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HS Band Program Set for Friday Night



IT DOESN'T HURT A BIT—Gail Fish doesn't appear to be in any pain in the above picture as Band Director James Streit does one of his magic tricks and is apparently shoving a long dagger through Gail's neck. Mr. Streit's magic tricks will be a part of the band program set for Friday night at the school auditorium.

National Bi-centennial Community: Crowell

Crowell, which recently named a Texas Bicentennial Community, last week was named a National Bicentennial Community, according to a letter received last week by Don Welch, chairman of the local bi-centennial committee.

In the near future, a national designation ceremony of the National Certificate, National Flag and State Certificate will be held here, he said.

The meeting of the Crowell Bi-Centennial Committee for Friday morning, Feb. 28, at 7 a. m. to make plans for the ceremony. He urges all members to attend.

TWO NEW VEHICLES
Two new vehicles were registered here last week: Feb. 19, Bill Gafford, 1975 International pickup; Feb. 20, Janie Stewart, 1975 Chevrolet coupe.



FROGS LITTLE DRIBBLERS—Pictured here are members of the Frogs Little Dribblers basketball team. Front row are Ronald Neal, James Garcia and Charles Coufal. Standing are Ken Gentry, Lonnie Mitchell, Coach Randy Prince, John Henry McGee, Coach Marion Crowell and Richard Westbrook.



THE CROWELL WILDCAT BAND PICTURED HERE WILL BE PRESENTING ITS ANNUAL "LAST NIGHT SHOW" FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM. (PHOTO BY STEWART STUDIO, VERNON)

Last Rites Held for John Rader

Funeral services for John Rader, 63, were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday, February 24, in the First United Methodist Church conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. O. Rucker, Jr. Interment was in the Crowell Cemetery conducted by Womack Funeral Home.

Mr. Rader died in the Foard County Hospital Saturday morning following an apparent heart attack.

Serving as pall bearers were J. C. Autry, Jack Walker, Jack Welch, Randy Adkins, Gerald Knox and Lawrence Glover.

Mr. Rader was born January 13, 1912, in Foard County, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Rader. He married the former Miss Cora Belle Ferguson August 4, 1931, in Frederick, Ok. They had made their home in Foard County since that time.

He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife; three sons, Billy John Rader of Vernon, Jimmy Rader of Victoria and Lynn Rader of Crowell; two brothers, Joe Rader and Lewis Rader of Crowell; four sisters, Mmes. D. L. Campbell, L. E. Myers and Ota Kenner of Crowell, and Mrs. Faye Lilly of Amarillo; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, F. M. Rader and O. D. Rader and a sister, Mrs. Oma Johnson of Amarillo.

Cancer Society Sets Meeting for Feb. 27th

The latest film on breast cancer detection and treatment will be shown at a meeting of the Foard County chapter of the American Cancer Society set for Thursday, February 27, in the men's Sunday school class room at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Mattie Carroll, Foard County memorial chairman for the Cancer Society says all clubs and individuals in the county are invited and urged to attend this meeting.

Boys to Enter First Track Meet of Year

Crowell High School boys track team will be entering its first meet of the season at Vernon Friday and Saturday. Coaches will be trying boys out in various events in the meet.

Gummed kraft tape for wrapping packages.—Only 29c at the News office.

March 3-7 Dates for Public School Week

Committees Appointed for 4-H, FFA Project Show March 7-8

The 38th annual Foard County 4-H and FFA Project Show will be held March 7 and 8 at the Vocational Agriculture building in Crowell. The dates for the 1975 show were announced by Roy Whitley, president of the Rotary Club of Crowell, the sponsoring organization.

Exhibitors will arrive at the show grounds on Friday, March 7, at 2 p. m. A health certificate will be issued for the animals before they can be unloaded.

The judging will begin at 8:30 a. m. on March 8. Leon Burkham, vocational agriculture instructor from Knox City, will judge all livestock entries in the show.

Entries to date indicate that there will be more livestock exhibited in each division this year than have been previously.

The sale will begin promptly at 1:30 p. m. on March 8 and take place at the show grounds.

Three new personnel are presently working with the 4-H and FFA members. These include Sally Sowell, county extension agent [home economics], Garland R. Wiemers, county extension agent [agriculture] and Don Welch, vocational agriculture instructor.

Whitley will serve as master of ceremonies for the show. Other show activities will be carried out by the following Rotarian committees:

Finance: Joe Burkett and Garland Wiemers.

Materials: Marion Crowell and Clinton McLain.

Sales: W. F. Statser, Hubert Brown, Ray Brown, Marvin Myers and Glen Goodwin.

Reception Committee: Grady Halbert, Irving Fisch, Jack Powers, Gordon Erwin, Bill Posey, Bill Bell, Fred Youree, Jerry McLain and Don Crafton.

Judging and Awards: George Self and Jeff Bell.

Publicity: Bill Klepper.

Weighting: Ike Everson, Floyd Borchardt, Steve Adams, Warren Haynie and Cecil Davis.

The annual observance of Public School Week in Texas will begin next Monday, March 3, and continue through Friday, March 7. During this week, a special invitation has been extended to school patrons to visit the school, talk to the teachers and find out more about the present-day public school education system.

As a grand finale to the observance, open house at the school is set for Friday night, March 7, from 7 to 9 p. m. Teachers will be in their classrooms to greet visitors.

Preceding the open house, a pancake supper will be served beginning at 5 in the school cafeteria. The pancake supper is sponsored by the Band Boosters, with proceeds going to the purchase of new uniforms for the band.

Roy Fox's Grandson Is Honored

SP 4 Joe D. Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Fox of Pampa and grandson of Roy M. Fox of Crowell, has been selected as Distinguished Graduate of the 2nd Infantry Division Basic Leadership Course at Camp Casey in Korea.

According to notification received by his grandfather here, the course prepared Fox with individual training in duties and responsibilities of the contemporary military leader.

Sgt. Fox's wife and child reside in Pampa. He entered the service in September 1972 and is stationed at Camp Howze, 20 miles from Seoul, Korea.

Thalia Ex-Students Plan Reunion

The officers of the Thalia Ex-Students Association met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hammonds Sunday, Feb. 23, to make plans for the school reunion to be held Saturday, July 5.

The past reunions have been on July 4, but it was decided to have the one this year on Saturday, July 5, in order for more out-of-town visitors to attend.

No cards will be sent out this year, but notices will be put in The Foard County News periodically before the reunion date.

Officers for this reunion are Mrs. Raymond Bell, president; Houston Adkins, O'Neal Johnson, Jake Wisdom and Fred Gray, vice presidents; treasurer, Mrs. Leroy Henry; secretary, Mrs. Billy Hammonds.

TIGHT MONEY

When money is tight, it's wise to spend it to do the most. A contribution to the American Cancer Society is a way of doing the most to fight cancer.

Officers for this reunion are Mrs. Raymond Bell, president; Houston Adkins, O'Neal Johnson, Jake Wisdom and Fred Gray, vice presidents; treasurer, Mrs. Leroy Henry; secretary, Mrs. Billy Hammonds.

FIRE DAMAGES ROOF

The Crowell Volunteer Fire Department Monday morning extinguished a fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sparkman Jr. in the south part of Crowell. Damage was confined to the roof, Sheriff Emmett Howard reported.

Candidates File for Re-Election; Deadline Is Next Wednesday

City of Crowell and school elected officials whose terms are expiring have all filed for re-election.

Mayor Robert Kincaid and aldermen Leonard Tole, Charles Branch and Glyndon Johnson have all made formal application for re-

election, as have Jack Brown and Roy Whitley, members of the local school board whose terms are expiring.

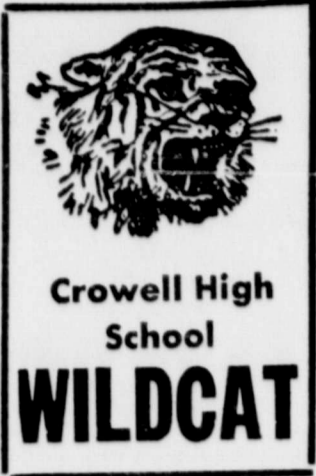
On the county school board, terms of Herbert Fish and Otis Gafford are expiring and as of Monday, neither of these men had filed to have

their name placed on the ballot.

The deadline for filing as a candidate in any of these elections is 5 p. m., Wednesday, March 5. The elections will all be held Saturday, April 5.



EAGLES LITTLE DRIBBLERS—Pictured here are members of the Eagles Little Dribblers basketball team for 1975. Front row are Ray Smith, Larry Criss and Vincent Anderson. Standing are Scott Reed, Ronnie Wasia and Jeff Christopher. The two coaches, David Bell and Jim Christopher, are pictured with their team.



Crowell High School WILDCAT

Editor Jacquelyn Brown
Typist Karen Statser
Senior Reporter Rita Hodges
Jr. Reporter Amie Brasher
Soph. Reporter Jill Myers
Freshman Rep. John Klepper
Sponsor Mrs. Jean Halbert

SCHEDULE
Thursday—Spanish Club party, 6.
Friday and Saturday—boys track meet in Vernon.
Friday—Last Night Show.

DAILY DILLIES
The band will sponsor "The Last Nite Show" this Friday night at 7:30 in the school auditorium. It will feature a little band prince and princess contest, a miss majorette contest, a womanless wedding, a magic show, some toe tapping country music, and other surprises. Everyone is urged to attend. Proceeds will go toward buying new band uniforms. Congratulations to Steve

Setliff. He made a 1 rating on the class I vocal solo he took to UIL competition in Wichita Falls Saturday. This is really an outstanding accomplishment because CHS has no chorus, and Steve did all the work on his own. Besides that, Steve didn't find out about the contest until Wednesday afternoon, and working up a class I solo in only 2 1/2 days is a pretty good feat.

All band members were measured for the new uniforms Wednesday. Most people came out of the measuring room with a dazed look on their faces, muttering, "That scale can't be right. That scale can't be right!" (The scale was weighing about 5 pounds heavy.) The new uniforms will hopefully be here in time for the spring concert.

The track boys go to their first track meet of the season in Vernon this week end. Good luck!
The Wildcat staff would like to express their sympathy to the family of John Rader.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT
This week Chavelo Ranjel and Randy Reed are in the senior spotlight. Chavelo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Ranjel. This good looking 5'5" senior has brown eyes and black hair. He attended school at Lockett for 7 years, but has gone to school at Crowell for the last 5 years. Chavelo attends the Catholic Church. Chavelo's favorites in-

clude: food—chicken friend steak; color—red; song, Heart Beat Is a Love Beat; actor—Wayne Rogers; actress—Ann Margaret; hobbies—playing pool; and subject—Spanish. Chavelo has played football and run track all during high school. He is vice president of the Spanish Club. Chavelo doesn't have any definite plans for the future but he is thinking about the Air Force.
Randy Lee Reed is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Reed. He is 5'8" tall, and has blue eyes and brown hair. He attended Gilliland school grades 1 through 6. He attends the Baptist Church.

Steak is Randy's favorite food, and blue is his favorite color. Other favorites are song, Linda on My Mind; actor, Clint Eastwood; actress, Raquel Welch; hobbies, goofing off and rodeo; subject, VA.

Randy is the FHA beau this year and was the spirit queen escort. He was also freshman class favorite and class officer. Randy's future plans are to major in agriculture at college and come back and start farming.

SENIOR SCENE
Monday the seniors saw a film on the careers in technology. The program was given by Eugene Boaz. The talent show proved to be a big success Friday night despite a few microphone problems. "Hello, hello, can you hear me?" Monday the seniors start-

ed working on the 20-page research paper. These can be on any subject, except autobiographies, approved by Mr. Hobson.

The band show will be presented Friday night. This will be an interesting program with entertainment for everyone.

JUNIOR JIVE
Have you ever been plagued with the problem of trying to jot down the license number of that bank robber's get-away car only to find that it has been hidden in a vast array of nasty little sayings plastered all over the bumpers and windows?

The roving reporter has discovered that many CHS-ers are guilty of this method of disguise because they are so quick to complete this statement:

"My bumper sticker says..."
Vickie Pharis—Audey Loves Vickie.

Connie Werley—Kiss Me, I Give Green Stamps.
Sylvia Quintero—Don't rush me, I'm pedaling as fast as I can.

Suleman Santos—Watch out, here I come.
Pam Whitley—Don't follow me, I'm lost.
Rita Hinkle—Love is...

SOPHOMORE SCOOP
After finishing Drivers Education Class I decided to tell you what we've learned in this article.

10 little drivers, cruising down the line;
One had a heavy foot and then there were nine. (Speed limits are set for your safety.)

9 little drivers, the hour was getting late.
One dozed a moment and then there were eight. (A tired driver is a dangerous driver.)

8 little drivers and the evening seemed like heaven;
One showed his driving "skill" and then there were seven. (Drive sensibly and sanely at all times.)

7 little drivers, their lives were full of kicks;
One bought a bottle and then there were six. (Gas and alcohol are a deadly mixture; don't drink when you drive.)

6 little drivers, impatient to arrive, one jumped a traffic light and then there were five. (Don't gamble years of your life to save a few seconds.)

5 little drivers; wheeling near the shore; one viewed the scenery and then there were four. (Careful driving demands alertness at all times.)

4 little drivers, happy as could be; one passed upon a hill and then there were three. (Never pass another car when your vision is obscured.)

3 little drivers were busy it is true; one neglected car repairs then there were two. (Check your car.)

2 little drivers and the day

was nearly done; one didn't dim his lights and then there was one. (Slow down for dusk or darkness; adjust your driving to existing conditions.)

Yes, I little driver who's still alive today; by following safety rules. He hopes to stay that way.

FRESHMAN FROLICS
Last week everyone enjoyed Monday off as the teachers had a work day, and last Friday night everyone enjoyed the talent show sponsored by the drama club. This Friday night the band will present its show entitled "The Last Night Show" so everyone come and enjoy the fun. Now with the 4th six weeks over, we only have 12 more weeks of school.

TALENT SHOW
The talent show held Friday night was a big success, and the drama department would like to thank everyone for attending. This year's audience was the largest in several years. The talent show itself had a large variety of acts, and was very well received.

All proceeds from this show go towards meeting the expenses of the one act play.

FHA
The annual FHA Daddy-Date night was held Tuesday, Feb. 18, in the cafeteria. Approximately 80 FHAers and their fathers were present. We ate stew and played volleyball. The freshmen won the volleyball tournament, and they now have a chance to win all through high school. (Last year's seniors won all four years.) George Scott deserves some kind of commendation: this was the 5th year that he has played on the team winning first place.

CAFETERIA MENU MARCH 3-7

Monday
Fish sticks, macaroni and tomatoes, blackeyed peas, tossed salad, peanut butter cake, rolls, milk.

Tuesday
Kitchen made corndogs, pinto beans, seasoned spinach, onion and pickle slices, Jello with fruit, milk.

Wednesday
Fried chicken, gravy, English peas, carrot sticks, peaches with graham crackers with peanut butter filling, milk, rolls.

Thursday
Enchiladas, crackers, whole corn, tossed salad, chocolate cake, milk.

Friday
Hamburgers, lettuce, onion and pickle slices, French fries, red plum cobbler, milk.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS
This year the 8th grade girls and boys won district in basketball. The 8th grade

News from...
Truscott Gilliland
Renee Westbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bartos of Burkburnett visited Friday with the A. R. Bayers family.

Jim Robinson and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Robinson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Bryant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Robinson, all of Hobart, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rogers and Dee Ann of Alex, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Estes Robinson and Lynn of Hutchinson, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Allen Robinson and family of Matador, Leroy Robinson of Fort Hood, Johnny Burton of Benjamin and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Robinson and family of Truscott spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton. While there they helped celebrate Mrs. Burton's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Caram, Pam and Karen of Monday visited over the weekend with the Ralph Caram's.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Casey visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carroll and Mrs. L. A. Glasscock in Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Price Stephenson in Clyde Monday.

Mrs. Curtis Casey attended the Knox City Study Club Thursday.

Weekend visitors in the Jim Cash home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Erwin of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Myers Ryder of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Davis and children of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davis.

Mrs. E. J. Jones visited Mrs. Irene Gerrold in the Quannah Hospital Friday.

Visitors during the week in the Bill Owen's home were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McRoberts of Cisco and Mrs. Velmeta Lloyd of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pettes of Denver, Colo., visited Saturday with the C. E. Myers family.

Scotty Cawthron of Quannah spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock while his father, Jerry Cawthron, had surgery in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock went to Waco Sunday where Ray will enter the VA Hospital for treatments. Gene Chapman and Randy Tapp will run the store while the Glasscock's are gone.

boys on the team are John Thomas, Claudius Coleman, Tyrone Tucker, Marshall Reed, Don Martin, Steve Rodriguez, David Seedig, Dewayne Dishman, Milton Tennell, William Carroll, Billy Brown. The 8th grade girls on the team are Jody Graves, Shelia Coleman, Jo Anna Hord, Renee Norman, Hedi Vecera, Denise Branch, Jonna Naylor, Patsy Williams and Jill Bell. The 8th grade boys gave the 8th grade girls a party for winning district. It was Thursday night at the new community center. Everyone seemed to have a blast! We played games and ate sandwiches. Monday the band students all got measured for our new band uniforms.

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Grady Halbert Is Rotary Speaker

Grady Halbert, a member of the Rotary Club of Crowell since 1941, was the speaker at the club's meeting Wednesday of last week and his subject was the seventieth birthday of Rotary.

It was Thursday, Feb. 23, 1905, in Chicago, Ill., that the first Rotary Club was organized. Halbert said Rotary is not a civic organization, a church, or a fraternity, but a "service" club. In addition to service to those nearby, Rotary also stresses international service with a theme of "peace on earth, good will toward men." He stated that Rotary is not in Chicago, Crowell, or elsewhere, but is where it has always been, "in the hearts and minds of men." Rotary has never ceased to grow since its organization

Foard County Crowell, Tex.

70 years ago introduced by Warren Hays. Visitors to Knowles Jr. Rev. Joe A. Crowell.

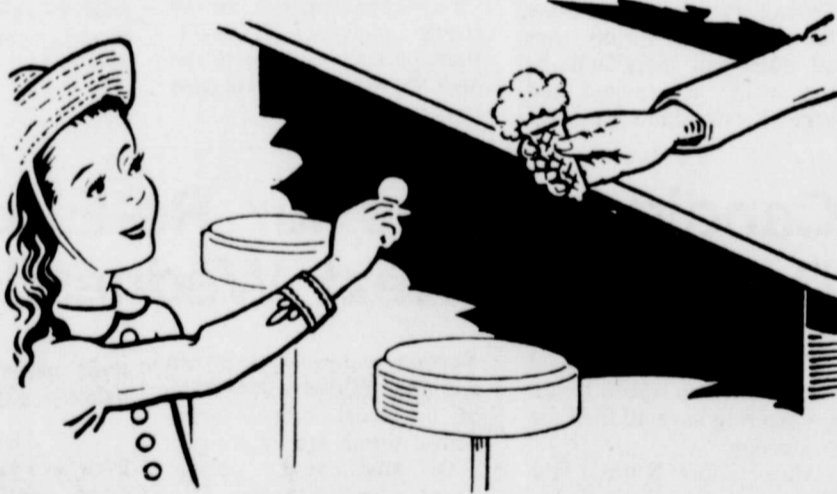
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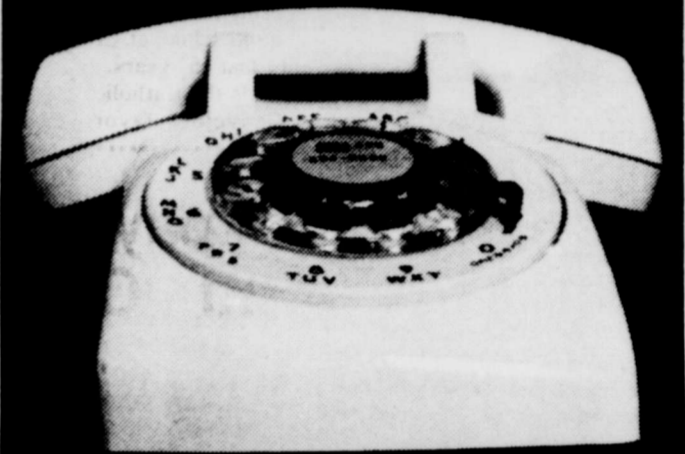
A counseling psychologist in Des Moines, Iowa, and a veterans service officer in Portland, Ore., recently became winners of the Veterans Administration's first Sam Rose Awards for exemplary accomplishments in assisting veterans and their families.

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Public School Week Set for March 3-7

This year March 3-7 will be observed as Texas Public Schools Week. Officials of Texas Public Schools Week observe in Crowell invite all parents and concerned citizens to visit schools in the community during the week and gain firsthand knowledge of their operation and scope. The officials feel that a well-informed public is vital to the maintenance and improvement of education quality in the area, and statewide.

Classrooms at all levels, elementary through high school, will be open for public inspection during the week. The work of individual students will be displayed in many rooms and several schools are planning special presentations.

Parents are encouraged to talk to teachers and seek answers to their questions on the education system. To stimulate participation in the observance, some schools are sending invitations home with children for Texas Public Schools Week events.

INCOME AVERAGING SAVES TAXES

With farm and ranch incomes fluctuating considerably during the past two years, producers may want to consider a technique called "income averaging" to reduce their tax load for 1974, points out an economist for the extension service. For the technique to apply, taxable income for 1974 must be at least \$3,000 more than 30 per cent of the total taxable income for the four immediately preceding tax years. In addition to ordinary income, capital gains on the sale of livestock and other assets may also be included in income averaging. Schedule G must be completed for income averaging.

Scotch Magic Transparent tape in handy dispenser.—News office.
Mimeograph stencils, both regular and church bulletin. Try a package soon.—News office.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Of all the factors which have made this nation great, the major one has probably been the ability of our society through the years to provide consistently the highest level of public education in the world. If this is to continue, it is up to the private citizen to take an active role in the improvement of the education system, for it is the individual who makes the system work on the local, state and national levels. Each of us has the duty to learn as much as possible about local school operations and policies, including funding.

March 3-7 has been designated as TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK this year. You are invited to take this opportunity to seek answers to your questions about education and the system, and to evaluate your local school district and personnel. Visit, observe, and ask—do your schools have qualified teachers? Do they have enough money available to give your child and others the educational base so vital to living and working in modern society?

Whether you are a parent or not, your comments, questions, and observations will be most welcome. Won't you please take part? Observe TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK, March 3-7.

District Agent Issues Area Crop Report

Ed Garnett, district extension agent, has released the following crop report: Moisture conditions continue to be adequate throughout most of the area. Some fertilizer applica-

tions are being applied to small grain fields. Spraying for greenbugs has been fairly general throughout the district.

Home gardens and commercial vegetables are being planted as early season crops.

Ranges have been grazed close. Cattle continue to be moved from small grains.

Major farming activities include winter land preparation, as conditions permit, and livestock feeding.

Deadline Set for VRJC Pageant

The deadline for entering the Miss Vernon Regional Junior College Scholarship Pageant has been set for March 13.

The pageant, scheduled for 8 p.m. April 19, will be held in Wilbarger Auditorium in Vernon and will feature several lovely young ladies from this area in talent, evening gown and swim suit competition. The winner of the local Miss America preliminary will represent VRJC in the Miss Texas Pageant in Fort Worth July 13 through 19.

In addition to her all-expense-paid trip to the state pageant, Miss VRJC will receive a \$900, two-year scholarship to Vernon Regional Junior College or a \$300 scholarship to any other school and a \$1000 retail value wardrobe. The local winner will receive support services from VRJC and the Vernon Jaycees, co-sponsors of the event, in her preparation for the Miss Texas competition. The young lady will have assistance in the areas of talent, grooming, speech and poise in order to assure her that she will have the best possible chance of success in Fort Worth.

The first runner-up in the pageant will receive a \$400 one-year scholarship to VRJC or a \$100 scholarship to any other school.

Easter Seal Soliciting Donations

Because of the steady growth in numbers of crippled children and adults in Texas, the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas has stepped up its rehabilitation services.

Robert Kincaid, who is the Easter Seal representative for the county, said 20,152 handicapped Texas received Easter Seal treatments during 1974.

"Despite medical scientific advances," Kincaid explained, "the rank of the crippled are growing. This is because of population growth, increased number of accidents and medical treatment which saves victims of crippling diseases who might not have lived in past years."

"OPERATING LOSS" AND FARM TAXES

Due to severe price drops in the cattle and cotton markets in 1974, farmers and ranchers who suffered a "net operating loss" may be able to get some income tax relief on income previously earned. The Internal Revenue Service has special provisions for such losses, according to an economist for the extension service. The loss is carried back three years and applied against the taxable income of that year.

Water Claims 724 Lives in Texas in 1974

Water took a grim toll in 1974, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department water safety officials—724 lives, up 84 over 1973.

Joel Block, the department's water safety head, said swimming seemed to be the most dangerous water activity. Of the total number of drowning victims, 211 were swimming at the time they drowned.

Fishing accounted for 108 deaths, and driving automobiles into water killed 76 Texans in 1974.

According to Block, the key to cutting down on water-related fatalities is through education of the public.

"We've got to get our water safety message through to all Texans," he said.

The department, says Block, has a wide range of literature dealing with boating and water safety. Price is no barrier to anyone wanting this information since it is all free of charge.

"We're 13 months into our two-year program of distributing the 'Texas Skipper's Course,' our recreational boating book," says Block. According to Block, more than 400,000 recreational boats are registered in Texas, and most of the boat owners could benefit from the course.

The water safety packet and the "Texas Skipper's Course" are available from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, Water Safety Education, John H. Reagan Bldg., Austin, Texas 78701.

Requests should specify either the packet or the course.

Bible Society Begins World-Scripture Literacy Program

For the first time new readers of 100 languages can read God's Word for themselves, thanks to "Good News for New Readers," the American Bible Society's worldwide Scripture literacy program.

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Warner A. Hutchinson, general secretary of the American Bible Society, is responsible for the production and distribution of the first five levels of Scripture Literacy Selections now available in 100 languages. The selections have been distributed to new readers in more than 46 countries around the globe.

Actually, said Mr. Hutchinson, "the Selections have been translated into 120 languages at the first level. 15 are still in the production process and five will be printed by the end of the year. All together, these messages are spread throughout the world. More than half are Asian languages and the remainder about equally split between Africa and the Americas."

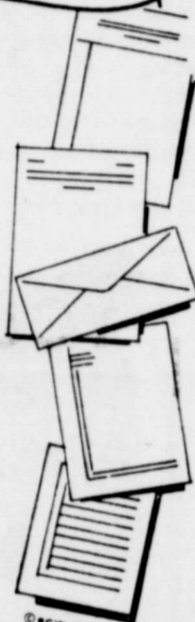
Mr. Hutchinson stated that no one really knows how many new readers have been helped in their struggle to realize true reading ability. "We do know, however," he said, "that significant numbers have discovered Jesus Christ while practicing their newfound skills from letters and comments from missionaries and local Bible Society and church leaders."

"What this means," concluded Mr. Hutchinson, "is that for the first time hundreds of thousands of new readers have had the opportunity to increase their reading skills and at the same time learn God's Word in their own language. Also, it means that now we can offer that same opportunity, with appropriate support from concerned Christians everywhere, to the hundreds of millions of new readers entering the world of print on every continent."

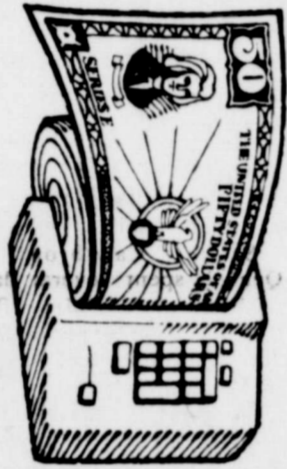
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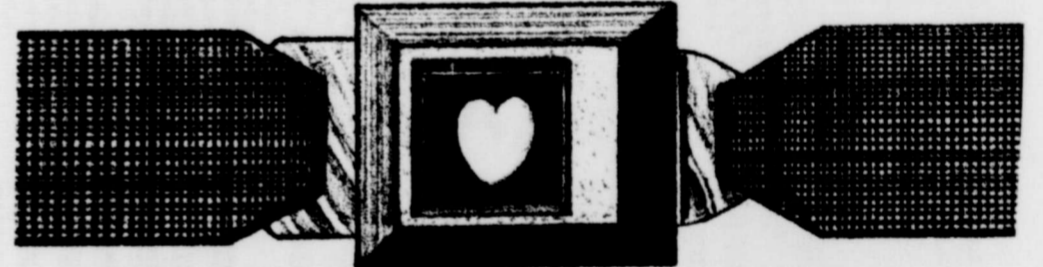


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Public School Week Set for March 3-7

The public is invited to visit area public schools during the annual observance of Texas Public Schools Week, March 3-7. The announcement, made by officials of the observance, states that classrooms at all levels, from elementary to high school, will be open for visitation.

To recognize the event, many schools will offer student presentations and art displays, and others will offer special programs. Parents are specifically encouraged to visit the schools attended by their children. They are invited to discuss areas of concern with teachers, visit and have lunch with their children.

The Texas Public School System was founded 120 years ago on the premise that educated citizens are better citizens. Education is, if anything, more vital now than ever before in understanding and living in our complex society and parents play an important role in any child's education.

Anyone desiring more information on Texas Public Schools Week should contact local school administration offices.

Sen. Farabee Authors Bill in Senate

Austin...State Senator Ray Farabee announced Monday his co-sponsorship of legislation which would...

...put State law on the side of rural industrial development. The legislation calls for a referendum on a constitutional amendment allowing the issuance of industrial development bonds. These bonds could be issued to political subdivisions of the state such as cities and counties. They would make available financing for new or expanding industry at tax free municipal bond rates which are usually 1/2 to 2 percent below prime commercial rates.

Farabee stresses that these revenue bonds would not be backed by the general credit of the political subdivision issuing the bond. Since the liability for revenue bonds is not based on taxing ability of the city or county, taxes would be unaffected by the issuance of these bonds.

Federal Budget to Cost Texans Over \$17 Billion

Texas taxpayers will be required to pay out approximately \$17.819,400,000 in Federal taxes as their share of the cost of the Federal spending budget of \$349.4 billion proposed by President Ford for the 1976 Federal fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, according to an estimate today by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

This estimate was based on the Chamber's calculations that Texas taxpayers bear 5.10 per cent of all Federal taxes.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce pointed out that any change which Congress may make in this budget will reduce or increase the amount that Texas taxpayers will have to bear depending on whether Congress cuts or spends more.

The \$17.8 billion share which would be borne by Texas taxpayers to support the President's proposed budget is 4 1/2 times the total Texas state spending in 1972.

"The average citizen of Texas has a hard time relating to a \$349.4 billion national budget," J. Fike Godfrey, Executive Vice President of the WTCC said. "In fact, the average person can't relate to 5 percent of that amount, the \$17.8 billion that Texas taxpayers will pay."

"How much is the \$17.8 billion of Federal taxes that Texans will pay? Godfrey asks. "Well, let's look at it in

In 1973 U.S. farm production expenses rose sharply to over \$64 billion—up nearly a third from 1972, said Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

terms we can all understand. "The Federal taxes Texans will pay on a \$349.4 billion budget would amount to \$1,590 for every man, woman and child in Texas or to \$6,360.00 for an average family of four.

"Put another way, Texans' Federal tax bill would build nearly a half a million \$30,000 homes, or if the inhabitants of Fort Worth could divide that much money among themselves, each man, woman and child in Fort Worth would get about \$23,382.00 each.

"If all the farmers and ranchers in Texas had to pay the 1976 Federal tax loan for Texans, it would take all the cash receipts for all the farms and ranches in Texas nearly five years to pay up, the \$17.8 billion Federal tax load on Texans is nearly 17 times larger than all the effective buying income of all El Pasoans in 1972."

Medicare Sign-Up Is Explained

Persons who already receive social security benefits do not have to sign up for Medicare when they reach age 65, according to the Vernon social security office. People already getting a social security check before age 65 automatically are covered by Medicare beginning with the month they reach 65. Usually three months before then, a Medicare card is sent and no action is needed if the person wishes the coverage. If they do not want Medicare, the card should be returned.

People who do not already receive social security should sign up for Medicare as soon as they are within three months of their 65th birthday. There is no automatic enrollment for them.

Much Of Cotton Crop Waiting To Be Sold

AUSTIN—Around 62 percent of the 1974 Texas cotton crop was unsold and still in the hands of producers through the latter part of January, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

Of an estimated 2.33 million available running bales, about 1.44 million bales were unsold, White said.

"This slump in the market clearly shows the reason for the cutback in cotton acreage for the 1975 season," said the commissioner. Percentages of unsold

cotton around the state are as follows: Lower Rio Grande Valley, 20 percent; Corpus Christi area, 50 percent; Austin area, 75 percent; Dallas area, 65 percent; Abilene, including Munday area, 70 percent; Lubbock area, 70 percent; Memphis, Eastern Panhandle and four north Texas counties in the Vernon-Quanah areas, 70 percent, and Pecos-El Paso area, 50 percent.

It was estimated that 12 percent of the Texas crop was "field" contracted compared with 65-75 percent in 1973.



"THIS WAY, KARALISA"—Rhonda Sue Lester, lady-in-waiting to Queen Citriana in the Texas Citrus Fiesta, lends a hand to a contestant in the fiesta's Fruit, Vegetable and Flower Costume Show in Mission. Karalisa Williams wore the outfit of a little Dutch girl in the period from 1800-1900. All costumes are made from dried fruit, vegetable, flower and other plant products, and favorite decorations include canteloupe and watermelon seed, citrus leaves and wood, flaked onion, cornmeal and dried carrot. Nothing artificial may be used to cover the basic costume which is sewn from such materials as muslin and flannel. The decorating process begins in the garden and moves to the kitchen where products are grated, dried in fresh air or in the oven and pulverized in the blender. Karalisa's cap was covered in white cornmeal. Her elaborate bodice and shoes were flowered with bougainvillea, citrus leaves and plumbago, a plant with soft blue flowers covered by costume designers for their dyt. Twenty-three contestants competed in four age divisions, pre-school through adult. The fiesta, which was the last week in January, has been a Mission tradition since 1932.

QUALITY SEED IMPORTANT FOR COTTON CROP

The first step to a good cotton crop is planting quality seed, emphasizes a cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. But good seed may be in short supply this year due to unfavorable harvesting weather in many parts of the state last fall. Cotton exposed to weather damage or stored in trailers, ricks or modules when it exceeds 12 per cent moisture will suffer a reduction in seed quality. High quality planting seed tolerates cold, wet soil conditions that cause seedling disease. Good seed also means more rapid seedling emergence and growth. If lower quality seed must be used, delay planting until the soil has warmed, avoid planting too deep, and increase seeding rates.

COTTON CONFAB TO DEAL WITH PRODUCTION, MARKETING

Cotton growers must focus on increasing production and marketing efficiency if they expect to realize a profit in 1975. And that's what the Western Cotton Production Conference Mar. 4-6 in El Paso is all about. Discussions will deal with the Market outlook, marketing alternatives, machinery availability, the petroleum situation, progress in cotton breeding programs, cotton research and priority needs, weed and insect control, and seed cotton handling systems. Other key discussions will concern "getting a stand of cotton," new developments in textile manufacturing, the future of the textile industry in the Southwest, and the outlook for cottonseed flour production.

The Veterans Administration, a recognized world leader in research and development of prosthetics and sensory aids, shares its findings and expertise with public and private medical organizations and practitioners.

According to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White, slightly more than one billion acres of the nation's 2.3 billion acres of land is in farms.

DROP IN CONSUMPTION

The amount of milk in all forms that U.S. consumers used last year was down 14 pounds from 1973, according to Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System. This drop from 556 pounds in 1973 to 542 pounds in 1974 is the sharpest drop in milk use since 1967. The per person use of low fat fluid milk and cheese is up, while the per person use of butter, whole milk, canned milk and nonfat dry milk is down.

COSTLY FARM INCOME TAX ERRORS

Common mistakes cost Texas farmers and ranchers additional dollars at income tax time, points out an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Among these are letting the tax accountant do it all, poor planning, failure to claim investment credit, poor record keeping, failure to watch tax changes, failure to use capital gains fully, failure to deduct expenses for land clearing and soil and water conservation, and failure to deduct expenses for business trips.

COUNTIES AND THE BICENTENNIAL

Counties should play an active role in planning and staging local observances for America's Bi-Centennial in 1976, according to a member of the National Association of Counties. Counties can establish citizen committees, work with the school system to create an awareness of county government in the state of Texas, and work with the local historical society.

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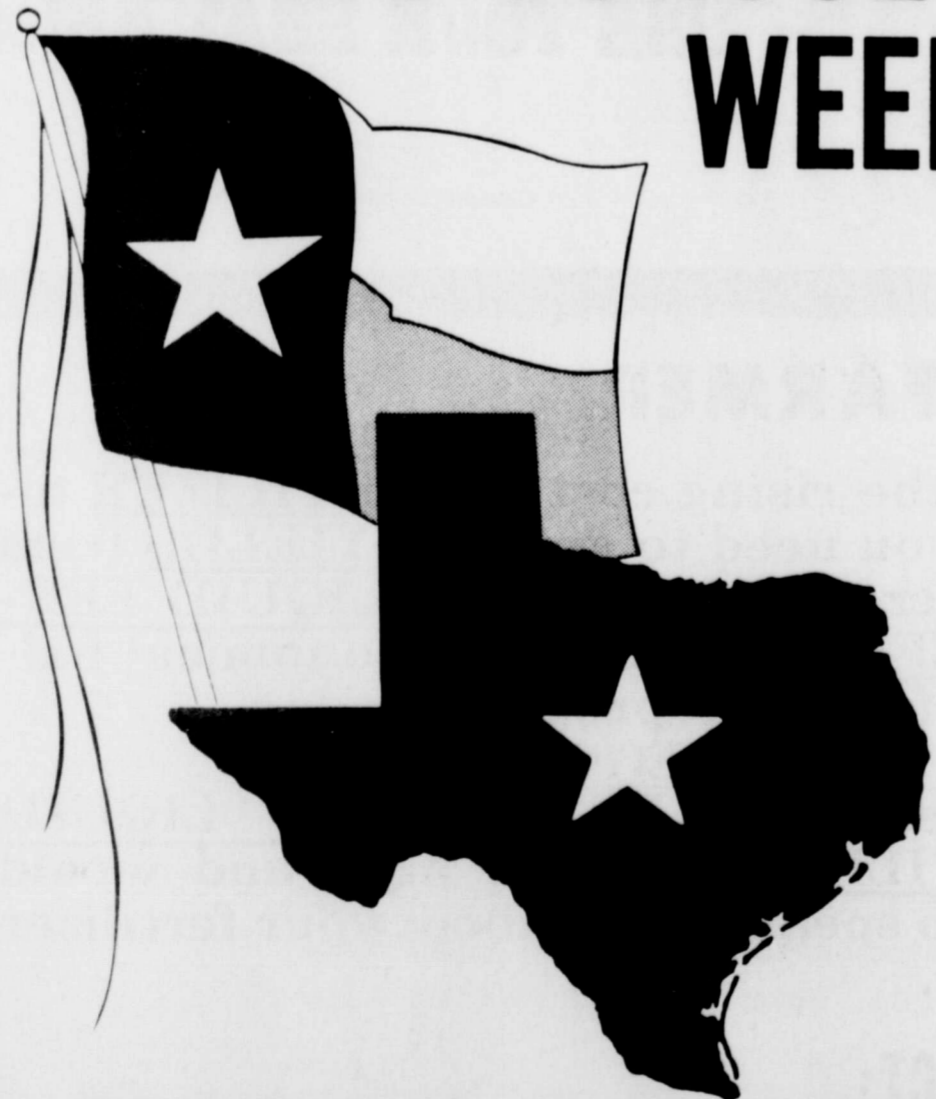
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LANDSCAPE—A GOOD INVESTMENT

One of the best investments a homeowner can make is in landscaping, contends a landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Trees and shrubs around the home may be worth five or six times their initial cost. A home landscape must be properly planned and budgeted. At least 10 per cent of the cost of the home and lot should be allocated for landscaping.

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Alvin Wheeler and Melvin Wheeler of Electra attended funeral services for John Rader here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sanders of Cleburne spent the week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Crews Cooper.

A baby boy, Mike Wayne Manard, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Manard Friday, February 21. The baby, born in Wichita General Hospital, weighed 7 lbs., 15 oz. He joins a sister, Janelleesa. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray and Mrs. Vera Manard.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel visited during the week end with former Crowell residents. Mrs. Nancy Gafford and Mrs. Zerne Lance and children and Lance Woodward, all of Lake Worth.

Mrs. Foy McRae and Mrs. Marion Gentry visited Tuesday in Lockett with Mrs. Danny McRae and Kenny.

Scotch Magic Transparent tape in handy dispenser.—News office.

Two Teams in Little Dribblers Are Still Undefeated

Little Dribbler basketball games continue to be played at a torrid pace in Wildcat gym each Monday and Thursday nights. After the past week's six games, there are still two undefeated teams left in the league and these two will be playing each other tonight (Thursday).

They are the Frogs, coached by Marion Crowell and Randy Prince, and the Roadrunners, coached by Rusty Russell and Bill Bell. Starting time for this game tonight is 7:30.

In the first game last Thursday, it was the battle of the undefeated teams and at the end it was the Frogs who remained undefeated as they squeezed by the Ponies 31-27. For the winning Frogs, John McGee scored 25 points. Ken Gentry, Richard Westbrook and Ronald Neal added 2 points each. Robert Newman was high pointer for the Ponies with 25 points, while Loyd Daniel added 2 more.

In the second game, the Roadrunners came out on top with a 47-30 win over the Turtles. For the Roadrunners, Dan Klepper was high pointer with 37. Ruben Santos had 6 and Tommy Russell 4. Carl Field led the Turtle attack with 12 points. Guy Todd had 7, Perry Lee Henry 6, Michael Branch and Jimmy Garcia 2 each and Dean Werley 1.

In the last game of the night, the Eagles copped their first win of the season by defeating the Hawks 32 to 17. Ronnie Wasia was high pointer for Eagles with 16. Scott Reed added 6 more. Larry Criss and Jeff Christopher had 4 each, and Ray Smith scored 2 points. For the Hawks, John Halsell had 11 and Kim Baker 6.

On Monday night of this week in the first game, the Roadrunners pulled out a squeaker over the Turtles 33-31. For the Roadrunners, Klepper had 23, Russell 6, Joe Lee Brown and Joe Glenn Setliff, 2 each. Tied for high for the Turtles were Michael Branch and Guy Todd with 9 points each. Dean Werley scored 6, Perry Lee Henry 4, Carl Field 2 and Jimmy Garcia 1.

In the second game, the Eagles continued on the winning trail by defeating the Hawks 22 to 15. Ray Smith was high pointer for

Nurses Attending Course

A course entitled "Pharmacology—What's New" is being taught at Vernon Regional College with Dr. Loyd Hughes, dean of instruction at the college, as the teacher of the course. Major emphasis of the course will be placed upon the nurse's responsibility in assessment of patient response. The course will continue through April 14.

Attending from Crowell are Mrs. Texas Ford, LVN, a 1958 graduate of the Foard County Hospital's School of Nursing, and Mrs. Ella Martin, LVN, a 1970 graduate of Greenbelt School of Vocational Nursing. Also attending are Mmes. Laverne Prince and Winfred Powers, who are students in the Greenbelt School of Vocational Nursing, and are doing their clinical training in the Foard County Hospital.

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B Honor Roll
Vicki Athey, Sandra Bachman, Mary Barrera, Lupe Barrine, Gail Bullion, Mark Christopher, Tim Christopher, Dwain Crosby, Sharon Cox, Jim Cumley, Debra Daniel, Michael Daniel, Delia de los Santos, Sulema de los Santos, Teri Eavenson, Staci Garrett, Jana Glover, Stan Gentry, Rocky Glasscock, Bernadette Greening, Cindy Hall, Theresa Hall, Erwin Jackson, Janet Kubicek, Bertha Leija, Keith McDaniel, Brenda Newman, Vickie Pharis, Randy Prince, Chavelo Ranjel, Rosa Ranjel, Jan Reeder, Barbie Scott, Carol Sue Scott, Steve Setliff, Christi Smith, Dean Smith, Carolyn Sparkman, Kathy Sparkman, Mae Joyce Sparkman, Karen Statser, Ruth Stone, Scott Streit, Connie Werley, Renee Westbrook, Kathy Whitfield, Betty Whitley, Paul Whitley, Mollye Wisdom.

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County Receives Rain and Snow

Another week end of turbulent weather across this section of West Texas brought Foard County more moisture in the form of rain and snow. Friday night, a spring-like storm with lightning, thunder and some hail, accompanied a rain that measured .68 inch by the government gauge. Then on Saturday night, snow began falling with blizzard conditions forecast for the area. However, snow did not fall to a depth of over 1 or 2 inches, and only .1 inch of moisture came from the snow.

Sunshine and a slight warming trend Sunday melted most of the thin coating of snow.

The county was fortunate in missing the tornadoes which struck in Hardeman County and also in the southern part of Oklahoma.

SENIOR CITIZENS PLAN CHILI, STEW SUPPER
The senior citizens met Tuesday, Feb. 25, at the community center for luncheon with 31 members and 3 visitors present. The program was presented by Mmes. Thelma Lemons and Hally Sanders who sang several numbers playing their own accompaniment on the guitar and piano.

The chili and stew supper will be Thursday, Feb. 27, at the housing center. Serving will start at 5:30. There will be home made pies and cakes, and coffee and tea. Everyone is invited and proceeds will be used for projects of the senior citizens.

Stencil correction fluid available at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy McRae received a card from their son, Bruce, that he was in Santa Fe, N. M., on a skiing trip with a group from his church.

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STUDY GROUP MEETS
Monday night at 7 the extension Home economics Study Group met in the home of Sandi Adcock. The program was presented by the agent, Sally Sowell, on principles of cookery. Those present took an IQ test on basic cooking principles. A demonstration on the selection, use and care of the blender was then presented by the agent. Refreshments were served to Janis Everson, Fleta

City Water Purchases Total 5,646,000 Gallons in January

The City of Crowell purchased 5,646,000 gallons of water from the Greenbelt Authority during the month of January, a report received from the Authority shows. This is considerably less than the 6,159,000 gallons bought during January 1974 and the 7,229,000 gallons used here

in January 1973. Crowell bought 3,184,000 gallons in January 1972 and 4,033,000 gallons in January 1971. Childress continues to be the big user of Greenbelt water, having used 15,144,000 gallons during January. Red River Authority, which supplies water to the rural

active in youth baseball. He was a World War II veteran and had been employed by Ohio Chemical Products of Berkeley for over 20 years.

Eddie H. Campbell Died

Eddie H. Campbell, 54 of San Pablo, Ca., and a former Foard County resident, died at Doctor Hospital Feb. 14 in San Pablo after a long illness. Mr. Campbell made his home here with his grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, when he was a child and attended Crowell schools. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Although Mr. Campbell had resided in California for a great number of years, he always thought of Crowell as his home, and as long as he was physically able, he made a yearly trip back to visit his relatives and friends. His aunt, Mrs. Allene Williams, was visiting with him at the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, Oleta, two sons, Danny of the home and Ronnie of Benicia, and one grandson, Douglass. Also surviving him are his aunts, Ocie Pearl Bolibruch, Allene Williams and Maxine White of Crowell; and also an uncle, E. J. Thompson of Queen City.

Mr. Campbell was a member of Hillcrest Baptist Church, El Sobrente, and

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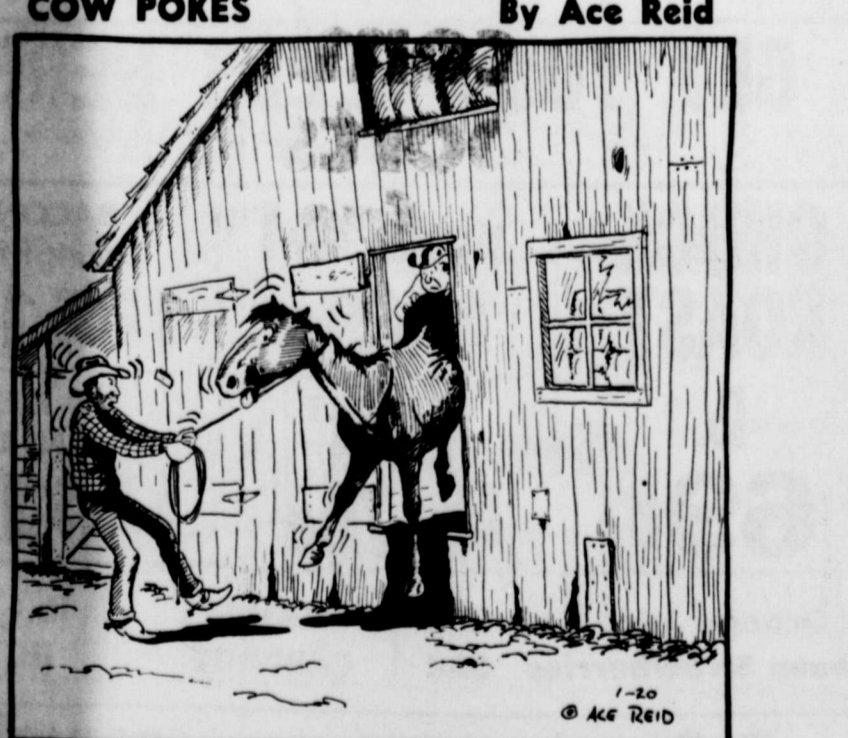
- Return fresh foods to the refrigerator and frozen foods, such as ice cream, to the freezer as soon as possible. Measure and remove the quantity needed for cooking or for the table, and refrigerate the remainder at once.
- Use cold controls efficiently by selecting the settings that provide about 36° F. in the refrigerator and 0° F. in the freezer.
- Fill the refrigerator with food, but be careful not to overfill. Make sure that food packages don't block air vents in the freezer or refrigerator section.
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Adelphian Club Meets in Vernon

Members of the Crowell Adelphian Club observed Federation Day with a tea, Wednesday, February 19, in the home of Mrs. W. Baxter Johnson of 3736 Park Lane, Vernon. Mrs. Henry Borchardt assisted Mrs. Johnson with hostess duties. Mrs. Clarence Garrett, president conducted a short business session. Mrs. S. J. Wilson led the Club Collect and Mrs. Bill Klepper led the Federation Motto. Mrs. Virgil Johnson introduced special guest speaker Mrs. Ben Fulton of Quanah, President of the Santa Rosa District of Federated Clubs. Mrs. Fulton gave an inspiring talk on Unity for strengthening our world through home life and conservation. She stressed the need for doing things together as a family. She also stated that the family needed spiritual experiences to replenish moral strength and heal wounds. She added that if parents keep an open line of communication with their children as they grow up and listen to them a generation gap will not develop. Mrs. Fulton also told about

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News from...

Thalia

Maggie Capps

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Swan, and others in the Woods rest home in Vernon Tuesday. Glen was ill with flu for a few days last week and their daughter, Glenna, was ill over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Judy Toie of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holland last week end.

Mrs. Clyde Self was ill over the week end with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps of Vernon visited Mrs. Maggie Capps Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jake Wisdom and girls, Cindy, Mollye and Pollye, visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Streit of Lockett Sunday. The occasion was the 62nd wedding anniversary of the Streits.

Minister Joe Laird of Iowa Park was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holland Sunday.

Those from this community attending the meeting of the Crowell Church of Christ during the week included Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Self, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper, Mrs. Jim Moore and Mrs. Maggie Capps. Also Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm and Mrs. Ruth Abston of Thalia and Vernon.

Marshall Capps of Vernon visited Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Capps.

Mrs. Flora Short and Randa McBeath spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glover and family and attended the play at the Crowell school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moore visited over the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Mike Herrington, and husband and their son, Billy Moore, and wife of Hobbs, N. M.

Glen McBeath, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McBeath of Katy and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath of Thalia, recently won 3rd place in a state championship moto race with his motorcycle at the Gulf Coast Area open. He will race Feb. 28 and March 1 for the state championship at Dallas.

Larry Swan of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan, preached Sunday night at the Crowell Church of Christ in the absence of the regular minister.

Mrs. Homer McBeath visited Mrs. Charlie Bartley and Mrs. Mary Ray in the Crowell hospital one day last week. Delmar McBeath of Lockett visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBeath Friday.

Mrs. Thornia Cates is in serious condition in the Foard County hospital. Her daughters, Miss Oneta Cates

Hints to Homemakers

SALLY SOWELL
Assistant County
Extension Agent

Suede leather is an elegant and popular fashion look. To acquire this look, synthetic suede may be the answer for some consumers. Synthetic suede, a non-woven fabric, looks and feels like suede, yet it can be machine washed and dried, or can be dry cleaned by regular methods. It doesn't stretch, shrink, pull, fray, crack or wrinkle. To construct fashions at home from this suede-like fabric, consumers should follow a few simple guides.

—Choose a simple pattern that will show off the beauty of the fabric. Avoid darts when possible, and styles which require easing in seams.

—Fusibles work well with synthetic suede and fusible interfacings give a professional look. Use fusibles to "fuse" seam allowances and hems. It won't show and it's quick.

—Although the synthetic suede need not be pre-shrunk, all other fabrics used in the construction process should be pre-shrunk.

—Pre-shrink fusible interfacings by placing in warm water a few minutes and allowing to dry.

—Even though this fabric has no grain, it's best to cut all pattern pieces in the same direction—up for a darker, richer look and down for a lighter, shinier look.

Small pieces such as cuffs may be cut on the crosswise, or slanted, without any noticeable difference.

—Use 100 per cent polyester core thread and a 9-10 or 11-12 machine needle. Conventional seams may be used, but lapped seams reduce bulk.

A clever trick for collars and cuffs is to trim away the 5/8 inch seam allowance and sew wrong sides together. No raveling will occur. Stitch 1/4 to 3/8 inch from the cut edge and again near the cut edge for a beautifully tailored look.

—This synthetic suede can be steam pressed. Use a discarded tooth brush to restore nap.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Smith and Ray visited Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gilbert in Paducah Sunday. James Gilbert, age 6, was run over by a motor bike last Wednesday. He returned home Tuesday from a Wichita Falls hospital and is doing satisfactorily.

Brown, Rita Jimenez, F. A. Newman, Paul Quintero, Carolina de los Santos, Patricia Swearengin, Paula Baize, Jodi Gafford, Paul Hensell, Lynn Johnson, Ronald Neal, Lori Quintero, Thomas Sparkman, Kim Baker, Ann Coleman, Bill Coufal, Larry Criss, Tina English, Sarah Fish, Mitsi Kuehn, Angela Mills, Lucreta Nichols, Erin Odell, Sue Ranjel, Diana Tucker, Gail Christopher, Scharlene Criss, David Dunn, Michelle Field, Gloria Jimenez, Jesse Odell, Pollye Wisdom, Lisa Hopkins, Toni Hopper, Clinton Machac, Angie Parkhill, Stephanie Riethmayer, Elbert Sparkman, Guy Todd, III, Dean Werley.

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Low Honor Roll
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Grade School Lists Honor Rolls
Honor rolls for the fourth six weeks of Crowell grade school were announced Monday by Principal Gordon Erwin as follows:

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Hospital Admissions, Dismissals

Admissions:
Mrs. Georgia Russell.
Mrs. Charlie Bartley.
Mrs. George Scott.
Mrs. Minnie Hinkle.
Mrs. Mary B. Ray.
Mrs. Eva Cates.
Walter Thomson.
Mrs. Beatrice Seeding.
Mrs. Jake Denton.
Mrs. George Brown.
Fred Youree.
C. L. Cavin.
Dink Woods.
Sam Mills.

Dismissed:
Adrian Thomson.
Dale Henry.
Elton Carroll.
Oran Ford.
Mrs. Harold Fish.
Walter Hill.
Ricardo Hernandez.
Mrs. Grady Halbert.
Mrs. Marie Callaway.
Mrs. Alicia Rivera.
Mrs. J. M. Barker.

Medical Personnel Attend Meet

Revised utilization review, a topic much under discussion among the medical fraternity, was the subject of a program held in Quanah Thursday, Feb. 13. Revised utilization review conditions of participation in hospitals for medicare and medicaid patients briefly means that the federal government determines how long all illness and disease patients may stay in the hospital if they are under medicare or medicaid. As an example, should the government determine that 14 days is the length of time a medicare or medicaid patient may stay in the hospital with a certain disease, medicare and medicaid would quit paying after 14 days whether or not the patient was better or not.

The program in Quanah was presented by Dr. Walter H. Stapp of Crowell and Dr. Walter Brooks of Quanah, both of whom attended a meeting on the subject in Austin late in January. Representatives from Childress, Paducah, Crowell and Chillicothe were present. Attending from Crowell were Dr. Stapp; M. M. Welch, chairman of the local hospital board; James Sandlin, vice chairman; A. L. McGinnis, secretary of the board; Mmes. Ann Whitley and Geraldine Boren, office personnel; Edna Fish RN, director of nursing service; and Bettie Gafford RN, administrator of Foard County Hospital.

Although only 299 of the 29 million living American veterans have been awarded the Medal of Honor, 33 of them work for the Veterans Administration in 27 installations in 22 states, the agency reported recently.

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Gafford of Crowell and Don
Crocker of Tulia. They were
introduced by Lion Joe Don
Brown.

T. L. Tamplen was
introduced as a new member
of the club. The annual Lions
Club broom sale will be held
Tuesday, April 15, it was
announced by Randy Adkins,
vice president, who presided
in the absence of the
president, Emmett Howard.

Another visitor was Bill

Klepper, who
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their ad in the
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Crowell, Tex., Feb. 27, 1975

30 Years Ago in The News

News items below were taken from the Thursday, Feb. 22, 1945, issue of the Foard County News:

The Holliday Eagles, winners of the eastern half of district 9-A, and the Crowell Wildcats, winners of the western half of district 9-A, will resume their basketball championship series here tonight at 8 o'clock. The Eagles won the first game of the series at Holliday last Friday night by the score of 66 to 45.

Mrs. Delia Booker of Thalia has been officially notified by the government that her son, Pvt. Clarence Booker, had been killed in Germany on November 14.

The Thalia Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring an amateur hour on Friday night, Feb. 23, in the school auditorium. The program will feature songs, readings, instrumental music, jokes and an old fiddlers' contest, all by local talent.

P. t. Martin Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones of Thalia, has arrived safely in Belgium, according to letters received from him recently.

Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., according to recent reports, has taken a block of 20,000 acres—11,000 in northern Knox County and 9,000 acres in southern Foard County—from Mart Eberling of Dallas. Terms were reported \$1.25 an acre cash bonus with \$1 an acre rental for 10-year commercial leases.

On Sunday, Feb. 11, five Crowell boys, who are stationed in the Netherlands, East Indies, got together for an enjoyable day, according to a letter received recently by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Golden from their son, Sgt. Wm. C. Golden. The boys were Sgt. Golden, Sgt. Frank James, T-4 Isham, T-5 Robert L. Lee and Pvt. J. W. Whitley.

Dr. H. Schindler suffered a stroke at his home at an early hour Monday morning. He is critically ill at the local hospital.

George Self gave the news comments and Mrs. Grady Halbert rendered a series of humorous readings for the program of the Rotary Club Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Bledsoe and son, Bruce, of the Margaret community, left the first of the week for Lawton, Ok., to make their home. Mr. Bledsoe will be employed by the Lawton Meat Co. He has rented his farm to O. C. Allen.

Postage rates and rates for various services performed by the post office have been gradually increased until the postoffice department is now paying a profit of \$40,000,000 a year.

The 90th birthday of D. M. Shultz, pioneer Foard County resident, was celebrated by his children and grandchildren at his home Sunday.

Meeting Is Planned at Quanah

A public meeting will be held Thursday night, Feb. 27, at 7:30 in Quanah for the election of members of the board of the Outreach Center of Hardeman and Foard Counties. The meeting will be held in Reagan School cafeteria in Quanah.

All residents of Foard and Hardeman Counties are members of the Mental Health/Mental Retardation Association and are urged to attend this meeting. Dr. W. A. Brooks of Quanah will be the speaker.

Joe Burkett of Crowell was a member of the nominating committee which met in Quanah last week.

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County Extension Agent

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Providing adequate nutritional feed, adopting a good vaccination program and controlling internal and external parasites are several ways of improving health management of your cattle operation.

A good vaccination program is vital to herd health. Every calf over four months of age and every yearling should be vaccinated against blackleg and other infections. It's also suggested that vaccinating against leptospirosis be carried out in consultation with a veterinarian. New animals should be given blood tests to determine whether they have brucellosis.

External parasites can be controlled by treatment with insecticides while properly timed worming can rid animals of internal parasites.

Topdressing an Important Decision

The topdressing of nitrogen on wheat and other small grains is now on the minds of many Foard County producers. With the present moisture, good stands, and anticipated market price for grain the amount of nitrogen to topdress is an important decision.

Generally, 30 lbs. of actual nitrogen is applied where nitrogen was applied last fall and no grazing occurred. However where fall and winter grazing has been practiced a higher rate of 60 lbs. per acre should be considered.

Other items should also be taken into account when considering the rate of nitrogen to use. These include fertilization to date, yield potential as affected by weather, soil moisture, and any other condition that can

effect grain production. The use of nitrogen increases tillering and therefore increases grain yields. For this reason nitrogen should be applied before tillering for maximum benefits.

Nitrogen is usually the only fertilizer element considered for topdressing. From evidence available the topdressing with phosphorous and potassium this late in the season is of little value.

With the cost of fertilizer, it is not economical to apply too little or too much. If a smaller amount of fertilizer is applied than needed, maximum results can not be reached. On the other hand, an over application would only lead to increased production cost. The best yearly recommendation is suggested in the saying "Don't Guess—Soil Test."

Greenbelt Beef Breeders Association

The Greenbelt Beef Breeders Association is organized toward planning a 4-H and FFA Club Calf Sale for Saturday, March 15. The association covers Wilbarger and surrounding counties.

Any interested producer who is planning a 4-H and FFA Club Calf Sale is eligible to participate if they agree to the by-laws of the sale. Also, only members of the association would be permitted to offer animals at the sale. Lifetime association members are available for \$15.

By-laws established for the sale, which will begin at 12:30 p.m. in the new Wilbarger Exhibit Building, include:

—Calves entered in sale must be between the ages of March 1 through Nov. 30, 1974. Producer must be able to determine age within 30 days or calf will be sifted.

—Calves must be club calf or herd bull prospects or be sifted by judges.

—Producers must pay a \$20 entry fee for each calf, which will not be refunded if calf is sifted.

—Calves must arrive

between 2 and 6 p.m. Friday, March 14, to be weighed, tagged and sifted at 7 p.m.

—Seller must be responsible for moving his calf to and from the sale ring and be responsible for animal until it leaves the barn.

—All sifted animals must be removed by 9 a. m. Saturday, March 15.

—Registration papers will be furnished if available at designated price set by seller. Calf must bring this price for papers to be furnished.

—At time of weighing, a market value plus the \$20 entry fee will constitute the lowest selling price for animals unless otherwise stated by seller.

—Members agree to abide by the by-laws and any grievance that arises will be taken up with directors of the association.

For additional information, contact Newell Hofmann, Rt. 2, Vernon, 817-552-7963 or Carl Rummage, Rt. 3, Vernon, 817-552-2989.

Several Families Move After Real Estate Deals

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Daniel and children have moved to the farm home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greening north of Crowell to make their new home. The Daniels recently purchased the property.

They sold their home on North Fifth Street to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christopher and the Christopher family moved to their new home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glover and family, who had been living at the Greening place north of town, bought the residence belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Thompson on East Commerce Street and have moved to that location.

Death Claims Former Foard Resident

Word has been received here of the death of Bertha (Dunn) Dixon of Beaumont. She was the daughter of the late Eph Dunn and granddaughter of the late W. T. Dunn and Icyphene Dunn.

W. T. Dunn and his wife were the second permanent settlers of what is now Foard County.

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Texas Talk



by Bud McLain

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TRESPASS NOTICES

NO HUNTING. Fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on T. R. Cates Estate land. pd. to 5-75

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. pd. 1-76

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NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mrs. Maggie Barker. pd. 1-76

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on the Minnick Ranch.—Mrs. J. H. Minnick Estate. pd. 1-76

NO hunting, fishing, trespassing, or trash dumping on any land owned or leased by us.—Mrs. W. A. Dunn and Bobby Bond. pd. 5-75

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by us.—Johnson & Ekern. pd. 1-76

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing, or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Glenn Halsell Cattle Co. pd. 1-76

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Otis Gafford. pd. 1-76

NO trespassing. Positively no hunting or fishing on land owned or leased by Walter Thomson or Allen Taylor. Trespassers will be prosecuted. pd. 5-1-75

NO TRESPASSING on any land leased by me in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mike Wishon. pd. to 5-75

Invited to Attend School

Children who will be 5 years old before Sept. 1, 1975, and will be entering kindergarten next year are invited to attend school Thursday morning, March 6, from 9 a. m. through 11:30 a. m.

Mrs. Margaret Daniel, kindergarten teacher, said children attending should bring 55 cents for lunch which will be served at 10:30.

Gas Well Finaled at Thalia

A gas producer has been finaled in Foard County. In the Thalia Field, Corvette Oil Corporation has completed its No. 3 John Matus, OWVO, 1½ miles north and a half mile east of Thalia, 330 feet from south line and 330 feet from west line, section 33, Block A.

The well produced 565,000 cubic feet of gas per day through perforations at 842-94 feet. The well was originally the J. C. Mann No. 3 J. Matus, completed and abandoned April 19, 1960.

LETTER TO EDITOR
Thanks to you for sending my Foard County News. I got it today, Thursday, at my new address. It's like getting a letter from home. I have so many friends in Foard County. I am so glad to read and hear from them all, like Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wood and all others that moved away. Thanks to Maggie Capps, a faithful friend, and all others.

Mrs. Charlie Gray,
921 E. Calla,
Frederick, Ok. 73542

TRESPASS NOTICES

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting on land owned, leased or rented by us. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCoy. pd. 9-75

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any Merl Kincaid land. pd. 1-76

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. tfe

NO hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind on M. L. Hughston and M. L. Speer land. pd. 11-6-75

POSITIVELY no trespassing, fishing or hunting on my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mrs. Harry Schlagal. pd. 5-75

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. tfe

NO hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned by the Juanita Gafford Estate. pd

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. tfe

NOTICE
That in accordance with Section 30.05 of the Penal Code of Texas—**CRIMINAL TRESPASS**, notice is hereby given that all lands of J. I. (Jim) Malone, being 738 acres, more or less, in the Mark B. Lewis Survey in Foard and Hardeman County, Texas, together with lands leased by J. I. (Jim) Malone contiguous thereto, are POSTED.

ROSS MALONE, Guardian of the Person and Estate of J. I. Malone. 15-tfe

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LODGE NOTICES

ALLEN-HOUGH POST NO. 9177, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Center. Baylor Weatherred, Crd. Freddie Riethmayer, Qm.

CROWELL CHAPTER NO. 916, O.E.S.

Meets second Tuesday night of each month. The next meeting will be **March 11, 7:00 p. m.** Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors. Vera Thomas, W. M. Mareitta Carroll, Sec.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840 AF&AM Stated Meeting Second Monday of each month.

March 10, 7:00 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome. Pat Pittillo, W. M. Robert Kincaid, Sec.

GARAGE SALES

Garage Sale Friday and Saturday.—Mrs. Jeff Todd. 34-tfc

Stencil correction fluid available at the News office.

NOTICES

Mattress renovating.—West Texas Mattress Co., 3530 W. Wilbarger, Vernon Texas. 40-tfc

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

TERMITES? Tree spraying or roach control. Licensed and insured. Call Ray Quintero, American Pest Control. 684-5472. 42-tfc

NOTICE—Alcoholics Anonymous meets 8:00 p.m. Wednesday. Community Center. 655-2483 for information. 33-25tp

Home workers wanted in this area: men, women, students. No experience necessary; stuffing and addressing envelopes (commission mailers). Earn spare time money at home. \$100 weekly possible. Send \$1.00 (refundable) and long, stamped envelope for details; PPS846, 216 Jackson No. 612, Chicago 60606. 34-2tp

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
SPECIAL ELECTION APRIL 22, 1975

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. No. 3)

Repealing Sections 48a, 48b, 51e, and 51f of Article III and Sections 62 and 63 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for the revision and consolidation of provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and to provide that all general laws that have established retirement systems and optional retirement programs for public employees and officers in effect at the time of the adoption of this constitutional amendment will remain in effect, subject to the general powers of the Legislature.

Provide that the amount a participating officer or employee contributes to the employee retirement system or the teacher retirement system shall be established by the Legislature but may not be less than 6% of current compensation and providing further that the amount contributed by the state may not be less than 6 nor more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to participating persons, except that in an emergency, as determined by the Governor, the Legislature may contribute more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to persons participating in state retirement systems.

Provide that the Legislature shall provide for local retirement systems created by any city or county for its officers and employees and shall further provide for a state-wide system of benefits for officers and employees of counties or other political subdivisions of the State which may voluntarily participate, and

to further provide that a state-wide system of benefits shall be provided for officers and employees of cities which may voluntarily participate.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising and consolidating provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and providing for a maximum state contribution to state systems of 10 percent of the aggregate compensation paid to individuals."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. No. 6)

Amending Article III, Section 24 of the Texas Constitution to:

Provide an increase in salary for members of the Legislature from \$400 per month to \$600 per month.

Provide an increase in the per diem rate for members of the Legislature from \$12 to \$30 for each day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legislature.

Provide an increase in the transportation allowance for members from \$10 per mile to the rate prescribed by law for employees of the State of Texas.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment setting the salaries of members of the legislature at \$600 per month and setting a per diem of \$30 per day during legislative sessions and a mileage allowance at the same rate provided by law for state employees."

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FOR SALE—Case 1370 pt. etc., extended Farm Equip. 25

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