ADVISE FARMERS TO HOLD COTTON

ADVANTAGES OF STORING CROP IS POINTED OUT BY LOCAL EXCHANGE MEMBERS

In order to broaden the demand for cotton from the consuming centers and insure a fair price to the growers, it will be necessary for the farmers of Texas to hold their cotton off the market until conditions have improved.

This is the advice given by the members of the Dallas Cotton Exchange, who held a meeting Monday and gave out the following state-

"The Texas farmers, merchants and bankers are entitled to know the facts concerning the cotton trade and the present price of cotton. For some weeks cotton in Texas has been selling about two cents per pound lower than in any other State in the South. This condition has been brought about by Texas farmers dumping large stocks of cotton on the market in the face of practically no demand from any quarter of the globe.

"It must be remembered that about 90 per cent of the Texas crop goes export to the many countries around the world, and the present situation in these foreign nations creates problems unknown in past history.

"The Texas exporters and shippers have done everything possible to absorb the offerings and find a market, merchants and others.

place the cotton in warehouses so the violating the law. the local banks can secure loans from to finance the crop. We feel sure in ton seed. confidence will be created in the ultimate value of cotton, which will recrop."-Dallas News.

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SHIPPED HOGS YESTERDAY

J. L. Orr was in town Monday and stated that he was going to ship his fine Poland Chinas to Dallas Thursday, which was yesterday. Mr. Orr is confident that he will carry some premiums off, although he can not make a prediction as to just how valuable the premiums will be. However, he does not intend to be disappointed any way it goes, for he is making his first entry at a fair as big as the state fair, yet he will have to be shown that somebody else has him "skinned" on hogs before he will be-

He promises to wire the News from Dallas in time for next week's issue that we may announce to our readers what success he has had. We shall look forward to that time with the expectation of telling our readers that Orr has won some prizes worth while. And if we do not get the report in it will be because he fails to get it to us.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Prayer-For our missionary in

Business and records. Group No. 2 in charge of program.

Leader-Cleo Wood. Map work-Miss Una Self.

Prayer-That God will show us

what he wants us to do for Japan. Song-"Wonderful Words of Life." The Sunrise Kingdom-Annie Lee

Long. The Edict of Death-Fred Kimsey. S. B. C. Work-Frankie Kirkpat-

A God that is no God, a dialogue May Elizabeth Billington and Bernice

Scripture Reading, Ex. 20:36-John

Our Marching Orders-George Amos Nash.

Leader's Ten Minutes. Sentence prayers for the Japanese people who are without God. Memory Verse-Minnie Ola Nash. Closing song-"Throw Out the Life

COTTON GINS ARE UNDER CON-

TROL OF OIL MILL OWNERS Austin, Oct. 3 .- Seventy-five per cent of the cotton gins of Texas are owned or controlled by some oil mill interest, according to R. V. Nichols, special agent of the attorney gener- Preparations are being made to take North and West Texas.

several years ago to dispose of its present. cotton gins when suit was brought for alleged violation of anti-trust laws, but now operates more gins than at that time.

Figures were given to show that huge profits were being made on seed

milled. The condition as outlined in the report was responsible for the preparation by the attorney general's office and presentation to the legislature of three bills designed to bring about a divorce of cotton seed oil mills, gins and packing houses. The bills were drawn up at the request of the governor.

the farmers to stop selling cotton un- cotton gins in Texas. The bill would

the Federal Reserve Banks in accord- itentiary sentences for individuals flourish. ance with the law. Where no ware- who own and operate oil mills or

following the above suggestion that The third bill would require every than any other line and its coast The study of art was taken up ur cotton seed oil mill and cotton gin terminal may become peculiarly doing business in the state to obtain Kansas City port. sult in the broadening of the demand a permit from the marketing and from the consuming centers and fair warehouse department, and would been starving for railroads. It grew prices will be realized for the present provide that oil mills and gins supply up to its railroad facilities and outthe department with affidavits show- grew them. An era of railroad deing that they do not own any interest velopment is inevitabe. It will be a in an oil mill or cotton gin, as the great thing for the Southwestern case might be.

SELLS PIG FOR \$100

Evidences are abundant that good hogs are a paying proposition. It is extended to meet the requirements of also a fact that there are good hogs advancing trade.-Kansas City Star. in the county that the public knows little about. In some of the distant rural portions of the county are some of the very best of thoroughbred stuff. Here is an example:

club members-a few weeks ago R. L. pounds each. Mr. Edwards will have Walling exhibited a 6-months old Po- another car ready for shipment withland China and won a prize on the in a few weeks. He will round them pig. This was a pig which he had up with a little feed before shipping. bought from Allen Fish at weaning Mr. Edwards has found the hog bustime, paying Mr. Fish \$12 for it. ness to be a good one and raises a Walling sold the pig the other day to few cars every year. Of course the D. K. Reagan for \$100. At 6 months prices are not so good now as they the pig weighed 197 pounds.

There are two points in this item which we call attention to. One is tion. that Mr. Fish sold the pig at a price little if any above that which an ordinary pig would bring, perhaps because he did not realize that he had a breed that was worth more. The second point is that by advertising the pig it brought its value. Walling might not have sold the pig for half the amount if it had not been put on

exhibition at the pig club show. The point we want to emphisize is that you first of all see that you have good stuff, know you have it, and then let the world know you have it.

Mr. Reagan will ship this pig to the Plains country where he will use it wth a herd for breeding purposes.

HERE FROM GAINESVILLE W. H. Dougherty was here last Friday from Gainesvilee visiting Mr. and

Mrs. M. S. Henry and looking after October 16th, announcement of which his land interests here. He was en route from Floydada, where he also has land holdings, to his home. Mr. Dougherty went from here to Thalia where he visited his old Cooke County friend, W. M. Wisdom.

Mrs. G. W. Walthall returned yesterday from Kansas City.

Rev. J. E. Billington left yesterday for a business trip to Waco.

FORMAL OPENING **NEW METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY**

was unable to give the per cent of Bishop W. F. McMurry of St. Louis that end. Mrs. Doctor Dodson of Vergins owned by packers, he stated in will be here to preach at the 11 o'clock non has presented Miss Allen with a concentrated and shipped to Germany one to those who were present, and his report that one packing company hour. So it goes without question year's scholarship and the Crowell and other European countries and the house was full and dinner was controls a large number of gins in that the audience will have the oppor- Methodist church, of which Miss Altunity of hearing a very fine sermon len is a member, will bear the re- to relieve the situation brought about One oil mill company in West Tex- on that occasion. Arrangements are maining expenses. At least at Sun- by the new crop movement. as was reported to have operated fif- being made to seat the many who are day's services this matter was taken teen gins under its own name and to expected to attend. After the Sunday up with the membership and \$275 have leased five gins last year. A School hour the other denominations was raised, which will be ample funds the concentration and disposal of the those who have been identified with Fort Worth company, according to will go, some of them in a body, to to meet her expenses for one term of cotton. The organization went on the progress of the church since it the report, controls forty gins. This the new church, so that it is expected school. company, the report continued, agreed that an unusually large crowd will be

HELP FOR THE ORIENT ROAD

The announcement of the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission of a government loan to the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad Company is good news to Kansas City and all the Southwest. The railroad serves a large territory tributary to this city. It has a great possibility for development once the missing link that will connect Kansas City with the Pacific Coast is completed.

The project of the short line to the coast by way of Mexico was born in The first bill would make it unlaw- the imagination of Arthur E. Stilwell. our readers at Crowell to know that ful for any corporation engaged in who conceived the Kansas City South- Cecil & Company took the prize at milling cotton seed or operating pack- ern Railway to the Gulf. It was an the Plainview County Fair for the but have been unable to do so in the ing house to own, directly or indirect- enterprise that was bound to take finest display of merchandise a few face of the heavy sales by farmers, ly, a public gin, and would give such time to develop, for it had to depend weeks ago in that city. corporations until Aug. 1, 1921, to to a considerable extent on the develpendent upon charity of other lines goods in the store. The second bill would provide pen- for business and naturally did not

houses are available, the farmers and packing houses, and also own or con- Southwestern empire are still at its getting along well at Plainview. others would securely protect the cot- trol one or more cotton gins. It fur- command. A period of rapid developton from the weather and other dam- ther would prohibit any cotton gin ment for the territory it traverses is age in such a way as the local banks from acting as agent for a cotton just ahead. It will put Kansas City miles closer to Pacific tide water the home of Mrs. T. E. Womack.

> In the last decade the country has country that the Orient road has received Government recognition. That ought to give an impetus that will make this road one of the first to be

SHIPS CAR OF HOGS

R. B. Edwards loaded out a car of hogs for the Fort Worth market Tuesday. These were of his own At a little county exhibit by the raising and would weigh around 250 were a year ago, but even at present prices they are not a losing proposi-

NEW GROCERY COMPANY

The Industrial Transportation Company have bought Smith Bros. Grocery store and will open up for business under a plan entirely new to the trade on October 16th.

A string of these stores is being established over the country the nearest to us being at Rule. The distribution point will be Stamford.

We know comparatively little about this system of operating grocery stores, but we understand it to be one of a stock company, the goods being sold at a uniform per cent profit, that is the same per cent profit being charged in all the stores of this sys-

The company will open for business under this plan as stated above on will be made later through the paper. Lee Smith of Smith Bros. will have the management of the business.

Three men were killed at Breckenridge on the night of the 5th by an explosion, which was followed by a fire destroying two brick buildings. The explosion is thought to have been started by a spark from a truck driver's engine setting a gas well on

WILL EDUCATE YOUNG LADY FOR MISSIONARY FIELD

Miss Christine Allen will prepare al's department, who has made an in- care of an unusually large audience herself for the foreign field in mis- The president appointed a committee vestigation of oil mills, gins and pack- expected at the new Methodist church sionary work. She will go to Scarett of three to study the present condiing concerns, and made a report to next Sunday at the opening service. Bible Training school in Kansas City the attorney general. Although he As was announced a few weeks ago, for a two-year course preparatory to

> It is understood that Miss Allen wants to go to China as a missionary. She has longed for some years to take up this work and only a few months ago publicly announced her decision definitely. She has been employed in a number of years and is known by good shape. many of our people as a very fine teacher and a conscientious Christian

The part the church will have in her preparation will be a source of pleasure to the membership.

CECIL & COMPANY TAKES PRIZE AT COUNTY FAIR

It will be a matter of interest to

This speaks well for Mr. Auld, who "The remedy, as we see it, is for dispose of any interest they hold in opment of new territory. The conse- is manager of the store in Plainview quence was that it was not completed and who was here for several years. til there comes a demand that will provide penalties for violation, of when the evil days of railroads Mr. Auld had the strongest kind of absorb the offerings at fair prices. from \$50 to \$500 a day in fines, and came. It was impossible to finance competition, too, since one of his com-The way to stop this wild selling is for criminal penalties against offi- extensions and the Orient was left in petitors employs a man who does for the farmers and merchants to cers, agents or employes who aid in the air between terminals. It was de- nothing but look after the display of

Mr. and Mrs. Auld and son, Orin, were here Sunday and Monday, re-But the possibilities of that vast turning Tuesday. He says they are

ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelphian Club met Wednesday may be able to secure credit elsewhere seed oil mill in the purchase of cot- and the Central Valley five hundred afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Boyd at of "thrift" was led by Mrs. M. O'Con- not enough names had been secured

der the efficient leadership of Miss characteristics, purposes, effects and forcibly brought out.

The current events were unusually thought in preparation.

After the club, a two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

ON WITH THE FIGHT

Press dispatches tell us that for months a bitter fight has been waged by the retailer and the consumer against the manufacturer and the wholesaler.

The bone of contention is the lowering of prices.

The consumer is tired of paying profiteering prices for everything he buys. He is calling a halt by curtailing his expenditures.

The retailer realizes this and feels the loss of trade through the determination of the consumer to buy absolute necessities until such time as prices return to normal.

The retailer is as desirous of a reduction in prices as is the consumer, and is fighting the manufacturer and the wholesaler to this end.

The latter, however, appears to be loath to surrender his excessive profits, and is holding out to the end.

That end, when it comes, may possiment for profiteering.

The government, the retailer and the consumer, when working together, are decidedly more powerful than the manufacturer and the middleman. Stubbornness and greed may succeed for a time, but it gets a jolt in abroad, Mr. Roberts said.

politician is a descendant of the old might go a little further and eluci- ing heavily guarded. date a little more clearly, and state that the slimy green worm that devours our cabbages is the offspring of one of the most beautiful of all

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bell visited relatives in Paducah Sunday.

WEST TEXAS C. C. PERFECTS

Stamford, Oct. 2 .- The directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in session here today, took decisive action looking to the relief of LARGE CROWD PRESENT; DINthe cotton situation in this section. tion of the market and the low grade cotton situation and formulate a plan whereby the low grade cotton may be there be disposed of at a profit, so as spread after the service.

wrapping and cleaning of gin stands

pected to attend.

the Stamford Chamber of Commerce keep up with the demands of the day. at a noon day luncheon and in the That is what the new church is for. evening enjoyed a repast at Penick But besides being a building designed

named by President Brelsford, is com- an object of pride to every citizen. posed of Clifford B. Jones of Spur. Chairman; O.P. Harlan, Stamford, THE CHAUTAUQUA WILL and Henry James, Abilene.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

Mrs. George Allison proved a most closed their three days program pleasing hostess when she entertain- Monday night. ed the Columbian Club on last Wednesday afternoon.

the profusion of gold and white tions of the program were very fine, cosmos that were tastefully used in others were not so good. However, decorating the rooms. In the continuation of the study of at night.

Maeterlinck's "Blue Bird" much interest was evinced. The lesson em- citizens for their signatures to have bracing Acts III and IV.

nel. Many helpful ways of overcom- to guarantee its return. ing the "H. C. L." were presented.

Lottie Woods. The lesson was on Elizabeth O'Connell handed a delic- coming of chautauquas is the fact Egyptian and Grecian art and the ious plate at the close of the lesson. that their contracts impose obliga-

H. McGonigal.

the next meeting on October 13.

A PLAN TO FINANCE THE

would call for formation of pools, he the risks. said, which would be consolidated on

a national basis. resentatives to Europe to inspect needs in cotton. Mr. Roberts said under his plan cotton could be shipped direct to the mills, being handled by American bankers who would receive manufactured goods overseas for the staple. After sellbly be a federal grand jury indict- ing the goods the national commit- being \$53.00. tee, he declared, could pay for the cotton and after deducting operat- to all the girls who sold tickets and ing expenses turn the remainder of

the fund back to the mills. This would solve the cotton problem, not alone at home, but also

Gin operators have been receiving notice by anonymous writers in va-A reader wants to know the differ- rious portions of the South advising your services were appreciated. ence between a politician and a states- suspension of ginning until cotton man. Well, we don't exactly know, goes to 40 cents per pound. Some but we imagine that the present day gins in Texas have been burned, supposedly by this element. Gins in time statesman, now extinct. We Georgia and South Carolina are be-

H. M. Ferrin and wife have arrived home from a long tour of many states. covering a period of 14 months. They winged creatures-the multi-colored came directly from Iowa. Mr. Ferrin says they had comparatively no trouble with their car on the drive home until they got within a few miles of home and then had to be pulled in.

PLAN FOR COTTON DISPOSAL HELD LAST SERVICE IN OLD CHURCH

NER SERVED PICNIC STYLE IN CHURCH

Last Sunday marked the closing service to be held at the old Methodist church. It was a very enjoyable

An occasion like that calls to mind memories of the past that make the George Finburg, prominent Abilene site of the old church a hallowed one cotton farmer, explained the plan for to many of our citizens, especially to record as favoring better ginning and was built some thirty years ago, and even the new and modern building, after turning out low grade bales. with all its conveniences and attract-Reports of the various department iveness, can never be to the old timers heads were heard, showing the organ- what the old one has been because of ization as having accomplished great those memories that cluster around it. work during the last twelve months But the new one will be for the serthe public schools of this county for and the financial condition to be in vice of the younger people who are to take the places of fathers and moth-A committee was appointed to make ers and should and will mark the bearrangements for the convention at ginning of greater things in church Ranger when 2,000 persons are ex- work with them. The old structure has simply been outgrown and new The delegates today were guests of quarters must be provided in order to for service it is one of beauty and will The committee which will evolve a stand as a reflection of the religious plan for the movement of West Texas ardor of the Methodists of Crowell and cotton of the low grade variety, as will be an ornament to the town and

NOT RETURN NEXT YEAR

The Radcliffe Chautauqua people

Upon the whole we think the chautauqua was very good, but it did not The club colors found reflection in meet expectations altogether. Porsplendid crowds attended, especially

A contract was submitted to our the chautauqua return next year, but A profitable round table discussion at the closing exercise Monday night

Little Misses Frances Allison and lieve the principal objection to the The club guests for the afternoon tions and burdens too heavy on the contrast between the two were very were Mesdames Leo Spencer and W. local people. Perhaps they are not too heavy, but they are heavier than Misses Buna Stovall, Jode Brian and they like to bear. The committee good, most of them showing that Lora Thacker have recently added must bear the entire burden, and if they had required some time and their names to the list of club mem- help can not be secured to put up the tent and provide seats the business Mrs. Allen Sanders is hostess for men who are on the committee must quit their business and go out and do these things. The 50 cents admission or the \$2.00 for a season ticket is a SOUTH'S COTTON CROP small thing in comparison with the Corpus Christi, Texas, Oct. 5 .- burdens and responsibilities we have Fred Roberts, president of the United enumerated. And for these reasons Cotton Growers' Association, said we do not expect the chautauqua spirhere today that he would offer a res- it to be hard to control in Crowell olution at the cotton conference in hereafter. Besides, we must take all Washington, Oct. 12 and 13, adoption risks of bad weather, etc. We doubt of which would insure financing of if the benefits of a chautauqua are the cotton crop by the growers. It great enough to justify the outlay and

> For the benefit of those who were directly interested in the chautauqua Each Southern State, under the this year, we wish to say that from resolution, would appoint commit- a financial standpoint the committee teemen to be members of a national just about broke even. So there is body which, in turn, would send rep- nothing left for the school, but they feel themselves fortunate in having textile mills and ascertain their done so well. Last year it did not do that well.

In the ticket selling contest Miss Oberia Hamblen won the \$4.00 box of candy which was offered as a prize for the largest amount turned in from the sale of season tickets, the amount

The committee feels very grateful to the women who helped decorate the stage and punch tickets and take the fare at the door. A number of good women can always be found in Crowell willing to help out in these matters, and without their assistance the men would have a hard row. On behalf of the committee we say that

HAS HOME REMODELED

The work of remodeling the home of Sam Scales is completed and it is so completely changed that it appears to be a new house altogether. A modern roof has been put on and the house freshly painted. We are glad to see homes in Crowell being improved and we are anxious to see new ones built.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston we here Wednesday from Quanah.

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THALIA ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent) T. M. Haney installed Delco lights in his home last week.

Miss Myrtle Johnson was a business visitor in Margaret Monday.

Carl Davis and family visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn gave a candy

breaking to the juniors Friday night. Huston Barrett of Paducah is visiting his sister, Mrs. Vera Davis, this

week.

Mr. Beidleman of Crowell visited his brother-in-law, Will Pigg, last

week Sid Randolph left Monday of last week for Oklahoma where he will

work Mr. and Mrs. Jim Banister were shopping in Crowell Wednesday of

Miss Flora Bradford entertained a number of her friends from Rayland

Mrs. Solomon and sons spent a pleasant day Sunday on Beaver creek

Mr. Schroeder and son, Ewald, motored to Vernon Tuesday in search of cotton pickers.

There were several from here who attended the chautauqua at Crowell Monday night.

Quite a few from here attended the chautauqua at Crowell Friday and Saturday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Pool and daughters spent Sunday in the Lambert home near Rayland.

There was preaching at the Baptist church Saturday night, Sunday and again Sunday night.

Our school closed Friday until the first of November so the children can

Roy and Cloman Banister visited in the D. M. Shultz home near Aversville Sunday afternoon. Mrs. John Bradford has been quite

sick for the past week. We are glad to report her much better. Mrs. T. M. Haney has been in Ver-

non the passed taking treatment from a local doctor at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thorn and children of the Talmage community visited his parents here Sunday. Mrs. Beulah Lyles and children of

Vernon spent Thursday in the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Thompson. There will be preaching at the

day night. Sunday and Sunday night

Wall Paper

We want to Talk Wall Paper This week

Every one knows or has heard how print paper is scarce. Large newspapers are hard pressed to secure enough paper at all at any price to supply their wants-their actual needs--and many of the largest papers have already reduced the size of their papers in order to make their available supply last them. You may not know, but it is a fact that wall paper stock is similar to newspaper stock, only heavier and therefore just as scarce or even more so.

So you see reason for highest prices ever known in wall paper next spring.

By borrowing money and buying now paying cash, we can sell our paper one-fourth to one-third less than if we waited. Our price is higher than last year, but will be cheaper than next.

Our Stock is Arriving Now

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

COTTON

INSURANCE

T. N. BELL

Kadire Johnson left Friday for his home at Tahoka after a month's visit with relatives here and at Vernon and

T. W. Neill and wife and daughter, Mrs. Bob Orear, of Trent, visited his brother, G. A. Neill, and family last

Otto Schroeder and family attended church in the Streit community and dined with Mr. and Mrs. C. Haseloof

Miss Una Bartley and her stepbrother, Aaron Overton, and George Allred of Gainesville are visiting her uncle, Sam Tole, and family.

There were several of the young people from here enjoyed Sunday afternoon with the Misses Fannie and Essie Shultz in the Ayersville com-

Misses Myrtle Johnson, Sue Thompson and Edna Shaw and Messrs. Gus Neil, Tom Abston and Johnie Capps attended the chautauqua at Crowell Friday night.

The Misses Woods entertained the

Misses Naomi and Josie Langley, Lorale French and Messrs. Richard Gelispee and Gus Willcox and Mr. Scruggs Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Madge McBurnett of Hugo, Okla., sister of Jim, Walter and Will Banister, also a former teacher in the Thalia school, is visiting her brothers and old friends here this week.

Mrs. Bradley of Pauls Valley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford was taken to Temple, Texas, last week for an operation. Her brother, Buell Bradford, left Saturday to attend to their things while she is gone.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, October the 11th, 1920, the commissioners court will receive sealed bids for the janitor work in and around the court house, said work to include all work necessary to be done in and around the court house, including the yard. The house must be kept in a clean and sanitary condition at all times, and should it become necessary at any time to employ extra labor it shall be done at the cost of said janitor. Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

G. L. BURK. County Judge.

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We had screwed our courage up to Henry queered the game by reducing ing money to the winds in a wild orgy school? the price before we could turn the would only blow themselves along trick. But now, rather than be called with their money the rest of us would on a Packard. Darn Henry!

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Paris, they tell us, is full of Amerthe point of buying a Lizzie, when ican men and women who are blowof fashionable debauchery. If they their absence.

AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

Ten cents worth of oil will often prevent ten dollars worth of rust. Yet many excellent people fail to give this fact even a passing thought. Take a tour over the town.

You will find garden tools that have been dicarded for the summer standing around in corners exposed to the weather. Lawn mowers will be resting on the grass in the morning dew or after a rain. Hatchets, hammers-even saws-may be found out of doors. Wheelbarros, carts and other articles are the same.

Use ten cents worth of oil on them and put them under cover and they will be in prime condition for use when required. But leave them to the mercy of rust and the elements and soon they will become junk instead of

Drive out onto the farms, and in many cases the same conditions will confront you.

Wagons, buggies, farm machinery -much of it delicate in mechanism and expensive in cost-is standing out in the yards or fields while sheds are empty.

Every day the parts are becoming weaker by the rapid accumulation of rust-going to decay through thoughtlessness and neglect.

Only a little oil and a little care.

Each one in this town should have an intimate acquaintance with the requirements and possibilities of this community.

It is only through such means that we are enabled to take proper advantage of the opportunities that present themselves for community better-

Such an inerest on the part of the populace does not end with community improvement. There is a personal equasion which is of vast importance.

It deflects our minds from our private business affairs, gives them food for thought and development, affords us a broader perspective of life and its conditions, and strengthens us for the battles of the years that are before us.

It is a good thing in all ways. Hop to it!

How many of you have children in

How many of you can tell off hand what grades your children are in? How many of you know the books a cheap one, we'll have to fall back feel cleaner and less contaminated by your children are studying, the size of the lessons the teacher assigns, or



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There was a time when you were young-when you worried your juvenile brain over problems which seemed mountainous then, but are so sim-

Commendation and encouragement were sweet to you then.

They are just as precious to your

children now. Do they receive them?

If you ever see the careworn editor of this sheet skipping down the street like a kid with its first toy, don't become alarmed over his mental condition. Such a phenomenon may occur some time within the next half century. We are living in yearly anticipation of a decline in the price of print paper, and hope some day to see it come sliding down through the deep blue sky. In the meantime you are getting this paper for about onehalf the price we have every legitimate right to charge.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

of the Foard County News, a weekly newspaper published at Crowell, Texas, for October 1, 1920. STATE OF TEXAS. County of Foard.

Before me, a notary public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, district sufficient to pay the current personally appeared H. L. Kimsey, interest on said bonds and provide a who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he principal at maturity. is the publisher of the Foard County best of his belief, a true statement of the aforesaid publication for the date tled to vote at said election. shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 23, 1912, em- County Judge of this county by orbodied in Sec. 443, Postal Laws and der made on the 18th day of Septem-

That the names and addresses of the publishers, editors, managing editors and business managers are T. B. Kepper, Crowell, Texas, and H. L. Kimsey, Crowell, Texas. That the known bond holders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are Mergenthaler Linotype Company of New York City.

H. L. KIMSEY. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 4th day of October, 1920. LEO SPENCER, Notary Public

political spellbinders in at least one pursuance of said order. How many of you take time occas- respect. They can make other people Dated the 21st day of Sept., 1920. ionally to run over the lessons with believe a line of bunk they wouldn't even dream of believing themselves. 18

> SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTIO THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Foard. Notice is hereby given that election will be held on the 16th day of October, 1920, at school house in Common School District No. 12, of this county as established by order of the County Board of School Trustees of this county, of date the 4th day of March, 1916, which is recorded in Book I, page 404, of the minutes of said trustees to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax-paying voters of that district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said common school district in the amount of \$4500.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100.00 each, numbered consecutively from 1 to 45, both inclusive, payable 20 years from their date, with option of redemption after five years and bearing five per cent interest per annum, payable annually on April 10th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts legally contracted in for the purpose of moving a school building and constructing permanent repairs of wood and to determine whether the commissioners court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said

All persons who are legally quali-News and that the following is to the fied voters of this State and County and who are resident property taxthe ownership, management, etc., of payers in said district shall be enti-

sinking fund sufficient to pay the

Said election was ordered by the

You've got to hand it to some of our ber, 1920, and this notice is given in L. D. CAMPBELL,

Sheriff, Foard County, Texas.



DR H. SCHINDLER Dentist

> Bell Building Phone No. 82 2 Ringe

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Name "Bayer" on Genuine



uine Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for over twenty years. Accept only an unbroken "Bayer package" which contains proper directions to relieve Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Colds and Pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer packages." Asnirin is trade "Bayer packages." Aspirin is trade mark Bayer Manufacture Mono-acet-icacidester of Salicylicacid. 164

REGISTERED Big Type Poland China Hogs

J. E. BELL, Crowell, Texas

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

Crowell, Texas, October 8, 1920

October 5th marks the beginning of

At the better-baby contest held at

Memphis, Hall County, recently, 41

were entered. Those winning prizes

PARAGRAPHS

Our latest operatic stars are a

One of our excellent citizens is sore-

No matter how the election goes in

November, there will still be a hun-

picion by every honest person.

graded from 96 to 99.

a fit of hysterics.

how to go about it.

Go-to-church day last Sunday Dallas expects a million to a milbrought out the largest number in lion and a half people to attend the the lack of coal is becoming more Dallas on record, the total being fair this fall, and with that expecta- than serious-it will soon be a freezabout 35,000. The First Baptist tion has been making preparations to ing calamity. church led with more than 1900 and take care of the increased numbers. the East Dallas Christian church was second with more than 1300. a new service for the Dallas Morning

According to the census report News in West Texas, this section es-Texas now has a little more than five pecially. We now get the News the and a half million people, which day it is published. shows an increase of nearly 700,000, or 19 per cent. Texas is expected to retain fifth place among the states.

A German airman has announced his intention of trying to fly across A recent forecast of the cotton crop the Atlantic about the middle of this gives 660,000 bales short of the nummonth. He will use an aluminum ber indicated a month ago. monoplane and expects to make the flight within 36 hours.



RUTH ROLAND RUTH OF THE ROCKIES Opera House

Commencing

Tuesday Night, Oct. 19

15 Episodes

With the advent of suffrage the henpecked husband should breathe profound sigh of relief. Women will be too busy settling the intricate problems of state to waste time on the minor affairs of life.

Washington dispatches tell us that the coal situation is becoming serious. Our own commonsense tells us that

Time was when most any kind of a foreign nobleman could pick up an American heiress merely by indicating his willingness to accept her along with her "dough." Now, however, handsome chauffeurs are much more popular than ordinary dukes, princes and counts.

TOO MUCH RUT

The fellow who wears a path from his work to his home will soon wear himself out.

These are not the times of a hundred years ago, when life was more simple and people had time to think. The old time leg show is rapidly be- Today we are going the pace that coming a thing of the past. It doesn't kills in our chase for wealth, a pace that taxes nature to the limit.

We need more recreation, more re-Motorists are playing in hard luck. laxation, more enjoyment free from They are forced to pay exorbitant the cares of business, for without prices for gas, and get no rebate for these the pep of life will become sapped to the marrow.

In our haste to accumulate wealth twinkling success. You can't tell we have acquired to habit of leaving whether they are singing or having community affairs almost entirely to our elective officials, contenting ourselves with a perfunctory kick when things do not go to suit us.

We should leave the beaten path ly puzzled these days. He wants to and take some of this responsibility scare up a laugh and has forgotten upon our own shoulders. It would be good for the community and even bet-

\$2,000 A YEAR

dred million people left who are Perry Mahaffey, a 17-year old willing to work or be worked. We'll student of the Abilene Draughon Business College, has accepted a \$170-The public doesn't seem to be able a-month position with the T. & P. Ry. to work up any tearful sympathy for J. D. Miracle, President, states that, the gamblers who got stung in the on account of the heavy demand, the baseball scandal, but at the same time college will give written guarantees it would like to see crooked players to secure similar positions for those placed where they belong-behind who enroll NOW, either at college or straight bars. The national game is by mail. Offer 5 gives details and in a fair way to be regarded with sus- special rates. Write Mr. Miracle, Box 38M, Abilene, Texas.



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DOWN DRAFT RANGE

Beautiful in design. All nickel parts are smooth as glass. A large reemy oven. And a convenient warming closet. Furnished in blue or gray enamel or plain black finish.

Nothing could be easier than cooking or baking with this range. It is the Brides Choice. We invite everyone to our store to inspect this remarkable fuel-saving specialty. Savesonethird to one-half the fuel bill with its Hot Blast Combustion.

M.S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

Y/E arranged with a responsible fur company of New York City to send us an assortment of furs for a special sale this fall.

These furs have arrived and we will have them on display and special sale Friday and Saturday of this week, October 8th and 9th.

These furs will have to be returned to New York City not later than Monday next. This fur company made concessions to us by giving us return privileges and in this way we can sell furs at very close figures.

There isn't anything a lady appreciates for Christmas more than a nice fur, so buy your Holiday furs now. Furs are absolutely guaranteed to be as represented and at the very lowest prices.

Three Furs, taupe, coney, colors brown, grey and black, sale \$17.50 1 Russian fitch, sale -29.50 1 taupe coney, sale 35.00 2 black and brown Manch Wolf 39.50 2 taupe and brown fox 49.50 1 marmot **55.00** 1 Amer. wolf 59.50 1 taupe fox 75.00 1 American red fox 89.50 1 American wolf black 85.00 1 black cat linx 149.50 1 genuine Hudson seal coat 850.00

Don't fail to attend this Fur Sale. You will find one that you like and buy on account of the very reasonable prices.

SELF DRY GOODS CO.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the people of Crowell for their sympathy and deeds of kindness in our recent misfortune of losing husband and father. May God's blessings rest upon you.

ELLIE PARKER AND CHILDREN.

Let us show you a Kentucky drill. _J. H. Self & Sons.

INSURANCE

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Etc.

Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

October Brides

October is a month of wedding, and this store prepares for these occasions regularly. Weeks ago we planned and bought ample supplies in wares especially appropriate for October weddings.

They may now be seen in our show cases. Come and examine and criticise, and buy if you

It is a pleasure to have you visit our store, and whether your wants are small or great, they can be suppied at economical figures.

A. C. GAINES

A Car of Flour

We have just received a car of the famous

Oriole Flour

fresh from the mill. Nearly everybody knows what the Oriole is. It is one of the best brands of flour on the market today. We are offering this highest grade flour at

\$7.50 per 100 lbs.

Also have a new shipment of Gainesville Meal, ground from select white corn, both in large and small sacks.

We want to sell you your next bill of groceries, whether you live in town or in the country. Come to see us.

The People's Grocery Store

J. W. McCaskill, Manager



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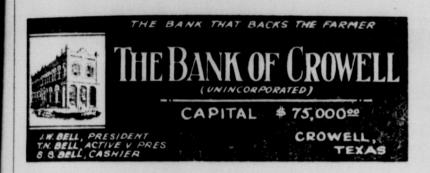
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Particularly as you are dealing with a stroug, liberal bank.

If your Bank is right, your account properly handled, your credit requirements will be taken care of as fast as they arise.

Whether or not you are in business today, we solicit your account as a foundation for your business requirements later on.



LOCAL AND PERSONAL

New and second hand Fords for sale .- Henry Gribble.

Use Pyrx glassware for baking .--M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale-Kitchen cabinet.-Mrs. Walford Thompson.

For Sale-100 acres 4 miles east of Margaret .- Greek Davis.

Will buy corn and maize at highest market price.—Bell Grain Co.

A. T. Fowler of Cabbott, Ark., is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Ringgold.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. W. Erwin re-Plains country.

Ellis Gafford is here from Sulphur Springs, Texas, looking after his farm on Pease river.

tered Hereford calves, papers furnish- dicitis. ed.-J. E. Bell.

ore

See T. N. Bell for cotton insurance. Bargain-Dodge roadster.-S. S.

Chevrolets delivered \$925.-Leo Spencer.

Sewing machines on easy payments. →M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston were here Sunday from Quanah.

Will buy corn and maize at highest market price.—Bell Grain Co.

Red cedar water buckets, the kind you used to use .- M. S. Henry & Co. Mrs. G. W. Walthall is in Kansas

part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. D. R. W. Erwin re-turned Sunday from a visit to the Mrs. W. T. Ward and son, W. T., His wife will visit her parents in Ft. We have all size Kentucky drills now Jr., were last week from Benjamin Worth while McGown is at Dallas.

visiting Miss Emily Purcell. Miss Gladys Benson left the sanitarium last Friday and is improving For Sale-10 head of young regis- rapidly from an operation for appen-

to 30th

Frying chickens wanted at Hayes

Bargain-Buick slightly used, 1920 model.—S. S. Bell.

Sewing machines on easy payments. -M. S. Henry & Co.

Robert Goodfellow was here this week from Wichita Falls.

Red cedar water buckets, the kind you used to use .- M. S. Henry & Co. For Sale a 1920 model Ford in first class condition, as good as new .- G. C.

Morgan.

Insure your cotton with T. N. Bell, then if it burns your loss is greatly reduced. Costs little.

Those who want expres or baggage hauled call me at Bruce & Wallace Barber Shop .- T. T. Kuykendall. 20

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fergeson left last Sunday for Dallas where Mrs. Fergeson will take medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hinds left Tuesday in their car for Slaton, Texas, where they will visit George's mother.

To cook perfectly and with the greatest economy of fuel and labor, get a Cole's Down Draft Range .- M. S. Henry & Co.

J. R. and L. A. Beverly have secured the agency in this territory for the Gardner automobile. The car is manufactured in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly moved last week to the home of Mrs. Thacker where they have secured rooms. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barry moved into the Beverly home which they purchased recently.

Lost-A La Valliere, set with small diamond, between D. M. Shultz's home and Crowell, or in opera house last Thursday night. Leave at News office or Fergeson Bros and receive reward.-Essie Shultz.

A large number of members of the Methodist church met Tuesday morning at the new church and did considerable work in clearing away the debris and leveling up the grounds, tf however, the work was not completed.

The Union Station given by home talent at the opera house Thursday night of last week under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society was attended by a large crowd and greatly enjoyed. The ladies cleared something over \$200.

G. C. McGown left the first of the week for Dallas where he will have the care of the Foard County exhibit. City, leaving for that city the latter | Mack will be on the job and will not let an opportunity escape to say

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fergeson and daughter, Miss Nellie, and Howard Richie and wife were here Sunday from Vernon visiting the Womack family. They recently returned from J. M. Rutherford, industrial agent a prospecting trip to California and Mrs. M. Spikes and son, Jack, of for the Orient, was here Wednesday. are well pleased with that country. food, time and labor .-- M. S. Henry Benjamin were here the latter part He was boosting for the San Angelo Mr. Fergeson expects to sell his prop- & Co. of last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. Fair which will be held October 26th erty at Vernon and move to Cali-

75 Men's Suits

On Sale

While in market we bought 75 Kirschbaum, all wool suits at from \$10 to \$25 per suit less than the former prices. These suits were bought in odd lots and being close outs with them enabled us to get some real all wool worsteds in the best patterns at real prices.

We are going to take these suits out of our regular clothing cases, and beginning Saturday of this week, Oct. 9th, offer them at special prices.

Lot one consists of all wool Kirschbaum suits in browns, blues, greys, around 25 suits in this lot, special

\$29.50

Lot two consists of all wool Kirschbaum suits in the heavy worsted colors brown, grey, blue mixtures and the newest in patterns, around 50 suits in this lot, special

\$39.50

Now for yourself or for your boy a school suit these cannot be beat and if you see them you will buy. These will be on the racks, beginning Saturday morning, October 9th, and for one week only. Investigate.

Self Dry Goods Co.

Cotton insurance.-T. N. Bell. -J. H. Self & Sons.

Sewing machines on easy payments. -M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. A. S. Hart and little son, Jim Allee, have returned to their home in

Pyrx glass ovenware saves fuel,

Picture show at the airdome Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights beginning promptly at 8:30. One high-bred registered Jersey

bull kept at the Collins wagon yard. \$5.00 when service is rendered. tf Mrs. A. J. Hill and Mrs. S. E. Covin, of Longview, mother and sis-

ter of Frank Hill, are here for a visit in his home. H. Young was in town from Vivian Monday. He says his son, Willie, is in a hospital in Houston for treatment. The young man has been in

poor health for months. G. C. Morgan returned this week from a trip to Montague County where he had gone to secure some cotton pickers. He succeeded in getting some who will be here within a few days.

Miss Louise Penget of Austin arrived last Thursday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. R. C. Moore. This is her second visit to this country, having made the first last summer, and she will likely be here for two or three months.

Quite a bunch of Knights Templar masons went to Vernon last night to attend the ceremony of conferring the Red Cross, Malta and Knights Templar degrees upon Geo. M. Doty, T. M. Haney and Garland Burns of Thalia, and Rev. J. H. Hamblen of

Rev. J. E. Billington and J. W. Allison attended a meeting of Baptists at Vernon Monday in connection with associational work. A change has been effected whereby Foard County Baptists will co-operate with the Baptists of Wilbarger County in their association for another year.

Rev. J. E. Billington and wife received a message Tuesday from their daughter, Miss Ida Mae, who is at Waco, to the effect that she and J. K. Mason of that city would be united in marriage on Wednesday of this week. The bride is well known by a good many of our people. Mr. Mason s a cotton classer of Waco.

Hayes Hotel and P. E. Randolph's. at chautauqua tent Friday afternoon. Bring to News office. - R. C. Moore.tf Finder please return to News office.

Lost a propeller shaft between Lost-Pair of ladies gauntlet gloves

Beverly & Beverly

Lands, Loans and Abstracts

lexas Crowell.

Cotton Insurance

LEO SPENCER

WE WANT TO HELP

This bank desires to be of personal assistance to you. We have assisted others. Will you give us the chance? We cannot aid you unless we know what you want.

Come in and let's talk it over. Ask our satisfied customers and they will tell you that we have helped them. The thing that gives this bank the right to live, to grow, to prosper, is the service it renders the community. Don't hesitate. Come right in and tell us how we can serve

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In cold weather to prevent roughening and reddening of the skin.

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This is your duty to yourself, to your friends.

It is a duty made easy through use of our tested and proven creams, lotions, etc.



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Margaret, Texas

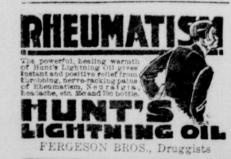


Doctor Cupid

That love sometimes cures disease is a fact that has been called to the attention of the public by a prominent physician. Love is not, the contrary are absolutely untrue." however, the cure for all women. Many a woman is nervous and irritable, feels dragged down and worn out for no reason that she can think of.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription gives new life and new strength to weak, worn-out, run-down women. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well. It is now sold by all druggists in the United States in tablets as well as liquid form.

EVANT, TEXAS .- "I have used Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I was run-down and suffered from functional disturbances but Favorite Prescription' regulated me. I was so nervous I was miserable and could not sleep at night when I began to use the 'Prescription I had not taken a whole bottle until I could sleep well and got as stout as I ever was. I keep a bottle of 'Prescription' on hand and when I work and get tired I take a dose and it strengthens my nerves." - MRS. GEORGIA



Official confirmation of press dis- will continue in the future to demand patches from Detroit, announcing a fair return for their efforts." ry & Co., the Dodge Brothers dealers great expansion program at the fac-

"Dodge Brothers policy has ever asked. There will be no reduction in the present prices of Dodge Brothers | price competition." motor cars. Newspaper reports to

"Dodge Brothers announcement was no surprise to us, said M. S. Henry in Spain. In the United States it is & Co. "In fact it is only a substan- base ball. tiation of Dodge Brothers business In Spain every one goes to see the principles. At no time have they ev- matadore vanquish the bull, from the

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C. T. SCHLAGAL, Proprietor

ORANGES GROWN IN THE LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY OF TEXAS

Many Texans do not know that right here in this state we have an irrigated district which produces oranges and lemons equal to those of California, and grapefruit that is superior to those grown anywhere.

These citrus fruits demand certain onditions in order to prosper. They must have rich soil (or fertilized), a limate cool in summer and without frosts in winter, and water when it s needed. Given these conditions the steady year-after-year income produced by an orchard is almost unbeievable. One or two thousand dolars, gross, per year, per acre is not anusual in California where improved laces sell for four, five, six thousand dollars and even more per acre.

The Lower Rio Grande Valley Irrigated District of Texas has several small citrus fruit orchards six to twelve years old which are in full bearing and are producing \$1,000 to \$2,000 gross revenue per year. In addition to these proven orchards thousands of young trees have been set out. In a few years Rio Grande Valley grapefruit and oranges and emons will take their place on the markets of the world.

That is the big future of the Rio Grande Valley-the Magic Valley as ome call it-but those conditions of a rich, made, alluvial soil, a twelve nonths growing season and all the water for irrigation that is wanted, nakes it today the surest straight farming proposition in Texas.

It is not necessary to fertilize down there for in addition to a soil that is as rich as the valley of the Nile, every irrigation with muddy water puts nutriment and plant food into the

Three crops a year! 60 to 100 bushels of corn per acre first planting, 40 to 60 bushels second planting. Cotton has averaged better than a bale the acre this year. Broom corn and sorghums yield two to three cuttings from a planting. Alfalfa makes seven to ten cuttings per year. Rhodes Grass will pasture four head of stock or thirty head of hogs to the acre the year around

The Magic Valley makes more of hese staple crops than is ordinarily made anywhere else on earth. Yet he crop of winter vegetables, grown while everything here is frozen up produces more money than the sumner staples. Irish potatoes, tomaoes, beans, cabbage, lettuce, onions and other vegetables come fresh on the market in the middle of winter OF DODGE MOTOR CARS their product. As in the past, they and command the top price.

er demanded an excess amount for

The mere fact that the demand for

the quality of their product to enter

BULL FIGHTS AND BASE BALL

Bull fighting is the national sport

king down to the humblest citizen. It

is a gala day, and the matadore is a

In this country large numbers of

people go to the ball games, from the

office boy down to the head of the

firm. The electric wire flashes the

The bull fight is clean, even if it is

gory. Graft apparently has not en-

tered into the sport, as the matadore

could hardly "throw" the fight in

favor of the bull without having his

insides tossed all over the arena from

the horns of the pain maddened ani-

But base ball, the American nation-

Honest lovers of the sport are sick,

nauseated, holding their noses from the stench of the graft that is creep-

What will future championship pen-

To the public they will be decorated

with the emblem of the almighty dol-

lar-the dirty dollar of graft-indi-

cating that some Judas of the dia-

mond has sunk his honor in iniquity

and thrown the game for a filthy mess of gambler besmirched pottage.

Unless the base ball world can be

thoroughly and effectively purged of these grafting traitors, and the hon-

est players protected from suspicion. we might well consign the ball and

the bat to oblivion and import a few

bulls and matadores from ancient

The sport would be slippery with

the blood of the vanquished, but the public would at least know that the

laurels of the victor were honestly

I have a good office stove for sale

Cheap. See me at News office.-H.

result to the entire nation.

national hero

al game?

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Hogs, dairy cows, chickens, pastured the year around, are big money producers.

Irrigation, soil, and climate, the what has moved seventy-five thous- Rio Grande in Hidalgo County, Texas point of price and will never sacrifice are going where the harvest is sure, Company, the largest land dealers in

You Should Demand

A degree of cleanliness of your grocer next to the standard maintained in your kitchen. We invite your inspection of our stock-the stock your neighbors choose from daily.

We want your grocery trade and combine qual. ity, cleanliness, service and price to meet your every requirement.

The appetizing foods in our stock will make you glad when meal time comes. That cozy dining table adorned with fruits and dainties that tempt the appetite of any one may be had by merely calling us by phone.

Adcock & Matthews Grocery Co.

Ringgold Bldg.

Phone 263



City Meat Market

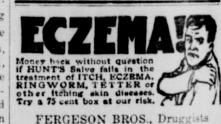
Carries everything in the line of an up-to-date meat market, together with packing house meats such as Boiled Ham, Mince Ham, etc., except beef. Will also carry pure hog lard, the kind your mother used to make during hog-killing time.

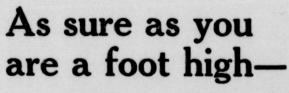
Come in for a fresh tender steak of beef or pork for dinner, or maybe its pure hog sausage you want. If so the City Meat Market is the place to get it.

F. J. MEASON, Proprietor

where irrigation means crop insur- the United States. We run regular ance. The farmers down there don't land prospectors excursions to the Rio put their money and labor into the Grande Valley. ground on a bet against dry weather.

If you are interested in knowing Cars, has been received by M. S. Hengreater than the supply, despite the factors that mean sure crops, are more about this magic valley of the in this city. A telegram from C. W. tory, has absolutely nothing to do and people from all over the United write me for literature to box 111, Matheson, acting general sales man- with the decision to continue the pres- States to the Rio Grande Valley. Crowell, Texas, or come and see me ent prices. In marketing their car Hidalgo county has increased 177.6 at the Lloyd Hotel .- V. C. Racine, lo-Dodge Brothers have never made a per cent since the last census. They cal agent for the W. C. Stewart Land





you will like this Camel Turkish and Domestic



JOU never got such cigarettecontentment as Camels hand you. Camels quality and expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic Tobaccos make this goodness possible-and make you prefer this Camel blend to either kindoftobaccosmokedstraight!

Camels mellow-mildness is a revelation! Smoke them with freedom without tiring your taste! They leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor!

Give Camels every test-then compare them puff-for-puff with any cigarette in the world!



The New Fall Styles



The Newest Fall Suits

Let us show you a complete line of suits in Silvertone, Tricotine, French Serge and Broadcloth, tailored exquisitely, shown in the most attractive styles and in the favored colors, Suits of excellence that will compare favorably with higher priced models, and you will have a slight idea of the wonderful values we are offering in these garments.

If you are interested in suits we cordially invite you to visit our department. Prices range

\$27.50 to \$110.00

The Newest Fall Dresses

New dresses for fall are arriving on every express and the styles are unusually attractive and becoming. A wool dress for fall and winter is practically a necessity in the warerobe of every woman. We are showing a complete line of beautiful and practical frocks in French Serge and Tricotine. Some are hendsomely beaded or embroidered in novelty designs. A full selection from the cheapest that are good to the best that are to be had in shades of Navy, Brown and Black. Prices range from

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MARGARET MUSINGS (By Special Correspondent) Our little burg is enjoying beautiful fall weather.

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For some cause unknown to the writer our electric light plant has winked out several nights. Houses are in demand. The preach-

er's family has moved into the church and our school professor occupies the Woodmen hall.

We will have another car of coal this week and we want our customers who got a load last week to give those a chance who are entirely out.

Our gin is running and we hope that it may do better service. They say everything has been put in new, but we recognize the squeal of Jim Gilliam's whistle and that may ruin the whole business.

Cotton picking and wheat planting keeps the people busy. Since cotton has tumbled down so low the farmers cannot get money to gather the crop and a bad storm would do great dam- new girl at their home.

age to cotton in the field. We are informed that Miss Edith

Taylor, formerly of Margaret, and James Tarvin of El Reno, Okla., were Our M. E. parsonage has been torn united, etc., last Sunday at El Reno. school house. down and the next pastor may have This gives us a new grandson. Strange how our family is increasing. Our school opened on Monday last

with ninety-seven pupils. Prof. Coltharp and Miss Burk of Crowell were on hand at the opening. There must have been a strike for the other teachers failed to put in an appearance. We hope to have a successful for White Deer, Texas, where she will school this year and all should try to assist the teachers in every way.

PLAINVIEW POINTERS (By Special Correspondent) Bob Price has been very sick.

Mrs. Wallace Scales is on the sick list this week.

Claud Davis sold his place to Lloyd Porter last week.

Ed Morris has sold his crop and moved to Vernon. Claud Williams and wife have

Marvin Moore has sold his place. We did not learn the buyer's name.

Preparations are being made this week toward moving the Rayland

Mrs. Wayland and family have returned from several weeks visit in Fannin County.

have been visiting their son, Grant, and family, in Oklahoma. Miss Addie Coffman left last week

Dr. German and wife of Rayland

teach in the public school. Elvy Tuggle and wife who once resided here have returned. We have not learned whether they have come to stay or not.

Cleave Willis and family from Houston County are at the home of Jeff Creagor. We understand they intend farming on Mr. Creagor's place next year.

Mrs. J. M. Rutherford and little daughter, Ruth, of Chillicothe, spent last week-end in Crowell with Mrs.

FARM RENT FREE IS PLAN OF RANGER

BACK TO THE COUNTRY" MOVE-MENT BEING PUSHED BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Ranger, Texas, Oct. 4 .-- A movenent has been started to populate the idle farms around Ranger next year rent free. The Chamber of Commerce has been agitating the "back to the Eastland County farm" movement and in the last few days added impetus has been given its work by several landowners offering to provide farms rent free to bona fide

The chamber is now tabulating the farms and conferring with all owners, in an effort to reach all agreements with landlords that all idle farms may be tenanted rent free. At the same time it is getting into communication with many farmers who are seeking a place for next year.

The work that has been done thus far shows that around Ranger there are several hundred farms that are lying idle because owners have become independent through oil, and that drilling operations during the feverish rush of the early days of the boom could not be hampered by fences. The majority of these places have comfortable houses upon them and are provided with wells and windmills and other facilities for comfortable living. Before oil was discovered, cotton, peanuts, oats, forage crops, live stock and poultry were produced in the Ranger country, earning for their owners a comfortable livelihood.

With the farms repopulated, several thousand people will have a direct source of income.

BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent) Lonnie Johnston is picking cotton

for W. M. Randolph on Pease river. As everybody is so busy picking cotton we didn't gather much news

Walter Ely has a new Ford car. W. B. Jones is the owner of a new Dodge car.

A few young people of this community visited Miss Vivian Huffaker of Foard City Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Greer of Lewisville, Texas, spent last week in this community with their daughter, Mrs. F. C. Borchardt.

Misses Ruby and Johnnie Johnston and Lucy and Edna Golden called on Miss Loma Campbell of the Clayton community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Borchardt took Mrs. Borchardt's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Greer, to Paducah Sunday. They were going from there to the Plains.

Mr. Willie Grimes of Chillicothe and Miss Lillie Gray of this community were quietly married in Crowell last Wednesday. They left Thursday for much joy and happiness through life. Foreman.

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heirs and legal representatives of E. Van Deventer if he be deceased, B. D. Sartin are defendants and the cause of action being alleged as follows:

This is a suit to remove cloud from

the title of the hereinafter described land by reason of certain oil and gas

leases of record covering said land and for a cancellation of the said oil and gas leases on the hereinafter de-scribed lands for the reason that the consideration for said oil and gas leases has totally failed, and for the

cancellation of certain assignments of said oil and gas leases for the reason that the same are null and void, the land being described as follows:

East 100 acres out of section 22; northeast 160 acres out of section 35; northwest 160 acres section 22;

south 240 acres of the west half of

section 23; 121 acres out of section 13; 149.5 acres out of west side of section 11; 100 acres out of section 22; 160 acres out of section 23; 53.33 acres out of northeast part of section No. 12:

24; 160 acres out of section No. 12;

the east 150 acres of section No. 11; 2-3 acres of the east side of sec-No. 21; west 320 acres of section

No. 16; 70 acres out of section No. 13; 270 acres out of section No. 12. All of said above described lands be-

Texas Central Railway Company's surveys of lands in Wilbarger and Foard Counties, Texas. The following assignments of oil and gas leases are sought to be cancelled and held

are sought to be cancelled and held for naught involving the north 120

acres of the south 163 1-3 acres of

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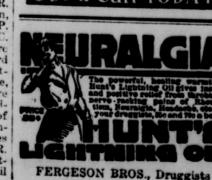
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east 15 acres of west 75 acres of north 125 acres of west one-half of section No. 16; the east 50 acres of the north 125 acres of the west onehalf of section 16, block 8, H. & T. C. Ry. Co.'s surveys in Foard County, Texas; east 50 acres of the north 125 acres of west one-half section 16; 125 acres out of north side of west one-half section 16; the middle 160 acres east of 270 acres on west side section No. 12 in block No. 8, H. & T. C. Ry. Co.'s surveys, Wilbarger County, Texas; east 100 acres of east 150 acres of west 300 acres of section No. 11; west one-half section 16; 100 acres out of section 22, being the north 60 acres of S.E. one-fourth and south 40 acres of N. E. one-fourth of said section; 53½ acres out of N. E. part of south one-half section No. 24; 106 2-3 acres off of east side of N. E. one-You are hereby commanded to sum- fourth section 21; west 149 2 acres No. 11; the north 240 acres section 24; the N. E. one-fourth section 23; south 100 acres of S. E. one-fourth section 22; N. E. 160 acres section 35, being N. E. one-fourth thereof; east one-half section No. 25. All of said above described land being located in block No. 8, H. & T. C. Ry. Co.'s surveys in Wilbarger and Foard Counties, Texas. The defendants herein are put upon notice to produce, upon the trial of this cause, the original oil and gas leases covering the lands herein de-scribed as well as the articles of the declaration of trust of the Wilbarger-Foard Oil Company. Herein fail not, but have you before said court on said first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Crowell, Texas, this the 29th day of September A. D. 1920. MARIE HARRIS, Clerk, District Court, Foard Black Silk Stove Polish Get a Can TODAY

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