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FOARD COUNTY GETS COTTON CLASSER

T. Sears comes to Crowell from as cotton classer for the county and will likely office with the agent in the court house. That has not been definitely determined, however. One difficulty is the lack of sufficient light.

Sears has had many years experience in handling cotton and has gained recognition as a competent classer, so his work will be accepted by the big cotton buyers in the county.

It will mean a great deal to the farmers of this county. Their cotton will be put into the class to which it belongs and they will get the best prices according to the class of staple. In the long run it will mean money to the farmers, because classing will stimulate production of a high quality of cotton.

Sears will need the hearty cooperation of the farmers of the county, we believe he will get. For the farmers will recognize the value of the work to them.

INTERESTED IN ICE PLANT

The owner of the light and power at this place, D. P. Yoder, who Snyder has expressed himself in favor of a communication from the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, as standing ready to lend assistance in any way he can towards the establishment of an ice plant here.

A well known fact that Mr. Yoder all he could be doing to get our people interested in the proposition of that kind, but for some reason was not given the cooperation necessary to assure an ice plant. It was only natural and right that he should be interested in an ice plant since a business of that kind goes naturally with the light and power business, and he is still interested and is willing to do what he can to that end, and we understand that he will make our people almost anything within the power of his reason to suit the town. He is willing to take stock in an ice plant and combine it with his business or sell the light and power plant.

News thinks Mr. Yoder is the man to take this matter up since it is in his line of business and since he has interests here.

The city should consider the matter of getting the light and power plant and view of making such combination, it would then have to face the question of operating with exclusive help, which is likely to be unsatisfactory. It is our information that municipal enterprises of this kind prove to be dangerous ventures for the small town.

About any doubt in our mind, the thing for Crowell to do is to go to work and get water and then work on the ice business.

Experience this summer ought to have shown something. Think of having to pay from \$1.25 to \$3.00 per ton for ice as we have had to do this summer, and then have none half the time at those prices! And yet this is what has happened this summer.

There is not much economy in carrying a quarter's worth of ice and carrying it home yourself and if you get home with any of it left you buy another quarter's worth and so it goes until you get out. The saving in price and in ice had a plant would soon pay for itself.

The city could do nothing better to make this the one definite objective to be accomplished before the season opens.

There is something definite and good about that one thing.

P. Sandifer sold the Bond place last week to F. E. Diggs. Mr. Diggs, after trying this country two years, decided it is good enough for him and will make it his permanent home.

Christine Ricks Improving Rapidly

A letter was received by Mrs. Wiggins Wednesday from W. L. Ricks, wife, who accompanied their daughter, Miss Christine, to Mayo, Rochester, Minn., for treatment, saying that Miss Christine was improving very nicely. Her friends will be glad to know that she is safely on the road to recovery.

WRITES FROM MONTANA

Moore, Montana, Aug. 8, 1920. Editor News and Friends:

This letter is written at brother Elmer's home in a lovely cooley. That is what they call the little canyons in the foothills here.

Brother has a ranch of 1132 acres, one half fine farming land, the other hilly, pasture land. Part of it is fine timber, some large enough for saw logs. The farm land is in what is known as the Judith Basin, a large tract surrounded by mountains.

Fergus County is 110 miles long with an average width of 70 miles. Upon the hillsides there are acres of bushes that have been loaded with what is called sarvis berries. They look and taste much like the black currant of Texas. Every day for more than a week scores of people have been here gathering them. Later there will be great quantities of black-haw and the choke berry. This is a good country for the average garden truck.

There are fine crops of small grain that will average as good and perhaps better than the Foard County crops, and also a wonderful alfalfa crop. The first cutting all in stack and the earliest of the winter wheat is ready to cut. Harvest will begin in earnest in a week. Yesterday at Moore they were setting up two machines called shock loaders. They are supposed to take the shocks from the field and put them on a wagon. One of these machines is calculated to save the labor of at least five men.

We are acquainted with several families here that came from Iowa. We have met people from nearly every State. On our way here we came through a new oil field in Wyoming. The town of Osage is a new one. Drilling machines in every direction, and wells being brought in from 300 to 1500 feet deep are said to be good producers. Hundreds of people were coming to get into the oil game.

Billings is a neat city of Montana in the Yellowstone Valley and has a population of 15,000. A good free auto camp is in the edge of the city and had many people in it. The broad valley has a splendid crop of small grain and hay. Much of the valley can be irrigated. Lewiston, the county seat of this county, has a population of 7,000 and is a busy city. The main roads here are good and have easy grades for autos.

Brother Elmer and his wife and my wife and I and Paul Bresman, an old Iowa neighbor, went 170 miles with auto last week to attend the big roundup at Bozeman in the Gallatin Valley. We passed through a grand and beautiful canyon going and another on a different route home. The roundup was a great event. It was in a large circle surrounded by an amphitheatre that seats 20,000 people. Several of the contestants for prizes were from Texas. We were greatly surprised and wonderfully pleased to meet in Bozeman four of Foard County's good people. It seemed like being at home for a short time. A. T. Miller and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burk were the ones met. Mr. Miller made us acquainted with a number of Montana people he knew. The city was as beautifully decorated as any one ever saw and in all business places were large cards, one even in the window of the undertaker's parlor with this inscription: "She is wild; make her wilder." It was a great show of skill in bulldozing, wild steer riding, bucking broncos, wild horses, stage scenes, Indian war dances, Indian relay races, relay races by both cowboys and girls and the cowboys and girls rode the wild steers. Ask the Foard County people about it when they return, as they took in the three big days.

Wife and I are having a grand time and we are liable to get wild with so much wonderful sight-seeing. These mountains and foothills, these high plains, valleys and rivers are ever varying like all else in nature—no two alike. As Baslow has truthfully said, "if two alike are found infinitude is bound."

Everywhere we go the roads are almost lined with auto travelers, some of them from Eastern States, and one we met was from Florida, but the great bulk was from Montana and neighboring States. The wheat men here have little to do after wheat is sown, so they take their families and go off for a camping trip. There were not less than 100 cars on the free camp ground in Bozeman.

With best wishes for all Foard County people.—H. M. FERRIN.

FOARD CO. WHEAT GETS COMPLIMENTS

County Agent P. D. Chaney received a letter from J. C. Wells, exhibit man of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who is now at Sedalia, Mo., with exhibits from West Texas. Among those exhibits are some of Foard County's products such as threshed and unthreshed wheat and oats, maize and feterita, these having been prepared and shipped by Mr. Chaney and Mr. McGown.

In his letter Mr. Wells says: "We get many compliments on your wheat." He says also that West Texas exhibits are next to those of Canada, which stand at the top.

Mr. Wells will go from Sedalia to Columbus, Ohio, and will exhibit West Texas products at the state fair there August 30th. Then he goes to Indianapolis September 5th, where our products will be seen by the people of Indiana.

On through the North and East will Mr. Wells go, having in charge products from this section to be exhibited in 18 different States. This will mean a great deal for West Texas, and Foard County will get her share of the advertisement in proportion to what she has sent.

J. W. Bell Buys Car Fine Wheat for Seed

J. W. Bell recently purchased a car of Kanred wheat at Miami, Texas, which will be used here for seed. Mr. Bell himself will use a good part of this and will sell the remainder to farmers of the county.

Kanred wheat is said to give from three to five bushels yield more than other hard wheat, is more drought resistant and matures earlier, and consequently is more nearly rust proof. This has been the experience of farmers who have tried this variety of grain in the Panhandle country, as well as in Kansas. Several farmers in the county are interested in this new variety of wheat and will sow quite a lot of it this fall if they can procure the seed. Mr. Bell does not hope to be able to get more than the one car he has bought because of the limited amount on the market and the great demand. However, his car of 1200 bushels will go a long way towards making a pretty thorough test of it in this county.

Miss Leona Young of the Dallas Semi-Weekly News, Dallas, Texas, is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and family and many friends. She came from Seymour Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, where she visited the family of J. W. Cope. She says Miss Lorraine Cope of Seymour is also connected with the Dallas Semi-Weekly News force now, having commenced her duties the first of this month. Miss Young expects to leave tomorrow for Dallas to return to work Monday.

Jim Bomar was here yesterday from Vernon to attend the funeral of I. J. Barber, his wife's grandfather.

Farmers to Fix Cotton Picking Price

The News has been asked by some of the farmers to announce that a meeting of the farmers is desired for Saturday to decide on the price they can afford to pay for cotton picking. The best time for the meeting is thought to be about 3 p. m. and the place will be in the district court room.

Other matters will likely come up to be discussed and a good large representation is desired.

There is no doubt but that it is wise for the farmers to decide this matter and fix a price and put it into effect all over the county. The price at which they are going to sell their seed is another matter that should receive attention.

NEFF CLUB ORGANIZED

Although it was very muddy and was raining, an enthusiastic crowd of citizens met at the court house Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock and organized a Pat Neff club. J. W. Beverly was chosen as chairman and G. C. McGown as secretary.

Plans have been set in motion by the club to have a Neff speaker here Saturday if possible, but at this time it is not known definitely whether or not one can be had.

CROWELL MAN BUYS QUANAH ELEVATOR

T. L. Hughston has purchased the Hughes & Holcomb elevator at Quanah and will move his family to that city about September 15th, when he will have personal charge of the business.

Mr. Hughston has sold an interest in his elevators in this county to J. R. Allee, who will have charge of same when Mr. Hughston leaves.

While Mr. Hughston is leaving Crowell, he will only be away in person. He will still have an interest in the development of the town and county and will be found ready to make liberal contributions in any way he can to that end. He is simply extending his business over a wider territory and thinks Quanah offers a fine opportunity in that direction.

S. E. Tate and wife returned Saturday from Henryetta, Okla., where they visited Mr. Tate's relatives. He says while they have very fine crops in all that country, they can't beat Foard County on all around crops. He says they have better corn, but we have them bested on maize and perhaps cotton.

Foard City Teachers Are All Employed

So far as Foard City can do so it has made sure of a school this fall and winter. The school board has succeeded in procuring teachers for the term, Prof. J. W. Minor of Plainview recently having been elected as superintendent. The school will have three teachers, including the superintendent. The same board acting for the Cottonwood school has secured a teacher for that school also.

Foard City had a splendid term last year under the superintendency of High McLain and with their splendid faculty this year they should have another. They are able to pay good salaries, \$90 to \$150 per month.

NEW GROCERY OPENS

Adecock and Matthews is the name of the new grocery store opening in the north half of the Ringgold building. W. A. Matthews of Alvord and W. A. Woodard of Burkburnett will be in charge of the business, with Mr. Matthews as manager.

These men are thoroughly familiar with the grocery business, Mr. Matthews having been engaged in this line for sixteen years. He knows the details.

An announcement is made by this firm elsewhere in this issue of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rasor and grand-children, Marion, Virginia Sue, J. M. and Billie Crowell, returned last Thursday from Memphis where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Rasor's daughter, Mrs. O. T. Ball.

Mrs. Pat Murphy of Collinsville, Okla., and Jim Bomar left yesterday afternoon for Vernon.

Baptist Revival Closed; 59 Additions to Church

The revival which had been in progress at the Baptist tabernacle for two weeks closed Sunday night with the addition from first to last of 59 new members to the church. Of these 28 were new converts. The ordinance of baptism was administered after the Sunday evening service, all the 28 new converts being immersed.

A cash offering was made Sunday evening as an expression of the people's appreciation of the pastor's services for the two weeks which amounted to a little more than \$300.

Bro. Billington had an engagement in a revival in Limestone County commencing last Sunday and to continue for two weeks, and he left Monday for that work.

DOUBLE WEDDING

Mr. Malcum Bryson and Miss Zella Pyle and Mr. Clyde Cobb and Miss Grethel Teague were the participants in a double wedding which took place at the Methodist parsonage last Saturday night. Rev. J. H. Hamblen performed the ceremony.

The News joins in wishing for these young people a long and happy married life.

ALL OVER TEXAS

A cotton gin burned at San Benito Monday, with 200 bales of cotton. The loss is estimated at \$87,000.

Thirty-eight rural schools in Bell County are short fifty-seven teachers, and the fall term soon to open.

Mrs. Charlotte Wacasey died at the age of 400 years at the home of her daughter near Greenville last week.

The San Angelo country has had so much rain recently that it is feared crops will be greatly damaged unless it ceases.

Oil sand was struck in the Virginia-Texas well, 25 miles southwest of Memphis, Texas, Friday night at a depth of 2940 feet. Operations were immediately stopped waiting instructions from headquarters.

Inability of stock men to get loans is said to be affecting the cattle raising industry in Texas. Herds have been allowed to dwindle and in some places where there were thousands of cattle there are now mere handfuls.

The Vernon fire department is planning a carnival in Vernon during September for the purpose of providing a fund to purchase new equipment for the individual members of the department and to create an emergency fund.

Crop conditions are reported in many counties in North Texas as being bad on account of continual rains, which have enabled boll worms to do very effective work. The farmers say if they do not soon have dry weather many crops will be ruined.

After wandering for seven years through Canada, Mexico and Guatemala, to evade prosecution in Taylor County on charges in connection with alleged forging of county warrants in 1913, Tom Bledsoe, former County Judge of Taylor County, returned Monday to face these charges.

Seven stockmen were riding in the caboose of the first section of a train, which was standing on a high trestle near Killeen when the second section plowed into it. Thinking they were standing on solid ground, the stockmen leaped into the creek 50 feet below, four of whom were killed.

Complaints in Dallas, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls by ice consumers that profiteering prices have been paid, have caused steps to be taken recently looking to criminal prosecution. As a result ice in those places is selling at 60 and 65 cents per hundred instead of 85 cents and \$1.00. But we are glad to get it here at \$1.50.

RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

Carl Zeibig and family returned this week from San Diego, Cal., where they went last December to make their home.

Several things combined to bring Carl and his family back, which were really not disappointing even to Carl himself, and less disappointing to us. He says he sees now where he made the mistake in going out there, for the first consideration being that of health, proved not to be as he thought, but even if it had, he admits that it is very hard for a West Texan to break loose from this country. Carl did not sell his farm here, so he comes back to take up his work where he left it last December.

He jokingly says the News had mighty big tales to tell about conditions here, but since he has returned he finds them even better than the News has represented them.

We are glad to have Carl and his family back as citizens of Foard County and feel sure they will be contented now.

GETS FINE MILEAGE ON TRIP FROM TEXAS IN AN AUTOMOBILE

W. A. Cogdell and family of Crowell, Texas, who have been here several days visiting relatives will leave Saturday on their return home. They made the trip through in a Ford and will return the same way.

The distance from Crowell to Corinth is practically 1000 miles and the trip was made on 41 gallons of gasoline and 75 cents in cash paid out for repairs. The amount of oil necessary was not kept.

Mr. Cogdell is a rural carrier where he lives and delivers and collects his mail in the car, and in addition to that he made 2000 bushels of wheat on his farm near town.—Dailey Corinthian, (Miss.)

I. J. BARBER BURIED HERE YESTERDAY

Isaac Jones Barber was born in West Virginia, October 17, 1830, and died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. M. Smart, at Collinsville, Okla., August 17, 1920. The body was shipped to Crowell, arriving Wednesday, and was interred in the cemetery by the side of his wife's body Thursday morning at 10 o'clock under the auspices of the Masonic order.

Mr. Barber lived to the advanced age of 89 years and 10 months. He was married in 1849 to Miss Joannah Petty, to which union were born 14 children, 10 of whom are living.

Mr. Barber's early life was spent in Missouri. He moved to Texas in 1859, and settled in Foard County in 1903, residing in Crowell until the death of his wife some ten years ago, and since that time he has made his home with his children in various parts of the country.

Mr. Barber was converted and joined the Christian church in early life and was always an upright man highly respected by all who knew him.

Mrs. Pat Murphy, granddaughter of Mr. Barber, who was formerly Miss Johnnie Barber, accompanied the remains to Crowell.

The surviving children are: Mrs. B. M. Smart, Collinsville, Okla.; Mrs. W. J. House, Kansas; Mrs. A. Hunt, California; Mrs. E. Yeaman, Salt Lake City; Mrs. E. P. Bomar, Marathon, Texas; and Austin Barber, Washington; W. R. Barber, Colorado; O. C. Barber, Oklahoma; Joe Barber, Oklahoma; J. E. Barber, whose address is unknown.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED

Since the last report we have received the following renewals and new subs:

M. L. Self, Thalia; Will Gamble, route 2; T. M. Beverly, Crowell; A. L. Roberts, Thorp Springs; Frank Ownbey, Pampa, Texas; Vernon Pyle, route 2; Judge Cole, Crowell; O. D. Rader, route 3; Mrs. Belle Bulkeley, Los Angeles, Cal.; J. R. Plesher, Crowell; C. D. Stephenson, route 3; G. O. Weimer, Rosewood, Ohio; J. H. Harper, route 3; J. L. Orr, Margaret; R. B. Gibson, Vernon; D. P. Yoder, Snyder; M. J. Phillips, route 2; Geo. Hay for Mrs. T. J. Cates, Kemp, Ga.; Ben Bradford, route 2; Hon. Marvin Jones, Amarillo; H. W. Black, Foard City; Mrs. Willie Dykes, Crowell; O. L. Lyons, route 3; J. L. Hunter, Margaret.

Carl Zeibig has his paper changed from San Diego, Cal., to Crowell, route 2. Mrs. Emeline Carpenter from Middletown, Ohio, to Versailles, Ky.

AUTOMOBILE INCREASE

Up to August 1, the number of automobiles registered with the Texas State Highway Department were 380,210, which exceeds the registration of last year by 48,900. Registrations are being made at the rate of 3,000 a week. Wichita County heads the list in point of increase in registrations, the number being 11,174, compared with 8,341 last year. Eastland is second and Dallas third. Coming nearer home, we find that Wilbarger has 1,984 compared with 1,503 last year, showing an increase of 481. Hardeman County, 1,287 compared with 886; Cottle, 469 compared with 310; Foard 593 compared with 469. Cottle has led the adjoining counties in rate of increase, being about 50 per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hughston and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and Mrs. S. O. Woods and William Bell went to Vernon Monday morning to Meet Miss Lottie Woods, but she stopped off at Wichita Falls to visit a sister, and came home yesterday.

Mrs. R. L. Matthews of Corpus Christi and Mrs. G. A. Harris and daughter, Elouise, of Marshal, Texas, arrived in Crowell last week for a visit with their sister, Mrs. W. R. Kenner, and family.

Drilling Soon to Begin on Beverly Well No. 1

Bill Beasley and Roy Russell, drillers for the Mid-Continent Exploration Co., are here and are making preparations to begin drilling. It is thought that it will require a week or more to get things in readiness, and they expect to commence drilling some time next week.



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THALIA ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mark Henry of Crowell spent awhile here Wednesday.

Bud Moore is here from Burk Burnett visiting his family.

John Ray of Crowell stopped in this city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Uncle Jake Middlebrook of Margaret was in this vicinity Thursday.

Albert McWilliams of Fort Worth is a guest in the home of R. Husky.

Joe Ray of Crowell spent Monday night with his friend, Ewald Schroeder.

Mrs. Boardman of Crowell visited Mrs. Charlie Wisdom Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Capps of Crowell spent the week-end here with their parents.

Miss Opal Edens of Rayland is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Belle Abston.

Mrs. Ethel Rennells and little son, F. L., of Rayland spent Sunday in the J. G. Thompson home.

John Bradford and Elmer Key hauled their cotton to Margaret Monday and will ship it to market.

Sim Gamble and wife and daughter, Miss Aline, of Ayersville attended church here Monday night.

Mrs. Mode Haney and little daughters have returned home from a visit to her parents in Oklahoma.

Sid Randolph came in Saturday from Oklahoma to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randolph.

Ewald Schroeder and brother, Alfred, were transacting business in Crowell Friday of last week.

Mrs. W. T. Brown has returned home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Sid Boman, at Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haney of Rayland were callers in the Otto Schroeder home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Roberts have returned from a visit with his brother, Dan Roberts, in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Lat Johnson and daughter, Miss Myrtle, and Buell Bradford motored to Vernon Wednesday.

Robert Husky and sister, Miss Lucy, returned home Saturday from Fort Worth after a fortnight stay with friends.

Dr. Maine and family returned to their home Saturday after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Carl Bledsoe, of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womack of Vernon spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pigg, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Neill of this city have been entertaining relatives from Abilene, but we failed to get their names.

Miss Ella Mae Carr and little brother, Raymond, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Lucy Fish, in the Vivian community this week.

Mrs. Will Abston and little daughter, Willie, of Rayland visited in the Jas. Abston home from Saturday until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Phillips and little daughters, Velma and Dela, visited in the Garrett home near Gambleville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schroeder and little daughter, Ottelia, left Thursday of last week for West Point where they will visit relatives.

Royse Dowdy of Trent is here conducting the singing for the meeting at the Church of Christ that is in progress here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abston and little son of Granite, Okla., came in Sunday afternoon to spend awhile with his parents at this place.

Walter Taylor and wife of this place are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Middlebrook, and other relatives at Margaret this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingle of Oklahoma attended church here Monday night and spent the night with their granddaughter, Mrs. Walter A. Johnson.

Mr. Morgan and daughters, Misses Viola and Vada, of Talmage, came in Monday afternoon to spend the week with Mrs. Finnie Tarver and to attend church at this place.

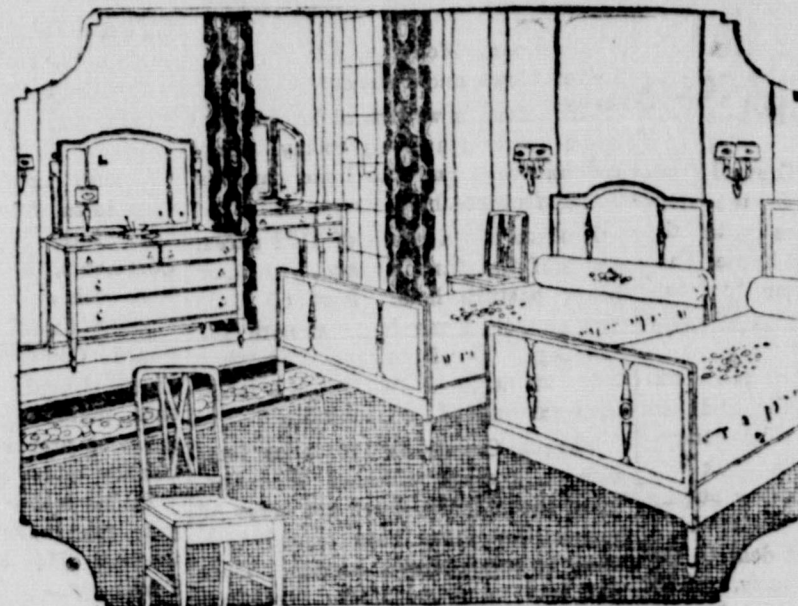
Miss Ernie Short, our telephone operator, came home Monday from a visit at her old home at McKinney. She was accompanied home by her brother. They came through in his car.

Mr. Langley happened to the misfortune in getting pretty badly bruised up last Thursday while shoeing a mule. His many friends will be glad to hear that he is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols of the Black community came Saturday to visit her parents and other relatives. Mr. Nichols returned home Monday, but his wife and children remained so they could attend the series of meetings at this place.

HALL COUNTY ORGANIZED CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING Memphis, Aug. 15.—The Hall County Co-Operative Marketing association was formally organized this week. This movement is a plan fostered by the A. & M. college of Tex-

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One 6-piece Birds Eye Maple..\$362.00	One 2-piece Ivory.....\$ 92.00
One 5-piece Birds Eye Maple..\$260.00	3-piece Oak Suites \$98.00 to \$125.00
One 4-piece Birds Eye Maple..\$205.00	Odd Dressers.....\$27.50 to \$82.00

--We are 50 per cent cheaper in price if we had to buy now.--It will not go down, but up.

W. R. WOMACK

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

as marketing division, and is to work in connection with the United States cotton grader in the county. Cotton will be graded and sold in "even run" lots of fifty to 100 bales through the association, under a sales manager. Practically every community in the county has joined the association and officers and directors have been elected. County Commissioner T. M. McMurray is president.

Any one caught hauling wood or trespassing in any way on the Hall-sell ranch will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—B. J. Glover, Foreman.

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Springfield Mo.—"My back was so weak I could hardly stand up, and I would have bearing-down pains and was not well at any time," says Mrs. D. V. Williams, wife of a well-known farmer on Route 6, this place. "I kept getting headaches and having to go to bed," continues Mrs. Williams describing the troubles from which she obtained relief through the use of Cardui. "My husband, having heard of Cardui, proposed getting it for me. I saw after taking some Cardui . . . that I was improving. The result was surprising. I felt like a different person."

"Later I suffered from weakness and weak back, and felt all run-down. I did not rest well at night, I was so nervous and cross. My husband said he would get me some Cardui, which he did. It strengthened me. . . My doctor said I got along fine. I was in good healthy condition. I cannot say too much for it."

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MARGARET MUSINGS (By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. J. O. Bagley leaves today for a visit with her mother and other relatives.

Bro. Tharp has returned from a big meeting in Hardeman County and found one in progress here.

Grandma Hunter who has been visiting at Waco has returned. She could not miss the big meeting.

It has been raining continuously for twenty-four hours and our farmers are complaining that the cotton and feed stuff will make too great a growth.

We found our wife very contented and happy in Oklahoma and we had to talk very nice to her to persuade her to return with us, but women are all alike in that respect. They cannot resist persuasion.

We found the electric light plant had started up and it was great to have fine lights, after suffering so long with the old kerosene lamps, but we can remember when we thought they were a great help.

Upon our return from Oklahoma we found everything moving along just as though we had been here. And this reminds us that we need not worry about what may happen when we take our final leave, there are plenty who can fill our places as well or better than we did.

We discovered why we could not get any coal at present. The railroads are taking all the output of the mines and all the mines in Oklahoma and New Mexico are controlled by the railroads. They have their yards full of trains loaded with coal. They will let us have some when the new rates go into effect and the dear people will pay \$1.50 per ton more for their fuel. We have had a shipment of bran lying at the Crowell depot a week and the local trains do not have time to load it. That dollar a day raise and one hundred dollars back pay has made the employees to independent. I am in favor of one more raise and let it be a raise—and let the government take over the roads and all employees be sworn men, and when they fail to do their duty, raze them.

Our churches are lighted by electric lights for which no charges are being made, and the people are flocking to church on account of the lights, both spiritual and electric.



ALL your favorite centers—each in a substantial chocolate overcoat. You'll have to eat one to learn how good they are—and eat many to learn that they are all equally good. Come in as you go by today, and get some. Packed in a handsome box that will please anybody.

Liggett's
"The Chocolates with the Wonderful Centers"

Fergeson Brothers

The Retail Store

GLYCERINE MIXTURE FOR GAS ON STOMACH

Simple glycerine, buckhorn bark, as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieves ALL CASES of gas on stomach or sour stomach. It acts on both upper and lower bowel and removes all foul matter which poisoned stomach. Often PREVENTS constipation. Prevents appendicitis. The INSTANT pleasant action of Adler-i-ka surprises both doctors and patients. One man who suffered five years from indigestion and constipation was helped by ONE DOSE. (V-1) FERGESON BROS.

Picture show at the airdome Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights beginning promptly at 8:30.

Meet me at Fergeson Bros.

PLAINVIEW POINTERS (By Special Correspondent)

William Keesee and wife have a new girl at their home.

Mrs. Elmer Key has been on the sick list the past few days.

Jewel Cato spent last week with her Grandfather Fox at Margaret.

E. V. Cato and family and Henry Reeves and boys were in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Will Morris' grandmother is here from Coleman County visiting relatives.

Lewis Sims and wife returned last week from a visit with relatives in Wise County.

J. R. Coffman and family are spending two weeks visiting relatives in Milam County and other places.

J. P. Miller and family left last Monday for Cooke County to visit Mrs. Miller's parents.

On account of the cloudy weather and so much rain the boll worms are working on the cotton.

Jep Haynes and family from Vernon visited Mrs. Haynes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Creagor, Sunday.

Arthur Davis returned home Friday from Denton where he has been attending the summer normal.

Drilling on the Long farm has been resumed again. They have been at work every day for over a week.

Mr. Mansel and wife and Buck Clark and family went to Vernon Saturday night to hear the political speaking.

Mrs. Phillips, accompanied by her son and two daughters, are here from Eastland County visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Wood.

Luther Ward and two daughters returned home last week from a few days visit with his brother in Donley County. His brother expects to farm here another year.

John Adkins returned home Saturday from an auto trip to the coast. He reports fine crops there. He says they are getting their cotton picked for \$1.50 per hundred.

Quite a number of patrons of the Rayland school met there Tuesday of last week and dug a ditch to drain the water away from the building. Unless something can be done to prevent the water from standing around the building, there will probably be no school there the coming term.

A birthday dinner was given at the home of Bud Gray Sunday in honor of his mother, Mrs. Jim Gray. All of her children were present and most all of her grandchildren. Luther Ward and family, old-time friends of Mrs. Gray, were there. A bountiful dinner

was spread and an enjoyable day was spent by all present.

For Sale—One set of leather harness, a wagon and team, a one-horse buggy and a Singer Sewing machine. Inquire at Collins Wagon Yard.

The "Universal" aluminum is the heaviest and best, lasts longer.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For Sale—One good Ford automobile, tent and one good oil cook stove, 4-burner. See me.—Dr. M. M. Hart.

ABSTRACT OF TITLE

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Aluminum ware will last a lifetime, is absolutely safe and solves every cooking utensil problem.

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I am prepared to handle all of your fat hogs and cattle, and will pay the highest market price. Phone, see me in person, or write

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City Meat Market

Carries everything in the line of an up-to-date meat market, together with packing house meats such as Boiled Ham, Mince Ham, etc., except beef. Will also carry pure hog lard, the kind your mother used to make during hog-killing time.

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

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, August 20, 1920

Essex cars are different.—M. S. Henry & Co.

I have a fine Duroc sow for sale.—H. L. Kimsey.

Miss Lois Taggart left Friday for a visit with her grand-father, J. H. Dort, at St. Jo.—Roysce City News-Times.

Leave your order for any kind of pastry one day ahead. Such orders will be filled the following day.—Model Bakery.

Mrs. S. M. Lundy returned Tuesday from Ada, Okla., accompanied by her son, E. Burleson. Mrs. Lundy had been visiting at Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oats returned Tuesday from an automobile trip to Oklahoma. They returned by way of Burkburnett.

Just received another shipment of electric irons.—M. S. Henry & Co.

The season's best fashion tendencies are exemplified in Sunshine cloaks and suits. The new ones are here.—R. B. Edwards Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teel have moved from the S. M. Roberts farm southwest of town to the I. M. Cates place one-half mile northwest of town.

For Sale—A limited number of full blood Brown Leghorn cockerels and roosters at \$1.50 and \$2.00 each. Come while they are cheap.—H. B. Pool, Foard City, Texas. 12p

Henry Machac left yesterday for Shiner, Texas, where he will keep books in a gin for his brother-in-law, Anton Hodenek. He expects to be gone about three months.

J. W. Cook and daughter, Mrs. Frank Cates, and little daughter, Margaret are visiting Mr. Cook's mother, Mrs. M. Campbell, and other relatives in Carnegie, Okla., this week.

Judge C. F. Spencer of Wichita and probably Harry Mason, of Vernon, will speak here this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the interest of Joe W. Bailey's campaign for Governor.

For Sale Cheap—Business or residence lots in Thalia, Texas, close in. Would consider some good trade or part cash and balance good terms.—Jas. Garrett, Box 151, Thalia, Tex. 14p

Prof. and Mrs. T. A. Taggart and little daughter, Dorothy, left Wednesday for Floyd where they will visit at the home of Prof. Taggart's brother, L. J. Taggart. There are four Taggart brothers. The other two are now visiting at Floyd. This is the first time that the four brothers have all been together in thirty-six years.—Roysce City News-Times.

Dr. M. M. Hart accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tom Worley to Fort Worth Sunday night where Mrs. Worley underwent a minor operation. She is getting along well and was able to return with the doctor and Mr. Worley Monday.

CROWELL MATTRESS FACTORY
To everybody in and around Crowell who wants mattress work done will please come in by Saturday week. We have to work to keep the wolf from the door. We make new beds of sample cotton, 40 lbs., for \$16.50; can make 45 lb. bed, all cotton, for \$11.50, linters. Old beds worked over for \$8.50 to \$11.00. So come and see us. We will save you money.—F. M. Rutledge. 11p

"THE MINSTREL SHOW"
It's the show that's different because it's a good Minstrel show. Just compare the appearance of everything with the Virginia Minstrel show with others and you will see the difference and form your own conclusion. You will know before you go that this show is worth while and you are getting the best in Minstrelsy and don't judge from other minstrel shows you have seen. This show is clean and dignified, of a high order, proudly sustaining a good reputation received by years of effort. The best of them all. This promise you can absolutely depend on, and here is your real joy opportunity. Now be wise and be there. Remember the date, Crowell, Saturday, Aug. 21. advt.

Be Rid of That Ache

If you are a sufferer with lame back, backache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, why don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend?

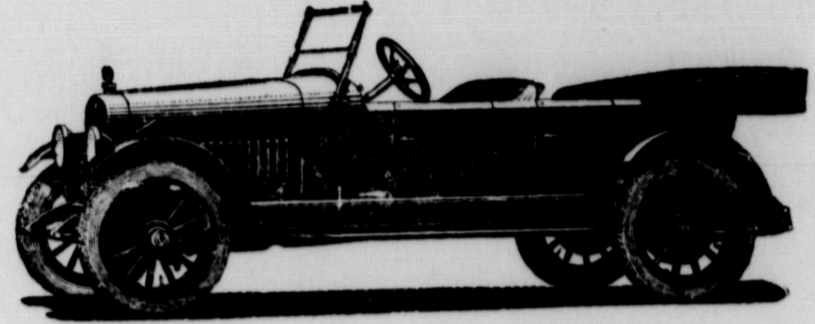
Mrs. C. C. Ashby, Crowell, says: "My back was so bad at one time I could hardly stoop over doing my housework. Right through the small of my back and across my hips was a steady, dull ache. At night my back ached so I could hardly sleep, and I could hardly straighten up when I got out of bed in the morning. It seemed as though every muscle was lame and sore. When I went to lean over I would get so dizzy I could hardly stand up. My kidneys weren't acting at all right, so I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they cured me entirely." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ashby had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 34



A woman's fondest hope is to stay young. She often resorts to paints, powders and cosmetics to hide her years. Some women pay large sums to so-called "Beauty Doctors" in the belief that money will buy youth. Others wear girlish dresses, thinking they can fool the world about their age. But no one is deceived. The more you try to hide your age, the more it shows.

There is but one thing that holds old age back, and that is health. Sickness and weakness bring old age early in life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a building-up medicine for women. It makes them healthy and strong when they suffer from women's troubles. It keeps them looking young by keeping them well. It is a woman's tonic for the frail, the delicate and those who are nervous, dizzy and who have backache and dragging pains. Favorite Prescription is altogether vegetable and without a particle of alcohol. It is safe to take. Try it now. In tablet or liquid form at all druggists, or send 10c for trial package of the tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

Essex Car Breaks All Records



Two more records broken:

San Francisco to New York in four days, fourteen and forty-three minutes; New York to San Francisco in four days, 19 hours and 17 minutes.

We will be glad to show this car to you any day.

M. S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

For Sale—Five-room house.—Leo Spencer.

We recognize our obligation to sell our customers garments of dependable quality—of real worth in materials, of proper fit. That's why we sell Sunshine coats and suits.—R. B. Edwards Co.

Gainesville, Texas, Aug. 16, 1920

To the Democrats of Texas:

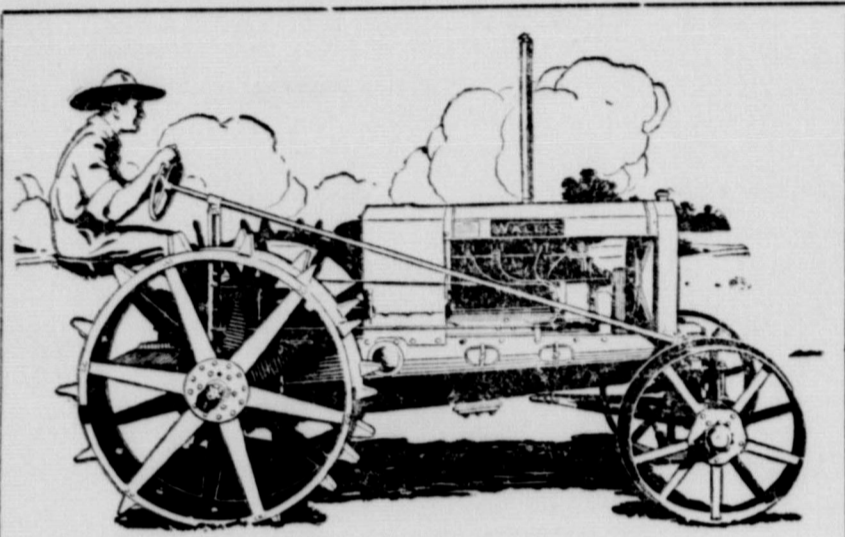
We, the undersigned Democrats of Cooke County, Texas, none of us having lived in Gainesville for less than forty years and most of us much longer, are proud to call Senator J. W. Bailey one of our most beloved citizens, he having lived here over thirty years, his residence being as fully established as any of ours, and no one need fear to vote for him because he is not a citizen of Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas. His friends over Texas need have no fear but what he will carry Cooke County by a large majority.—W. H. Dougherty, H. P. Ware, J. C. Whaley, J. H. Garnett, J. M. Potter, Dr. J. E. Gilcrest, J. C. Murrell

Mrs. C. E. McDonald and child are here from Childress visiting Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wells returned Wednesday from an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. W. O'Neal, at Bertram Okla.

For Sale—Ford roadster.—Hughston.

All endurance records were broken by the Essex.—M. S. Henry & Co. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kenner and daughters, Misses Ruth and Jewel and Doyle Kenner left Sunday for Lubbock where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Teal.



WALLIS

America's Foremost Tractor
Six just arrived for demonstration. See

E. SWAIM, Crowell, Texas
WORTH HUNTER, Margaret, Texas

Mill Products

Of all Kinds

CREAM OF WHEAT

Highest Patent Flour

First in quality—Most reasonable in price

BELL GRAIN COMPANY

Phone No. 124

Mattress Renovating

New 45lb. Mattress \$14.00. Large assortment Fancy Art and plain ticking to select from. Feather beds made into feather folding mattresses. Farmers, have that bolly cotton made into mattresses. Our truck will call for and deliver anywhere in ten miles of Crowell. Phone your order to the News office.

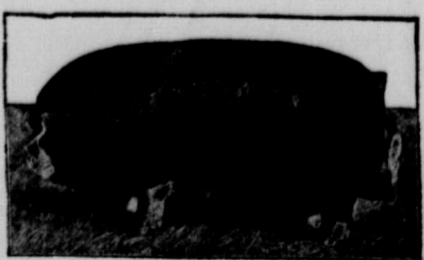
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Big Type Poland China Hogs

For sale some fine young boars, also some gilts. If it's a good hog you want I have it.

J. E. BELL, Crowell, Texas



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beautifully engraved with initial or monogram makes a pleasing gift that will last forever. We have an assortment that will satisfy every imaginable taste.

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are so captivating to the eye of every woman. From time immemorial a ring has been the token of friendship and love. They are ideal gifts for loved ones.

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It matters not whether you live in town or in the country it is our aim to supply your every need to your entire satisfaction. We appreciate very much your patronage in the past and expect to continue giving you the service that will bring you back with a smile.

The people in the country will find it to their interest to trade with us.

A fresh shipment of
Oriole Flour

has just arrived and we are still selling this, one of the best brands of flour on the market today, at

\$7.50 per 100 lbs.

Farmers, now is the time to save money on flour

The People's Grocery Store

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J. W. McCaskill, Owner and Manager
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We make the grade of our Banking Service our pride.

In fact, our Service is subordinate to only one thing--your safety in dealing with us.

By Service, we mean the correct, willing, obliging handling of your every banking transaction.

By Safety, we mean that degree of care which absolutely safeguards not only your funds but your every deal at this Bank.

Safety and Service may be yours here.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER THE BANK OF CROWELL CAPITAL \$75,000.00 CROWELL, TEXAS

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Model 4 Overland--the new one-- B. W. Self.

New and second hand Fords for sale--Henry Gribble. Chevrolets delivered \$925--Leo Spencer.

Use a Florence oil cook stove.--M. S. Henry & Co.

Herbert Edwards spent the weekend in Clarendon.

Regular meals served Saturday and Sunday.--Sanitary Cafe.

J. W. Beverly returned last Saturday from Oklahoma City.

For Sale--Some spotted Poland China pigs.--J. N. Bryson.

You will like the way the Essex drives.--M. S. Henry & Co.

For quality and reliability see our Sunshine coats and suits.--R. B. Edwards Co.

A new boy made its appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reed--her work on a new house.

Henry Gribble and family returned Sunday from a trip to New Mexico. He reports a very fine trip.

Buicks.--S. S. Bell. Short orders at all hours.--Sanitary Cafe.

Use a Florence oil cook stove.--M. S. Henry & Co.

See our window this week. We have what you want.--M. S. Henry & Co.

When ordering your bread be sure it is made in Crowell by the Model Bakery.

A large assortment of "Universal" aluminum ware just arrived.--J. H. Self & Sons.

If you want a car for comfort, service or pleasure, get an Essex.--M. S. Henry & Co.

Southwestern Life Insurance Co., Dallas, Texas.--T. N. Bell, agent, Crowell, Texas.

Mrs. W. B. Jones and son, Dale, returned Sunday from a visit with relatives at Pilot Point.

H. D. Nelson and Joe Couch were in Rule last week doing some finishing work on a new house.

"Peggy Paris" is a Quality Lady. Her name suggests youthful style in coats and suits.--R. B. Edwards Co.

Fire Insurance.--B. W. Self. Can deliver Buick sixes.--S. S. Bell. Short orders at all hours.--Sanitary Cafe.

Horace Carroll is here from Electra visiting friends.

Use a Florence oil cook stove.--M. S. Henry & Co.

B. W. Self has returned from the Eastern markets.

For Sale--Good second hand wagon cheap.--J. H. Self & Sons.

Dr. A. C. Cates was here Sunday and Monday from Petrolia.

One pair of young broke work mules for sale at the Collins Wagon Yard.

Mrs. C. A. Adams left last week for Altus, Okla., on a visit with her sister.

See our window this week. We have what you want.--M. S. Henry & Co.

Wanted to buy a second-hand single buggy and harness.--Grover Cobb, route 1.

Southwestern Life Insurance Co., Dallas, Texas.--T. N. Bell, agent, Crowell, Texas.

Alton Andrews visited the families of his brothers, Beaty and Charlie, in Vernon Sunday.

Wanted to trade a five-passenger Maxwell in good shape for a Ford truck.--Sam Oats.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Womack returned Sunday from Dallas where they had been visiting.

Let us figure with you on that set of harness, the best leather that can be bought.--J. H. Self & Sons.

Dr. and Mrs. Schindler and little daughter, Elsie, left last Sunday morning for Snyder in their car.

Marvin Whited, wife and child are here from Seymour visiting Mrs. Whited's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Dickerson.

For Sale--7-passenger Willis six, first-class condition. Will take good team or cattle as part payment.--L. G. Gafford.

Youthful and smart, best describes these "Peggy Paris" suits. You should see them without delay at R. B. Edwards Co.

Mrs. Roscoe Schooley of Frederick, Okla., came in Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. W. Cook. She is returning from Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bruce left Sunday for Neeona where Mrs. Bruce will visit her mother for a few weeks. Jeff returns this week.

For Sale--161 1/2 acres, 10 miles southwest of Crowell, good heavy black land, fairly well improved, \$65 per acre.--D. K. Reagan.

Miss Esther Needham and Mrs. M. D. Kelley and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Needham, of Dallas, are here visiting the family of D. M. Yount.

G. H. Patton and family returned last week from an auto trip to Erick, Okla., where they visited Mr. Patton's sister, Mrs. Will Terrell. They also visited a brother of Mr. Patton's at Pampa, Texas, while away.

Buick light sixes.--S. S. Bell. For Sale--Span of mares.--J. H. Self & Sons.

New Elcar for sale at a bargain.--Self Motor Co.

We have those electric irons now.--M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale--Five Duroc pigs at \$5.00 each.--G. C. Munsey.

Regular meals served Saturday and Sunday.--Sanitary Cafe.

A free ride in a real automobile any day.--M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale--A 1919 model Ford car at Self's garage.--Sam Russell.

For Sale--A substantial iron bed, also oak dresser.--Mrs. G. W. Thompson.

Southwestern Life Insurance Co., Dallas, Texas.--T. N. Bell, agent, Crowell, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bird are in Waco for a two weeks' visit with relatives.--Vernon Record.

Grady and Garland Shults left Wednesday for Durham, Okla., for a week's visit among relatives.

One high-bred registered Jersey bull kept at the Collins wagon yard, \$5.00 when service is rendered.

For Sale--20 acres of fine land, good improvements, close to town, for reasonable price. See Clarence McKown.

Miss Ann Morris of Dallas arrived the latter part of last week and will have charge of the millinery at Self Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. J. R. Barnard, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. L. Hayes, for two weeks, left Tuesday for her home in Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Knott left last Friday for their home in Fort Worth. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. G. C. McGown.

Farm for Sale--Consisting of 225 acres, 175 in cultivation, balance in grass, 3/4 mile east of Crowell school house.--R. W. Wells, Crowell, Tex.

For Sale--My farm consisting of 240 acres 6 1/2 miles north of Crowell. Will sell with or without the crop of cotton and feed.--C. E. Gafford, Crowell, Texas, route 1.

For Sale--Two double disc plows, one Moline and the other a new John Deere. Also a new John Deere row binder and a new John Deere wagon, 12-foot box.--F. E. Diggs or J. P. Diggs.

OUR MERCHANDISE

We are certainly well pleased with our purchases made while in New York City, because we secured all our merchandise at the right prices.

This merchandise is beginning to arrive and we are glad to tell you that you will be pleased with our goods and prices.

Our purchases were the heaviest in the history of our business, and we will have plenty of Men's clothing, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Dry Goods, Shoes and everything sold in a general dry goods store.

We ask that you read our ads each week, as we will have something of interest each week.

Self Dry Goods Co.

We have the electric iron you want.--M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale--A 4-room house, good cistern and three lots.--H. D. Nelson.

Mrs. J. R. Griggs left Sunday for Clarendon to visit the family of C. E. Griggs.

Mrs. E. H. Hathaway of Vernon is here visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Wood.

A "Peggy Paris" suit is a small woman's suit. See the new ones at R. B. Edwards Co.

Mrs. Luther Roberts came in Wednesday from Oklahoma City to visit her father, J. W. Beverly, and other relatives.

Drive an Essex car and go where you like, as fast as you like, when you like.--M. S. Henry & Co.

Insurance

I write Fire, Tornado, Hail, Farm, Stock, etc., in the Hartford, St. Paul and Republic.

LEO SPENCER

DON'T THROW YOUR DOLLARS AWAY--

just because they are worth about fifty cents if SPENT now.

Deposit them in the First State Bank of Crowell and in a few years they will be worth much more than their present purchasing value.

It is the SPENT dollar that is CHEAP-- The SAVED dollar is still VALUABLE.

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL Guaranty Fund Bank

J. W. Allison, President, J. H. Self, Vice Pres. M. L. Hughston, Cashier, Sam Crews, Asst. Cashier



In the first place, you should eat properly and take care of your stomach.

But--To Relieve That Heavy, Distressed Feeling

that comes from an up-set stomach, indigestion of any kind, just try our guaranteed dyspepsia cures.

Your relief will be almost immediate. You will not be without it again.

ACCURACY SERVICE COURTESY Owl Drug Store PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST PENNSLAR AGENCY CROWELL TEXAS

Shirts and Blouses for the Boys

You will find here good shirts for the older boy and blouses for the young boy. Carefully selected fabrics are used and the garments are properly sized, insuring a perfect fit.

Price of both shirts and blouses

\$1.50

J. W. Allison Mercantile Co.
Margaret, Texas

40-CENT GASOLINE BELIEVED IN SIGHT

Higher Price By September 15 Predicted Unless Consumption Is Reduced

Washington, Aug. 14.—Gasoline will cost more than 40c a gallon throughout the United States by Sept. 15, officials here believe, unless refiners succeed in persuading joy riders to curtail consumption.

Officials now are studying a tentative proposal of big refiners to cut down consumption through an informal system of rationing to apply in all forty-eight States. The system would be applied entirely by refiners and be without Government authority, though it probably will have the moral backing of Government officials.

Under the system as now outlined big refiners would agree to limit to a certain amount their sales to each State. Dealers inside the State then would be compelled to adopt some informal plan of rationing gas among their customers.

Approximately 10,000,000 owners of automobiles, power boats and airplanes would be affected by the rationing system.

The gasoline situation now is more serious than it has been for months. Consumption is reported as between 13,000,000 and 14,000,000 gallons daily. Production, however, is running approximately 2,000,000 gallons below consumption. The difference represents the amount by which the reserve supplies are being drawn off. Reserves now are reported as lower than at this time last year despite the fact that at the beginning of spring the stores were the biggest in years.

Production at Top Speed

Gasoline now is selling at near 40c a gallon in some parts of the country. Part of California recently was totally without it, except for a small supply which was rationed among doctors and trucks carrying food and milk.

Gasoline producers told Government officials it is practically impossible to further speed up refining. Production now is being conducted at top speed and raw oil supplies are barely coming in fast enough.

Many fields in the Southwest are beginning to play out and parts of the Texas field are making a bad showing. No new fields are being discovered, although thousands of prospectors are tapping "wildcat" territory.

"VIRGINIA MINSTRELS COMING"

The big Minstrel Show under canvas will appear in town one night only. This grand galaxy of real fun makers, songsters and monologue artists, lumbering nearly fifty people, traveling in two fine private cars with band and orchestra. Well every man, woman and child loves a good minstrel show and the Virginians are now one of the best on the road. It will be a cure for all aches, complaints, supposed ills and nervous disorders, a good prescription, medical men cannot give. Comical and amusing. All care is brushed aside and an evening of real enjoyment is given that will drive dull care away. So be sure and attend this truly high class minstrel show. Crowell, Saturday, August 21st. advt.

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 twenty 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 unsound mind, John L. Hunter, guardian, has filed in the County Court of Foard County an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in Foard County, Texas, to-wit: 139 17-20 acres of land situated in Foard County and being parts of the Thos. Leftwich, Frederick Rudge surveys and part of section No. 484, block "A", H. & T. Ry. Co., which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose 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 10th day of August, A. D. 1920.

MARIE HARRIS,

Clerk County Court, Foard Co., Texas

Holcomb Training School

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Seven Thousand Dollars have been spent this summer in new equipment for the school. We have added a new \$1000 Bookkeeping Machine, a new Memograph machine and several new typewriting machines. Our buildings have been greatly improved; they have been equipped with new furniture, Electric Lights, Water, Laboratories, 800 sq. ft. of new blackboard, and Every Modern Convenience.

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New Short-hand Course prepared by business men, guaranteed position and saves three months' time. Given NOW for FREE. Other special rates now. Ask for Offer 5.

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10-CENT GASOLINE BELIEVED IN SIGHT

Higher Price By September 15 Predicted Unless Consumption Is Reduced

Washington, Aug. 14.—Gasoline will cost more than 40¢ a gallon throughout the United States by Sept. 15, officials here believe, unless refiners succeed in persuading joy riders to curtail consumption.

Officials now are studying a tentative proposal of big refiners to cut down consumption through an informal system of rationing to apply in all forty-eight States. The system would be applied entirely by refiners and be without Government authority, though it probably will have the moral backing of Government officials.

Under the system as now outlined big refiners would agree to limit to a certain amount their sales to each State. Dealers inside the State then would be compelled to adopt some informal plan of rationing gas among their customers.

Approximately 10,000,000 owners of automobiles, power boats and airplanes would be affected by the rationing system.

The gasoline situation now is more serious than it has been for months. Consumption is reported as between 13,000,000 and 14,000,000 gallons daily. Production, however, is running approximately 2,000,000 gallons below consumption. The difference represents the amount by which the reserve supplies are being drawn off. Reserves now are reported as lower than at this time last year despite the fact that at the beginning of spring the stores were the biggest in years.

Production at Top Speed

Gasoline now is selling at near 40¢ a gallon in some parts of the country. Part of California recently was totally without it, except for a small supply which was rationed among doctors and trucks carrying food and milk.

Gasoline producers told Government officials it is practically impossible to further speed up refining. Production now is being conducted at top speed and raw oil supplies are barely coming in fast enough.

Many fields in the Southwest are beginning to play out and parts of the Texas field are making a bad showing. No new fields are being discovered, although thousands of prospectors are tapping "wildcat" territory.

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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 twenty 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 unsound mind, John L. Hunter, guardian, has filed in the County Court of Foard County an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in Foard County, Texas, to-wit: 139 17-20 acres of land situated in Foard County and being parts of the Thos. Leftwich, Frederick Rudge surveys and part of section No. 484, block "A", H. & T. Ry. Co., which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1920, the same being the 6th day of September, A. D. 1920, at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose 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 10th day of August, A. D. 1920.

MARIE HARRIS,

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With a high degree of confidence in its merits we call special attention to our superior grade of coffee the

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It is not always the bulk of an article that counts most, especially with coffee, and in offering this high grade article, we unhesitatingly recommend it as superior to most brands and equaled by few. Costs very little more than inferior grades but goes twice as far.

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On next Monday, August 23rd, the Copeland Bros. Stock Co., will start a week's engagement in Crowell under their beautiful big tent theatre, presenting a repertoire of carefully selected comedy dramas with Big City vaudeville.

For the past twenty years this splendid company has toured the cities of Texas and the southwest and everywhere they have met with the approval of the better class of amusement loving people and can be justly termed the "Cleanest and classiest dramatic and vaudeville company traveling in America."

The company is headed by the famous Copeland Bros., comedians, singers and instrumentalists. Miss Audress Walsh and Mr. Verne Douglass in the opposite leading roles are artists seldom seen with a popular priced attraction. Miss Minnie Wardell, character comedienne, and Myrtle Zento, ingenue, are performers of exceptional ability, while Little Alverna Copeland, child artist, is a bright star in the theatrical firmament.

Zento, the jailbraker, is a vaudeville feature extraordinary. He invites the local officers to bring their newest handcuffs and latest manacles for which he will pay ten dollars a pair for any that he cannot escape from.

The crowning vaudeville feature carried with this company is "The Four Copeland" harmony, comedy quartette.

Each play presented by the Copeland Bros. company is of the highest class and worthy the patronage of the better class of ladies and gentlemen.

The opening play on Monday night is the famous home drama "The Tie That Binds," with Little Alverna in the role of "The Little Mother," and every member of the company cast to a splendid advantage. The play tells a beautiful story of love and devotion and just bubbling over with rich comedy between Mary, the Irish biddy, and Toby, the country boy.

On Monday night only, ladies will be admitted free when accompanied by escort holding paid adult ticket, by paying five cents war tax.

The program will be changed completely each night during the week, every play being new, clean and worth while, with feature vaudeville between each act making a continuous performance.

Watch for the big, new tent on the southeast corner of the square next Monday, August 23. Do not confound this show with any other that might play Crowell. There is only one Copeland Bros. Stock Co. advt.



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See our window this week. We have what you want.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Wanted to rent a house in Crowell, two to four rooms, in good location, by first of September. Leave word at the News office. 12p

WILLIAM PIERSON

"We again present William Pierson of Hunt County for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. He won first primary by 24,853 plurality. Vote for him August 28th."

YOU WOULDN'T TRY TO TAME A WILD-CAT

Mr. Dodson Warns Against Use of Treacherous, Dangerous Calomel

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it. 58

BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)
Jim Blag of Foard City was in our community Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. L. Gray and children are visiting relatives at Durant, Okla.

A number of people from this community attended the singing at Foard City Sunday.

Willie Grimes of Odell was a guest in the home of C. L. Gray and family Saturday and Sunday.

There will be singing at the school house Sunday afternoon. Everybody come and bring some one with you.

Miss Alta Johnson, who was operated on last Saturday for tonsillitis, is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gray and children entertained a large crowd of friends with an ice cream supper Saturday night.

Buford, Susie, Lorena and Marie Randolph of the Jamison community have been visiting friends in this community.

Mrs. Hay and children who have been the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. C. L. Gray, left Monday for their home at Durant, Okla.

Bessie and Marie Cain are staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Black, of Claytonville and are attending the singing school there.

After having visited relatives at Pilot Point for about two weeks, Mrs. W. B. Jones and little son, Dale, returned to their home Saturday.

W. E. Robbins who has been visiting the families of John M. Johnston and W. C. Golden for some time is now working for Jim Blag of Foard City.

While plowing last Monday, J. C. Draper, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Draper, fell off of the plow and it was pulled over him by the team. A bone was crushed in his arm but he is reported to be doing well at present.

Mrs. Charlie Thompson and children left Saturday for Pilot Point where they will visit Mrs. Thompson's mother.

You will want an Essex when you drive one.—M. S. Henry & Co.

No Better Time to Build

Lumber is high, so is everything but money. What's the difference in buying high lumber with cheap money and cheap lumber with high money? If the weight of argument favors either it is to build with cheap money, because cheap money is easier for you to get.

The time to build is when you need to build, not when prices are cheaper. That time may never come. You may be losing money every day by not building, and certainly that is true as to needed repair work.

Come in and let us figure that lumber bill, however large or small.

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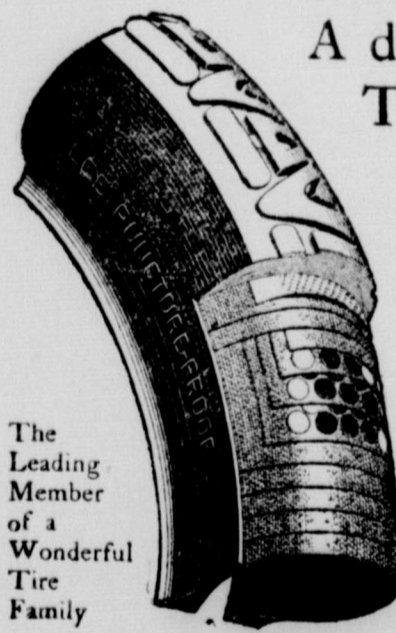
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