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THALIA ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Stanley J. Clark and wife visited friends here last week.

There is seven of M. J. Phillips' family down with the flu.

Miss Emma Maine, one of the teachers, is reported quite sick.

Ralph Cato of Vernon was in this community Monday evening.

The picture show Friday and Saturday nights was well attended.

Leona Thompson was the guest of Miss Opal Banister Saturday night.

C. W. Beidleman of Crowell was visiting in this community Tuesday.

Jim Grey has put in a grocery store here. He moved his family here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble visited her mother, Grandma Williams, last Sunday.

J. A. Abston moved his family to his new home he recently bought of Mr. Hester.

Miss Myrtle Johnson visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Shultz, at Vernon a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Skipworth and children of Vernon were visiting relatives here this week.

Garland Burns moved his furniture into the Dunn building until he gets his new house completed.

Bob Huntley, Will Banister and John Thompson went to Vernon Saturday and returned Sunday.

One of Mrs. Milliard Phillips' aunts is visiting her but we failed to get her name and where she is from.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ward spent Saturday night with her parents and attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Miss Pauline Pigg of Crowell visited relatives and attended the funeral of her cousin, Rollie Johnson, Tuesday.

Gordon Davis moved his family from Grover Phillips farm to the J. G. Thompson farm north of town Monday.

Mrs. Baughn the trained nurse of Vernon went to Charley Grey's to nurse Mrs. Grey who is very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. Maggie Capps of Crowell visited her parents here Monday and attended the funeral of her cousin, Rollie Johnson, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shultz of Vernon was called out Sunday night on account of the illness and death of her brother, Rollie Johnson.

Jim Banister and son, Roy, returned home Sunday night from Brookston, Texas. They went after their car and came back in it.

There was no school Tuesday on account of the funeral of Rollie Johnson.

Miss Myrtle Huntley has been suffering with the flu. Mrs. Walter Taylor taught in her place.

George Maynard died at Vernon last Monday at 8 a. m. and was buried in the Thalia cemetery Tuesday at 4 p. m. The funeral exercises was conducted by O. Davis of Rayland.

W. E. Pigg and family who live six miles north of Vernon came in Monday in answer to a message that his nephew, Rollie Johnson, was at the point of death. Rollie passed away a few hours before they arrived.

This community was saddened Monday by the death of one of our noblest young men, Rollie Johnson. He was sick only a few days, but God in His infinite love called him and he had to go. His place will be missed at home and at church. To the bereaved father, mother, brothers and sister, we will say "Weep not as those who have no hope," but live pure Christian lives as he has lived, so you may meet him in the beautiful beyond. He was buried in the Thalia cemetery Tuesday at 3 p. m., Bro. Henderson conducted the services.

THE MODEL BAKERY

I have opened up a new bakery at the Tysinger old stand on the north side of the square and am prepared to give first-class service in my line. The patronage of the public is solicited.—Q. R. Miller. 36

NOTICE TO PEOPLE

OF CROWELL
The City Marshal hereby notifies the people of Crowell that all collections for scavenger work will hereafter be in his hands and the public will be expected to call at his office the first of each month and settle same.

P. S. LOVELADY, City Marshal.

NOTICE

Those who live in voting precinct No. 1 and outside of the city incorporation and who have not been enumerated please see me at Crowell Saturday afternoon.—Wade Fox.



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W. R. WOMACK

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

How the mighty have fallen—Jeff Davis, hobo king of New York, went on a health tour of his dominions recently, advocating soap and water.

China and Portugal are on the verge of war over a dike built by Portuguese on Chinese territory near their concession. Somebody's going to spill the water.

The Birth Gem for February

is the Amethyst, emblem of contentment.

The Pink is the birth month flower.

The poetic belief of the ancient Greeks was that the origin of the amethyst occurred in the changing of a beautiful nymph, beloved by Bacchus, into an amethyst, representing the color of this god's favorite beverage.

Amethysts may be obtained here in nearly every imaginable article of jewelry. They are beautiful and inexpensive, offering the February born a birth month emblem at small cost.

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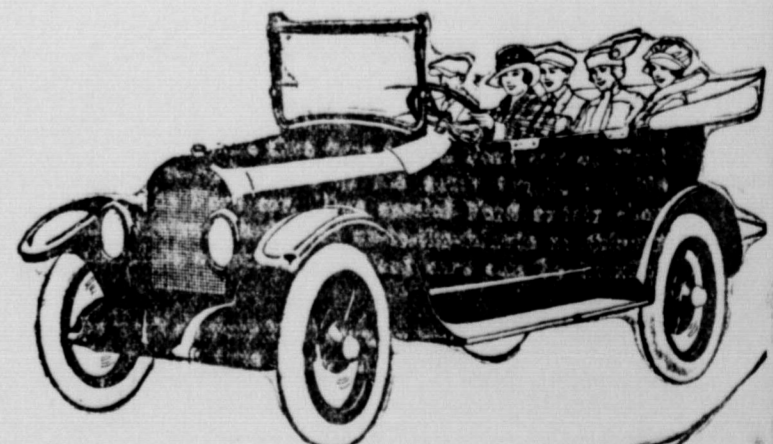
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An assistant attorney general says, "Prices must go down." The right talk, but it won't help the dollar.

The United States felt ninety-seven earthquakes in 1919, exclusive of the shocks in the Senate.

since my married and the flu. And we failed to get regulars.

Mrs. Thomas, our agent, is confined with the flu and a very homely man has taken her place at the depot.

Mrs. Y. W. Evens of Sunsett came to be with her daughter, Mrs. Middlebrook, and family who are all sick.

We are having delightful summer weather but not the kind of weather we usually have this season of the year.

Bro. Henderson is recovering from the flu, but not in condition to attend to his duties.

It is fine weather for gardening but the ground is too wet to plow. Grass is growing but the wheat is very backward and the stand is not good.

There is a large amount of cotton still in the fields and much maize and other feed stuff ungathered.

Prof. Garner, who lived thirty years with apes, and claimed to have reduced their chatter to a language, died the other day. What ought to happen to a man who picked out apes to live with?

Ferguson Brothers

The Retail Store

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Foard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Albin Slovak, a boy aged ten years, Willie Slovak, a boy aged eight years, Leona Slovak, a girl aged six years, Adolph Slovak, a boy aged two years, Minors, A. A. Slovak, has filed in the County Court of Foard County an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of said Albin Slovak, Willie Slovak, Leona Slovak and Adolph Slovak which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1920, same being the first day of March, A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office, in Crowell, Texas, this the 24th day of January, A. D. 1920.

MARIE HARRIS,
Clerk County Court, Foard Co., Tex.

MERGER OF EXPRESS COMPANIES MAY CONTINUE AFTER RAIROADS ARE RETURNED

A report has been circulating recently to the effect that the various companies which now constitute the American Railway Express Company will continue their present merger even after the railroads are returned to private control. When he was asked about this rumor, George C. Taylor, the President of the Corporation, made the following statement:

"The continuance of the corporation in its present form has merely been discussed and no positive action is possible until after the railroad legislation in Congress has been completed. My view is that no other disposition of the express companies would be feasible."

When Mr. Taylor was asked what the attitude of the various railroads toward such a step as the continued consolidation would be, he said that

the attitude of the railroads appeared to be entirely favorable.

Monarchists have won in recent Hungarian elections, and sentiment is being divided in a search for a King. An American multimillionaire has been suggested. Budapest would have some finances available under such a choice, and we lift our hat to the ingenious device for credit.

No matter how salubrious Mexican climate may be Americans find it unhealthy.

During the past ten years Mexico has developed one thousand paying oil wells.

"DIAMOND DYE" OLD GARMENTS LIKE NEW

Any woman can dye faded, shabby wearing apparel, whether wool, silk, cotton, linen or mixed goods to any color, just like new, by following simple directions in each package of "Diamond Dyes."

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The Year to Build

YES, THIS IS THE YEAR TO BUILD. YOU MAY NOT THINK SO AT FIRST THOUGHT. YOU MAY SAY MATERIAL IS TOO HIGH, BUT IT IS NOT.

LET US GIVE YOU THIS THOUGHT: A BALE OF COTTON TODAY WILL BUY MORE THAN TWICE AS MUCH BUILDING MATERIAL AS IT EVER WOULD BEFORE. BASING THINGS ON THE PRESENT PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS, YOU CAN BUILD A GREAT DEAL CHEAPER THAN YOU COULD HAVE IN 1914, OR IN YEARS PAST.

THIS IS THE YEAR TO BUILD, WHEN FARM PRODUCTS ARE SO HIGH AND WILL GO SO FAR IN PAYING FOR MATERIAL. LET US GIVE YOU ESTIMATES. WE WILL GLADLY DO SO.

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.
W. F. KIRKPATRICK, Mgr.

J. H. SELF & SON

The International Harvester Co. having bought the Parlin & Orendorff line of machinery, and we being their agents in this town, they have turned the P. & O. line over to us, and we will be glad to show you anything in this line of machinery that we have, also if you are going to need extras for your lister, cultivator, plows, etc., we would appreciate your order for them as soon as possible, so that we may get them here in time.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, OWNERS AND PUBLISHERS

Entered at the Post Office at Crowell, Texas, as second class matter.

Crowell, Texas, February 12, 1920

THE SPREADING INFLUENZA

The nation seems again to face a widespread plague. Reports of influenza pour in, and cities all over the country keep daily toll of the dead. Once again we hear of general quarantines, with schools closed, churches suspended and gatherings prohibited. The people rush to buy "cures" that are advertised to save their lives. Insurance agents call to your mind the deadliness of the disease, and the ease of receiving pay while you are sick.

That the disease is serious cannot be doubted. That it will be as fatal as last year is to be doubted. People can afford to be careful, but there is no necessity for a general panic. To catch the influenza is not a warrant of death, and the best state of mind to prevent fatality is to be calm. Of course, you may die if you have influenza, but you may be killed tomorrow by an accident. Life is fleeting at best, and while a disease like influenza is to be respected for its deadly power the race of man should not cringe before it, in panic.

The doctors and health officials are doing all they can to take care of the situation. Individuals can be careful with themselves and avoid exposure. An ounce of prevention is still worth a pound of cure.

BLOCKADING DUTCH PORTS

No matter what we may think of the Kaiser the Dutch government has a legal right, heretofore sanctioned by civilization, to grant refuge to the former emperor of Germany. The Dutch consider him a political exile. While they may be wrong in that they are the ones to judge, and since they have so judged, the entente has no right to blockade her ports.

The rights of small nations have been swept aside in the late war, and

the news from Paris that the rejoinder of the allies to the refusal of Holland to surrender the Kaiser will give the Dutch another chance to surrender him, with the alternative of a diplomatic breach, and possible blockade of Dutch ports, indicates that the bigger nations, despite their talk, have faith in the law of might.

MISS RUTH CATES DIES IN DALLAS SANITARIUM

Miss Mary Ruth Cates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Cates of Crowell, who had been making her home in Dallas for some time died in a sanitarium in that city Tuesday, February 10, following an operation for an abscess in her side caused from a spell of pneumonia.

She was down with the pneumonia for several weeks and was recovering when it developed that she would have to undergo an operation from which she failed to recover. Her father, I. M. Cates, was with her during her serious illness and death.

The remains were shipped to Crowell and arrived here Wednesday afternoon, the funeral services taking place at the Baptist church yesterday at 3 o'clock following which interment was made in the Crowell cemetery.

The deceased was 21 years of age and was born and reared in this county with the exception of a few years the family spent in Vernon.

The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

NOTICE

I want to thank those who have made my new work possible. The curtain at the Bell Opera House is well underway. I am not experimenting but I am at work and I know what I am doing. I am going to prove that I am an artist. I am giving you the very best that's in me and I am glad I have the chance to do so. In the near future I will have something of my own creation that will prove to all that I can deliver the goods. I thank you for what you have done for me in this undertaking.

J. EDGAR KIMSEY.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

I will be in Crowell next Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning, and on account of heavy work at home, I will be there only once a month hereafter which will be the 3rd Tuesday.

Very respectfully yours,
L. P. McCRARY, M. D.
Hamlin, Texas.

A gypsy wife sold her husband to another woman for \$5000, saying she let him go cheap. How much are you worth to your wife?

Sometimes the depth of a sermon is in inverse ratio to its length.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Tax Assessor:
L. G. ANDREWS

For County Treasurer:
EMILY PURCELL

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
E. P. BOMAR

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
C. D. STEPHENSON

For County and District Clerk:
MARIE HARRIS.

For County Judge:
G. L. BURK.

Mrs. Orie Graham and Miss Clarabelle Campsey returned last Sunday from Matador where they were on account of their sister, Mrs. A. N. Smallwood, and family, having the flu.

There is a reason for most things. I am selling products of the Texhoma Oil & Refining Company which are second to none in quality.—B. F. Ivie at Bruce & Wallace's barber shop, phone No. 199.

Mrs. Ora Hunter, who had been here for a couple of weeks with her daughter, Miss Gladys Benson, who underwent an operation at the hospital, left Tuesday for her home in Paducah. Gladys is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Womack returned Saturday from several weeks visit in Mississippi. The visit and rest proved very beneficial to them as is indicated in their looks. They must have found plenty to eat.

Mrs. Zeibig came in last week from San Diego, Cal., to be with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Schlagal, who is in bad health. She says her son, Carl, has purchased some town property in San Diego and he and his family are happily located and are getting along well.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hutchison entertained during the latter part of the past week Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thacker, who have recently come from Crowell, Texas, to reside in Sawtelle, where Mr. Thacker is employed by a bank.—Covina (Cal.) Citizen.

BRINGING UP A FAMILY

Houston, Texas:—"After motherhood I always took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to build me up and strengthen

me. It surely benefited me greatly every time and I would never hesitate to recommend this medicine to all women who become nervous, weak and run-down, especially while bringing up a family."
—Mrs. DELLA LEA, 4413 Center St.

Houston, Texas:—"I have the utmost faith in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic for women or girls developing into womanhood. When I was a girl I became all rundown, weak and nervous, due to irregularity. My mother gave me the 'Prescription' and it restored me to perfect health."
—Mrs. A. THOMAS, 4318 Spencer St.

Houston, Texas:—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for women and their ailments is an excellent medicine. I have taken it for feminine troubles and when run down, weak and nervous, and must say it was very quick in building me up and relieving me of my trouble, and I always felt much better in every way after its use."
—Mrs. H. E. WILLIAMS, 2424 Freeman St.

Weak women should try it now. Don't wait! Today is the day to begin. This temperance tonic and nerve will bring vim, vigor and vitality. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial pkge. tablets. It promotes perfect regularity. It soothes and strengthens the nerves, drives away despondency, and gives a healthy appetite and refreshing sleep. It makes weak women strong.

A CHILD GETS CROSS, SICK AND FEVERISH WHEN CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated Clean Little Liver And Bowels

If your little one's tongue is coated, it is a sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

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We assume that you are interested in everything new in the way of Farm Implements,

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- Fifth-- A lever on each side adjusts the dept and levels the machine.

Look it over before you buy.

M.S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

L. G. Andrews and C. T. Schlagal, the old reliable fishermen, report fishing good at the Bomar lake this week. Mr. Andrews happened to the misfortune of getting his shoes burned up one day while there. He had pulled them off to wade out into the lake and left them in some grass on the bank when Tom Barcey came along and burned the grass together with Mr. Andrews' shoes. But Mr. Andrews got the fish just the same even if he did have to come home bare-footed.

Electric light bulbs, fuses and fixtures.—Self Motor Co.

PROMINENT MERCHANT FOUND LASTING RELIEF

In a South Carolina county-seat a prominent merchant suffered for years with eczema. Money was not a consideration if he could only be relieved from the terrible itching, burning, and irritation. He scratched his back at nights until it bled, but the soreness only became worse. He visited Western Springs, and consulted various physicians, but never found a permanent cure until a friend brought Zemerine to his notice. He tried this great treatment, and now sings its praises highly. Zemerine is a wonderful treatment for diseased skin, especially eczema, tetter, rash, itch, and similar disorders. It is sold

upon the fairest basis imaginable. Your money will be returned if it doesn't help you after a fair trial. You can't get Zemerine at your drug store. Send \$1 or 50 cents to the Ezerine Chemical Co., Orangeburg, S. C. A jar will be sent you direct.

Crowell, Texas
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We know what a grocery stock ought to be, and know that our line is choice, clean, fresh and complete, and is kept in a sanitary store. We cater to the wants of the public, and years of experience have taught us what the public wants. Therefore we solicit a trial at furnishing you with--

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It will not disappoint you.

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Whether Cotter Pin or Complete Overhaul

You can get it in our Sales and Service Station. We are Authorized Ford Dealers. In our stockroom, we carry every part that goes into a Ford car or Ford truck. They're genuine Ford parts too—each made of the same tough, durable Vanadium steel as its counterpart in the Ford car. Our special Ford repair shop is thoroughly equipped with specially designed tools and up-to-the-minute machinery so that repairs, adjustments, or complete overhauls for Ford cars can be handled promptly and efficiently.

Our mechanics who will do the work on your Ford cars, or trucks, understand the Ford mechanism and know the right way to tune it up. And for the work you will pay only the reasonable Ford prices.

We are a part of the Big Ford Family and not only repair Fords but sell them as well. We have more than a passing interest in the service we give you. Drive to our garage when your Ford needs repairing. For safety's sake have the Authorized Ford dealer do it.

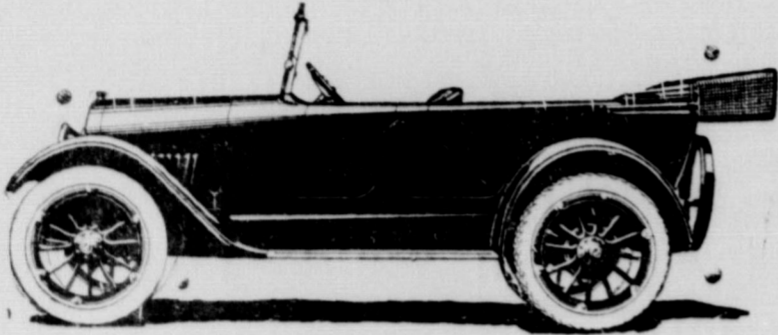
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Spencer & Hughston
Crowell, Texas

QUESTION OF RAILWAYMEN'S WAGES AGAIN DISCUSSED BY UNIONS AND HINES

The demands of the 2,000,000 employees of the Federal controlled railroads were discussed in a conference in Washington between Railroad Administration officials and the representatives of the men. After the close of the conference neither Director General Hines nor the labor leaders would make a public statement concerning the day's negotiations.

It is not expected that the present conference will result in a solution of the whole wage problem. Few points of agreement have been reached so far, it is reported, each party being dissatisfied with some particular feature. One of the chief points stressed by the union leaders is that the railwaymen do not feel that any progress has been made in reducing the cost of living.

Try Nyais corn remover.—Ferguson Bros.

Knox City Sanitarium

A nice quiet homelike place, where you can have the comforts of a home with the advantages of a light, sanitary, up-to-date operating room ready for any emergency. Under the care of the best of nurses with my careful personal attention.

T. S. EDWARDS, Surgeon.

Beverly & Beverly

Lands, Loans and Abstracts

Crowell, Texas

TUBERCULOSIS PREVENTABLE AND CURABLE

Austin, Texas.—Thoughtlessness is one of the great causes of the spread of tuberculosis, declares D. E. Breed, executive secretary of the Texas Public Health Association.

"This may seem to be a peculiar statement," said Mr. Breed; "but you often hear people say: 'Why should I help to prevent tuberculosis? I haven't the disease; and I won't get it.' But these people do not know that they are liable at any moment to contract the 'white plague' if it is allowed to spread. Their thoughtlessness and heedlessness may allow tuberculosis to enter their homes and attack their wife and children. This disease is preventable and curable."

The census of 1910 showed that there were over 690,000 negroes in Texas in that year. The tuberculosis death rate among the colored race is estimated to be 450 for every 100,000 yearly. This would mean that there are over 3100 deaths from this disease among the negroes of Texas every year. The death rate among the Mexicans is very high on account of the bad living conditions under which many of them exist.

"It is the duty of every Texan to help drive the 'Great White Plague' from the state and the thoughtlessness which says: 'I haven't the disease so why should I help?' allows tuberculosis to spread," said Mr. Breed. "The dread disease which causes such ravages among the people of our state must be checked; the negroes must be helped as well as the whites."

The Texas Public Health Association which has been fighting tuberculosis for over eight years is sending a negro lecturer, F. R. Barnwell, among his race to lecture and teach the lesson of good health. He is teaching health habits as prevention for disease.

LOST! STRAYED! STOLEN!

Published by request of Rev. J. H. Hamblen.

Lost! Strayed! or Stolen! A large flock of Methodist sheep! Have been gone for some time. When last seen they were browsing along the byway of Indifference that opens out into the road of Neglect, leading to the highway of Worldliness that ends in the state of Apostasy. Any one finding same will please drive them home if possible and receive ample reward. If they persistently refuse to come home, drive them into the nearest field, lock the door and report to the undersigned. Sufficient fodder for the entire flock will be provided next Sunday morning at the usual feeding place. All strayed sheep will be welcomed back. J. W. Knight, Pastor.—Advertisement in Ludlow Herald.

While an Alabama preacher was preaching upon the gentle subject of Hell Fire recently an earthly fire in the basement of the church broke up the congregation.

COUNTY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE CONTEST

March 26-27, 1920, Crowell, Texas. To the teachers, trustees and any others who are interested in the furthering of the educational interests of the school children of Foard County:

On Friday and Saturday, March 26-27, 1920, the schools of Foard County will hold competitive contests at Crowell to determine the County Champions in the events listed below. These champions to attend the District Meet at Quanah there to compete for the honor of being permitted to attend the State Meet at Austin.

These contests have become a very important factor in the development of the children and we hope for a very enthusiastic meet this year.

Foard County schools enrolled 100 per cent strong in the Interscholastic League and if we try at all we should have some very strong representatives in the State Meet.

Our Foard County boys and girls are just as strong physically and mentally as any in the state and can win their share of the honors to be distributed if given a chance.

The track and field events will be held during the daylight hours and the contests in debating, spelling, declamation, essay writing and extempore speaking will be conducted at night in the district court room.

The contest for County Championship in basketball for both boys and girls will have been decided by interschool games before the date of the County Meet.

Owing to the shortness of our playing season these games will be limited to one game between each school and of course will depend for their outcome on the physical condition of each team on its playing date.

This is one of the best events on the schedule and should be encouraged by patrons and teachers alike.

Give your boys and girls a chance. Let them win honors at home and they will have a stronger incentive to win still more honor when they go to the higher institutions.

The events open for competition are as follows:

- Girls—Track Events**
- Junior Girls**
- 30-yard dash.
- 140-yard dash, relay.
- Senior Girls**
- 30-yard dash.
- 140-yard dash, relay.
- Field Events**
- Junior Girls**
- Basket ball throw for distance.
- Base ball throw for accuracy.
- Standing broad jump.
- Senior Girls**
- Basket ball throw for distance.
- Base ball throw for accuracy.
- Boys—Track Events**
- Junior Boys**
- Potato Race.
- 50-yard dash.
- 220-yard dash.
- 440-yard dash.
- Field Events**
- Running High Jump.
- Running Broad Jump.
- Running hop, step and jump.
- Pole Vault.
- Putting 8-lb. shot.
- Base Ball Throw for Distance.
- Chinning Bar.
- Senior Boys—Track Events**
- 120-yard Low Hurdle.
- 100-yard Dash.
- 1 Mile Run.
- 50-Yard Dash.
- 220-Yard Dash.
- 880-Yard Run.
- 1 Mile Relay.
- Field Events**
- Running Broad Jump.
- Running High Jump.
- Pole Vault.
- 12-lb Shot Put.
- Discuss Throw.

Contests will also be held in debating for High Schools and Rural Schools.

Spelling for Senior and Junior Pupils.

Declamation for Senior Boys and Girls, Junior Boys and Girls, and for Rural School Boys and Girls.

Essay Writing for Boys and Girls from High Schools and Rural Schools.

Extempore Speaking.

These contests to be conducted according to the Rules and Regulations of the Interscholastic League of Texas.

CON SINGLETON,
Athletic Director Foard County.

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Save Work Time and Steps In the Kitchen

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If you have flat irons, build the cabinet into the wall by the range so as to save steps in using the irons. If you use an electric iron, put the socket inside the cabinet.

This board is made of light, white pine, which will not warp, crack or split. It is contained within a built-in case made of durable yellow pine.

The board can be raised or lowered to suit the height of the person working at it.

If you build a new home you want to be sure to include this extraordinary convenience. But you can remodel your old kitchen and equip it, too, with this work-saver.

The cost is hardly worth mentioning compared to the backaches it will save you.

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Decide where you want this ironing board in your kitchen and have it built-in. Begin now to save work, time and steps in the kitchen.

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Come in for a fresh tender steak of beef or pork for dinner, or maybe its pure hog sausage you want. If so the City Meat Market is the place to get it.

F. J. MEASON, Proprietor

CALOMEL



Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury—quicksilver; and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work.

Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead!

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards.

What we cannot understand is what Congress wants with a budget. The question is how can the tories talk any more about the treaty.

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Here you will find the new materials in the season's latest colors, beautifully fashioned into artistic creations.

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All wool serges featured with braid, buttons and pleates. Prices from - - \$42.50 to \$60.00

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Serviceable silks and woolens from - - \$5.50 to \$20.00

We welcome the shopper. We know you must first look before you buy--

And we are always glad to show our goods--

Just come in, try them on--see for yourself what style you look best in.

Examine the materials, the finish and test the fit.

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Nice assortment of both long and short sleeve Georgette blouses. Prices from \$5.00 to \$12.50

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Foard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of H. A. Hunter, a person of un-

sound mind, John L. Hunter, has filed in the County Court of Foard County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the estate of said H. A. Hunter, a person of unsound mind, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1920, the same being the first day of March, A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said estate, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crowell, Texas, this the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1920.

MARIE HARRIS,
Clerk, County Court, Foard Co., Tex.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of J. A. Johnson, deceased, Emma E. Johnson, has filed in the County Court of Foard County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said J. A. Johnson, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1920, the same being the first day of March, A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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MARIE HARRIS,
Clerk, County Court, Foard Co., Tex.

How would you like to be tried by the San Francisco jury that acquitted John Gillis and took up a collection of \$25 for him.

The fur will fly now--Pussyfoot Johnson has gone to France. What will the home of Burgundy and other light wines do to him?

PLANS OF WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Stamford, Feb.--Plans of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for repoultrization of West Texas have been announced as follows by headquarters here:

Selected boys and girls in West Texas counties will be assigned two settings of pure bred eggs each by the organization through the generosity of Mayor R. L. Penick and J. W. McCloud of Stamford. The recipients are required to set these eggs and raise as many chickens as possible. Between August 15th and September 15th a poultry show will be held at which all chickens raised by these youthful fanciers will be exhibited, expenses of shipment to be borne by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Prizes will be awarded by the organization. Part of the increase of the flocks will be retained and the remainder returned to the boys and girls who raised them. Boys and girls wishing to enter the contest are asked to write to the Poultry Department, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Stamford.

Mrs. J. L. Landrum, Field representative of the W. T. C. C. and the State Department of Agriculture, Home Economics Division, is at present traveling in all parts of the West to organize poultry clubs. She will give instructions upon her arrival, or through letters to inquiries sent to her at Stamford.

Another plan suggested: Let merchants of each town buy a few pens of chickens to lend to their farmer friends from which to increase the poultry flocks of their sections. During the fall have the farmers bring their old pens and increase to the town poultry show to compete for prizes. Let the merchants retain 80 per cent of cockrels and 20 per cent of pullets and the old pens and give the farmer the remainder. This will stimulate repoultrization of West Texas.

Still another plan: Have the banks and merchants finance the purchase of settings of eggs for children to raise large flocks. At the conclusion of the season have each community hold a poultry show where the increase may be brought in to compete. Banks and merchants who made possible the financing of the repoultrization campaign may then be rewarded with a portion of the increase to care for their expenditures in the beginning.

The fact that the poultry industry of the United States is one of the largest, exceeding even the cotton industry, and further fact that West Texas is the most adapted habitat of the chicken and needs to expand in this line--these lead the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to make special efforts to magnify the industry.

All West Texas counties are eligible to enter the contest of the organization.

N. Y. CONGRESSMAN SAYS RAILROAD BROTHERHOODS WILL COERCE LEGISLATURES

Herbert C. Pell, Democratic Congressman of New York, states that the leaders of organized labor intend to use the Plumb Plan League to try to force the nationalization of the railroads and other industries. Mr. Pell's statement reads in part as follows:

"The public should recognize this now. The prohibitionists were not effective until they began to work in the major parties through the Anti-Saloon League. The Plumb Plan League will try a similar method, and, if it succeeds, no doubt many persons will be as surprised as they were by the ratification of the prohibition amendment.

"Government ownership," Mr. Pell continued, "will certainly bring politics into the administration of railroads. It will certainly result in the management being either a bureaucracy or a political machine. It will result in sectionalism in the expansion of the roads. These three things seem to be insuperable objections to Government ownership and for these reasons I shall not vote for the extension of Government ownership."

THE SHORTAGE OF HUSBANDS

The old maids of the world will hear with gladness that ten million girls of Europe must go through life without marriage because ten million soldiers have been slain. The girls of Europe face a proposition in husband-getting that is acute. The race as a whole faces a period when a proportion of its population will find it impossible to gratify the normal inclination of mankind.

Old maids will be common enough in Europe during the next generation, but what of it. The mad rush of modern mothers to get their little pets married is absurd. To think a girl or a man is extraordinary because that one fails to see the question of married life like the balance of us saw it is foolish. Their lives may be better if they like it best.

The Liverpool Post says Holland by refusing to surrender the Kaiser kept the Allies from appearing ridiculous in the eyes of the world.

New Music Store

I have opened up an exclusive music store. My stock will consist of the celebrated Vitanola Phonographs with all the various records of the different makes of machines.

The superior merit of the Vitanola is the fact that it plays all makes of records. It is specially provided with ball point jewel for playing Pathe records and Sapphire point for playing Edison records. For all the other makes of records the steel needle is used.

This feature of the Vitanola gives you a combination of all makes of machines, the Victrola, the Columbia, Edison or any other make of machine. So if you want any one of these you have it in the Vitanola. The tone is soft and sweet and you can make your choice of music and records. It is a standard machine and sells at reasonable prices.

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OLDS & ALLISON

William Foster, of revolutionary ideas, formerly steel strike leader lost his job when he lost the strike. So some good came from the big strike after all.

Geo. P. Brown of McKinney was appointed assistant District attorney for U. S. Court for the Eastern District of Texas. He will be located at Beaumont.

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