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**TO OBSERVE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY**—The children of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bartley (above) will honor them at a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Vecera Saturday, July 14, from 1 until 3 p. m. to celebrate the Bartleys' fiftieth wedding anniversary. A special invitation is extended to all of their friends.

## Last Rites for Mrs. G. M. Canup Held Here Friday

### Long-Time Foard Resident Died in Childress July 4

Mrs. George M. Canup, 86, resident of Foard County for many years, died in a Childress rest home Wednesday, July 4, after an illness of some time.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Friday, July 6, at the First Methodist Church in Crowell with Rev. Warren Everson, pastor of Bethel Church, officiating. Interment was in the Crowell Cemetery under the direction of Womack Funeral Home.

Bearers were Lawrence M. Glover, Harvey Aydelott, Ben Barker, A. A. Manning, Baylor Weathered and Pat McDaniel.

Mrs. Canup was born August 2, 1886, in Georgia, as Euna Laura Pippins, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Pippins.

She married G. M. Canup in 1905 in Collin County. They lived at Foard City most of their married life and moved to Crowell when Mr. Canup retired. He preceded her in death Nov. 16, 1945.

Mrs. Canup was a member of the First Methodist Church of Crowell and the Order of Eastern Star. She held a life membership in the OES.

Survivors include three sons: Raymond Canup of Phoenix, Ariz.; Wayne Canup of Lubbock and Harold Canup of Childress; two daughters, Mrs. Opal Morris of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Hazel White of Dallas; a brother, Horace Pippins of Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. Essie Renfro of Dallas; 21 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Mrs. Vera Barker, and two sons, Horace Canup and Roy Canup.



KAREN STATSER

## Karen Statser Is Winner of Trip to Washington, D. C.

Miss Karen Statser of Crowell has been selected as one of the state 4-H winners for the National 4-H Citizenship Short Course and Heritage Tour to Washington, D. C., Mrs. Rhonda Ward and Joe Hurkett, county extension agents, announced this week.

The dates for the trip have been set for July 18 through August 2, with 4-Hers leaving by bus from Dallas.

There will be an orientation and banquet at the Baker Hotel in Dallas on July 18th.

During the trip to Washington, the group will visit points of interest of the American Heritage, including stops at Hot Springs, Ark., Nashville, Tenn., Salem, Va.; Chester, Va., Decatur, Ga., Mobile, Ala., and New Orleans, La. They will be guests of the Holiday Inns each night during their trip.

Six days will be spent in Washington, D. C., at the National 4-H Citizenship short course. During this time, the 4-Hers will stay at the National 4-H Center. They will meet with their Congressman and Senators on July 25.

As a 4-H Club member for seven years, Miss Statser has carried projects in livestock, foods and nutrition, home improvement, safety, bedroom improvement, gardening, public speaking and clothing. She has held offices on the county level. She is active in her church, serving as associate pianist, in Acteens and youth choir.

Sweetheart of the Crowell Rotary Club, she is a member of the CHS band, holds offices in FHA and Sub-Junior Adelphean Club. She has been a cheerleader for three years and on the basketball team. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Statser.

## Wheat Production Figures Given for Past 37 Years

A final tabulation of grain delivered to the county's elevators during harvest season shows that the county topped 1 1/2 million bushels of wheat this year.

Also delivered to elevators were 37,065 bushels of oats and 2,026 bushels of barley.

Listed below is the final tabulation for wheat brought to the elevators since 1937:

1937	1,282,000
1938	546,600
1939	540,000
1940	585,231
1941	375,000
(Harvest in '41 went thru July)	
1942	625,000
1943	562,000
1944	1,002,177
1945	956,381
1946	828,000
1947	1,350,000
1948	1,141,300
(In '48, wheat brought \$2.03 bu.)	
1949	1,250,000
1950	990,000
1951	525,000
1952	1,350,000
1953	611,000
1954	590,000
1955	498,000
1956	810,000
1957	720,000
1958	1,236,000
1959	458,000
1960	1,439,678
1961	1,466,000
1962	279,000
1963	789,584
1964	974,166
1965	862,000
1966	860,000
1967	1,026,160
1968	1,601,066
1969	1,083,700
1970	1,096,418
1971	105,500
1972	1,003,316
1973	1,511,439

(1973 wheat price varied from \$2.25 to \$2.71 per bushel.)



**MASONIC LODGE OFFICERS**—Shown above are the new officers for the Crowell Masonic Lodge who were installed Monday night. From the left, front row, they are, Charles Branch, senior steward; Karl Bell, junior warden; R. G. (Mike) Rasberry, worshipful master; Pat Pittillo, senior warden; Elton Carroll, treasurer. Back row: Ray Shirley, junior deacon, Cecil Carroll, chaplain; Kenneth Carroll, tiler; Robert Kincaid, secretary, and James Sandlin, junior steward. Absent when the picture was made was Warren Haynie, senior deacon. The above picture was made by Mrs. Pat Pittillo.

## Youth Injured in Cycle-Pickup Accident Friday

### Joe Mark Smith Transferred to Wichita Hospital

Joe Mark Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vernon Smith of Crowell, was rushed to General Hospital in Wichita Falls Friday night following a motorcycle-pickup collision at the intersection of First and Commerce Streets in Crowell.

According to Sheriff Emmett Howard, the motorcycle driven by Smith, was in collision with a 1973 pickup driven by Earl Dunn of Crowell.

Howard said that Smith suffered a compound fracture of the leg in the mishap.

## Foard Students on Honor Roll at Vernon College

Keith Holder, director of public information for Vernon Regional Junior College, has announced that six Foard County residents were on the honor roll for the spring semester of the college.

Named to the dean's honor list were Gerald McLain, son of Mrs. C. G. McLain, and a 1972 graduate of Crowell High School.

Included on the part-time student honor roll are Billy Graves, a 1955 CHS graduate; Etta McGinnis, a 1953 graduate of Quanah High School; Mrs. Jo Ann Vecera, a CHS graduate of 1970; Mrs. Ura McAllister, a 1959 graduate of Waurika High School; and Mrs. Edith Roark, a 1939 graduate of Vernon High School.

## Senior Citizens 4-County Variety Show to Be Held Here Tuesday

The Foard County senior citizens will be host for a 4-county Variety Show Tuesday night, July 17, at 7:30 p. m. at the Senior Citizen Center located in the Crowell Housing Authority building.

Guests will be senior citizens from Cottle, Hardeman and Wilbarger counties. Crowell's part on the program, according to senior citizen aide Mrs. Arleta Halenack, will be a "style show," also Elizabeth and Cleo Lankford will sing a few religious hymns.

Other plans for the month are: Thursday, July 19, at 2 p. m., an afternoon of games, 42 and dominos. Tuesday, July 24, at 2 p. m., crochets, knitting, handwork, craft ideas to share. Thursday, July 26, 7:30 p. m., the senior citizens will have a country and western music program. The Westerners from Wichita Falls will provide the music. Tuesday, July 31, at 2 p. m., a birthday party will be held honoring all senior citizens with a July birthday.

## Social Security to Have Representative Here on July 13th

Richard Lawhorn, representative of the Vernon social security office, will be at the community center in Crowell at 9:30 a. m. on Friday, July 13. He will take applications for social security.

## Deposits in Bank Total \$7,121,544.20 on June 30, '73

Deposits in the Crowell State Bank at the close of business on June 30 were at an all-time high for a bank report—although they are down some from all-time high of nearly \$8 million reached at the end of the wheat harvest.

On June 30, deposits totaled \$7,121,544.20, which is up about \$1.6 million over the report of a comparable time last year: June 20, 1972, \$5,463,337.51.

At the same time in 1971, deposits were \$4,946,196.80; back in 1970 they were \$5,028,613.29. Four years ago at this time, deposits were \$4,349,675.74 and five years ago, deposits totaled \$4,089,773.41.

## Production Figures Given on Crops in Foard County

According to a new edition of Texas Field Crop Statistics, just issued by the Texas and U. S. Departments of Agriculture, Foard County farmers planted 1,600 acres to guar during 1972.

The report says that the county harvested 1,200 acres and with production of 623 pounds per acre, produced 747,000 pounds of guar.

According to the report, Foard County had 3,500 acres of alfalfa last year with 14,300 tons harvested. The county was also reported as harvesting 2,200 tons of other types of hay.

The county in 1972 had 2,700 acres planted to grain sorghums, with 54,900 bushels from 1,500 harvested acres.

## Thrips Reported in Foard County Cotton

In the Rolling Plains Insect Report No. 5, Emory P. Boring, area entomologist says that moderate infestations of thrips are reported from younger cotton in Foard County.

In the only other mention of this county in the lengthy report, Mr. Boring reports that brown reclus spiders were also found in the county last week.

## Merging of Foard County Oil Wells Is Approved

The Railroad Commission has approved the merging of the Choate (Cisco), Choate (Cisco H), Choate (Cisco J) and Choate (Cisco K) Fields, Foard County, under the designation of Choate (Cisco K) effective on July 1.

Permanent rules and a top well allowable of 84 barrels per day were approved effective July 1 for the consolidated field.

The rules provide for 467-1,200-foot well spacing; 404-acre oil production units, with 20-acre tolerance for the last well on a lease, and maximum diagonal of 2,100 feet; 100 per cent acreage allocation; and surface casing set to 150 feet.

These wells are located in the southwest part of the county, and are part of the L. K. Johnson Field.

## Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon of Channing Buy House in Crowell

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon of Channing have purchased the house on North Main Street in Crowell owned by Mrs. Lona Banister Dodson of Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon plan to move here about the middle of August.

Mrs. Cannon is the former Bessie Sellers, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Sellers of Crowell. Mrs. Sellers is at the present time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cannon at Channing.

## Little League All Star Team Named; to Play at Seymour

Fourteen 11 and 12 year old boys were named to the Little League all-star team at the conclusion of league play Friday, June 29.

The fourteen boys named to the team include Tyrone Tucker, John Thomas, Claudius Coleman, Mike Cates, Sammy Neil, Jesse Henry, Terry Boren, Marshall Reed, Dwayne Dishman, David Westover, James Sillemon, Steve Rodriguez, Wayne Mitchell and Wade Davis.

Bill Bell, manager of the league champion Crowell State Bank, is the manager for the all-stars who will be playing Seymour at 7:30 p. m., Monday, July 16, at Seymour.

The four coaches in the league selected members of the all-star team.

## Two Crowell Students Receive Distinguished Student Ranking

Two students from Crowell have earned "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University, Registrar Robert A. Lacey has announced.

The undergraduate honor is awarded students who have excelled academically. Recipients must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) during the previous semester. "Distinguished Student" ranking is limited to 10 per cent of TAMU's undergraduate enrollment.

Crowell students are Richard L. Statser, senior agricultural education major, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Statser, and Terry M. Bird, senior petroleum engineering major, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike D. Bird of Crowell. Both these students received their bachelor degrees at spring commencement.

## Girls Little Dribbler Pictures Finally Arrive Here

At long last, the colored pictures of the girls Little Dribbler basketball teams have arrived in Crowell. They can be picked up at the News office by those who ordered the pictures.

## Crowell State Bank Winner of 1973 Little League

The Crowell State Bank Little League baseball team, coached by Bill Bell, won the 1973 Little League baseball championship this year with a 9 won, 2 lost record and one game cancelled because of rain. Tying for second were VFW and Foard County Mill, followed by Farmers Elevator.

A wrap-up of the last week of Little League action follows:

In the June 26 games, it was Foard County Mill 21 to 17 over VFW.

Dwayne Dishman, David Westover had 4 runs; James Sillemon, John McGee, 3 each; Tommy Russell and Randy Foster, 2 each; and Leslie Denton, James Martin, and Wesley Halenack, 1 each.

For VFW, Terry Boren, Marshall Reed, Billy Brown Bobby Joe Cerda, Noe Rodriguez, Charles Reed, John Halsell and Sammy Neal had 2 runs each. Dan Gatewood had 1 run.

In the late game that night, Crowell State Bank won 14 to 2 over Farmers Elevator.

For the Bank, it was Dan Klepper, John Thomas, Mike Cates, Randy Hardy, and Jeff Christopher with 2 runs each; Claudius Coleman had 3 and Stephen Rodgers got one run.

For the Elevator, it was Steve Rodriguez and Ray Santos scoring the two runs.

In the last night of regular play, the Bank-Elevator game was called because of weather, and in the second game the Mill defeated VFW to make these two teams tied in season standings.

## Thirty-Eight Donors Volunteer to Give Blood July 3rd

Thirty-eight persons volunteered to give blood at the semi-annual visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to Crowell Tuesday, July 3.

Mrs. Fred Collins, blood drive chairman, said Monday.

Those volunteers were Peggy Brown, Maudie Golden, Virginia Smith, Helen Pharis, Marion Crowell, Ida Foster, Mrs. John Wheeler, May Bell Everson, Kenneth Halbert, Truda Swint, Mrs. Fred Collins, Kathy Clayton, Larry Jones, Ruth Daniel, John McAllister, Mrs. Marion Crowell, Joan Garrett, Mary L. Brown, Joe Glover, Clea Manning, Vernon Whatley, Virginia Hodges, Christine Nichols, Kathy Denton, Juanita Ainsworth, Otis Gafford, James Welch, Virginia Whatley, Nelda Hopkins, George Scott, Ada McDaniel, Ike Everson, Anthony Powers, Joe Ainsworth, Jim Tom Smith, Jerry Hall, Zelma Hopkins, and Jim Lois Bursley.

Mrs. Collins expressed her appreciation to all the workers and donors in the drive last week.

## 65-Year-Old S. S. Minutes Received by Committee

### Carroll Thompson Donates Minutes of Early Sunday School

After 65 years, minutes of three meetings of the Cottonwood Sunday School are in the hands of the Foard County Historical Survey Committee. They were received by Mrs. Virgil Johnson on June 28, exactly 65 years after they were written, one on June 28, 1908, and the other two were meetings of June 7 and July 5.

They were sent to Mrs. Johnson by Carroll Thompson of Leslie, Ark., with family birth dates from the Bible of his maternal grandmother, the late Mrs. Victor Johnson, who had written the birthdates of her children on the reverse side of the old minutes.

The superintendent was W. O. Miles; J. R. Moore was assistant superintendent, and Wanda Denton was the secretary. Teachers mentioned were Mr. Miles, Mrs. E. B. Owens and Mrs. Estella Bruce, mother of Jeff Bruce of Crowell.

An interesting revelation was the fact that on all three occasions, more pupils were absent than present.

A building was moved to a tree on Cottonwood Creek in 1893 to a site just south of the former Tom Callaway home which is now owned by Kenneth Halbert. It was the community center before the Foard City church was built in 1910. School was taught there until pupils were transferred to Foard City for the 1925-26 term.

The fragile old papers will be filed with the Foard County Archival Collection, Mrs. Johnson, who is chairman of the FCHSC, said.

## Eight New Vehicles Registered Here in Past Two Weeks

Eight new vehicles were registered here during the past two weeks, as follows:

June 25, C. M. Carroll, 1973 Oldsmobile 4-door; June 25, L. G. Simmons, 1973 Chevrolet pickup; June 25, Farmers Fertilizer & Chemical Co., 1973 GMC truck; June 27, E. D. Welch, 1973 Chevrolet 4-door; June 28, Glenn Shook, 1973 Ford pickup; July 2, Joe Don Brown, 1973 Holiday Rambler trailer; July 3, McLain Farm Equipment, 1973 Chevrolet pickup; July 6, R. C. Daniel, 1973 Chevrolet pickup.

## Grass Fires Reported on the Fourth of July

The Crowell Volunteer Fire Department was called to extinguish two grass and weed fires Wednesday, July 4. One was at the Jesse Swearingen house in the southeast part of town and the other was at the Jeff Bell home in the Four Corners area southeast of Crowell.

**NEW ROTARY OFFICERS**—Pictured above are the officers for the coming year of the Rotary Club of Crowell who were installed Monday night. Seated, from left, are Miss Karen Statser, sweetheart; Bill Klepper, president; Roy Whitley, vice president. Standing are Glen Goodwin and Ike Everson, directors, and Cecil Davis, secretary. Not present when the picture was made are the two other directors, Ray Brown and Clinton McLain.

# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Bill Boykin  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin, Tex.—Experts offer little hope for an early easing of the energy crisis, and Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Langdon warns a lot more oil and gas is being used than is being found.

A House committee studying the crisis heard a national authority's grim opinion that "there is no way out."

Dr. John McKetta, past chairman of the National Energy Policy Committee, said President Nixon should declare a national emergency, since it's too late for problem studies in the area.

Langdon told the same committee legislative efforts to cope with the problem will be frustrating because solutions must be sought at the national level.

Although the state regulatory agency has been permitting 100 per cent production for more than a year, Langdon said Texas producers are still falling short of demand for oil by 400,000 barrels a day, or roughly 10 per cent.

Atty. Gen. John Hill termed the situation "extremely critical," and said no other matter should receive more attention today.

As the commission set the July oil allowance at 100 per cent for the 16th straight month (with buyers seeking a record 3.8 million barrels a day), Langdon issued a new warning that only nine million barrels of oil a month are being added to Texas supplies while 105 million barrels are consumed in the same period.

"Unless this trend is reversed, the Texas oil and gas industry is in the process of self-liquidation," said Langdon.

Texas crude oil stocks as of June 8 were 94.7 million barrels, a decline of 7.2 million from

1972. Langdon asked for reports at the July commission meeting on the amount of oil companies discovered in 1972, and "somewhere along the line," he said, he will want to know "what it will take to find more"—and whether the industry will really be "able to stay in business."

**FUTURE HIGHWAY NEEDS**—Mass transit needs should be financed from its own funds, not from highway funds, Roy D. Chapin Jr., board chairman of American Motors Corporation, told Texas Goods Roads Association members and the Texas Highway Users Conference here last week.

"Highway construction and maintenance needs during the next 20 years will be \$600,000,000,000 in the United States," he explained. "Mass transit needs will total \$50,000,000,000 for rail construction and development and \$13,000,000,000 for bus transportation."

"Highways are still the basic answers for urban transportation needs. The Department of Transportation says by 1990 that 92 per cent of transportation will be on roads and streets—with only 8 per cent on bus and railroad facilities."

Chapin, who is chairman of the board of the National Highway Users Federation, spoke to a partisan audience, but his statistics impressed neutral observers about the need for political unity in the current struggle between eastern states and the rest of the nation for current highway user funds.

"HUD says that population density will continue to drop in urban areas," Chapin concluded. "Travel patterns will be from suburban

home to suburban jobs. Buses and car pools can start lowering congestion—but highways are still important to those methods of transportation."

## AMENDMENTS PROPOSED

Nine more proposed constitutional amendments will appear on the November 6 general election ballot—just a couple of months before the Legislature sits as a constitutional convention.

The amendments for the November ballot are:

SJR 8—proposing a \$15,000 a year salary for legislators and annual legislative sessions.

SJR 13—extending the \$3,000 property tax exemption to home-steads of unmarried adults.

SJR 29—authorizing cities to levy ad valorem taxes sufficient to pay the principle and interest on general obligation bonds.

HJR 6—providing an additional \$100 for the Veterans Land Program.

SJR 1—establishing new requirements for conservation and reclamation districts.

SJR 25—exempting water supply cooperative property from taxes.

SJR 26—giving district courts concurrently with county courts general jurisdiction of probate courts.

SJR 12—providing for financing of seawalls by bonds.

HJR 7—similar to SJR 13, plus exemption of property from forced sale.

## AUTO INSURANCE RATES

Annual public hearings to determine auto insurance rates were held here this week (July 10) amid predictions that premiums will drop again this year.

Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie expressed hope that evidence will bring a reduction for insurance buyers in most of Texas' 40 statistical rating territories.

This year's hearing was conducted against a backdrop of new legislation and a price freeze which applies to insurance as well as the usual review of accident frequency, claim cost and inflationary factors.

Laws which must be considered are comparative negligence, repeal of the guest statute, personal injury protection and the new deviation or competitive rating plan.

Texas Safety Association will also ask additional credit for persons completing the defensive driving course. Board rules now allow a 10 per cent reduction in auto insurance rates for those certified as having taken the course.

Meanwhile, House Insurance Committee Chairman Rep. Ben Bynum of Amarillo predicted the average premium will drop 10 to 15 per cent when new rates are set this fall.

Competitive rates may mean drops of as much as 20 to 30 per cent for drivers with good safety records, Bynum said.

"Nobody can definitely state what the final rates will be until the statistics and the impact of new insurance laws are weighed in detail after the hearing," said Christie.

## Mrs. Jack Brown Heads Breath of Life Campaign

Mrs. Jack Brown has been named chairman of the Breath of Life Campaign to fight children's lung diseases, according to Frank Scott, president of the North Texas Chapter, National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation.

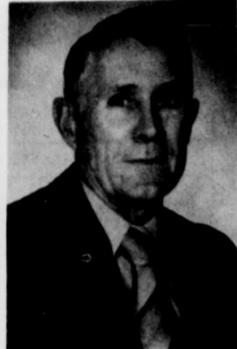
Mrs. Brown of Truscott will lead Foard County volunteers in raising funds to support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like cystic fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, and a condition called "childhood emphysema."

Cystic fibrosis, an incurable genetic disease, is inherited when both parents carry the recessive gene for C-F. It is believed that one in twenty persons or 10 million Americans may carry the C-F gene, usually without knowing it. Current research funded by the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation is seeking a practical test to identify these carriers.

Because of improved therapy and constant research, many C-F patients are living beyond infancy to their teens and into young adulthood. That same kind of therapy is relieving and often curing children suffering from other respiratory afflictions whose symptoms resemble those of C-F.

"Most people don't realize that there are six million children in the U. S. affected by pulmonary illness," said Mrs. Brown. "For some of these children, breathing is not the natural function we who are lucky, take for granted."

The Breath of Life Campaign supports not only research but over 100 C-F centers for diagnosis and treatment across the country.



## Claude Williams Retires from Exxon Company July 1st

Claude A. Williams, pictured above, retired from Exxon Company, U.S.A., on July 1 after 29 years of service. Mr. Williams was assigned as maintenance foreman of the Rasberry Unit in Foard County, a part of the Midland District of the Midcontinent Production Division.

In honor of Mr. Williams' retirement, a dinner party was held early this month, at which time he received company retirement awards.

Mr. Williams hails from Girard, Texas. In 1944, he joined Exxon USA at Pampa as a roustabout. Subsequent assignments took him to field locations at Anton, Vernon and Andrews. He transferred to the Rasberry Unit in 1970.

Retirement plans for Mr. Williams and his wife, the former Ruby A. Jacobs, are to continue making their home in Vernon.

## Subscriptions to News

Subscriptions to the News received since June 27 follow: Melvin Westover, Crowell; Mrs. Minnie Hinkle, Crowell; Mrs. V. C. Wardell, New York; Mrs. James Cantwell, Latana, N. J.; Pud Athey, Fresno, Ca.; Mrs. W. M. Corzine, Fresno, Ca.; H. G. Hays, Fort Smith, Ark.; Mrs. Mary Rettig Minnich, Keyser, W. Va.; E. M. Solomon, Houston; Rufus Whitman, Seguin; Fred Barker, Dallas; Harvey Aydelott, Crowell; James Harper, Dallas; Mrs. Jack Phillips, Brawley, Ca.

## Letter to the Editor

Mr. Klepper, We are still enjoying the paper very much. Like to stay up on all the happenings around there. Would you put a note in the personals when you can reminding all friends and neighbors of Mrs. Callie Brown not to forget her. A card or a visit and prayers would be very much appreciated. She's at Quannah in Woods No. 1 Rest home at 1001 Louise St. Thank you ever so much. Bless you.  
Pud and June Athey, Fresno, Calif.

## Bill Bell Presents Program on Little League Season

Rotarian Bill Bell, manager of the 1973 Little League champion Crowell State Bank, presented a program on Little League at the Wednesday, June 27, meeting of the Rotary Club. Bell told something about each member of the four teams in the league.

Visitors at the meeting were Rotarians Bob Knowles, Ed Eakin, Garland Jones, Sam Breedlove and Hubert Smith of Quannah, Rotarians Warren Pruitt and Dennis White of Vernon, Tom Posey of Memphis and Tom Crowell, who is visiting here from Brazil.

## Letter to Editor

Enclosed is my check for \$5.20 for another year of good reading of The Foard County News. Thank you so much for your wonderful service.  
Mrs. Mary Rettig Minnich, Keyser, W. Va.

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## From the News . . . THIRTY YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the Thursday, July 8, 1943, issue of The Foard County News:

Oscar Boman and Mrs. T. V. Rascoe are in receipt of letters from the U. S. Department of Interior giving them the information that the names of Mrs. Boman and Mrs. C. N. Hodges are on the official list of Japanese prisoners in Iloilo, Iloilo, Philippines. Both women are sisters of Mrs. Rascoe.

Foard County boys who became 18 years old during June and registered for Selective Service with the local board follow: Eugene Morris, Edgar Allen Johnson and Kenneth Archer.

Four Foard County men were inducted into the U. S. Army at Abilene last week. They were James R. Payne, Carroll E. Thompson, William N. Klepper and Harold L. Canup.

The Crowell Parent Teacher Association will open its summer project of a story-telling and recreation hour next Friday afternoon, July 9, between the hours of 6 and 7 on the lawn at the rear of the Methodist Church. Mrs. R. L. Kincaid will be in charge of the story-telling at this time and Mrs. Merl Kincaid will direct the recreation period.

The annual picnic of 4-H Club boys of the county will be held on Saturday, July 10, at the County Club Lake, it was announced this week by D. F. Eaton, county agent. The dads of the 4-H Club members are also invited.

Individual deposits in the Crowell State Bank showed an increase of \$163,736.00 during the first half of 1943. Deposits are now \$1,189,696.91.

Bruce Gibson and daughter, Mary Lynn, of Vernon were in Crowell Saturday, Mr. Gibson attending to business.

Bertha Jeannette and Alton Johnson visited their sister, Mrs. Guyton Sikes, in Quannah last week.

Ebb Scales has returned home from Van Horn where he had been employed on a government air base. Mr. Scales will begin repair of the Crowell Gin plant and get it ready for the fall season.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wehba and family went to Oklahoma City Sunday to spend the Fourth of July holidays visiting relatives.

Fred Wehba, owner and operator of the Wehba's Cash Grocery Store in Crowell, is opening a new store in Gilliland. The store will be open for business Friday in the building formerly used as a grocery store by Dan Caram. Dan Brisco will be the manager of the store and will move his family to Gilliland within a short time. Gilliland has not had a grocery store for several weeks since Mr. Caram closed his store there and entered the service of his country.

John L. Hunter Jr. and family of Margaret, also Bill Owens of Crowell, are combining wheat on the Plains.

The commissioners court, after having passed an order increasing tax valuations by fifteen per cent, has rescinded that order.

## Letter to the Editor

Dear Bill, Attached is check for newspaper. I really enjoy reading about the folks at home. Glad they had a great wheat harvest. If you have the time and space, write more World War II news in the 30 years ago column. As you know, I spent most of the war in a POW camp. I missed out on a great deal of the happenings. Glendon Hays, Fort Smith, Ark.

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## Two Minutes with the Bible

Christ and Politics?

Did you ever think of Christ's relation to politics? He came into this world, remember, as a King. The very opening words of the New Testament are: "Jesus Christ, the Son of David . . ." (Matt. 1:1). This emphasizes the fact that He came from the royal line. John the Baptist had gone forth as the King's herald, to prepare His way, and the twelve apostles proclaimed His royal rights as they preached "the gospel of the kingdom." This was all in fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy: "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David . . ." (Isa. 9:6,7).

Instead of crowning Him King at His first coming, however, they nailed Him to a cross and wrote over His head His accusation: "This is Jesus, the King of the Jews."

Strangely, though, He had especially, this first time to be rejected and crucified for the sake of men. Psalm 22, Isaiah 53 and other Old Testament passages had predicted that at His first coming He would be despised and rejected. As Matt. 20:28 says of His coming: "The Son of Man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister and to give His life a ransom for many."

Our Lord did not die an ordinary death; the cross was not a useless sacrifice. He knew that man's greatest need was moral and spiritual—that his sins must be paid for if he is not to be condemned forever before the court of eternal Justice. So in love He came to be rejected and suffer and die "the Just for the unjust; that He might bring us to God" (1 Pet. 3:18).

He will come again to judge and reign, but for the present He deals with mankind in grace. Eph. 1:6 says that "in Him we have redemption, through His blood, the forgiveness of sins according to the riches of His grace" and Romans 3:24 says that believers are "justified freely by God's grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus."

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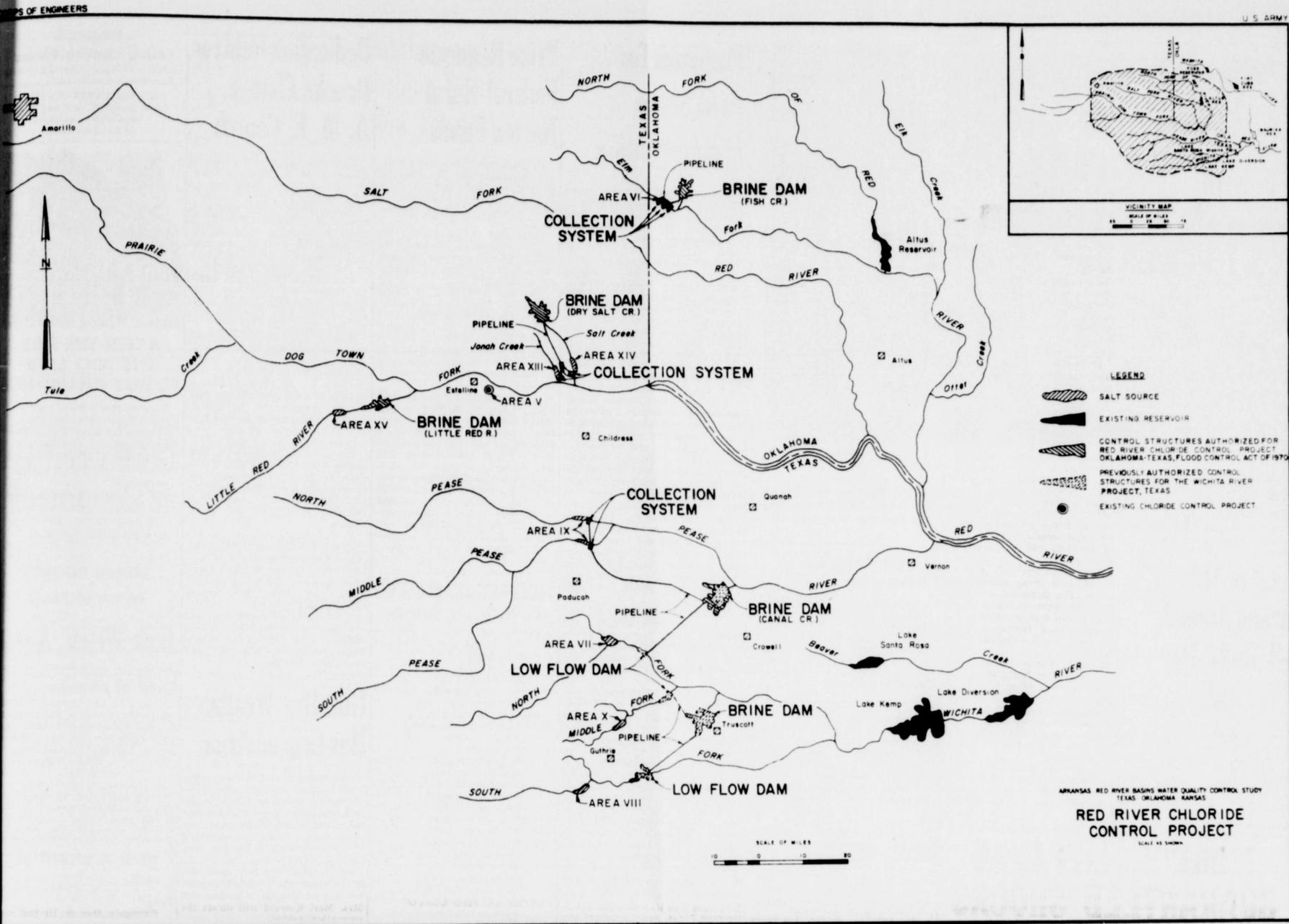
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Pictured above is the original plan for the Red River Chloride Control Project. The Tulsa District Corps of Engineers is inviting area residents to offer suggestions on improving the present plans. Meetings are being planned for the near future and public announcement of the meetings will be made. Natural salt pollution originating in the upper part of the Red River Basin contributes about 4,000 tons of salt per day to the Red

River, causing the water in the river to be unsuitable for most uses. The Corps has looked at several ways to solve the problem. At present, the best way appears to be to control the natural pollution by collecting the brine and pumping it to nearby brine storage lakes or by damming the salt water flows immediately below the source area.

### Santa Fe RR Co. Takes Look at Wheat Situation

The Santa Fe Crop Report had the following comments on winter wheat in the July newsletter: "In most Santa Fe-served territory, the 1973 crop is the first hard red winter wheat crop grown since the introduction of the crop to the Plains about 100 years ago that has been grown without the crop going through stress during part or all of the growing season because of the lack of moisture. Beginning in late September, 1972, and continuing almost until the crop matured, moisture supplies have been adequate to surplus in most Southern Great Plains and Midwestern states. Harvest has been under way in

### Grant Received for Part-Day Head Start Program

Governor Dolph Briscoe announced Friday approval of a \$2,726 Office of Child Development grant to Economic Opportunity's Advancement Corporation of Cottle, Foard, Hardeman and Wilbarger counties in Crowell for operation of the agency's part-day Head Start program. Funded under Title II of the Economic Opportunity Act, the grant is effective through Nov. 30, 1973, and supplements a previous grant of \$23,267. Gov. Briscoe said that supplemental funds will be used to serve 10 additional children in current part day Head Start classes. Objectives of the program, Gov.

### Brown Recluse Spiders Found Here

The brown recluse spider, which has gained some fame in this area during the past year, has been found in more numbers in Foard County in recent weeks and county agent Joe Burkett said that several had been found recently in a home at Margaret. The brown recluse is of medium size and varies from .3 to .5 inch in length. Legs are long, somewhat darker than the body, and well covered with short dark hairs. The spiders' coloring varies from an orange-yellow to dark brown or almost black. Probably the most distinguishing characteristics are three pairs of eyes arranged in a semicircle on the forepart of the head and a guitar or violin-shaped marking immediately behind the semicircle. In case of bite, the victim should consult a physician immediately, and if possible, take along the biting spider for positive identification.

### Erton Tate Retires from Social Security

Erton F. Tate, manager of the Wichita Falls social security district office, announced his retirement from government service effective June 30. Mr. Tate has been manager of the Wichita Falls office since Feb. 1, 1947, and through the years has been a frequent visitor in Foard County, which is served by the Wichita Falls office.

### Rattlesnakes Win Last PeeWee Game of 1973 Season

The fifth and last game of the local PeeWee baseball season was played last Thursday night with the Rattlesnakes winning 9 to 5 over the Bobcats. However, the Bobcats had already won three games to cinch the league title. Brother Branch was the winning pitcher and scoring runs for the Snakes were Tommy Russell, Vincent Anderson and Guy Todd III, 2 each, with Dan Wall Willie Joe Green and Florence Cooper had 1 run each. Scoring the Bobcats' five runs were Russell Anderson, Roland Hernandez, Larry Criss, Joe Lee Brown, and Dean Werley. It was in this last game that the Bobcats pulled off a triple play to get the Snakes out in one of the innings.

### Price Freeze vs. Poultry Industry

The recently declared national price freeze is causing some changes in the poultry industry, according to W. F. Kruger, head of the poultry science department at Texas A&M University. With the producer caught in a price squeeze, he is cutting production. This means less poultry and poultry products for consumers. Retail price ceilings have boxed in prices of agricultural commodities. It now costs 45.7 cents to produce a pound of dressed broiler and about 53 cents to produce a dozen eggs.

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17-YEAR RAINFALL RECORD FOR FOARD COUNTY

MONTH	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
JANUARY	.66	1.10	.11	.83	.10	.90	.74	.74	.43	1.24	0	5.10	.10	0	0	0	3.78
FEBRUARY	1.41	.46	.22	1.37	3.26	.05	.55	2.62	.47	.98	.37	1.31	2.17	.64	.93	.46	1.23
MARCH	2.10	2.20	.13	.47	3.55	.45	1.23	.85	.26	0	.65	3.15	1.96	4.17	.23	.08	3.22
APRIL	8.16	2.22	2.17	.05	.40	2.57	2.57	.18	1.87	3.10	4.33	1.56	1.06	.38	1.05	3.17	2.08
MAY	10.40	3.56	3.24	4.44	.70	1.77	4.67	3.20	2.17	.25	1.48	2.55	4.54	1.88	2.57	5.02	1.63
JUNE	2.54	2.21	4.25	3.89	3.08	5.66	3.56	2.08	1.56	4.12	3.68	2.47	3.80	1.01	.20	3.93	1.30
JULY	1.72	5.74	3.20	5.46	2.46	2.40	.36	0	.97	.89	7.42	3.95	.28	0	2.15	1.78	0*
AUGUST	.03	.55	1.02	2.45	1.34	.95	.40	1.43	2.48	7.10	1.59	1.53	2.48	1.45	1.15	4.31	
SEPTEMBER	.87	2.00	.59	2.38	2.67	5.29	1.23	2.17	9.62	3.69	1.24	.70	4.97	2.17	5.50	4.18	
OCTOBER	2.96	.41	3.59	2.38	1.59	2.35	.13	0	5.70	.73	2.11	1.63	5.94	1.65	2.60	4.94	
NOVEMBER	5.29	.98	0	0	2.78	.84	3.28	1.11	.12	.14	.29	3.08	.92	.29	.90	1.42	
DECEMBER	.20	.15	3.18	2.39	.91	.88	1.03	.71	.34	.17	1.12	.61	1.24	.11	1.98	.06	
TOTAL	36.34	21.58	21.70	26.11	22.84	24.11	19.75	15.09	25.99	22.41	24.28	27.64	29.46	13.75	19.26	29.35	13.24

The above table was secured from records kept by Crowell State Bank personnel.

\* through July 9th.



4-H RALLY DAY—These three girls in the foreground above—Vicki Pharis, Pam Whatley and Connie Werley—present a special musical number at the vespers service closing the

annual 4-H Rally Day Thursday, June 28. In the background are some of the other 4-Hers attending the rally day at the community center.

## Total of 113 Attend Annual 4-H Rally Day

A total of 113 attended the Foard County 4-H Rally Day held Thursday, June 28, at the community center in Crowell. This is one of the largest crowds to attend in many years, according to Mrs. Rhonda Ward and Joe Burkett, county extension agents.

Members of the Foard County Junior Leaders 4-H Club were in charge of the activities for the day.

Remelle Marlow, chairman of the Foard County 4-H Council, was master of ceremonies along with Butch Borchardt, Harold Myers and Cindy Wisdom for the various activities throughout the day. They were also in charge of registration, along with Sandy

Whitfield.

For recreation, the 4-Hers were divided into five groups and were led by Duane Daniel, Jerry Daniel, Pam Whatley, Rocky Marlow, Connie Werley, Vicki Pharis, John Klepper, Paul Whitley, Remelle Marlow, Cindy Wisdom, Harold Myers, Mollye Wisdom, Sandy Whitfield, Karen Statter, Butch Borchardt and Jacquelyn Brown. Group singing was led by Vicki Pharis, Connie Werley, accompanied by Pam Whatley on the guitar.

Renee Westbrook brought a program on water and swim safety, and Remelle brought a program on citizenship.

Sheriff Edward Howard brought a program on leadership and its importance to today's youth. Howard also stressed the importance of staying in school and the reward for spending more time with books.

Jacquelyn Brown and Karen Statter brought a program on ecology and their trip to the state Ecology Conference at the H. E. Butts Foundation Camp in Real County, Leakey, Texas, which they

## In the Average Restaurant. . .

"In the average restaurant," comments a publication of the Farmers Elevator Mutual Insurance Company, "the waitress who puts the meal on the table gets more as a tip than the primary producer gets for the food which makes up the meal."

attended June 19-22.

Following the barbecue supper, a closing vespers service was led by Vicki Pharis, Pam Whatley, Connie Werley, Karen Statter, Remelle Marlow, Butch Borchardt, Cindy Wisdom, Harold Myers and Jacquelyn Brown, who were joined by all 4-Hers present in singing "America the Beautiful."

The Foard County 4-H Club members, along with the county extension agent, expressed their appreciation to all the people of Foard County for all their help, backing and encouragement which made a program like this possible.

## Preparing for Food Stamp Implementation

The first food stamps in Foard County will be issued October 1, but before the statewide food stamp program is implemented here, there is much work to be done.

Commodities is the food assistance program currently operating in this county. The 62nd Texas Legislature appropriated \$7.7 million for a statewide food stamp program to replace all county food stamp programs and commodity food distributions. By November 1973, the 254 counties in Texas will be operating the statewide program administered by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Before the first stamps are issued here, extensive preparation must be completed. Current commodity recipients will be notified that food stamps will replace the present food assistance program. Most commodity recipients should be eligible for food stamps also as well as others who might not receive commodity foods.

Certification for food stamp eligibility will begin at a later date. All persons who don't make much money or who are unemployed are encouraged to apply at that time. Welfare recipients aren't the only ones who can qualify for food stamps.

Local issuance office will sell the food stamps to all who are certified eligible to receive them. Participating households will be able to buy their stamps at the local issuance office in the court house.

Food stamps, which can be used for the purchase of most foods and food products, will be accepted by many of the local grocers. Payment is made by tearing the necessary amount of food stamps from the coupon book at the time of purchase. Tobacco, alcoholic beverages and imported items can not be purchased with food stamps.

Grocers can deposit food stamps just as they do money. The local banker then sends the stamps to the U. S. Department of Agriculture for redemption.

More information is available at the local welfare office in the basement of the court house.

## Price Requests Federal Rural Nortex Funds

Congressman Bob Price, R-Tex., has requested top consideration be given to Nortex Regional Planning Commission in selection of pilot program of rural development.

Price said the reason for the priority request is because "the millions of dollars spent on urban renewal has not been as successful as hoped."

The region involved is almost totally dependent upon agricultural income and is comprised of a large number of rural communities. With only a few exceptions, each of these communities must have a rural development program of some nature if it is to survive, he said.

"Locating Pittsburgh-Plate Glass Industries in Wichita Falls will boost rural communities in this immediate area. However, a majority of communities will feel little effect from this industry and must continue to work for establishment of new businesses and-or small industries which will stabilize their economies," Price said.

"Counties which comprise my district should provide an excellent opportunity to test the true value of rural development." Price concluded.

## HOSPITAL NOTES FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL

Patients In:

Tim Daniel.  
Gene Fish.  
Rondyn Miller.  
Mrs. Lottie Pittillo.  
Mrs. Ora Russell.  
Fred Traewick.

Patients dismissed:

Mary Ruth Whitfield.  
Carrie Johnson.  
Ennis Setiff.  
Perry Lee Hunter.  
Mrs. Muriel Diggs.  
Robert Foster.  
Mollie Montgomery.  
Clara Mae Fish.  
B. J. Eavenson.  
Mrs. Russiie Hand.  
Mrs. A. R. Sanders.  
Dannie Owens.  
Donnie Reed.  
Marie Rader.  
Mary Catherine Parris.  
Lynn Erwin.  
Charlene Beacham.  
Maggie Wheeler.  
Gladys Burden.  
Kathy Clayton.

## Western Europe Is Destination of Farm Bureau Tour

Western Europe—purchaser of one-third of all U. S. farm exports—will be the destination of the 1973 Texas Farm Bureau Market-Study Tour, according to TFB President J. T. (Red) Woodson.

The tour, which departs from Dallas Sept. 5 and returns there Sept. 19, is the first the Texas Farm Bureau has sponsored to this area since 1967.

Tour price of \$1585 includes all transportation, rooms, meals, tips, transfers, and sightseeing. Further information about the tour may be obtained by writing Texas Farm Bureau European Tour, Box 489, Waco, Texas, 76703. Countries to be visited include France, Switzerland, Germany, Belgium, Holland and England.

## Highway Department Cancels Letting of Contracts

The Texas Highway Department last week cancelled the monthly contract letting scheduled for July 24-25. The Department had planned to let contracts for 18 highway projects at the regular monthly meeting.

B. L. DeBerry, State Highway Engineer, said that failure of the Congress to approve a federal-aid highway bill "has left the state with no alternative, but to cancel the July letting."

## Jim Henry Sr. Suffers Broken Hip in Fall Last Monday

Jim Henry, Sr., Crowell building contractor, received a broken hip in a fall just before noon Monday when a scaffold on which he was standing fell over. Henry was putting on a roof at the time of the mishap.

He was taken by ambulance to General Hospital in Wichita Falls.

## Lots of Advisors . . .

"As a taxpayer you'll be interested to know," writes A. M. Tewksbury in the Oregon Voter Digest, "that the federal government now has 1400 advisory commissions and boards. They cost us \$25,215,882 in 1972. A truly economy minded Administration should be able to eliminate a lot of this fat."

## Dedication Held for Brooks Chapel A. M. E. Church

Dedication services for Brooks Chapel A. M. E. Church in Crowell were held the week end of June 29-July 1.

Pastor of the local church is Rev. J. L. Fletcher. Rev. B. C. Brock is presiding elder of the Wichita Falls District, and Rev. O. L. Sheman is presiding Bishop of the Tenth Episcopal District.

The dedication services began on Friday with a chorus from Quannah presenting special music and a sermon by a Vernon preacher, Rev. Reese.

Among those on the program Saturday were Mrs. Jessie Morris, Willie Sillemon and Mrs. Wilma Coleman, all of Crowell. Local residents on the program Sunday were Mrs. Lucy Ann McGee, Miss Teresa Coleman and the Sunday morning sermon was delivered by Rev. Sims, pastor of Hope Well Baptist Church in Crowell.

Special workers during the dedication week end were Mrs. Wilma Coleman, Mrs. Eva Mae Neal, Mrs. George Sillemon, Mrs. Bob McGee, Mrs. Brenda Reese, Miss Ophelia McGee and Mrs. Annie Thomas.

Participating churches were the Baptist Church of Chillicothe, Hope Well Baptist Church of Vernon, Pilgrims Rest Baptist Church of Oklahoma, Second Baptist in Vernon and Hope Well Baptist Church of Crowell.

The program committee was composed of Meses. Jessie Morris, Wilma Jean Coleman, Annie Thomas, George Sillemon and Joyce Ann Williams.

## Hot, Dry Weather Has Grip on Area

Hot and dry! Foard County has been blessed with an abundance of rain for many months now, but it is dry again. Records show that only 1.30 inches of rain were received here during June, and some of the farmland is too dry and hard to plow.

About this time last year, the rains had begun and the county had a wet, cold July 4th. Not the case this year. The mercury has been topping the 100 degree mark every day for the past week or two.

A light shower, hardly enough to measure, fell about mid-morning Tuesday, and it was cloudy here most of the day. Half inch of rain was reported at Margaret.

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## FHA Drouth Checks Arrive

Several local farmers have been receiving their FHA Emergency Loan Program checks in the past two weeks for crop damage suffered during the first part of 1972 due to drouth. Farmers in the three county area—Foard, Hardeman and Wilbarger—have qualified for the loans, up to \$5,000 of which "can be forgiven."

According to Huey Price, director of the FHA district office in Vernon, about 319 applications are yet to be processed through his office for the three-county area.

The emergency loan program was initiated late in 1972, but was halted in December with President Nixon's spending cutbacks in order to halt inflation. The program was reinstated for a short time this spring to give those farmers who failed to sign up a chance to do so.

The number of farmers who have already received their checks here is undetermined.

## Former Foard County Resident Leaves Sum to Vernon Cemetery

The City of Vernon's Cemetery Department will receive some \$7,500 from the estate of a former city commissioner who helped to supervise municipal cemetery activities as an elected official.

Terms of the will of the late Owen D. Rader provided that a portion of his estate should go to the cemetery department.

The late Mr. and Mrs. Rader made their home in Foard County for many years before moving to Vernon a number of years ago.

Mr. Rader's brother-in-law, L. L. Rogers of Amarillo, presented a check for \$5,000 to Vernon city officials last week and said that another \$2,500 would be forthcoming shortly from sale of a farm in the Amarillo area which belonged to Mr. Rader.

Mr. Rader, a retired farmer, was 80 years old at the time of his death last April 25. Born Oct. 21, 1892, in Williamson County, near Georgetown, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Rader, pioneer residents of Foard County. He moved with his family to Foard County in 1909, and married Sarah E. Franklin in Foard City Feb. 13, 1916. They moved to Vernon in 1947 from Foard County. Mrs. Rader died in 1968.

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You can give some things away; you can only give funeral services once.—Crowell Flower Shop. 46-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gafford Electra visited here Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Moody Burdett, and husband.

Fred Barker and Mrs. Joe Caldwell of Dallas were in Crowell last Friday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. G. M. Campbell.

Misses Cathy and Susie Borchardt of Duncanville are here visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Alice Borchardt.

When you care enough to send the very best, send Hallmark.—Crowell Flower Shop. 46-tfc

Miss Kathy Francis has returned to her home in Richardson after a three-weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Lee Black and daughters have returned home from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Morgan Howard, and family of Salina, California.

Whirlpool Disposals for sale at Womack's. 50-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hughston of Amarillo spent the week end here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hughston and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Owens.

Mrs. Luther Templen and Miss Ann Whately of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Speer of Vernon are visiting relatives in Denver, Fort Collins, Estes Park and Limon, Colo., and other places of interest.

14-inch Zenith color TV, only \$299.95.—Marion Crowell's Northworthy Store. 48-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie R. Wilkins of Irving visited in the homes of Mrs. Eunice Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Daniels and other relatives here over the week end.

Dr. Robert Davis of New York has been a recent visitor of his sister, Mrs. Jerry Francis, and family of Richardson, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davis, of Crowell.

Whirlpool room air conditioners at Womack's. Let us figure your needs and install them now. 50-tfc

Mrs. Posey Langham and son, Kyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Wickers of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce over the week end. Kyle remained here for a longer visit.

Mrs. Callie Brown, long-time resident of Crowell and now a resident of Woods Home No. 1 in Quanah, would appreciate very much visits, cards and letters from her Crowell friends.

Elizabeth and Barbara Puddicombe, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Puddicombe of Houston, were recent guests in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Foster Davis, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Klepper and sons, John and Don, spent a few days last week vacationing in Colorado and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hughes accompanied Tom Ed Smith on a trip to Laredo, Texas, and parts of Old Mexico two days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and family in San Antonio en route home.

Hot, hot weather calls for air conditioning. See us before you buy.—Womack's. 50-tfc

Misses Lauri and Lisa Monkres have returned to their home in Pompano Beach, Fla., after a 3-weeks visit here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ayselott of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Hulien Monkres of Quanah.

Hallmark cards, gift books, stationery, notes, scrap books, wedding and baby books. Candles and gift items. King Candy.—Crowell Flower Shop. 46-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and granddaughter, Miss Carol Sue Scott, visited in Garland over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wheeler and daughter, Melissa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe Meason spent last week vacationing at Possum Kingdom Lake.

Steve Adams has returned home from a visit with relatives in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Carroll and sons, Junior and William, are vacationing at Denver, Colo.

Vergie Morgan of Elkins, Ark., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borchardt and other relatives.

See us before you buy your washer and/or dryer. Whirlpool has new 18 lb. tub.—Womack's. 50-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graves and daughters, Laura and Jana, of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Todd, Jr. and family Sunday.

Mrs. Crews Cooper and daughter, Renee, have returned home after a tour of several European countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Neeley of Spearman spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Neeley's sister, Mrs. C. S. Wishon, and Mr. Wishon.

Mrs. Lewis Sloan and Mrs. Monroe Karcher have returned home after an extensive tour of European countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bill Statser of Commerce spent the week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stafser, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Kubicek and children of Fort Worth visited their grandparents and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halenack, of Margaret last week.

Mrs. Ruby Jordan and son, John, of Homestead, Fla., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Driver, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Adams and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kubicek of Rayland had all their children and grandchildren home last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Kubicek and Rhonda and Ricky of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Belcher, Mike and John, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kubicek and Lynn of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram of Clovis, N. M., were recent visitors here with her sister, Mrs. Criss Moody, and husband. Visiting in the Moody home at the same time were their daughter, Mrs. John Abshire, and husband of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Copeland and son, Dustin, of Weatherford, Okla., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Adams, and family.

Gordon Cooper returned home last week from a visit with his children in the Fort Worth-Dallas area. While there, he attended the baseball game at Arlington where young David Clyde of Houston made his debut as a major league pitcher for the Texas Rangers.

The Borchardt family reunion was held in the home of Mrs. R. W. Borchardt at Plainview Sunday. Attending from Crowell were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Borchardt and Butch, Mrs. Mary Borchardt and granddaughters, Diedra and Kathy, Mrs. Vergie Morgan and Mrs. Henry Borchardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Cates and children, Tracy, Ross and Lance, of Canadian visited Mrs. Morris Diggs over the week end and all attended the Hopkins reunion in Vernon Saturday night and all day Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Zeibig over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hitt and daughter, Cindy, and a niece, Monty Ann Hitt, all of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carmichael and daughter, Stacey, of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Hitt have just returned from a 21-day European tour.

Twins were born in an Archer City hospital Sunday, July 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Sanders of Wichita Falls. The babies, a boy Tracey Glen, 4 lbs., 8 oz., and a girl, Staci Lynn, 4 lbs., 6 oz., are grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins of Crowell. They have an older sister, Rebel. Mrs. Sanders is the former Miss Margaret Collins of Crowell.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Teague on July 4th were his two sisters, Mrs. E. M. Sollis of Crowell and Mrs. Iva Pearl Sherrill of Sweetwater; his brother, Henry Teague and wife of Five-in-One; their daughters, Mrs. Lynn Williams, Mr. Williams, and Stanley and Stacy Powers, of Phoenix, Ariz. and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Halenack and family of Margaret, Mrs. Charlie Sue Thompson of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Delton Coffey of Crowell, Mrs. Francine Winters and two children of Altus, Okla., and Mrs. Rita Lynn Roberson of Vernon; also Catherine Lance from Lawton, Okla.

Hunting and Fishing Digest Now Available

A digest of hunting and fishing regulations for 1973-74 has been printed and will be distributed to the public at the earliest pre-season date in Texas Parks and Wildlife Department history. Clayton T. Garrison, executive director of the Parks and Wildlife Department, said that the guides will be available wherever hunters and fishermen buy their 1973-74 licenses after mid-August. New 1973-74 licenses, which reflect increases established by the 63rd Legislature, are scheduled to be mailed to all issuing agencies on August 10, Garrison said, and will be available to sportsmen the following week.

RC and D Program Action Uncertain

Ed Thomas, State Soil Conservation Service Director of Temple, visited in Crowell and Quanah Friday, June 29, and attended a picnic in his honor at the Copper Breaks State Park sponsored jointly by the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District and the Foard County Soil Conservation District boards of directors. At that meeting, which was attended by several soil conservationists, district committee members and by Park Superintendent Bob Martin, featured a picnic dinner and remarks by Thomas afterwards. Thomas spoke principally about the Four Winds application for the Recreation, Conservation and Development program (RC&D). He said that since the federal government had taken a different approach on inflation and cut back on federal expenditures, the funds for the RC&D projects across the nation have been cut by about 70 per cent from 26 million to 8 million dollars. This means that only about 15 new RC&D programs will begin in the nation this year as opposed to about 20 to 25 new operations in past years. These operations will be spread evenly among the states and Texas may or may not get a new program this year, he added. The Four Winds application for the program has been in Washington since 1968, and it is the first in line in Texas applications; in other words, the next Texas program funded should be the local program, according to reports from Washington, Thomas said. The RC&D resources can be used for the construction of new watersheds, parks, and countless other items, according to Thomas. The four counties applying for RC&D are Foard, Hardeman, Childress and Cottle. After the meeting, Park Supt. Martin conducted a tour of the park for the state official and outlined the work that was being done and the work that is planned for the park. Attending the meeting were W. C. Howard, Claude Holcomb, A. L. Hamm and Weldon Tabor; Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District directors; Henry Black, Johnny Marr, Jack Welch, A. V. McCombs and Melvin Moore, directors of the Foard County Soil Conservation District; John McAlister, district soil conservationist from Crowell; Ben Fulton, district soil conservationist of Quanah; Marvin A. Daniel, area conservationist of Vernon, Mr. Thomas of Temple and two area newspaper representatives, Troy Bryant of Quanah and Bill Klepper of Crowell.

Nortex Gets Police Training Grant

The Texas Criminal Justice Council approved a \$16,053 grant to the Nortex Regional Planning Commission for the continuation of the "Regional Police Officer Training Program" at their June meeting. The council also authorized a \$24,600 grant for the Nortex Regional Planning Commission for general purposes. The Regional Police Officer Training Program is a school for police officers in the Nortex Region—which includes Foard County—better educating them in criminology and other phases of law enforcement.

Oil Industry Adds Significant Amount to Foard Economy

The petroleum industry in Foard County played a significant role in 1972 in helping to satisfy the unprecedented demand for Texas' crude oil and natural gas. Foard was one of 190 of Texas' 254 counties which produced oil and gas valued in excess of \$100,000 in a record production year for the state's No. 1 industry, according to figures compiled by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association. The county ranked 167th in the state in the value of petroleum produced, just over \$1 million. The sale of crude oil brought \$1 million; natural gas, \$61,000. This study by the Association also shows that production last year in Foard County resulted in the payment of \$135,000 to royalty owners. The state of Texas received \$51,000 in production taxes from county wells; \$47,000 on crude oil output and \$4,000 from natural gas production. Oil and gas producers and developers spent \$188,000 drilling 10 wells in the county last year, with \$101,000 of that figure lost in six dry holes.

Can't Be Cured ...

"What can't be cured must be endured."—Robert Burton.



SCS OFFICIAL VISITS HERE—Ed Thomas of Temple, head of the State Soil Conservation Service, is pictured standing at left as he met with the boards of directors of the Foard County and Lower Pease River Soil Conservation Districts at Copper Breaks State Park north of Crowell June 27. On the left, standing is John McAlister, head of the Foard County work unit of the SCS. This was the first time a state SCS head had ever visited the local office. In the foreground, members of the two boards of directors listen attentively as Mr. Thomas spoke.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Abbott and family spent the week end in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Horne and Melissa of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne visited relatives in Wichita Falls July 4. Mrs. Ray Glascock attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Williams of Markley, Texas, Friday. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Williams in Archer City and Mrs. Josie Tackitt and Bonny Coltharp in Seymour Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glascock visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cawthron and Scotty of Vernon July 4. Rocky Glascock, who has been on harvest, came home on the 4th from Dumas to stay for a few days before going to Sabinal to harvest grain.

Kristin Corder of Dallas spent last week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corder. James Corder of Arlington came after her Thursday night and they left Friday.

Delmo Davis and family of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Glen McGuire spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting their daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers of Crowell visited Mrs. Irene Gerald Sunday.

Beverly Tolleson of Benjamin is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniel. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tolleson and children of Benjamin visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Brown and Mrs. J. R. Brown visited Mrs. W. O. Solomon in Knox City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Miller, Kerry and Jerry, of Merkle visited the A. L. Cooks over the week end.

Mrs. A. L. Cook returned Saturday night from a visit with her sister near Springfield, Ill. They went on to Milwaukee to see the July 4 circus parade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bradley of Muleshoe visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Cash, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Faske of Houston visited Carlton Browder last week and he returned to Houston with them. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Carl Browder went to Houston and returned with Carlton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adcock and Mrs. J. C. Black visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rake in Graham Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Scott of Crowell spent Wednesday with the Louis Baty family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Isbell in Paducah Saturday. Johnny Burton of McFarland, Ca., is moving to Truscott. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Caram and family of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caram Wednesday.

Mrs. Ralph Caram visited in Wichita Falls last week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Cash and Kim of Grandfield, Ok., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash and Treanna over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Carl Browder of Quanah spent Sunday with Carlton Browder. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mayberry

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MARGARET and Riverside

Word was received by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Streit of Rayland that her brother-in-law, John Howard Palm, of Spring Branch was killed July 3 in a one-car accident. Mr. Palm was the husband of the former Miss Emily Fluhrmann who grew up at Lockett. Mrs. Palm is a cousin of two Margaret residents, August Rummel and Junior Bachman. She was also a cousin of Mrs. Clois Cobb of Lockett, who is well known in Crowell.

Dora Fay Etter returned Saturday from a visit with her daughters in Irving and Arlington. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Close of Fort Worth and Mrs. Jim Close of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens over the week end. Dick Smith of Mansfield and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith of Fort Worth visited friends in Margaret Friday.

Walter Ross of Matador visited his cousin, Dora Fay Etter, one day last week. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel over the July 4 holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Schaeffer, Treva Bice and Koan Bice of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hobratchek and Douglas of Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coker, Daphne and Tamara, of Vernon, and Mrs. Clara Schoppa of Lockett. The Rummels and Schaeffers visited the McAdams museum on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel attended a barbecue dinner and ice cream supper on the fourth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin

Hobratchek in Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Echols of Aberrnathy spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ingie and also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tamplin in Vernon. Bryan Gibson of Iowa Park spent a few days last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ingie.

Auto Accident Puts Two in Hospital

Two persons were hospitalized as the result of a two-vehicle collision late Wednesday, June 27, at the intersection of North Main and Donnell Street one block north of the traffic light. Taken to the local hospital with a broken shoulder was Mrs. A. R. Sanders, while Mrs. David Johnson, a passenger in Mrs. Sanders' car, was admitted to the hospital suffering from cuts and bruises. T. S. Haney, driver of the other vehicle involved, was not hospitalized, it was reported. Heavy damage was reported to both vehicles.

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## Granddaughter of Local Residents Wed in Fort Worth Rites

Robert Carr Chapel on the campus of Texas Christian University in Fort Worth was the setting for the Saturday morning wedding of Miss Karen Ann Flesher and William Frederick Hertel. Dr. Gaston Foote, retired minister of the First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride couple are Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Hines Flesher of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. David Hertel of Akron, Ohio.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. F. B. Flesher and T. F. Hughston, both of Crowell.

Vows were repeated before a background centered with an arrangement consisting of pink snapdragons, rubrum lilies, pink fugium, Killian daisies, gigi carnations and gypsophila beneath the recessed cross. It was flanked by matching votive trees entwined with greenery.

Pre-nuptial selections, chosen from musical compositions by Bach and the processional, "Trumpet Voluntary in D" and the recessional, "Trumpet Voluntary in C," both by Purcell, were presented

by Emmet Smith, organist.

The bride, presented in marriage by her father, chose a gown of white silk organza. The molded bodice featured a high neck and short sleeves edged in tiny Venice lace. The full gathered organza skirt fell from the high rise waistline to carpet length and swept to a full chapel train at the back. The same tiny Venice lace was repeated in diagonal lines from the neckline to the hem and also edged the skirt and train.

Large medallions of re-embroidered Alencon lace paralleled the Venice lace down the front of the gown and formed a wide border around the skirt and train. The back of the gown was accented with tiny buttons extending from the neckline to the waistline which consisted of an organza sash with a bow and streamers edged with Venice lace.

The full length mantilla veil of bridal illusion was bordered with large medallions of Alencon lace matching that of her gown. She carried a Juliet bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley, stephanotis, and pink Verona roses.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. James Scott of Dallas. Her formal length gown of printed shocking pink and emerald green silk organza featured

## Highway Patrol Seeks Applicants for Training

The Texas Department of Public Safety is actively recruiting applicants to fill the ranks of its uniformed services. Major C. W. Bell, regional commander of the DPS, announced that the training school for new uniformed law enforcement personnel will begin September 25.

The major noted that the DPS has been increasingly successful in recruiting persons from minority groups to these positions and said efforts in this direction will continue.

Also, in keeping with the current trend, female applicants will be considered for these rewarding careers in law enforcement.

Major Bell said general qualifications for DPS officers are these: applicants must be 20 through 35 years of age; height not less than 68 inches; weight not less than two pounds per inch of height; visual acuity of 20-40 correctable to 20-20; and a minimum of 45 semester hours of college credit.

Applications may be obtained by contacting any DPS employee or any DPS office. The completed application form should be taken to offices in Lubbock, Amarillo or Wichita Falls where the competitive examination is given each Tuesday and Wednesday at 9 a. m.

Major Bell said persons selected as cadets will be assigned to Austin for training at the DPS Academy. The salary during training will be \$625.00 per month. Upon being commissioned, the salary is raised to \$719.00 monthly with the opportunity to advance to \$848.00 per month.

Many other fringe benefits are also available to patrolmen.

Arrangements will be made for a physical examination. A character investigation will be conducted and those persons who are accepted for employment will be notified prior to the beginning of the September recruit school.

## News from . . . THALIA

John Warren visited Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and Mike Marlow of Vernon Tuesday.

Mrs. Jewell Williams of Vernon spent Tuesday night and Wednesday, July 4, with Mrs. Georgia Johnson.

Duane Capps of Vernon visited his mother, Mrs. Maggie Capps, Tuesday.

Marshall Capps of Vernon visited his grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Capps, July 4th.

Visitors in the homes of O. C. and Jimmie Holland last week end included Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holland and family of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Holland of Lubbock, Donald Holland of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Farrar and Ken of Lubbock. The Hollands were here to attend the funeral of their grandfather, Jap Haynes of Vernon.

Miss Oneta Cates and Charles LeSueur of Abilene spent the week end with Mrs. Fay Whitman and also visited the woman's mother, Mrs. T. R. Cates Sr. in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford spent the week end visiting relatives in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Johnson, Will Johnson and other relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Neill of Mt. Prospect, Ill., came Monday of last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson, the O'Neal Johnsons and other relatives in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cates and Marilyn and Mrs. Georgia Johnson spent the week end in Dallas visiting their daughter, sister, and granddaughter, Mrs. Fred Aurbach, and husband and attended the wedding of Mr. Cates' nephew, Wendell Callaway, and Miss Barbara Hagerman.

Mrs. Leon Taylor and Kay Ann of Quanah spent July 4 with her sister, Mrs. Sam Kuehn, and husband.

Rev. Jerry Cornelius, local Baptist pastor of Fort Worth, called Saturday, June 30, and announced the birth of a son, Jason Andrew Cornelius, on that date. He sent a substitute preacher, Rev. John Riney of Fort Worth, to fill his appointment Sunday. Everyone had eagerly awaited the son's arrival and are happy to know of it and that the little mother, Jo, is doing nicely.

Pat Cates drove his aunt, Mrs. Fay Whitman, and cousin, Mrs. Marie Callaway, to Dallas Saturday where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Callaway's son, Wendell Callaway, and Miss Barbara Hagerman of Garland. They also visited relatives in Dallas and Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shoessaw and Dog of New Waverly visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn, last week end, en route home from a Colorado vacation.

Mrs. Ruth Ellen McBeath and children, Sherilyn, Marlon and Randa, and Mrs. Flora Short went to Garden City, Kansas, Monday to take their niece, cousin and granddaughter, Marna Short, home after several days visit here. They all visited there a few days with

## Crowell Cemetery

Mrs. Darwin Bell, president, reports the following June donations to the Crowell Cemetery:

O. M. Grimm Estate, \$25; Mrs. H. W. Gray, \$10; Sam Crews, \$75; Mrs. George Mapp, \$10; Mmes. Helen Wardell and Betty Cantwell, in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Minnick.

Mrs. Bell added, "at the present time, the caretaker's house is having to have major repair, which is quite an expense. The west end of the cemetery is having to be mowed. Earl cannot do this so this is added expense."

"Some have remarked how nice the cemetery looks. Earl does do a good job and it is rewarding when good remarks are made."

The Bennie Short family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vecera of Mokena, Ill., visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath Thursday. They were here looking after their farming interests and visiting the Vecera families in Crowell.

Bill Homeyer of Abilene is visiting in the T. R. Cates home. He and Pat Cates were roommates at Tech last year.

Visitors of Mrs. Maggie Capps Monday were Ed Payne of Crowell; his son, Dick Payne of Oxnard, Calif.; and his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Callman of New Jersey.

Mrs. Lois Meeks of Chillicothe and her son, David Jobe, his wife and two daughters of Champaign, Ill., and Mrs. Geneva Bottenhamer of Dallas visited their aunts, Mmes. Maggie and Hester Hammonds, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Maggie Wheeler remains in the Foard County hospital.

Rev. Jerry Cornelius of Fort Worth, pastor of the local Baptist Church, filed his appointment Sunday morning. Sunday afternoon, he visited Mrs. Maggie Hammonds, also Mrs. C. C. Wheeler who is a patient in the Crowell hospital. Rev. Cornelius was proudly showing pictures of his new son.

## Granddaughter of Crowell Couple Wed in Arkansas

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meyer in Magnolia, Ark., provided the setting for a beautiful wedding ceremony the morning of June 8 uniting their daughter, Mary Virginia, and Scott Martin Graham. Mr. Graham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Graham of Camden.

John T. Smithson, Jr., minister for the Church of Christ, Camden, Ark., officiated at the double ring ceremony, which was performed in the Meyer living room before a mirrored background of large baskets filled with yellow spider mums and white gladiolas.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white floor length gown of peau de soie with lace bodice, and a picture hat. She carried a bouquet of yellow rose buds and baby's breath.

Miss Linda Meyer of Magnolia, sister of the bride, was the bride's only attendant. She wore a floor length dress of pastel yellow dotted swiss, a yellow picture hat, and carried a nosegay of white yellow carnations and sweetheart roses.

Drake Graham of Little Rock served his brother as best man.

After a wedding breakfast at the Coachman's Inn honoring the bride party, the couple left for a trip to New Orleans. Mrs. Graham chose a navy and white suit for travel. Upon their return, they will make their home in Magnolia where the bride is attending Southern State College. Mr. Graham is a student of Southern State College and is associated with the Graham Home Center in Camden.

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## First Baptist Church Welcomes You!

Members of the house party were Miss Kay Lynn Orr of Kingsville, Mrs. William Ford of Kincheloe Air Force Base, Mich., Miss Jeri Cuiwell of Irving, Miss Marsha Hill of Clifton, Miss Sarah Winter of Houston, Mrs. Michael Brown of College Station, Miss Suzanne Bartlett, Miss Betsy Johnston and Miss Sara Jane Snel.

Misses Cathy Collins, Holly Mohelnitzky, and Michelle Savage, all of Denton, passed rose petals to the guests before the couple left on their honeymoon. After a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will be at home in Cleveland, Ohio.

The bride, a 1969 graduate of Vernon High School, received her elementary education degree from Texas Christian University in May. Her sorority is Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Mr. Hertel graduated from University School, Shaker Heights, Ohio, in 1969 and from Texas Christian University in May with a degree in business administration. His fraternity is Delta Tau Delta. Currently, Mr. Hertel is associated with the Northern Bank of Ohio in Cleveland.

**Rehearsal Dinner**

Mr. and Mrs. David Hudson Hertel hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday evening at the Petroleum Club of Fort Worth.

A silver compote held multi-colored flowers at the head table and smilax centered the longer tables. Gifts were presented to the wedding attendants by Miss Flesher and Mr. Hertel.

**Pre-Nuptial Party**

A party honoring the bride couple and their families was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips of Denton. Guests included friends of the families from Denton and Ohio.

**Bridesmaids Luncheon**

The bride-elect, her bridesmaids and members of the house party attended a luncheon Friday at Colonial Country Club with Mrs. Alwyn Belcher, Ms. Leigh Ann Belcher, Mrs. Glenn Monroe and Mrs. William Spears serving as hostesses. The table was laid with a pink linen cloth and white net and pink rosebud topiary trees were placed in the center of the table between the trailing smilax. The hostesses presented a gift to the honoree.

Attending the wedding from Crowell were Mrs. F. B. Flesher, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Paul Norman and children, Kimberly, Pat and Renee, and J. T. Hughston. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Richards of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Studyvin of Electra.

**Pioneer Circle**

The Pioneer Circle of the United Methodist Women met for the monthly social meeting July 2 in the home of Mrs. Iva Ballard. After the group sang, "America," Mrs. Ruby Ribble led in prayer.

Mrs. E. H. Shrode presented an article, "God Is Alive and Working," written by W. Morris King. Mrs. Ballard served refreshments to members and four visitors, Mrs. Beulah Wilkins, Melanie Armstrong of Waco and Kelly and Troy Shrode of Canadian.

**Medicare Premium Increase Halted**

The monthly premium for medicare medical insurance, scheduled to be increased in July, has been rolled back in keeping with President Nixon's 60-day price freeze policy, according to Henry Chustz, social security manager in Vernon.

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## Farm Tax-Saving Tips

Farmers can save on income tax during the summer by paying their children for farm work and combining vacation and business trips, says an economist for the extension service. Child wages can be deducted and the children still claimed as dependents if a farmer provides more than half their support. A child will not have to pay income tax if he earns less than \$2,050. Business-related expenses from a business-vacation trip are deductible as long as business is the primary purpose of the trip. Only the farmer's expenses, not those of the entire family, are deductible.

## Good Advice . . .

Perhaps the problems of the United States today would be fewer if we had all followed the words of U. S. Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas: "This is the most beautiful land in the world. Put your arms around it. Hold it tenderly. Protect it so it is not despoiled . . ."

## Cloudy Beef Cattle Picture

A number of things are clouding the beef cattle picture at a time when production should be increasing, says a livestock marketing specialist for the extension service. Consumer meat boycotts, a slowdown in marketing, adverse weather, a ban of DES, price ceilings and increased pork exports are affecting production. Higher feeder cattle prices and feed prices are limiting the fed beef output. Overall, red meat supplies may be less than anticipated this year.



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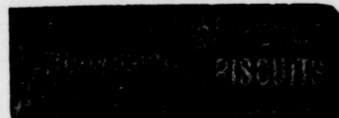
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**SPINACH** 5 for \$1 00

DEL MONTE  
**SWEET RELISH** 12 oz. Jar 29¢

**Paper Towels**

VEVA  
Giant Rolls

**3-\$1 Miracle Whip**

Qt. . . . . **65¢**

**Cantaloupes**

SWEET, RIPE

**15¢**



**Coffee**

Shurfine  
lb. . . . . **89¢**

**CORN** FRESH 5 ears . . . . . **39¢**



**NESTEA** Giant 3 oz. Jar **89¢**

**KETCHUP** Heinz Quart Jugs **63¢**

DEL MONTE—Sliced or Crushed in Juice  
**PINEAPPLE** No. 2 Can 2 for **79¢**

SHURFINE—303 CAN  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL** 3 for \$1 00

**PINEAPPLE-GRAPEFRUIT** 3 for \$1 00



**Pork Chops** CENTER CUT lb. . . . . **\$1.09**

**Pepsi Cola** GIANT 32 OZ. Returnable Bottle 6 bottle ctn. . . . . **\$1.19**

OAK FARMS  
**BUTTERMILK** Half-Gallon **49¢**

**ROOT BEER** Shasta Half-Gallon Jug **49¢**

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**CHEF SURPRISE DINNERS** each **59¢**

**Potato Chips** SHURFRESH Giant Double Bag. **43¢**

**STRAWBERRY PRESERVES** 32 oz. Jar **69¢**

**Ice Cream** OAK FARMS 1/4 GALLON . . . . . **89¢**

**Dr Pepper** LAU—100 PACK **NAPKINS** 29¢

6 BOTTLE KING SIZE CARTON **49¢** SHURFRESH **OLEO** lb. **29¢**



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**CANDY**  
10c BARS  
6 pac **39¢**

**BACON** Chuck Wagon 2 lb. pkg. \$1 99

**SAUSAGE** Circle A 2 lb. bag \$1 99

**PORK STEAK** lb. **69¢**

FRESH GROUND  
**GROUND BEEF** 2 lbs. \$1 69

**CUBE STEAKS** lb. **99¢**

WILSON ALL MEAT  
**VIENNA SAUSAGE** 3-\$1 00

SHORTENING—PURE VEGETABLE  
**SNOWDRIFT** 3 lbs. **89¢**

**DELSEY** Two-Roll Pac **29¢**

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