs. Jack Brown, Truscott.



REV. BOB DYAL

Baptist Revival to Start at Foard City Next Sunday, April 3

The Baptist revival for the Foard City Church will start April 3, and continue through the next Sunday, April 10. Rev. Bob Dyal of Fort Worth will do the preaching for this revival. He is a 1952 graduate of Baylor University, and is now attending Southwestern Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, and has been active in youth evangelistic work and also filled successful pastorates. The public is invited to attend these services.

Houston Adkins New Operator of Phillips Station

Houston Adkins, who has been operating the Gulf Service Station on the corner of First and Commerce for more than five years, will take over the operation of the Phillips "66" Station on East Commerce April 1, it was announced this week. At the same time, Jim Paul Norman will assume the duties of operating the Gulf station.

Easter Sunrise Service at Christian Church

An inspiring Easter Sunrise Service is being planned at the First Christian Church to be held on April 10. "Special songs, a children's choir, and James Earl Ladd II will help to make this service a memorable occasion," William R. Tucker, Minister, stated. "Everyone is invited to attend and we feel that you will be richly blessed from this quiet, simple worship service."

Jim Paul Norman to Operate Gulf Station Starting Friday

Jim Paul Norman will take over the operation of the Gulf Service Station tomorrow, Friday, April 1. He has recently been employed at Shirley-Youree Drug. Native of Crowell and a 1953 graduate of Crowell High School, Norman is well known as a football player during his high school days. Following graduation here, he attended Howard Payne College in Brownwood for 1 1/2 years.

Joan Schwartz Wins Spelling Bee Tryout

Joan Schwartz, a sixth grade student of the Thalia School, won the spelling bee tryout Wednesday, March 23, in a special assembly held at 10:30 a. m. John Wright pronounced the words for the contestants and the teachers acted as judges. Bill Taylor will be the alternate.

ROTARY CLUB

Visitors at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Rotary Club were O. L. Jenkins of Quanah, Glenn Fox and Rev. C. T. Aly of Crowell. Miss Jo Helen Aly served as pianist in the absence of Janis Crowell. Glenn Goodwin was in charge of the program and introduced Dr. Myrddin Lewis of Birmingham, England, who made an interesting and enlightening talk on "Fellowship." Dr. Lewis is doing the preaching in the revival meeting at the First Baptist Church.

W. E. (Ed) Taylor Dies at Mobeetie Friday, March 25

Burial Made in Old Margaret Cemetery Monday Afternoon

Funeral services for W. E. (Ed) Taylor, 72, long-time resident of Foard County, were held at the Margaret Methodist Church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. T. M. Johnston of Abilene, assisted by Rev. Albert Cooper of Mobeetie and Rev. W. J. Knoy of Margaret.

Mr. Taylor passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Murel J. Trout, in Mobeetie Friday night, March 25, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held for Lee Roy Bratcher, World War I veteran, at the Crowell Cemetery Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock under the direction of the Gordon J. Ford Post of the American Legion. Rev. C. T. Aly, former Army chaplain, conducted the services.

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Military Graveside Services Conducted Here Wednesday

Graveside military services were held for Lee Roy Bratcher, World War I veteran, at the Crowell Cemetery Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock under the direction of the Gordon J. Ford Post of the American Legion. Rev. C. T. Aly, former Army chaplain, conducted the services. Mr. Bratcher passed away in a Veterans Hospital in Oklahoma City Friday, March 25. He left Crowell about four weeks ago to enter the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo and was later transferred to Oklahoma City. He was born Jan. 5, 1895, and is survived by two brothers, Irvin Bratcher of Rialto, Calif. The brother from Quanah was here for the last rites.

J. G. Cooper to Open Firestone Store on North Main Street

J. G. Cooper has announced that he will open a new Firestone Store in the Carroll building north of the City Hall on Friday, April 1. Mr. Cooper, a veteran service station operator in Crowell, had been operating the Phillips "66" Station on East Commerce until the end of March. The new store will handle a complete line of Firestone tires and tubes, and home and auto supplies, in addition to operating the pumps with Texaco gasoline and stocking other Texaco petroleum products.

Twenty-Five Members of Thalia Lodge Receive 25-Year Pins Last Friday Night

Masons of the 90th Masonic District witnessed the presentation of 25-year pins to twenty-five members of Thalia Lodge No. 666, A. F. & A. M., at the bi-monthly meeting of the district held at Thalia last Friday night. The presentations were made by Dr. W. F. Baber of Vernon, District Deputy Grand Master. Principal speaker for the affair was George W. Lawler of Wichita Falls, district deputy Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Texas. He was introduced by John W. Wright, secretary of the Thalia lodge.

HOSPITAL NOTES

FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL
Patients In:
Tom D. Robinson.
Mrs. Lee Roy Stasner.
Mrs. Shirley Duncan.
Fred C. Borchardt.
Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.
Mrs. Faye Swain.
Mrs. Jim Owens.
Mrs. Glenn Chappell.
Patients Dismissed:
Mrs. C. E. Dunn.
Sandra Chowning.
Marion Ferguson.
Phil Swift.
Gwen Naron.
Nan Naron.
Jim Owens.
Janis Joy.
Bill Griffith.
Mrs. A. A. Manning.
C. H. Laquey.
Mrs. Jessie Nolen.
Mrs. Tom Doekins.
Mrs. Will L. Johnson.
Homer C. Duncan.
James W. Hazelwood.

Death Claims Mrs. Frank Hofues Tues.

A message was received here Tuesday night by Wolford Thompson telling of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Frank Hofues, at her ranch home near Los Alamos, Calif., Tuesday. Mrs. Hofues was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, pioneer Crowell residents, and was reared in Crowell. Since her marriage to Mr. Hofues she had made her home in Southern California, although she still maintained a home in Dallas. Survivors are her husband and step-son, Frank Hofues Jr., one brother and two sisters. The sisters are Mrs. H. W. Cotner of Altus, Okla., and Mrs. Ted Burrow of Lubbock.

Tom Crowell Wins Spelling Bee Contest

Tom Crowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crowell, won the Foard County Spelling Bee contest which was conducted in the high school auditorium Tuesday afternoon. Joan Schwartz of Thalia was the runner-up. Winners will compete in the district meet at Wichita Falls on April 23.



Belgium Demonstrators Protest Aid Cut

Belgium demonstrators protested against a proposed cut in State aid to Catholic schools. An estimated 750 persons have been jailed and hospitals are overflowing with casualties from the rioting.

City Officials to Be Elected Tuesday

Mrs. Grace McLaughlin will be the presiding officer in the city election Tuesday, April 5, when a mayor and three aldermen will be elected. Names on the ticket will be Hubert Brown for mayor, and C. R. Seale, Lee Black and J. R. Beverly for aldermen.

Band to Participate in Jacksboro Meet

The Crowell High School Band will go to Jacksboro on Saturday to participate in the First Annual Jacksboro Band Festival, sponsored jointly by the Jacksboro Chamber of Commerce and the Jacksboro Band Booster Club. Forty-four members of the band are scheduled to attend. E. L. Rickard, director, stated Wednesday. They will be accompanied by several parents and interested persons.

Pre-Easter Revival to Begin Sunday, April 3, at Margaret Church

A week-long pre-Easter revival will be held at the Margaret Methodist Church beginning Sunday, April 3, and ending Sunday, April 10, according to an announcement made Monday by Rev. W. J. Knoy, pastor of the church. Rev. Grady Adcock, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church, will preach for the meeting. Services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock, except Tuesday night, when the services will begin at 7:00 o'clock.

Betty Crocker Sale to Be Continued

Owing to the extreme cold weather during last week end, the Betty Crocker Meet Your Neighbor Benefit sale in the Crowell grocery stores is being extended to include this coming week end. A percentage of the proceeds of the sale of Betty Crocker Baking Mixes goes to the Senior Class of Crowell High School.

School Trustees to Be Elected Saturday

Two trustees for the Crowell Consolidated Independent School District will be elected Saturday, April 2. Voting will take place in the office of the school secretary, L. A. Andrews.

Farm-to-Market Road No. 98 Will Be Extended Four Miles East of Margaret

Included in the April lettings of the State Highway Department will be the construction of the extension of Farm-to-Market Road No. 98 approximately four miles east from Margaret, it was announced here Tuesday by Vance

Favor of Quanah, highway maintenance foreman. This extension will bring the paved road to within the vicinity of the farm of Mrs. J. S. Ray.

Mr. Favor further stated that it is possible that the widening of Highway 70 from the end of the concrete paving west of Crowell to the Wilbarger County line will also be included in the April lettings of the Highway Department.

A 3-foot hot mix addition will be added to each side of the present paving with a paved 6-foot shoulder on each side, making a 24-foot overall roadway. Mr. Favor stated.

One-Act Play to Be Presented Here Tuesday Evening

The Crowell High School One-Act play, "The Enemy," winner of the District, will be presented to the public here in Crowell for the first time next Tuesday evening at 8:00 p. m. The play is only 25 minutes long, but the declamations that will be presented at the District meet, along with several choral numbers, will make the program last for an hour and fifteen minutes.

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Revival to Begin at Christian Church Sunday, April 3

A revival meeting has been announced to begin at the First Christian Church Sunday, April 3, continuing until Sunday, April 10. James Earl Ladd II will be the evangelist and services will be held nightly at 7:30 p. m. Some of the sermon subjects are The Valley Road, Walking on the Sea, The Lord's Prayer, The Sin of Prayerlessness, And Ye Would Not, The Cross and the Crescent, The Hour-Hand of God, and The Trumpet Sounds Within My Soul.

LEAVES FOR PERU

H. K. Edwards, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edwards, left Wednesday morning for Houston by plane from Wichita Falls. Mr. Edwards, employed as an engineer by the Texas Petroleum Co., will leave from Houston for Lima, Peru, as a field operator for the company in oil exploration work. He will be away from the States for two years. For the past two months, Mr. Edwards has been engaged in assembling drilling equipment in Houston to be shipped to Peru.

Riverside

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and Rita Sue spent the week end with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Crisp and baby of Hereford. Mrs. Ewald Schroeder returned Saturday from Houston where she had been attending the bedside of her son, Dr. A. S. Kasperik, who had undergone surgery. He is improved. James Adkins and father-in-law, Clyde McKinley, of Fort Worth visited James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins, Friday afternoon and attended the Masonic Lodge meeting at Thalia Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitten of Ardmore, Okla., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten. Mrs. Whitten remained for a longer visit. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ward and family of Wichita Falls visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward, during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and Billy Doyle and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shultz and Jerry of Vinita spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Glen Gable, and Mr. Gable, and their son, Norman Shultz, all of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richter and family of Electra visited their aunt, Mrs. T. L. Ward, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Eldon Clark and Glena have returned to their home at Plainview after visiting her sister, Mrs. Ewald Schults, and family and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bodling. Mrs. Roy Ayers has returned from a visit with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Kampen, of Houston and she also visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Milton Cooper and son of Goldthwaite. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher were visitors in Altus, Okla., Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Albert Peters, and Mr. Peters of Bortomont. Mrs. R. N. Swan attended a bridal shower for Mrs. Cleve Prince of Vernon last week. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Karcher were in Wichita Falls Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moore attended funeral services for Mr. Rose of Vernon Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Vaughn of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Swan Sunday. Mrs. A. T. Bodling of Lockett honored her husband on his birthday Wednesday night with a social. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Hulda Kretschmer, Bill and David Rummel of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Graf and Robert and Carolyn Rummel of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schults and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and LaVey. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray and family of Iowa Park spent the

week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller, his mother, Mrs. R. A. Miller and daughter, Mrs. Shorty Horn, of Norman, Okla., spent Sunday afternoon with their uncle and brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shipp, of Vinson, Okla. Mr. Miller had not seen his uncle for 35 years. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moore visited Mrs. E. L. Stanley of Vernon Sunday afternoon. Joe Mott of Bortomont is visiting his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Taylor have been visiting relatives at Garland and her sister, Mrs. S. C. Starr, and Mr. Starr of Kilgore. Mrs. R. G. Whitten and two brothers, Hubert and J. Q., and wives, visited their cousin, Mrs. Walter Dunlap, in Colorado last Thursday night and attended funeral services for their aunt, Mrs. Sallie Flaniken, of Springfield, Colo., Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Casada and son of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward Sunday afternoon. A number from this community attended funeral services for Ed Taylor of Mobeetie at the Methodist Church in Margaret Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Belew and mother, Mrs. J. F. Belew, of Vernon were supper guests of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Cliff Cribbs, and Mr. Cribbs Sunday evening. Rudolph Richter, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richter. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matus and family of Soudan, Vernon visited his brother, Johnnie Matus, and family Thursday night. Chris Taylor of Longview and Mrs. U. S. Davis of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers Sunday afternoon. Wanda Moore is on the sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Prince visited her cousin, Mrs. R. N. Swan, and Mr. Swan Saturday en route to their home at Silver City, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts of Crowell visited Mrs. John S. Ray and mother Sunday afternoon. Mrs. R. A. Miller and daughter, Mrs. Shorty Horn, of Norman, Okla., spent the week end with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller. Mrs. Monroe Karcher and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haseloff, were visitors in Wichita Falls Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mobley of Elliott spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Zacek. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz have been attending the bedside of his brother, Lee Shultz, in a Vernon hospital. Mrs. Charley Gray spent several days last week with her niece, Mrs. W. W. Kinney, of Vernon, who recently underwent surgery.

TESTING STEEL BY SOUND

Testing steel by means of sending sound waves through the material and observing the markings which appear on a television-type screen enables Hyatt Bearings Division of General Motors to weed out faulty materials before they are processed.

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Rayland

MRS. BUCK CLARK

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Russom and daughter of Lamesa spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russom and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Quisenberry, and families. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson visited Thursday with her sister, Mrs. D. L. Murphy, and family of Oklahoma City. Dan Cleveland returned to A&M after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cleveland. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Wilkins of Plainview were week end guests of her sister, Mrs. N. H. Harrell, and son. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson visited Thursday with their son, Wilbert Joe Wood, and family of Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wood and family of Wichita Falls visited over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson and Mrs. Bruno Bergt of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark of Kamay were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark. Henry Jordan of Amarillo came Tuesday for a visit in the Buck Clark home. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Richter and family visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ruby Matus. Mr. and Mrs. James Bowen of Wichita Falls visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Streit, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hereford and Mrs. Lester Briston and daughter, Debra, of Davidson, Okla., visited Sunday in the Bill Deberry home. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Daniel and Susan made a business trip to Plainview Wednesday. Mrs. Bruno Bergt of Crowell visited Friday and Saturday with her son, Antone, and family. Mrs. J. N. Pierce returned home Friday from St. Jo where she had been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. H. L. Ashcraft. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schulz visited from Saturday till Monday with their son, Monroe, and family of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schulz and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulz and Gary were business visitors in Duke, Okla., Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulz and Gary visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bredy, of Cordell, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulz made a business trip to Wichita Falls Monday. Mrs. R. A. Miller of Norman, Okla., and Mrs. Cressie Horn of Lee Almond, N. M., visited last week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. W. W. Carr, and husband. Sunday they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller to Vinson, Okla., where they visited Mrs. Carr's aunt, Mrs. Winnie Shipp, and husband.

Nickel in Stainless Steels

The resistance to corrosion and oxidation of all types of stainless steels is based primarily upon the chromium content of these alloys. However, those containing nickel, in addition to chromium, have a higher over-all corrosion-resistance and greater ductility. The nickel-containing grades are readily workable by all processes including forging, drawing, spinning and stamping, and are usually preferred for use in food and drug processing equipment because of their excellent resistance to corrosion which eliminates the possibility of contamination.



PANAMA TRIAL CALLED "GREATEST OF INFAMIES" —Former President of Panama Jose Ramon Guizado is flanked by two guards as he appears before the National Assembly, which is acting as a special tribunal in Panama City. Guizado is on trial on charges of insti-

gating the slaying of his predecessor, Pres. Jose Antonio Remon, assassinated at Juan Franco Race Track in January. The confessed slayer, Ruben O. Miro, an attorney, had implicated him in the assassination plot. Guizado claims this trial to be "the greatest of infamies."

Truscott

MARY K. CHOWNING

C. H. Laquey has recently been dismissed from the Crowell hospital. C. A. McNeese of Presidio spent several days recently visiting his wife and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and girls, Ann and Sue, of Knox City spent Saturday visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Brown of Electra spent one day this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and Mary Ann, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jones, here. Tommy Robinson, section man for Truscott, was admitted to the Crowell hospital one day this week. Mrs. Frank Adeock returned home Monday from spending some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Young, and family in Benjamin. Mrs. J. E. Stover of Chillicothe spent the week end here. Several from this community visited George Brown in the Quannah Hospital this past week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hickman were Vernon visitors one afternoon this week. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reed Jones and daughter of Floydada spent several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones, and Tony here. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr of Vivian spent last Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Marion Chowning Jr., and family here. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moody of Ranger spent the week end visiting friends and relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and children were Vernon visitors Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Williams and Judy Woods spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams, in Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and girls of Vivian spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie. Mrs. T. C. Watson and Wayne of Knox City spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Haynie, and other relatives here. Mrs. Clifford Ohr Jr. of Lubbock spent last week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Haynie, and other relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins spent awhile Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Choate, in Margaret. Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning spent Saturday in Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and children spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marrow, and family and other relatives in Clarendon. Mrs. Levie Porter and children of Ashtala spent Saturday night visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and family. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Burch and children of Quannah spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bates. Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning spent Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Howard Savage, and husband in Quannah. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Eubank of Lubbock and Edna Eubank of Frederick, Okla., spent the week end visiting Mrs. Bruce Eubank and other relatives here. Mrs. Jack Whitaker spent several days last week visiting relatives in Seymour. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Robinson and small son of Oklahoma City and Lavert Robinson of Waxahachie spent the week end at the bedside of their father, Tommy Robinson, in the Crowell hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caddell of Munday and Buddy Caddell of Ranger spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell, and Linda. Mrs. Charlie Haynie of Munday visited awhile Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bullion and family and Mrs. J. M. Edwards of Seymour spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Bullion and other relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey were Abilene visitors one day last week.

LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK BY TED GOULDY

A total of 24,306 sheep and lambs arrived for Monday's trade at Fort Worth. The unexpectedly large offering was the biggest since May 22, 1950, when 25,100 were unloaded. Largest day prior to that was in May, 1948, when 37,807 were unloaded in one marketing day. Most unusual aspect of the big run was that it came so early in the season. Big movement of Texas lambs usually happens in May or June. The big offering was about 75 per cent milk fat lambs of the new crop aimed at the Easter trade. Lambs processed the forepart of this week will be sold to Easter lamb buyers in the North and East next week. Trade opened 50 cents to \$1 lower on all sheep and lambs and prices slid downward to \$1 and spots \$2 lower by the close. Choice lambs drew \$23 to \$25, and old crop fat lambs sold from \$20 down. Old wethers topped at \$14. Trade on most classes of cattle and calves at Fort Worth Monday was active and fully steady to strong. The only class experiencing severe pressure was fed steers, yearlings, and heifers. Fed cattle sold steady to weak, some of the plainer quality fat cattle unevenly lower. Cows were active and fully steady. Bulls sold stronger. Cows ranged up to \$14 and a few bulls sold to \$14.50. Fed cattle sold

Danger of Soil Compaction Cited

Soil compaction someday may rank with erosion as a factor limiting crop production, says County Agent Joe Burkett. Land used for intensive cultivation and grazing is in greatest danger. Compaction of the soil, says Burkett, begins to limit crop production when the soil particles are pushed together so closely the movement of air and water through the soil is restricted. Plant roots upon reaching the compacted layer—or hard pan—begin to grow in a lateral direction. Soil compaction is often associated with clay and clay loam soils. The Agent says they also form in sandy and medium organic type soils. "Best remedy for this condition is to work with nature and

First Electrolytic

The first commercial production of electrolytic cobalt was recently initiated at International Nickel in Sarnia, Ontario, refinery. The production of the developed after extensive pilot plant studies. Electrolytic cobalt is particularly important in the manufacture of where high purity is essential, such as in the rocket chromium alloys as applied jet aircraft engine.

DISASTERS IN TEXAS

252 of the 254 counties in Texas have been affected by major disasters in the past year—major disasters which killed 970 persons, 91,585 more, destroyed 91,585 homes, and affected families.—Texas Defense

NORMAN GULF SERVICE STA I will take over operation of the Gulf Service Station Friday, April 1, and we appreciate the continued patronage of our customers of this station, and respectfully solicit the patronage of new customers. I will do my best to give you good service at all times. Come to see me. Jim Paul Norman

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS GOOD USED TIRES (Whites and Blacks) \$1.00 and up CROWELL'S

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WAIT A MINUTE

"Haste Makes Waste."
 There is much truth in this old adage, even in these modern times. The main trouble with most people is that they seldom believe in anything considered "antiquated."

Modern times have brought the desire for rushing or hurrying. Everyone is rushing here or burning there. Do we ever take time out to think a little bit. Even the simplest task cannot be done right if we don't premeditate to some extent.

If one has a definite deadline to meet, the last minute is not the time to begin. Why don't we stop our hurrying sometimes to think about some things for a minute. You would be surprised at what can be accomplished in a minute.

EX-STUDENT MARY CARROLL HAS SOLAR HOME

We find that our ex-students are extremely modest, but by way of the grapevine we have learned that Mary Carroll, now Mrs. Pete Chamberlain of Penns Grove, N. J., has one of the few solar homes of the United States.

After graduation from CHS, Mary attended Baylor University. Following this, she was employed by E. I. du Pont de Ne Mours Co. where she received high acclaim for her work. She was among the workers of the plant who assisted in the discovery of sodium, a bleaching element used in detergents.

The house is built around the seasons. The primary design was done by Mrs. Chamberlain and few alterations were made in the final blueprint. The house has an exaggerated overhang on the roof which provides a shade during all hours of the day in the summer when the sun is high in the sky. As winter approaches, and the sun sinks lower in the sky, light rays are emitted through the double glass walls which are sealed with gases that keep the glass from frosting over. They, in turn, warm the house by the process of radiation. Also, it is built among a grove of trees where the winds cannot create too much of a gale, but the trees are thin enough to allow the sun to shine through upon the front.

ELEMENTARY LIBRARIES HAVE VOLUMES ON SHELVES FOR STUDENT PERUSAL

Over two hundred new books have been added to the Crowell Grade School libraries. Mrs. Violet King, in charge of the sixth, seventh and eighth library, reports that each of the first five grades has a room library. Many books, two sets of encyclopedias, and two magazines have been purchased.

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chased for these room libraries. Each room teacher had the privilege of selecting her own books. Grades six, seven and eight are serviced from a central library. This library also subscribes to The Foard County News, the Wichita Falls Record News, and the National Geographic Magazine.

Selections
 All of the books are among those which will be especially attractive to children, and they include a variety of selections for different age groups.

Among those for the younger boys and girls are: Hurd's "Ben the Bulldozer"; Gag's "Millions of Cats"; de Angell's "Book of Nursery" and others equally as interesting.

A few of the books in the older fiction classification include Lush's "Ocean-Born Mary"; Malvern's "Dancing Star"; Lambert's "Little Miss Atlas"; Breck's "Hoofbeats on the Trail." Among the non-fiction are such titles as: Salomon's "Book of Indian Crafts and Costumes"; Hayes' "Hash-Ki, the Navajo"; and Colby's "Our Flying Jets"; Meany's "The Artful Dodgers"; Young's "Roy Campanella"; Primbie's "Pogi Berra"; and Graham's "Lou Gehrig."

New books of history are such titles as: Salomon's "Book of Indian Crafts and Costumes"; Hayes' "Hash-Ki, the Navajo"; and Colby's "Our Flying Jets"; Meany's "The Artful Dodgers"; Young's "Roy Campanella"; Primbie's "Pogi Berra"; and Graham's "Lou Gehrig."

DON KIDD DRIVER OF THE MONTH IN WICHITA HIGH

Don Kidd, ex-student of CHS, was picked out of the Wichita Falls High School as the driver of the month. This award was made in assembly Friday morning, March 25, by Capt. Tom Hogdigs of the United States Marine Corps Reserve.

The March contest was concluded recently by representatives of the State Highway Patrol and the Wichita Falls Jaycees. The monthly winners in the drivers' contests will compete for the honor of driver-of-the-year in May.

APTITUDE TESTS TO BE GIVEN SENIORS

The C. H. S. seniors will be given an aptitude test before the end of the semester in the hopes that it will help them select a vocation which they will like. It will serve as a guide to those who do not know what they intend to do after their high school days vanish.

Of course, if the tests are not answered frankly and to the best of the student's knowledge, they will not be worth the paper they are printed on. I am sure, however, that the CHS seniors realize that this test could make or break their future plans if they abide by it, but it is still a worthwhile project as it helps you to recognize your skills.

CHS TREES CHOOSE DIOR SILHOUETTE

Everyone and everything is taking on that new, fresh spring look, and the trees on the CHS campus are no exception. The new slim Dior silhouette is also a favorite among the Crowell greenery, so they reduced their trunks and trimmed their branches. Within a few days, after they have been clad in the season's most fashionable color, green, no bird will be able to resist them.

Thanks go to the Crowell FFA boys for supplying the new look.

MORE MONEY RAISED FOR SENIOR TRIP

Last Friday and Saturday, Mar. 25 and 26, were busy days for the top class of CHS. Sales talks and friendly smiles were polished because they were trying industriously to sell Betty Crocker Cake Mix. For each box of the product sold, the delighted seniors received five cents, which added to their growing senior trip fund. The senior class of '55 is the most prosperous in some years, but the class earned it. The ancient American proverb, "You can't get something for nothing" (Continued on page 4)

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THE WILDCAT

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applies to everyone, and the seniors have worked hard for what they have gained.

VERSATILITY PLUS

Perhaps her outstanding characteristic is her hair. It is a cute "boy cut" with soft swirls around her face. Doris Cates, junior class secretary, because of her sweet personality, friendly "Hi" for everyone and her versatile student life, is our outstanding personality of the week.

She has her hands full by being art editor for the Roundup, but she finds time for the "jillion and one" other things she does.

When asked her favorite subject and pastime, this vivacious junior gave that "sheppish" grin we have all seen so much and teasingly replied, "Math, in which I'm so brilliant, and sleeping and eating whenever I get the chance."

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came when Francyne and some of my other chums slipped off to Vernon in my pickup and had a wreck!"

Doris claims art work of any kind as her hobby. She has no special one because she makes reputable grades in all of them. To pass the lonely hours (since she and Coleman broke up) she enjoys riding around with her friends having a "rip snorting" time, and listening to jazz music of any kind!

Her next year is evident; she will still haunt the halls of CHS again, and then go into some field of art.

ABSENCES

The following students were absent one-half day or more due to sickness: Clara Faske, Dale Jones, Barbara Hollen, Ella Black, Larry Rader, Ocie Tarver, Karen Hall, Ronnie Fox, Kerry Brown, Jimmy Rogers, James Cibate, Bud Hammonds, Charlie Bell, Sandra Campbell, Betty Davis, Betty Vessels and T. A. Shook.

The following students were absent one-half day or more due to other reasons: J. M. Cates, Gerry Knox, Lucille Sparks, Billy Green, Don Smith, Albert Cates and Johnny Kajs.

FILMS PORTRAYING COLLEGE LIFE

The CHS juniors and seniors enjoyed two films last Thursday, March 24, in the auditorium. These films portrayed college

life on the campus of two of the largest and most outstanding colleges in Texas—A&M in Bryan and Texas University in Austin.

A&M is not a co-educational school, but it offers many prospects for boys who are interested in agriculture and mechanics. All phases of college life were shown including classwork, social life, and religious advantages. This movie gave a bright and beautiful picture of A&M buildings and grounds. It served as an excellent medium to encourage young boys to attend school there.

Texas University, spoken of as "your university," is the largest school in Texas. It offers many advantages because of that fact. The beautiful grounds, the large classrooms, the social life, the religious and many other outstanding phases of the University were given an insight in this picture.

The films helped tremendously in giving the students a clear explanation and a favorable recommendation to attend either of these schools.

STUDENTS ATTEND BOOK REVIEW IN VERNON

The annual trip to Vernon for Mrs. Herbert Emery's book review was made again on March 29 by the juniors and seniors of CHS.

This trip is made by bus each year and costs each student 25c. The review was held in Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium with the entire building filled with students of Vernon and surrounding schools.

The book reviewed this year was "Love Is Eternal" by Irving Stone. Mrs. Emery gave the book her usual artistry as is evidenced by her invitations to Vernon for the past twelve years.

The students were accompanied on this trip by Grady Graves, Henry Black and Mrs. Lewis Sloan.

TIRED-EYED SENIORS INDICATE APPROACH OF AREA CONTEST

A scream ringing from the auditorium, six weary-eyed seniors pacing the halls repeating lines indicate that the contest play

continues progressing.

Although the play placed first at the district meet in Seymour, the drill must continue.

The area contest will be at Wichita Falls High School April 7. Members of the cast are Joe Don Brown, Gordon Graves, Aldon Garrett, Betty Sue Bartley, Roma Jan Spikes and Carolyn Bursey.

CROWELL MAKES FINE SHOWING AT QUANAH

Crowell's Wildcats participated in their second track meet of the season at Quanah in a triangular meet between the host team, and Crowell and Electra. When the points were tabulated, it was found that Crowell placed second. A strong Quanah team won the meet.

Those who participated and the place that they won are as follows: Jimmy Thaxton, first in the 100 and 220 yard dashes, and first in the broad jump; second in the 440 relay composed of Thaxton, Ray Gibson, Dwayne Boren and Roy Don Payne; Edward Howard, second in the mile; C. T. McDaniel third in the shot and discus; Glen Carroll, fourth in the high jump; Dale Rettig, fourth in the 880 yard dash; mile relay composed of Lowell Page, Printess Gidney, Dwayne Boren and Jimmy Thaxton, third place. A lot of improvement was shown in this meet over the meet at Chillicothe last week.

KAT TELLS

Crowell kids are really busy lately; if they aren't working out for track, it's band or play practice.

There may have been a feud between the McCoy's and Hatfields, but not between the McCoy's and Foxes. J. C. and Shirley were dating Saturday night.

DeAnna dated her beau from Q-town Friday night. We think Carolyn Bursey and another Q-town boy were with them.

Congratulations to C. T. on his new car. Seeing "Battle Cry" at the Plaza Saturday night were Carolyn-Mike and Nelda-Billy John. Carolyn and Mike were together

er Sunday night, too.

The Q-town boy who has been seen with Gail lately is Layton Mayes. They were seen at the local flicks Sunday night.

We hope Robert and Frances enjoy their trip to Austin next week end.

Seeing "Garden of Evil" Saturday night were Jana-Larry, Marketta - Ed, Lynn - Aldon and Barbara - Ted.

Marketta and Ed were at church Sunday night.

At the show Monday night were Peggy - Jackie, June - J. M. and Nelda Kay - Billy John.

Not only is Thaxton a track star; now he's training to be a boxer. He had his first bout Saturday night.

Dating Saturday night were Coleman and June. Surprise!

There's a new steady couple at CHS. "Root" Gibson and Betty Jane.

J. H. Wilkerson came all the way from Quanah Saturday night to see Carolyn Bursey.

From rags to riches! Rufus and Gwen were in a pickup Saturday night and a 1955 Mercury Sunday.

"Just one more chance" — Jo Helen and Jackie.

Lucky boy, lucky girl. Congratulations to Wanda Murphy and Jack Driver.

Getting to be a pretty steady twosome are Ann and C. T. Davis. Gail is surely getting around.

She was with Vernon's Roger Lacy Saturday night.

Lester and Betty Sue visited Vernon Saturday night.

Donna, who was the guy Sunday afternoon?

Dwain and Geraldine were making the block in Crowell Saturday night.

J. M. was seen with Wanda Akers Saturday night.

Nelda Kay and LaRue were escorted home Wednesday from Q-town by some Q-town boys.

Ruth and June Ford had some out of town visitors Tuesday night.

We seem to be having two girls who may square off any day now.

Arleta and R. C. visited the Plaza Sunday night. This is getting to be a habit.

Lulu and J. T. Rutherford

were dating Saturday night. LaRue was seen with E. O. Reed Saturday night. Gilliland is becoming quite popular.

It won't be long until time for the Junior-Senior banquet. Don and Clara were seen at the local flicks Sunday night.

The basketball boys are wearing a big smile, reason—their jackets came in.

A name was added to the hot rod list this week; it was C. T. McDaniel.

We were glad to see Sharon Chatfield home.

Lowell and Elizabeth were in the local flicks Saturday night.

According to the show visitors this must have been a good show. Betty seems to be trying to square off with anyone handy.

Sunday's victim—R. C.'s cousin, Nell, who were the boys you and Virginia were going steady with over the week end? We hear you couldn't find the road Friday night.

Did everyone enjoy the Baptist Church banquet Friday night? We hear it was very nice!

Billy Bond and Billy Joe are popular boys around Crowell now.

Couples and stags seen at the banquet Friday night were Jo Ann, Carolyn, Zoey, Fran, Ginger, Barbara, Jackie - Jo Helen, Ronny-Latrele, Doris - Coleman and Gordon-Billy.

Why didn't anyone go to the Sportatorium Saturday night?

Everybody, FHA girls that is, plan on coming to Date Night April 4. We hear it's going to be fun.

Thomas and Thelma Henry attended the Baptist Sweetheart banquet.

Betty Sue, why were you angry Friday night?

Seems as though Patty and Mary can't make up their minds whom they'd rather go with, Oran or Billy.

Other couples seen at the banquet were Ronnie - Latrele, Noel-Mary Ann and Betty Jane-Ray.

LaVoy and Melvin Hobratsch were seen Saturday night in Vernon.

Hey Betty, "Congratulations." We hear you and Melvin are getting married in Abilene Easter Sunday.

Francyne met some cute Paducah boys Thursday, one in particular.

Ruth and Kenneth were seen Tuesday night.

LOWELL'S LAUGHS

Mrs. Davis: Wake up. You can't sleep in my class.

Kincaid: I could if you didn't talk so loud.

Kelly: How could a woman be so fat?

Sonny: What do you mean?

Kelly: It says here in the paper that an English woman lost 2000 pounds.

C. T. excitedly burst in the door and shouted, "Hey, Dad, I've just sold my dog for ten thousand dollars."

"Ten thousand dollars?" echoed Mr. McDaniel. "Did you get the money?"

"Not exactly," answered C. T.

Specialist Training Open to Volunteers

Although some of the veterans benefits have there are still many opportunities for young citizens who to serve their country in the S. Army, according to S. Bailey of the U. S. Army Training Station, with office in Wilbarger County court.

Since the Army is more "conscientious" than before, there are unlimited opportunities for technical training as well as training in actual performing duties under supervision, S. pointed out.

For example, qualified school graduates can choose over 100 courses in schools and have their guaranteed before they are required to enlist.

Also available to the choice of selecting a branch, which includes the Corps and Ordinance school of the technical skills needed. For example, in the Corps all phases of communication can be found as well as cryptography. In the Ordnance person can learn trades from handling some of the heaviest equipment to pairing.

"Those who want to Europe during their Army may enlist under the Army rotation program called 'Gyroscope,' and by of assignment in Europe during summer," Sgt. S. concluded.

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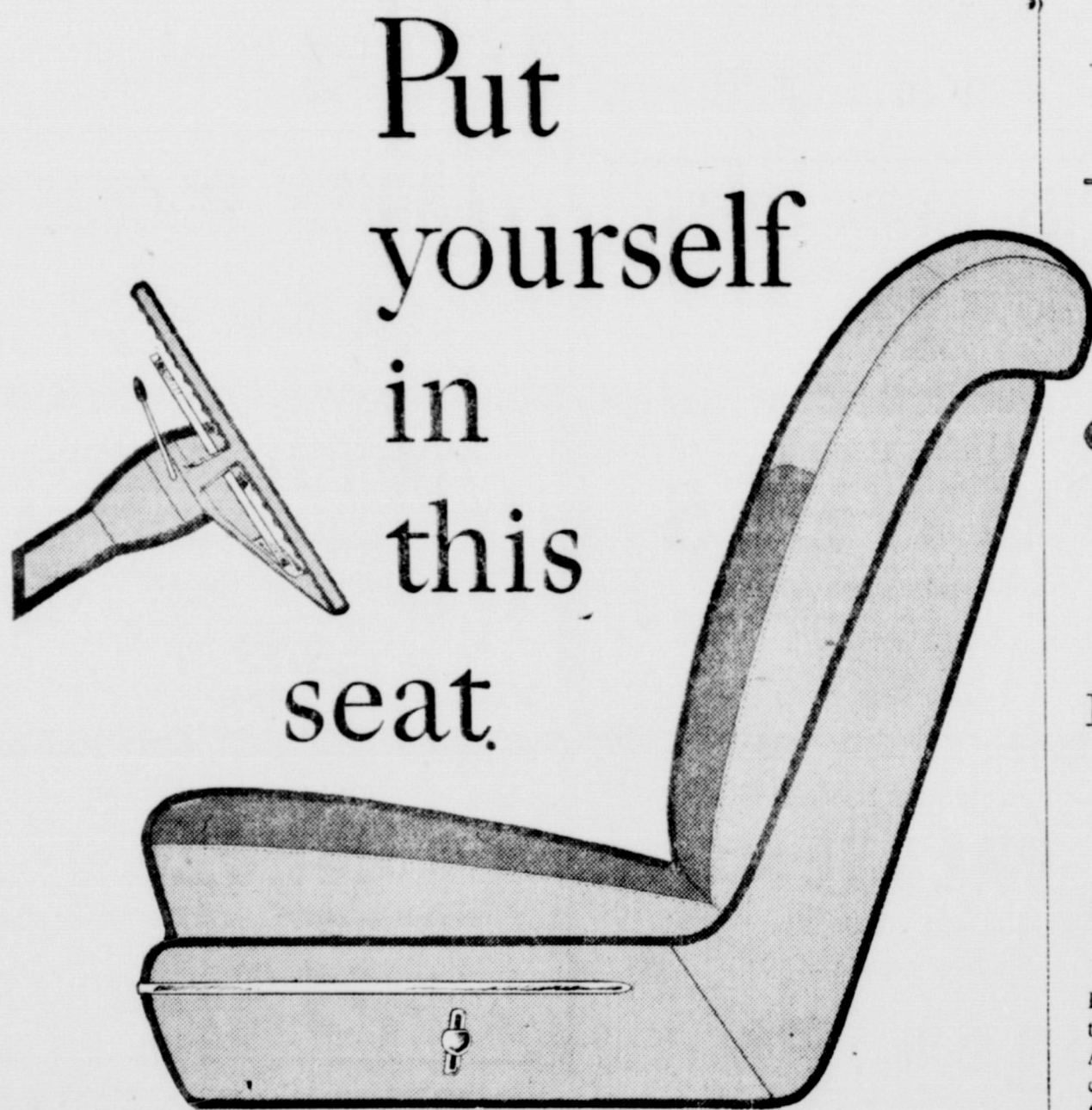
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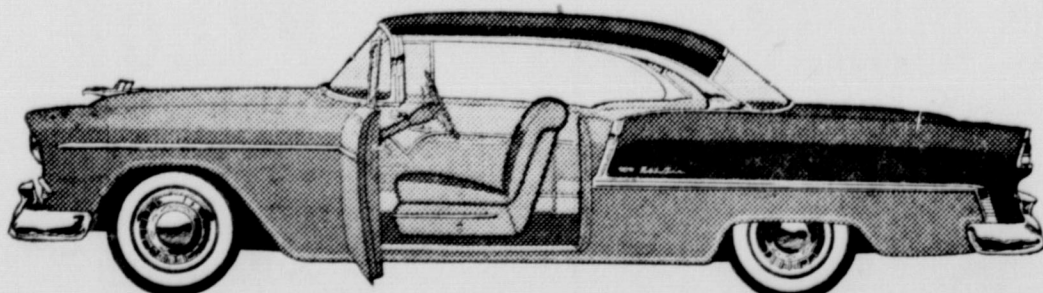
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Miss Bernita Fish, Egbert and Herbert Fish spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and son of Anson and attended the senior play. Jim Sosebee, grandson of Egbert Fish, was a member of the cast.

George and Elbert Anglin of Paducah visited their niece, Mrs. John Fish, and husband Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son, Danny, visited her mother, Mrs. M. C. Gaudin, of Vernon Thursday.

Mrs. Ora Patterson of Roswell, N. M., Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Mrs. Donald Werley, Mrs. C. M. Carroll, Mrs. Chester Hord, Mrs. Maude Rasberry and Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Crowell visited Mrs. Warren Haynie Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathews of Crowell visited Egbert Fish and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lawton and Mrs. A. L. Walling of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Gaudin of Vernon spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Walling, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughters, Suzanne and June, of Vernon spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Fish, and family.

Mrs. Dee Gilbert is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Gaudin, and family of Goodlett and helping entertain their new daughter, Jo Lavelle, born Sunday in the Quannah Hospital.

A. T. Fish and Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish visited A. T. Fish Jr. and daughter, Darlene, in the Paducah hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gentry visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandlin and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Gentry of Beeville and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Sandlin and son of Corpus Christi from Friday until Monday.

Miss Ginger Rae Rasberry was hostess to the Sub-Junior Adolphian Club Wednesday afternoon at the club house in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish Jr. and daughter, Darlene, of Paducah were supper guests of A. T. Fish and daughters Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Owens of Foard City visited their daughter, Mrs. James Sandlin, and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chamberlain and daughters, Leslie, Lou and Carroll, and Mrs. R. S. Carroll visited their aunt and sister, Mrs. B. Simon, and husband of Espanola, N. M., from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Quannah and Mrs. Will Toliver of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chamberlain and daughters.

Mrs. Hartley Easley spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. A. P. Barry, of Charlie.

J. A. Marr made a business trip to Paducah Friday morning. Jimmy Mack Gafford spent Friday night with Jerry Settiff of Crowell.

Misses Janet Ann and Ginger Rae Rasberry attended a young people's banquet at the First Baptist Church in Crowell Friday night.

Mrs. Leslie McAdams and Mrs. James Sandlin and daughters, Judy and Sherry, were Quannah visitors Wednesday.

J. A. Marr and Allen Fish were Vernon visitors Thursday.

Martha Fish spent Wednesday night with Linda Caddell of Truscott.

Mrs. Warren Haynie honored her daughter, Joylyn, with a birthday party at the Community House in Crowell Friday afternoon. Joylyn was six years old that day. Those attending from this community were Judy and Sherry Sandlin, Terri and Jackie Thomas, Jerry Shultz, Mrs. J. A. Marr and Mrs. Carl Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin and daughters were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClain and daughters of Crowell Sunday. Chun Gafford spent Saturday night with Mike Wishon of Crowell.

Mrs. Leslie McAdams was a Quannah visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughters, Joylyn and Sherry, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie, of Truscott Sunday.

Gordon, Martha and John Fish were on the sick list last week. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughters Tuesday night. Miss Bernita Fish, Herbert Fish and Mr. and Mrs. John Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fish and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Prater and children of Paducah Sunday night.

James Sandlin and Chester Hord visited Milton Evans of Floydada Friday.

Miss Myrtle Fish spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Sivelis, of Ogden.

Flying "Down on the Farm" Turns Into Big Business

Use of agricultural airplanes for aerial pest control, weed control, and fertilization adds an estimated \$3 billion to U. S. farm income each year.

The Civil Aeronautics Administration reports that the total amount of dusts and sprays applied by air each year in the U. S. would more than fill 1,000 freight trains, each 50 cars long.

News from the Congress

by Congressman Frank Ikard

Just a short recap of what is happening to important pieces of legislation in the Congress at this time is as follows:

The Reciprocal Trade Bill which passed the House several weeks ago is now in the Senate, the Senate Finance Committee having concluded their hearings this week. The committee will, I am sure, within the next week or two, report the bill to the Senate for action in that body. The hearings before the committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce on the various bills to limit the jurisdiction of the Federal Power Commission to the extent that it would not have the power to control or fix the prices of gas produced by independent producers began this week. It looks now as if these hearings will run for some time, and it will probably be the latter part of next month at the earliest before this bill can get to the floor of the House. One of the bills being considered by the committee is H. R. 3902 which I have introduced. The committee on Public Works in the House will begin hearings on April 18 on the pending highway bills which deal with the Federal highway program. Among other proposals the Public Works Committee will deal with the Clay Report which I discussed here a short time ago. It seems to me it is highly probable that favorable action will be taken on the Clay Report, but I do feel that some new Federal highway program will be proposed as a result of the hearings. At this time it will be impossible to know what that program might be. While the tax bill has passed both the House and Senate, the bills that each body passed were not alike, and, therefore, it was necessary that this legislation go to a conference committee. It is expected that this committee will report sometime next week, and then both houses have to act on the bill again. Several appropriations bills have been acted on so far by the House. Of course, many more are yet to come, particularly the real large ones. The temper of the Congress so far has been to look closely at these appropriation bills, and in two or three instances have reduced them substantially. It seems to me that this is a hopeful sign, for if we are to ever have a balanced budget, the expenditures of the government first have to be reduced.

As is always the case, during the first two or two and one-half months of any session of Congress, most of the activity takes place in the committees where they are studying and holding hearings on all pending legislation. About this time, the committees begin to report the bills to the House, and the legislative program on the floor gets progressively heavier. The last week has seen the House calendar very full. The tempo is increasing and will continue to build up until adjournment which I hope will be sometime early in July.

Grasshoppers a Threat to Some Texas Ranges in '55

Severe grasshopper outbreaks are forecast in at least 10 Texas Panhandle counties this year. And a large portion of north central and central Texas is on the "threatened" list, according to Joe Burkett, County Agent.

Entomologists base their conclusion upon grasshopper, adult and egg surveys made during the late summer and fall. In all, they expect 1,750,000 acres of Texas rangeland to experience light to severe infestations this year.

Panhandle counties where potentially severe infestations were found include Lipscomb, Hemphill, Roberts, Hutchinson, Moore, Hartley, Gray, Donley, Armstrong, Randall and parts of bordering counties.

A south central Texas county, Robertson, is also considered a "severe" area.

An infestation is termed severe when 14 to 28 hoppers are found to the square yard. Concerted control measures may be warranted in these areas.

Biggest grasshopper threat to the nation's cropland centers in the Panhandle, Missouri, Southern Wisconsin and Eastern Kansas. A noticeable buildup from last year has occurred on some western ranges, reports the Grasshopper Control Project, a branch of the U.S.D.A.'s Agricultural Research Service. They say some 6,000,000 infested range acres occur in parts of 15 western states.

Fighter's Power 27 Times Greater Than WW-II Plane

A new king-sized fighter plane, the largest of its kind ever built for the Air Force, can produce at high speeds enough horsepower to equal an entire flight of 27 World War II fighter aircraft.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins of Truscott visited her sister, Mrs. Laura Choate, Sunday afternoon.

Billy Joe Halenack visited his brother, Lonnie Halenack, and family of Thalia Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberts and Mrs. Tom Morrell of Wichita Falls attended funeral services for Ed Taylor here Monday.

Charlie Huskey of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Choate Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kempf and daughter, Linda Price, of Farmers Valley were here for the funeral of Ed Taylor Monday.

Mrs. Grover Cole of Crowell visited Mrs. Jack Roden Tuesday.

Mrs. Bobby Holt and sons and Mrs. Milton Sprull and daughter, Linda, of Fort Worth visited their father, Dick Smith, and sister,

Mrs. Geneva Owens, and son last week end.

Jim Owens was dismissed from the Crowell hospital Sunday.

Billy Joe Halenack was a Vernon visitor Wednesday.

Helen Harrison from Texas Tech at Lubbock spent Saturday with her cousin, Patsy Mecheil.

W. A. Dunn was a Vernon visitor Friday.

Mrs. L. Y. Jameson returned to her home in Pecos Saturday after spending a week with her brother, Bax Middlebrook, and wife.

Mrs. Dora Wharton, Joe Blackburn and Rayburn Taylor brought their father, John Taylor, and wife home from Dallas Saturday where Mr. Taylor had spent a month in the hospital.

Mrs. W. F. Bradford and daughter, Jo Nell, spent Wednesday visiting her brother, Marshall Franklin, of Bellflower, Calif., in the home of her mother, Mrs. S. J. Boman, in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren of Vivian visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom

Smith and children Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hobratchek of Hinds visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel, and daughter, LaVoy, one day last week.

Dr. John Raines of Crowell was called to see Linda Mecheil Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harvey and son of Vernon visited her father, Dick Smith, Sunday.

Earl Orr and son spent the week end with Mrs. Orr and daughter, Carol Marie, in Vernon.

L. S. Bledsoe from Oklahoma City and Mark Bledsoe of Payson, Okla., visited Luke Bledsoe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Long of Thalia visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Runter and Mrs. Belle Blevins, Sunday.

Helen Russell and Jim Riley Gafford of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Dink Russell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and daughter, LaVoy, attended a birthday party for Adolph Bodling at Lockett Wednesday night.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Knox were visiting in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens were admitted to the Crowell hospital Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Laney attended a World Mission Conference in Fort Worth last week and visited relatives in Glen Rose, Red Springs and Arlington.

Mrs. Sudie Bradford has returned home from Abilene, where she spent a week visiting relatives.

Billy Bond and Mrs. Bob Thomas visited Mr. and Mrs. V. Bond in Lubbock last week.

Dink Russell was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Minyard and John Warren of Crowell attended funeral services for Ed Taylor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford of Willow View visited his mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford, Saturday.

Wayne Shultz from Texas Tech in Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins of Truscott visited Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey of Crowell visited her mother, Mrs. Laura Choate, Tuesday afternoon.

in the News . . . 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, March 27, 1925:

Sheriff L. D. Campbell, City Marshal R. J. Thomas and Deputy W. G. Chapman, in company with three Knox County officers and two from Wilbarger, destroyed a 100-gallon capacity still, 25 gallons of whiskey and 2,000 gallons of mash over in Knox County about one mile south of the Wichita River Thursday of last week.

The Crowell Booster Band, under the direction of Fred H. Roberts of Paducah, is still making good progress.

S. S. Bell, Leo Spencer and M. S. Henry are making plans to build new homes in Crowell. Material is on the ground for Mr. Spencer's.

According to Government figures, Foard County's 1924 cotton amounted to 18,191 bales, almost doubling the 1923 yield which was 9,033 bales.

More sidewalks will be started soon, running one block east of the square on the south side of the street.

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held in the Methodist Church basement Friday night with the Methodist ladies serving the meal.

Cast of characters for the high school play is Ralph Hunter, J. P. Walling, Thelma Jo Merritt, Christine Campbell, Marion Cheek, Catherine Clark, Roscoe Brown and Howard Benham.

R. J. Thomas announces this week for the office of City Marshal.

Those on the Senior League program this week are Christine Campbell, Maymie Lee Collins, Catherine Clark, Marion Cooper and Victoria McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin of Amherst spent last week end visiting relatives and friends in Crowell.

Jack Roberts Jr. of the Terrell Training School in Dallas is here for a few days visit with homefolks.

Misses Evelyn Jones and Virgie Borchardt, who are attending school in Denton, have been here visiting homefolks.

Mrs. S. E. Tate and Ed Manard attended the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Assembly in Wichita Falls last week.

TUG BOATS

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1955 May Decide Fate of Quail

Eugene Walker, Director of the Wildlife Restoration for the Texas Game and Fish Commission, said the fate of bobwhite quail may rest on the outcome of this summer's weather plus efforts of landowners and hunters to begin growing food and cover.

He qualified his observation by noting that the outlook may not be as dark "as it sounds" since Commission technicians report that the quail population definitely increased in some areas of Texas last year.

The director said that an actual break in the severe dry weather pattern is absolutely necessary if quail populations are to recover from their present plight. "This is the year that will largely determine whether or not the bobwhite can make it all the way back," he added.

Mr. Walker stressed that landowners and hunters have created "considerable momentum" in rehabilitating quail habitat, by getting together on treatment of areas determined to be suitable for quail management.

He pointed out, however, that favorable weather would be necessary to produce ample growths of food and cover plants which are essential to good quail habitat and high population levels.

"Outside of scattered irrigated areas," he said, "natural rainfall is necessary to get the stuff to grow. Lack of moisture has been a big factor in the recent quail slump. Naturally the drought has pointed up the steady destruction of habitat through bad land uses."

The director said that Texans have "got the ball rolling" and that the interest has been so great in Game and Fish Commission literature that some supplies have been exhausted.

"We have had to order several thousand more copies of the special quail bulletin by Wildlife Biologist Dan Lay," he said. Literature may be obtained by writing the Commission's headquarters.

External and Internal Parasites Claim One Farm Animal in 20

External and internal parasites are claiming one farm animal in 20, and are costing farmers about \$1,000,000,000 annually, Dr. F. M. Fuller, extension entomologist, reports.

That's a loss of five cents on every dollar invested in livestock. The entomologist says these figures, which are termed conservative, show that livestock raisers are not realizing full returns from their operations.

Ironically, says Dr. Fuller, modern research has found practical ways to control most of today's parasitic enemies.

Few, if any, livestock are completely free of infestation, he says. Even the best looking animal may harbor a dozen or more different parasite species.

Heaviest losses in cattle come from external parasites, hornflies and grubs. However, internal parasites likewise are a major problem.

For every eight animals shipped to market, the value of one is lost to parasitism, Dr. Fuller emphasizes.

phazises. This means cattlemen are "giving away" each year an additional 2,000,000,000 pounds of meat.

Studies show that losses from parasites exceed 10 per cent in poultry. One battery in 10 is wasting space, feed and labor and equipment.

Parasites are robbing swine producers of the value of one pig in every 12, and sheepmen face the problem of combating a 25 per cent annual parasite loss.

They also are believed responsible for many disease outbreaks because their infestation leads an animal into a weakened condition.

Steps to help curb most of the troubling parasites of Texas livestock require nominal time and expense, Dr. Fuller adds. Livestockmen who follow regularly recommended parasite controls usually bring home the highest profits from their livestock.

Phenothiazine in Cattle Grub Control Offers Problems

Free-choice feeding of phenothiazine may someday help control cattle grubs but several problems regarding its use must first be solved.

Main drawback to phenothiazine is its taste. Cattle do not like it and a practical way to feed the product has not been found.

Its future may hinge on whether research can "chocolate coat" phenothiazine and guarantee that animals on the farm will consume enough to produce a grub killing effect, says Joe Burkett, County Agent.

In preliminary tests, a definite drop in the number of grubs was noted among cattle fed 2 grams of phenothiazine daily free-choice in protein supplement.

"With need for further testing, no recommendations are being made now," Dr. Patterson says.

If phenothiazine should prove an effective grub-killer, it would be a significant step in the control of the costly parasites.

A recent report from Fort Worth says meat packers are receiving more "grubby" cattle now than a year ago. In some cases, infested calves are running 10 per cent above last year. Grubby calves usually sell \$1 to \$3 a hundred pounds less than those without grubs, Burkett adds.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson at last Thursday visiting their Ginger, in Abilene.

Marion Crowell attended the Victor color television school at Lubbock last Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. Ray Bush of Amarillo here last week visiting Mr. Mrs. Jeff Bruce and Mrs. G. Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee of Vernon here Sunday visiting her Mr. and Mrs. Bert Math-

B. Riordan of Los Angeles, visited last week in the of his aunt, Mrs. A. Y. eryl.

W. Nichols and Mr. and Sherman Nichols visited Sun- with Mr. and Mrs. John Shir- in Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Doyal and of Crosbyton visited Mr. and Roy Daniel in the Truscott munity Sunday.

Miss Eubanks of Big Spring here visiting her parents, Mr. Mrs. T. J. Eubanks, while vering from an illness.

ecil Daniel of Ralls visited brother, Roy Daniel, and fam- in the Truscott community ng the week end.

baby son was born to Mr. Mrs. Rudell Russell of Grand- l, Okla., on Wednesday, March according to information red by relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Callaway children, Danny, Bax and e, of Childress spent the k end here visiting relatives friends.

Mrs. Jack Walker and two chil- of Abilene visited over the k end in the home of her hus- 's mother, Mrs. J. N. Ribble, husband.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, C. E. Gafford and Mr. and Duane Cates spent Sunday Floydada visiting Mrs. Gaf- 's daughter, Mrs. Weldon mmonds, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rainer small daughter, Belinda, of N. M., and Mrs. A. J. Pow- of Kermit visited Friday ng of last week with Mrs. E. Tanner.

Mrs. Hines Clark returned Tuesday from a 5-weeks t with her sons, Dr. Dan H. rk and Dr. Charles S. Clark, families in Corpus Christi, with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. ley, and husband in Houston, her sister, Mrs. D. P. Beaty, Wichita Falls.

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The following members, Meedames B. A. Whitman, T. R. Cates, L. H. Hammonds, W. A. Johnson, Leroy Henry, Jessie Moore, Robert Hammonds, Leotis Roberts, Merle Moore, W. G. Chapman, Lee Sims, entertained the Vivian Home Demonstration Club with a covered dish lunch.

Mrs. Hopkins demonstrated textile painting and a few of the women took part in the painting.

There were several games for the members that were not interested in textile painting.

Mrs. Mary D. Brown, Agent, demonstrated barbecued short ribs and also gave several tasty barbecue sauce recipes.

JUNIOR COLUMBIAN CLUB

Officers were elected at the meeting of the Sub Junior Columbian Club held Wednesday, March 23, in the home of Jeanie Johnson.

The new officers are Barbara Fairchild, president; Patricia Todd, vice president; Bettie Knox, re-

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my many, many thanks to the doctors and all the hospital staff for things done for me while there; for all the flowers, letters, cards and everything while in the hospital. May God's richest blessings rest upon each one of you.

Mrs. Tom Dockins. 37-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this means of expressing my sincere thanks for all the visits, cards, gifts and prayers while I was in the hospital, as well as the good care of Dr. Raines and all the hospital staff. May God richly bless you.

Mrs. A. A. Manning. 37-1tp

Farm Population in Texas Lower Than Any Time Since 1870

Texas' farm population is lower than at any time since the 1870's. The number of persons living on farms and ranches last year was 1,126,000 compared with 1,387,000 in 1950, reports W. G. Adkins and R. L. Skranbanek of Texas A&M. That means a decrease of about 260,000 or 18.8 per cent in the last four years.

The two agricultural economics and sociology professors conducted the statewide survey in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service.

The decline in Texas farm population is a continuation of a trend which began in 1934 when the number of farm residents reached an all-time high of 2,423,000.

While farm population declined the total civilian population of Texas increased rapidly and in April, 1954, was about 8,200,000. Farm residents now comprise only 13.7 per cent of the total population. In 1930 more than 40 per

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cent of the state's citizens lived on farms and ranches.

U. S. farm population also has decreased steadily since 1940, although not as rapidly as in Texas.

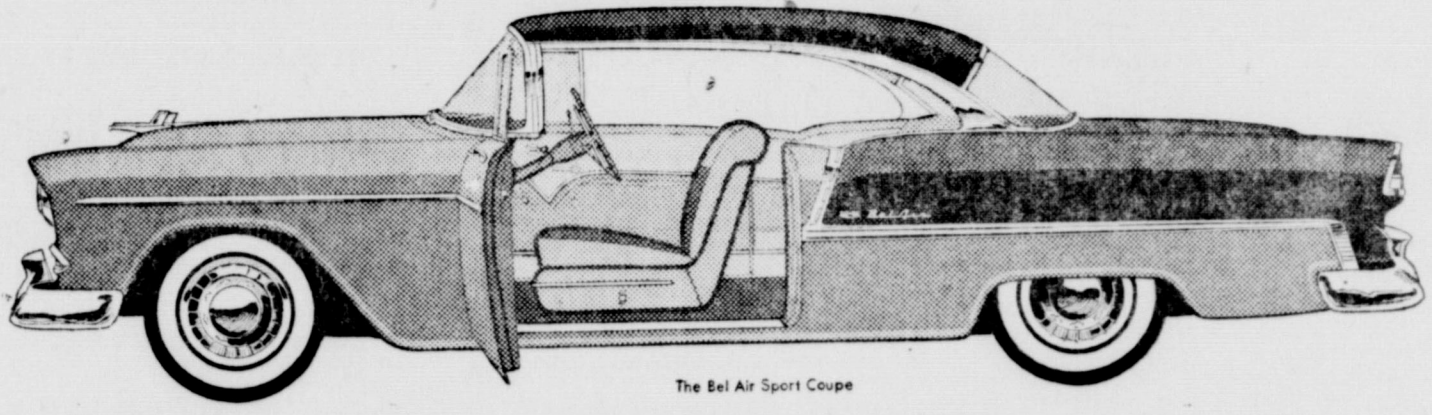
The change in farm population has been a fairly accurate indicator of changes in other farm characteristics. The survey shows that the number of farms in Texas has decreased from 332,000 reported by the 1950 census to 281,000 last year. The average farm of 517 acres is more than twice the size of farms in 1930 and well above the 438 acre average recorded in 1950.

The 1940 average of more than five persons residing on each farm has declined to almost four.

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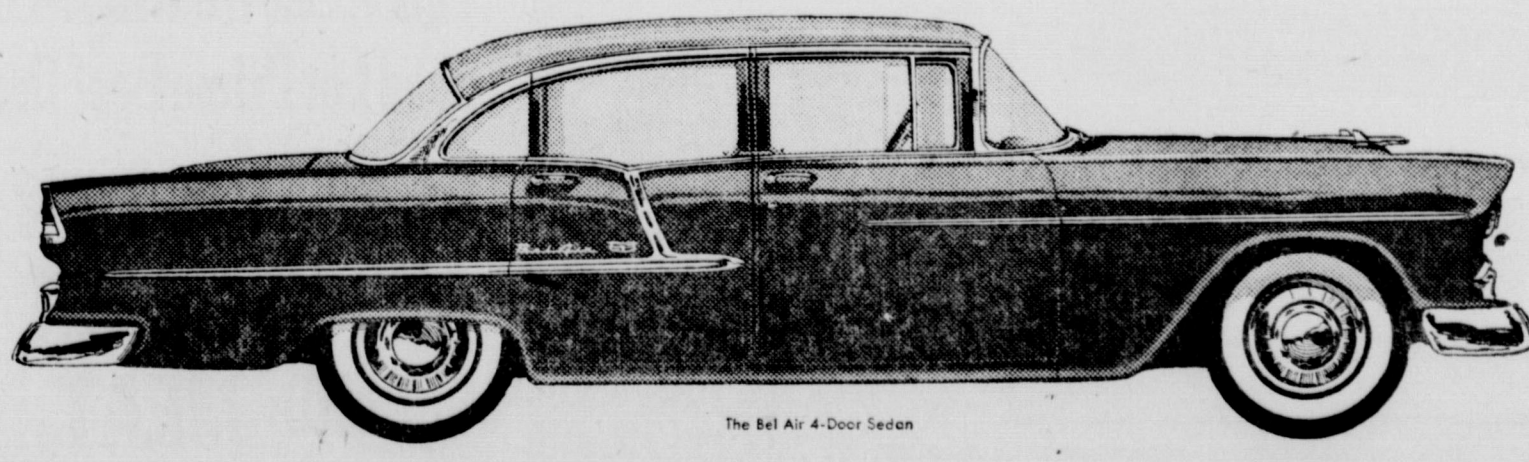
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MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mrs. Will Johnson was taken from the Crowell hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Tucker, last week end. Visiting her Sunday in the Tucker home were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tucker, Mrs. Loyd McCarty and Mrs. Claude Price of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shook of Denver City, R. E. and Woodrow Johnson of Amarillo, the Oneal Johnson and Morgan Price families, Mrs. Maggie Wheeler, Mrs. Lottie Pittillo, Mrs. Tennie Reed and Reggie Pittillo and family of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pittillo of Postales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Matthews.

Lee Shultz submitted to an operation in a Vernon hospital. His son, Roy Shultz, and family and daughter, Mrs. Eudale Oliver, and family have been attending his bedside, also his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were recent guests in the W. A. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Barker and son of Crowell were Sunday dinner guests in the Ed Huskey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oliver of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and children of Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were dinner guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Johnson were Fort Worth visitors last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Wisdom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ralshook in Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown visited her sisters, Mrs. W. J. Jones and Mrs. J. K. Freudinger, in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Reed of Crowell visited her daughter, Mrs. Roland Taylor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Addins of Riverside were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm and Big Abston left Saturday for Houston for a visit with their wives. Mrs. Jack Billis, whose husband is in New Herman Hospital in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hebray and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds were Children's visitors Wednesday of last week.

Fred Brown, Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. H. W. Gray visited their nephew, Marshall Franklin, and wife from Bellflower, Calif., in the home of his mother, Mrs. S. J. Beman, in Vernon Wednesday of last week.

Louis Pyle of Floydada visited the L. H. Hammonds last Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Gray visited from Thursday to Saturday with her son, Norman Gray, and family in Hereford and attended a shower for her granddaughter, Mrs. Bob Wilson Thursday in the home of Mrs. Eudale Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell and Mrs. Claude Price of Five-in-One visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Mrs. Caldwell Sunday.

Billy Abston, a student in Abilene Christian College, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Box visited in Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Franklin of Bellflower, Calif., visited relatives in Thalia last Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman accompanied them to Crowell where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm and Jesse visited in the home of Bob Abston in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock of Farmers Valley attended Methodist Church services and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Vernon were also dinner guests in the Gamble home.

Bill Abston of Abilene spent Friday night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. of Eagle Nest, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath, here last week.

Mrs. E. J. McKinnis was a Wichita Falls visitor last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Farmers Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Clovis visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Scales has been ill in her home here since last Friday.

Mrs. D. B. May of Vernon assisted Mrs. Bob Oglesby as hostess at the open house held at the Methodist parsonage here Sunday after the WSCS ladies had recently sponsored a complete redecorating job of the bedrooms, kitchen and bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble visited her brother, Frank Wood, and family in Vernon last Thursday. Frank has been ill in his home there the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farris of Lawton, Okla., visited her mother, Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, Sunday.

B. D. Burk of Oklahoma City visited Mack Edens recently.

Lloyd Fox spent the week end at home here from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reeder of Crowell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson visited Lee Shultz and George Street in the Vernon hospital Saturday.

The Eudale Olivers were dinner guests in the Delmar McBeath home in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benjamin of Lovington, N. M., the L. A. Whitman family of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Durward Benham and son of San Antonio were guests in the E. A. Whitman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursley visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Long, in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Gatewood, who recently moved to Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gamble, here last week end.

Dr. Martin Kralick of Crowell was at the Thalia School Wednesday of last week giving smallpox, diphtheria and Schick test shots.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble attended the funeral of Ed Taylor in Margaret Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper visited his mother in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cato of Vernon were guests in the Mack Edens home Thursday night.

Mrs. Moody Bursley of Crowell visited Sunday in the Howard Bursley home.

Mrs. Glen Gamble attended a shower for her daughter, Mrs. Farris Gatewood, in Vignon last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reid Jones and baby, Debbie, of Floydada spent the week end with Mrs. Maggie Hammonds.

Mrs. H. M. Black of Truscott and Nettie Black of Crowell were guests in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Billy Johnson, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hammonds of Odell visited Mrs. Maggie Hammonds and the Finnie Tarver family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Jackson and children of Snyder, the Truman Quillin family of Vernon and Martin Jones and family of Crowell were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Roberts and Mrs. E. H. Roberts visited Lee Shultz in a Vernon hospital last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bursley were Wichita Falls visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood returned home Saturday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Rex Snowden, and family in Oil City, La.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long spent the week end with their sons, Arda and Bill Long, and families at Post.

Mrs. Ed Huskey, Mrs. Robert Hammonds and Rev. Bob Oglesby attended a training meeting in Bible School work at Chillicothe Tuesday.

Mrs. Durward Benham and son of San Antonio spent Thursday night in the E. A. Whitman home.

The MYF will sponsor an April fool tucky party at the Methodist Church Friday night.

Mrs. Joe Short and Mrs. Dalton Thompson of Vernon visited Mrs. May Self last Saturday.

The Delmar and Sherman McBeath families of Crowell visited their parents here Thursday night.

Rev. Bob Oglesby attended a Bible School training course at Memphis last Monday.

Mrs. Robert Long attended the funeral of Ed Taylor at Margaret Monday.

The Finnie Tarvers were Wichita Falls visitors one day last week.

E. A. Whitman accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman, of Vernon to New Mexico last week.

Mrs. Shirley Duncan was taken to the Crowell hospital last Friday night with his uncle, John

Thalia

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mrs. Will Johnson was taken from the Crowell hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Tucker, last week end. Visiting her Sunday in the Tucker home were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tucker, Mrs. Loyd McCarty and Mrs. Claude Price of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shook of Denver City, R. E. and Woodrow Johnson of Amarillo, the Oneal Johnson and Morgan Price families, Mrs. Maggie Wheeler, Mrs. Lottie Pittillo, Mrs. Tennie Reed and Reggie Pittillo and family of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pittillo of Postales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Matthews.

Lee Shultz submitted to an operation in a Vernon hospital. His son, Roy Shultz, and family and daughter, Mrs. Eudale Oliver, and family have been attending his bedside, also his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were recent guests in the W. A. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Barker and son of Crowell were Sunday dinner guests in the Ed Huskey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oliver of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and children of Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were dinner guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Johnson were Fort Worth visitors last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Wisdom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ralshook in Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown visited her sisters, Mrs. W. J. Jones and Mrs. J. K. Freudinger, in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Reed of Crowell visited her daughter, Mrs. Roland Taylor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Addins of Riverside were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm and Big Abston left Saturday for Houston for a visit with their wives. Mrs. Jack Billis, whose husband is in New Herman Hospital in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hebray and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds were Children's visitors Wednesday of last week.

Fred Brown, Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. H. W. Gray visited their nephew, Marshall Franklin, and wife from Bellflower, Calif., in the home of his mother, Mrs. S. J. Beman, in Vernon Wednesday of last week.

Louis Pyle of Floydada visited the L. H. Hammonds last Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Gray visited from Thursday to Saturday with her son, Norman Gray, and family in Hereford and attended a shower for her granddaughter, Mrs. Bob Wilson Thursday in the home of Mrs. Eudale Oliver.

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Filling:

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Tool "Hospital" Cuts Expenses, Saves Time for Aircraft Builder

A tool "hospital" started last year at a large West Coast aircraft company keeps multi-thousand dollar machines on the job—and in top condition.

When any machine valued at \$500 or more needs rebuilding, it is scheduled for a berth in the maintenance shop. The shop rebuilds 13 to 15 major machines per month—lathes, milling and boring machines, grinders and many other types.

Formerly, it cost about \$4,750 to rebuild a large mill—and the machine was lost to the company for three to four months. Under the new plan, workers at the aircraft plant can do the job for about \$3,200 in approximately one month.

Since the shop was organized last year, approximately 2x0 major machines have been rebuilt.

A lodestone is magnetic iron ore.

The first subway was opened in London.

Garnish with lattice of whipped cream for that extra special touch.

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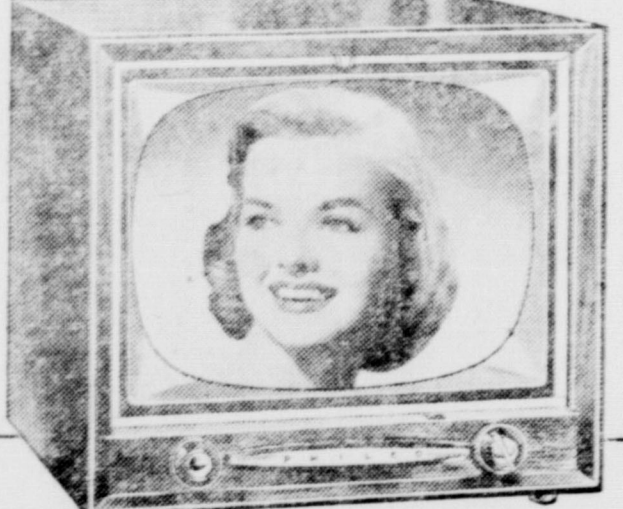
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TRESPASSING—No hunting or trapping on John S. Ray land, John S. Ray. Pd. 1-1-55

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Lodge Notices

CROWELL CHAPTER, R. A. M. Stated meeting on Thursday after second month in each month. April 14, 7:30 p. m. JAKE WISDOM, H. P. W. B. CARTER, Sec.

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members urged to attend. ED MANARD, N. G. C. A. LANGFORD, Sec.

CROWELL CHAPTER NO. 916 Order of the Eastern Star Meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month. April 12, 7:00 p. m. Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors. ROWLENE CHOATE, W. M. LOTTIE RUSSELL, Sec.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666 A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday night, April 2, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome. A. M. CANAFAX, W. M. JOHN W. WRIGHT, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE meets the second and last Fridays of month at 10:00 Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome. JOYCE NARON, N. G. MARGARET CURTIS, Sec.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840 A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING April 11, 7:30 p. m. Second Monday each month. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome. BILL KLEPPER, W. M. W. B. CARTER, Sec.

GORDON J. FORD POST NO. 130 Meets first and third Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m. CURTIS BARKER, Commander. GLENN GOODWIN, Adjutant.

Allen Hough Post No. 9177 Veterans of Foreign Wars Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Veterans Building. L. O. Hallmark, Commander. J. H. Gillespie, Quartermaster.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—

GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Foard County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas:

TO BILLY L. HYDRICK, whose residence is unknown, Defendant.

Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Foard County at the Courthouse thereof, in Crowell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 25th day of April A. D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 27th day of July A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 3103 on the docket of said court and styled Bernice Hydrick, Plaintiff, vs. Billy L. Hydrick, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Crowell, Texas, this 8th day of March A. D. 1955.

Attest: J. A. Stovall, Clerk, District Court, Foard County, Texas.

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State Capitol NEWS

by VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex. — Senator Jimmy Phillips batted .666 and then struck out.

He broke the national filibuster record; got himself a lot of publicity; but failed by a 14-11 Senate vote to achieve his announced goal. That was to get the John Sealy Hospital at Galveston one million dollars more per year than set out in a House-passed, general - appropriations measure.

The Angleton Senator not only broke the state kalthoon record but went on to take national honors by holding the floor for a total of 23 hours and 35 minutes of continuous debate.

As finally passed by the Senate, the administration backed \$1.5 billion measure became the largest general appropriations bill in Texas history to clear both houses. After a few conference committee agreements, the bill will be ready for the Governor.

TAX SWITCH—It is apparent that administration forces have climbed aboard the "omnibus" tax bill—and abandoned Gov. Allan Shivers' two single-shot tax vehicles.

This opens the door wide for increasing present taxes and perhaps adding new ones.

Governor Shivers originally asked only a 2-cent hike in the gasoline sales tax and a 1-cent increase in the cigarette tax.

There is no question as to where the money will come from—the taxpayers' pockets. The problem is how to extract it.

GILES PROBE — Investigation of veteran land deals continued.

A witness before the Senate investigating committee testified that former land commissioner Bascom Giles and Lawrence Jackson, secretary of the veterans land board, raised no objection to a block land operator buying up veterans' rights for the purchase of land by others.

Herbert Box of Georgetown, the witness, told the committee he was assured by Giles and Jackson that it "didn't make any difference to the state who made the payments."

Three Georgetown veterans testified that Box had paid them from \$35 to \$70 for signing applications, with the understanding that they were not buying land, but authorizing others to buy.

OTHER LAND ACTIVITY — Other developments in the broadening land investigation included:

1. Cecil Burney, special assistant attorney general, said that several branches of the federal government are interested.

2. Giles, in district court here, refused to answer questions about two deals in which the state is suing him and others to recover \$171,427. Giles' attorneys said he would not talk because co-defendants had not been officially notified that oral depositions were to be taken.

3. Back to work on veteran land deals went a Travis County grand jury. A previous grand jury had been dissolved because of a legal question as to whether it was properly called.

4. Senator Phillips asked the investigating committee to subpoena all bank records of Alvis Vandygriff, Austin lawyer who was the first executive secretary of the veterans land board. Vandygriff has testified before the House investigating committee that he was to receive \$5,000 legal fees in a Webb County deal.

Giles' Cuero Congressman John J. Bell told investigators that he received more than \$20,000 in legal fees during 1952-54 from persons mentioned in land deals. Bell made the statement voluntarily, after some of his fees had been

Chillicothe Station Develops Hybrid Grain Sorghums

Hybrid grain sorghums which are expected to increase yields 30 to 40 per cent will be grown commercially in Texas this year. It marks the first such production anywhere in the world, says Joe Burket, County Agent.

Production during the 1955 growing season, however, will be limited to one-acre crossing plots on several selected farms. Foundation seed stocks will go to seed growers in 1956 and the new hybrids will be available for large scale planting in 1957.

Development of grain sorghum hybrids has been underway since 1927 at the Chillicothe substation of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station by J. Roy Quinby and J. C. Stephens, Dr. N. W. Kramer and R. E. Karper of the Lubbock substation also have contributed to the research.

There is an oddity in the new hybrids. Due to the parentage of hybrids, farmers will plant white seed but harvest red grain.



The Shining Lights

Grandma couldn't stand anyone who boasted of his good deeds or achievements. She especially couldn't abide any of this in a person who claimed to be a Christian. One day pompous old Deacon Dogood came to call upon her and immediately launched into his usual recital of the good deeds he had done that week.

"Then I reached into my wallet and took out a ten dollar bill . . . not the church's money, but my own private funds, y'understand, and gave it to the poor old fellow . . ." he droned.

Grandma's eyes wandered out the window to the rapidly darkening street. The old lamp-lighter was pushing his pole into the nearest lamp. She motioned to the deacon to watch him. For a few moments they sat in silence as the old man went from pole to pole leaving a brilliantly blazing string of lights behind him. Finally the lamplighter faded into darkness, but the lights went on and on, and as each lamp was lighted his progress could be seen.

"I can't see him any more," complained the deacon, fretful at this interruption of his personal monologue.

"No," said grandma pointedly. "You can't see him, but you can see all the good he is doing along the way."

The deacon got the point, and soon, with a minimum of words, he bade grandma a pleasant good night.

No, the lamp-lighter couldn't be seen, but his light could be seen. It was his business to light

the lamps along the way, not to be seen himself as he did it. That is the duty of every Christian . . . to let his light so shine that men may see his good works (Matthew 5:16) . . . not himself.

Can people tell where we are by the lights we kindle? Can they tell what we stand for—the truths of our Christian faith? This is the way the Christian glorifies his Father which is in heaven.

49,814 Texans Enter Service During 1954

A total of 49,814 Texans enlisted or were drafted into the armed forces in 1954, and at the same time, 57,187 were discharged or relieved from active duty.

This was revealed in a consolidated report released this week by the office of Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director.

Of the 49,814 persons getting into the armed forces from Texas, 38,975 enlisted, while 12,839 were drafted. Almost half of those drafted actually volunteered, but went into service through Selective Service process.

During 1954, Texas draft boards sent 20,661 men for the pre-induction physical and mental examinations. A total of 11,997 passed these tests and 8,064 failed them. This is a rejection rate of approximately 40 per cent.

Under the law, responsibility for the rejection of registrants belongs to the armed forces, General Wakefield pointed out.

Under the doctors' draft law, Texas draft boards sent 106 doctors and dentists for examination in 1954, with 64 being accepted by the armed forces and 42 rejected.

A total of 37 doctors and dentists were offered commissions after receiving orders for induction. All accepted.

Anglers Cautioned on License Rules

Leaving for an overnight fishing trip, E. M. Spratt, director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission wished himself luck and left behind a memo on fishing license requirements under present Texas laws.

He said warden reports received since the warm temperatures and "fish biting" weather" indicated that some of his fellow anglers apparently are not familiar with the assorted state fishing laws.

The director emphasized that the greatest problem for the individual fisherman seemed to be about when a fishing license is required, and that the second problem seemed to concern the 7-inch minimum length for black bass which is the state's most popular game fish.

"Most of the approximately six hundred state fishing laws concern local gear and methods of taking fish in the different counties," he noted, "but the main statute to remember affects license requirements for public fresh water sports fishing."

The law states that anybody under seventeen years of age may fish without a license. The law states that any resident of this state may fish without a license in the county of his residence providing artificial lures are not used. In other words, if a resident of Texas fishes in his or her home county with an artificial lure, the \$1.65 license is required.

The law also states that any resident of this state can fish without a license in any county adjoining the county of his residence provided artificial lures or live bait are not used. Live bait under the law is defined as minnows or fish.

The director suggested the safest way is for anglers to consult a copy of the digest of game and fish laws, or see their local game warden, or do both.

He reminded Texans that no salt water fishing license is required.

Texas 4-H Club Members Cited for Achievements

Governor Allan Shivers recently sent a memorandum containing his greetings and congratulations to the 122,000 4-H members and more than 10,000 adult 4-H leaders of Texas for their many achievements. It was part of the Governor's proclamation which designated the week of March 5-13 as 4-H Week in Texas.

In his memorandum, the Governor said, "This organization provides training for one-fifth of the rural youth of the state, not only in agriculture, but in preparation for better citizenship. For 40 years this training has been offered; for four decades the State of Texas has profited from the 4-H Club training given its young people.

This voluntary rural youth organization has a nation-wide enrollment of more than 2 million.

In Texas, 4-H Club work is directed by the Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M College System. County agricultural agents and home demonstration agents are key persons in the organization and work of the 4-H clubs. They work with parents, volunteer leaders, other interested citizens and young people in rural areas of the state.

As agriculture is important to the welfare of Texas, so better agricultural practices and more highly-trained farmers are important to the future of our state."

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 - Adding Machine Paper
 - Post Binders
 - Check Covers
 - B8 Staplers and Staples
 - Standard Staples
 - Brown Gum Paper
 - A-Z Indexes
 - Metal Filing Boxes
 - Skip Ink, Large and Small
 - Bottles, several colors
 - Carter's Paste
 - Marking Tags, different sizes
 - Filing Cards, 3x5, 4x6 and 5x8
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Thalia

MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mrs. Will Johnson was taken from the Crowell hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Tucker, last week end. Visiting her Sunday in the Tucker home were Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Tucker, Mrs. Loyd McCarty and Mrs. Claude Price of Five-in-One, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Shook of Denver City, R. E. and Woodrow Johnson of Amarillo, the Oneal Johnson and Morgan Price families, Mrs. Maggie Wheeler, Mrs. Lottie Pittillo, Mrs. Tenine Reed and Reggie Pittillo and family of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pittillo of Portales, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Matthews.

Lee Shultz submitted to an operation in a Vernon hospital. His son, Roy Shultz, and family and daughter, Mrs. Eudale Oliver, and family have been attending his bedside, also his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were recent guests in the W. A. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Barker and son of Crowell were Sunday dinner guests in the Ed Huskey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oliver of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and children of Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Johnson of Crowell were dinner guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Johnson were Fort Worth visitors last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ralback in Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Brown visited her sisters, Mrs. W. J. Jones and Mrs. J. R. Freudiger, in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Reed of Crowell visited her daughter, Mrs. Roland Taylor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins of Riverside were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm and Bill Abston left Saturday for Houston for a visit with their niece, Mrs. Jack Bills, whose husband is ill in New Herman Hospital in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Henry and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds were Childress visitors Wednesday of last week.

Fred Brown, Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. H. W. Gray visited in Hereford and attended a shower for her granddaughter, Mrs. Bob Wilson, Thursday in the home of Mrs. Delmar Siegel there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Crowell and Mrs. Claude Price of Five-in-One visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Mrs. Caldwell Sunday.

Billy Abston, a student in Abilene Christian College, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Box visited in Amarillo last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Franklin of Bellflower, Calif., visited relatives in Thalia last Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Chapman accompanied them to Crowell where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Grimm and Jesse visited in the home of Bob Abston in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock of Farmers Valley attended Methodist Church services and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Vernon were also dinner guests in the Gamble home.

Bill Abston of Abilene spent Friday night with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. of Eagle Nest, N. M., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath, here last week.

Mrs. E. J. McKinley was a Wichita Falls visitor last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble of Farmers Valley visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins, Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Scales has been ill in her home here since last Friday.

Mrs. D. B. May of Vernon assisted Mrs. Bob Oglesby as hostess at the open house held at the Methodist parsonage here Sunday after the W.S.C.S. dios had recently sponsored a complete redecorating job of the bedrooms, kitchen and bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble visited her brother, Frank Wood, and family in Vernon last Thursday. Frank has been ill in his home there the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farris of Lawton, Okla., visited her mother, Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, Sunday.

B. D. Burk of Oklahoma City visited Mack Edens recently.

Lloyd Fox spent the week end at home here from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reeder of Crowell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson visited Lee Shultz and George Strait in the Vernon hospital Saturday.

The Eudale Olivers were dinner guests in the Delmar McBeath home in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Benham of Lovington, N. M., the L. A. Whitman family of Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Durward Benham and son of San Antonio were guests in the B. A. Whitman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bursley visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Long, in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Gatewood, who recently moved to Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gamble, here last week end.

Dr. Martin Kralicke of Crowell was at the Thalia School Wednesday of last week giving smallpox, diphtheria and Schick test shots.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble attended the funeral of Ed Taylor in Margaret Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper visited his mother in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cato of Vernon were guests in the Mack Edens home Thursday night.

Mrs. Moody Bursley of Crowell visited Sunday in the Howard Bursley home.

Mrs. Glen Gamble attended a shower for her daughter, Mrs. Farris Gatewood, in Vagnon last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reid Jones and baby, Debbie, of Floydada spent the week end with Mrs. Maggie Hammonds.

Mrs. H. M. Black of Truscott and Nettie Black of Crowell were guests in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Billy Johnson, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hammonds of Odell visited Mrs. Maggie Hammonds and the Finnie Taver family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Jackson and children of Snyder, the Truman Quillin family of Vernon and Martin Jones and family of Crowell were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Roberts and Mrs. E. H. Roberts visited Lee Shultz in a Vernon hospital last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bursley were Wichita Falls visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood returned home Saturday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Rex Snowden, and family in Oil City, La.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long spent the week end with their sons, Arda and Bill Long, and families at Post.

Mrs. Ed Huskey, Mrs. Robert Hammonds and Rev. Bob Oglesby attended a training meeting in Bible School work at Chillicothe Tuesday.

Mrs. Durward Benham and son of San Antonio spent Thursday night in the B. A. Whitman home.

The MYF will sponsor an April fool tucky party at the Methodist Church Friday night.

Mrs. Joe Short and Mrs. Dalton Thompson of Vernon visited Mrs. May Self last Saturday.

The Delmar and Sherman McBeath families of Crowell visited their parents here Thursday night.

Rev. Bob Oglesby attended a Bible School training course at Memphis last Monday.

Mrs. Robert Long attended the funeral of Ed Taylor at Margaret Monday.

The Finnie Tavers were Wichita Falls visitors one day last week.

B. A. Whitman accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whitman, of Vernon to New Mexico last week.

Mrs. Shirley Duncan was taken to the Crowell hospital last Monday.

Nelson Abston spent last Friday night with his uncle, John

Home Demonstration Notes

MRS. MARY D. BROWN

Our demonstrations in April will be on cooking frozen fish and the scheduled as I have it is:

Gambleville—April 1. Riverside—April 5. Thalia—April 7. Margaret—April 8. West Side—April 12. Vivian—April 13. Foard City—April 19.

As you know, frozen fish can be a very good buy if you know how to use them, so I hope you will plan now to attend one of these demonstrations.

Our recipe this week is for Chocolate Chiffon Pie Crumb Crust:

20 Graham crackers, finely rolled (about 1 and 2/3 cups crumbs) 1/4 cup softened butter or margarine, 1/4 cup sugar.

Thoroughly blend together Graham cracker crumbs, softened butter or margarine and sugar. Press firmly against bottom and sides of 9-inch pie plate. Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 8 minutes. Cool.

Filling: 1 envelope unflavored gelatine, 1/4 cup water, 2 square unsweetened chocolate, 1/2 cup water, 3 eggs, separated, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar, 1/2 cup sugar.

Soak gelatine in 1/4 cup water. Meanwhile melt chocolate in remaining 1/2 cup water in top of double boiler. Stir into egg yolks. Return to double boiler; cook and stir until creamy. Stir in gelatine until dissolved. Blend in salt and vanilla, cool. Beat egg whites and cream of tartar until almost stiff. Gradually beat in sugar until very stiff and glossy. Fold in slightly thickened chocolate mixture. Spoon into crumb crust.

Thompson, at Gilliland. Mrs. Roy Davis of Sweetwater and daughter, Mrs. Maurice Naron of near Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Welborn of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Abston and children Sunday. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Welborn are sisters of Mrs. Abston.

Mrs. Jack Hasselvander and children Judy and Katie, of Pampa and Sharon and Barbara Short of Vernon visited the Homer McBeath's last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eley of Vernon visited the Roy Shultzes Saturday.

The B. A. Whitmans were Wichita Falls visitors Saturday.

Tool "Hospital" Cuts Expenses, Saves Time for Aircraft Builder

Julius Caesar was in 44 B. C.

A tool "hospital" started last year at a large West Coast aircraft company keeps multi-thousand dollar machines on the job—and in top condition.

When any machine valued at \$500 or more needs rebuilding, it is scheduled for a berth in the maintenance shop. The shop rebuilds 13 to 15 major machines per month—lathes, milling and boring machines, grinders and many other types.

Formerly, it cost about \$4,750 to rebuild a large mill—and the machine was lost to the company for three to four months. Under the new plan, workers at the aircraft plant can do the job for about \$3,200 in approximately one month.

Since the shop was organized last year, approximately 280 major machines have been rebuilt.

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Trespass Notices

TRESPASSING of any kind or dumping on John S. Ray land. — John S. Ray. Ed. 1-1-55

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Lodge Notices

CROWELL CHAPTER, R. A. M. Stated meeting on Thursday after second Monday in each month. April 14, 7:30 p. m. — JAKE WISDOM, H. P. W. B. CARTER, Sec.

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members urged to attend. — ED MANARD, N. G. C. A. LANGFORD, Sec.

CROWELL CHAPTER NO. 916 Order of the Eastern Star Meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month. April 12, 7:00 p. m. Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors. — ROWLENE CHOATE, W. M. LOTTIE RUSSELL, Sec.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666 A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday night, April 2, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome. — A. M. CANAFAX, W. M. JOHN W. WRIGHT, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE

meets the second and last Fridays of month at 100F Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome. — JOYCE NARON, N. G. MARGARET CURTIS, Sec.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840

A. F. & A. M. STATED MEETING April 11, 7:30 p. m. Second Monday each month. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome. — BILL KLEPPER, W. M. W. B. CARTER, Sec.

GORDON J. FORD POST NO. 130

Meets first and third Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m. — CURTIS BARKER, Commander. GLENN GOODWIN, Adjutant.

Allen Hough Post No. 9177

Veterans of Foreign Wars Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Veterans Building. — L. O. Hallmark, Commander. J. H. Gillespie, Quartermaster.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas— GREETING: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Foard County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas: TO BILLY L. HYDRICK, whose residence is unknown, Defendant, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Foard County at the Courthouse thereof, in Crowell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 25th day of April A. D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 27th day of July A. D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 3103 on the docket of said court and styled Bernice Hydrick, Plaintiff, vs. Billy L. Hydrick, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Crowell, Texas, this 8th day of March A. D., 1955. Attest: J. A. Stovall, Clerk, District Court, Foard County, Texas. By Cecil Mae Archer, Deputy. (SEAL) 34-tfc

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State Capitol NEWS

by VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex. — Senator Jimmy Phillips batted .666 and then struck out.

He broke the national filibuster record; got himself a lot of publicity; but failed by a 14-11 Senate vote to achieve his announced goal. That was to get the John Sealy Hospital at Galveston one million dollars more per year than set out in a House-passed, general - appropriations measure.

The Angleton Senator not only broke the state talkathon record but went on to take national honors by holding the floor for a total of 23 hours and 35 minutes of continuous debate.

As finally passed by the Senate, the administration backed \$1.5 billion measure became the largest general appropriations bill in Texas history to clear both houses. After a few conference committee agreements, the bill will be ready for the Governor.

TAX SWITCH—It is apparent that administration forces have climbed aboard the "omnibus" tax bill—and abandoned Gov. Allan Shivers' two single-shot tax vehicles.

This opens the door wide for increasing present taxes and perhaps adding new ones. Governor Shivers originally asked only a 2-cent hike in the gasoline sales tax and a 1-cent increase in the cigarette tax.

There is no question as to where the money will come from—the taxpayers' pockets. The problem is how to extract it.

GILES PROBE—Investigation of veteran land deals continued. A witness before the Senate investigating committee testified that former land commissioner Bascom Giles and Lawrence Jackson, secretary of the veterans land board, raised no objection to a block land operator buying up veterans' rights for the purchase of land by others.

Herbert Box of Georgetown, the witness, told the committee he was assured by Giles and Jackson that it "didn't make any difference to the state who made the payments."

Chillicothe Station Develops Hybrid Grain Sorghums

Hybrid grain sorghums which are expected to increase yields 30 to 40 per cent will be grown commercially in Texas this year. It marks the first such production anywhere in the world, says Joe Burket, County Agent.

Production during the 1955 growing season, however, will be limited to one-acre crossing plots on several selected farms. Foundation seed stocks will go to seed growers in 1956 and the new hybrids will be available for large scale planting in 1957.

Anglers Cautioned on License Rules

Leaving for an overnight fishing trip, E. M. Sprott, director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission wished himself luck and left behind a memo on fishing license requirements under present Texas laws.

He said warden reports received since the warm temperatures and "fish biting" weather" indicated that some of his fellow anglers apparently are not familiar with the assorted state fishing laws.

Texas 4-H Club Members Cited for Achievements

Governor Allan Shivers recently sent a memorandum containing his greetings and congratulations to the 12,000 4-H members and more than 10,000 adult 4-H leaders of Texas for their many achievements. It was part of the Governor's proclamation which designated the week of March 5-13 as 4-H Week in Texas.

In his memorandum, the Governor said, "This organization provides training for one-fifth of the rural youth of the state, not only in agriculture, but in preparation for better citizenship. For 40 years this training has been continued; for four decades the State of Texas has profited from the 4-H Club training given its young people."

This voluntary rural youth organization has a nation-wide enrollment of more than 2 million. In Texas, 4-H Club work is directed by the Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M College System. County agricultural agents and home demonstration agents are key persons in the organization and work of the 4-H clubs. They work with parents, volunteer leaders, other interested citizens and young people in rural areas of the state.

As agriculture is important to the welfare of Texas, so better agricultural practices are more highly-trained farmers are important to the future of our state."

INSURANCE RULES — Insurance reform bills made progress. Finally passed by the Senate and sent to the House was one measure requiring written examinations for the licensing of legal reserve life insurance agents.

Another bill passed first reading, but did not get enough votes for immediate final passage. This second bill, by Senator Searcy Bracewell of Houston, would require legal reserve life companies to have \$250,000 capital and \$125,000 surplus.

At present, the requirement is only \$25,000 to \$100,000, depending on whether a limited or full capital stock company is concerned.

GAS EVERYWHERE — Representatives from 500 Panhandle area farm families swarmed the legislature to support two bills that will make natural gas available to them.

At present, the area produces two million feet of gas a day, but the farmers can't buy the gas to run irrigation pumps for drought-hit wheatlands.

One measure pushed by the group would require gas companies having wells on irrigated farm land, to sell enough gas to run pumps.

Another would give royalty owners the right to either sell their share of the gas or to use it for irrigation pumps.

WATER PROGRAM — Final Senate approval has been given a proposed constitutional amendment calling for a \$100 million state aid program for local water conservation. If the House approves it, it will go to the people September 20. A state property tax of three cents per \$100 value would finance the bill.

TIDELAND LEASES — First major leasing of tidelands since late 1953 will take place May 3 when the School Land Board puts 186,000 acres on the block. The Board will also offer for leasing 160,000 acres of other land.

SHIVERS INVITED — Gov. Allan Shivers will attend a May 4-5 Washington conference of Democratic governors. Sponsoring the session is the Democratic National Committee. Shivers said the invitation came from National Committee Chairman Paul M. Butler.

GAS CONSERVATION — A conservation bill to regulate natural gas prices at the wellhead is moving forward. House members voted 89 to 52 to have the bill printed after its committee was unable to agree.



The Shining Lights

Grandma couldn't stand anyone who boasted of his good deeds or achievements. She especially couldn't abide any of this in a person who claimed to be a Christian. One day pompous old Deacon Dogood came to call upon her and immediately launched in to his usual recital of the good deeds he had done that week.

"Then I reached into my wallet and took out a ten dollar bill . . . not the church's money, but my own private funds, I understand, and gave it to the poor old fellow . . ." he droned.

Grandma's eyes wandered out the window to the rapidly darkening street. The old lamp-lighter was pushing his pole into the nearest lamp. She motioned to the deacon to watch him. For a few moments they sat in silence as the old man went from pole to pole leaving a brilliantly blazing string of lights behind him. Finally the lamplighter faded into darkness, but the lights went on and on, and as each lamp was lighted his progress could be seen.

"I can't see him any more," complained the deacon, fretful at this interruption of his personal monologue.

"No," said grandma pointedly, "you can't see him, but you can see all the good he is doing along the way."

The deacon got the point, and soon, with a minimum of words, he bade grandma a pleasant good night.

No, the lamp-lighter couldn't be seen, but his light could be seen. It was his business to light

the lamps along the way, not to be seen himself as he did it. That is the duty of every Christian . . . to let his light so shine that men may see his good works (Matthew 5:16) . . . not himself.

Can people tell where we are by the lights we kindle? Can they tell what we stand for—the truths of our Christian faith? This is the way the Christian glorifies his Father which is in heaven.

49,814 Texans Enter Service During 1954

A total of 49,814 Texans enlisted or were drafted into the armed forces in 1954, and at the same time, 57,187 were discharged or relieved from active duty.

This was revealed in a consolidated report released this week by the office of Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director.

Of the 49,814 persons getting into the armed forces from Texas, 35,975 enlisted, while 12,839 were drafted. Almost half of those drafted actually volunteered, but went into service through Selective Service process.

During 1954, Texas draft boards sent 20,061 men for the pre-induction physical and mental examinations. A total of 11,997 passed these tests and 8,064 failed them. This is a rejection rate of approximately 40 per cent.

Under the law, responsibility for the rejection of registrants belongs to the armed forces, General Wakefield pointed out.

Under the doctors' draft law, Texas draft boards sent 106 doctors and dentists for examination in 1954, with 64 being accepted by the armed forces and 42 rejected.

A total of 37 doctors and dentists were offered commissions after receiving orders for induction. All accepted.

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Granddaughter of Mrs. H. W. Gray Married in Clovis

Miss Norma Gray, granddaughter of Mrs. H. W. Gray of Thalia, became the bride of Bobby Wilson in vows exchanged Sunday afternoon, March 23, in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church in Clovis, N. M., with Rev. Thomas H. Roper reading the double ring service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray of Hereford, former Thalia residents, and is a 1954 graduate of Hereford High School. She attended North Texas State College at Denton the past semester. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Obe Wilson of Hereford. He is a graduate of Hereford High School and served four years in the U. S. Air Force with the Fifth Division, spending two years in Japan.

Immediate members of the families and a few close friends attended the wedding.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a navy Silbert suit of British imported fabric made maddy effect with pencil slim skirt, and featuring white pique collar. She wore long white gloves and white costume jewelry. The wedding corsage was a single white orchid and she carried a white Bible. Carrying out traditional custom, she wore a diamond locket which her grandfather Gray had given her grandmother on their wedding day 45 years ago, and her borrowed something was a handkerchief carried by a friend in her wedding.

Following the ceremony, the couple left in a station wagon for their honeymoon in the Colorado

Piano Pupils Register as Candidates to Join Musicians' Fraternity

Piano pupils from the class of Mrs. Allen Sanders have registered as candidates for membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians, sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, of which their teacher is a member.

Thirty-two pupils will play April 24 in Crowell and will strive for local and district honors which are conferred according to the number of standard classic, romantic, and modern pieces played from memory.

The judge will be Ruth Barr of Houston. She holds a Teacher's Diploma from Peabody Conservatory, and has studied with Ernest Hutcheson of New York and with Paul Pecher in Vienna.

From coast to coast, over 40,000 enthusiastic piano pupils of the nation will participate in this annual national piano-playing event being held in 402 music centers of the country and every section "worth its salt" will be certificated, given a gold or bronze embossed pin, a year's membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians and Piano Hobbyists of the World.

The names of the local entrants are: Janice Bowers, Betty McKown, Judy Adcock, Mary Kay Springs. They plan to make their home in Hereford.

Coffey, Judy Sandlin, Kay Johnson, Barbara Goodwin, Bobby Barker, Carole Fisch, Sharon Eversom, Arcina Garrett, Beverly Thompson, Paula Sparks, Judy Barker, Alta Nell Bartley, Sue Sanders, Carria Driver, Carolice Oliphant, Barbara Womack, Barbara Bell, Jo Wynn Ekern, Mary Sue Speer, Marvyn Denton, Carolyn Denton, Jo Frances Long, Gay Johnston, Roxie Adkins, Patricia Prosser, Mary Ann Brown, Judy Borenardt, Charlotte Sledge and Diane Sledge.

FASHION SHOW AT RIALTO MARCH 24

A fashion show was presented at the Rialto Theatre on Thursday night, March 24, by Lennis' Smart Shop, showing Spring and Easter fashions with a preview of summer fashions and play clothes.

Floral arrangements were furnished by the Crowell Flower Shop and music by Marion Crowell.

Mrs. Elmo Todd acted as mistress of ceremonies and models for the show were Mrs. Henry Borchardt, Mrs. Charley Wilson, Miss Frances Kincaid, Mrs. Joe Billings, Miss Sue Menason, Miss Carolyn Bursey, Mrs. Fred Collins, Mrs. Gordon Erwin, Misses Lottie Russell, Virginia McKown, Maymie Lee Collins, Susan Hanson, Nettie Black, Jane Cooper, Roma Jan Spikes, Joann Fox, Linda Brooks, Virginia Thompson, Patricia Todd, Judy Borchardt and Jo Frances Long.

VIVIAN H. D. CLUB

"One serving of beef tongue supplies one-fourth of the daily requirement of protein, one-fifth of iron and one-tenth of Thiamin, the B vitamin group," said Mrs. Warren Haynie, Food Demonstrator, to the Vivian Home Demonstration Club which met with Mrs. Haynie on March 24.

Mrs. Haynie prepared and served tongue loaf with two vegetables and a salad, hot rolls, cake and punch to thirteen members and nine visitors.

Mrs. James Sandlin read a poem to open the meeting and Mrs. Carl Shultz conducted a quiz.

Due to the district meeting in Archer City, the next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 25, in the home of Mrs. Ray Brown.

Those present were the following visitors: Mrs. Ora Patterson of Rowell, N. M., Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Mrs. Claudius Carroll, Mrs. Donald Werley and Mrs. Chester Hord of Crowell, Mrs. Hartley Easley, Mrs. Johnnie Marr, Mrs. Henry Fish and Mrs. Jack Thomas, and thirteen members.

WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met March 22 in the home of Mrs. Walter Thomson. Mrs. Herman Kincheole gave the club details of how and where to order aluminum for trays and plans for making trays were made.

Mrs. Herman Gentry gave an interesting demonstration on tongue loaf which was served with frosted coffee bars and drinks to the following members: Mrs. Virgil Lyons, Mrs. Tom King, Mrs. Herman Kincheole, Mrs. Oscar Gentry, Mrs. A. Weatherall, Mrs. Parker Churchill, Mrs. Ab Jones, Mrs. Bert Mathews, Mrs. Henry Ross, Mrs. M. O'Connell and Mrs. Donald Norris.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. E. Tate April 12. Mrs. Mary Brown will give a demonstration on cooking frozen fish.

TRUSCOTT H. D. CLUB

The Truscott Home Demonstration Club met in regular session Thursday, March 24, at the Community Center.

Mrs. Jack Brown, vice president, opened the meeting. Roll Call was answered with "A new meat dish." The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. W. R. Owens. Plans were made for the THDA delegate meeting to be held at Archer City in April.

The last lesson in first aid was given by Mrs. Marion Chowning. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Farris Gaddell, hostess, to the following members: Mrs. J. R. Brown, Mrs. H. P. Gillespie, Mrs. J. M. Chowning, Mrs. Marion Chowning Jr., Mrs. W. R. Owens and Miss Sandra Kaye Chowning and Miss Mary K. Chowning.

The next meeting will be April 14 and Mrs. Rex Haynie will be hostess.

CO-LABORERS' CLASS

The monthly social meeting of the Co-Laborers' Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church was held in the home of Mrs. O. B. Davis Thursday afternoon. Mrs. T. B. Klepper and Mrs. Fred Weibha shared hostess duties with Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Clint White was devotional leader and her thoughts concerned the Easter theme, "In the Garden" and "Abide with Me" were sung with Mrs. C. W. Thompson leading. Mrs. Will Jones assisted with the program and talked on "Missions in India." Mrs. Thompson told of America's Methodist Mother. A business session followed with Mrs. S. S. Bell, president, in charge.

The hostesses served a dessert course to twenty-four ladies.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our grateful thanks to all our friends for all the flowers, cards, and for any act of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our father and brother, W. E. Taylor, on May God's richest blessings be upon each and every one of you is our prayer.

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