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**SINGING AT QUANAH**—These members of the Foard County senior organization posed in their robes at the housing authority center on Sunday just prior to leaving for the singing held there that afternoon. They are, from the left, Arieta

Halencaik, Audie Blackburn, Bessie Cannon, Bob Shrode, J. F. Cannon, Mattie Sue Bartley, Gladys Shrode, Lois Boren, Audie Henry, Mrs. W. H. Sellers, Dink Woods, Iva Ballard and Edna Sanders. The young lady in the front is Arlene Halencaik, mascot of the local senior citizens.

## Parents Needed at LL Games

Little League baseball action for the season is drawing rapidly to a close. Probably no year since the LL program began eighteen years ago has less interest been shown by parents and baseball fans.

Hardly enough parents show up to watch their children play to even sparsely fill the small stands, but many of the players are not showing up, and last week forced two teams to forfeit games as not enough of their players were on hand to make a full team.

LL is a fine program. Won't you as a parent or fan attend these Tuesday and Friday night games and give these final nights of action at least a partial audience?



**DEDICATION VISITORS**—Mrs. Gilbert Lankford of Wichita Falls, left, I. T. Graves of Lubbock, (center) are pictured above visiting with the pastor of the First Baptist Church, Rev. Joe Ainsworth, following the dedication of the new church building here Sunday afternoon.

## Commissioners Study Redistricting

Foard County Commissioners Court in a meeting Monday studied a redistricting proposal for the county, which would more nearly divide the population in the four precincts.

County Judge Seth Halbert said at the present time there are 1220 qualified voters in the county. In precinct 1, there are 153, precinct 2 has 673, precinct 3 has 102 and precinct 4 has 292.

He said as nearly as possible, there should be 305 persons per precinct. At the present time, an imaginary line east and west and north and south through the halls

of the court house divide the county into precincts.

The proposed plan studied Monday would make precinct 1 include the northeast part of the county except for a small part of northeast Crowell, which would become precinct 2. Precinct 3 would include all of Thalia and the southeast part of the county south of Highway 70 and east of Highway 283. Precinct 4 would include all of the county west of Highway 283.

No action was taken by the commissioners concerning the redistricting. This county has never been redistricted in spite of court rulings concerning the subject, which have been made in recent years.

Commissioners renewed their contract with Pritchard & Abbott at 6 cents per \$100 valuation for appraisal of commercial property in the county. Judge Halbert said the firm told the court that oil appraisals in the county were up about \$600,000 during the past year. This increase is due in large part to the increased price of oil made during the past year or so.

## Four Are on Dean's Honor List

Almost 19 percent of West Texas State University's 4,058 undergraduate students studied their way to a place on the Dean's Honor Roll.

These 755 students achieved at least a 2.25 grade point average on a three point scale for the spring semester 1975.

"In a university which is described as a community of scholars, the students on the Dean's Honor Roll are our most outstanding honor citizens," said Dr. Ray Malzahn, WTSU vice-president for academic affairs.

The honor students from Crowell are Anthony D. Powers, senior, elementary education major; Ronald L. Naylor, junior, pre-veterinary medicine major; Karen E. Bridges, sophomore, kindergarten education major; and Rhonda J. Naylor, wife of Ronald Naylor, sophomore, management major.

## Water and Sewer Rates Increased

Continually increasing costs of operation of the city government caused the city council in a meeting Tuesday night of last week to raise water, sewer and garbage rates for local residents.

Minimum water rate has been increased from \$9.00 for 9,000 gallons to \$11.00 for 9,000 gallons. A \$1.00 increase was made on all sewer and garbage rates. Mayor Robert Kincaid said the new rates will be effective with the bills to be received on July 1.

## Over 450 Cars of Wheat Shipped by Local Railway

A total of 457 freight car loads of wheat were shipped out from Foard County during the harvest just concluded, according to figures furnished the News Tuesday by Tom Ellis, local railway agent.

## Dress Set Monday

Fun and Fashion Show will be held at Methodist Church on Sunday, June 30, 1975, at 2 p.m. All the 4-H girls that are participating will be at 1:30 at the church. The girls are invited to attend the annual event.

## Free Will Baptists Plan Homecoming

The Crowell Free Will Baptist Church has planned a Homecoming Day for Sunday, June 29.

The church was organized 29 years ago on August 28, 1946, following a week revival held by Rev. H. H. Haston. The following week, the revival was continued with Rev. Claude C. Lamb

doing the preaching. Rev. Haston, the first pastor of the church will deliver the message at the 11 a.m. service Sunday and Rev. Lamb will preach in the afternoon service beginning at 1:30. "We wish to extend an invitation to all members and former members to come for these services and get re-acquainted with everyone. Also, we invite all our many friends to attend. Lunch will be served to all," the pastor, Rev. M. L. Crosby, said Tuesday.

## Peggy Welch on "A" Honor Roll

Miss Peggy Jan Welch, who graduated from Tarleton State University last month, was named to the "A" honor roll and distinguished Student list for the spring semester. Students named to the "A" honor roll must take a minimum of 12 hours and make a grade of "A" in all courses. The distinguished student list consists of those students who carry at least 12 semester hours and have a 3.25 grade average out of a possible 4.0.

## Young People Attending Youth Camp

The young people of the Crowell Assembly of God Church are attending Youth Camp this week at Mountain View Assembly of God campgrounds near Tyler. Speakers for the camp are Max and David Sapp of Fort Worth. David ministers in music and is the author of the well-known song, "There Is a River."

Those attending camp from Crowell are Debra Daniel, Judy Daniel, Loyd Daniel, Cindy Black, Jana Glover, Rita Glover, Penny Winters, Delia De Los Santos, Sulema De Los Santos and Elton Argo of Hollis, Ok.

Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Argo are attending as counselors for the camp. Rev. Argo is pastor of the local Assembly of God Church.

## Wheat Loan Rate is \$1.40 Per Bushel

The loan rate for wheat in Foard County is \$1.40 per bushel, according to information published by the Foard County ASCS office last week. The rate is based on a national average loan rate of \$1.37 per bushel.

The local office added that loans are available for wheat stored in the warehouse or on the farm.

## Class Plans Reunion

The 30th anniversary reunion of the Crowell High School graduating class of 1945 will be held in Crowell the weekend of July 4th, and a large number of members of the class are expected to be here for the get-together. The class is also especially inviting graduates of 1944 and 1946 to join with them for the reunion.

On Saturday morning, July 5, coffee and donuts will be available at 10 a.m. with lunch served about 12:30. The Crowell community center will be the site of the reunion.

**Vanishing Farm Land**  
More than 160 million acres in the United States have gone out of farm production since the late 1800's. That's the equivalent of about three-fifths of the nation's harvested cropland today.



**CHURCH DEDICATION**—Gilbert Lankford, left, of Wichita Falls, and Ray Duckworth of Henrietta, right, pictured above as they visited with Charlie Cavin of Crowell at the dedication of the new First Baptist Church here Sunday afternoon. Mr. Lankford graduated from Crowell High School, and Mr. Duckworth was pastor of the Soil Conservation Service here for a number of years.

## Foard County News Has Eighty-Fifth Birthday

With this edition of the News, the county's oldest business institution enters its eighty-fifth year of service to Foard County.

It was back in 1891—the same year that the county was organized—that The Foard County News was established. The only scheduled issue to be missed

in recent times was the week following the tornado in April 1942, when mechanical difficulties caused by the tornado prevented the printing of one edition.

The late T. B. Klepper started working at the News in 1907. He served as publisher from 1929 until his death in 1966.

### A Personal Note from the Editor

We'll miss next week's issue. My family and I will be on North Padre Island at Port Aransas enjoying the sun, surf and fishing.

Dorothy is looking forward to returning as she has a date with Thomas Black, Recie Womack and Joe Smith to install a new dish washer and kitchen sink.

Jean and Veronica will have a well-deserved rest and we'll see you in the July 10 issue.

And a sincere thank you to our advertisers and subscribers.

Sincerely,

Bill



**GRASSES AT CHURCH DEDICATION**—Three former Crowell residents were here Sunday to attend the dedication of the new First Baptist Church here. They are Mr. and Mrs. I. T.

Graves of Lubbock, left, and Mrs. John Hakala of Fort Worth, the former Anna Lee Long of Crowell. All three are former members of the local congregation.



**DRUG STORE CHANGES HANDS**—Ray Shirley, left, and Fred Youree, center, are pictured above with the manager of the Theford Pharmacy in Crowell, David McAmis, who moved here last week as the

Shirley-Youree Drug was sold to Darrell Theford of Vernon. Mr. McAmis, a registered pharmacist, and his wife and son have moved here to make their new home.

# Overflow Crowd Attends First Baptist Church Dedication Service Sunday

An overflow crowd of members and former members from out of town, and visitors from other churches was present Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the dedication services of the new \$280,000 building of the First Baptist Church. The new structure is located on a block of land donated by C. M. and Elton Carroll on Highway 283 in the north part of Crowell.

Featured speaker for the dedication service was Dr. Carlos McLeod, pastor of First Baptist Church in Plainview and first vice president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. The pastor, Rev. Joe Ainsworth, welcomed the guests and introduced the speaker. Others having a part on the program were Warren Haynie, Edgar Jones, area missionary; Cecil Davis, W. F. Statter, Grady Halbert, and Richard Johnson.

Serving as music director was James Streit with Mrs. Walter Stapp as organist and Mrs. Edward Howard as pianist. In addition to choir music, eight young musicians playing various instruments accompanied the choir on one number. They were John Thomas, Jan Brown, Wade Davis, David Stapp, Mike Brown, Patsy Williams, Scott Streit and Jill Bell.

The new building contains approximately 12,500 square feet of space with 29 Sunday school rooms, library, kitchen and two offices. The auditorium has 33 pews of Appalachian red oak and 33 individual choir chairs. The auditorium will seat about 332 persons including the choir and overflow balcony.

The new building is of a light color tan brick and is topped by a white cupola with a spire that is lighted at night. With the exception of directly in front of the building, the entire lot is paved for parking area.

Chairman of the building committee for the new building was W. F. Statter while James Welch was building inspector. Other members of the building committee were Joe Don Brown, Cecil Davis, Marvin Myers and Larry Jones.

Grady Halbert was chairman of the finance committee and other members of the committee were Margaret Curtis, Joe Haynie, A. L. McGinnis, Jimmie Mack Gafford, Mrs. Glyndon Johnson, Mrs. Walter Stapp, Mrs. J. A. Marr, Mrs. John Glenn Halsell and Dick Todd. Warren Haynie served as chairman of the Together We Build Program held last year.

O'Neal Johnson was chairman of the dedication planning committee and serving with him were Dr. Walter Stapp, and Mmes. Lloyd Fox and Larry Jones.

Church History

The first organization, called the Beulah Baptist Church, was formed on Saturday before the first

Sunday in September, 1889. This organization consisted of the following charter members: Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Womack, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Raney, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gee, Mrs. N. A. Crowell, Mrs. Lena Ashford, Misses Ollie and Virgie Raney, and Oliver Raney.

This church group worshipped in a small school building located about two miles southwest of Crowell. The first church clerk was R. P. Womack. The church chose the following members—R. P. Womack, M. L. Raney and George Crowell—as delegates to attend the Red Ford Association in Vernon.

The first members received by baptism were the following: Eugene Womack, George T. Crowell, Ida Womack (Reavis), Emily Hardesty and Eva Searcy. The members of the church agreed to change the name from the Beulah Baptist Church to the Sand Rock Baptist Church.

On June 27, 1891, after Foard County was organized and the town of Crowell was established, the church agreed to move its organization to Crowell and to change the name to the Crowell Baptist Church. For a short time the Baptists and the Methodists held a union Sunday school until the Baptists organized one of their own. Worship services were held on alternate Sundays in the old Crowell College building, the first public school building in Crowell. The Methodists held their Sunday school in the morning, and the Baptists held theirs in the afternoon.

Rev. J. W. Crutcher was pastor and assisted in the organization of the first church. Rev. Morgan was the first pastor after the church became known as the Crowell Baptist Church.

In these early years of hard times, adjusting to the new and barren country was not easy. In its struggle for existence, the church had an outstanding leader, a rugged pioneer, D. J. Collins, who was the chief support of the church. His name always headed every subscription list. Some of his descendants, the children of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Statter, are fifth generation members of the church now. Miss Ollie Raney was the first organist and served faithfully for many years.

In 1896 during the years that Dr. J. W. Grace was pastor, the first church building was erected on the site of the one just vacated. It was a plain pine structure, seating about two hundred people. There were home-made benches and an organ; these were used for many years. Much of the construction was supervised by an expert German craftsman, Peter Bendinger, who made his home with the pastor. The handwork was done by Mr. Bendinger, who also built the pulpit stand, all hand carved. The membership was very proud of his

work. This old pulpit stand is in the Junior Department now.

During the first pastorate of J. E. Billington, about 1910, the old frame building was torn down and a tabernacle built of the old material on the rear of the lot. Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin, who was formerly Miss Grace Self, held her first church-elected office as pianist in the Old Tabernacle. She and Claude McLaughlin were married in the Old Tabernacle, in 1915, with Dr. A. C. Gettys as officiant.

In 1921, during his second pastorate, a large brick building was erected at an initial cost of \$60,000. This debt was retired in 1930. Through the years a pastor's home (the present one is the fourth) has been maintained. O. L. Savage was pastor in 1934 when the auditorium was completed, including the addition of pews and other equipment. As time passed many rooms were finished and furnished through the efforts of different classes and departments.

During the late 1920's and the early 1930's, the church had its own orchestra which was an asset to the music program of the church. The following musicians were in the orchestra: Mrs. Arnold Rucker, pianist (Ella served as church pianist for many years), Arnold Rucker, Ed McDaniel, Paul Wallace, Leonard Solomon, Walton Wallace, Mrs. Alva Spencer, and Ernest C. King.

In 1942, a tornado completely destroyed the brick building. For awhile the members worshipped in the Rialto Theatre and the public school building. However, no time was lost in clearing away the rubbish. Through the untiring efforts of the pastor, W. B. Fitzgerald, the new building was speedily on its way. Gradually the church was furnished and the property improved.

In the fall of 1968, the Foard City Baptist Church disbanded, and the members united with First Baptist Church, Crowell. Early in 1969, after the sale of the church property, they purchased pew cushions for the auditorium. The Foard City members also contributed a generous sum toward a cooling system for the fellowship hall and the kitchen.

Through the years from 1889 to the present, the following men have served as pastors: J. W. Crutcher, Rev. Morgan, Dr. J. W. Grace, Dr. J. J. Barnett, J. L. Hawkins, J. F. Leake, H. A. Goodwin, T. W. Stator, R. D. Cross, J. E. Billington, A. C. Gettys, G. E. Burton, R. E. Watson, F. C. Dick, A. C. Gettys (second time), J. B. Henderson, J. E. Billington (second time), S. A. Taylor, E. L. Mayfield, W. W. Smith, O. L. Savage, W. B. Fitzgerald, Otis Strickland, N. B. Moon, Bernard Franklin, C. T. Aly, Glenn Willson, John Gillispie and Joe Ainsworth.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Stapp

were instrumental in starting a church library in 1961. Many people have worked many hours to make the library a good place to browse, to read, and/or to study. The library has proved to be an asset to the church's ministry. Mrs. E. C. King was the first church librarian.

(This church history was taken from the Foard County history book, They Loved the Land.—Editor.)

## Letter to Editor

Dear Friend:

The 64th Session of the Legislature has come to a close and it is with regret that we appropriated practically all of the balance that the State had when we convened. The salary increase for school teachers that was appropriated amounted to 650 million dollars. The Bill was written to such an extent that it limits the amount of local school assignments that can be made and in checking all of the school districts in my 15 Counties, it is my understanding that the local school taxes will not be increased from this Bill. However, there were laws on the books that already brought about a small increase in the school taxes.

During the course of the debate on school financing, there were a number of school superintendents from my district in Austin and they were very helpful in this matter. Mr. Bill Baker, Superintendent of Schools of Knox City had served several years ago on the "Committee of Eighteen" and I consider him to be an expert in this field. He was a great help not only to me but to the speaker in the final drafting of the school legislation. We hope to have a large meeting in July of School Board Members, School Superintendents and the County Courts and other interested people to try to acquaint everyone with the serious problems that confront us two years from now in school financing.

The Legislature submitted a complete new Constitution and according to the Fiscal Note issued by the comptroller Bob Bullock, if adopted, could cost the State a billion dollars more per year in revenue. I am opposed to the entire new Constitution and trust that you will join me at the polls on it.

We also passed a Public Utilities Commission but the cities will not be in it unless they vote themselves into it and then they can vote themselves out of it in five years.

There were a number of other pieces of legislation passed but these are the most important as far as my District is concerned. I have voted in a way that I thought would be of the most benefit to my entire District and trust that you concur with me.

The speech that I made with reference to the school financing was published in the Journal and if you would like to receive a copy of it, you may write to my office in Austin and it will be forwarded to you.

Hoping to see you in the near future.

Sincerely,  
W. S. "Bill" Heatly

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## News from... Truscott Gilliland Jim Cumley

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adcock visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Binion in Chillicothe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corder will be in Abilene a few days this week celebrating the 35th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryant. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant are former residents of Truscott.

Jacquelyn Brown and Louis Lee Baty are back from the 4-H Teen-Leader Lab held in Brownwood last week.

Visiting in the Charles Burton home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Bryant of Hobart, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Slim Ramsey, and John Isbel, of Paducah. Johnny Burton of Benjamin came up Sunday.

Guests in the Curtis Casey home Tuesday were Rev. Claude Harris of Eastland and his grandson, Patrick, of Dallas.

Crowell's new Methodist minister, Rev. Aaron Mitchell, will also be preaching at the Truscott Methodist Church. He started on the 22nd of June. All members are asked to attend.

Martha and Lynn Cash went to Wichita Falls last weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin, who have a new baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bullion went to Eastland last week and bought a car.

Fred and Phil Cook are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cook from Abilene Christian College.

Mrs. J. H. Cumley is in Dallas this week visiting.

Visiting in the W. T. Cook home last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Winstead of Seymour, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis and Sandra of Wichita Falls.

Mmes. Guynn Hickman, N. L. Looney, and Kay Gray visited Rachel Taylor in the Wichita Falls General Hospital.

Visiting Mrs. H. P. Gillespie during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chowning of Seymour, Mrs. L. L. English of Wichita Falls, and Mary Lane of Upland, Ca.

Guests in the W. H. Haynie home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hennan of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Venta Horne took her grandson, Wade Carter, home to Fort Worth Wednesday and stayed until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Patterson and children of Wichita Falls spent the weekend in the John Jamison home.

Mrs. C. A. Meek went to Wichita Falls Friday and spent the night with Darlene Meek.

Visitors in the W. H. Simmons home this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Horne and Melissa of Plainview. Melissa will be staying the week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horne.

Mrs. Arnold Navratil visited Mrs. Bryce Meers in Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shook of Wichita Falls visited in the Elmo Shaw home over the weekend.

Visiting in the Ronnie Simmons home last weekend was Craig Smith of Odessa.

A guest of Mrs. E. D. Welch this weekend was Brad Jones of Vienna, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom

### LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED FOR NEXT TWO WEEKS

The Little League schedule of games missed during the regular season has been announced by LL President L. H. Wall as follows:

Tuesday, July 1: 6:30, Mill vs. Bank and at 8 p. m. the Elevator and VFW will play.  
Friday, July 4: 6:30, VFW vs. Elevator; 8:00, Bank vs. Mill.

Tuesday, July 8: 6:30, Mill vs. VFW; 8:00, Bank vs. Elevator.

Friday, July 11: 6:30, Elevator vs. Bank; 8:00 VFW vs. Mill.

The Crowell all-star team, to be selected later, will be playing in the Seymour tournament. Crowell plays Monday at 7:30 p. m. July 14. Seymour and Knox City play at 5 p. m. the same day and the winners of these two games will play at 7:30 p. m., July 15.

In Tuesday night's action, in the first game, the Bank tied Farmers Elevator 10-10, with the game played under protest from the third inning on. A decision on the game will be made by the LL officials.

In the second game of the night, VFW won its first game of the season defeating Foard County Mill 11-10 behind the power hitting of Lonnie Mitchell, who connected for three home runs in the game for VFW, one of them being a grand slam.

Westbrook went to Wichita Falls over the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Chapman and Renee Westbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Dale James of Paducah came by Sunday.

Harold, Jill and Carl Myers went to Lubbock last weekend. Harold and Carl visited with their brother, Bill, and Jill will be visiting Roxanne Perdue.

Saturday, Mrs. A. R. Bayers went to Seymour and visited Ola Barker and Ruby Coy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath Jr. attended a family reunion at Mansfield Park south of Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bullion and Gail went to Plainview Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bullion.

Sunday, June 29, there will be a singing jamboree at the Gilliland Baptist Church. The fun starts at 7:30 p.m. and everyone is invited to attend.

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## Reunion Beseet by Weather Problems

The best-laid plans of the annual Black-Whitley reunion scheduled for last weekend went awry because of the weather and when it was all over two reunions were held.

The reunion was scheduled to be held at Quartz Mountain Park north of Altus Sunday and Thomas Black of Crowell had been designated to go to the park Saturday to occupy a shelter at the park and hold it for the reunion. He and Mrs. Black and granddaughter, Lisa Harris, of Crowell, and Mr. Black's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Becknauld and twin sons, Robbie and Ronnie, of Carrollton went to the park Saturday to occupy the shelter.

Mr. Black reported this week that the rain started falling about 7 o'clock Saturday night, and it rained, and it rained, and about 1 a.m. Sunday, high water covered the concrete slab of the shelter and the families left the park. The Blacks started south of Altus en route back to Crowell. However, high water blocked Highway 283 and forced them to return to Altus where they found a room in a motel after discovering many of the motels already filled up. The Becknauld family had to find a room in another motel, and early that morning, they got up and went on back to Carrollton, thinking that the reunion had been rained out.

From Altus, Thomas called his brother, Walter Black, in Wichita Falls about 4 a.m. Sunday to tell him about the situation at the park. Walter told Thomas that two of his sons and their families were

en route to the park already there and Thomas to go back park and see about it. However, the two boys, Mr. and Mrs. Carl of Bowie were spending night with her aunt and Mr. and Mrs. Black were in a motel in Amarillo. Altus because of the highway.

Walter then at Sunday called Mr. and Mrs. Pat McDaniel in Crowell and they got word to bring food to the community center reunion, and a large did show up.

Meanwhile, back at Mountain Lodge shelter Sunday morning the water subsided above mentioned persons who got word that Mrs. Levannah Black of Albuquerque, N. M. and Mrs. J. W. White had missed the reunion. Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Whitley and Mr. and Mrs. Whitley of Amarillo.

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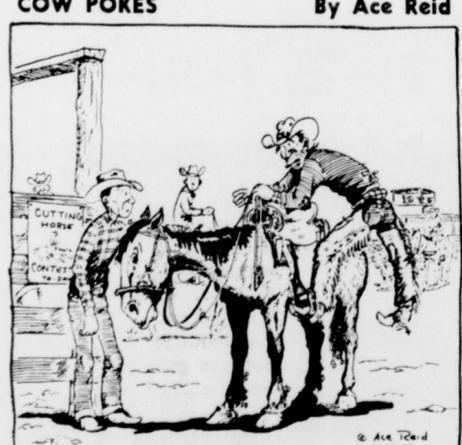
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**COW POKES** By Ace Reid



"It jist ain't fair, they eliminated me and ol' Blaze 'cause of our looks—said we wuz unnerving the other contestants!"

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Meet Your Neighbor:

*Valeria Sollis*

By PATRICIA MASTERMAN  
 Globe-News Staff Writer



Mrs. J.W. Sollis

likes her job. There's a lot of satisfaction working around schools, teachers and the children," says Mrs. J.W. Sollis, administrative secretary of the Potter County schools. Mrs. Sollis is secretary to County School Superintendent H.A. ... Mrs. Sollis spends her working hours in a ... office in the county courthouse. Teachers ... other school employees visit and telephone the office ... Mrs. Sollis shares their concerns for the 625 pupils of Highland Park common consolidated school district ... the 302 pupils of the Bushland common consolidated school district. ... Mrs. Sollis works under Superintendent Wallace's ... with three school boards—the Potter County ... the Bushland school board and the Highland ... school board. Highland Park is east of Amarillo, and ... west of Amarillo. ... school employs thirty persons—teachers, ... and custodians. Highland Park school ... offers grades from kindergarten through the ninth ... Pupils from Highland Park attend Caprock High ... in Amarillo for their senior high school work, and ... students attend Tascosa High School in ...

With the renovation in the blueprint stage now, the plan is to have the construction work completed by next September, Mrs. Sollis said. Dedicated to school work, Mrs. Sollis came to her position with Potter County from the Amarillo Independent School District. She worked three and a half years in the office of Robert E. Lee School. Earlier, she was administrative secretary for the superintendent of the Petersburg Independent School District, south of Plainview. Before working at Petersburg, she was a worker in the business office of the Abernathy Independent School District. She went to work at Abernathy after spending 1959-60 keeping books for an aircraft company at Olney. The firm, which is no longer at Olney, manufactured crop-dusting planes. Her two sons are graduates of the high school at Petersburg. John Sollis, Jr., is now a junior high school principal at McLean. Wendell Sollis is a student at West Texas State University in Canyon, where he is studying animal sciences with a view toward a career related to park ranger work. There are three grandsons. John W. Sollis III lives at McLean. Lance and Ricky Sollis live in Canyon. "Really my family has been my hobby," Mrs. Sollis says. She's done decoupage. She sews. She covers furniture. Her friends say she's a good cook. Her principal membership is her affiliation with her church—the interfaith chapel she attends near the Texas State Technical Institute campus, east of the Amarillo Air Terminal complex. Formally, she's affiliated with the United Methodists, but the TSTI Mid-Continent Campus is close to her home and close to her husband's work. J.W. Sollis, like his wife, is involved in education. He is director of student services at TSTI. Their home is on the TSTI campus at 804 Adobe. With her husband on the staff of TSTI, one son a school administrator and another son a university student, Mrs. Sollis surely finds her dedication to schools in good company when she's with her family. And that family—especially three grandsons—is a hobby enough for a woman who enjoys children.

Two Accidents Investigated in County

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated two accidents on rural highways in Foard County during the month of May, according to Sergeant Billy Dean, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area. These crashes resulted in no persons killed and no persons injured. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first five months of 1975 shows a total of five accidents resulting in no persons killed and two persons injured. The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for May, 1975, shows a total of 524 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 310 persons injured as compared to May, 1974, with 406 accidents resulting in 25 persons killed and 218 persons injured. This was 118 more accidents, eight less killed, and 92 more injured in 1975 at the same period of time. The 17 traffic deaths for the month of May, 1975, occurred in the following counties: one each in Baylor, Parker, Terry, Yoakum, Moore, Swisher; two each in Clay and Armstrong; three in Potter; and four in Wilbarger.

Lake Copper Breaks Stocked With Muskie

A Great Lakes and Canadian game fish, the Muskie, initiated the new Lake Copper Breaks last Friday evening to become the first new inhabitants in this area's virgin lake. The one and a half inch fish were raised from fingerlings at the Tyler state fish hatchery and stocked here by Jack Crabtree, primary program leader for Pike and Muskies for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission's Tyler facility. Crabtree arrived at the State Park shortly after sundown Friday and was greeted by a crowd of onlookers from the Quanah, Crowell area. State Park Superintendent Bob Martin helped Crabtree in releasing the Muskie. About an hour was required to complete the job since the temperature and chemistry of the water in the plastic containers had to be gradually changed to be the same as the lake water before final release. Crabtree pointed out that this is an experimental program, the success of which remains to be determined. Department fisheries biologists regard Copper Breaks Lake as an excellent stocking location and consider chances for survival by the Muskie to be very good. Muskies reach a size of 70 pounds in their native Great Lakes and Canada range and are expected to grow as much as four pounds each year. The objective, Crabtree pointed out, is to provide a trophy fishery and it is expected that a minimum in size limit of 30 inches or more will be in effect when the lake is open to fishing. The fish were provided by a Federal Fish hatchery in North Dakota. The Muskie is a close relative of the Northern Pike which have been successfully stocked in Greenbelt Lake at Clarendon. A new state record of 17 pounds, 5 ounces recently came from Lake Greenbelt and Muskies reach a larger size than the Pike. Jack Kraai, fisheries management biologist, will assist local parks division personnel in determining the opening dates for fishing in Copper Breaks Lake. Later this year the lake will be stocked with Big Mouth Bass, Hybrid Perch and Channelcat. Construction on the Copper Breaks Lake is in its final stages this week with contractor Cooper and Woodruff of Amarillo placing the large granite type rock along the top edges of the dam. The lake caught its first water from springs in the bottom of the Devil's Creek Canyon but in recent weeks runoff water has expanded the area of the lake and brought the depth up to some eleven feet in the main channel. When completely full, Lake Copper Breaks will be 40 feet deep at the dam and will back water about a mile and a half up Devil's Creek. Martin said that it will be at least a year and possibly a year and a half before the lake is open to fishing. prices on the increase, therefore, any reduction in costs are beneficial. With the current demand for more food production the parallel system allows more cultivatable land to be used that is presently lost to excessive ponding of water in inadequate terrace systems. A horizontal distance between terraces allows an even number of rows to be cultivated, whether on 80, 120, or 160 foot intervals. These intervals allow surface runoff water to be intercepted more evenly and carried if needed to a stable outlet at a non-erosive velocity. Any terrace system not serving the purpose designed for, whether it be lack of maintenance resulting in broken terraces, or improper grade can be more detrimental than no terraces at all. Water concentrating to a given point and allowed to empty into an unsuitable outlet results in severe gully erosion. Several landusers in the Foard County Soil and Water Conservation District, with assistance from the Soil Conservation Service, are presently in the process of constructing a parallel system on their farms. They are Floyd Borchardt, Cecil Ingle, J. A. Marr, Jeff Bell, Leon Speer, Henry Black and W. N. Chatfield.



PARALLEL TERRACES

By Thomas Shinn  
 Parallel terraces continue to be the most economical means of preventing soil erosion and conserving moisture, in addition to fitting the needs for modern day farming equipment. There are many advantages of parallel terraces in comparison to conventional terraces. Terraces constructed parallel, whether graded or level, allows faster and easier cultivation by elimination of point rows, less turning on crops, allows more moisture to be conserved, and less erosion damage and loss. Reduced soil losses results in less pollution and sedimentation of the ponds, lakes and streams below. Also a more efficient operation can be carried out with modern multi-row equipment. A high efficiency operation becomes more important with current

Hospital Admissions, Dismissals

- Patients Admitted:**  
 Mrs. Baylor Weathered  
 Mrs. Billy Bond  
 Mrs. Jack Roberts  
 Mrs. Floyd Roberson  
 Cornelia McDaniel  
 Mrs. J. W. Martin  
 Mrs. Charlie Bartley  
 Mrs. Clarence Cook  
 Mrs. Jack Walker  
 Mrs. Fred Youree  
 Mrs. Audie Henry
- Patients Dismissed:**  
 Leonard Tole  
 Mrs. W. T. Hollaway  
 Mrs. Houston Adkins  
 C. H. Laquey  
 Roy Fox  
 Mrs. Henry Faske, Jr.  
 Mrs. Willie Vessel  
 Eunice Wilkins  
 Charles Machac  
 Mrs. James S. Owens, Jr.  
 Laura Hilburn  
 Johnny Dorsey, Vernon  
 Mrs. R. L. Walling,  
 Paducah  
 Mrs. Cecil Dunn  
 Mrs. Earnest Anderson  
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 Mrs. Henry Fish  
 Mrs. Georgia Russell  
 Rev. W. L. Posey

COMMUNITY MARKETS FOR VEGETABLES

Community markets for fresh fruits and vegetables can benefit both producers and consumers, says a fruit and vegetable marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Such markets allow consumers to purchase fresh produce at reasonable prices while providing producers with outlets for surplus items without going through a middleman. Community markets have three requirements: growers interested in selling, an easily accessible facility, and consumers interested in buying fresh farm produce.

Drive Defensively—Avoid a Fatal Fourth

Public Safety, reminds Texas motorists that there is no remedy in remorse following an accident—remorse for one's own carelessness or for having failed to guard against the other fellow's. Alertness is the key to traffic safety, and the length of this year's July 4 three-day weekend emphasizes this fact. Motorists will utilize the extra time to make longer trips. Many will travel on unfamiliar highways, and may become confused or hesitant. Couple this with increased local traffic and the regular mid-summer influx of vacation drivers, and July Fourth traffic will be of rush hour volume. So stay on top of traffic and road conditions, follow at safe distances, and above all, watch out for the other guy! Use your seat belts and shoulder harnesses, and don't forget to protect the children. They can be thrown violently in an accident, and need the protection offered by these safety restraints. While on the subject of juvenile travelers, don't let the children distract the driver. Youngsters get bored easily on long trips, and need books, games or small toys—something that can be safely enjoyed in the back seat—to keep them occupied. Give them a chance to appreciate this holiday and many more to come. Without your concern, the Fourth can be fatal—either to you, your loved ones, or your fellow motorist. Next year's Bicentennial Fourth of July promises to be spectacular. Texas's safety organizations hope you'll all be around for it.

You'd never guess how Mommy used this skillet.

- Check one:  she fried chicken in it.  
 she chased a stray dog with it.  
 she beat her child with it.
- To prevent child abuse, call toll free:  
 1-800-292-5400
- STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

**NOTICE!**  
 Continually rising costs of operation force the following increases in rates:  
 from \$9.00 for 9,000 gallons of water (minimum) to \$11.00 for 9,000 gallons.  
 \$1.00 increase on all sewer and garbage rates.  
 These new rates will become effective on the bills sent out on July 1.

CITY COUNCIL  
 CITY OF CROWELL

**MONEY** we spend away from home does not help pay taxes in our community, and it's obvious that come next year somebody must make up the difference...

**Guess Who...**

About one-third of every dollar we spend goes to help pay the **RUNNING** expenses—and the **GROWING** expenses—of some American community... **OUR** community, if we spend that dollar at home... **SOMEBODY ELSE'S** community, if we spend the dollar where **HE** lives.

When a dollar leaves home that could just as well **OR BETTER** have been spent here... the part of it that helps support the community goes along, too, of course. And our own community tax pot has less money in it.

But schools and roads and streets, churches and local charities, police and fire protection, ... all of the normal necessities and conveniences of community life... go on costing about the same.

So... with community expenses the same, and community income **LESS**... who makes up the difference? **WE DO.** You might say it's sort of like paying taxes **TWICE**... once for the other fellow... and then going down in our pockets to pay them again... for ourselves.

**It Pays to Buy Where You Live**

This Trade-at-Home Ad Sponsored Jointly by:

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 Sollis notes  
 this school year  
 the Bushland  
 school began  
 offering high  
 grade classes  
 —including  
 homemaking,  
 science, and  
 Mr. and Mrs.  
 Highland Park  
 already had  
 ninth-graders  
 before the year.  
 during the summer  
 months, Mrs.  
 Sollis said, the  
 school will  
 enlarge its  
 cafeteria and  
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# WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE YOU.

Any suggestion you could give us regarding the things you want and need in your community pharmacy would be greatly appreciated.

Due to volume buying we are able to offer reduced prices competitive with discount pharmacies in surrounding towns. We hope you will compare and give us the opportunity to prove why the name THEDFORD has come to mean quality and value for your prescription dollar.

## This week's Special Values:

MAALOX—12 oz.....	\$1.00
TYLENOL TABLETS—100.....	\$1.20
GAVISCON FOAMTABS—100.....	\$3.00

Prices good thru Saturday.

Limit of two of each per customer please.

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PHARMACIST, DAVID McAMIS

**SONALS**

Always welcome —  
First Christian Church,  
Crowell, 35-tfc

Mr. Ed Mechell visited  
Monday in Seymour with  
Mrs. Gloria Hernandez.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley  
Womack of Dennison visited  
relatives and friends in  
Crowell a short time  
Monday. Dr. Womack was  
reared in Crowell and is an  
optometrist in Dennison.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King  
of Amarillo visited Mr. and  
Mrs. Joe Smith and attended  
the First Baptist Church  
dedication services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar  
Hilburn of Lubbock have  
been here visiting their  
mothers, Mrs. Ed Hilburn  
and Mrs. Madge Waites.

Jimmy Raspberry has  
returned to his home at  
Lubbock after spending  
several days here visiting his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B.  
Raspberry, and helping them  
in the wheat harvest.

Clyde Hollingsworth of  
Sweetwater and Jim Hines  
Carter of Wichita Falls  
visited Sunday afternoon  
with Tom Greening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry  
Bridges of Canyon spent the  
weekend here visiting Mrs.  
Bridges' parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Beverly Gray.

Thelma Crafton of  
Houston is here visiting her  
brother, Don Crafton, and  
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton  
Kubicek and Mrs. Lonnie  
Halencak and Jimmy of  
Rayland attended the  
wedding of their niece and  
cousin, Miss Irene Rekieta,  
and Ben Blount of Paducah  
Saturday, June 14. The  
wedding was held at St.  
Elizabeth Catholic Church in  
Paducah.

Scratch pads, assorted  
sizes and colors, 15c per  
pkg.—News office.

**AFTER BAPTISM WHAT?**  
"Pure religion and undefiled before God..."  
is who wants to be saved eternally certainly needs  
that God demands that he practice pure religion,  
as the Spirit James wrote that "pure religion  
undefiled before God and the Father is this, to visit the  
orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep  
unspotted from the world." James 1:27. Let us  
read this scripture together.

Week end visitors in the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat  
McDaniel included Mr. and  
Mrs. Grady McDaniel and  
children, Lori Ann and Jim,  
of Wichita Falls; Mrs.  
Herman Knight and Kevin of  
Quanah; and Mr. and Mrs.  
Charlie McDaniel and  
daughters, Vicki, Kay, and  
Terri, of Crowell.

Ken Lanyon and family of  
Dallas and Mrs. Winnie  
Lanyon of Amarillo visited  
over the weekend with Mrs.  
C. C. McLaughlin, the  
George Self family and Mrs.  
Maude Hinds and attended  
the dedication of the First  
Baptist Church building.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan  
Callaway of Snyder visited  
relatives and friends in  
Crowell Sunday and attended  
dedication services for the  
new building of the First  
Baptist Church.

Fredrick Youree of Dallas  
was a weekend visitor here  
with his parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred Youree.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hitt  
and daughter, Cindy, of  
Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. C.  
E. Carmichael and two  
children of Lubbock spent  
the weekend here visiting  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Zeibig  
and attended the dedication  
services for the new First  
Baptist Church building.

When honey is substituted  
for sugar in puddings,  
custards and pie fillings,  
breads and rolls, use cup for  
cup. In cakes and cookies,  
use seven-eighths cup honey  
for one cup sugar and reduce  
liquid three tablespoons for  
each cup of honey substitut-  
ed. Unless sour milk or  
cream is used in the recipe,  
add one-fourth to one-half  
teaspoon baking soda per  
cup of honey. Frances  
Reasonover, foods and  
nutrition specialist with the  
Texas Agricultural Extension  
Service, The Texas A&M  
University System, advises.

Index cards, 3x5, 4x6, and  
5x8.—News office.

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Classes 10:00 a. m.  
Bible Study and  
Devotional  
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Mr. and Mrs. Wayne  
Ryder and children from  
Marblehill, Ga., have been  
here visiting her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Love.  
Mrs. Ryder was the former  
Virginia Love. Also visiting  
were Bobby Dee Powers  
from Thalia, Mr. and Mrs.  
Jack Edwards, Mr. and Mrs.  
Steve Edwards and children  
from Colorado City, Sonny  
Edwards from Big Spring,  
Mrs. Billie Haston and  
children from Odessa, Mr.  
and Mrs. Robert Love and  
children from Fort Sumner,  
N.M., and Cotton Love of  
Burk Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie  
Kubicek, Rhonda and Ricky,  
of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs.  
Richard Kubicek and Lynn of  
Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie  
Belcher, Mike and John  
and Mrs. Frank Halencak, Mrs.  
Lonnie Halencak Jr. and girls, Mr.  
and Mrs. Adolf Kubicek and  
Mary of Vernon, Mrs. Lonnie  
Halencak Sr. and Jimmy of  
Rayland, Mr. and Mrs. B. J.  
Halencak of Margaret, Mrs.  
Robert Williams of  
Oklahoma, Sgt. Adolf  
Kubicek Jr. of New Mexico  
attended the barbecue  
dinner at the Anton Kubicek  
home at Rayland Sunday,  
June 15.

Miss Jennifer Melton of  
Comanche, Ok., is spending  
this week here visiting her  
grandparents, Rev. and Mrs.  
Aaron Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Teague  
have returned home after a  
two weeks visit in Phoenix,  
Ariz., with their daughter,  
Mrs. Linda Williams and  
family. Their grandson,  
Stacy Williams, returned to  
Crowell for a visit with his  
grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig  
Sandlin of St. Croix, Virgin  
Islands, spent from Saturday  
until Wednesday here  
visiting his brother, James  
Sandlin, and wife. Another  
brother, Merl Sandlin and  
wife of Houston spent the  
weekend visiting in the  
Sandlin home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley  
Stein of Quito, Ecuador,  
South America, are here  
visiting Mrs. Stein's sister,  
Mrs. Kenneth Fox, and  
family.

Billie Short of Kinsley,  
Kansas, is visiting his  
mother, Mrs. Flora Short and  
sister, Mrs. Ruth Ellen  
McBeath and children.  
Rev. and Mrs. Wallace  
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**ASCS Gives  
Information  
to Farmers**

Friday, June 20, was the  
final date for Foard County  
farmers to plant cotton with  
expectation of making a  
normal crop.

The local ASCS office says  
that any farmer who is  
prevented from planting due  
to abnormal weather or other  
conditions beyond their  
control, should file an  
application for prevented  
planting and disaster  
payment by July 7.

The ASCS office also said  
that "If you have planted  
your cotton and it has been  
destroyed by rain, wind or  
other natural disaster and  
you have not been able to  
replant, you must report this  
acreage within 15 days from  
the disaster to be eligible for  
disaster payment. This  
acreage must be reported  
before any other use is made  
of the land.

"All acres planted to  
cotton must be reported to  
this office by July 15th to  
qualify for any possible  
deficiency or disaster  
payments."

**News from...  
THALIA  
Maggie  
Capps**

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Boren  
of Commerce spent the  
weekend with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan,  
Ronnie and Glenna. Glenna  
was ill in the home over the  
weekend.

Mrs. Mary McAnally and  
Ronny Evanson of Abilene  
spent the weekend with their  
sister and mother, Mrs. Joe  
Evanson, Joe and Rosanna.  
Sunday visitors of Mr. and  
Mrs. Evanson and family  
were Mr. and Mrs. Ray  
Evanson of Lake Kemp.

Little Miss Rosanna  
Evanson spent Thursday  
night with Bonnie and Bettie  
Cox in Crowell. It was her  
first overnight visit away  
from home.

Mrs. Charlie Lawhorn of  
Spring Valley, Ca., and her  
sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie  
Rush of South Vernon visited  
their aunt, Mrs. Clyde Self  
and husband Friday. Mrs.  
Maggie Capps visited them  
in the Self home. Mrs.  
Rush's sister, Mrs. Blanch  
Lawhorn Key of Frederick,  
visited in the Rush home  
Friday also.

Mrs. Beverly Railsback and  
her daughter-in-law, Mrs.  
Scott Railsback and baby  
daughter, Emily, of  
Amarillo spent Saturday  
night with Mr. and Mrs.  
Clyde Self. They went to  
Dallas Sunday morning to  
visit there.

Guests in the home of Mrs.  
Jim Moore and Bob over the  
weekend included her  
brother, Ralph Hudgens of  
Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake  
Wisdom and girls visited Mr.  
and Mrs. Will Wisdom and  
family of Farmers Valley,  
Sunday.

Mrs. Jake Wisdom  
attended dedication services  
of the new Baptist Church at  
Crowell, Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Capps  
visited Miss Emma Main in  
the Woods home Thursday.  
She also visited Mrs. Julia  
Swan and Mrs. Lottie Pittillo  
there.

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**Little League  
Action Nearing  
Season's End**

As of last Friday night,  
after six full nights of Little  
League baseball action, the  
Crowell State Bank is in the  
lead with a 6-0 record. Foard  
County Mill and Farmers  
Elevator are tied for second  
with 3-3 records and VFW  
has no wins in six starts.  
League action is four games  
behind the schedule: two  
nights of action were  
postponed because of the  
harvest rush, and rainy,  
stormy weather has forced  
the postponement of two  
more nights' games.

In what is probably the  
closest ball game played thus  
far, the Farmers Elevator  
eked out a 6-5 win over Foard  
County Mill last Friday night  
in the early game. John  
Henry McGee struck out nine  
Elevator batters and limited  
them to one run during the  
first 4 innings. A fifth inning  
surge of 4 runs together with  
1 more in the sixth, however,  
gave the Elevator the win.

Robert Newman handled the  
pitching chores for the  
Elevator and struck out 10  
batters. Scoring the Elevator  
runs were David Dunn,  
Ruben Santos, Carl Field,  
Elbert Sparkman, Richard  
Westbrook and Eddie  
Kuehn.

For the Mill, McGee  
scored 2 runs including a  
home run in the sixth inning.  
Jeff Walker, Freddie Mack  
Collins and Quinton Gafford  
each had 1 run.

In the late game, the Bank  
took a 23-1 win over VFW.  
Jeff Christopher, Bank  
pitcher the first inning,  
struck out 2 batters. Dan  
Klepper pitched 3 innings for  
the Bank and he struck out 7  
VFW batters. Lonnie  
Mitchell and Dan  
Wall were VFW pitchers in  
this game.

In action Tuesday night of  
last week, Crowell State  
Bank and Foard County Mill  
both won their games, each  
of them on a forfeit since  
VFW and Farmers Elevator  
had insufficient number of  
players present.

In the first game the score  
ended deadlocked 11-11. Dan  
Klepper hit two home runs  
for the Bank in this game  
with VFW. Daron Criss also  
scored 2 runs, while Larry  
Criss, Joe L. Brown, Jeff

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Christopher, Kim Baker,  
Kevin Baker, Eddie  
Rodriguez and Oneal Glover  
had 1 run each. For VFW,  
Bryan Whitman, Guy Todd  
III and John Halsell scored 2  
runs each. Tommy Russell,  
Dan Wall, Dirk Gentry,  
Lonnie Mitchell and Perry  
Lee Henry had 1 run apiece.  
Wall and Mitchell were VFW  
pitchers while Jeff  
Christopher and Klepper  
were on the mound for the  
Bank.

In the second game which  
the Mill won on a forfeit, the  
Elevator had scored 11 runs  
to the Mill's 4. For the  
Elevator, Carl Field had 3,  
Kim Baker 2, and Ruben  
Santos, John Halsell, Dan  
Klepper, Larry Criss, Daron  
Criss, and David Dunn 1  
each. Scoring the Mill's 4  
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## Couple Wed Here on Mon., June 9th Future Bride Honored at Shower

Wedding vows were repeated by Miss Barbara Pamela McCurley and Johnny Lee Harris in a double ring ceremony solemnized in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Warren Everson at 2 p.m. Monday, June 9. Rev. Everson officiated at the exchange of vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mildred Ferguson of Crowell. She attended Crowell and Pampa Schools.

The bridegroom is a son of the late John H. Harris, Jr. and is a grandson of Mrs. Eula Harris of Crowell. He attended Crowell School. Mr. Harris entered the Army in October, 1972, and is presently stationed at Fort Hood. The couple will make their home in Belton until October when Mr. Harris will be discharged.

### 4-H COUNTY COUNCIL

The 4-H County Council met to make plans for the 4-H Rally Day which will be June 26th. Connie Werley called the meeting to order and Karen Statter called the roll.

All 4-H and Junior Leaders are to meet at the Crowell gym at 11:30 a.m. After eating sack lunches, they will have such activities as volleyball, base ball, relay races and swimming. After this fun they are to have a hay ride to and from the Copper Breaks State Park. At the park they will have a cook-out and home made ice cream.

A big new supply of paper clips has arrived at the News office.

Mrs. Johnnie Cook of Gilliland honored Miss Paula Pendleton, bride-elect of Jacky Miller, with a kitchen shower Tuesday of last week. Everyone brought their favorite recipe and an old kitchen utensil, ready to discard as gag gifts.

Mrs. Cook carried out the kitchen setting by using a calico table cloth and served punch from old fashioned coffee pots. After viewing the gifts, the guests tied seed bags to use at the wedding.

Miss Pendleton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pendleton of Munday and parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Miller of Gilliland.

Hostesses for the shower were Mmes. E. D. Welch, J. T. Cook, Emil Navratil and Arnold Navratil, all of Gilliland.

### SENIOR CITIZENS MEET

The senior citizens met at a regular meeting Tuesday, June 24, with 28 present and one visitor, Mrs. Walter Stapp. Mrs. Stapp brought a devotional.

After lunch, Mrs. Allen Sanders and Mrs. Stapp had charge of the program with the group singing old time songs which were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Otis Moye received the door prize.

Plans are being made for the trip to see "Texas" at Palo Duro Canyon State Park on July 14.

A perfect birthday gift: a subscription to The Foard County News. Call 684-4311.

## Couple Feted on Sixtieth Anniversary

June 20, 1975, marked the sixtieth wedding anniversary for Finnie and Stella Tarver of Vernon and formerly of Thalia. The Tarvers were married June 20, 1915, at Red Springs. The couple moved to the Thalia community in 1916 and moved to Vernon in 1969.

They have 24 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. A family celebration was held Sunday, June 22, at the Tarver home at 918 Mansard Vernon. All of the Tarver children with the exception of Mrs. Deloyan May of Eastland were present.

Attending were Finnie and Stelle Morgan Tarver, Mr. and Mrs. Occie Tarver and boys of Thalia, Thelma Abel and Donna and Mr. and Mrs. Tyra Clar of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Milbern Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tarver and boys and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tarver of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tarver of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Graham.

The honored couple was presented with a money tree. A heart shaped wedding cake and punch were served.

## Attend Graduation Exercises

Commencement exercises were held in Hampton, Va., June 13 for the 600 graduates of Kecoughtan High School. Designated as an honor graduate was Miss Mary Cooper, granddaughter of Gordon Cooper of Crowell. She is the daughter of Colonel and Mrs. B. R. Cooper of Hampton.

Miss Cooper has been treasurer of the senior class and has been active in a variety of school and church activities. She plans to enroll in Virginia Tech for the fall semester.

Attending the ceremonies, in addition to her grandfather Cooper, were her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fairbank Sr. of Arlington, Va. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fairbank Jr. and sons and Rev. and Mrs. Robert O. Cooper of Dallas.

### HALL REUNION

The annual Hall reunion was held June 21-22 in Decatur with all the children of C. D. Hall of Crowell being present. Those from Crowell attending were Mr. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Carroll and Gene and April and Ray Don Werley.

The children, grandchildren and great grandchildren from out of town were Dana Lynn Carroll of Cee Vee, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Roberts of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stagg and Terri of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Venson Hall of Denton; Mrs. Hollis Reagan of Fort Worth; Mrs. Bruce Ledbetter and daughter, Reagan, of Dallas; Milton Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and son of Houston.

There were over 100 present. A church service and dinner were enjoyed Sunday.

### FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Laura Alma Hilburn and her children had a family reunion at Mrs. Hilburn's home in Crowell over the weekend.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Rose L. Hilburn of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Hilburn of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hilburn of Torrance, Ca., Lowell Hilburn and daughter, Kim Sparks and her daughter, Starley, of Oxnard, Ca., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilburn and Lowell of San Diego, Ca., Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Hollaway and Percy Hilburn of Crowell.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks to Dr. Stapp and the nurses at the hospital and to our friends for the cards and flowers received during Juanita's stay in the hospital. Willie and Juanita Vessel. 1-11c

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## SSI Check Hike Seen

Most people who are receiving Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) checks will get a raise in July, according to Kenneth R. King of the Vernon Social Security office.

In most cases the increase will be 8 percent, but in a few uncommon situations it may be more or less, especially for persons receiving Supplemental Security Income.

There is no need to apply for the increase. It will be automatic.

The increase is due to an automatic cost of living provision enacted by Congress sometime ago.

## Cub Scouts Plan Outing at State Park

Crowell Cub Scouts, along with other boys from the area, will have a Cub Country Day Saturday, June 28, at Copper Breaks State Park. The boys will register from 9 to 10 a.m. and the program will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This will be the first Cub Scout district outing to be held at the new state park north of Crowell.

## Jamboree at Truscott Set for July 5th

The second in the summer musical jamborees at Truscott will be held on Saturday night, July 5, Paul Bullion of Truscott announced this week.

The musicals draw large crowds to Truscott and proceeds from the sale of refreshments will go to the community center. Mr. Bullion added.

## Names Are Changed

With a stroke of his pen today, Governor Dolph Briscoe created the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. At the same time, the Texas Highway Department and the Texas Mass Transit Commission passed into history.

The Governor's signature on Senate Bills 761 and 762, passed by the 64th Legislature in its waning hours earlier this month, brought the new, unified organization into being.

"Public transportation systems, streets and highways are so obviously interrelated, it is in the public interest to place the responsibility in one entity," Reagan Houston, chairman of the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission, the policy making body of the new department, said.

There had been a separate state highway department and a separate mass transportation commission. The highway department had the authority to build, maintain and operate highway facilities. The mass transit commission, however, was limited to a planning and coordinating role.

Senate Bill 761, authored by Sen. Peyton McKnight of Tyler, grants the new department of highways and public transportation "all powers necessary" to effectively operate in the field of public transportation.

Mismanaging a special relationship may interfere with a person's ability to work or to concentrate on other matters or even to feel good about himself, Robert Dix, family life education specialist, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

## Hints for Homemaker

SALLY SOWELL  
Assistant County Extension Agent

Have you ever tried making sauerkraut at home? Try conserving that extra cabbage that you have in your garden or that you can buy at a reasonably low price during garden season this way.

This is how you can make sixteen to eighteen quarts of sauerkraut.

Start by removing the

## Felix Taylor Is Speaker at Rotary Club

Felix Taylor, executive director of the Economic Opportunities Advancement Corporation, was the speaker at the Wednesday, June 18, meeting of the Rotary Club of Crowell. Mr. Taylor told of the proposed change in regional planning agencies for this area. Every county or parish in the United States is a member of a planning commission, and it is through these commissions that a large part of the county government is now carried on.

Mr. Taylor told of the proposal by which 14 area small counties would band together to form a planning commission composed entirely of rural counties. At present, all the small counties are attached to a commission which has at least one large city as a member. In the case of Foard County, Wichita Falls is the dominant city in the North Texas Regional Planning Commission. In the proposed new commission, Childress would be the largest city and Haskell the largest county, population wise.

Mr. Taylor also told about some of the possibilities of city and county improvement which can become a reality through the redevelopment area designation Foard County has recently received.

He was introduced by Rotarian Bill Klepper. Visitors at the meeting in addition to Mr. Taylor were Rotarians Howard Bartley and Roy Sansom of Quanah.

Miss Karen Statter, who has served as Rotary sweetheart for the past three years, was presented a gift of luggage from the club. Miss Statter will be attending college this fall, and the new sweetheart for the club will be Miss Jill Bell.

## Tourism Is Big Business!

Have any folding money in your billfold or purse? Take it out, and look at it.

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### SUBSCRIPTIONS TO NEWS

Subscriptions to the News received since June 16 follow:

Trudy Bird, Lubbock; Billy Ray Dunn, Crowell; Charlie Huskey, Crowell; D. N. Gentry, Crowell; Bill Erwin, Vernon; C. S. Bartley, Crowell; David Bartoszek, Kent, Ohio; Mrs. Mary R. Minnich, Keyser, W. Va.; Norman Mills, Crowell; Fred Browder, Truscott; Ted Reeder, Crowell; Charles H. Dickerson, Crowell; Texas Highway Department, Childress; John Teague, Crowell; Renee Westbrook, Wichita Falls; Tom G. Westbrook, Truscott; Alyne Duman, Thermopolis, Wyo.; E. S. Kenner, Odessa; Mrs. Gale Stout, Fort Worth; Mary E. Calvert, Santa Paula, Ca.; F. A. Doc Wisdom, Westminster, Ca.; Billy Hammonds, Thalia; Rick Hammonds, Thalia.

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### WET-WEATHER BLIGHT ON COTTON

Ascochyta or wet-weather blight has hit a big part of the Texas cotton crop due to recent rains, cloudy weather and hail storms. The fungus disease can be identified by purple lesions on plant leaves. It can kill young plants early in the season, says a plant pathologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Older plants hit by the disease will shed their leaves and yields and fiber quality will be reduced. Hot, dry weather

will lessen the spread of the disease. Acid fungicide treatments should be planted to prevent problems. All cotton should be turned out harvesting if the disease is to be planted to next year.

The amount of water in the plastic bag can be adjusted to give just enough pressure to keep the fermenting cabbage covered with brine.

Formation of gas bubbles indicates fermentation is taking place. A room temperature of 68 degrees to 72 degrees is best for fermenting cabbage. It usually takes five to six weeks to complete the fermentation.

To store sauerkraut, heat it to a simmering temperature of 185 degrees to 210 degrees F. Do not boil it. Pack the hot sauerkraut into clean, hot jars and cover with hot juice to 1/2 inch of top of the jar. Put on the lid according to the manufacturer's directions. Process in a boiling water bath fifteen minutes for pints and twenty minutes for quarts. Start to count the processing time as soon as the hot jars are placed into the actively boiling water.

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### 30 Years Ago in The News

News items below were taken from the Thursday, June 21, 1945, issue of the Foard County News:

Three Foard County men, who have been prisoners of the Germans through the past months, arrived in the United States on June 11, were sent to Fort Sam Houston on June 15 and arrived in Crowell on June 17 and June 19. They are Sgt. Merl Sandlin, Lt. Tom A. Andrews and Sgt. Glendon Hays.

The Big 4 Ranch in Knox and Foard Counties will sell 40 head of horses at auction at the Vernon auction barn Friday, June 29. Selling will be 20 mares and colts, the colts being sired by a quarterhorse. 12 thoroughbred, registered yearling fillies sired by a government stallion, and a few saddle horses.

A good rain, coming from the northwest, fell here last night. The rain was greatly needed.

Effective July 1, 1945, the bounty on coyote pups will be fifty cents instead of one dollar and fifty cents. Heretofore there has been no distinction made as to the age of the coyote, however, at its regular session June 11, the commissioners court voted that although it would continue the payment of the bounty on coyotes, the bounty on coyote pups should be reduced to fifty cents each.

Deals have been closed within the last few days whereby business lots around the square on which the buildings were destroyed by the tornado have been sold. The Foard County Implement Co., owned by Ernest Johnson of Crowell and L. V. Anderson of Paducah have bought three lots from Ferguson Bros. on the southeast corner of the square where the Chevrolet building once stood. J. P. McPherson & Sons have bought four lots on the southwest corner of the square, and M. L. Hughston is the new owner of four lots where the Quick Service Station was operated on the northeast corner of the square.

Sgt. J. B. Eubank Jr. of Camp Bowie is home on a 14-day furlough visiting his parents and other relatives at Truscott.

Pvt. Charles S. Branch of the 7th Cavalry Regiment, has recently been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his splendid work in a recent campaign in the Philippines.

Jack Welch and family returned to their home in Eldorado Sunday after visiting several days here with relatives. Mr. Welch is county agent of Schleicher County.

Mrs. Melvin Moore of Sundown visited relatives at Margaret over the weekend. Her son, Billy Ray, who had been visiting here, returned home with her.

T-S Jesse Fred Collins is a member of the 1st Signal Battalion which was cited for the good job the outfit did in maintaining communications for the Seventh Army in Europe. He recently had a surprise visit with S-Sgt. Glen D. Goodwin in Munich, the first person he had met from home since he entered the service in July, 1942.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
The family of Alfred Maytek would like to thank the nurses, Dr. Stapp and our many friends who stood by us in our time of sorrow. Please accept our love and gratitude for the food and many kind words. May God bless each one of you.  
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**CARD OF THANKS**  
We want to thank all of our friends and relatives for all the prayers, calls, and food we received in the loss of our loved one.  
The family of  
Don Wayne Tole.

# The Foard County Agent Says...

Garland Wiemers  
Extension Service

A new bermudagrass, Callie bermudagrass, developed by the Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station, is receiving widespread recognition, and plantings are increasing throughout the southeastern United States. However, the new grass has not been released as a variety due to lack of sufficient animal performance data.

Planting material for the new grass has been distributed to more than 1,300 producers since 1972. Callie bermudagrass appears to do well in the same areas suited for Coastal bermudagrass. It has some cold tolerance as plantings have survived in southern Oklahoma and Missouri. However, its drought tolerance under Texas conditions has not been evaluated.

The new grass has a wider leaf and much larger stolons than Coastal. It is reported to be a good competitor with other grasses.

According to Mississippi tests, Callie is equal or superior to Coastal in yield of dry forage and similar in protein content when grown under the same conditions.

As with most grasses, a well prepared seedbed is important for successful establishment of Callie bermudagrass. Plantings of mature top growth have been successful and various means of planting have been used. Plantings have spread rapidly in tests, with sprigs on 10-foot spacings covering to a stand the first year and providing a hay harvest the first growing season.

With the limited performance data on the new grass, overall management and utilization practices appear to be similar to other bermudagrasses. Weed control, good fertility and moisture would all appear essential for top production.

**Pinkeye Problems in Cattle**  
Pinkeye is a serious problem in some beef cattle herds in Texas during the hot summer weather. The disease can cause considerable weight loss and even the loss of sight.

There is no single cure-all for pinkeye, but there are several practices which you can follow to help reduce pinkeye problems.

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seedhead develop on grass is one practice that helps. These seedheads may irritate the eyes of the cattle and increase the chances of pinkeye infection.

Flies spread certain kinds of pinkeye. Repeat spraying of the faces of cattle with Ciodrin insecticide to control face flies. Dust bags, face wipers and backrubbers also help in controlling flies. Locate them near or on the salt box, on the way to water, or in shaded loafing areas.

An adequate amount of Vitamin A helps keep eyes healthy. Good pastures generally provide enough Vitamin A. Where dry weather is turning pastures brown, supplementary Vitamin A should be provided.

Separate animals with pinkeye from the herd and treat infected eyes with an antibacterial preparation. Keep infected animals in a sheltered area. Covering infected eyes will protect them from light and foreign matter and will speed recovery. A simple patch made of burlap and held in place with rubber cement seems to be effective.

If treatment does not improve conditions, consult a veterinarian. Viral diseases such as IBR may be the cause of pinkeye. Your veterinarian can recommend a vaccination program for controlling such diseases.

Studies have shown that calves with pinkeye weighed considerably less at weaning time and as yearlings when compared to calves the same age without pinkeye. Thus, controlling pinkeye can pay with increased profits at market time.

**Harvest Vegetables on Time**  
After putting a lot of hard work into that vegetable garden, it's important to harvest crops at the proper time.

Produce that is picked too soon can be either too tough or too tender and often lacks in flavor or substance. That which is harvested too late may also be tough, fibrous or squasy, depending on the crop. Once produce passes its peak of maturity, its flavor begins to decline.

Many vegetables should be harvested on a regular basis as they will mature over a period of time. Certain crops such as okra, squash, tomatoes, beans and cucumbers can be harvested every two or three days.

Most vegetables can be easily picked or snapped off the stalk or vine. However, care should be used not to damage the plants. It may be best to use a knife when harvesting certain crops such as okra and eggplants. Also, use care to avoid stepping on vines or breaking stems

when harvesting vegetables. Harvesting vegetable crops when the foliage is dry to avoid spreading disease spores that may be present. Wilted plants should not be harvested since harvesting creates wounds which increase water loss from the plants.

Freshly harvested vegetables should be moved to a cool location and preferably placed in the refrigerator. They should be used as soon as possible, whether they are to be consumed as fresh vegetables or are for canning or freezing.

## District Agent Reports

District Extension Agent Ed Garnett has issued the following crop report for this area during the past week:

Moisture was reported adequate throughout most of Extension District 3, with three counties short. Showers to five inches were received in most counties.

An average of 70 percent small grain has been harvested, with fair to good yields. Some hail and wind damage to wheat was reported. Wet fields and shortage of combines have delayed harvest in a few counties.

Cotton planting averages 75 percent throughout the district, with many farmers replanting due to heavy rain, hail, and wind damage. The remaining crop is up to a good stand, with some thrips, herbicide, and seedling disease damage reported in two counties. Sorghum planting continues.

Most ranges are in average to above average condition. Livestock are also in good condition.

Activities include small grain harvest, sorghum, guar, and cotton planting and plowing.

Kraft gummed tape to seal those packages. 29c per roll at the News office.



## Texas Talk

by Bud McLain

**Movie stampedes** not being what they were, and the price of feed being what it is, the Longhorn may be moving back to the pasture. The Longhorn has kept some of the characteristics which made them the basis of the western beef industry. Their best trait is their foraging ability.

With pasture land being depleted by grass guzzling steers in near record numbers, producers are thinking more of any animal that excels on the least possible pasture. An ability to not only survive but to gain on rations consisting of cactus or mesquite and whatever kind of grass is available made the Longhorn a trademark in the days of the trail drive. That the same quality obviously was on the minds of cattlemen early this year for the first annual Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America sale.

Don't get excited.—The pretty, round, plump cattle of our area are no more likely to be replaced by Longhorns, than man is to find a substitute for water.

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**ATTENTION! EX-STUDENTS OF THALIA SCHOOL:**  
The reunion of the ex-students and teachers of the Thalia School will be held on Saturday, July 5, 1975.  
Make your plans now to attend.  
**THALIA EX-STUDENTS ASSOCIATION**

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## Trespass Notices

NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on T. R. Cates Estate land. pd. 5-76

NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on any land owned by the B. A. Whitman Estate or Eldon Whitman. pd. 9-1-75

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

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mrs. Maggie Barker. 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. 5-76

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 Gaffard. pd. 1-76

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. tfc

NO hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind on M. L. Hughton 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. 5-76

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. tfc

NO hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned by the Juanita Gaffard Estate. pd. 1-76

**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.** tfc

**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. tfc

## 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 Weathered, Cdr. Freddie Riethmayer, Qm.

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

June 9, 8:00 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome. Pat Pittillo, W. M. Robert Kincaid, Sec.

## News from... Margaret Riverside Virginia Smith

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hudgens of Ballinger visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, Tuesday and Wednesday. They had been to Ralls to see Mr. Hudgens' mother, Mrs. W. R. Hudgens, and brought word that she was feeling better.

Stacy Williams of Phoenix, Az., is visiting his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Halenack, and children.

Mrs. Thad Hopkins of Santa Rosa visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, Tuesday.

Billy Dean Halenack left on harvest this week. He is with the J. M. Barker crew of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lozano, and children of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Lozano, over the weekend.

Mrs. R. L. Hudgens and Mrs. Benny Smith and Ray visited Mrs. Verda Bell in Vernon, Saturday.

Robbie Hudgens of Crowell visited Mrs. Benny Smith, Ray and Bill, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Gary Bryant and son, John, of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers, Wednesday.

Mrs. Linda Kempf of Vernon and Mrs. Ethel Ferguson of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Whitley and family of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen over the weekend. Gay Lynn returned home with her parents after a week's visit here.

Lynn Pruitt of Sayre, Ok., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bishop and daughter, Mrs. Charles Brown of Gainesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bishop and son, Mike, of Demmit visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel were visitors in

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## 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

Caterpillar for hire. Raking, grubbing and dirt work.—Gary Bryant, 663-5814, Quanah. 45-tfc

Carbon paper, handy 10-sheet pack only 89c.—News office.

NOTICE—STUDENTS planning to attend Vernon Regional Junior College this fall should reserve their room now at the new, modern Inn Town Dorm. For information write Box 1012-F, Vernon, Tx. 76384. 49-3tc

For portable disc rolling, call Carl Higginbotham, 852-5495 in Chillicothe, Tex. 49-3tc

Lawn mower repair. All makes. Will make house calls. 655-2566. 50-2tp

NOTICE—Crowell needs a good car wash. Equipment, sales, installation, and service. Call 817-332-2459 or write Car Wash Equip. Co. 5825 Wedgwood Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76133. 50-2tc

NOTICE—Will person who took billfold out of my purse, please return it. I need important papers.—Frances Gerhardt. 50-2tp

Wichita Falls Tuesday and on Wednesday they visited in Knox City and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drake Monkes of Houston visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Monkes of Quanah. They went to Pampa and met Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Monkes of Long Beach, Ca., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monkes of Houston in the home of their sister, Mrs. Kit Autry and family.

Mrs. Gladys Bradford of Quanah is visiting several days with Mrs. Jodie Owens and Mrs. Abbie Rambo in the home of Mrs. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Bice of Denver City spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel. They also attended the Schoppa reunion at Lake Kickapoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel attended the 15th Schoppa Reunion at the Boys Club Ranch at Lake Kickapoo on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Capps and Mrs. Hester Hammonds of Thalia visited Mrs. R. L. Hudgens, Monday.

## GARAGE SALES

Garage sale at Thalia Friday and Saturday at the building across south of Carpenter's Station. Beginning at 8:30.—Ruth Ellen and Sherilyn McBeath. 1-1tc

## LOST

LOST—My dog, Brownish-orange and white Brittany. Had on leather collar and tick collar when last seen. Answers to name of Sonny. Reward.—Den Klepper, 684-2951. 1-1tc

## Wanted

WANTED—A job. House work or any kind of work.—Peggy Jones, 684-5841. 1-1tc

WANTED—Typist for two days work a week.—Call the News office, 684-4311. 1-tfc

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Several good used trade-in tractors. Various makes and models. Some ready to go.—McLain Farm Equip. 1-tfc

## Moisture Falls in County Last Week End

Foard County has received some more rain over the past weekend. Last week high southerly winds blew almost constantly and finally "blew up something."

Saturday night, heavy clouds crossed the area bringing .4 inch in Crowell, and another series of showers Sunday night brought .62 inch as measured by the government gauge.

Billy Hammonds reported that he received .8 Saturday night and .5 inch Sunday night at his home west of Thalia. Up to 1.8 inches fell east of Thalia. South of Crowell the rain was lighter, and north and northeast about the same amount fell as was recorded here in town.

Another shower fell Monday night and measured an official .31 inch here in Crowell.

Joe Coufal said Tuesday that he had received about 3 inches of rain at his farm home northeast of Thalia from the Saturday, Sunday and Monday rains.

The south part of the county has not received nearly as much rain as the east section, and the west part of the county continues to be dry.

## LETTER TO EDITOR

Please send me your paper for another year. I am always eager to keep up with my friends in Crowell. Yours truly,  
Mary E. Calvert,  
Santa Paula, Ca.

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MORAN Monument Children, Texas. 3941, 410 Ave. and Vernon, Tex. Cemetery Road. Selection of Georgia granite, lot curbing, bronze and marble.

Hi neighbor! Tractor for cleaning. It's super! Rent shampooer \$1.—Womack. 50-tfc

Registered Border puppies for sale. Harold Fish R. 1. Tex. 806-596-2522. 1-1tp

FOR SALE—home building, remodel home repair. Wiring.—Bob Eggen 3412, Leslie Hook 6651.

## HARVEST SPECIAL

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7' 16x2 1/4 box \$5.00  
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FOR SALE—2 puppies, 1 male, 1 white, 6 weeks old. Nolan Toole, 684-3651. 1-1tc

FOR SALE—1470 wheel drive tractor hours, clean, in good Call evenings, Vernon 2345. 1-1tp

FOR SALE—75 yds wool carpet. Me inspected at 217 N. 684-5861. 1-1tc

FOR SALE—Honda dirt bike, good reasonable.—Steve 684-4171.

FOR SALE—A Krause disc plow and tandem. Good and general. McLain Farm Equip. 49-tfc

FOR SALE—1964 door hard top, condition.—A. L. 5821. 1-1tc

FOR SALE—Good replacement discs tandem or offset way.—McLain Farm Equip. 49-tfc

FOR SALE—Estate location, corner lot, main, 3 bed rooms, room, kitchen and area, bath, store house, concrete drive way, port. Also the Huskey home, across school, excellent for or one individual.—County Abstract Co. Henry & Jon Black. 1-tfc