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## Rattlesnake Roundup Set for Week End

Another big week end of action is on tap for this area in Crowell as the Crowell Fire Department-sponsored Rattlesnake Roundup is held. Fire Chief Leonard Tole says Barney Barnett, professional snake handler, will be in the pit with live rattlers lecturing on and demonstrating proper handling, venom milking and first aid. Prizes and trophies will go to the hunters who bring in the longest snake, the shortest snake and also the most pounds of snakes. Hunters must register to be eligible for prizes. Registration will begin Saturday, March 20, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. and Sunday from 1 to 5 p. m.

Registration will be at the local fire hall on the south side of the square.

The Fire Department is hoping for favorable weather this week end so that hunters may take to the field in large numbers. Tole says he has a number of locations in the county where he can take hunters during the snake hunt.



**WIN STOCKER FEEDER CONTEST**—These two young Foard County 4-H Club members won first and second in the new stocker feeder contest of the project show. On the left is Brian Whitman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Whitman who won first, and on the right is Jerry Ayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ayers, Jr., who won second in the contest.

### Winners Are Named in SCS Contests

The Foard County Soil and Water Conservation District last week announced winners of the recent poster contest and also the essay contest.

Miss Jill Myers was named winner of the soil conservation essay contest in Crowell High School and the following are winners of the poster contest in the elementary school. They are listed in the order in which they finished.

First grade, Jeanette Green, Jessie McCarty, Pearl Dishman. Second grade, Julie Jones, Theresa Hall, Adam Kincaid. Third grade Angel Coufal, Darren Criss, Pam Robinson. Fourth grade, Susan Ayers, Elizabeth Zuniga, Dan Wall. Fifth grade, Jerry Ayers, Bill Coufal, Erin Odell.

The winners received ribbons. Making the presentations were Eldon Whitman, Melvin Moore and David Seitz.

### Absentee Voting Began Monday

Absentee balloting got started here Monday in three elections set for April 3.

The three elections are the school board trustee election in which four candidates are seeking the two vacancies coming up, the city election in which residents will vote on a proposed one cent sales tax and the aldermen election in which the two incumbents are seeking re-election without opposition.

Absentee voting, which takes place in Mrs. Cornelia McDaniel's office in the court house, will end March 30.

### Little League Sets May 25 as Starting Date

The Foard County Little League committee in a meeting last Thursday night, set May 25 as the starting date for the 1976 LL season.

The draft of new players will be held May 6, with practice set to start immediately.

Rusty Russell was appointed as concession stand operator for this year by LL president L. H. Wall.

Attending the meeting last week were L. H. Wall, Rusty Russell, Gary Cates, Randall Ryan, Bill Bell, Roy Whitley, Mike Bird and Bill Klepper.

### Variety of Weather Here in Past Week

A variety of weather last Thursday brought a light shower to Crowell, as a cool front pushed through the area.

The shower amounted to .08 inch and was followed within an hour or two by a severe dust storm. Friday a high norther blew and the mercury dropped below freezing by early Saturday.

The cold weather on the day of the annual project show made area residents truly appreciate the new ag pavilion which was used for the first time for the show last week.

### Truscott Group Sets Meeting

A meeting of the Truscott Community Center Assoc., Inc. has been set for Sunday, March 21, at noon.

Following a basket dinner at twelve, the annual community meeting and election of board members will be held. Committee reports and other community business will be discussed at this time according to Mrs. Paul Bullion, secretary.

The meeting will be held at the Community Center and all Truscott citizens are urged to attend.

The world's deadliest twist-er struck in 1925 and killed 689 persons along a path through Missouri, Illinois and Indiana.

### Church of Christ Plans Meeting

Jesse Powell, a former minister of the East Side Church of Christ in Crowell, will be the preacher for a gospel meeting at the local Church of Christ starting next Monday, March 22 and continuing through Wednesday, March 24. Services will be at 7:30 p. m. each night.

Don Crafton, Minister, and the congregation of the church, are inviting everyone to attend.



ELMO HUDGINS

### Elmo Hudgins Retires from Exxon Co.

Elmo J. Hudgins retired from Exxon Company, U. S. A. on March 1 with 28 years of service. He was assigned to the position of operator lease and located in Pampa, Texas, which is a part of the Oklahoma City District, Midcontinent Production Division. Since his employment with the Company in 1948 as roustabout and welder, he has been assigned to the Pampa area.

His hometown is Italy, Texas. He is married to the former Meda Everson of Crowell. Retirement plans for Mr. and Mrs. Hudgins are to continue making their home in Pampa.

A retirement dinner was recently held in his honor. The dinner was in Perryton. Mr. and Mrs. Hudgins owned and operated a laundry in Crowell before he began work with Exxon.



left is Debra Kajs, with her reserve champion. Mollye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wisdom and Debra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kajs.

### SWINE DIVISION WINNERS

These two young ladies won top honors in the swine division of the annual project show here Saturday. On the right is Mollye Wisdom, with her grand champion hog and on the

### Museum Receives Copy of News Dated Sept. 2, 1898

Mrs. Bob Abston of Vernon has given the new Foard County Museum what probably one of the oldest copies of The Foard County News still around.

This rare copy is dated September 2, 1898, and was addressed to E. M. Williams, Mrs. Abston's grandfather.

Albert Barkley was editor

and proprietor and the paper was published each Friday.

One of the articles stated that President McKinley had informally accepted the invitation to attend the Trans-Mississippi Exposition Peace Jubilee Oct. 10. The jubilee was held in Omaha, Nebr.

Another story told what the czar of Russia had said in

a conference at St. Petersburg in which the czar favored a conference to secure lasting peace.

A lengthy story in the paper concerned a trip the Epworth League made to Seymour to attend a conference. The trip lasted a week with two days required each way.

Among the locals were these:

Messrs. Ben and Jack Meason returned this week from Greer county.

Messrs. Jim and Henry Bell went to Quannah Monday with wheat, returning Tuesday.

J. H. Self, the popular commissioner of Precinct 2, came in the latter part of last week with the first bale of cotton of the season.

Prof. B. R. Blankenship and family leave us this week for Clarendon, where he has accepted a position in the new school.

Youngblood is well fixed for furniture and coffins. Don fail to see him when in Vernon.

The protracted meeting at Margaret, which was conducted by Rev. Griffith of Quannah, Revs. Walker and Mitchell of Crowell, closed last Sunday and we hear it spoken of as one of the best meetings of the season.

### Methodist Church Sets Revival Dates

A four-day revival meeting will get underway Sunday, March 21 at the First United Methodist Church in Crowell and will continue through Wednesday, March 24. Services will be held twice daily, at 7 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Sam Nader, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Lubbock, will be the preacher for the revival. Mrs. Mike Manard will be directing the song service and organist will be Mr. Manard.

All area residents are invited to attend any or all of these services.



**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**—These three young men won showmanship awards in the project show here last Saturday and were awarded belt buckles by Foristers. On the left is Bill Coufal, winner in the swine division; Jimmy Daniel, winner in the beef division; and Dan Wall, winner in the sheep division.



**WINNERS OF LAMB CONTEST**—Dan Wall, left, won grand champion with his sheep in the project show last Saturday. His older brother, Jay, right, won reserve champion honors. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wall.

### Lots of Changes in 60 Years

When the Crowell Wildcat basketball team and its coach were guests of the Rotary Club last week, Rotarian George Self told the boys some interesting and amusing facts.

Mr. Self congratulated the team on going farther than any basketball team in the 60 year history of basketball here.

Mr. Self said he was a member and

captain of the first basketball team ever fielded here in Crowell. It was back in 1916, and the boys had no coach, and did not win a game all season.

In addition, the boys showing up in their shorts and shirts for the game so embarrassed the women that they all got up and went home!



**CHAMPION CALVES**—Don Johnson, left, is pictured above with his grand champion calf in the annual project show

held here Saturday and on the right is Ronny Swan with his reserve champion calf.



## 39th Annual 4-H, FFA Project Show Held in New Ag Pavilion

The 39th annual FFA and 4-H Project Show, sponsored since its beginning by the Crowell Rotary Club, drew some 120 entries from area youth and also attracted one of the largest crowds in recent years last Saturday. Site of the show was the recently-completed Crowell Agriculture Pavilion which gave protection from the cold cloudy weather for the exhibitors and visitors.

Leon Burkham, vocational agriculture teacher at Knox City High School, served as judge for the show and named Don Johnson's steer as grand champion of the beef division and Ronnie Swan's steer as reserve champion. Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and Ronnie's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan.

The grand champion steer was a Limousin-Herford crossbred while the reserve champion was also a Limousin cross.

Two brothers took the honors in the market lamb division: Dan Wall's lamb was named grand champion of this division while his older brother, Jay, showed the reserve champion. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wall. The champion was a Suffolk crossbred while the reserve winner was a Hampshire.

In the swine division, Mollye Wisdom exhibited the grand champion while Debra Kajs showed the reserve champ. Mollye is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wisdom while Debra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kajs.

A new division in the show this year was the stocker feeder contest which drew

four contestants in the initial venture. In this contest, the youth purchases a steer from a livestock auction back in November preceding the show. The animal is put on wheat pasture and receives no special care during the contest period. At the time of the show, the animal making the most net profit for its owner is named winner of the contest. Market price of steers on the day of the show is the basic priced used to determine the selling price.

In this year's show, Brian Whitman was first with a \$64.79 net profit on his animal. Jerry Ayers with a \$60.77 net profit, took second. Pat Norman with a \$57.72 net profit on his animal won third while William Bachman netted \$17.01 on his animal for fourth place. Brian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Whitmen, Jerry's parents are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ayers Jr., Pat is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Paul Norman and William is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bachman Jr.

Show leaders are optimistic that this division of the show will make steady growth during the coming years, as it has been declared the "most practical" facet of the project show. The young exhibitors get a great deal of experience in buying a steer and determining costs of feeding as they attempt to make the most profit possible from their animal.

Winners in the showmanship contest were Dan Wall in sheep, Jimmy Daniel in beef and Bill Coufal in swine. Jimmy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Daniel and Bill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coufal.

Following is a complete list of entries and results of judging. The names are listed in the order in which they finished.

Light weight market swine: Mollye Wisdom, Ricky Markow, Bill Coufal, Bill Coufal, Brenda Kajs, Johnny Kajs, Jonna Naylor, Steve White, Richard Naylor, Rhonda Westbrook, Debra Kajs, Leslie Denton, Abel

Cerda and Pollye Wisdom. Heavy weight market swine: Debra Kajs, Stan Gentry, Ray Don Werley, Rocky Glasscock, Connie Werley, Rocky Glasscock, Jerry Daniel, Michael Daniel, Ken Gentry, Richard Westbrook, Lewis Cerda, Mary Barrera.

Sheep, light weight Suffolks:

Carol Sue Scott, Brenda Taylor, Tim Christopher, Betty Cox, Patricia Brown, Leslie Denton, Scott Streit, Tommy Russell, Janey Gerhardt, Jeff Christopher, Freddie Collins, Jesse Odell, Mollye Wisdom, Dirk Gentry, Michael Hudgens, Mitzi Kuehn.

Medium weight Suffolks: Erwin Jackson, Judy Jackson, Jimmy Quintero, Carla Milosivich, Emma Hudgens, Ray Don Werley, Mark Christopher, Tanya Milosivich, Paul Quintero, John Halsell, Frederick Henry, Carolyn Halsell, Carol Kuehn, Fred Henry, Pollye Wisdom.

Heavy weight Suffolks: Dan Wall, Brenda Greening, Mike Moore, David Dunn, Brenda Taylor, Pat Gerhardt, Erin Odell, Wayne Glover, Bonnie Cox, Dirk Gentry,

Eddie Kuehn. Light weight Hampshire: Jay Wall, John Klepper, Gary Hodges, Mike Cates, William Carroll, Jody Gafford, Scott Reed, Marshall Reed, Susan Ayers, Sherry Gray.

Heavy weight Hampshire: Dan Wall, Oran Carroll, Steve Matysek, Mack Gafford, Ray Smith, Delbert Glover, Susan Ayers, Myron Halencak, Brian Whitman.

Light weight Shropshires: Donald Martin, Dwayne Dishman, Johnny Baize, Elizabeth Kincaid, Lori Elkins, Elizabeth Kincaid, Sandra Bachman, Paula Baize, Patsy Williams, Clinton Machac, Richard Fish, Patsy Williams.

Heavy weight Shropshires: Brenda Henry, Allen Elkins, Randy Fish, Nancy Fish, Sara Fish, Gayle Fish, Terry Glover, Billy Brown.

Fine wool cross: Jo Anna Hord, Janet Hord, David Seeding, Freddie Collins, Mike Brown, Nancy Brown, Mary Barrera, Ramiro Quintero, Delma Barrera.

Light weight steers: Duane Daniel, Terry Boren, Jerry Daniel, John Thomas, Terry Boren.

Medium weight steers: Don Johnson, Jimmy Daniel, Jan Reeder, Jimmy Daniel, Michael Daniel.

Heavy weight steers: Ronnie Swan, Don Johnson, Ronnie Swan, Ronnie Swan,

## Truscott Coin Sales Are Going Well

Truscott coin sales are continuing to do well, according to Mrs. Vivian Brown and Mrs. June Looney, co-chairmen of sales.

Coin prices are antique bronze, \$3.50; brushed silver, \$5.00; pure silver, \$25.00; and gold-plated silver, \$50.00. All the towns of Knox County will encircle the edge of the coin on one side.

Two coin sets, one brushed silver and one antique bronze, will be \$15.00, and four coin sets (bronze, brushed silver, pure silver, and gold-plated) will be \$100.00. The sets and the single pure silver and plated gold coins will be in acrylic cases suitable for use on a desk or framed in a shadow box. Sets are still available.

Jewelry is available through the two chairmen and the coins can be worn with pendants and key chains. All coins in this limited issue will be numbered. The committee has voted to hold the first five of the numbered four coin sets for bids with a minimum bid of \$100.00. Collectors interested in bidding should contact Mrs. Brown or Mrs. Looney.

Jimmy Daniel. Robert Hammonds of Thalia was the winner of the registered quarterhorse given away by the 4-H Horse Club in a drawing to raise funds to build a new arena which will be located just north of the new Crowell Ag Pavilion.

## Dr. Stapp Is Speaker at Heart Meet

Dr. Walter Stapp, using a model of the human heart, was the speaker at the March 9 meeting of the Foard County Heart Association at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Don Brown. Dr. Stapp used the model in explaining how the heart functioned and told about some of the heart surgery presently being done.

Mrs. Printiss Gidney, president, was in charge of the meeting and she appointed a nominating committee composed of Grady Halbert, chairman, Mrs. Gerald Denton and Mrs. Elton Carroll to nominate a new slate of officers for next year.

Mrs. Jim Gafford reported that the recent heart fund drive brought in \$600.86, down from \$811 received last year.

The next meeting of the organization is set for May 11 at the Gidney home.

Attending the meeting last week were Dr. Stapp, Mrs. Gidney, Mrs. Joyce Gargill of Wichita Falls, who is heart association representative for this area, Mrs. Denton,

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## Basketball Team Guest of Rotary Club

Members of the 1976 No. 2 class A basketball team in the state of Texas and Coach Randall Ryan were guests at the Wednesday, March 10 meeting of the local Rotary Club.

Coach Ryan brought the season through a successful conclusion in Austin the preceding night. Members of the attending were Jack Pat Norman, David Christopher, Dee David Crafton, David Coleman, Melvin Daniel Field and Steve Daniel and manager Mike Gafford. Other visitors were Copeland and Bob son of Vernon, and guest Dean Smith.

## THANK YOU!

Bob and Seleta Daniel wish to thank the people of Foard County for the aerial spraying you have let us do. If we can be of any service, let us know.

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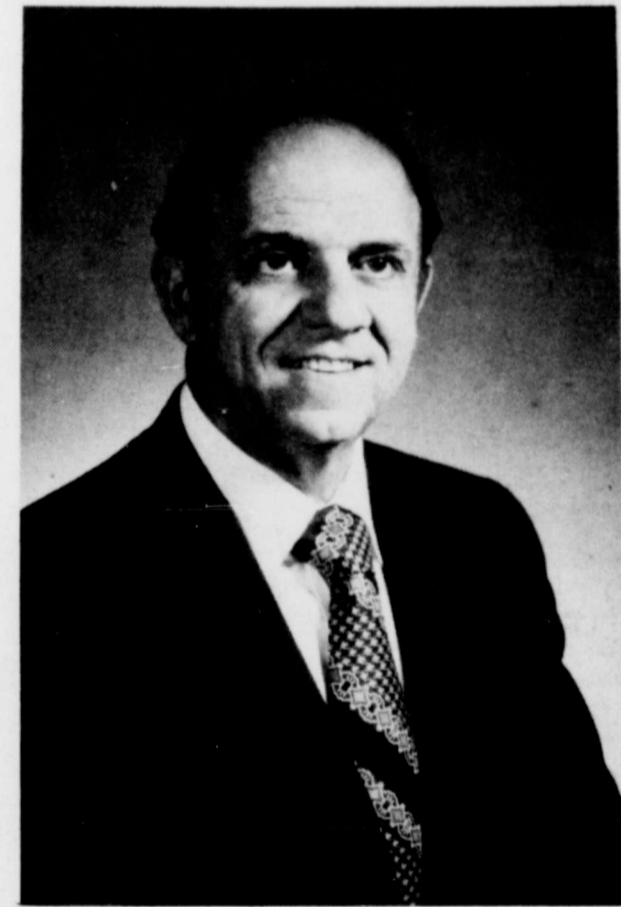
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Mrs. Mike Manard  
Song Leader

Mike Manard  
Organist

Mrs. Jack Welch  
Pianist

Sam Nadar — Evangelist



NEWS FROM...  
Margaret  
Riverside  
VIRGINIA  
SMITH

Several people enjoyed our  
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over of Vernon visited Mr.  
d Mrs. R. L. Hudgens

Mr. and Mrs. Thad  
Hopkins and Lockett visited  
Mr. and Mrs. Benny Smith  
and Ray Saturday and  
attended the stock show in  
Crowell.  
Mrs. Gity Bryant of  
Quannah visited her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers  
Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L.  
Hudgens and Mr. and Mrs.  
Benny Smith and Ray visited  
Bob Gilbert in Vernon  
Sunday afternoon.

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**News from the  
Nursing Center**

The Senior Citizens came to the Center Thursday and played bingo with the residents. We all had an enjoyable time. Thola Knox won the first 2 games and Charlie Sue Thompson won the third. Fruit was given as prizes. The rest of the fruit was given away with black

out bingo with everyone a winner.

The Crowell Nursing Center has a very competent nursing staff headed by Judy Faske LVN and director of nurses, Martha Cash, LVN relief and Sue Brown LVN evening. Nurses aides are Ocie Bolibruch, Cleo Ownbey, Elsie Vecera, Faye Whitman, Sally Cerda, Hortensia Hall, Cristy Jones, Jean Hopper, Bettie Garcia and Mary Navarro.

The First United Methodist Church conducted services Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. Rev. Aaron Mitchell officiated, Elizabeth Welch played the piano and Marcus Mills led the singing. Several members of the church attended.

Our March birthday party hosted by the First Assembly of God Church will be given March 30th at 3:30 p. m.

**Softball  
Season  
Nearing**

The Crowell Ranger softball team voted to join the Vernon Independent League when the local club had an organizational meeting last week.

Also, at last week's meeting, Jim Christopher was elected as coach of the team, Carl Brock manager and Gary Hobson, secretary-treasurer.

Brock said Monday that the Vernon league of which Crowell is a member would like to have two teams from Crowell. The Rangers, trying to get their new field south of the community center ready for this season, will be practicing and working on the field each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday starting at 6 p. m. All area residents interested in playing softball are invited to these workouts. The regular season at Vernon will start April 21. March 25-29 the Rangers will be playing in a tournament in Wichita Falls getting ready for the regular season action.

The Rangers got organized last year, and played fifty slow pitch softball games during the season.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I want to thank all of my friends and loved ones for the cards, gifts and visits that I received and all those that prayed for me while I was in the Crowell Hospital and General Hospital in Wichita Falls. And a thank you to those that sent cards, telephoned and visited me since my return home. I especially thank Dr. Stapp and the local hospital staff for being so nice and taking such good care of me. God bless all of you is my prayer.  
Mrs. R. C. Johnson.  
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**WINS AWARD**  
Robert Echols, freshman at Pampa Jr. High and part-time photographer for the Pampa News, has won a Golden Key Award for excellence in recent competition in the Western Scholastic Achievement Contest in Amarillo.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Echols of Pampa and the grandson of Mrs. Edna Sanders of Crowell.

**Museum  
News**

Mrs. Virgil A Johnson  
Chairman  
Foard County  
Historical Commission

It is obvious that the museum is a community project! More than 50 people contributed food to the smorgasbord last Friday. We are deeply thankful to each person who helped in serving the meal. We couldn't get along without you! Thank you, Brudge, for running our errands. We would like to acknowledge the gift of \$20 from one of our loyal museum supporters, Mrs. Edna Sanders has also donated \$10 to the museum.

Most of the carpet upstairs has been installed. Recie and Marvin have done a beautiful job and you'll just have to see it to know how pretty it is.

When you look at the windows in the bathroom, kitchen and chapel, you will see the expert craftsmanship of Ed Russell. Ted Reeder gave the star burst glass for the kitchen window; Guy Todd Jr. gave it form the bathroom, and Mrs. Kenney Tippen of Hackberry, Cottle County, gave the stained glass for the window in the chapel. These windows are beautiful and we appreciate the gift of those who made them possible.

The beautiful antique doors were given by George Self, Walter Ramsey and Cornelia McDaniel.

Volunteer workers at the museum since the last report were Russiie Hord, Opal Marr, Ethel Ferguson, Ruth Goodwin, Evelyn Cates, Thelma Todd, Ruth Andrews, Minnie Karcher, Bettie B. Gafford, Bonnie Johnson and Kenneth Ownbey.

Special thanks go to Johnny Marr and George Self for weathered wood; to Otis Gafford for logs for the jail; to Peggy Myers for light fixtures; to Dale Grimes for paint and decorator posts; to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson of Estelina for a Victrola and bureau; to Mrs. N. J. Roberts for a table with claws and crystal balls; to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper for a small divan and old fashioned churn; to Gordon Cooper for a small radio and to George Self for shingles to be used in the old town.

People in surrounding towns have heart of our museum project and are stopping by to see it. Last Wednesday, while we were working, we had Mrs. Dee W. Martin of Plainview, and the following people from Childress; Mr. and Mrs. J. Clinton McGhee, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Landrum, Nina Harper, Lula Mae Carter, Madge Cuberson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Motes, Rosemary Howard and Hilda Maddison.

Every Wednesday is "work day." We will need everyone of them in order to have the museum ready for the April 24 opening.

**Band Boosters  
Plan Last  
Night Program**

The annual CHS Band's Last Night Show will be held on Friday night, May 7. Band Director James Streit told members of the Crowell Band Boosters at their March meeting Monday night. The program again this year will feature the Miss Majorette, Miss Petite and Mr. Prince contests, and will also include a specialty act or two along with some tricks of magic. A Momma's and Poppa's Chorus Line will be a new added feature this year.

Mr. Streit also announced that a full band scholarship to summer band camp had been awarded to Abel Cerda and a half-scholarship to band camp went to Scott Streit. These scholarships are paid for by the band boosters and go to the band students who participate in the largest number of contests during the school year.

Band booster president Baxter Gentry appointed a nominating committee of Mrs. Johnny Kajs, Mrs. Ray Brown and A. L. McGinnis to select a new slate of officers for the band booster for next year.

**Little Dribblers Basketball  
Results for Week Are Given**

As the last week of regular season boys Little Dribblers basketball is played this week, D&T continues to be the only undefeated team in the league. Rusty Russell, league vice president, said Monday that the winners of the two divisions will be playing next Monday night to determine the 1976 champion, and he added that it will take both games this week to determine which team will oppose D&T in the play-offs.

Here's how the games of the past week went:  
**Tuesday, March 9**  
In the first game D&T defeated Thedford 45-31. Guy Todd led the D&T attack with 20 points, Danny McCrary had 19, Mike Branch 4 and Dan Wall 2. John Halsell scored Thedford's 31 points.

In the second game Rotary Club won 13 to 12 in an overtime game over McLain. Van Coleman was high pointer for Rotary with 4 while Tommy Russell, Marty Rose and Joe Setliff scored 3 points each. Thomas Sparkman with 6 points, was high pointer for McLain while Johnny Kajs scored 4 and David Dunn 2.

In the last game that night, Foristers won 39-26 over Phillips 66. Ray Smith and Elbert Sparkman had 10 points each for the winners while Scott Reed scored 7, Larry Criss 6, Vincent Anderson 4 and Darren Criss 2. Ronald Neal scored 15 for Phillips and F. A. Newman had 11.

**Friday, March 12**  
Last Friday night Foristers opened action by defeating McLain 31-11. Larry Criss had 11 points for the winners, Elbert Sparkman 8, Vincent Anderson 6, Ray Smith 4 and Scott Reed 2. Thomas Sparkman scored all of McLain's 11 points.

In the second game, D&T won 27-9 over Phillips 66. Guy Todd had 12 for the winners, followed by Mike Branch with 11 and Danny McCrary with 4. F. A. Newman had 5 and Ronald Neal 4 for the losers.

In the nightcap, it was Thedfords 33 to 21 over Rotary. Halsell scored 31 and Freddie Collins 2 for the winners. Joe Setliff led Rotary with 10 points, Marty Rose had 6, Craig Weddle and Van Coleman 2 each and Tommy Russell 1.

More than 362,800 GI home loan applications were received by the Veterans Administration in 1975.

**HONORED AT A&M**  
Miss Remelle Marlow, Texas A&M University sophomore, has been elected secretary of the Southwest Region Block & Bridle Club. Miss Marlow is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marlow of Crowell.

The organization is composed of national Block & Bridle chapters from Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas. Block & Bridle exists to promote animal science and general agriculture. Organized three years ago, the regional club acquaints interested college students from across the Southwest and improves relations between the schools. The regional organization sponsors inter-school field trips, contests and extension courses. A&M's chapter, the Saddle & Siroin Club, is the nation's largest and is the largest club on the A&M campus with over 200 members.

Cottage cheese, a milk group food, contains about 20 per cent milk solids, and many of the nutrients found in fresh milk, according to the extension service.

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Tutorial assistance is one of the many veterans' benefits available under the GI Bill, the Veterans Administration reported.

**Texas Moves  
Up in Teacher  
Salaries**

Texas has moved up this year from 35th to 24th place among the 50 states in average annual pay for public teachers, a national survey shows.

Average classroom teacher pay in Texas in 1975-76 is \$11,373, according to a survey of the National Education Association titled "Estimates of School Statistics, 1975-76."

This still leaves Texas \$1,151 below the national teacher pay average of \$12,524, as quoted in the NEA report. These are preliminary estimates, based on figures supplied by the 50 state education agencies, including the Texas Education Agency. Revised estimates will be compiled after the end of the school year.

The revised figures for the preceding year showed Texas in 35th place among the 50 states with average annual teacher pay of \$9,807, which was \$1,843 below the national average of \$11,650 for 1974-75.

**HOSPITAL  
Admissions,  
Dismissals**

**PATIENTS ADMITTED**  
Mrs. Sherman Nichols  
Emit Nolan  
Bill King  
W. W. Lemons  
John Odell  
S. E. Crosnoe  
John Glenn Halsell, Jr.  
Ruel Scott

**PATIENTS DISMISSED**  
Mrs. Donald Hinkle and infant daughter, Anne Marie  
Rev. Warren Everson  
Mrs. Warren Everson  
Edward Howard  
Bobby Daniel  
Herman Gentry  
J. B. Fairchild  
Mrs. Ruel Scott  
Mrs. Don Bill Statser  
Audey Dunham  
Mrs. Louis Van Winkle  
Ed Mechell  
Mrs. Larval E. Eubank  
Mrs. Rickey Diggs  
Mrs. Lois Boren  
Mrs. Sim V. Gamble  
Mrs. C. S. Wishon  
Mrs. Melvin Moore  
Ramon Rasberry

NOTICE  
In accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, the Foard County Commissioners' Court is now making known that it is assessing a user's fee of \$25.00 per year, per plane, on all commercial aircraft using the facilities of the Foard County Airport.

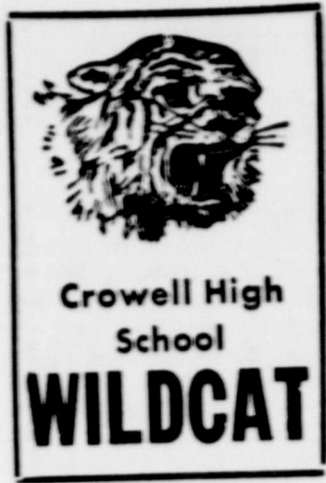
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SETH HALBERT, County Judge,  
by order of the  
Commissioners' Court,  
Foard County, Texas.

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**JESSE POWELL**  
in a  
**GOSPEL MEETING**  
at the  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
120 N. Second  
Crowell, Texas  
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**MONDAY-WEDNESDAY**  
7:30 P. M.

**Bill McWhorter  
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Crowell High School  
**WILDCAT**

Co-Editors.....Kimberly Norman and Vickie Tole  
Senior.....Amie Brasher  
Junior.....Jill Myers  
Sophomore.....Paul Whitley  
Freshman.....Terri McDaniel  
Sponsor.....Mrs. Jean Halbert

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**  
Thursday, March 18-Pictures  
Friday-Saturday, March 19-20-Boys Quannah Track Meet  
Saturday, March 20-Girls Track Meet at Vernon  
Monday, March 22-Assembly Program at 10:00

**SPIRIT OF '76**  
Kim Norman, Anita Vercera, Beth Graves and Sabrina Kearney were named to the girls all-district Basketball team. Kathy Whitfield placed on the Honorable Mention list. David Bell made first team all-district and Melvin Westover and Ricky Coleman made the second team. Congratulations!  
This weekend there will be a track meet at Quannah. Senior boys going out for track are Steve Stapp, Melvin Westover and David

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Bell. Good Luck, guys!  
There will be a girls track meet Saturday at Vernon. Senior girls going out are Terri Nelson and Kim Norman. Good luck, girls!

**SENIOR SPOTLIGHTS**  
This week in the senior spotlight is Vickie Tole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tole. Vickie has blonde hair, green eyes, and is 5'3" in height. Some of her favorites are: food, steak; color, green; song, "Evil Woman"; actor, Burt Reynolds; actress, Angie Dickinson; hobby, sewing; subject, shorthand.

She is a member of the Church of Christ, the FHA, treasurer of the Pep Club, president of the Columbian Club, co-editor of the school news, and sports co-manager of the annual staff. Her future plans after graduation are to attend college.

Also in the spotlight is Connie Werley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Werley. Connie has blonde hair, blue eyes, and is 5'7" in height. Some of her favorites are: food, cornbread; color, baby blue; song, "My Man"; actor, Rock Hudson; actress, Susan St. James; subject, Consumers Ed; hobbies, sewing and talking.

She is a member of the Baptist Church, and is a member of the band, FHA, student council, senior class secretary, president of Junior Leaders, treasurer of the Adelpian Club, and advertising manager of the annual staff.  
After graduation she plans to attend Texas Tech University.

**GABBY JJ's**  
Audrey Dunham, an active bronc rider, was hurt during the Seymour Rodeo and has been hospitalized until Friday. The junior class wishes him a speedy recovery.  
The excitement of basketball has died down, and students are now getting ready for the UIL Literary Contest and other spring events.

**SOPHOMORE SCOOP**  
Congratulations to sophomores Beth Graves and

Sabrina Kearney for being selected first team all district guards last week. Also, to Don Johnson who showed the grand champion steer, and Jay Wall who won reserve champion in the sheep division.

**FANTASTIC FRESHMEN**  
Several members of our class entered the livestock show Saturday. Everyone enjoyed getting out at 2:30 Thursday and Friday.  
Shelia Coleman made honorable mention guard. Congratulations Shelia!

**F. H. A.**  
Eleven Crowell FHA members and adults attended the Area IV meeting of the Texas Association of FHA along with approximately 1000 members and advisors from a 35 county area.

"FHA—America the Beautiful" was the theme of the meeting which was held in the Tarleton State University auditorium in Stephenville March 6.

Attending from Crowell were Sylvia Quintero, local FHA president and third vice president for Area IV, Theresa Drabek, voting delegate from Crowell, and Vickie Pharis, Sulema de los Santos, Chris Thompson, Ester Quintero, Rhonda Westbrook, Melissa Burelsmith, Jo Anna Hord, Debra Walker and Bonnie Cox. Mrs. Ray Quintero, Mrs. Ray de los Santos and Mrs. Joe Don Brown were the mothers who accompanied the girls along with Mrs. Mary D. Brown, FHA advisor.

On Saturday morning, Sylvia Quintero was elected state nominating committee member at the house of delegates session. Saturday afternoon she gave her report to the entire group of chapter projects throughout the area. She was also recognized as one of the FHA members who has completed all levels of Encounter, a growth and development program.

Legal Size Expanding Folders at the News office, only \$1.50.

**H. H. Fish Honored on 88th Birthday**

H. H. Fish of Paducah was honored on his 88th birthday with a dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fish at Vivian.

Those attending were the honoree, Dr. and Mrs. John H. Fish and Barry of Big Spring, Dr. and Mrs. Gary Fish and Nathan of Dallas, Mrs. Hal Sandefeur and Michelle of Lubbock, Dr. and Mrs. Jim Bratton, Jill Allison and John, Mrs. Winnie D. Prater, Mrs. Lyndall Fish, Jimmy Fish, Kay Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Long, Lee Ann and Larry, and Elmer Petty, of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mike Fish of Crowell, and Gail, Richard and Gene Fish of the home.

**SENIOR CITIZENS**

Mrs. Jim Cannon, president of the Advisory Council, presided at the Senior Citizens' luncheon on Tuesday, March 16. Mrs. Cannon appointed Mrs. E. H. Shrode as chairman of a committee to decorate a window for the bicentennial observance in April.

Mrs. Marjorie Marlow received the door prize. Mrs. Eugene Cochran showed slides of the Ozark country around Beaver Lake and Eunice Springs, Arkansas.

The 42 party will be postponed until Thursday, March 25.

The fate of Red Dye No. 2 is still in doubt. The FDA had banned any further use of the dye in products. Then a restraining order was issued. Ruling here was in favor of the FDA decision. Now dye manufacturers say they will ask a U. S. Court of Appeals to block the action. Keep a watch for further developments, the extension service suggest.

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**LOTS OF WORK FOR PROJECT SHOW**—A great deal of work goes into preparing animals for the big project show held here each year. In this picture made last Thursday night, some of the work being done is shown. Jeff Christopher is pictured working on his sheep. Directly

back of Jeff is Don Welch trimming a lamb. Mike Cates, back to camera, hold a sheep while Garland Wiemers, partially hidden, trims the animal. An interested spectator on the left is Freddie Mack Collins, and watching on the right are Mrs. R. B. Cates and Tim Christopher.



**BIG CROWD AT AUCTION SALE**—This picture was taken last Saturday afternoon

during the annual auction of animals in the project show. The picture shows a portion of the large crowd on hand for the show which was held in the new Crowell Agriculture Pavilion, part of which is also shown above.

# Rattlesnake Round-Up

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19-20-21**

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Barney Barnett, professional snake handler, will be in the pit with live rattlers lecturing on and demonstrating proper handling, venom milking and first aid.

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Snakes will be purchased from registered hunters at .50 a pound Saturday and .35 a pound Sunday, after 1:00 p.m.

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HUNTERS MUST REGISTER to be eligible for prizes. Registration will begin Saturday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

**ADMISSION - \$1.00 - Hunters \$2.00 for admission and registration**

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**Alcoholism Counselor Be in Crowell**

Virgil (Pete) Peterson, Outreach Alcoholism Counselor, was in Crowell Tuesday and announced he will be at the Neighborhood Center in Crowell Thursday beginning 10:00 a.m.

Mr. Peterson's telephone number of the office is 684-4011 and he is anyone seeking information concerning alcoholism problems to contact him when he is in Crowell.

**RIDING CLUB TO MEET**

A meeting of the Crowell Riding Club has been called for Friday night, March 19, starting at 7 p.m. in the Crowell ag pavilion.

Roping Club President Rusty Russell said a stew will be served and urged all members and families and prospective members to attend.

nurse in the Crowell hospital and Bachelor graduate from college in May.

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**NEWS FROM... THALIA MAGGIE CAPPS**

Marshall Capps visited his grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Capps, Sunday. He was en-route to his home in Vernon from Texas University for the Spring Break. He had spent the weekend in Lubbock.

Mrs. Flora Short and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Ellen McBeath were visitors in Wichita Falls Thursday.

Billie Short of Kinsley Kansas and Crowell visited his mother, Mrs. Flora Short.

Mrs. Clyde Self received word of the death of her niece, Mrs. Willis Young of Olney but was unable to attend the services.

Joe Laird of Iowa Park was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Gray, Mrs. Bernice Huskey and Mrs. Knoxie Brown visited Mrs. Fannie Bowman Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cates returned home Wednesday of last from Lubbock where he had knee surgery. He was there three weeks. He feels that the surgery was very successful and he is happy to be back home. He enjoyed the vast number of cards, calls and visits he received while there.

Roy Self is on the sick list having visited his doctor several times in the past two weeks.

Glen Swan has been attending the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Julia Swan, who was taken to General Hospital in Wichita Falls last week from the Vernon Hospital where she has been seriously ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Boren of Commerce spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Swan, Ronnie and Glenna. They returned to Wichita Falls Sunday where they visited a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boren before returning home to Commerce. Mrs. Boren is a

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**PERSONALS**

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Wesley Salyer and Miss Dawn Taylor of El Dorado, Kansas, visited over the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hughes, en route to Lubbock to visit Miss Taylor's mother, Mrs. Alice Bradford.

Mrs. Micke Hughston of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Laxson and son, Brad of Levelland, visited Sunday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson.

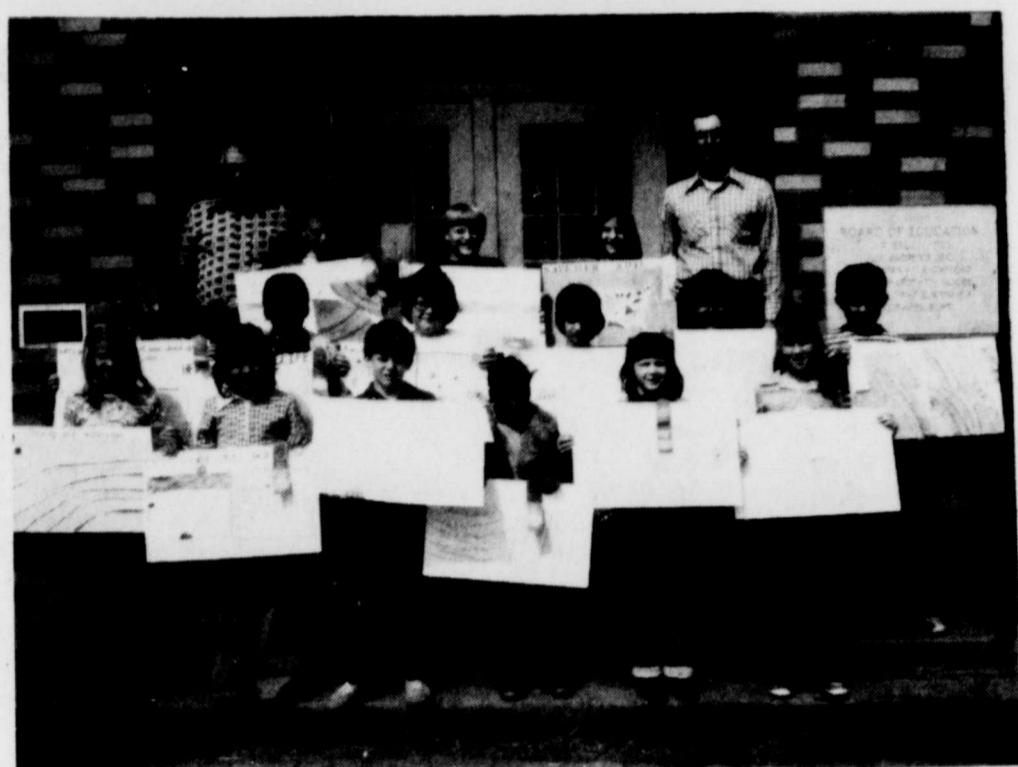
Frederick Youree of Dallas was a week end visitor here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youree.

**Zenith radio & TV.—  
Crowell Radio & Television.  
36-tfc**

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cavin of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Cavin of Austin and Mrs. Jodie Owens of Margaret were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cavin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gene Edwards announce the arrival of a baby son, Brian Gene, born March 3 at Malone Hogan Hospital in Big Spring. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hopper of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of Colorado City. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Love of Crowell.

J. H. Lanier of Bakersfield, Ca., and a long-time resident of Crowell, underwent open heart surgery in Methodist Hospital in Houston Wednesday of last week. According to his daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Johnson of Lockett, he is recovering satisfactorily and would appreciate hearing from his Crowell friends. He is in room 607 B of Methodist Hospital in Houston, phone 713-790-3844.



**CONSERVATION POSTER WINNERS—** Melvin Moore and Eldon Whitman, directors of the Foard County Soil and Water Conservation District, are pictured above with the winners of this year's conservation poster contest. The winners

are, from the left, front row, Julie Jones, Theresa Hall, Adam Kincaid, Jeanette Green, Jessie McCarty and Pearl Dishman. Second row: Angel Coufal, Darren Criss, Pam Robinson, Susan Ayers, Elizabeth Zuniga and Dan Wall. Back row, Bill Coufal, Jerry Ayers and Erin Odell.

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**To the Taxpayers of Foard County and Crowell Consolidated Independent School District:**

Each person owning personal and/or real property within the County of Foard or Crowell Consolidated Independent School District, is respectfully requested by Emmett E. Howard and J. H. Gillespie to come by the respective offices at his earliest convenience and render such property for the purpose of taxation.

The law, in effect, provides that all property shall be listed or rendered by the owner thereof, if he is of full age and of sound mind, but when it becomes necessary for the respective tax assessors, their deputies or others who have to be hired for such purpose to seek out each property owner to secure the individual renditions, the expense involved is greatly increased, and this additional expense is borne by the TAXPAYERS.

Your cooperation will be appreciated, AND IT WILL SAVE YOU MONEY. TRY IT!

Mr. and Mrs. James Fennell of Irving visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne.

Mrs. Roxie Tabor and children, Tanna and Trent, of Goodlett spend from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins, while Mr. Tabor was in Austin attending the State Executive School Board meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Adkins of Phillips visited Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins Sunday on their way home from Waco where they visited their son, Robin, who attends Baylor University.

Mary Mathews and Jim Petty of Wichita Falls visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Adkins.

**News Gets Lots of Federal Mail**

The vast scope of the federal bureaucracy is no more graphically illustrated than in the number of different federal agencies which send out mailings to weekly newspapers across the nation.

During the past 11 days, the Foard County News has received a total of 54 different letters and news releases from federal agencies or politicians in the nation's capitol.

Among the agencies, all of whom want something printed in this newspaper, include the Veterans Administration, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, USDA food and nutrition service, Social Security Administration, Federal Bureau of Investigation, USDA agricultural marketing service, U. S. Civil Service Commission, USAF ROTC, Extension Service, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Navy, American Revolution Bicentennial Administration, Loyd Bentsen, John Tower, Department of the Army, USDA Farmers Home Administration, Jack High-tower, Department of the Interior, General Services Administration, and the Department of the Treasury.

**AG CONFAB TO DEAL WITH ENVIRONMENT**

The 1976 Texas Animal Agriculture Conference at Texas A&M University, April 8-10, will give special emphasis to environmental management and the private landowner, says an agricultural engineer for the Texas Agricultural Extension service. Five top agency officials will deal with the issues of environmental management programs that directly affect Texas farmers and ranchers. The conference will also feature production short courses on beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, horses, pastures and forage, and range and wildlife. The conference is a part of a special Agricultural Centennial Week at Texas A&M.

Tornadoes have killed more than 11,000 Americans since record keeping began in 1916. In Texas there were 969 deaths due to tornadoes from 1916 to 1975.



**ESSAY CONTEST WINNER—**Miss Jill Myers, center, is pictured above as she accepts a \$25 savings bond after being named winner of the soil conservation essay contest sponsored by the local SCS district. Making the presentation is Eidon Whitmen, right, chairman of the district board of supervisors. Melvin Moore, another member of the board, is shown on the left.

**NEWS FROM...  
Truscott Gilliland  
JIM CUMLEY**

**AROUND TOWN**

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis and daughters of Wichita Falls, Steve Long of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Richard Winstead and Keith of Seymour.

Jacquelyn Brown visited home this past week from LCC with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Basal Glasscock of Rockwall visited the Ray Glasscock family last week.

Visiting Mrs. J. C. Black last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash of Knox City.

Visiting Mr. Tommy Tapp last weekend were Mrs. Randy Tapp and Connie Sue of Childress, and his son, Alan, of Canyon.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Guynn Hickman this week were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carl Taylor of Farmers Valley.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hinkle! Mrs. Hinkle gave birth to a baby girl, Ann Marie, last week in the Crowell hospital. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bullion last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bullion and sons of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Bullion of Odessa, Jack Bullion of Lorenzo, and Mrs. Billy Dishman of Vernon. Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bullion and Pearl Summers and Hattie McEwen last weekend were Mrs. Jerry Nibling and Mrs. Forrest Hedden and girls, all of San Angelo.

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Florence Miller and Mrs. Paul Bullion attended the Brazos Valley Postal Employees Association Meeting in Knox City.

**MRS. BATY DIED**

Mrs. Mary Baty, long time resident of Gilliland, died Friday in the Seymour hospital. Funeral services were given at the Gilliland Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Many friends and relatives attended her funeral. I am sure all residents of

Truscott and Gilliland will join me in giving our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Baty.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Dear Friends,  
I would like for you to know how very much I appreciate the many kind things you did for us during the three weeks we were at Lubbock. The visits, the phone calls, and the many cards and letters; they helped so much. For the flowers and prayers, we are deeply grateful. These, and all the other kindnesses will not soon be forgotten.  
With sincere appreciation  
T. R. Cates  
37-1tc

The National Weather Service reports that during 1975 there were 917 reported tornadoes across the nation resulting in the death of 59 persons. Ten of the deaths occurred in Texas where 118 tornadoes were reported.

Before a tornado hits, for insurance purposes it is good to have an itemized list of personal property, including furnishings, clothing and valuables. Photos are helpful. An up-to-date building appraisal is also good to have.

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**SCS Tells About Our Resources**

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Our bicentennial year is here. We, as Americans, have much for which to be thankful. The bountiful resources that are ours to work with seems to be almost endless and indestructible—but are they?

With the mechanization and technology that has been developed in the last century, there is no excuse for the abuse of squandering of resources left to our care. It has been said by one that came long before us: "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof." Psalms 24:1. That leaves us as caretakers.

The most critical time for the protection of our most valuable resource is now, our soil. Theodore Roosevelt once said when the soil goes, man must go. This was a long time ago and much has happened since then. Since the settling of our great country and the westward movement began, man left worn out fields in quest of greener

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pastures. Man can no longer do this because almost 100 per cent of the lands suitable for cultivation has been cleared and is now in production. This, through necessity, also puts us in a caretaker's role.

In our area wind erosion, is a major factor in damaging our soils due to gusty spring winds, lack of moisture, and insufficient cover during the blowing season.

Anyone desiring information on methods to control wind erosion and equipment used in the county should contact technicians of the Soil Conservation Service in Crowell.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection.  
The family of Mary Baty.  
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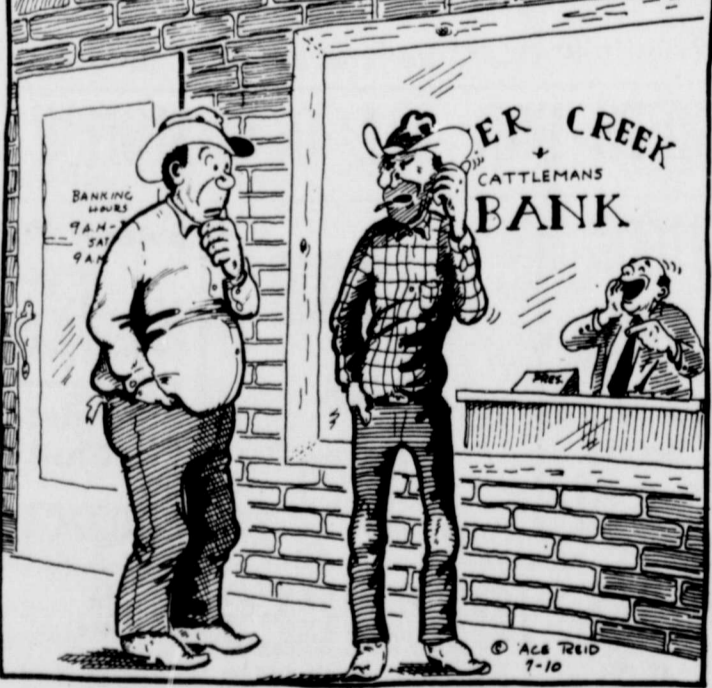
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|                        |            | We slice LUNCHEON MEATS |               |
|                        |            | SHURFINE COFFEE         | 1 # can 1.19  |
|                        |            | All Brands Cigarettes   | ctn 4.69      |
|                        |            | Oak Farms Buttermilk    | 1/2 gal 79c   |

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# Society News

## Statser-Matysek Vows Exchanged

The First Baptist Church was the setting at 8 p. m. Saturday, for the wedding of Miss Karen Sue Statser and Frederick Karl Matysek. Rev. Joe Ainsworth, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Electra and former pastor of Crowell, officiated for the double ring nuptial ceremony.

The bride is the daughter

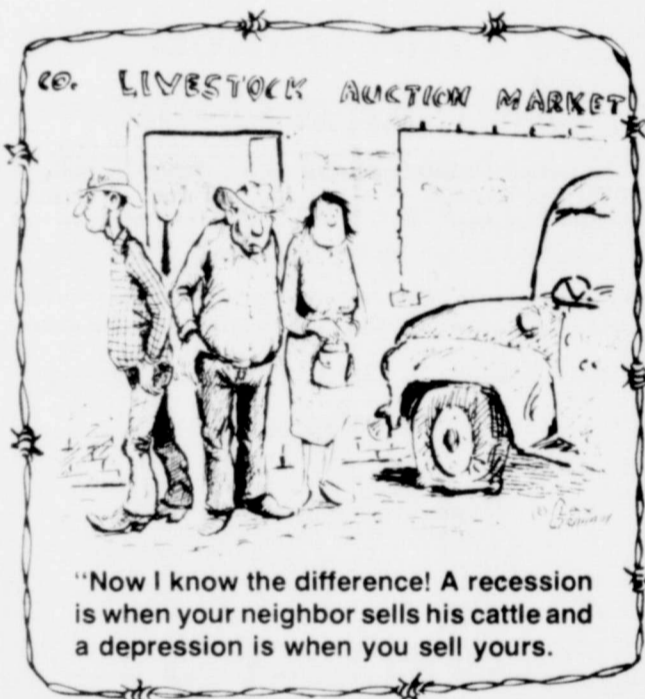
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of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Statser of Crowell and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Alfred Matysek of Crowell and the late Mr. Matysek.

The couple pledged nuptial vows before a center archway entwined in salal greenery and centered by a kneeling rail. Cathedral candelabra and baskets of greenery flanked the archway.

Mrs. Walter Stapp, organist, accompanied Steven Setliff as he sang "Whither Thou Goest" and the "Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satepeau with overlays of hand-clipped Chantilly lace fashioning the V neckline and accenting the bodice and deep cuffed bishop sleeves. Scattered appliques of the lace also trimmed the bouffant skirt which extended into a chapel train. The bride's elbow veil of imported illusion was caught by a demi-cap of matching lace.

She carried a nosegay of white pompons with fluffs of blue net. Her only jewelry was an opal, heart-shaped drop given to the brides mother by her maternal great grandmother Zeibig. She also wore a blue garter and placed a six pence from her trip to England in her shoe.

Mrs. Don Statser, sister-in-law of the bride, attended as matron of honor. Her formal-length gown of sky blue double knit was styled with a V neck. A line skirt and cap sleeves trimmed in lace. She wore a picture hat of white melene accented by sky blue streamers, and she carried a nosegay of blue and white pompons.

Maid of honor was Miss Rita Hodges, and bridesmaids were Miss Terry Cobb of Vernon and Miss Darlene Matysek of Dallas, sister of the bridegroom. They were attired identically to the honor attendant and carried nosegays of blue and white pompons.

Candlelighters were Ricky Hammonds of Crowell and Allen Tapp of Truscott. Ring bearer was Alfred Matysek Jr., brother of the bridegroom, and flower girl was Miss Stacie Carmichael of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, who carried a white basket filled with roses.

Richard Statser of Decatur, brother of the bride, served as best man. Groomsmen were Mance Nelson, Don Statser, brother the bride, and Steve Matysek, brother of the bridegroom, and serving as ushers were Ricky Hammonds, Allen Tapp and Lynn Nelson.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Statser selected a floor length dress and jacket ensemble in pastel green. She wore a cymbidium orchid, and her accessories were white. Mrs. Matysek wore a formal length gown and jacket ensemble in pastel blue with white accessories and a white cymbidium orchid.

### Reception

Following the wedding, a reception was held in fellowship hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered with a white satin cloth with a full ruffle to the floor. Corners held clusters of blue silk flowers and baby breath. Centering the table was a silver epergne with blue tapers, blue stock, white baby breath and blue miniature carnations. Silver appointments completed the table decor.

The traditional white wedding cake of four tiers separated by cupid pillars and white flowers was topped with wedding bells.

The bridegroom's table was covered with a matching white satin cloth with blue velvet roping with a silver candelabra with blue tapers also accented by blue velvet roping. The table held a chocolate cake in the shape of a horseshoe. A silver coffee service completed the decor.

Members of the house party were Misses April Werley, Marie Westover, Jacquelyn Brown and Mmes. Glen Goodwin, George Scott, Glendon Russell, Gerald Hodges and Jana Lopez. Miss Barbie Scott registered guests at a table accented by a silver slipper which played the bridal march and was a gift of English friends with whom the bride stayed on a 4-H trip last summer.

For her traveling costume, the bride selected a two piece robin's egg blue double knit suit and wore white accessories. She also wore a white cymbidium orchid corsage.

Both the bride and bridegroom are honor graduates of Crowell High School. The bride is presently enrolled in Vernon Regional Junior College, and the bridegroom graduated from Ryder Technical Institute of Dallas. He is employed at McLain Farm Equipment in Crowell.

Following a brief wedding trip, the couple will be at home on Route 3, Vernon.

### Rehearsal Dinner

The bridegroom's mother hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday evening with the bride's chosen colors used in decorations. The bridal couple presented gifts to their attendants.

### Out of Town Guests

Out of town guests



Mrs. Matysek

attending the wedding were:

Mrs. Carolyn Bursey Price and Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Kaemper of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carmichael, Stacie and Andy, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Richardson of Hagerman, N. M.; Cecilia Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hitt and Cindy and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schleich, Barbara and Larry, of Dallas; Rev. and Mrs. Joe Ainsworth and Ricky of Electra; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lehman, Linda and Larry, Jess Clifton, Mr. and

Mrs. Clois Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weathered, Mrs. C. A. Zipperle and Anita, Mr. and Mrs. George Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gordon, all of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Popp of Forney; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Schleich and Gretchen, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Schleich and Ann Diggins, of Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. George Schleich of Terrell; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haynie of College Station and Mrs. Mary Ann Dedek of Plainview.

## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nile Bryant of Floydada announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nila, to David Sewell, son of Mrs. Sue Sewell of Floydada.

The bride-elect is a candidate for May graduation from Floydada High School. She is currently a nurse's aide at the Caprock Hospital in Floydada and plans to attend nursing school in September. She received a scholarship from the Hospital Auxiliary of Floydada. Nila is the granddaughter of Mrs. Frank Halencak of Woods Nursing Home in Vernon, who lived in Foard County many years.

Sewell attended Floydada schools, graduated from Plainview High School, and attended West Texas State University in Canyon. He is employed at Floydada Farm Implement Co.

### WEST SIDE CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met March 9 in the home of Mrs. Louise Churchill with Mrs. Ray Pruet, president, in charge. Mrs. Churchill brought the opening exercise, a reading, "Keep a Going." Mrs. C. M. Carroll led the recreation and roll call was answered with "how I looked at breakfast" by 7 members and 1 visitor Mrs. Willie Garrett. Mrs. Homer Ketchersid gave the EEE committee report. The bi-centennial tea to be held March 19 honoring charter members of federated clubs was discussed. Mrs. Carroll gave the 4-H report.

Mrs. George Riethmayer gave the program on food for the elderly. Mrs. Churchill served delicious home made cookies and coffee to seven members and Mrs. Garrett. The tea on March 19 will serve as the second meeting of the month.

### 4-H CLUB REPORT

The Helping Hands 7th grade 4-H Club met March 4 in Mr. Streit's room with 15 present. The meeting was called to order by Kay McDaniel, the pledge was led by Christy Aranda, the prayer was given by Joyce McGinnis and minutes were read by Risa Winters.

The group toured the ag pavilion where the livestock show and food sale was held.

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## Mrs. Ray Baty Died Friday in Seymour

Mrs. Ray Baty, 74, of Gilliland, died in a Seymour hospital about 2 p. m. Friday after an illness of a month.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the Gilliland Baptist Church with Rev. C. H. Galloup of Seymour and Rev. Monty Long, Gilliland officiating. Interment was in Gilliland Cemetery under direction of Womack Funeral Home of Crowell.

Mrs. Baty was born as Mary Iiseng, Aug. 17, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Iiseng in Gilliland.

She married Mr. Baty in 1922 at Gilliland. He preceded her in death on Aug. 20, 1958.

She was a member of the First Christian Church.

Surviving are two sons, J. C. Baty of Munday and Louis Baty of Gilliland; five grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Alvin Michalik, Leroy Leflar, Sammy Abbott, Felix Westmoreland, Ronnie Simmons, and Emil Navratil.

## Miss Jessie Hutchison Succumbed

Miss Jessie Ora Hutchison, 89, a former resident of Crowell, died Feb. 25, in Arlington, according to word received here last week by Mrs. N. J. Roberts.

Miss Hutchison moved to Crowell from Quanah with her parents when she was a small child. Her father started the first lumber yard in Crowell, Mrs. Robert said. She was a sister of the late Clarence Hutchison of Crowell.

## Social Security Office Lists Foard Visits

The Vernon social security office announces the following days during the next three months that a representative will be in Crowell.

The representative will be here from 10 a. m. until noon on April 29, May 27 and June 24.

The sound usually associated with a tornado has been described as a roaring, rushing noise like freight trains speeding through a tunnel or jet planes flying closely overhead.

The current GI Bill, the third such program since 1944, became effective June 1, 1966, according to the Veterans Administration.

Almost nine million GI home loans, valued at \$118 billion, have been guaranteed by the Veterans Administration since World War II.

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| <b>HAMBURGER</b>     | lb. ....             | <b>78¢</b>    |
| <b>Sirloin Steak</b> | lb.....              | <b>\$1.39</b> |
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| <b>BATH SOAP</b>        | Vel Beauty Bar          | 4 bars           | <b>\$1 00</b>        |
| <b>LIQUID DETERGENT</b> | Palmolive Large         | 22 oz.           | <b>69¢</b>           |
| <b>CARNATION TUNA</b>   |                         | 2 CANS FOR       | <b>\$1 09</b>        |
| <b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b>   | Hormel                  | 5 oz. can        | 3 cans <b>\$1 09</b> |
| <b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE</b> | Texsun Unswtd. Pink Lg. | 46 oz. can       | 2 cans <b>\$1 09</b> |
| <b>ORANGE JUICE</b>     | Texsun Unsweetened      | Large 46 oz. Can | <b>59¢</b>           |

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| <b>KLEENEX Giant</b>     | 280    | <b>67¢</b>   |
| <b>Mr. Coffee Filers</b> | 50 pac | <b>49¢</b>   |
| <b>PEAS Joan of Arc</b>  |        | <b>3-89¢</b> |

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| <b>DEL MONTE SPINACH</b>  | 4 CANS FOR \$1  |
| <b>POTATO CHIPS</b>       | Planter's Canned 2 Cans in Package <b>79¢</b>         |
| <b>BLUEBONNET OLEO</b>    | 1 Pound Quarters 2 for <b>89¢</b>                     |
| <b>ORANGE JUICE</b>       | Frozen Birdseye Awake 12 oz. can 3 cans <b>\$1 00</b> |
| <b>TV MEXICAN DINNERS</b> | Patio Frozen Each <b>49¢</b>                          |

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| <b>HEINZ SWEET Cucumber Slices</b> | 16 oz. jar | <b>49¢</b> |
| <b>Green Giant Cut Beans</b>       | 4-\$1      |            |
| <b>BAMA PEACH PRESERVES</b>        | 18 oz.     | <b>79¢</b> |
| <b>BAMA RED PLUM JELLY</b>         | 18 oz. Jar | <b>69¢</b> |

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| <b>Eagle Brand Milk</b>     | 15 oz. can    | <b>59¢</b>    |
| <b>NESTEA INSTANT TEA</b>   | Lg. 4 oz.     | <b>\$1 89</b> |
| <b>MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE</b> | 1 lb. can     | <b>\$1 19</b> |
| <b>Tabby Treat</b>          | 6 1/2 oz. can | <b>\$1 00</b> |

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| <b>Joan of Arc Asparagus</b> |        | <b>2-79¢</b> |
| <b>TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT</b>      | 2 lbs. | <b>29¢</b>   |
| <b>TEXAS CABBAGE</b>         | pound  | <b>9¢</b>    |

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| <b>OAK FARMS LUXURY ICE CREAM</b> | Half-Gallon | <b>\$1 25</b> |
| <b>OAK FARMS BUTTERMILK</b>       | Half-Gallon | <b>79¢</b>    |
| <b>OAK FARMS COTTAGE CHEESE</b>   | Pint        | <b>69¢</b>    |
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# D&T FOODWAY

## 30 Years Ago in The News

News items below were taken from the Thursday, March 14, 1946, issue of The Foard County News:

The quota for the annual Red Cross drive has been brought to a successful close in Foard County with an oversubscription of \$147.20. The amount ascribed to Foard County was \$1,400.00 and the amount reported Saturday, March 9, was \$1,547.20. Hubert Brown is county chairman.

The Crowell High School track squad had an intramural meet between the seniors versus the rest of the school Tuesday afternoon. The following boys placed in the meet: J. L. Brock, Horace Todd, Bill Chumbley, Johnnie Mitchell, Lon Laquey, Hardy Sanders, A. G. Wallace, Miles Neill, J. C. Patton, Kendrick Joy, Larry Wood, Joe Mason, Carlos McBeath, V. Bond and Thomas Tamplen. Coach Leo Purvis is taking the squad to Chillicothe this afternoon for a practice meet with the Chillicothe Eagles.

The Crowell Roping Club gave its initial performance at the club arena just east of the high school building Sunday afternoon with an estimated crowd of 1,000 people attending.

Cpl. Ray Glasscock received his discharge from the service at Camp Fannin last week. He arrived at Truscott on Thursday.

Mrs. O. R. Boman will speak at the high school auditorium on Friday evening, March 22 on her experiences during her internment as a prisoner of the Japanese at Santa Tomas Internment Camp in Manila.

Joe B. Turner of Truscott and Clinton McLain of Crowell spent the weekend in Abilene visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones and daughters, Joyce, Clara and Norma, visited in Vernon Sunday. En route home they attended the roping club performance in Crowell.

Mrs. James Sandlin and daughter, Judy Gail, of Vivian spent several days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Owens, of Foard City.

Virgil Johnson attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Weldon Hays, who was recently discharged from the Army, has accepted his former position as service man with the W. R. Womack Furniture and Undertaking firm. He was employed in this store from 1938 until he entered the service in 1942.

The marriage of Miss Mildred Fish of Vivian and William R. Henderson, formerly of Newberry, S. C. but now of Vernon, was solemnized Sunday evening, March 10, at the home of Rev. Robert E. Austin, pastor of the First Christian Church of Vernon, who officiated with the double ring ceremony.

Hearings on the Wagner-Murray-Dingell Bill, which would institute compulsory health insurance and place all physicians under Federal control, will commence before the Senate Committee on Education and Labor on March 18. A number of Texas doctors will go to Washington and testify against the proposed bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith of Margaret visited relatives in Vernon Saturday.

LETTER TO EDITOR  
Hello, Bill,

It is with pleasure that I renew my subscription for another year. The military newspapers, radio and TV concentrate on national and world news, so a source of news from Texas is always welcome.

Sincerely,  
Mark H. Harris.  
Germany.



# AUCTION SATURDAY TOPS ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS

A total of \$16,098.92 in premiums was paid by area merchants and individuals in the auction of animals in the Foard County 4-H and FFA Project Show.

This large sum is more than \$5,000 above the total premiums paid last year, when premiums totaled \$10,325.03.

The sale grossed \$27,175.17 with floor prices paid for the 89 sheep, nine steers and 22 hogs accounting for \$9,321.79.

B&L Safemart Tires of Vernon paid \$1,298.75 at \$1.25 per pound for Don Johnson's grand champion steer and McLain Farm Equipment of Crowell paid \$928.80 at 80 cents per pound for Ronnie Swan's

reserve champion steer.

Mollye Wisdom's grand champion market hog sold for \$395.90 at \$1.85 per pound. Wilbarger Farm Machinery of Vernon was purchaser.

Kajs Brothers of Crowell paid \$1.40 per pound for a total of \$326.20 for Debra Kajs' 233 pound reserve champion market hog.

Wilbarger Farm Machinery bought Dan Wall's champion 113-pound market lamb for \$355.95 at \$3.15 per pound.

Jay Wall's 100 pound reserve champion lamb sold for \$2.80 per pound to Kenneth Halbert for \$280.

Auctioneers were Ken and Jackie Shelton of Vernon. Billy Johnson of Crowell set the floor price on lambs at \$48.10. Buster Borchardt set the floor on hogs at \$45.50 and Bill Flowers and R. C. Daniel set the floor price on calves at \$34.50.

The results of the sale with the exhibitor, weight of animal, price per pound, purchaser and total price, in that order, are:

**Hogs**  
Mollye Wisdom, 214, \$1.85, Wilbarger Farm Machinery \$395.90; Debra Kajs, 233, \$1.40, Kajs Bros., \$326.20; Rocky Marlow, 212, 90c, Crowell State Bank, \$190.80; Stan Gentry, 232, .80, Herring National Bank, \$185.60; Bill Coufal, 211, \$1.25, Kajs Bros, \$263.75; Ray Don Werley, 229, .80,

North Tx. Livestock Feeders, \$183.20; Brenda Kajs, 221, \$1.20, Greenbelt Dehydrating, \$265.20; Connie Werley, 240, .81, Thedford Pharmacy, \$194.40; Johnny Kajs, 216, \$1.40, Herring National Bank, \$302.40; Rocky Glasscock, 233, .86, Vernon Savings & Loan, \$233.86; Jonna Naylor, 214, \$1.35, Farmers Coop. Gin, Thalia, \$288.90; Jerry Daniel, 231, .83, Osborne's, \$191.73; Richard Naylor, 216, \$1.21, Herring National Bank, \$261.36; Michael Daniel, 236, .85, Farmers Coop. Elevator, \$200.60; Rhonda Westbrook, 222, .78, Waggoner National Bank, \$173.16; Ken Gentry, 235, .73, Waggoner National Bank, \$171.55; Richard Westbrook, 239, .82, R. C. Daniel, \$195.98; Leslie Denton, 210, .82, Farmers Coop. Elevator, \$172.20; Louis Cerda, 228, .99, Farmers Coop. Gin, Thalia, \$225.72; Abel Cerda, 214, .83, Quannah Cotton Oil Mill, \$177.62; Mary Barrera, 236, .75, Crowell State Bank, \$177.00; Pollye Wisdom, 210, \$1.21, Greenbelt Dehydrating Co., \$254.10.

**Lambs**  
Patricia Brown, 91, \$2.50, Crowell Welding Shop, \$227.50; Emma Hudgens, 110, \$1.60, Herring National Bank, \$176.00; Erin Odell, 111, \$1.40, Foard County News, \$155.40; Jody Gafford, 91, \$3.00; Walter Ramsey, \$273.00; Delbert Glover, 114, \$1.50, Rotary Club, \$171.00; Gail Fish, 108, \$1.85, Welch Butane, \$199.80; Mary Barrera, 108, \$1.50, Waggoner National Bank, \$162.00; Leslie Denton, 95, \$1.70, Roy Steele, \$161.50; Ray Don Werley, 108, \$1.75, Welch Butane, \$189.00; Wayne Glover, 120, \$1.50, Crowell State Bank, \$160.00; Scott Reed, 96, \$1.65, Dick Todd, Otis Gafford, \$158.40; Susan Ayers, 120, \$2.20, B&L Safemart Tires, \$264.00.

Dan Wall, 113, \$3.15, Wilbarger Farm Machinery, \$355.95; Jay Wall, 100, \$2.80, Kenneth Halbert, \$280.00; Brenda Greening, 120, \$1.22, Don Welch, \$146.40; Brenda Henry, 116, \$1.45, International Cattle Systems, \$168.20; Donald Martin, 94, \$1.32, Farmers

Coop. Elevator, \$124.08; Jo Anna Hord, 101, \$1.22, Jack Welch, \$123.22; Janet Hord, 106, \$1.26, Down Town Bible Class, \$133.56; Carol Sue Scott, 87, \$1.35, Farmers Coop. Elevator, \$117.45; Erwin Jackson, 106, \$1.22 1/2, Waggoner National Bank, \$129.85; Mike Moore, 120, \$2.00, Eagle Flat Insurance, \$240.00; John Klepper, 100, \$1.52, Osborne's Distributors \$152.00; Oran Carroll, 106, \$1.50, Osborne's, \$159.00; Dwayne Dishman, 90, \$1.43, Vernon Stockyards, \$128.70.

Mike Cates, 100, \$1.90, International Cattle Systems, \$190.00; Mack Gafford, 105, \$2.10, Walter Ramsey, \$220.50; Elizabeth Kincaid, 92, \$2.30, Johnson & Lemons, \$211.60; Nancy Fish, 100, \$1.60, Red River Farm Supply, \$160.00; Mike Brown, 95, \$2.10, Vernon Savings & Loan, \$199.50; Betty Cox, 93, \$1.70, D&T Foodway, \$158.10; Carla Milosovich, 105, \$1.80, Duane Johnson, \$189.00; Pat Gerhardt, 112, \$1.75, Jim Mack and Otis Gafford, \$196.00; William Carroll, 100, \$1.60, Olney Livestock Auction, \$160.00; Ray Smith, 107, \$1.60, Jimmy D. Werley, \$171.20; Lori Elkins, 97, \$1.60, Farmers Coop. Elevator, \$155.20; Sara Fish, 100, \$1.70, Herbert Fish, \$170.00; Nancy Brown, 105, \$1.75, Wilbarger Farm Machinery, \$183.75.

Dirk Gentry, 119, \$1.40, Vernon Savings & Loan, \$166.60; Bryan Whitman, 105, \$2.55, Adkins Oil Co., \$267.75; Patsy Williams, 92, \$2.00, Tole Texaco, \$184.00; Janie Gerhardt, 92, \$2.20, Tejas Buyers, Ltd., \$202.40; Paul Quintero, 104, \$1.45, Jackie Walker, 150.80; Eddie Kuehn, 112, \$2.55, Wilbarger Farm Machinery, \$285.60; Sherri Gray, 95, \$1.95, Gafford Hair Styling, \$185.25; Clinton Machac, 89, \$2.10, Greenbelt Dehydrating Co., \$186.90; Jeff Christopher, 83, \$1.65, Otis Johnson Custom Plowing, \$136.95; John Halsell, 100, \$2.50, Vernon Savings & Loan, \$250.00; Richard Fish, 91, \$1.55, Halsell ranch, \$141.05.

Allen Elkins, 106, \$1.30, Crowell State Bank, \$137.80; David Seedig, 102, \$1.22, Don Statter, \$124.44; Brenda Taylor, 95, \$1.55, Bank of Vernon, \$147.25; Judy Jackson, 108, \$1.40, Welch Butane, \$151.20; David Dunn, 114, \$1.45, Thomas Sales, \$165.30; Gary Hodges, 97, \$1.45, Welch Butane, \$140.65; Steve Matysek, 105, \$1.70, W. F. Staiser, \$178.50; Johnny Baize, 88, \$1.50, Farmers Elevator, \$132.00; Randy Fish, 112, \$1.70, Osborne's, \$190.40; Freddie Collins, 115, \$1.60, Crowell State Bank, \$184.00; Tim Christopher, 95, \$1.45, Farm Bureau, \$137.75; Jimmy Quintero, 107, \$1.50, Gibson Pharmacy, \$160.50.

Sandra Bachman, 94, \$2.15, Greenbelt Dehydrating Co., \$202.10; Terry Glover, 100, \$1.70, Merl Moore, \$170.00; Ramiro Quintero, 95, \$1.45, Gibson Dist. Center, \$137.75; Scott Streit, 93, \$2.50, Wilbarger Farm Machinery, \$232.50; Mark Christopher, 100, \$1.55, Rocky Bachman, \$155.00; Bonny Cox, 112, \$1.55, Kenneth Halbert, \$173.60; Marshall Reed, 99,

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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. 9-1-76

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. pd. 1-77

POSITIVELY no hunting, fishing or trespassing on any land owned by me.—Edwina Halencak. pd. 10-76

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on the Minnick Ranch.—Mrs. J. H. Minnick Estate. pd. 1-77

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mrs. Maggie Barker. pd. 1-77

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. 1-77

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Glenn Halsell Cattle Co. pd. 1-77

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Otis Gafford. pd. 1-77

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting on land owned, leased or rented by us. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCoy. pd. 9-76

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned, rented or leased by Merl Kincaid Estate. pd. 1-77

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. Hughston and M. L. Speer land. pd. 11-6-76

POSITIVELY no trespassing, fishing or hunting on my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mrs. Harry Schlagal. pd. 5-76

NO TRESPASSING of any kind by non-members will be allowed at the Spring Lake Country Club. Trespassers will be prosecuted. Also no shooting of firearms is allowed on the property by either members or non-members.—Board of Directors. 33-tfc

NO hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned by the Juanita Gafford Estate. pd. 1-77

\$1.55, Waggoner National Bank, \$153.45; Myron Halencak, 102, \$1.65, J.T. Hughston, \$168.30; Paula Baize, 98, \$1.60, H. L. Ayers, \$156.80; Billy Brown, 103, \$2.30, Herring National Bank, \$236.90; Delma Barrera, 91, \$1.40, Red River Farm Supply, \$127.40; Tommy Russell, 83, \$3.20, Farmers Fertilizer, \$265.60; Tanya Milosovich, 106, \$1.45, Brooks Auto Supply, \$153.70.

Fred Henry, 104, \$2.00, Glendon Johnson, \$208.00; Jessie Odell, 95, \$1.60, Jackie Walker and Edward Howard, \$152.00; Carolyn Halsell, 103, \$2.25, Herring National Bank, \$231.75; Mollye Wisdom, 92, \$1.90, Halsell ranch, \$174.80; Carol Kuehn, 102, \$2.85, Greenbelt Dehydrating, \$290.70;

# WANT ADS

## TRESPASS NOTICES

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 Counties, 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

## THALIA LODGE NO. 666 AF&AM Stated Meeting

Fourth Monday of each month.  
March 22, 8 p. m.  
Members are urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
J. E. Brasher, W. M.  
Robert Kincaid, Sec.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney:  
GENE HEATLY.

For State Representative, District 101:  
W. S. (BILL) HEATLY.

## For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

BILLY C. JOHNSON.

## For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

WILSON MYERS  
BILLY RAY DUNN.

## For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:

ROY M. "ACE" WHITLEY  
JACKIE WALKER.

## LARRY PAUL GLOVER.

## NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Foard, City of Crowell.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Crowell, Foard County, Texas on the third day of April, A. D. 1976, the same being the first Saturday in said month, for the purpose of electing two aldermen for said City.

Mrs. Ruth Andrews has been appointed Presiding Officer for said election and she shall select two (2) clerks to assist in the holding of said election. And said election shall be held in the same manner prescribed by law for holding other elections.

Every qualified person who has attained the age of eighteen (18) years and who has resided within the limits of said City for six (6) months next preceding the date of said election and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Crowell, Texas, this 11th day of February, A. D. 1976.  
ROBERT KINCAID,  
Mayor of the City of Crowell, Texas.

ATTEST:  
WILMA CATES,  
City Secretary.  
(SEAL) 34-4tc

Michael Hudgens, 83, \$2.85, Wilbarger Elevator, \$236.55; Pollye Wisdom, 104, \$2.55, Lehman Angus Farms, \$265.20; Mitzi Kuehn, 86, \$2.90, Hardcastle Ag Air, \$249.40.

**Steers**  
Don Johnson, 1039, \$1.25, B&L Safemart Tires, \$1298.75; Ronnie Swan, 1161, .80, McLain Farm Equipment, \$928.80; Duane Daniel, 895, .45, Crowell State Bank, \$402.75; Jimmy Daniel 1016, 43.50, Bill Flowers, \$441.96; Terry Boren, 896, 46.50, Glendon Johnson, \$416.64; Jerry Daniel, 851, 46.50, Bank of Vernon, \$395.71; Jan Reeder, 901, 45.50, Vernon Stock Yards, \$409.95; John Thomas, 850, 50.00, Red River Farm Supply, \$425.00; Michael Daniel, 916, 46.50, Virgil Johnson, \$425.94.

## 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.  
April 12, 7 p. m.  
Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
J. E. Brasher, W. M.  
Robert Kincaid, Sec.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666 AF&AM Stated Meeting

Fourth Monday of each month.  
March 22, 8 p. m.  
Members are urged to attend and visitors welcome.  
Frank Wisdom, W. M.  
Joe Coufal, Sec.

**WARNING!** Investigate before you invest. The News does everything possible to keep these columns free of misleading, unscrupulous or fraudulent advertising. When a fraudulent ad is discovered in any paper in the country, we usually learn of it in time to refuse the same ad in this paper. However, it is impossible to screen all ads as thoroughly as we would like to, so we urge our readers to check thoroughly any proposition requiring an investment.

## WANTED

WANTED—To hand paint shirts.—Mrs. Cecil Dunn, 684-4431. 36-3tp

Wanted to buy-Baby stroller in good condition. Mrs. Tom Smith. 37-1tp

## FOR RENT

For Rent—Four room house in Margaret. Completely furnished or you can furnish. Call O. C. Allen, 684-4239 or see C. F. Bradford, East Donnell in Crowell. 36-2tp

Ledger sheets, indexes and binders for sale at the News office.

**GRIFFITH Insurance Agency General Insurance Old Line Legal Reserve Companies**

**C. D. ELECTRIC**  
Fast, Dependable Service  
Phone 684-7531  
Charles Dilday Owner and Operator  
Box 351 Crowell, Tx.

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Aerial Spraying for Insecticides, Defoliating, Brush Control, Fertilizer, and Seeding.  
CONTACT BOB DANIEL  
Crowell Airport 684-7631  
Res. 474-2643

## NOTICES

NOTICE—Order buying of cattle, \$1.00 per head. I can get any grade or any weight up to 500 lbs. Heifers or steers. Buying for Hill Farms, Homer Hill, Hart, Texas. For contract, we will call Mr. Hill, early or late, to get a firm price.—Floyd Ferguson, 684-6211, day or night. 24-50tp

TERMITES? Tree spraying or roach control. Licensed and insured. Call Ray Quintero, American Pest Control, 684-5472. 13-tfc

NOTICE—Quality construction and remodeling, roofing, insulation, concrete. Call Leslie Hopkins, 684-7761. 29-tfc

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

NOTICE—Termites, roach control, tree spraying. Licensed and insured. Call Richard Winters, 684-3561. 13-tfc

Journeyman Electrician—License 10 yrs. Jobs large or small. Phone Jim Rich 684-5411. 36-2tp

KEYS MADE at my home Saturdays and after 6 p. m. week days. 684-6491—Ray Shirley. 20-tfc

## Garage Sales

Two family garage sale Wednesday and Thurs., starts 3:00 p. m. Janis Everson home. 37-1tp

## LOST

LOST—Red tail gate. Notify Tom Ellis, 684-2772. 37-2tp

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1961 Ford Galaxie 4 door. Good condition. Call 684-2982. 37-1tp

FOR SALE—Boys 27" 5-speed bicycle, nearly new. Phone 684-7531. 37-1tc

This space can help you buy or sell something. Call 684-4311.

FOR SALE—Used Deere tractor, big wheel type with good tires. Lain Farm Equip. 34-4tc

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**FOR SALE OR TRADE**  
M-M GB Tractor, on butane, hydraulic, runs good. Lots of good 16 inch new tubes, \$3.50 up. Two 16 inch rims. Eight 14 and 15 inch tires, your choice \$2.00 or \$12.00 for all. Good for trailer. One good rim fits E78-14. John Deere sickle type mower, \$30.00 firm. Needs use. Lots extra sickle parts. Dusting machine \$25.00 firm. Make nice small trailer. 4 wheel auto frame trailer, no bed, fairly good. Approximately 25 moldboard plow share blades, assorted sizes. Some fairly good. Sell cheap. One 20 inch girls bicycle, nice. Needs tires. \$15.00 firm. One 26 inch girls bicycle, nice \$15.00. Needs tubes. One 27 inch large frame 10 speed men's bicycle. Nice. \$50.00 firm. Lots of used bicycle parts. 12V conversion kit for international tractor, \$50.00 firm. TUBES—Assorted Sizes. 75 serrated sections, 10 cents each. Brand new international tractor parts.  
**WM. BARNETT**  
MARGARET  
Mailing address: Rt. 2, Crowell, Texas 79227  
Phone 817/684/4236

**ADDITION TO OUR STAFF!**  
ANOTHER MAN—added to our Service Dept.—makes a total of six full time mechanics. We welcome William E. [Bill] Neason, of Shiro, Texas, to our growing staff of employees. Bill has a Masters degree in Agriculture from Sam Houston State University at Huntsville, Texas. Also, he has recently completed the Agricultural Tractor & Equipment mechanics program at Texas State Technical Institute of Waco, Texas. He worked his way through all this schooling, and recently for the Case dealer at Waco—while going to mechanics school. Bill is 26 years old, married, with two small children, and a member of the Methodist Church. The family will be a nice asset to our area. Our Dealership is proud to make this addition—another step in an overall effort to increase our services to farmers and ranchers of this area.  
**McLain Farm Equip.**  
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