

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

AND CROWELL INDEX

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ROAD WILL GET D ON DESIGNATED HIGHWAY EAST

George G. L. Burk returned from his trip this week where he had been in conference with the State Highway Commission relative to highway construction in this county.

The highway from Crowell to Vernon having been designated as a highway in line for State aid and we are being designated at the present time further aid is withheld from the State can catch up in supporting the help it has already promised.

According to the information furnished by Judge Burk got at Austin, it will be a year and a half before the road will be in position to designate more highways in Texas, and so will be at least that long before any additional help can be expected from the State in the construction of new roads.

This puts the Crowell-Quanah road and bridge to where they must be financed by the two counties alone, as they see fit to wait at least another year or two. But of course, this is the small end of the road building program of Foard County, which is affected little. Our building program goes forward with no interruption.

With Hardeman County being different. That county has never received any aid from the State, for every reason than that it has not been after it, and it makes it a little more difficult to be turned down the first time, as it was the only county in asking for aid on the road between Crowell and Quanah.

Foard County is fortunate in having the road designated to Vernon already having the road built in Knox and Cottle counties. The money will be extended for aid in the building of the bridge across Wichita river just as soon as Knox connects at the south bank of the river. That county is now work on its stretch road down to the river. This will be our connection with the South and will be the means of turning lots of traffic through here and on west to Okmah.

We will get connection with Vernon which means the linking of the Gulf Colorado Highway at that place with the Fort Worth & Farwell here, which will give us good connection with the outside world.

Emmett Robertson and Miss Mildred Goodman were united in marriage at Memphis Tuesday afternoon, May 18, Whaley, pastor of the Baptist church performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Robertson is one of Memphis' most charming young ladies, and has been here for a long time. She has a host of friends in the city.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson of this city. He attended the local schools and was graduated from the business college that was here for a number of years. He is a promising young business man of Crowell and is with the Mar-tee Toggery of that city.

The young couple left Memphis immediately after the ceremony for Crowell, where they will make their home.—Vernon Times

Surprise Birthday Dinner

Relatives and friends successfully planned and carried out a surprise for Mrs. N. A. Crowell Thursday of last week in the form of a dinner celebrating her 60th anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rasor were principals in carrying this to a success, they having prepared the dinner, which was brought to the home of Mrs. Crowell ready to be served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rasor, Miss Lena Rasor, M. F. Crowell and four children, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burns and two children.

Mrs. Crowell is the mother of six children, five sons and one daughter, all being present except Clifton of Los Angeles, Cal., Grover of Weatherford, and Ben of Ranger. There are 15 grandchildren, all of whom were present except Joe Crowell of Weatherford and Frank Hays Crowell of Ranger.

Mrs. Crowell is one of the pioneers of Foard County and while she has reached her three score years, every one hopes that she may live to be 100, and she is in fairly good health and has the promise of many years more at least.

What is Worth While?

Address Delivered by Mrs. Mark Henry, President of the First District, to the Club Federation Recently Held in Wichita Falls

The subject of my remarks this evening was suggested to me after a number of letters from all over the District had found their way to my desk, asking what did I consider the most important work for their club and sometimes for individuals to promote in their community. If I can help solve this problem for one club or individual I will feel that my effort has been worth while.

Consecrated to service as the club woman is today, she looks out upon a sea of infinity. To be sure she still "looks well to the ways of her household" where "her price is above rubies." Neither does she or those depending upon her eat the bread of idleness. That done, she has come to ask herself, "What else is worth while?" I am my brother's keeper, therefore I must go forth to find if he needs me. And there she finds her infinity. Through so many channels can service be rendered that the club woman pauses to ask herself which can be the really worth while. She heard in her school days:

"Be good, sweet maid, and let who will be clever;
Do noble deeds, no dream them all day long;
And thus make, left, death and that vast forever."

One grand sweet song.

She does not believe Charles Kingsley's theory that "Men must work and women must weep." She, too, must work, but again she asks, what is the most worth while thing for me to do?

Among pathetic figures of woman is she who slowly walks around a picture gallery. She knows there are many great canvasses about her. She falters because she does not realize which are the really worth while. She grows fatigued, mind and body. Her eyes have wandered from wall to wall, but she has formed no conception of the real values in art. She is conscious of some hidden beauty but she does not know how to release it, she is sure there is something there to interest her, but where is it, what is it, she asks bewildered. She knows the names of great masters on the frames, but she fails to grasp just why these are great. She turns to study the philosophy in art; she pores over art aesthetics. She reads disquisitions on the various schools of art. Still she is not convinced as to which is worth while. This picture gallery, my friends, is our world, filled with masterpieces for human endeavor. Are we able to recognize the truly worth while? There is no book now written nor ever to be written which will give us the formula that lies within us as individuals—within you and me. One picture appeals to you while another appeals to me. Only that is worth while which enlists the body, the mind and the soul of the individual.

Shakespeare never wrote a line more true than that in Antony and Cleopatra, "to business that we love we rise betimes." This great human art gallery contains many hundreds of life pictures. In the gallery of art, one master selects a religious scene—perhaps Christ blessing little children. At once one of us responds, to pronounce service to child welfare the only thing worth while. But, just opposite, is the work of a master who portrays Washington receiving the sword of Cornwallis. Now, we say, ours shall be that service of our Nation. We enlist an army to fight, we dedicate battles, city and nation. We dedicate ourselves to civics. But, there is another picture which attracts. It is Andrea Del Sarto's "Charity." Surely this is the thing worth while—philanthropy; we will serve our fellow man. But, did you see that bit of beauty in a Corot landscape? If so, you may say, "Mine shall be the work of making this good old world a more beautiful place in which to live." As the eye wanders from pictures, so down the mind search for the really worth while thing. Finally, we leave the gallery. Somehow, one certain picture remains with us. It means more to us than all the others. That which clings longest and strongest, my friends, is the work for you. That which grips your head, your heart, is the thing worth while to lend your body. The world teems with things worth while. No one of us can respond to all. Therefore each should select her own picture from the world gallery of action. The very first consideration in selecting what is worth while is that which incites our deepest interest. The personal point of view is the first element of success. Suppose we all rallied round the same service flag. Where would be the many departments of our State Federation, all so enthusiastically furthered because the head of such thinks hers the most worth while. If we all considered culture the paramount thing, where would be our legislative work and where our social and industrial committee, and who would guard the school of ignorance? Who would guard health conditions? One's own temperament, ideals, education and experience is the determining factor in what is really worth while. The Montana federation says child welfare is the most important. Georgia says it is

ACALA WORTH \$25 BALE MORE THAN SHORT COTTON

Some weeks ago the News stated that Acala cotton was bringing about \$5.00 per bale more than the short cotton. Our informant seems not to have given us correct information, for R. P. Rhea, who has been here from Dallas several months buying Acala, says that it has been bringing about \$25.00 per bale more than the short cotton.

This is worth consideration by the farmers, it seems, since Acala cotton is just as easily grown as the shorter staple and is really a better dry weather resister. This is the experience of those in this county who have grown the Acala cotton.

There will be a great increase of acreage to the Acala this year. One of the gin men predicted some time ago that three-fourths of the crop this year would be the long staple variety. If it has brought \$25 per bale more this year and is just as easily produced the increase in price over the short staple should appeal to the cotton farmer. According to the record of some of the farmers here last year the long cotton produced a great deal more to the acre than the short. Lots of it went around a bale to the acre.

Blankinship relieved Wetsell in the 5th, pitching good ball until the finish.

Battery for Crowell, Boyd and Middleton; for Goree, Coffman, Wetsell and Blankinship.

Score, Goree 7, Crowell 6. Umpire, Carmical.

Game delayed 20 minutes when Wetsell coaching for Goree at first base covered the sack in absence of first baseman who was chasing outfield fly batted by Myers, Carmical passing ball to Sloan, shortstop, Wetsell at first motioning and calling for ball misleads Sloan with Parks running home and Myers being out at first retires Goree without a score, as the Crowell boys play strictly by rules which are regulated in the official guide and not by a lot of old rot hatched up by individuals.

The rules plainly state that a coach shall not stand within a radius of four feet of a base or base line, and shall not make any gesture or say anything to a player other than the batter or runner. If he does it will result in the runner being called out. So Myers was out with two already down would retire Goree. Parks made his run all in vain. This play was made the first of the fifth, neither side scoring.

In the last of the 5th frame Sloan hits for a single, walks to second on a pass. Emory hits a sacrifice, Sloan goes to third, Emory out on first. Barry hits down infield to first base. Wards fields ball missed Barry as he passes. Barry safe at first. Sloan brings in first score of the game. Vick poles out a little rap between first and second, Barry going to third and Vick to second. Walker up hits beyond second base, Barry safe at home, Vick stuck at second. Walker safe at first. Carmical strikes out. Hay slaps out an outfield pop-up and retired which retired Crowell.

First half of the seventh, Green strikes out, Coffman hits for Thorton. Hit by pitcher Coffman takes first and is thrown out at second. With two down Ward hits for a single, Parks hits, Ward advanced to second, Parks safe at first. Johnson hits a fast line drive to Barry, Barry muffs, Sloan backing up this position sacks the ball before it hits ground, breaking up a perfectly good seven-inning game.

Big Vick was equal to the occasion and pitched league ball. He worked himself in the hole in the third frame, but came out without letting in a score. This game was a pitchers' duel but Vick had the edge on Ward after the first two innings.

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Boyd, s. b.	3	0	0	0
C. Boyd, c. f.	3	0	1	6
Sloan, s. s.	3	1	1	0
Emory, c.	3	0	1	0
Barry, 3b.	2	1	1	1
Vick, p.	2	0	1	0
Walker, r. f.	2	0	1	0
Carmical, 1b.	2	0	0	0
Total	23	2	6	1

Goree

	AB	R	H	E
Parks, c.	1	0	2	1
Johnson, 2b.	3	0	0	0
Meyers, s. s.	3	0	1	0
Edwards, 3b.	3	0	0	0
Coffman, 1b.	3	0	2	0
Wetsell, c. f.	1	0	0	0
Green, l. f.	3	0	0	0
Thornton, r. f.	1	0	0	0
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CROWELL LOSES FIRST GAME TO GOREE BALL TEAM

(By W. H. Dunagan)

Luck goes against the Crowell sluggers after they had won the first game with Goree last Thursday. The score was 7 to 6 in Goree's favor. This would be classed as a real game.

Goree starts with Ex-leaguer Wetsell in the center but the sluggers soon connected and sent him to the bench, Boyd featuring the rally with a homer. Middleton twirling for Crowell lets one ball slip wild with a dober on third, with two outs and two strikes on batter, which resulted in the winning score.

But with all this we hand it to Middleton as being a clever pitcher and always on the job. His strike-outs show his ability, as thirteen Goree swatters lay the the timber down gently during the game.

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Winners in Spelling of Interscholastic League Contest

Miss Mattie Russell of the Crowell High School was winner in the Senior spelling contest of the Interscholastic League Meet held at Crowell, according to a report from Director of Spelling, University Interscholastic League, Austin, Texas.

Miss Alice Brown, Plainview School, Thalia, won first place in the Junior spelling contest.

There were eight contestants in the Interscholastic League spelling contest, three seniors and five juniors. Each were given 360 words to spell in the final event. Miss Russell missed 7, and Miss Brown missed 6.

A LARGE TOOTH

Some weeks ago a large tooth was picked up on J. W. Beverly's farm and has been kept in his office ever since until Monday when he brought it over to the News office and said that he was going to send it to Smithsonian Institute at Washington, D. C.

The tooth is practically all petrified and about half of the original seems to have been split off and is gone. The portion which Mr. Beverly is sending away weighs 4 1/4 pounds and is 10 inches long and 14 inches in circumference at the largest portion. It is supposed to be the tooth of a mastodon, a large animal somewhat like the elephant, which is thought to have lived in America thousands of years ago.

Presbyterians Call Pastor

The theme of the sermon by Rev. S. R. Standifer of Fort Worth at the Presbyterian church Sunday night was "Things That Increase Our Knowledge of the Lord."

The subject was thoroughly developed and the sermon very helpful to the hearers.

After the service the church went into the call of a pastor and decided upon Rev. Standifer and called him for his full time. He had not decided when he left, however, that he would accept. He is very favorably impressed with this country and its people, which fact will have its effect as a pulling towards bringing him to this country.

We believe if Rev. Standifer sees fit to cast his lot with the Crowell people that he will be a great force in our town and community for the promotion of good.

Rev. W. M. Baker, field man, was also here Sunday. He is interested in the work here and has made several trips to Crowell within the last few months.

Our Presbyterian brethren need a pastor and it is hoped that Rev. Standifer will accept their call.

Later—we were informed yesterday by Mr. Kirkpatrick that Rev. Standifer had accepted the call of this church and will be here Sunday to fill that pulpit.

Forty-two Party

Miss Leone Cook entertained with a progressive 42 party Thursday evening of last week at her home west of Crowell. Despite the fact that Miss Lena and Jimmie were such sharks at the game, Ed Mosley and Miss Minnie Logan came out ahead with a tied score. Minnie received the prize. After many exciting games refreshments were served to the following: Inez Sloan, Verne and Beulah Henson, Venus Cook, Gladys Benson, Minnie Logan, Lena Rasor, Gordon Gribble, Louis Sloan, Charlie Wishon, Ed Mosley, Jimmie Cotton, Dewey Mosley, Glenn Shults and Austin Watkins.—Contributed.

Goes to Sanitarium

A breakdown in health made it necessary for W. A. Cogdell to be taken to a sanitarium at Fort Worth last week. Information recently received by Mrs. Cogdell says that he is doing fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Odell were here Wednesday and Thursday visiting Mrs. Stroud's sister, Mrs. J. W. Bell. Mr. Stroud is D. D. G. M. of the Grand Lodge of Texas and visited the Crowell Masonic lodge Wednesday night and assisted in conferring degrees.

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Los Shirley was here several days this week from Waco. He came here from Duncan, Okla., and thinks crop conditions here much better than most places. Around Waco, he says, they have had too much rain.

WHEAT LOOKING BETTER; PROMISES 5 TO 20 BUSHELS

The continued cool weather is the salvation of the wheat crop. Two weeks ago it looked like there would be very little wheat made. Now the promise is fair and the yield is estimated from 5 to 20 bushels. Except for the fact that wheat is not as high as usual it looks as well as it ordinarily does. The heads are short but they are very well filled. There are a great many fields estimated to make from ten to fifteen bushels.

If the spring had been hot a different tale might have been told as to the wheat crop. There never has been one here so cool as this. Then, too, we have had a great amount of cloudy, threatening weather. This is regarded as the cause of the wheat crop holding up as it has. It looks now like a fairly good crop is sure.

The following report is given of the entire Panhandle country in a dispatch from Amarillo:

Amarillo, Texas, May 16.—Wheat production in the Panhandle will be around 15,000,000 bushels this year, or approximately the same as it was last year. Albert Hinn, president of the Panhandle Grain Dealers' Association, in sixth annual session here today, estimated after crop reports had been heard from various dealers. About eighty-five dealers are here. The convention ended tonight with a dinner and theater party.

A resolution asking for rates to the New Orleans port as low as those now applying to the Galveston port was passed. The convention also passed a resolution asking for lower freight rates through the medium of a reduction in wages to railway employees. The resolution called for repeal of the Adamson and Clayton acts.

I. O. O. F. DEGREE TEAM
HERE FROM VERNON

A full degree team from the Vernon I. O. O. F. lodge and District Deputy T. M. McKinney were here Thursday evening of last week and conferred the first degree for the Crowell lodge.

Supper was served at the Sanitary Cafe for the visiting Odd Fellows and after the ceremonies at the lodge room cake and cream were served.

Fred Newth, machinist-operator, of the Vernon Record, was also in the party and rendered the News some valuable assistance in making some adjustments on our liontype machine.

Near East Relief

The Columbian Club has been asked to collect old clothing for the destitute people of the Near East.

Will you please gather your old clothing and bundle it up and watch the paper next week for announcement when and where to send it.

Any piece of wearing apparel that has a practical value will be acceptable—coats, dresses, sweaters, skirts, blankets, hose, heavy underwear, shoes, etc.

Please don't neglect this—gather up the old things and help these poor people.

MRS. KINCAID,
President Columbian Club.

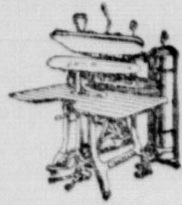
Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Weaver of Quanah and Mrs. J. G. Watkins of Oklahoma City were here Wednesday. Mrs. Watkins was formerly Miss Margaret Stuart and lived in Crowell a good many years ago. While the family resided here Mrs. Watkins' mother died and was buried in the Crowell cemetery and she was here trying to locate the grave, but no record on the Cemetery Association's books could be found whereby the grave could be located.

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In the Case of Pillows



Dry cleaning feathers is one of the best things we do. And do you get your own feathers back? Of course you do, right in the tick that we cleaned them in.

It's a simple proposition. We find it just as easy as it is to restore the plump fluffiness of your blankets. We do both so well that you will wonder why you waited so long.

And it has been a long time since those feather pillows and your blankets had a good bath—send them today. We will return them sweet and clean and wonderously soft and fluffy.

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When you want Feed of any kind you will find it at my store. All kinds of Hay, Oats, Chops, and all kinds of Cow Feed.

Also will pay the highest prices for Poultry and Hides—Call 159

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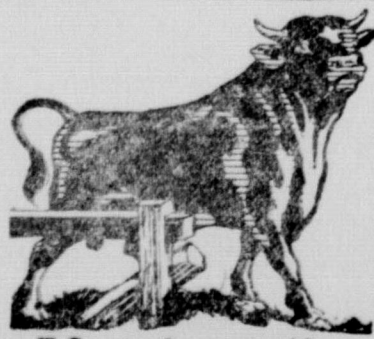
I am prepared to handle all of your fat hogs and cattle, and will pay the highest market price. Phone, see me in person, or write

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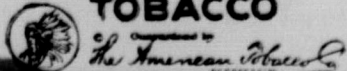
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TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing, hunting, wood hauling or prowling in the Worsham & Johnson pasture allowed.—W. B. Johnson.

For Sale—One business lot between Johnson's feed store and Edgin's blacksmith shop. Inquire at Collins wagon yard.

Sudan grass seed 10c per pound at A. L. Johnson's.

For Sale—Jersey milk cow, fresh.—Collins wagon yard.

BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

T. T. Golightly of Crowell was at singing Saturday night.

Mr. Harper went to Crowell Monday to see the ball game.

Miss Emma Pendleton of Crowell was at singing Sunday night.

J. L. Chapman and wife of Crowell were at singing Saturday night.

Mrs. A. R. Johnson and children attended church at Foard City Sunday.

W. C. Golden and family of Foard City visited R. M. Cain and family Sunday.

Miss Una Miller of the Gribble community visited Mrs. Velma Peebles Sunday.

Jim Miller and sister, Miss Una, of Gribble community were at singing Sunday night.

Bro. Hastings and wife from Cottle county have been visiting R. M. Cain and family.

Mrs. W. F. Draper and daughter, Miss Carrie, were shopping in Crowell Tuesday.

Miss Johnnie Johnston is spending the week with friends in the Jamison community.

Miss Emma Pendleton of Crowell visited the W. B. Jones family Sunday and Sunday night.

A number of people from this community attended church at Claytonville Sunday and Sunday night.

W. M. Randolph of Jamison was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Mack McGregor, Saturday night and Sunday.

J. L. Chapman and wife from Crowell were guests of Mr. Ford and family of this community Saturday and Sunday.

Buford Randolph and sisters, Misses Susie and Eunice, of Jamison were visiting friends and relatives in this community Sunday.

John Randolph and Misses Sallie Scott, Eunice Randolph and Johnnie Johnston motored to the Wichita River Sunday afternoon.

The singing school closed Saturday night with a large crowd, though there would have been many more if the weather had been more favorable.

Jack Roberts and Bob Allee and a number of others from Crowell were fishing in the City lake Monday. Ball playing and fishing seem to be the order of the day.

As the nights are getting shorter and harvesting is almost here the singing at the school house on Sunday nights hereafter will be discontinued and will be in the afternoon after Sunday School. Let's all attend.

AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

J. B. Childs of Burk Burnett visited Latham Jones and family last week.

Mr. Omy Tefteller of Kingsville, Texas, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Latham Jones.

Mrs. Henson of Crowell and Mrs. Dolf Pauley left Sunday to visit relatives at Snyder, Okla.

J. B. R. Fox and wife attended the chautauqua at Margaret Sunday and visited old friends there.

Mrs. Hukill was called to Vernon Monday on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Grady Finney.

Most everybody from Ayersville have been attending the chautauquas at Margaret and Thalia the past week.

Tom Wayland and wife have moved from near Vernon to the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. W. L. Johnson.

Mrs. Bud Tacket and baby of Eufaula, Okla., are visiting her father, O. B. Lindsey, and other relatives here.

C. D. Haney and wife and Miss Ethel Haney of Vernon visited D. M. Shultz and family Thursday of last week.

J. R. Gamble and wife of Crowell and brother, Meral Gamble and wife of Sayre, Okla., visited relatives in this community last Tuesday.

THALIA NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Norman Gray has been on the sick list the last few days.

Miss Edna Shaw was shopping in Crowell Tuesday of last week.

Misses Edna Shaw and Pauline Pigg were shopping in Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Abston spent Saturday with Mrs. Fred Rennels near Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Self and family of Crowell attended the chautauqua here Sunday afternoon.

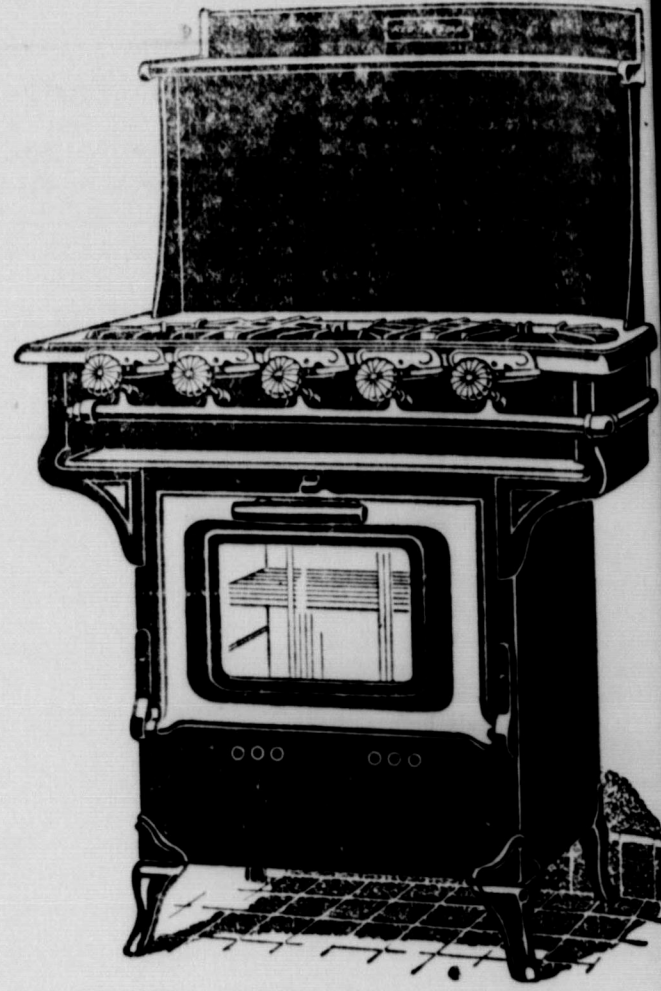
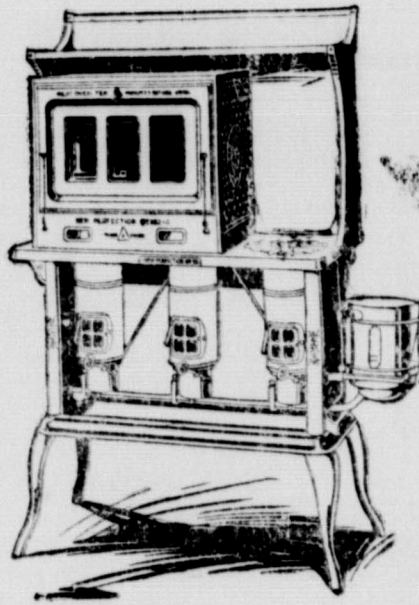
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And built in oven - - 75.00
Uses wicks and is unquestionably the best wick stove made. No asbestos rings to smoke.

W. R. WOMACK
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

Quite a few of Rayland's young people attended the chautauqua here Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Capps of Crowell visited relatives and attended the chautauqua Sunday night.

Mrs. Grimsley and children of Swelsend, Texas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson have been entertaining a pretty little baby girl in their home since May 14th.

The Truscott ball team played the Thalia boys Monday afternoon. The score was 15 to 18 in favor of the home boys.

Fargo base ball team played the Thalia boys here Saturday afternoon. The score was 16 to 14 in favor of the Thalia boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long of Crowell visited relatives here and attended the commencement exercises last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Fred Woodruff, who has been visiting her parents here for the past ten days, returned to her home at Alford Tuesday.

The Chillicothe base ball team played the Thalia team on Thalia's diamond Tuesday afternoon. The score was 9 to 4 in favor of Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Phillips of Ayersville and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cates of Catesville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moore Sunday afternoon.

Sam Russell and family of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reed and Grandma French of the Bell community visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson Sunday.

J. W. Robinson, A. G. Johnson and L. C. Johnson and daughter, Miss Maud, of Tahoka, and Miss Margaret Lyles spent Saturday night with J. G. Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haney and Miss Ethel Haney of Vernon visited relatives and attended the commencement exercises of the Thalia school Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. Garland Burns and children, and her niece and nephew, Catherine and John Crowell, who had been visiting awhile with her, went to Crowell Thursday to be present at the birthday dinner of her mother, Mrs. N. A. Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Haggard of Plano spent Sunday night in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Luke Johnson, and family. They were en route to their farm at Tampa, Grey county. They made the trip in their car.

School Closed

The Thalia school closed Wednesday night. A splendid program was gotten up for the occasion, after which Prof. Owens presented diplomas to the following girls: Josie Langley, valedictorian; Jewel Cato, class president; Lela Webb, key orator. Rev. J. M. Fuller of Margaret gave the baccalaureate address. The teachers of Thalia school for this term were: Prof. Jesse Owens, Misses Lula Bowley, Mattie Belle Choat and Mrs. Belle Thompson.

Some people kick about high prices and then rush in and get the most expensive things they can buy.

A correspondent complains that a great many American business men are losing their commercial honor. If it is only commercial it is probably not worth keeping.

President Harding is sure one accommodating fellow. He is playing right into the mits of the irreconcilable senators by furnishing them something to orate about just as they were running out of thunder.

Registered Poland China pig—gilts 6 months old, 1 male pig, a pig, sired by Improver and Smart King dam, 30 March pigs just the same for club pigs, terms made to club members.—Ferguson Bros. and Charles Blevins.

Trespass Notice

This is to give notice that all trespassing on my place is forbidden.—Mrs. W. S. Bell.

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

It will mean a big saving to you if you put a Header Attachment on your John Deere grain binder.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Ice cream on Sunday at the Sartory Cafe.

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Carries everything in the line of an up-to-date meat market, together with packing house meats such as Billed Ham, Mince Ham, etc., except beef. 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 it's pure hog sausage you want. If so the City Meat Market is the place to get it.

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Ethics of Shoveling.

You can make a science out of anything. You may remember the old joke about the Irishman who said that Hogan was a good shoveler, but he wasn't what you'd call a fancy shoveler. A big plant that manufactures shovels has made a study of shoveling and has unearthed some interesting facts. For instance, a good shoveler should pick up a heavier load than 21 pounds. A good shoveler should not throw further than ten feet horizontally or eight feet vertically. Shovelers should have two ten-minute periods of complete relaxation every two hours. Shovelers should work in pairs, not alone. Two men together will shovel twice as much as two alone. Now, spit on your hands and go to it!—Cincinnati Enquirer.

First American Stock Market.
The first congress of the United States, while in session in Federal hall on Wall street, New York, in 1788-89, authorized and subsequently issued bonds (then called stock) amounting to \$80,000,000 for the purpose of discharging debts incurred by the Continental congress and the various colonies. This naturally led to orders for the purchase and sale of these bonds being sent to New York. These orders first came to merchants, attorneys and others, but later, as the transactions increased, some men began to give special attention to this business, becoming the first brokers in America.

Water Affects Varnish.
The varnish on some furniture is so hard and smooth that finger marks and soiled places may be removed with a cloth wrung out of lukewarm suds, made with white soap, and the finish restored by rubbing with a cloth, on which a few drops of light lubricating oil or furniture polish has been sprinkled. In many cases this is a good method to use on the tops of dining tables, but in general it is unwise to put water on varnished, oiled or waxed surfaces. Painted and enameled furniture may, of course, be washed like any other surface so finished.

Jud Tunkins on Economy.
Jud Tunkins says economy is like a piece of music. It may turn out fine, but the person who practices it can't be very entertaining for the time being.

The luck of some people isn't luck at all. It is merely energy and perseverance regulated by good old horse sense.

Requiring women to serve on juries may be all right, but we fear its effect upon the legal profession. Not all lawyers are experts at determining the brand of candy to take into court.

Some people make their funniest remarks when attempting to be serious. It isn't wise to drift through life copying other people. The world recognizes the imitation as quickly as it does the original.

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PAINT half your house with Devvoe; paint the other half with any other paint you choose.

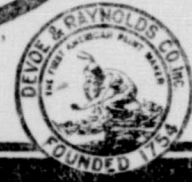
If Devvoe doesn't take fewer gallons and cost less money, we will make no charge for Devvoe.

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If your grain does not get high enough to bind let us sell you a header attachment for grain binder, for either the Deering or McCormick.

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Getting a girl ready to graduate these days is almost equal to outfitting her to marry. There's her suit, \$55 at least; her graduating dress, \$20 at a guess; her reception dress, \$15; shoes and slippers, \$18; class pin \$3; commencement invitation cards, \$2 to \$4; flowers, \$5; stunts and incidentals, \$10; ring, pendant or pearl, \$15 to \$150. And in three years she marries a \$25 a week man, leaves him in another three years because he cannot support her, and at thirty, "grass" and experienced, with no roof over her head, seeking still the silly satisfaction of clothes, is on the hunt for bigger prey. The sin of the American home toward girl children is past understanding. It is a species of insanity. —Paris Mercury.

If the fool newspapers don't soon let up on this crazy Einstein stuff we'll be forced to conclude that it is the last syllable of his name that catches their fancy.

Female vamps seldom angle these days. They grab

Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, within the Crowell Independent School District, on the 6th day of June, 1921, to determine whether an annual ad valorem tax not to exceed one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property of said Crowell Independent School District shall be levied, assessed and collected for the maintenance of the schools therein.

J. W. Beverly has been appointed Judge, and A. G. Magee and D. L. Reavis, clerks of said election, which shall be held as nearly as may be possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State.

No person shall vote at said election unless he or she be a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of this state and a property tax payer in said Crowell Independent School District.

Those in favor of the tax shall write on their ballot: "For Maintenance Tax." And those against the tax shall write or print on their ballot, "Against Maintenance Tax."

Said election was ordered by the board of trustees of said Crowell Independent School District by order passed on the 6th day of May, 1921, and said notice is issued pursuant to said order.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1921.
W. F. KIRKPATRICK,
President of Board of Trustees of (Seal) Said Election.

Attest:
R. R. MAGEE,
Secretary of Board of Trustees of Said District.

Doctors have again been warning us against the germs that collect on paper money. That ought to be some consolation to the fellow who is busted.

If Senator Borah really plans to abolish all useless jobs he might make a ten strike by heading the list with that of United States Senator.

Congress continues to justify its existence. It draws its pay regularly. The fellow who doesn't like loafing has probably never tried working.

Some men are eternally getting something for nothing. They are hen-pecked.

The advent of spring is no excuse for that tired feeling. Work it off.

Of course every procession must have a tail, but everybody ought to be at the head.

Professional baseball seems to be sleeping at the switch. We can't hear even a tiny chirp about graft of late.

Yes, we've heard a lot about Adam eating the forbidden apple, but never a word of whether he peeled it or took it whole.

As positive proof that this country is full of brave men, just scan the list of marriage licenses.

If you want to go far on the river of life just paddle your own canoe. The other fellow's may sink.

Shop made boots.—Self's.

20 Per Cent On Your Money

A true statement and the dividend is paid in advance. We have always maintained that Goodrich Tires were the best buy regardless of price and when Goodrich comes along as the leader in the movement for lower prices on high grade, worth-having tires, and knocks 20 per cent off the price it really means that one-fifth of the previous purchase price for Goodrich Tires is handed over to put in your inside pocket.

As your banker might say: "It's an investment that commends itself anyway you look at it."

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, May 20, 1921

\$150,000 Instead of \$52,000

In connection with its mention of our bond issue, the Vernon Record makes the wrong impression as to the amount of the issue, saying that it was \$52,000. It's a small matter, perhaps, but \$98,000 is not a small sum, that being the amount of the error, figured in dollars. The bond issue was \$150,000 instead of \$52,000. Then the Record again might convey the wrong impression when it says: "Hardeman County has remarkably good highways, even though they are of dirt, because the heavier soil of that county gives a surface of remarkable wearing quality. Now Foard County is getting busy with the matter of improving the roads. All of this serves to impress how vital it is for Wilbarger County to inaugurate a comprehensive good road program."

It matters little as to the first error, that of the amount of the issue, but when the Record intimates that Foard County has just commenced to build good roads it reveals a lack of information as to the facts in the case which is almost astonishing. Publicity has been given of the fact of our activity in road building for the last two years. It is not a false claim that we have been busy while most of the neighboring counties have been sleeping on their rights in the matter of building roads with State aid, and we now have some of the finest dirt road in the State. Proof of the statement can be found by making a trip over our highway south and west. It would be well for people of Wilbarger county to come up some of these days and take a spin over this road, even the editor of the Record. It will do those people good to see what we have done, besides, some would have an opportunity to learn that Foard County joins Wilbarger on the west.

CROWELL MATTRESS FACTORY

We wish to announce to the people of Crowell and surrounding country that we are leaving Crowell June 15th. All who want old beds made-over or new ones made please get your order in before that date.—F. M. Rutledge.

Where Is Truth?

People who read some of the large city dailies, and especially the Washington dispatches, are becoming somewhat befuddled over the conflicting news from day to day.

One day we are told that the president is lending a sympathetic ear to Germany, and the next we read that he is strong for the allies.

One correspondent sends out a story that all is peace and harmony between the administration and congress, and the same day another writer has them on the brink of an unbridgable chasm.

It is so with much that we read.

It is one thing today, another tomorrow, and the day after neither is correct.

Truth occasionally slips in, but we are unable to recognize it when we see it.

We never know what to believe.

It is becoming a common occurrence for people who think to read a news dispatch and then cast it aside with but one thought—"Newspaper bunk."

The trouble is with a large proportion of the city population as it is with the managing editors of the big papers—possibly more so.

A plain, dignified statement of fact no longer satisfies the public. It wants thrills, excitement, sensations. If there is nothing of a "spicy" nature in a paper the sheet is too tame—not worth reading.

Managing editors are up against this modern degeneracy of human nature. They have no choice. It is a case of furnishing what the public demands or quit printing a newspaper.

Reporters and correspondents must dish up what the editors require to satisfy the public craving—or hop off the payroll.

And reporters and correspondents—and also editors—have appetites that must be appeased. They can not masticate empty pay envelopes.

It is all rather disconcerting to people who respect right and justice, who believe in truth and veracity.

The possession of scrambled brains flavored with the spice of life may be very satisfying to some people—even

to many of them—but there are a few who dissent.
Where is truth?
Far in the rear, trying to keep pace with bunk.

T. E. L. Class Social Meeting

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist S. S. met with Mrs. Will Matthews May 12th, for regular monthly meeting. The president being sick, Mrs. Will Womack led the devotional and presided over the meeting in a splendid manner. The class officers made good reports and we were especially proud of the second vice when she presented the class a "blessing box" that will be opened when the new church is finished. Then we will count our blessings and appropriate the funds on the furnishings of the T. E. L. class room.

Mrs. Matthews had charge of the social hour that was one of the best yet with a story, reading and contest. The finale being ice cream and cake. The Hustlers are still ahead.—Reporter.

Junior League Program (B Division)

Subject—The ark.
Leader—Mary Lee Huntley.
Scripture lesson, Gen. 6:7.
How long was the ark building?—Virgie Donaldson.

How old was Noah and his sons when they went into the ark? Gen. 7:6; 5:32.—Charles Ferguson.

What shut them in? Gen. 7:16.—Carrie Maurice Allee.

What went into the ark with them? Gen. 7:2-3; 13:16.—Clara Belle Gaines.

How long did it continue raining? Gen. 7:12.—Mary Ragland Thompson.

How long did the waters continue? Gen. 7:24.—Peggie Thompson.

How did Noah ascertain when the waters had abated? Gen. 8:10-12.

Junior League Program (A Division)

Subject—Parables of our Lord.
Leader—Zell Ashbey.
Scripture lesson, Matt. 13:1-2.
What is a parable?—Louise Thomas.

Why did Christ teach in parables?—Jewel Brown. (a) Give the parable of the Sower.—Katherine Clark.

(b) Candle Under Bushel Matt. 13:3.

—Bevy Jewel Ringgold. (c) The Rich Fool, Luke 12:12-20.—Hazel Dykes.

(d) The Talents, Matt. 25:14-31.—Gladys Carter. (e) The Good Samaritan, Luke 10:19.—Charlotte Gaines.

(f) The Rich Man and Laz-

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If you have to head your grain this year it will be a big saving to you to buy a header attachment for your John Deere grain binder.

This attachment is made of wood securely bound and cross-braced with steel straps to hold it permanently in shape. The elevator is adjustable to various heights by use of raising and lowering device. Extra reel arms and slats are furnished with header attachment.

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If you contemplate building a home or repairing the one you have, we want to sell you the lumber. We can make the prices as attractive as any lumber dealer can in this country, and when you buy from us you are patronizing home industry.

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Margaret, Texas

arus, Luke 16:19.—Lola Bell. (g) The Lost Sheep, Matt. 18:12.—Thelma Ferguson.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so tenderly ministered to us during the recent illness and death of our baby, also for the beautiful floral offerings. Your love and sympathy will ever be remembered. May God bless every one of you.
W. L. Finn, wife and daughter, Woods, Bell and Oates Families.

The News received an announcement yesterday of the graduation of Miss Cassie Dockins from the nurses' training school of the Gainesville Sanitarium. The commencement exercises will be held in the First Baptist Church May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cope of Seymour were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts. They went to Quanah to visit their son, J. H. Cope, and wife, and returned to Crowell Wednesday going on their home in Seymour yesterday.

Mrs. L. H. Cope of Quanah is in the city visiting friends.

You have been looking for something to save labor and expense, also save your twine bill. Let us tell you about the Harvester Thresher.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For Sale—Mountain cedar post, F. O. B. San Saba, Texas, 6 1/2 x 4, 21c; 6 1/2 x 3 1/2, 17 1/2c; 6 1-2 x 3, 12 1-2c; 6 to 6 1-2 x 2 1-2, 8c; 7 x 3 1-2 to 4, 26c; 8 x 3 1/2 to 4, 32c. Also telephone poles and house blocking. Rate to Crowell 23c per 100 pounds, car lots.—Aylor Cedar Co., San Saba, Texas. 49p

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.
Men's extra pants, new lot, at Self's.
Portraits that please.—Sink's studio.
Geo. Brown, druggist of Truscott, in town Tuesday.
The Home Chautauqua will build up our tired and jaded nerves.
Picture show at the opera house every night beginning promptly at 7:45.
Give us your order for your header straps as soon as possible.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Lost tool box with tools. Will pay reward for trouble.—Will Clark, Thalia, Texas, Route 2. 49p
Do you need any extras for your train binder? Give us your order now.—J. H. Self & Sons.
If you like fun, come to the Home Chautauqua—fatal to the blues—dangerous to loose buttons.
Dr. O. W. Wilson, ear, eye, nose and throat specialist of Wichita Falls, will be in Crowell Friday, May 27th.

Sandals for kids at Self's.
Egbert Fish was in town Wednesday from Vivian.
Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Rev. J. M. Fuller was here Wednesday afternoon from Margaret.
Browns, blues, greys and mixed colors in men's odd pants.—Self's.
Phonograph to trade for a good second hand piano.—Texas Music Co.
Have you seen the Florence oil cook stove? Let us show you.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Good dinner at the "Just-a-Bite" Saturday. Banana cream and cake.—T. E. L. Class.
Saturday, May 21st, will be the last day to order your header attachment.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Blue? Pack up your troubles and come to the Home Chautauqua, Methodist church auditorium, May 26, 27 and 28.
The Combined Harvester cuts and threshes all at the same time, takes only three men to put the wheat in the granary.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Pants up to 50 waist at Self's.
Kodak finishing.—Sink's Studio.
Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.
Get your Edison light globes at M. S. Henry & Co.
Come in and see the new line of portraits made at Sink's Studio. tf
30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill. tf
Miss Mary Opal Cole of Hamlin spent last week-end with Miss Ila B. Tarver.
Mrs. Tebe Hart of Fort Worth is here visiting Dr. M. M. Hart and family.
Mrs. H. M. Goode came in Tuesday from Roby for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Ferguson.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning and Mrs. Van Browning of Truscott were shopping in Crowell Wednesday.
Why not cut down expenses, use the Combined Harvester, either the Deering or McCormick.—J. H. Self & Sons.
For sale my place in Crowell, consisting of 5-room house, good cistern, garage and outbuildings.—A. G. Bell. 50p
No more hauling wood from my place. Those who have gotten wood will please settle for same at once.—Mrs. W. R. Tuttle. 49
Geo. Doty and son, Homer, and Charley and Bee Wisdom were here Wednesday night from Thalia attending the Masonic lodge.
Frank Pittillo and family, Dick Swan and family, and Mrs. S. E. French left Wednesday morning for an automobile trip and outing to Colorado.
For Sale—Corn at farm 50c per bushel, maize \$10.00 per ton. Delivered at Crowell, corn 65c per bushel, maize, \$1.00 per ton.—T. M. Haney, Thalia, Texas. tf
J. G. McCarroll is here this week from Harold assisting with the work at the Herring-Showers lumber yard. Mr. McCarroll is employed by this company at Harrold.

Header attachments for any binder put on with a guarantee and delivered at farm for \$42.50 with canvas, and without canvas \$30.00.—J. G. Moncus, at Garlinghouse shop. 50p
John Klepper was here Saturday afternoon and Sunday from Munday visiting his father, J. W. Klepper. He also spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Allen Fish, at Vivian.
J. E. Rutledge, wife and baby returned Wednesday from a few weeks visit to Jones county. Mr. Rutledge says they have not received any rain in that country recently and it is very dry.
Miss Myrtle Gentry and Sam Mills were married at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Bro. Hamblen. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry of the Black community. The groom is employed in the Riley Edrigh barber shop. They will make their home in Crowell.

Men's Extra Pants

Don't wear out the pants to your best coat but buy an extra pair from us.

We received a new lot this week and all dandy values for the price.

Sizes from 28 to 50 in waist.

Lengths from 28 to 36.

Price from \$2.75 to \$10.00.

Buy those extra pants from us.

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'Tis true, the sick-room is none to convenient, nor pleasant at best.

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When your loved ones are ill it pays to give them every chance such as this.

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PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

PENSILAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS

Millinery all reduced at Self's.
Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and children were here Wednesday from Vivian.
John Brown and father, cattlemen of Truscott, were in Crowell Tuesday.
A. Brian visited old friends in Altus, Okla., the latter part of last week.
275 acres wheat land for rent and wheat farming implements for sale.—J. G. Coffey, 2 1/2 miles east of town.
Let us order that header attachment today and be sure of saving your wheat crop.—M. S. Henry & Co.
W. S. J. Russell, Albert Schooley and Jack Brian attended the Shrine ceremonial at Altus, Okla., last Friday.
The Combined Harvester can be operated with eight horses or a ten-twenty tractor. Easy to operate.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Geo. Crawford, wife and daughter of Kansas City were here the first of the week. Mr. Crawford was looking after his land interests here.
Miss Ila B. Tarver, who has been in charge of the millinery department of the Self Dry Goods store this season, leaves Sunday for her home in Waco.
J. B. Jones of Knox City, representing the Farmers Co-operative Bargaining Association, and T. G. Marks of the State Agricultural Department, were here yesterday.
Do you like good music and clean, wholesome, up-to-the-minute fun? Then come and see your fellow townsmen in the Home Chautauqua, May 26, 27 and 28, at the Methodist auditorium.
Lieut. Henley Goode has been here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. S. P. Ferguson, and friends in the city. He is now a first lieutenant in the U. S. Marines and will leave today for Norfolk, Va., where he will sail for Haiti.
See T. Elmore Lucey at the opera house Friday night, May 20th. As an impersonator he is at his best making his costume changes before your eyes. As a chalk talker he can't be beaten, illustrating songs as he sings. By general consent Mr. Lucey is considered to be one of the greatest and most versatile entertainers of the present day. Tickets on sale at Owl Drug Store, Ferguson Drug Store or by a committee on the street. All above 10 years old, 50 cents, all under 25 cents.

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worthy of the earnest consideration and grateful pride of the people of this entire state that its law governing Guaranty Fund State Banks has proven of such benefit to all the people. There's a just reason for the pride we feel in operating under a law that provides for the absolute protection of depositors.

Ask us to tell you more about safety and solvency of the Guaranty Fund Banking Law.

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL
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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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\$150,000 Instead of \$52,000

In connection with its mention of our bond issue, the Vernon Record makes the wrong impression as to the amount of the issue, saying that it was \$52,000. It's a small matter, perhaps, but \$98,000 is not a small sum, that being the amount of the error, figured in dollars. The bond issue was \$150,000 instead of \$52,000. Then, the Record again might convey the wrong impression when it says: "Hardeman County has remarkably good highways, even though they are of dirt, because the heavier soil of that county gives a surface of remarkable wearing quality. Now Foard County is getting busy with the matter of improving the roads. All of this serves to impress how vital it is for Wilbarger County to inaugurate a comprehensive good road program."

It matters little as to the first error, that of the amount of the issue, but when the Record intimates that Foard County has just commenced to build good roads it reveals a lack of information as to the facts in the case which is almost astonishing. Publicity has been given of the fact of our activity in road building for the last two years. It is not a false claim that we have been busy while most of the neighboring counties have been sleeping on their rights in the matter of building roads with State aid, and we now have some of the finest dirt road in the State. Proof of the statement can be found by making a trip over our highway south and west. It would be well for people of Wilbarger county to come up some of these days and take a spin over this road, even the editor of the Record. It will do those people good to see what we have done, besides, some would have an opportunity to learn that Foard County joins Wilbarger on the west.

CROWELL MATTRESS FACTORY

We wish to announce to the people of Crowell and surrounding country that we are leaving Crowell June 15th. All who want old beds made-over or new ones made please get your order in before that date.—F. M. Rutledge.

Where Is Truth?

People who read some of the large city dailies, and especially the Washington dispatches, are becoming somewhat befuddled over the conflicting news from day to day.

One day we are told that the president is lending a sympathetic ear to Germany, and the next we read that he is strong for the allies.

One correspondent sends out a story that all is peace and harmony between the administration and congress, and the same day another writer has them on the brink of an unbridgable chasm.

It is so with much that we read. It is one thing today, another tomorrow, and the day after neither is correct.

Truth occasionally slips in, but we are unable to recognize it when we see it.

We never know what to believe.

It is becoming a common occurrence for people who think to read a news dispatch and then cast it aside with but one thought—"Newspaper bunk."

The trouble is with a large proportion of the city population as it is with the managing editors of the big papers—possibly more so.

A plain, dignified statement of fact no longer satisfies the public. It wants thrills, excitement, sensations. If there is nothing of a "spicy" nature in a paper the sheet is too tame—not worth reading.

Managing editors are up against this modern degeneracy of human nature. They have no choice. It is a case of furnishing what the public demands or quit printing a newspaper.

Reporters and correspondents must dish up what the editors require to satisfy the public craving—or hop off the payroll.

And reporters and correspondents—and also editors—have appetites that must be appeased. They can not masticate empty pay envelopes.

It is all rather disconcerting to people who respect right and justice, who believe in truth and veracity.

The possession of scrambled brains flavored with the spice of life may be very satisfying to some people—even

to many of them—but there are a few who dissent. Where is truth? Far in the rear, trying to keep pace with bunk.

T. E. L. Class Social Meeting

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist S. S. met with Mrs. Will Matthews May 12th, for regular monthly meeting. The president being sick, Mrs. Will Womack led the devotional and presided over the meeting in a splendid manner. The class officers made good reports and we were especially proud of the second vice when she presented the class a "blessing box" that will be opened when the new church is finished. Then we will count our blessings and appropriate the funds on the furnishings of the T. E. L. class room.

Mrs. Matthews had charge of the social hour that was one of the best yet with a story, reading and contest. The finale being ice cream and cake. The Hustlers are still ahead.—Reporter.

Junior League Program (B Division)

Subject—The ark.
Leader—Mary Lee Huntley.
Scripture lesson, Gen. 6:7.
How long was the ark building?—Virgie Donaldson.

How old was Noah and his sons when they went into the ark? Gen. 7:6; 5:32.—Charles Ferguson.

What shut them in? Gen. 7:16.—Carrie Maurice Allee.

What went into the ark with them? Gen. 7:2-3; 13:16.—Clara Belle Gaines.

How long did it continue raining? Gen. 7:12.—Mary Ragland Thompson.

How long did the waters continue? Gen. 7:24.—Peggie Thompson.

How did Noah ascertain when the waters had abated? Gen. 8:10-12.

Junior League Program (A Division)

Subject—Parables of our Lord.
Leader—Zell Ashbey.

Scripture lesson, Matt. 13:1-2.

What is a parable?—Louise Thomas.

Why did Christ teach in parables?—Jewel Brown. (a) Give the parable of the Sower.—Katherine Clark.

(b) Candle Under Bushel Matt. 13:3.

—Bevy Jewel Ringgold. (c) The Rich Fool, Luke 12:12-20.—Hazel Dykes.

(d) The Talents, Matt. 25: 14-31.—Gladys Carter. (e) The Good Samaritan, Luke 10:19.—Charlotte Gaines. (f) The Rich Man and Laz-

Header Attachment FOR John Deere Grain Binders

If you have to head your grain this year it will be a big saving to you to buy a header attachment for your John Deere grain binder.

This attachment is made of wood securely bound and cross-braced with steel straps to hold it permanently in shape. The elevator is adjustable to various heights by use of raising and lowering device. Extra reel arms and slats are furnished with header attachment.

Saturday, the 21st, will be the last day we will take orders for these attachments.

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If you contemplate building a home or repairing the one you have, we want to sell you the lumber. We can make the prices as attractive as any lumber dealer can in this country, and when you buy from us you are patronizing home industry.

Think about this when you get in the market for building materials and come to us with your wants. If we can't supply you we will tell you.

J. W. Allison Mercantile Co.

Margaret, Texas

arus, Luke 16:19.—Lola Bell. (g) The Lost Sheep, Matt. 18:12.—Thelma Ferguson.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so tenderly ministered to us during the recent illness and death of our baby, also for the beautiful floral offerings. Your love and sympathy will ever be remembered. May God bless every one of you.
W. L. Finn, wife and daughter, Woods, Bell and Oates Families.

The News received an announcement yesterday of the graduation of Miss Cassie Dockins from the nurses' training school of the Gainesville Sanitarium. The commencement exercises will be held in the First Baptist Church May 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cope of Seymour were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts. They went to Quanah to visit their son, J. H. Cope, and wife, and returned to Crowell Wednesday going on their home in Seymour yesterday.

Mrs. L. H. Cope of Quanah is in the city visiting friends.

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Crowell, Texas

Dr. Hines Clark

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You have been looking for something to save labor and expense, also save your twine bill. Let us tell you about the Harvester Thresher.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For Sale—Mountain cedar post, F. O. B. San Saba, Texas, 6 1/2 x 4, 21c; 6 1/2 x 3 1/2, 17 1/2c; 6 1-2 x 3, 12 1-2c; 6 to 6 1-2 x 2 1-2, 8c; 7 x 3 1-2 to 4, 26c; 8 x 3 1/2 to 4, 32c. Also telephone poles and house blocking. Rate to Crowell 23c per 100 pounds, car lots.—Aylor Cedar Co., San Saba, Texas. 49p

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.



You haven't a single need in lumber and building material that we cannot fill promptly and to your satisfaction.

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Whatever your needs in our lines it will pay you to see us.



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It is a trust that is placed upon us by reason of our relationship with them.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.
Men's extra pants, new lot, at Self's.
Portraits that please.—Sink's studio.
Geo. Brown, druggist of Truscott, was in town Tuesday.
The Home Chautauqua will build up our tired and jaded nerves.
Picture show at the opera house every night beginning promptly at 7:45.
Give us your order for your header straps as soon as possible.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Lost tool box with tools. Will pay header for trouble.—Will Clark, Thalia, Texas, Route 2. 49p
Do you need any extras for your grain binder? Give us your order now.—J. H. Self & Sons.
If you like fun, come to the Home Chautauqua—fatal to the blues—dangerous to loose buttons.
Dr. O. W. Wilson, ear, eye, nose and throat specialist of Wichita Falls, will be in Crowell Friday, May 27th.

Sandals for kids at Self's.
Egbert Fish was in town Wednesday from Vivian.
Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Rev. J. M. Fuller was here Wednesday afternoon from Margaret.
Browns, blues, greys and mixed colors in men's odd pants.—Self's.
Phonograph to trade for a good second hand piano.—Texas Music Co.
Have you seen the Florence oil cook stove? Let us show you.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Good dinner at the "Just-a-Bite" Saturday. Banana cream and cake.—T. E. L. Class.
Saturday, May 21st, will be the last day to order your header attachment.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Blue? Pack up your troubles and come to the Home Chautauqua, Methodist church auditorium, May 26, 27 and 28.
The Combined Harvester cuts and threshes all at the same time, takes only three men to put the wheat in the granary.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Pants up to 50 waist at Self's.
Kodak finishing.—Sink's Studio.
Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.
Get your Edison light globes at M. S. Henry & Co.
Come in and see the new line of portraits made at Sink's Studio. tf
30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill. tf
Miss Mary Opal Cole of Hamlin spent last week-end with Miss Ila B. Tarver.
Mrs. Tebe Hart of Fort Worth is here visiting Dr. M. M. Hart and family.
Mrs. H. M. Goode came in Tuesday from Roby for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Ferguson.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning and Mrs. Van Browning of Truscott were shopping in Crowell Wednesday.
Why not cut down expenses, use the Combined Harvester, either the Deering or McCormick.—J. H. Self & Sons.
For sale my place in Crowell, consisting of 5-room house, good cistern, garage and outbuildings.—A. G. Bell. 50p
No more hauling wood from my place. Those who have gotten wood will please settle for same at once.—Mrs. W. R. Tuttle. 49

Geo. Doty and son, Homer, and Charley and Bee Wisdom were here Wednesday night from Thalia attending the Masonic lodge.
Frank Pittillo and family, Dick Swan and family, and Mrs. S. B. French left Wednesday morning for an automobile trip and outing to Colorado.
For Sale—Corn at farm 50c per bushel, maize \$10.00 per ton. Delivered at Crowell, corn 65c per bushel, maize, \$1.00 per ton.—T. M. Haney, Thalia, Texas. tf

J. G. McCarroll is here this week from Harold assisting with the work at the Herring-Showers lumber yard. Mr. McCarroll is employed by this company at Harrold.

Header attachments for any binder put on with a guarantee and delivered at farm for \$42.50 with canvas, and without canvas \$30.00.—J. G. Moncus, at Garlinghouse shop. 50p

John Klepper was here Saturday afternoon and Sunday from Monday visiting his father, J. W. Klepper. He also spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Allen Fish, at Vivian.

J. E. Rutledge, wife and baby returned Wednesday from a few weeks visit to Jones county. Mr. Rutledge says they have not received any rain in that country recently and it is very dry.

Miss Myrtle Gentry and Sam Mills were married at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Bro. Hamblen. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry of the Black community. The groom is employed in the Riley Eldridge barber shop. They will make their home in Crowell.

Men's Extra Pants

Don't wear out the pants to your best coat but buy an extra pair from us.

We received a new lot this week and all dandy values for the price.

Sizes from 28 to 50 in waist.

Lengths from 28 to 36.

Price from \$2.75 to \$10.00.

Buy those extra pants from us.

Self Dry Goods Co.

Millinery all reduced at Self's.
Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and children were here Wednesday from Vivian.
John Brown and father, cattlemen of Truscott, were in Crowell Tuesday.
A. Brian visited old friends in Altus, Okla., the latter part of last week.
275 acres wheat land for rent and wheat farming implements for sale.—J. G. Coffey, 2 1/2 miles east of town.
Let us order that header attachment today and be sure of saving your wheat crop.—M. S. Henry & Co.
W. S. J. Russell, Albert Schooley and Jack Brian attended the Shrine ceremonial at Altus, Okla., last Friday.

For sale one red Duroc Jersey brood sow.—Walford Thompson. 49p
Lost—Red sow pig. Will pay for return or information.—T. T. Kuykendall. tf
Earnest Sampson, assistant postmaster of Frederick, Okla., is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Robert Cole.
Mrs. Fred Woodruff of Alvord passed through Vernon today returning to her home after having visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Shroeder, in Thalia for ten days.

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LEO SPENCER

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Geo. Crawford, wife and daughter of Kansas City were here the first of the week. Mr. Crawford was looking after his land interests here.

Miss Ila B. Tarver, who has been in charge of the millinery department of the Self Dry Goods store this season, leaves Sunday for her home in Waco.

J. B. Jones of Knox City, representing the Farmers Co-operative Bargaining Association, and T. G. Marks of the State Agricultural Department, were here yesterday.

Do you like good music and clean, wholesome, up-to-the-minute fun? Then come and see your fellow townsmen in the Home Chautauqua, May 26, 27 and 28, at the Methodist auditorium.

Lieut. Henley Goode has been here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. S. P. Ferguson, and friends in the city. He is now a first lieutenant in the U. S. Marines and will leave today for Norfolk, Va., where he will sail for Haiti.

See T. Elmore Lucey at the opera house Friday night, May 20th. As an impersonator he is at his best making his costume changes before your eyes. As a chalk talker he can't be beaten, illustrating songs as he sings. By general consent Mr. Lucey is considered to be one of the greatest and most versatile entertainers of the present day. Tickets on sale at Owl Drug Store, Ferguson Drug Store or by a committee on the street. All above 10 years old, 50 cents, all under 25 cents.

WHAT IS WORTH WHILE?

(Continued from first page)

ment." The sense of a free people governing themselves will do much to dissipate the unrest of the substratum of society. The vital things, then, for us of today is not the same as it was in the past. Out of this newly conceived duty of Americanization, we evolve the duty to our own children. Today there are 20,000,000 children in America. What is worth while for them? They should be taught the history of their country and have in their hearts the essence of its spirit. They should understand what the government does for their well being. They should be made to comprehend its agriculture, industries and commerce. They should understand the basic principals in administering national health and sanitation. They should be prepared to carry on a real American home and to become worthy American citizens. In this work, we should bear in mind the words of Daniel Webster who said, "If we work upon marble it will perish; if we work upon brass time will efface it; if we rear temples they will crumble to dust; but if we work upon immortal minds, with the just fear of God and love of fellow men, we engrave those tablets with something which will brighten to all eternity."

How can we awaken this love of country, the most worth while thing which we as women can do for our Nation? The American mind is criticized as too occupied with material success. Our education of human beings out of business hours is sadly neglected. Our men should have intellectual and spiritual as well as commercial leaders. The finest human ideals should be disseminated. Literature is the greatest medium. It was our great statesman, Mirabeau B. Lamar, who said, "A cultivated mind is the guardian genius of democracy. It is the only dictator that free men acknowledge and the only security that free men desire."

Home owning is worth while. The foreigner who is sheltered under his very own vine and fig tree is a more personal American citizen. Club women now consider education in thrift more than worth while.

We as women are introducing the family budget into our personal life, and we stand for administration of state and national governments on the same.

Our home leads to our neighbor's home, and this group is what Community-Women today consider one of the worth while things—promotion of community. As basic principles in every community should be first of all, the welfare of the children. It is worth while to work as a community for legislation which will secure, not only the child's well being, but our own rights as women, mothers of the race. We must protect every child in every community before as well as after birth. My friends, how many of you know that we have this very night a federal appropriation of \$2,000,000 for animal protection, while the children, the most valued asset of the nation, receive only \$271,000? Do you know that not one single voice in all our land can reach our President's ear in behalf of the American child? Not one! There is a direct messenger if fever breaks out among cattle, or a disease carrying rat is loose, but none for preserving the health of the child. Whose fault is this? Ours, to be sure. Why have not we considered it as worth while to be alert and insistent as have the cattle breeders? Better health laws, better school facilities, better social laws—we as community leaders should demand. The food supply and conditions under which this is marketed is a community duty. Pure water, suppression of fire hazards, community recreation—all this is worth while work for women. Wherever there is a community, there should be the slogan, "Health, safety, happiness abides here."

So, my friends, while many, many things are worth while, as American club women we must unite. Now how are we going to do this? With our ballot. There is always hysteria in any new movement and there have been hysterical women in politics. But, the many should not be judged by the few. The few become conspicuous in the public mind and overshadow the ranks of the earnest many. The first American woman in public life was Anne Hutchinson who bore fifteen children, and found time to serve her country in public affairs and proved that a woman can meet all duties in family life, at the same time give her service to patriotism. Women now offer their talents willingly to their country who denied them any rights fifty years ago. It has taken generations to bring this about. At last we are rising to our rightful position in society, in business, in all the professions. We are joining the march of nations to do what we can. Are we entering Area No. 1, Texas, The Land of Promise or the Elysian Fields? By no means. The new arrival women are in vacillating stages some try this and some try that. Soon we will settle down to the truly worth while things. If women had been citizens all these years, Texas would not today rank thirty-ninth in education. Women is with the child from birth. She knows all the angles in child culture. By our own serious recognition of the power in the ballot, we, by our example, will awaken our girls as well as our men to civic conscience. The intelligent mother will teach the present, the vote has power to safeguard the home and to serve the estate. The greatest privilege of citizenship is the right to vote. Already courses in Girls' High Schools are training for citizenship. Patriotism, respect for law, with knowledge of forms and function in government are being taught. With their ballot Texas women can raise Texas schools second to none. Is not this one thing worth while? This accomplished, Texas mothers need no longer be separated from their daughters during their education period. To better the child is the ultimate advance of civilization. Leave the merchant marine



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We have just received a booklet containing 25 of his favorite tunes. This booklet is entitled "What Edison Likes in Music", and interestingly describes Mr. Edison, the Music Lover.

If you would like a copy of this booklet, together with a 12" x 19" proof of Franklin Booth's etching of Mr. Edison, please fill out this ballot and mail or bring it to us.

What other well-known person's favorite tunes would you like to know? Please write his or her name on the ballot.

Mr. Edison's love of music has made the phonograph his favorite invention. He spent over three million dollars in research work to perfect the New Edison.

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Bring or send this coupon. Mark the items you want. No charge or obligation.

Name _____

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Whose favorite tunes would you like to know?

- What Edison Likes in Music.
- Booth etching of Edison, 12x19, for framing.
- Edison & Music—the Story of the New Edison.
- What Did Edison Do During the War? (Bulletin.)

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Crowell, Texas

to the men. Let them decide international problems. Perhaps they are better with the tariff and the federal reserve bank system. They can dispose of these satisfactorily and efficiently. But, as more worth while, leave it to the woman to safeguard the home and her child with her ballot. These measures in citizenship are nothing new. We have been working along the same line for years, but we were denied our tools. These have come in the form of a ballot. Club training in the past now serves as well. We know what we want. We know how to ask for it, and we know how to get it. In the last census, several million women were listed, "No occupation." Is it not worth while to enlist these as club women?

Mrs. Robinson, sister of the late Theodore Roosevelt, says women are not yet qualified to hold political office. Many agree with her. How can we qualify? Study a wise use of our franchise. We should train for citizenship, not for politics. All women should be good citizens, but all women should not be in politics. There should be no sex in public service; therefore, I, for one, resent being called a citizeness.

For a long time women were allowed law, medicine and theology—that is, if they exercised this right quite privately. We were ostracized if we stepped out into the open by the side of our men. We were immediately pronounced inferior and incapable. Strange to say, it was much longer before woman was acknowledged capable of caring for the sick. Every woman has wanted an opportunity to assert herself. Her new political right

is her reward for long waiting. Seventeen million women now have the right to vote in the United States. Mrs. Perry V. Pennybaker, our general chairman on citizenship says, "Every club should become a training camp for citizenship."

America means a country that represents the right of every person to make the best of his abilities. Then, greatest of all, is it not worth while to make America the essence of all which we have here considered worth while? "New occasions teach us new duties; time makes an ancient good uncouth." To us as American women, the thing most worth while is, to study our government, national, state, county and community. We should seek to know our election laws and use these by voting intelligently for better housing, better health, all means moral, hygienic and educational, which make for more vigorous Americans, mind body and soul. We have only one life to live and we want to do our best with it—how can we get the best hold of it? Life is to large to grasp the whole of it.

The night before he died, a great American sent this message to the men, women and children of this Nation: "We have room for but one flag, the American flag. We have room for but one soul, loyalty, that is loyalty to the American people." This man was Theodore Roosevelt. Of all the worth while tasks the war has left us, the foremost is service to our nation and to our flag.

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead Who never to himself hath said, This is my own, my native land?"

Canada Admits Hindu Woman.

The first Hindu woman and the first Hindu boy who ever entered Vancouver or British Columbia, Canada, to make the province their home, arrived recently on the Empress of Japan. There are thousands of Hindus living in the province, engaged in working in the woods or in operating sawmills. Some of them have made much money. For a long time the government refused admission to Hindu women, but recently this ban was lifted. The new arrival was the first woman to take advantage of it. Her husband went to India from Vancouver three years ago, to pay a visit to his home. He had made money and intended to remain in India, but when the ban on women was lifted he decided to return where opportunities were greater. He brought his wife and twelve-year-old son. The father intends to send the boy to the public schools of Vancouver.

Tells of Web-Footed Men.

The most curious tribe, called Agmambu, are to some extent web-footed, and the skin of their feet is "as tender as blotting paper." They live in a marsh and are so much at home in the water that they seem "to stand upright in that element without any perceptible effort." They catch ducks by diving under them and catching the birds' legs.

Their diet consists chiefly of fish, water fowls, sago and the roots of water lilies. They keep pigs, swung in cradles, underneath their houses

(which are in the water built on ten-foot poles), lying on their bellies with their legs stuck through the bottom, and feed them on fish and sago. The dead are buried by being tied to a stake, the body secured well above flood level.—From "Some Experiences of a New Guinea Resident Magistrate," by Capt. C. A. W. Monkton.

Ant Engineers.

It has been found that the population of an ant hill has solved many complicated mining problems. Thousands of ants working instinctively perform miraculous engineering feats with amazing efficiency and without profiting. Each ant finds its own work and the team work when the big problems must be solved is surprisingly efficient. When one shift of workers tires or must stop for food or rest its place is taken by other workers equally skillful so that not a moment is lost. When an ant becomes covered with dirt others immediately clean it by washing and brushing. During their mining operations in digging holes and removing stones an ant is often injured, whereupon others rush to its assistance and carry it to a quieter gallery where first aid may be administered. The resourcefulness of these little engineers has been found to anticipate many of our recent efficiency methods.—Boys' Life.

When a woman sets out to make a name for herself she generally ends by letting the preacher do it.

As a matter of fact, we are determined that you shall not forget our old friend Villa, even if we do not more than mention his name occasionally.

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May 21

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Crowell, Texas

Sale Ends
Saturday
May 28

But this they will not do. Their personal greed prevents. They are poor captains—short sighted—deficient in judgment—very foolish.

The cat hopped out of the bag the other day, and now our suspicions are verified.

Paris newspapers came out boldly and demanded that French troops seize the great Ruhr basin in Germany "on any pretext." The basin is rich in coal and its value is beyond compute.

The press demanded the seizure regardless of whether Germany met the reparations demands of the French or not. Seize and hold them on any pretext.

Seizure of the basin would be a justifiable retaliatory act in the event of Germany's refusal to make restitution.

To seize it on "any pretext, regardless," would be beyond the realm of reason and justice. It would be idiotic, and eventually suicidal.

In Paris the other day a former European queen appeared in society garbed in a new creation.

Possibly she wanted to create a sensation. At any rate, she did. Paris is still sensationing between gasps.

From the waist down her gown was an exact imitation of the body of a fish—and as tight fitting as a drum head.

Thousands of spangles glittered in the sunshine, each tinted to resemble scales. And behind dangled a reproduction of a fish's tail—fins and all.

Now Paris is full of imitation trout, salmon, white fish, shiners, and every other member of the finny tribe. Soon, no doubt, the turtle will have its inning.

When the call for the brainless is sounded there is always a ready response—even as fish.

Columbian Club

The last meeting scheduled in the Columbian Club Year Book was held at the home of Mrs. N. J. Roberts, Wednesday afternoon, May 11.

The meeting was characterized by an enthusiastic interest in the program that was carried out. An interesting feature of the program being Mrs. C. R. Ferguson's glowing re-



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port of the First District Federation meeting which was held at Wichita Falls April 25-27. Following this the club enjoyed a round table discussion on "Good Housing and Sanitation" led by Mrs. A. Brian. A delicious ice course was served by the hostess at the conclusion of the lesson. The social hour found Mrs. S. H. Puryear of Houston and Miss Cora

Carter being introduced to the club. On Tuesday afternoon May 24 at 5:30 the Columbians have invited the "club husbands" to be their guests at a picnic given at Sloan Springs.

The Combined Harvester cleans the grain thoroughly and saves expense and labor. Let us tell you about them. —J. H. Self & Sons.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Adelphian Club

The members of the Adelphian Club spent a most delightful day last Wednesday, May 11, at the beautiful ranch home of Mrs. Jim Minnick 8 miles south of Crowell. The weather being ideal made the drive in the cool morning breeze refreshing to mind as well as body.

There are so many things that call our attention in the busy mart of life that we do not have time to enjoy our friends and neighbors to the extent that as social beings we should like to do and the hour before dinner was spent in pleasant conversation with old acquaintances and new members.

Mrs. Minnick served a most bountiful and delicious dinner, fried chicken, cream, strawberries and scores of other good eatables that as a club we are convinced that her culinary skill could not be improved. The afternoon was spent in studying some parts of the Bible taken from a literary standpoint.

The life of Saul was discussed and the thought was forcibly brought out that one weakness could ruin a great character and overcome the influence of many good traits.

If we study the Bible from a literary standpoint we can readily see where some of our great writers secured their plots. At the close of the lesson Mrs. Minnick conducted a Bible contest that created much merriment among the participants as well

as refreshed our minds on some parts of Biblical history.

The departing guests could not help but tell the hostess that it had been a most enjoyable occasion and as a whole we voted Mrs. Minnick an ideal hostess.—Reporter.

As the Editor Sees It

We see and read of many queer things in this modern world. Some are amusing, some border on the foolish, while others are downright idiotic. But that is modernity.

Apparently a certain young Venus concluded she was not attracting the desired admiration from the male sex. It was unthinkable. Something had to be done—and she did it.

She donned a very scanty bathing suit, skin tight. On one bare leg, midway between the knee and the thigh, she painted a picture of a parrot. Then she posed on the bathing beaches, gloried in the vulgar stares of the men, and promptly had her picture taken.

Of course it is in print.

Big corporations are vociferously demanding a reduction in the price of labor. They can not understand why the laborer should object to such a reduction—or perhaps they prefer not to understand.

A good captain in time of war does not ask his men to go where he is not willing to lead. That would be cowardice and poor judgment, and neither would last long in the army.

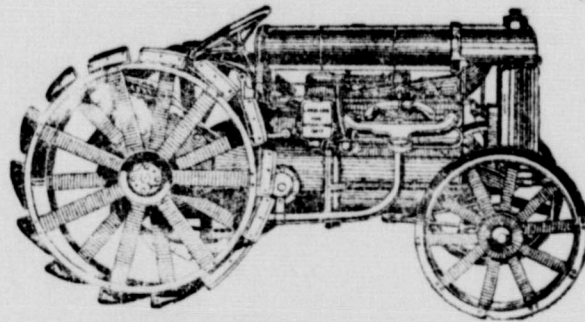
The chief officials are the captains of industry. Craftsmen and laborers are the under-officers and men.

Captains of industry should emulate the captains of the army. They should learn to lead instead of drive. Americans will follow a good leader, but they object to being driven like sheep.

When the captains of industry begin the downward trend by reducing their own salaries in proportion to the reduction demanded from their men there will be less objection voiced by labor.

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The Fordson operates with kerosene. When used on belt work, running at full power at 1,000 R. P. M., the fuel consumption does not exceed 2 3/4 gallons per hour. It will run the electric light plant, operate the

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The Fordson plows 6 to 8 acres in a 10-hour day, handling two plows with ease in the average soil. It requires an average of only 1 1/2 to 2 gallons of kerosene to the acre.

It is the ideal year-around tractor. It will pay for its fall and winter keep in many ways such as road work, hauling grain to the elevator, pumping water and moving granaries.

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LASTS UNTIL EVERY
HAT IS SOLD

Clearance Sale of Millinery

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\$3.50

\$5.00

\$7.50

\$10.00

As a means of further reducing our stock of Ladies Spring and Summer Millinery, we place on sale every hat in this department at half price and less. We reserve no hats. Our stock offers every wanted shape and style, as we have kept it well filled in by receiving new arrivals each week. In this sale you

will find many expensive pattern hats from "Fisk" "Lazarus" and "King Bee"--some of them worth three times our sale price. Take a tip and come early before YOUR hat is sold.

Group 1

Contains a wonderful collection of trimmed shapes in a variety of popular colors and styles. Values \$5.00 to \$7.50.

SALE PRICE

\$3.50

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Made up of about 25 beautifully trimmed in styles that please. The price which accompany's them mean economy practiced to the very best advantage. Values \$7.50 to \$10.00.

SALE PRICE

\$5.00

Group 3

Consists of--trimmed hats, sport hats, Straw hats, straw sailors, bewitchingly attractive. We have them in all wanted colors. Values \$10.00 to \$15.00.

SALE PRICE

\$7.50

Group 4

This contains our exclusive hats from famous manufacturers such as "Fisk" "Lazarus" and "King Bee." All consist of high priced pattern hats in a variety of styles. Values \$15.00 to \$22.50.

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POSITIVELY NO APPROVALS DURING THIS SALE

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Cable dispatches say that betting on horse racing is carried on in Paris at the rate of a million dollars a day. If the French government is so hard

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Last Month of Christian Education Campaign of M. E. Church, South

The Methodists of Northwest Texas conference have entered upon the last month in the Christian Education Movement campaign. This movement is an effort to raise \$33,000,000 to strengthen the schools and colleges of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Of this amount Northwest Texas Conference is undertaking to raise \$565,000.

Rev. D. B. Doak of Abilene is the Educational Secretary for the Conference, and Judge J. P. Stapleton of Hereford is the Financial Director. The organization in the various districts is directed by the following laymen: B. O. Brown, Vernon district; W. W. Davis, Sweetwater dis-

trict; R. A. Underwood, Plainview district; W. T. Hayter, Clarendon district; C. Hogan of Spur, Stamford district.

The organization throughout the church is complete and although the financial appeal will not be made until the week of May 29-June 5, gifts aggregating more than \$1,000,000 have already been announced. These gifts range all the way from \$5.00 to \$250,000.

Southern people are beginning to feel keenly the need of strengthening their educational institutions. Last year the colleges and universities of the North received \$349 for every \$1 the colleges and universities of the South received counting only those gifts of \$75,000 or more. The South cannot discharge its obligations to its sons and daughters unless it greatly strengthens its schools.

The Northwest Texas Conference has one college now in successful operation. This college is at Clarendon and is one of the best Junior colleges in the entire denomination. Clarendon college has property valued at \$400,000 and a student body of over 400. The college will receive \$200,000 from the fund now being raised, \$100,000 of which will be for permanent endowment. Another college within the bounds of the conference is to be established. This is McMurry College at Abilene, Texas. The city of Abilene has given \$350,000 for the establishment of this institution. McMurry College will receive \$150,000 from the Christian Education Movement which will make it one of the best equipped and endowed institutions in the beginning of its operations in the entire country.

Texas is expected to raise about \$5,000,000 of the \$33,000,000 fund and the Methodist schools of Texas will receive in return more than \$6,000,000. Texans are not the kind of people to fail in the face of a challenge like that.

Every Sunday there are speeches by Methodist Minute Men in everyone of the 18,000 Methodist churches in the South on the subject of Christian Education. There are 200,000 of these Minute Men and each one is an informed enthusiast for the movement. With the raising of this fund every Methodist educational institution of the South will be greatly helped.

One registered highbred Jersey bull. \$5.00 cash at time of service.--Collins Wagon Yard. tf

After the Billboards

Unightly billboards, which are becoming something of an eyesore to many country towns throughout the United States, struck an energetic and husky snag in Carmen, Okla., recently. The snag was Frank A. Salter, editor of the Carmen Headlight.

Mr. Salter, in order to rid Carmen of the objectionable feature, caused an ordinance to be adopted by the municipal council making it illegal to erect any billboard larger than six by eight feet or within six hundred feet or less of any building.

Exit the billboards from Carmen. Visitors to some of the large cities are amazed at the number and size of the billboards that are in evidence. They are everywhere, often unsightly and generally obscuring the view.

Let the cities have them if they want them. But there is no need for them in any small town or rural community. There is nothing for the community to gain by their presence that can not be secured through the columns of the local press.

Enriching outsiders at the expense of home people should not appeal to any loyal person.

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"I was hardly able to drag, I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. F. Ray, of Easley, S. C. "The doctor treated me for about two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI

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"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my housework and a lot outdoors. . . I can sure recommend Cardui."

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Men Who Repair Skeletons.
There are two kinds of skeleton-makers—the bone surgeon and the skeleton-assembler. Art schools, medical colleges, and students of anatomy require an accurately constructed skeleton to aid in their work.
All the bones must be properly assorted and carefully put together. They are strung on fine wires. The skeleton-assembler must also pick out of the hundreds of odd bones that are sent him the 200 or more bones that belong to the particular individual being reconstructed. It is not an easy task, and the price of skeletons is justified by the amount of work required to construct them.—Popular Science Monthly.

May Use South American Wood.
The Pennsylvania railroad, owing to the unprecedented cost of railroad ties, has decided to investigate the adaptability of the hard woods of Central and South America for this purpose. It is announced. Normally the Pennsylvania system uses from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 ties annually. The average net cost has risen fully 100 per cent since the beginning of the war. Furthermore, white oak, which the company regards as the most desirable wood for ties, is becoming scarcer. Therefore, the company has inquired under way to determine the comparative cheapness and durability of southern hard woods for railroad ties.

GERMANY LOST TOY MARKET

United States and Japan Now Supply Canada With Playthings She Does Not Produce.

The United States is now first in supplying those toys needed to supplement the output of Canadian factories. The additional quantity required by Canada to supply its own domestic trade amounted in the last year to \$1,500,000 worth. Before the war Germany was the chief source of supply, but the United States now leads and Japan has likewise made a notable advance in its toy shipments to that market. In 1913 American exports of toys to Canada amounted to \$273,138 and in the year ended March 31, 1920, the total was \$1,136,372. Japan's trade grew from \$18,738 to \$277,946 in the same period, while there was only a small increase in toys sent from the United Kingdom.

The toy and doll industry of Canada, according to Vice Consul Horace M. Sanford at Ottawa, has made considerable advance compared with pre-war time, but imports were needed to meet the domestic demand. At the present time some thirty-five Canadian toy factories are listed, although the census returns of 1918 reported only fifteen. The kinds of toys made there include animals, autos, balls, billiard games, boats, building blocks, carriages, crokinole boards, croquet sets, dishes, dolls' furniture, games, garden sets, lawn swings, pool tables, tricycles and wheel barrows, which are made of celluloid, enamel, iron, steel, tin, rubber and wood.

Last year Canada exported \$139,052 worth of dolls and toys, the United States taking \$5,635 worth and the United Kingdom \$120,322.

ONE FLAW IN BRIGHT IDEA

Janitor Called On as "Dinner Substitute" Might Object to Personal Inconvenience Involved.

A young Indianapolis physician had been invited by a school teacher to accompany her to a dinner party at which he was an absolute stranger. He accepted the invitation, but at the last minute had to break it. "But you can take some other man and pass him off for me," he offered, generously. "No one there knows me, so I'll go all right."

The teacher hesitated. "But they know most of the men I know," she said. And then a sudden smile came over her face. "I might take our school janitor. He's new in the city, but you could give him some of your clothes and it would probably pass."

"But how does he talk?" asked the doctor, a little bit doubtful of the scheme now.

"Oh, his talking is all right," assured the teacher, and smiled wider than ever again. "There's only one thing I'm not sure about. He chews tobacco, and I wondered if he would do without for that long."—Indianapolis News.

American Gobs as Gondoliers.

American gobs are learning how to become gondoliers, and an American school has for the first time included gondoliering as a regular course. In Venice the Knights of Columbus operate a social service club on the banks of the Grand canal, and in connection with the club the Knights of Columbus maintain a well-equipped school, run on the lines of the Knights of Columbus free night schools in America. French, Italian, Turkish and other languages are taught in the school to the men of the American Mediterranean naval unit, as well as navigation and other technical courses.

Now gondoliering has been added, as the American sailors relish driving themselves and their Venetian friends around the gem of the Adriatic in gondolas. Some of the sailors are becoming expert in handling the picturesque craft, Knights of Columbus Commissioner Edward L. Hearn reports.

NATIVE TRIBE LITTLE KNOWN

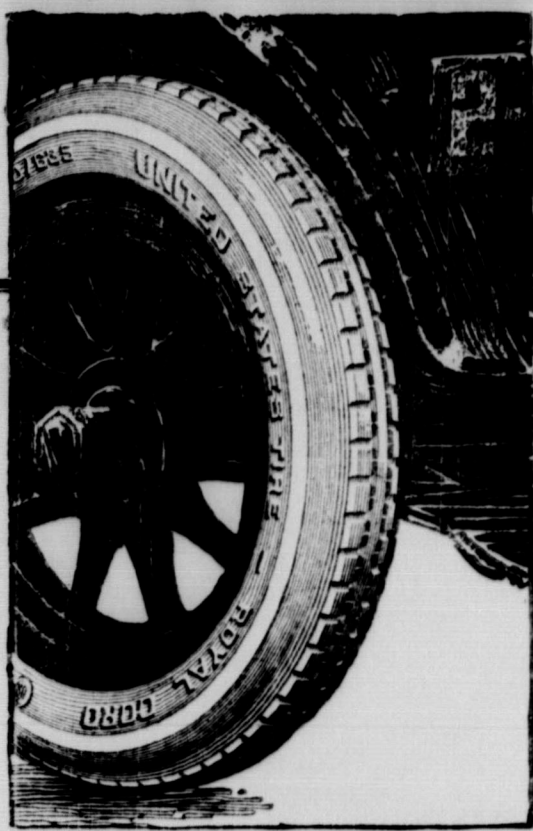
Tehuelches of Patagonia Have Many of the Characteristics of North American Indians.

Many are the strange and interesting native tribes that are found in the Americas. Among the most interesting are the people of the ostrich, who inhabit an almost as yet unknown country, and in language, and character, and race, are altogether distinct from other Indians, says an article on "People of the Ostrich" in Boys' Life. They live in the remote and almost legendary regions of the "land of large-footed men"—a land, that like Chili, Peru, Mexico, and northwest South America, has its story of the existence of a hidden city among the unexplored wilds of their Cordilleras.

The Tehuelches of Patagonia, that vast peninsular end of South America, are scattered across it, from the Straits of Magellan and the Rio Negro—a territory of over 1,000 miles in length and 300 at its narrowest. A brave, active, athletic people, wonderful horsemen, singularly expert with their weapons and implements, who lead a wandering life, and hunt the wild cattle, the guanaco—and ostriches. For Patagonia is a home of that splendid bird, which was there ages before men crossed its path in the faraway wilds of the interior. To the Tehuelches, this fine bird is as important in their existence as the guanaco, for they are a race of hunters, and grow but little food for themselves.

For Sale—Five registered Hereford bull yearlings, ready for service.—J. E. Bell.

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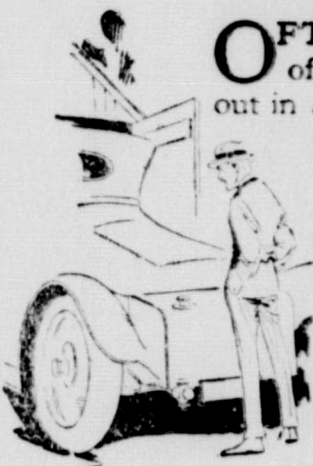


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OFTEN it's surprising the number of different tire views that come out in a chance talk at the curb or in the leisure of a friend's garage.

Almost every day you come across the man human enough to believe he can outguess the cut-price tag on "job-lots," "discontinued lines" and "surplus stocks."

His opposite is the hard-pan car owner who sticks year in and year out to a standard brand as the only rational economy.

Many will remember the scarcity of U. S. Tires last year.

A hardship at the time, but a benefit now. There are no U. S. Tires to be worked off—no accumulations—no forced selling of any U. S. brand—no shipping of tires from one part of the

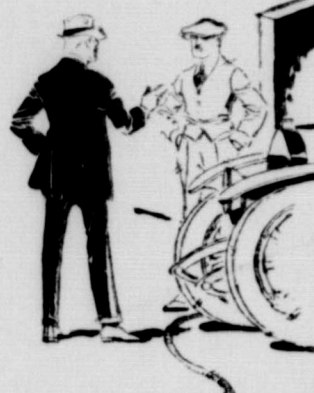
country to another to "find a market."

There are 92 U. S. Factory Branches. Each one gets its share of U. S. Tires. There is a broad, constant, even distribution of U. S. Tires always going on from these Branches to the dealer.

Buy a U. S. Tire anywhere—in a community of 500 people or even less—and you get a fresh, live tire of current production—with all the original service and mileage the factory put into it.

The owner of a medium or light-weight car stands on equal ground with every other car owner.

Any United States Tire is a universal full money's worth—backed up with a leadership policy of equal quality, buying convenience and price for everybody.



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United States Tires

United States Rubber Company

'Self Motor Co., Crowell, Texas

Government Stallion

ED LUCE is a bay horse, fifteen hands high and weighs ten hundred and sixty pounds. He was foaled in 1911 and is by Guiding Star out of Belle Strome by imported Ben Strome. He was bred by Mr. H. S. Peck of Gregson, Montana.

In this horse are combined the breeding of the thoroughbred with

the conformation of the quarter horse, he should sire hardy, high class horses. He raced four years and ran seventy-seven races ranging from a half to three quarters of a mile and won eighteen, second thirteen times and third twelve. Making forty three times he won or was placed in seventy-seven races; run at nearly all the tracks from Mexico to Canada.

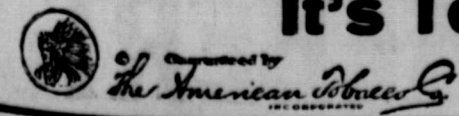
ED LUCE will be handled this season by J. H. Minnick of Foard City, Texas, and will stand for \$10.00 for each mare with usual return privileges. This stallion is placed in this place for the purpose of increasing the supply of cavalry horses which in a few years will be badly needed. The Government has no strings on the colt, but wants to know where to look for horses when they need them. 50

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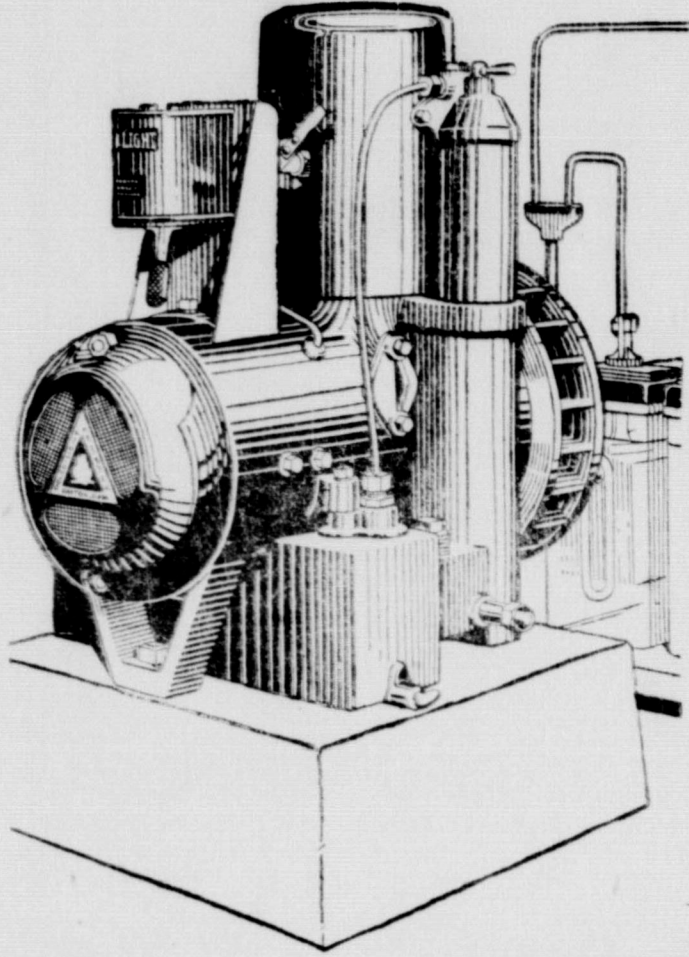
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BELL CASTING IN OLD JAPAN

People Gather in Thousands to Witness Ceremony Which Has Deep Religious Significance.

The making of the bell in old Japan was accomplished by great and solemn rites. Marjorie Latta Barstow writes in Asia. For months, sometimes for years, the community had been contributing its bronze and copper ornaments and precious possessions. For many days before the casting there were prayers to determine the auspicious moment at which to begin, and to put all spiritual beings and ministers of grace in a propitious mood. Pilgrims came from all the surrounding country, for the Japanese of long ago loved a pilgrimage as much as do their descendants today; and made of their act of piety an opportunity to enjoy a little festivity and see something of the great world. On the appointed day, men gathered in their finest attire. Then the priests appeared in rich ecclesiastical brocades and the workmen in robes beautiful and sanctified. With prayer and ceremony the work reached its climax. The great molds were prepared and the flaming, molten mass, into which had gone so many precious things, was to them what the dedication of a cathedral was to the believers of the middle ages. Before their eyes and with their own co-operation, something intangible and divine assumed shape and tangibility. Many went away to become heroes in their villages because they had participated in the making of the great bell, which became more precious and mysterious as time went on, and they passed on to their children's children, even down to this day, the souvenirs of the occasion, inscribed with prayers by the presiding priests.

RETAIN THEIR WILD INSTINCT

Herds of "Tame" Buffalo Have Much in Common With Their Brethren Who Have Freedom.

The "tame" buffalo of Yellowstone National Park are tame only in the manner of speaking. They retain all the habits of the original wild species. For instance, they are able, without fail, to predict a heavy storm for one or two days in advance. As the buffalo of the old plains were known to do, they point the storm, standing with the head toward the point from which it afterward breaks. Another sign of meanness induced by heavy weather is the stiff-legged leaping and running about in circles which often mark the herd just before a storm breaks on their range. They live practically in all respects the wild life of the so-called wild herd of the park, with the exception that they are watched by horsemen and are fed hay during the most inclement weather of the winter. The ranges of the tame and wild herds overlap to some extent, and without doubt they occasionally interbreed. The original hope, which has not been realized, was that some of the tame herd would drift off and become members of the wild herd.

Edison light globes.—M. S. Henry & Co.

REFUSED TO TAKE CHANCES

Fortune Teller's Prediction Caused Crews of Two Vessels to Desert the Boats at Quebec.

From time immemorial superstitions of sailors, with few exceptions, have naturally been associated with things of the sea, notably the belief which marks departure from port on Friday as a certain omen of bad luck. St. Elmo's fire, the bo'sun fish, whistling for the wind in a calm, the presence of a priest on board ship, all these deal with actual elements of sea life that played a great part among such legends. The Flying Dutchman legend was also born of the sea; likewise the ghostly crew coming from the wreck of a sunken ship to haunt the crew of the vessel which caused their loss. A more annoying variety of superstition was revealed the other day by the action of the crews of two American tugs who deserted their boats at Quebec. Before these two boats left Detroit bound for New York a fortune teller predicted the doom of one of the boats before it finished its voyage. This prophecy so worked on the sensibilities of the members of the two crews that they struck on reaching Quebec. Old salts might sniff at such a prophecy as this as being of the fresh-water brand and not worthy to be enrolled in the ancient and honorable company of deep-sea superstitions, but the prophecy worked its evil upon the tug owners. The loss of their crews made a real thing of it.

ALUMINUM TO REPLACE WOOD

Increased Production of the Metal Will Relieve Drain Upon the Country's Vanishing Forests.

One of the greatest consumers of wood is the shipping box. For this purpose no fewer than 6,000,000 cords were used last year. Viewed from any standpoint, it is a gigantic draft upon our forest resources. Unquestionably before long metal will largely take the place of wood for the making of shipping cases. Which means, of course, aluminum, or an alloy thereof. Aluminum, relatively speaking, is a cheap metal now, but it is destined to be vastly cheaper.

When one considers that aluminum constitutes more than 7 per cent of the entire crust of the earth, it seems absurd that there should be lack of it for any and all purposes useful to mankind.

The next generation may live in apartment houses built wholly of aluminum and travel in aluminum trains and steamships. But the matter of most immediate importance is the relief which cheap aluminum may give to the drain upon our vanishing forests.

Napoleon's Dessert Service Sold.

A French dessert dish of gilt plate, double thread and shell pattern, consisting of two sugar sifters, four spoons, a pair of sugar tongs, 24 small spoons, 24 forks and knives with porcelain handles, formerly the property of Emperor Napoleon, and bearing the imperial cipher of the box, was sold in a London auction house not long ago. The service was the property of a nobleman whose name is not revealed.—London Times.

TOLSTOY IRKED BY IDLENESS

Letter Written by Russian Philosopher Condemns Life Led by Idle Men of Means.

The Vossische Zeitung prints the following letter by Tolstoy, written in 1884, with the remark that it has never before been published except in Russian, and that its value lies in the fact that as early as 1884 Tolstoy had about made up his mind to do what he did in 1910—leave home and live the life of a peasant. The letter reads in part:

"I am living in the country, involuntarily according to a new method. I go to bed early, get up early, write very little but work a great deal, either making boots or mowing hay. I see with joy (or possibly it only seems to me like joy) that there is something up in my family. They do not condemn me; as a matter of fact, they seem ashamed of themselves.

"What miserable creatures we are and how we have all gone astray. There are a great many of us here, my own children and the children of Kusminsky, and nobody does a thing but gulp down food. They are all big and strong, yet they do nothing. People in the village are at work. My children eat and make their clothes and their rooms dirty and that is all. Everything is done for them by somebody else, yet they do nothing for anybody. And worst of all, they seem to feel that it is as it should be. But I have had my own part in building up such a system, and I can never forget it. I feel that for them I am a trouble-fete. But it is clear that they are beginning to see that this cannot go on this way forever."

House Names.

I liked the English habit of naming their houses; it shows the importance they attach to their homes. All about the suburbs of London and in the outlying villages I noticed nearly every house and cottage had some appropriate designation, as Terrace house, Oak-tree house, Ivy cottage, or some villa, etc., usually cut into the stone gate post, and this name is put on the address of the letters. How much better to be known by your name than by your number! I believe the same custom prevails in the country. . . . It is a good feature. A house or a farm with an appropriate name, which everybody recognizes, must have an added value and importance.—John Burroughs.

The Useless Bell.

"The bell on your house has been out of order for weeks. I should think you would have it repaired." "What's the use? Nobody ever rings it any more. Our friends just sit out in their cars and honk their auto horns until we come to the door."

Wood Preservatives.

Wood preservatives are found by the United States forest products laboratory to be necessarily soluble enough in water to produce a toxic solution, though in some cases the solubility may be as slight as one-millionth. Sodium fluoride and zinc chloride are freely soluble, the crescotes as a whole only sparingly so. The nontoxic oils appear to act as reservoirs of the toxic ingredients, and to feed them out slowly to the wood.



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