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to Austin Next Week

ONE-ACT PLAY CAST WINS AT REGION; STATE CONTEST NEXT



ONE-ACT PLAY CAST RECEIVES DONATION—Doug Pharis, president of the CHS Student Council, is pictured above as he presented—on behalf of the Student Council—a check to Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, one-act play director, to assist with expenses of the play when it is entered in the state meet in Austin next week. Various members of the one-act play cast are shown behind Mrs. Halbert.

The Crowell High School one-act play carried off the coveted first place trophy and individual acting honors at the regional contest Wednesday of last week at Texas Tech in Lubbock. This put Crowell into state level drama competition for the first time in sixteen years. This qualifies Crowell as one of the top four first place winners in the state, as only first place winners advance to the next contest.

"Gammer Gurton's Needle," a rollicking costume comedy first produced in 1576 was declared the best of eight plays in the Region 1-A contest which was tops of about 64 high school speech department productions which have vied for the regional honors this spring. Over 500 students actors were involved.

Daryl Halencak was named best actor and three others from Crowell who made the all-star cast were Cindy Wisdom, Ruth Brown and Steven Setliff.

Other cast members were Rhonda Vecera, Darla Powers, Lynn Meads, Tim Daniel, Steve Graves and Terry Cobb. Crew members are Danny Ownbey and Darla Bell. Ray Quintero drove the prop truck to Lubbock Wednesday and returned to Crowell that night. Dr. Gaylan Jane Collier of TCU judged the plays.

"There were 69 students in the regional contest, and of the two highest individual awards, Daryl received one, and of eight all-star cast awards, Crowell actors received three," said Mrs. Kenneth Halbert, director, adding "The judges at both district and regional remarked how well this cast worked together."

"Good fight scene, good tempo, good variety, there was good characterization, everybody could be understood, and they were believable. I loved it," said Dr. Collier. "Gammer Gurton's Needle," will go to Austin the first week of May (May 3-5). Excited cast members are making plans to raise expense money for Crowell's first trip to state in many years.

According to available records, CHS last won the state one-act play contest in 1933, forty years ago.

When the cast returned to Crowell, they were honored with a decorated and inscribed cake at a party in the Joe Setliff home. Assisting with refreshments were Mmes. Travis Vecera and Tommy Powers.

Registration for Little League to Be Held Saturday

Little League Season Set for May 22 Through June 29

Registration of boys for Little League will be held Saturday at Bird's on the west side of the square, and the boys who register will be given the opportunity to sell Little League ribbons. Proceeds from the sale of the ribbons will go to help finance the program this year. Baseballs will be given to boys who sell as many as ten of the ribbons.

Boys who are not able to sign up Saturday have until May 1 to contact L. H. Wall, president, and sign for the year. Boys ages 10 through 12 are eligible for the LL program, with the young boys to be placed in a PeeWee league at a later date.

Managers for the four teams this year will be: Crowell State Bank, Bill Bell assisted by Jim Christopher; Farmers Elevator, Ray Santos assisted by Santos Rodriguez; Foard County Mill, Dale Henry who has not as yet named his assistant; and VFW, Dwayne Boren, assisted by Freddie Prather.

The local season is set to begin on May 22 and will run through June 29. For the first time in several years, the local LL all-stars will be entered in the district tournament, along with all-star teams from Seymour, Knox City and Munday.

At an organization meeting last Thursday night, L. H. Wall was re-elected president; Marcus Mills, vice president; Glen Goodwin, player agent; Bill Klepper, reporter; and Mike Bird, equipment manager.

Everyone Urged to Have Free Test

TUBERCULOSIS TESTS TO BE GIVEN IN FOARD COUNTY WEDNESDAY



NEW BAND BOOSTER OFFICERS—Pictured above are the new officers of the Band Boosters Club elected to serve next year. Seated are Clois Cobb, president; Mrs. Joe Don Brown, secretary. Standing are Donald Werley, left, treasurer; and Rusty Russell, vice president. Mrs. Baxter Gentry was elected reporter, but was not at the meeting when this picture was made.

Free testing of all Foard County residents for tuberculosis is set to get underway in Crowell next Wednesday morning, May 2.

Robert T. English of Fort Worth, tuberculosis control specialist for the Texas State Department of Health, has set up the testing for the county. He was here last week and said that the county in the past has been fairly free of tuberculosis and the testing program is planned to see if the disease is still a rarity in Foard County.

The children who attend the neighborhood center and their parents, will be tested from 8:30 to 9 a. m. at the neighborhood center. From 9 until 11:30 a. m., testing of Crowell public school students will be held for all except those in the first and seventh grades, who were tested earlier in the year.

Then from 2 to 6 p. m. in the community center at the housing authority, everyone over 3 months of age not previously tested will be given the test.

Mr. English said the test is not painful, and everyone in the county is urged to have this free test made while it is available.

Testing will be done by Mrs. Gladys Meeks of Truscott, EOAC staff nurse, and Nell Elliston of Seymour, tuberculosis control nurse for this area.

The test takes two days to show whether TB is present, and the nurses will be back in Crowell on May 4 to examine those who were tested. Testing is done on the arm.

Mr. English said this is the first time ever for a free tuberculosis testing for the entire population of Foard County.

Whitman Joins in by Farmers to Meet Saturday

Don Whitman of Thalia, president of the Foard County Farmers Union, joined some 15 other lights, sink, water, and a fly-in, p. ice box, down Dallas, D. e. Excellent conditions for the state's farmers and ranchers. While in the nation's Capitol, he was able to arrange for the state's farmers and ranchers. He is in the nation's Capitol, D. C., with the aid of Congressman W. M. King, manager, urges all members of the association to attend this annual meeting.

Stockholders of Farmers Gin to Meet Saturday

The annual stockholders meeting for the Farmers Co-Op. Gin of Crowell will be held Saturday, April 28, at the gin office. Starting time is 1 p. m. and W. M. King, manager, urges all members of the association to attend this annual meeting.

Cotton Ginning Total for County Is 6,028 Bales

Twenty-one samples of Foard County cotton were classed last week at the Altus USDA cotton classing office in Altus. This brought the season total for the county up to 6,028 bales.

Daylight Savings Time Goes into Effect Sunday

"Spring forward—fall backward" is a little slogan which helps people tell what to do in order to have the correct time since the inauguration of daylight savings time several years ago.

Officially, the time goes up one hour at 2 a. m., Sunday, April 29. So, sometime Saturday night, April 28, move the clocks ahead one hour and you'll have the right time Sunday.

Crowell Riding Club Plans for Vernon Ride

The Crowell Riding Club will hold a meeting at 7:30 p. m., Friday, April 27, at Connie's Cafe to discuss the Vernon trail ride. This announcement was made on Monday by Edward Crosby, president of the riding club, who added:

"The riding club is the only club in Crowell that the whole family can participate in. Several rules have been broken in the past few years. If we don't stick to our rules, we are afraid the club will soon be disbanded. The problem of drinking has come to a point where if it isn't stopped, it is going to ruin the club. If your only plans are to come and drink, the club would be better off if you stayed home.

"The club is a family affair, and drinking is not right in public or around families and their children who don't believe in it. The parade and grand entry are some of the most important things for a club. Everyone should be at their best in looks and personality. No one will ride in the parade who has not paid their dues, or isn't in full uniform. Thank you."

Five New Vehicles

Five new vehicles were registered here last week, as follows: April 16, J. A. Marr, 1973 Chevrolet 4-door; April 16, Jerry Clayton, 1973 Chevrolet coupe; April 18, Jean L. Reeder, 1973 Chevrolet pickup; April 19, Lewis E. Painter, 1973 Chevrolet pickup; April 19, Debra Renee Cooper, 1973 Chevrolet coupe.

Mrs. Minnie Clark Died Monday Night in Local Hospital

Funeral Services Held Wednesday at Baptist Church

Mrs. Minnie Eula Clark, 79, a resident of Crowell since 1964, died Monday, April 23, in the Foard County Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m., Wednesday, April 25, at the First Baptist Church in Crowell conducted by Rev. Joe Ainsworth, pastor, and Rev. John Gillispie of Groom, a former pastor of the local church.

Interment was in the Chillicothe Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Casket bearers were nephews and grandsons of Mrs. Clark: Danny Gary, Don Gary, Wayne Richardson, Terry Carlton, Merl Clark and Max Kester.

Mrs. Clark was born March 21, 1894, in Erath County. She was married to Hershell Clark Oct. 6, 1912, at Bronte, Texas, and Mr. Clark died July 22, 1962. The couple lived most of their married life at Odell. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include six sons, Jewel Clark of Denton, Otis Clark and Rollan Clark of Hawthorne, Calif., Trafton Clark of Houston, Eldon Clark of Saginaw, George Clark of Sterling City, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. I. J. (Edith) Jackson of Crowell and Mrs. Betty Cooper of Palmdale, Calif.; one brother, Marvin Carlton of Lancaster, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Reeves of Boulder City, Colo., Mrs. Lavada Thomas of Palmdale, Calif., and Mrs. Lois Kester of Odell.

Also surviving are 23 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Oil Test to Be Drilled on Beverly Gray Land

States Oil Co. of Dallas has staked the B. F. Gray as a 2,200-foot wildcat in a 640-acre lease 1 1/2 miles west of Thalia and 330 feet from the north and east lines of east half of section 275, block A, H&TC RR Co. Survey.

Young Men Must Still Register at Age Eighteen

The Selective Service System is no longer issuing induction orders, but federal law keeps selective service operating on a "stand by" basis. That same law—The Military Selective Service Act—requires that every young man must register with selective service within 30 days of his 18th birthday. There is a stiff penalty for failure to register.

If you are 18, or older, and have not registered—it's not too late. If you will voluntarily present yourself for registration as soon as possible, you will not be subject to federal prosecution for failure to register.

Registration can be made with Ray Shirley in Crowell.

More Moisture Falls in County

An Easter morning shower about church time Sunday brought this area some more moisture. Official measurement here was .33 inch.

Sunday afternoon, the skies cleared and the remainder of the day was beautiful and sunny.

Fog covered the area early Monday with cloudy skies most of the day. Then late Monday night, a severe thunderstorm moved across the county, bringing extremely high winds and sending many residents scurrying for protection in storm houses. Rain which accompanied the wind measured .44 inch. These last two rains have pushed the April rainfall total up to 1.98 inches.

A front plate glass window at Foard County Lumber Co. was blown out by the Monday night storm.

Hosted by Foard SWCD

REGION 1 SCS AWARDS BANQUET TO BE HELD HERE WEDNESDAY

Ora Mae Fox Is Member of KCL's President's Club

Local Agent Attends Seminar in Bermuda Early in April

Miss Ora Mae Fox of Crowell qualified for membership in Kansas City Life Insurance Company's President's Club and recently attended, at the personal invitation of Kansas City Life president J. R. Bixby, the company's 1973 President's Club Seminar held at the Southampton Princess Hotel in Bermuda April 2-6.

To become a member, an agent must meet high production requirements. Professional achievements in the life insurance business as well as service to the community are also factors. Qualifying for President's Club membership is considered an outstanding achievement throughout the company and the life insurance industry.

Approximately 15 per cent of the company's 2,000 licensed agents throughout the country qualified for the President's Club.

Miss Fox of the Reynolds General Agency joined Kansas City Life eight years ago. She has qualified for the President's Club five times.

Foard County to Observe 82nd Birthday Friday

Friday and Saturday of this week marks two anniversaries in Foard County. It is the county's 82nd birthday and the 31st anniversary of the devastating tornado which virtually demolished Crowell and killed 11 people on the night of April 28, 1942.

It was on April 27, 1891, that an act of the Texas Legislature created Foard County.

Thalia Gin Sets Annual Meeting for Friday Night

The annual membership meeting of the Thalia Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1 will be held on Friday night, April 27, at 8 p. m. in the Thalia gin office, Warren Smith, manager, has announced.

Receiving the annual audit report and the election of directors will be the principal order of business.

Members of the organization are urged to attend.

\$715 in U. S. Savings Bonds Sold in Foard County During March

This week the U. S. Treasury Department announced that sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Foard County during March totaled \$715. Sales for the first three months of 1973 were \$3,698 for 5 per cent of the goal of \$70,000.

Texans purchased \$19,117,945 in Savings Bonds during the month. First quarter sales were \$64,265,996, 11.3 per cent above 1972 sales of \$56,927,138.

Region 1 of Texas Soil Conservation Districts, which comprises a vast section of West Texas and the Panhandle, will have its annual awards banquet at Crowell this year. Hosted by the Foard County Soil and Water Conservation District, the banquet will be held in the CHS gym next Wednesday night, May, beginning at 7 p. m.

The banquet is held here at the invitation of the FCSWCD board of directors composed of J. A. Marr, Melvin Moore, Jack Welch, Eldon Whitman and A. V. McCombs.

Serving as master of ceremonies will be Henry Black, last year's conservation farmer of the year in Foard County. Invocation will be given by County Judge Leslie Thomas and the welcome will be by Mayor Robert Kincaid.

Presentation of awards will be made by Bill King, Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

Thirteen awards will be given and conservation farmers of the year will be recognized from the following Soil & Water Conservation Districts:

Floyd County, Lubbock County, Blackwater Valley, Lynn County, Upper Clear Fork, Dawson County, Gray County, Cap Rock, Gaines-Andrews, Lamb County, Hale County, Running Water, Farmer, Ochiltree, Tierra Blanca, Hutchinson, Palo Duro, Hansford, Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Duck Creek, Sherman County, Lower Pease River, Foard County.

Several hundred out of town visitors are expected to be on hand for the event.

One-Act Play to Be Presented Also

Crowell School Music Department Plans Spring Concert on May 1st

The Music Department of Crowell Schools, with Mrs. J. A. Marr as director, will present a spring concert on Friday night, May 1, at 8:00 p. m. There will be performances by the fifth grade band, sixth grade band, chorus and the High School Band.

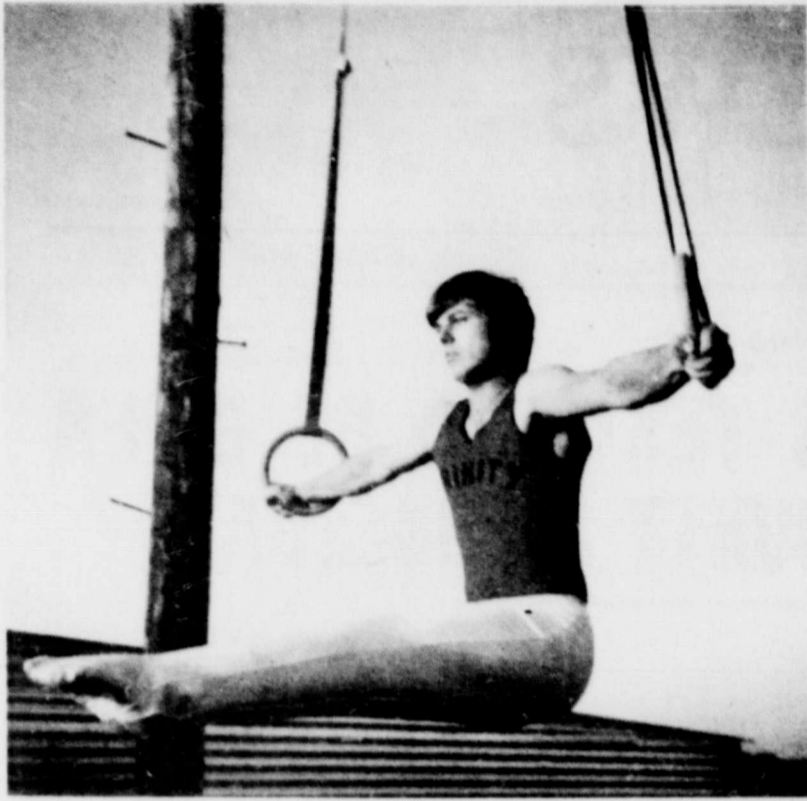
There will be an admission charge of \$1 for adults and 50c for children. The admission charge will be used to help pay for the telephone purchased this year.

The CHS Band will enter

the Six Flags Over Texas Band Contest on May 10. At the spring concert here they will perform the numbers they will play at the Six Flags contest.

To enter the Six Flags contest, a band must have made a 1 in UIL concert competition the previous year or a 1 in the Six Flags contest the previous year.

Also to be presented following the musical groups' performances is the CHS 1-act play—which is entering the state contest next week.



Grandson of Mrs. Daisy Thompson Qualifies for State Gymnastic Meet

Roy Reynolds, (above), eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Reynolds of Colleyville, qualified for State in the Region I gymnastic meet which was held at L. D. Bell High School in Hurst on April 6-7.

Roy's mother is the former Miss Margaret Thompson of Crowell, and he is the grandson of Mrs. Daisy Thompson and the late W. C. Thompson of Crowell.

There were four events for

girls and six for boys. The first six finishers in each event, the top three in all-around and the first two teams advance to the state meet being held April 27-28 in Austin.

Reynolds is a senior at Trinity High School of Euless. He is a ring specialist for the Trinity gymnastic team and placed first on the rings at regional and the team came in second.

The picture above was taken on Roy's ring stand in the backyard of the Reynolds home.

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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The annual membership meeting of the Thalia Farmers Co-Operative Society No. 1 will be held Friday night, April 27, 1973, at 8:00 p. m. in the Thalia Gin Office, for the purpose of receiving the annual audit report, and election of directors.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights
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Austin, Tex. — "If we go through an intellectual debate on a new Constitution for Texas, and the Legislature turns down our recommendations, we will be trained as competent lecturers for high school civics classes."

That was the rationalization of Wales Madden, Amarillo attorney, and member of the new 37-member Constitution Revision Commission. He spoke before the Panhandle Press Association on the tedious chore before the Commission, and invited editors and publishers to attend the first public hearing of the Commission April 25 in Amarillo.

"We will hold 18 public meetings throughout Texas," Madden told his Amarillo audience, "and we'll be hard pressed for time to get the new draft of the proposed constitution to the Texas Legislature by November 1, 1973."

The Texas Legislature becomes a ConCon in January, 1974, and has been charged by the voters to write a new constitution by May, 1974.

There will be no changes in the Texas "bill of rights"—Madden pointed out.

Texas Constitution is longest in the nation—five times longer than the U. S. Constitution. Voters have approved 200 amendments (out of 317 submitted) to the document since 1880.

"If the new constitution is not approved," he added, "we predict that we'll have 200 more amendments approved by the year 2,000."

Several Texas House members attending the Panhandle Press meeting said they believed that the voters would approve the constitution—as submitted by the Legislature.

Madden predicted that the Speaker of the House of Representatives would be the presiding officer of the ConCon in 1974 because: "The House has more votes than the Senate on the decision."

"It will be a 'peoples' document," he concluded, "a document of 'all seasons'."

BUSY LEGISLATURE — Returning from a four-day Easter holiday this week, the Legislature is faced with a hurry-up schedule and a mountain of work before its late May adjournment deadline.

The House plodded for days through stacks of mainly-foredoomed amendments before passing its \$9.7 billion appropriations bill.

A \$9.5 billion version of the state budget for 1974-75, meanwhile, zipped through the Senate finance committee and was expected to pass quickly and smoothly.

Since both houses were ready to bow to Gov. Dolph Briscoe's demand for a no-new-taxes appropriations bill, little hangup is seen for budget conferees in closing days of the session.

Main differences in the House and Senate spending bills lie in the area of public welfare, and that is a fast-changing field, considering federal funding laws are subject to Washington agency interpretation.

While the budget remains the principal job unfinished, there are numerous other major pieces of legislation awaiting action. They include:

* Code of ethics and lobby con-

rol strengthening.

* Election measures.

* A sweeping variety of environmental bills.

* Penal code revision.

* The newsmen's "shield law" to protect information sources, which is stalled in a conference committee, with conferees at odds over whether courts should be empowered to force disclosure.

* Overhaul of the school finance system to benefit poor districts—a job which almost certainly will be left to a later legislature.

ALLOWABLE HELD UP — Texas Railroad Commission for the 14th straight month set the May oil allowable at 100 per cent of potential.

Chairman Jim Langdon said gasoline stocks were down 10 per cent from last year—or at 189.5 million barrels as of April 13.

Ten of 14 major crude buyers requested the same output for May as in April. Three requested less and one, more.

Exceptions to the 100 per cent allowable are East Texas field (86 per cent); Tom O'Conner (70 per cent); and some small fields (80 per cent).

HUNTING-FISHING FEES HIKE — Legislation boosting hunting and fishing licenses fees sharply is now near final passage.

The Senate approved with minor amendments the House bill raising hunting licenses from \$3.25 to \$5.25 a year and fishing licenses from \$2.15 to \$4.25. A combination license could be obtained under the bill for \$8.75. The non-resident hunting license would go up from \$25 to \$50.25.

Hot Shots Only Undefeated Little Dribbler Team

The Hot Shots Girls Little Dribblers basketball team is now the only undefeated team in the four-team league following Monday night's action. They took a 35-26 win over the previously-undefeated Wranglerettes.

For the winners it was Hedi Vecera with 18, Inetta Tucker with 11 and Annetta Dorsey with 6 who scored the Hot Shots' points.

Jodi Graves and Delma Barrera led the Wranglerette attack with 10 points each, while Denise Branch added 6 more.

Officiating in the first game were Bob Cook and Randy Adkins.

In the second game, the Spitfires completely dominated action and took a 48 to 14 win over the Green Jeans. Jill Bell led the Spitfires with 36 points, while Gail Fish scored 10 and Susan Quintero scored 2.

For the Green Jeans, it was Sandra Swearingen with 8 and Terri McDaniel with 6.

Officiating were Randy Prince and Adkins.

Generation Gap Is Needed

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Drive for Muscular Dystrophy Funds Set for May 14

Robert Kincaid, president of the Crowell State Bank, has been named campaign treasurer for the May 14th 1973 March against Dystrophy.

On May 14, Crowell volunteer marchers will conduct a house-to-house appeal for funds to fight muscular dystrophy and related neuro-muscular diseases. The drive is part of the annual nationwide effort to fight muscular dystrophy. In the interest of public service, the Crowell State Bank will act as depository for the local campaign.

Muscular dystrophy is the devastatingcrippler of young adults. The thousands of Texas residents afflicted by MD need your help as the majority will not grow to maturity unless a cure is found.

Card of Thanks

For the many beautiful tributes to our loved one, we are deeply grateful. For all that was done to ease the pain of our great loss we say "thank you."

Mrs. Roy Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Cooper, James, Jr. and John Matthew. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Spirek. Chauna, Laurie and David Roy. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ayers, Jerry, Susan and Lance. 42-1tc

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MARGARET and Riverside

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ingle visited in Iowa Park Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Ray Gibson, and family.

Spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel were their children and families: Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Schaeffer, Jeffrey and Julie, Treva and Koan Bice, of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hobratchek and Douglas of Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coker, Daphne and Tamara, of Vernon; also Ray Hobratchek of Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hobratchek of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hudgens of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, Saturday and her brother, Alton Farrar, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Kennedy of Chillicothe and her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Cook, of Vernon visited in the home of Mrs. Roy Ayers Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Robertson and Kristi of Fairview, Okla., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robertson.

Mrs. Jack Phillips and daughter, Mrs. Jane Lorenz, of Brawley, Calif., visited her sister-in-law and aunt, Mrs. George Pruitt, Wednesday. Also visiting Mrs. Pruitt Wednesday was her niece, Mrs. Steve Phillips, and two children of Dallas.

Lynn Pruitt of Pampa spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt.

Mrs. L. B. Robertson attended the funeral of E. C. Carter in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel visited Mr. and Mrs. George Riethmayer in Crowell Monday night.

Mrs. L. B. Robertson visited Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Parker and Rev. and Mrs. N. A. McNabb in Vernon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel were visitors in Burkburnett and Wichita Falls Wednesday.

To Ranch or Not?

Land values continue to increase and ranch land is no exception. But often net income from ranching is limited, as a study of a ranching operation in the Edwards Plateau indicates. An economist for the extension service found the ranch is reaping a mere 1.5 per cent return on land, labor and management.

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Fire Safety in Home

Flame-safe foam pillow mattress pads are another toward fire safety in the extension service says.

We always have a big of scratch pads on hand. News office.

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...note: This is the fifth annual story in this series on organized crime in Texas. Organized crime does exist as shown in the preceding stories. The Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council, the Attorney General's office, the Department of Public Safety and many other agencies are working with law enforcement officials at the local level to help put an end to organized crime. This story is part of the progress which has been made. This series is part of a public education program developed by the Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council with assistance from the Texas Criminal Justice Council, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, the Texas Department of Public Safety, Office of the Attorney General of Texas and local law enforcement agencies. A few months ago outside a

Dallas night spot, a well-known police character with an intriguing nickname, "The Creeper," died in a hail of gunfire in a scene straight out of a Hollywood gangster film. Police had suspected he was the "enforcer" for a loosely-knit group of southern and southwestern thugs known as the "Dixie Mafia." But before this scene conjures up visions of an organized crime takeover in the Lone Star State, Texans should be aware of the unrelenting statewide efforts already underway to crack down on crime. Little publicized up to this point, the Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council is conducting an all-out drive to corral all segments of the criminal world. The Council, co-chaired by Attorney General John Hill and Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Department of Public Safety, is

comprised of top law enforcement officials from throughout the state. "Some hoodlums are organized, but we are organized, too," Col. Speir pointed out recently, "and we are moving ahead steadily on all criminal fronts including gambling, auto theft, prostitution, gang killings, narcotics, fencing of stolen goods, credit card thefts and many others." Attorney General Hill, since taking office in January has expanded the organized crime division within his office. Head of the office Tim James, a former vice squad officer and attorney, has the sole responsibility to work in close cooperation with enforcement officials to help ferret out organized crime activities. "My office can give legal and auditing help, and in conjunction with the DPS and officers at the local level, assist in yanking the welcome mat from under the organized criminal element in our state," Hill said. Both Hill and Speir acknowledge organized crime does exist, but not of the classic Mafia or La Cosa Nostra vintage. "Some of our home-grown hoodlums have friends within out-of-state mob ranks, and they may be getting some tips and coaching, but we have no concrete information at this time the national syndicates as such are operating in the state," said Colonel Speir. That fact is indicated in statistics compiled by the Council. Leading the list of crime categories in profits by far is illegal gambling. Texans wagered more than \$815 million in football bets alone during the 1971 season with some \$98 million flowing directly into the mainstream of organized criminal activity. But during the calendar year from which the Council's gambling figures were taken more than 130 arrests were made as the bookies began to feel the heat. "I regard this as a sizeable accomplishment in such a period of time, when the problems and restrictions in making bookmaking

cases are taken into consideration," says Colonel Speir. "Our records indicate that on the average, it takes 360 man-hours to make a single case on a bookie." Increased pressure is being applied daily on drug traffickers in Texas. The DPS Narcotics Service has been averaging over 200 cases per month, mostly for sale of narcotics and dangerous drugs. Agents estimate they will file some 3,000 cases against 2,000 defendants this year, compared to some 960 cases against 680 defendants three years ago. As law enforcement officials move ahead with arrests on all fronts, there is accelerated activity behind the scenes as well. A "Texas Law Enforcement Intelligence Unit Association" has been formed which will: Promote the exchange and sharing of confidential information on organized crime activity through establishment of an intelligence system involving law enforcement agencies throughout the state; Exchange information on organized crime with appropriate neighboring states and federal agencies; Establish a central file or clearing house for criminal intelligence information and provide it with data and authorized dissemination; Develop personal relationship and trust among members of the organization and all law enforcement agencies; Promote professionalization of law enforcement; Execute the planned law enforcement program through investigation and vigorous prosecution of organized crime. One of the major areas of concern among law enforcement officials is the lack of public awareness of what constitutes organized crime. Says Colonel Speir: "To understand organized crime, a definition is in order. Organized crime, in general, consists of unlawful activities of the members of a highly organized, disciplined and sophisticated association engaged in supplying illegal goods and services including, but not limited to, gambling, prostitution, loan sharking, narcotics, labor racketeering and other unlawful activities. "Organized criminals seek to infiltrate and control legitimate business. They also strive to corrupt public officials and others in an effort to minimize exposure and the possibility of legal intervention." The Texas Criminal Justice Council, working through Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, is helping fund an approach to public education. As one officer points out: "The public itself needs to understand that a seemingly innocent little football bet is a contribution to organized crime. "The public needs to understand that 'cheap' bargains on some items of merchandise very well could be from a 'fence' who is peddling stolen goods. "The public needs to understand they are the ones being victimized, and it won't stop until all citizens awaken to the fact that organized crime is everybody's business." Members of the Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council along with Attorney General Hill and Colonel Speir are District Attorney Ted Butler, Bexar County; Dallas Police Chief Frank Dyson; San Antonio Police Chief Emil Peters; Harris County District Attorney Carol Vance and Dallas County District Attorney Henry Wade. These men are charged with combining top talent from law enforcement agencies all over Texas to combat organized crime. "Public office holders in all states have a mandate from the citizens to stamp out organized crime, and it is essential that we all cooperate to live up to that mandate," Attorney General Hill said shortly after taking office. While the major responsibilities within the state's organized crime prevention and control operation have been assigned to the Department of Public Safety, all law enforcement agencies in Texas are playing a role. Enforcement, and especially prosecution, at local levels are fundamental to the operation's success, according to Hill, who added: "Until we break the cycle and crack down in areas which supply so much of the illicit cash which bankrolls the mob's operations in illegal drugs, auto theft, murder and robbery we can't truly say we are breaking up organized crime." An "omnibus crime bill" is being prepared at this time for presentation to the 63rd Legislature now underway. It will contain a wide range of requests for new legislation and some constitutional revisions. Legislative needs which have been delineated for Texas include: 1. Admissibility of oral confessions of criminals; 2. Electronic surveillance under strong safeguards; 3. Concurrent jurisdiction for the State Attorney General and

statewide grand jury capability; 4. A law making possession of gambling paraphernalia a felony; 5. Receiving and concealing stolen property law. Also, there is a need for a general overhaul of criminal statutes to cope with specific offenses subject to organized crime, such as loan sharking, prostitution, bookmaking and others. Electronic surveillance (popular name, wire tapping) is probably destined to become the most controversial new law being sought. Law enforcement officials feel, however, such surveillance is grossly misunderstood. With the new media telling daily of "bugging" in high places, the process has rapidly become a code word meaning "invasion of privacy" to many people. "But without such investigative aids," Colonel Speir says, "It is almost impossible to get to the top of major illicit narcotics distribution systems and other organized crime activities simply because the most powerful mobsters never get involved beyond their telephones and penhouses." The same situation holds true with organized gambling. What will be proposed to the Legislature will be a tightly controlled electronic surveillance law — patterned after federal law — which could be used only under formal orders by a district judge, obtained only for a specific period of time and only after the judge has become convinced that there is probable cause to believe that a person or persons are involved in organized crime. "With these proper safeguards," says Colonel Speir, "the public can be guaranteed its right of privacy. The only people who need fear a wire tap are those with something to hide from the law." The Organized Crime Prevention Council also is recommending a state statute to create and finance a statewide organized criminal investigation commission with independent, permanent status. It would contain an adequate staff of investigators with subpoena power to keep a constant watch on danger areas. The commission would make periodic reports to the governor and the legislature and maintain close contact with law enforcement officials for possible prosecution purposes. Both Hill and Speir are confident Texas is moving in the right direction—and rapidly—in efforts to control organized crime. "We have identified the problem, begun to speed arrests and push prosecution and the word is increasingly spreading that organized crime can't do business in

Date of PCA Annual Meeting Is April 28th

Plans are complete for the 39th annual stockholders meeting of the Rolling Plains Production Credit Association, according to J. R. Gleaton, president. The date is April 28—the high school auditorium in Stamford will be the site—and 11 a. m. is the hour when registration will begin, followed by barbecue lunch in the high school cafeteria. The business session will begin at 1 p. m. at which time reports will be heard from the board of directors and the management. The term of Lasater Hensley of Guthrie expires with the date of this meeting. The nominating committee met March 8 in Stamford and Mr. Hensley was renominated for the position to the board, and to oppose him the committee named Robert Forbis of Afton. A total of \$500 in cash attendance prizes will be awarded those whose names are drawn. Amount of prizes will be determined by winners' distance traveled to this meeting. All stockholders and their wives-husbands are eligible for participation in this cash prize event. Rolling Plains PCA serves the credit needs of farmers and ranchers in a 17-county area of the rolling plains of Texas, with offices in Stamford, Spur, Munday, Childress and Matador. More than \$438 million has been loaned since organization and currently the loans outstanding exceed \$24 million. The present board of directors is composed of Lasater Hensley, chairman, Guthrie; Dean Decker, vice chairman, Childress; Mack T. Claburn, Anson; W. C. Mann, Clarendon; J. P. Perrin, Haskell; J. R. Gleaton is president and vice presidents are R. C. Cobb and Bill Glenn. Sam Ferguson is assistant vice president.

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PERSONALS
Mrs. Maudie Golden and Mrs. Katy Davis visited several days last week in Oklahoma City with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hughston of Amarillo were Easter week end visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Cloudercroft, N. M., visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Wallace, Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ketchersid of Lubbock spent the week end here visiting his brothers, Homer Ketchersid, and wife and O. E. Ketchersid.

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James Borchardt and family of Pampa spent the week end here visiting relatives.

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Wayne Borchardt and family of Duncanville spent Saturday night here visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Borchardt.

Miss Kayla Sellers of Greenville spent last week here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Weathered and attending the christening of Tricia Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Weathered of Fort Worth, were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Prather, Randy and Sheryl, Miss Kathy Whitfield, Mike Weathered, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Adcock and Brad.

Jolyne Wallace of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Wallace, over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ellis of Dallas were Easter week end visitors here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Westover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ilseing and son, Rodney, of New Braunfels were Easter week end visitors here with his mother, Mrs. Oliver Ilseing, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Weathered and daughter, Tricia Ann, of Fort Worth visited over the Easter week end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Weathered.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Edwards and son, Tracy, of Snyder and Sonny Gene Edwards of Colorado City spent the Easter holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Love.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson of Danville, Calif., were here a few days last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thompson's aunt, Mrs. J. R. Beverly. Also here for the funeral was Mr. Thompson's sister, Miss Mary Ragland Thompson of Abilene.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson over the week end were their children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Priest and Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Laxson and baby, Bradley, of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gann and son, Mark, of Fort Worth and Mrs. J. C. Thompson and daughter, Teresa, of Plano.

Visiting during the Easter holidays with Mrs. Mattie Schlagal were: her daughter, Mrs. Jack Phillips of Brawley, Calif., her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lorenz and children, David and Jimmy, of Los Angeles, Calif.; another daughter, Mrs. Russell Yocham of Big Lake; Mrs. Steve Phillips, and children, Scott, Tammy and John Mark, of Irving.

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John C. White, Commissioner

Texas Number Nine... Commercial Vegetable Outlook... Citrus Crop Up Again.

TEXAS continues in the top 10 states in dairy production and number of milk cows, according to a report titled "1972 Texas Dairy Statistics". The major dairy section of Texas is located in the eastern half of the state.

WEATHER conditions have curtailed commercial vegetable plantings in the Lower Rio Grande Valley and are also delaying harvesting.

CITRUS producers are enjoying a good season. Based on April 1 conditions, the 1972-73 citrus crop is estimated at 18,400,000 boxes; this is 23 per cent above the production of the previous season.

3,688 Persons Died in 1972 in Fatal Traffic Accidents in Texas
Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, says that a record 3,688 persons died last year in 3,099 fatal traffic crashes on the streets and highways of Texas. Another 128,158 persons were injured in 83,607 injury accidents.

Major and Mrs. Jimmy Stinebaugh and Christy came Friday afternoon and spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinebaugh. Karen Stinebaugh returned home to Lawton, Okla., with them after spending the past week here with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sharp and children of Detroit on a trip last week. In Lubbock they visited Mrs. Lillian Berry. They went on to Ruidoso and White Sands in New Mexico, Coolidge, Ariz., and visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huntley at Coolidge. They also visited the Casa Grande ruins, Oak Creek Canyon, Grand Canyon, The Painted Desert and Petrified Forest were all covered with snow, Mrs. Roberts said. En route home they also visited Palo Duro Canyon.

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Clois Cobb Is Re-Elected Band Booster President
New officers were elected for next year at the monthly meeting of the Band Boosters Club last Monday night. Clois Cobb was re-elected president; Rusty Russell will be the new vice president; Mrs. Joe Don Brown was re-elected secretary; Donald Werley re-elected treasurer; and Mrs. Baxter Gentry will be the new reporter.

Girls Little Dribbler Cage Action Listed for Week
The Wranglerettes will be trying to get back into the "win" column in girls Little Dribbler basketball Thursday night when they take on the Hot Shots in the second game that night. The Hot Shots are the only team in the league with a perfect record.

No Pesticides, Less Cotton?
The withdrawal of different pesticides currently used in cotton production in the U. S. could reduce production by 10 per cent, according to a study by two economists for the extension service. The study also showed that the cost of production would increase by almost \$10 per acre. Both irrigated and dryland production were considered. Among the pesticides in the study were organochlorines, organophosphates and aniline.

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Patrons for the Foard County Library Drive Netted Total of \$195.90

The Patrons for the Library drive netted \$195.90 which will be spent on books and materials for the library, according to Mrs. Clarence Garrett, chairman of the Library Committee. Mrs. Henry Borchardt was in charge of the drive. The door-to-door canvass was conducted Friday afternoon, April 13, for two hours. Due to inclement weather and school holidays,

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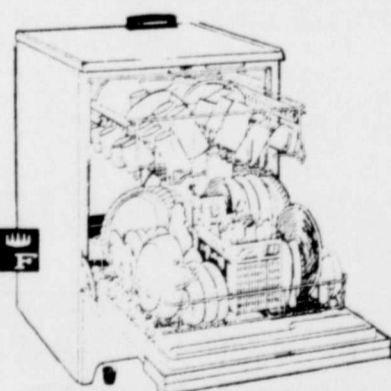
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the eleven workers could not approach all residents in that short time. Service organizations were visited last week. If any who was missed would like to contribute, the committee urges that that person contact the treasurer of the library board, Mrs. H. C. Brown. Each year, the clubs affiliated with the Foard County Federation of Women's Clubs give a donation with the Adelpian and Columbian Clubs contributing one dollar per member. These affiliated clubs include the Women's Service League and the home demonstration clubs. During the drive, the Lions Club gave \$25.00. The Rotary Club adds books to a shelf in the library which they established several years ago.

Other patrons have given memorial books. Additional supporters of the library added during the drive were Borchardt-Goodwin Chevrolet, Shirly-Youree Drug, Fische, Brooks Auto Supply, D&T Foodway, Gentry Gro. & Mkt, Westside H. D. Club, Dairy Bar, H. C. Brown, J. C. Autry, Jr., Foster Davis, Fred Borchardt, Joe Burkett, Gus Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore, Jim Cook, J. W. Martin, Clyde Owens, Gordon Erwin, Joel Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Manard, J. T. Hughston, Ed Russell, Thomas Hughston, Claude Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Todd, Gusta Davis, Margaret Curtis, The Foard County News; and Mrs. Fern McKown, Cornelia McDaniel, Edward Howard, W. C. Smith, Milton Hunter, Betty Edy, Allene Williams, Woodrow Lemons, Ray Shirley, Cecil Carpenter, Wanda Cates, Foy McRae, Ted Reeder, Lorene Carroll, W. A. Dunn, J. M. Barker, Effie Johnson, James Welch, Sam Knox, Floyd Thomas, George W. Davis, James H. Gillespie, Mary Alice Borchardt, George Riethmayer, Gussie Myers, Joe Wheeler, Jack Turner, Peggy Meads, James G. Johnson, A. R. Sanders, V. A. Johnson, Ed Huskey, Mildred C. Neal, C. M. Carroll, Homer Ketchersid, Emma Belle Bounds, Vera Manard, Ruby Ribble, Gordon Bell, Hid Haney, N. J. Roberts, R. H. Emery and Bob Thomas.

The library committee of the Foard County federation appreciates the help given to the Foard County library.

Senior Class Lists Recent Activities

Seniors attended a really neat graduation luncheon sponsored by the Methodist Church Friday, April 13. They would like to express their appreciation to Brother Rucker for the inspiring talk he gave, and to everyone who helped make the annual luncheon possible.

The seniors met recently to decide on the name of their teams for the intramural volleyball games. They decided on the name Blue Jeans, with blue as their color. The boys' coach and manager are Veda Lynn Everson and Rhonda Vecera. The girls' coach and manager are John Urquizo and Rex Driver.

Congratulations are in store for those in the one-act play, "Gammer Gurton's Needle," which won at the regional contest at Tech last week. Seniors in the play are Rhonda Vecera, Darla Bell, Daryl Halenack, Cindy Wisdom and Ruth Brown. Daryl was named best actor at regional and Cindy and Ruth, along with a sophomore, Steven Setliff, were on the all-star cast!!!

Everyone thought that Mrs. Jean Halbert should have gotten a special award for the 1-o-n-g and very strenuous hours, days and months she has put into the play. Good luck at State!

Tuberculosis Control Worker Is Speaker at W. S. L. Meeting

Bob English of Fort Worth, who is an employee of the Texas State Department of Health, tuberculosis control division, was the guest speaker at the Women's Service League luncheon Thursday of last week in the community center. He was introduced by Mrs. Cecil Carroll.

Reminder Issued to Motorists About School Bus Law

A reminder on the state law about motorists stopping for school buses was issued this week by Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Speir said the law, which applies on city streets as well as rural highways, requires motorists moving in either direction on the same roadway or street with a school bus to stop and remain stopped as long as the flashing top red lights are in operation.

According to Veterans Administration estimates, there are about 74,900 American Indians among the nation's veterans population, who receive for various benefits some \$15 million annually.

From the News . . .

THIRTY YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the Thursday, April 29, 1943, issue of The Foard County News:

The one-act play cast of Crowell High School was winner of first place at the regional one-act play tournament which was held at WTSC at Canyon last Saturday. This entitles the cast to enter the state meet in Austin on May 7 and 8 to contend for state honors. The cast includes Evelyn Jean Scales, Roy Joe Cates and Bill Bruce, and the director is Mrs. I. T. Graves.

Foard County lacks only a few thousand dollars of reaching its quota of \$82,000 in the Second War Loan Drive, it was announced Wednesday by H. E. Ferguson, county chairman.

Pvt. Edwin Edgin, son of Mrs. J. E. Minor, is at Fort Lewis, near Tacoma, Wash. He is now a bugler at the fort.

The presentation of an Easter program by the young people of Crowell at the high school stadium at sunrise on Sunday morning presented the real meaning of Easter in a beautiful and impressive manner to about 400 people who witnessed it. The weather was perfect.

A flag dedication service will be held at the Rayland Baptist Church Sunday evening, April 2, at 9 o'clock.

Pyote, Texas.—Jack W. Thomas has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. Sgt. Thomas serves as chief postal clerk at the Rattlesnake Bomber Base here.

Pvt. and Mrs. C. V. Barker left Monday for Kentucky where Pvt. Barker is stationed.

From the News of May 2, 1913: "The Legation," which in reality is nothing more nor less than a bachelors' hall, opened at the old stand, the former office of the Switzer Lumber Co., this week. Officers are Leo Spencer, president; F. A. Short, vice president; John Roberts, secretary; H. T. Cross, guard.

Ed Payne visited with relatives in Bonham last week end.

The Margaret Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Jim Owens Friday. The subject, "Know Your Sewing" was discussed. Mrs. Raymond Bell gave a history of the sewing machine and told that the first machine was patented in England in 1790.

Mrs. L. E. Tackett, Foard County Hospital superintendent, advises that a class in Home Nursing which she will teach, will start on Monday night, May 3, at 8 o'clock.

Edward Roark left Monday for Lubbock from where he went to Fort Sill, Okla., to enter the service.

From the News of May 2, 1913: Graduating from high school this week were A. Y. Beverly, Maye Klepper, Lula Bowley, James Clifford and Una Self.

Charles Wood left Friday for El Paso for induction into the U. S. Marines.

Mrs. Richard Hunt has accepted a position at the fountain of Ferguson's Drug Store. Her husband is attending a Signal Corps Radio School at Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Texas Schools Receive 5.8 Million Pounds of Chicken

By the end of the school year, Texas will have received more than 5.8 million pounds of chicken for schools in the National School Lunch Program.

This is Texas' share of frozen cut-up chicken bought by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to help schools meet protein requirements of lunches served under the program. This amounts to around 9.9 average servings for each Texas child who eats lunch at a participating school.

Deliveries of the chicken began on September 1 of last year and will continue through May.

The National School Lunch Program is administered in Texas by the Texas Education Agency in cooperation with USDA's Food and Nutrition Service. Chicken and other foods donated by the federal government are distributed to schools through the State Department of Public Welfare.

All of the Veterans Administration's 168 hospitals are now affiliated with colleges and schools to help train medical and allied health personnel.

News from . . .

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Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Howard and sons of Lubbock spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adcock here and Mrs. Edith Howard of Crowell.

Mrs. Harold Barry and Bette Sue visited in Seguin last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Cash of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cook and Alicia and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cook of Gilliland spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Black. Miss Exa Hutton of Pampa visited Mrs. J. C. Black this week.

Mrs. Grimmet went to Vernon Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash and Treanna visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash and Kim at Grandfield, Okla. Thursday and Kim came back to Gilliland with them. Mrs. O. L. Patterson of Benjamin visited the Cashes Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash of Grandfield and Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Cash of Albany visited the Jim Cashes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Robinson and Lynn of Madora, Kansas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton over the Easter week end. Jim Robinson and family of Benjamin visited Mr. and Mrs. Burton Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Caram and family of Arlington visited the Ralph Carams Easter week end. Lori and Terry Swanner of Willington visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McGuire, Wednesday through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hamilton of Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Louis and Mark of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil G. Navratil through the holidays.

Charles Welch of El Paso visited his mother, Mrs. Elmer D. Welch, over the week end.

Mrs. J. R. Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Ike Harwell in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Cash got back Sunday from visiting her son and daughters in Lubbock, Muleshoe and Roswell.

Mrs. Q. D. Williams, Monty and Joe Barr, of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones Sunday. Nancy Williams and a friend, both from TWU, also visited the Jones Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Welch spent last week end in Jacksboro with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Abernathy, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen New attended the all-awards banquet at the Benjamin high school gym Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swafford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quintero, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Quintero and family of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gualtier and sons of Petrolia, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Quintero and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Quintero and family of Crivell, Raymond Quintero and family of Truscott and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Quintero and family of Gilliland visited Mrs. John Quintero over the Easter holidays.

Thursday, Mrs. Madge Derryberry of Snyder, Mrs. Ruth Dozer of Rochester and Mrs. Bertha Ste-

Wranglerettes and Hot Shots Win Thursday Games

Girls Little Dribbler basketball continued on its wild and woolly ways last Thursday night with the Hot Shots and Wranglerettes continuing their winning ways.

For the Hot Shots, it was Hedi Vecera and Inetta Tucker leading the scoring with 14 points each. Patsy Williams scored 6, Terry Whitley 4 and Linda Urquizo 2. Leading the Green Jeans attack were Terri McDaniel and Sandra Swearingen, both of whom scored 8 points. Kay McDaniel scored 4 points.

The second game saw the Wranglerettes come out on top 26 to 20 over the Spitfires. Jody Graves with 16 and Delma Barrera with 10 points accounted for the Wranglerettes points. Jill Bell with 14 and Gail Fish with 6 accounted for the Spitfires' points.

A learned fool is more foolish than an ignorant fool.—Moliere.

vens of Knox City visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haynie. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie of Andrews spent Thursday night with the Haynies. They were on their way to Oklahoma City to spend Easter with their daughter.

Although Sunday afternoon was pretty enough for the kids to hunt Easter eggs, Sunday morning wasn't that pretty. We had another of those showers which have been coming through a lot lately, only this time it was mixed with some hail. Luckily, it didn't do much damage to the wheat. There is still some cotton in the fields, though, and that shower might be enough to keep the strippers out even longer.

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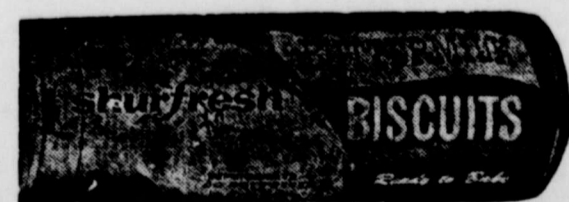
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RECEIVES GIFT FROM STUDENT COUNCIL — Miss Remelle Marlow, center, is pictured above as she is presented a check from Doug Pharis, president, on behalf of the Student Council, to assist with Miss Marlow's expenses when she represents CHS at the national FHA convention in Dallas in July. Miss Marlow was recently elected historian for this area of the FHA organization. Looking on, left, is Mrs. Mary Brown, FHA advisor for CHS.

Play 6 Games in 3 Days
Crowell Little Dribbler All-Stars Take Second Place in Crosbyton Tourney

The Crowell Little Dribbler All-Stars—ten of the best from the local Little Dribblers program—participated in the district tournament at Crosbyton last week end and played six games before being nudged out in the finals 44 to 41 by Idalou.

In the Thursday, 5:30 p. m. game, Crowell won 45 to 33 over Hale Center, the team that beat Crowell in the finals at Anton last year.

Tyron Tucker with 12 points was high pointer for Crowell, and Dwayne Dishman was close behind with 11. Steve Rodriguez and John Thomas had 8 points each, David Seedig scored four and Marshall Reed 2. Rodriguez got into foul trouble and left the game early.

Junior Ashmore of Hale Center, a thorn in the flesh of the Crowell boys last year, scored 17 of Hale Center's 33 points.

Crowell's next game was with Idalou Friday afternoon with the local stars coming out on the short end of a 35-28 score.

Tucker again led the local scoring attack with 12 points; Dishman had 6, Thomas 4 and Rodriguez, Wade Davis and Jessie Henry 2 each.

On Friday night, Crowell again met the Hale Center team and again beat the Hale Countians, this time by a 39-38 score.

Tucker scored 10 in this one; Rodriguez and Dishman had 8 each; Thomas and Seedig had 5 each; Marshall Reed had 2 and Jessie Henry 1. Again, Ashmore was the big gun for Hale Center, scoring 23 points.

On Saturday morning at 9, the local boys took on the Ralls team and won 48 to 38.

Tucker continued as high pointer with 15, followed closely by Dishman with 13. Rodriguez had 10, and Thomas and Seedig had 5 each.

Saturday afternoon at 3:30, the local stars were pitted against the host Crosbyton team and pulled this one out with a 46-41 score.

John Thomas was the big gun for Crowell in this game with 15 points. Rodriguez had 8, Seedig 7, Dishman 6, Tucker 4 and Reed, Mike Cates and Henry, 2 each.

Then in the finals Saturday night, the Crowell stars came within just a little of winning all the marbles, were eeked out by Idalou 44-41.

Thomas again led the local scoring with 15; Rodriguez was close behind with 14; Tucker had 6, Dishman 4 and Seedig 2.

Crowell's team led in average scoring in their six games with 41.1 and a total of 247. Idalou averaged 37.5 points in its four games. Total scoring was Tucker with 67 points and a game average of 11.1; Dishman had 50 with an 8.3 average; Thomas scored 41 for a 6.8 average; Rodriguez had 38 and a 6.3 average. Seedig scored 21 for a 3.5 average; Reed scored 6 points, Wade Davis 4, Mike Cates 2 and Henry 7. Sammy Neal failed to hit a basket in the tourney.

Roy Whitley, general chairman of the local LD program, compiled the preceding statistics and added that Crowell played six games in three days with 3 of these coming on Saturday. Crowell played every team in the tourney except New Deal. They won 4 and lost 2.

Crowell was called for 96 personal fouls and two technicals, as opposed to 53 personals and two technicals for their opponents.

Crowell shot 65 free tosses and made 29 of them.

Their opponents shot 129 free tosses and made 66. In the two games lost, Crowell was called for 32 personals, to their opponents' 12. Crowell shot 14 free tosses and their opponents had 47.

Whitley added that "in the championship game, Idalou led 42-41 with 37 seconds left in the game. Steve Rodriguez could have tied and gone ahead but missed the first shot of a 1-and-1 free throw. The Crowell all-stars wanted to win the tourney badly and played their hearts out. They had a good trip and enjoyed themselves."

S-Sgt. Willie Wilkins of Killeen, Texas, the brother of the late John J. Wilkins of Crowell, passed away at his home Monday, April 16.

Mrs. Edgar Hardy and Mrs. John Wilkins of Crowell and Mrs. J. J. Wilkins of Killeen, Texas, attended the funeral services on Thursday, April 15, at 2 p. m. in Lindale, Texas.

The Vietnam veteran is ahead of both the World War II and Korean conflict veteran in school and college participation. Nearly 40 per cent of eligible Vietnam Era veterans have enrolled.

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"Majority Must End Silence on Obscenity," Star-Telegram Says

(Editor's note: The following editorial appeared in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram on Monday morning, April 23. Mrs. Marion Crowell called the News' attention to the editorial and we print it with thanks to Mrs. Crowell for her concern.)

Encouraged by recent court decision holding pornographic movies to be "obscene," by legal definition, Houston police have announced a crackdown on skin-flick theaters in that city.

May their tribe increase. Obscenity may be hard to nail down for legal purposes, but the great majority of the American people have a built-in sense of what is decent for public display

and what isn't. And that pornographic movie houses have long since frolicked beyond even the outermost boundaries drawn by this common sense of decency.

To determine this, incidentally, it isn't necessary to view the film fare. All it takes is a glance at the marquee.

Some print media reviewers who have ventured inside tend to belittle the salacious impact of pornographic movies. For the most part, they say, the films are without plot, boring and impersonal.

To us, these are the most reprehensible aspects of the deluge of film fluff that has invaded our neighborhoods. Sex, the tenderest and most preciously fulfilling personal relationship given to mankind, is depicted as dull, cruel or unrewarding and—worst of all—impersonal.

It almost seems that there's a diabolical conspiracy afoot to convince man that he is only an animal, and the skin flicks are a major factor in the trend.

The majority has been silent too long on this issue. It has a right to want decent communities, and to demand that its governmental institutions provide them. It had better start making these demands heard, forcefully and in the right places. Otherwise, we may find ourselves in the midst of a race too dehumanized to qualify as animal, much less man.

J. E. Blakemore, Former Crowell Resident, Died
 Services for J. E. Blakemore, 77, a resident of Shamrock since 1941 and a former Foard County resident, were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday, April 17, in the First Baptist Church in Shamrock. Rev. Bill Rushing, pastor of Date Street Baptist Church in Plainview, officiated. Burial was in Shamrock Cemetery by Richardson Funeral Home.

Mr. Blakemore, husband of the former Cressie Erwin of Crowell, died early Sunday in Shamrock General Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Arkansas, he moved to Shamrock from Childress. He was a retired truck stop operator. His station was located on the eastern edge of Shamrock. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow; two sons, Forbus and J. A., both of Shamrock; four sisters, Mrs. Guy Easley, Mrs. G. W. Mills, Miss Eve Blakemore and Mrs. Bessie Peacock, and a brother, A. F. Blakemore, all of Amarillo; four grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

TB Control Officer Is Rotary Speaker
 A free tuberculosis test for all residents of this area is being planned for Wednesday, May 2, at the housing authority community center.

This announcement was made last Wednesday at the noon luncheon of the Rotary Club by Robert T. English, from the tuberculosis control division of the Texas State Department of Health.

Mr. English said the free skin test for TB will be open from 2 until 6 p. m.

He commented that since the development of new drugs shortly after World War II, the incidence of tuberculosis has decreased but it is still a threat to the health of the nation's people. TB is not curable, but these new drugs control the disease and keep the patient from being a carrier.

The incidence of tuberculosis in the state has decreased to the point where there are only 3 TB hospitals in the state.

Also on the Rotary program last Wednesday was Mrs. Clarence Garrett who told the Rotarians about the Foard County Library and the fund drive presently in progress. She was introduced by Bill Bell, president, and Mr. English was introduced by Rotarian Ray Brown.

Since Rotarian Grady Halbert has an April birthday, Bell honored him by relating some of Mr. Halbert's accomplishments in the field of Rotary.

Other guests present were Rotarian Walker Todd of Quanah, Bobby Leggett of Houston and Bob Roberts, foreman of the new cap manufacturing plant.

Just to Make Sure
 A new patron of the Cincinnati Public Library was astounded at the vast supply of freely lent material. He stood in the record department, gazing around and gripping his card.

"You mean," he said, "with this card I can take out any record I want?"

Assured of this, he went on, "And I can take out any color film you have?"

Another assurance didn't stop the dazzled patron, who persisted, "With this card can I take out any librarian?"

Here the woman at the record desk sweetly informed him, "The librarians, sir, are for reference only."—Cincinnati Inquirer.

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Notices
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NOTICE—General Repair Work. Call us day or night. 684-6731. — Langford's Garage—Dub and Clyde. 31-tfc

Tom Black's Cabinet Shop. Specializing in kitchen remodeling. Ph. 817-684-5841, Crowell, Texas. 32-tfc

Lodge Notices
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Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Center.

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Crowell Chapter No. 916, OES
 Meets second Tuesday night of each month. The next meeting will be May 8, 8:00 p. m.

Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors.

ALYNE PITILLO, W. M. MARIETTA CARROLL, Sec.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting
 Second Monday each month.
 May 14, 8:00 p. m.

Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

KENNETH CARROLL, W. M. ROBERT KINCAID, Sec.

Notice
 Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas, will, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1973, at 10 o'clock A. M., in its usual meeting place in the Courthouse in Crowell, Texas, proceed to receive and consider competitive bids for the purchase of the following equipment:

"One 1973 Model Truck, 215 Horsepower, 350 cu. inch V-8 Engine with Power Take-off on Transmission; 84" cab to Axle 149" Wheel Base; 8:25x20-10 ply tires front; four (4) 9:00x 20-10 Ply tires rear; heavy duty 20x6.5 wheels; 2 speed, 15,000 lb. rear axle; heavy duty cooling; heavy duty frame; west coast mirrors, senior 7"x16"; heavy duty front springs; heavy duty rear springs; overload rear springs."

and will at such time let a contract therefor if any bid be accepted; all such bids are to be made as required by law, but the Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids received. The Court offers as a trade-in and as part payment one used 1965 Ford Truck which may be inspected at the County Warehouse in Crowell, Texas.

PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS, pursuant to a Resolution passed by said Court on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1973, such Resolution being of record in Vol. 8, page 365, of the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas.

LESLIE THOMAS, County Judge, by order of the Commissioners' Court, Foard County, Texas. 42-2tc

Boys Little Dribbler Pictures Arrive
 Individual color team pictures of the boys Little Dribblers basketball team which were ordered are now ready for delivery at the News office.

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Trespass Notices
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NO trespassing on the Emma Main, Fred Main, and Bledsoe land. pd. 1-74

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 1-74

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing on any of the R. N. Barker Estate land. pd. 8-73

NO trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned by the B. A. Whitman Estate or Eldon Whitman. pd. 9-1-73

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on Mrs. L. H. Hammonds' land. Pd. to Aug. 21, '73

NO HUNTING, fishing, or trespassing of any kind allowed on T. R. Cates Estate land. pd. to 5-74

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mrs. Maggie Barker. pd. 1-74

NO trespassing of any kind, fishing or hunting on my land. —Fannie Middlebrook. pd. 9-73

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on the Minnick Ranch.—Mrs. J. H. Minnick Estate. pd. 1-74

NO hunting, fishing, trespassing or trash dumping on any land owned or leased by me.—Mrs. W. A. Dunn. pd. to 5-73

NO TRESPASSING, hunting or fishing on land leased by me in Foard and Knox Counties. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mike Wishon. pd. 8-13-73

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by us.—Johnson & Ekern. pd. 1-74

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Glenn Halsell Cattle Co. pd. 1-74

NO TRESPASSING — Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Otis Gafford. pd. 1-74

NO TRESPASSING — Positively no hunting on land owned, leased or rented by us. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCoy. pd. 9-73

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any Merl Kincaid land. pd. 1-74

NO DUMPING of any kind on any right-of-way of any county road in Foard County allowed. Violators will be prosecuted.—Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas. 1-tfc

NOTICE TO PUBLIC—Any non-members caught fishing in the Spring Lake Country Club will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. This lake is for members only and others will please stay out.—Board of Directors.

NOTICE
 That in accordance with Article 1377c of the Penal Code—CRIMINAL TRESPASS (Senate Bill 111 passed by the 62nd Legislature), notice is hereby given that all lands of the W. T. Waggoner Estate are POSTED—save and except where written permission is given to come upon the same.—JOHN BIGGS, TRUSTEE. 9-tfc

Indignant Citizen . . .
 "An indignant citizen of our national capital mailed 75 letters from Philadelphia to Washington addresses. Then he carried a second set of letters between the two cities by his own 'pony express' service of six horses and eight riders. Most of the letters carried by pony express were delivered first, to the surprise of nobody. Recently the horse has been making a comeback on the American scene. There may be a greater future for it than realized, unless the Postal Service gets its mess untangled soon."—Bedford, Ind. Times-Mail.

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FOR SALE—TV antenna parts. See Bill Thompson. 42-tfc

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