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LUCIAN W. PARRISH DIES AFTER HARD FIGHT FOR LIFE

Congressman Lucian W. Parrish died in a sanitarium in Wichita Falls Tuesday following injuries sustained in an automobile wreck near Roby about two weeks ago. He was born in Van Alstyne, Texas, Jan. 10, 1878. He was educated in the State University of Texas, graduating with honors in 1909, with the degrees of Master of Arts and Bachelor of Laws. In 1919 he was elected as congressman from the 13th district of this state and made a splendid record in that service. He wanted to go to the Senate and was campaigning the state in the interest of his candidacy at the time of the accident that resulted in his death.

All Texas regrets the premature death of a man so capable and whose future held such promise as that of Lucian W. Parrish.

Sells Stock in Edwards Store

W. S. J. Russell sold this week his stock in the R. E. Edwards Co., Inc., store to H. K. Edwards and L. A. Andrews, who were already stock holders in the corporation and actively engaged in the business. The directors of this corporation now are, R. B. Edwards, H. K. Edwards and L. A. Andrews. The officers are, R. B. Edwards, president; H. K. Edwards, vice president; L. A. Andrews, sec. treas.

All Over Texas

Because of a Ku Klux Klan parade last Saturday night at Plainview a mass meeting was held Sunday afternoon. Several attorneys volunteered their services in pushing any charges that might be made and more than 700 citizens present pledged their support. Resolutions condemning the Klan and all similar organizations were unanimously adopted and the entire crowd pledged its support to the local officers in preventing future parades and mob action. The use of fire arms by several of the paraders immediately after the parade to disperse a crowd which had followed them to the assembly caused much feeling. Numerous shots were fired, it is said, in an attempt to disperse the crowd.

It is reported that Porter Whaley, general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will call a meeting of the citizens of the towns and cities along the Orient at Sweetwater about April 10th, for the purpose of devising some means, if possible, to save the Orient railroad from being suspended.

The formation of "Texas Brigade No. 8, Knights of the Visible Empire Anti-Ku Klux Klan" was announced Sunday in a letter to a local newspaper at Ranger. The organization, in the letter, addressed to the Ku Klux Klan, announces open opposition to that organization. It is said 97 organizers are now at work in Texas.

Beaumont was struck by a tornado Sunday which caused the death of two persons. The property damage was also great and extended as far as Houston.

One large eagle and sixteen cranes are reported to have been caught near Memphis during the recent sleet and snow storm in that locality. The birds had been weighted down with loads of sleet on their backs so that they could not fly.

Memphis recently sold its municipal light plant and the funds, it is said, will be used in the paving of the streets of that city.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO BE ELECTED TOMORROW

Every man and woman in the Crowell Independent school district should remember that tomorrow is school trustee election day. And not only remember it but they should come and vote. We believe in Democratic rule and unless the majority of the voters register their votes in all general elections there is a chance for the will of the majority to be defeated in matters of government. In that case, of course, people are to blame largely for their not manifesting a greater interest in these elections.

The schools of the country are to perform a service that is extremely vital to every child in the community. Then, why should the patrons not manifest an interest in the selection of the men who are to have in hand the employment of the teachers and the dispensing of the public funds.

There are three trustees to be elected. Come and express your will in your choice for these places.

George W. Gribble Dead

Geo. W. Gribble was born in Union County, Ga., October 7, 1843, and died at his home in Crowell, March 23, 1922, and was therefore 78 years, 5 months and 16 days old at the time of his death.

Mr. Gribble entered the Union army early in the Civil War and fought through until the surrender, and was in many important engagements.

He was married to Miss Julia McClure Dec. 17, 1868. To this union were born 9 children, two of which died in infancy, and one after maturity, six children now surviving.

Mr. and Mrs. Gribble came from Towns County, Ga., to Foard County, Texas, in the year 1901, and have made their home here ever since. At one time Mr. Gribble longed to see the old home country and made a trip, but returning to this country he was contented to remain here the balance of his days. He was a good citizen and had lived a Christian for 40 years.

The deceased is survived by six children, 35 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. He has one brother yet alive, E. Gribble, but his location is not known by the relatives here. The surviving children are: J. T. Gribble, Crowell; Mrs. L. N. Johnson, Tell, Texas; Henry Gribble, Crowell; Luther Gribble, Tell, Texas; Mrs. E. Chastain, Gracemont, Okla.; Mrs. Narve Johnson, Crowell. All the surviving children were at Mr. Gribble's bedside during the last days of his illness.

Father of 17 Children

In the news item we had last week about W. J. Owens' birthday dinner at Vernon was an error as to the number of children of which Mr. Owens is father. Instead of there being only 11 children there were in all 17, all of which have been reared and are living except one. There are about 80 grandchildren and great grandchildren.

The mistake occurred by the News' informant having given the members only of Mr. Owens and his last wife. He was married twice and reared two families. The size of the family is even more remarkable, but this was characteristic of those who started out about 50 years ago. It was a praiseworthy honor to be at the head of a large family when Mr. Owens was in the prime of manhood, but the reverse is true today. The smaller the families the more highly you are esteemed by your fellows, and even if you avoid the responsibility of parenthood entirely you are showing good sense.

We take our hats off to those old fathers and mothers who took life as God intended them to and who were not afraid to face responsibility.

Windows for New Baptist Church Are Being Installed

Last week the art glass windows for the new Baptist church arrived and carpenters have been busy this week placing them in the building.

For Constable

J. G. Ford announces his candidacy in this issue as a candidate for constable for precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Ford is serving his first term and has made us a faithful servant in that capacity. He stands for law enforcement and order at all times and will always be found in the discharge of his duty as best he can.

Go to church occasionally. It may induce you to attend more frequently.



Pumping Water at the City Well Near Crowell to Keep It Out of the Way Until Big Reservoir Could Be Completed. Photo Made by Clifton Studio.

THREE POINTS ARE NECESSARY TO KEEP ORIENT

No Assurance, Says Official That Plight of Road Will Be Alleviated

Wichita, Kan., March 26.—While precedents established by the United States Railway Labor Board and the Interstate Commerce Commission in the concessions granted the Missouri & North Arkansas railway are looked upon as omens favorable to the case of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railway, there is no assurance whatever that the Orient's plight will be alleviated, and a solution of the road's destiny—abandonment has by no means been found, according to A. de Bernardi, vice president and general manager, who declares the Orient's situation now is even more critical than it was a month ago.

Just three points must be conceded the Orient by the two "Federal bosses" if the Orient is to maintain its present status as an operating railway. The first of these is the granting of the petition to the labor board for a reduction of 25 per cent in wages.

Seeks New Wage Scale

The Orient seeks to operate with a wage scale one-fourth lower than the standard wage schedule promulgated by the board which requires it to pay its employes exactly the same as roads like the Santa Fe and the Pennsylvania for similar work. The second is the extension or enlargement of the Orient's present government loan of \$2,500,000 by the Interstate Commerce Commission; and the third is a larger division of revenue from business handled jointly with other railroads.

The latter point also is in the hands of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Each of the three concessions was granted the Arkansas railroad, whose recent Federal loan of \$3,500,000 is to extend over a period of ten years, whereas the Orient's smaller loan matured two years after it was granted.

Sale Improbable

Hope expressed in some quarters for a sale of the road to other interests are branded as ridiculous and absurd not only by Orient officials, but by executives of other railroads. The fact that its \$40,000,000 investment has been expended entirely for the development of the territory it serves, and never has shown a penny of net earnings, would scare away any prospective buyer, no matter how large his bank roll might be.

This was borne out notably recently, when B. F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific railway in an interview here, declared no railroad in the country, or no sane business man would consider buying a property which never had shown anything but a deficit since its organization, as the Orient has done.

Henry Ford as a possible buyer and operator of the Orient, is not to be considered—the Orient does not serve the Ford factory as does the D. T. & I., which he is operating. Ford refused to buy the Missouri & North Arkansas railroad for the same reason.

Mexican Lines Pay

Contrasting the \$1,200,000 deficit piled up through operation of the

Killed Five Rattlers

It is a little early for rattlers to be venturing out of their caves, but when the warm sun comes up occasionally, these reptiles are said to come from their winter quarters and bask for hours in its warmth. A story is related by B. J. Glover of the McAdams Ranch who has recently had some rattlesnake experience. There is a large cave on that ranch about a mile and a half from the ranch house. Some weeks ago Mr. Glover went to this cave and tied his horse a few feet away from the edge of the cave and started up towards its mouth, when suddenly he heard a noise at his feet, and upon looking down saw a large rattler within about two feet of him. He killed it and began to look for the others and found them. They seemed to be on every hand, and soon he could see nothing but snakes. They were coiled here and there. Their heads were sticking out from beneath the cliffs on all sides, so he thought it was dangerous to remain thus surrounded and finally got out to his horse which he mounted and rode away.

The next time he went back to the cave he took his six-shooter and had some very nice sport picking rattlers' heads off. He killed five, one of which was five feet in length and was large in proportion.

He says there is no telling how many snakes there are in that cave. One fellow is reported, said Mr. Glover, to have seen a roll of them as large as a barrel, all entwined.

Presbyterian Church Services

Services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. on the topic, "Daniel, the Kind of Man God Delivered from the Lions." If the meeting at the Methodist church continues, the evening service will be called in on this account.

Come and worship with us. A cordial welcome awaits you.

CHALMERS KILBOURN, Pastor.

Orient in the United States during 1921, De Bernardi recently cited the Mexican lines of the company, 250 miles long. Being operated under reasonable freight rates and passenger fares, and with the law of supply and demand governing wages, the Mexican lines, under the receivership of Kemper, have been and are now self-supporting. Furthermore, the Mexican government, instead of imposing unreasonable regulations on the railroads, is making every effort to induce them to develop further.

"The whole situation is a gloomy one," De Bernardi said. "Our reserve cannot possibly hold out longer than July 1. When we have exhausted it, it only remains for us to quit. Our employes cannot be expected to work without pay, and by July 1, unless relief is forthcoming very shortly, we will have nothing left with which to pay them their wages."

Now Is Time to Act

"We hope to gain concessions similar to those granted the Missouri & North Arkansas, but we want to get action before we are forced to suspend and remain idle for an indefinite period, as they were forced to do. Indifference to our needs on the part of those we serve will be fatal to us. Any pressure they may exert upon our regulatory bodies may mean our salvation. The time to act is now."

INTEREST GROWS AS REVIVAL MEETING NEARS ITS CLOSE

Good Sermons and Excellent Singing Outstanding Features with Some Conversions

Several times during the Methodist revival the church building has been packed virtually to its capacity. Rev. Lipscomb has been doing earnest preaching at every service and the interest manifested by the good attendance and splendid attendance at each meeting is evidence of the general interest. The business men of the city voluntarily closed their doors at 10 in the morning to go to church, while at night most of the people of the town have attended.

Some features of the revival have been the special services. The old folks' meeting Wednesday morning was especially good. Many who have been unable to get to church were brought through the kindness of some friend, so that it was a treat to them. Then the services Wednesday evening in which the pupils of the high school were given special recognition was another splendid service that witnessed a packed house. At each of these the preacher had remarks specially suited to the occasion.

It is understood that the meeting is to continue over Sunday night, but there is no promise that it will run further. There have been several conversions and much good accomplished for the spiritual upbuilding of the town. And there is yet time for much good to be accomplished.

FOARD CITY ITEMS

Mrs. J. W. Harris and family of Crowell were visiting C. C. Fox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox were visiting L. D. Fox and family of Crowell Monday.

Miss Nora Lefevre gave a party last Saturday night. There was a large crowd present and everybody reports a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cowan of Tularosa, New Mexico, the daughter and son-in-law of Bro. W. T. Gray, are here. They will make this their future home.

There was a pie supper at the church house last Friday night, but owing to the unfavorable weather there were not many present.

There was a singing Sunday night at the home of Luther Owens. All report a nice time.

R. M. Fox of Crowell was visiting C. C. Fox and family Sunday.

An election for school trustees will be held Saturday at the school house. Two trustees are to be elected.

Miss Tertia Glover of Crowell was visiting in our community Sunday.

Moves to New Mexico

E. Davis has traded his farm of 120 acres northwest of the town section to E. S. Flesher for a section of land at Amistad, N. M., and is moving his family to it this week.

Mr. Davis made a trip up to New Mexico a few weeks ago and came back well pleased with the country. He has been a resident of this county for several years and goes to this new country because he thinks his children will have better opportunities in a financial way in that country.

BRICKS WILL BE REBUILT ON NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE

Material Has Been Ordered and Is Expected to Arrive by 15th

The ugly spot which was caused by the destruction of the Allison and Thacker buildings when fire broke out just before Christmas on the north side of the square is to be closed up by two new brick buildings. Mr. Allison has purchased the adjoining Thacker lot and will erect two 25 foot buildings on the two lots.

The material has been bought, Mr. Allison says, and is expected to arrive by the 15th of April, when work will start at once on the buildings. Mr. Hendrix, of Waco, who had the contract to put up the Baptist church, has the contract also to put up these two buildings.

One other brick will likely be built some time this summer. M. O'Connell and George Allison are figuring on erecting a brick building after the ice season closes next fall. This will be 43-foot front, and will be used by them as an ice house, taking the place of the present wooden building.

Crowell Hi vs. Paducah Hi

Lady Luck has always been known to us as an eccentric dame but we rise to ask what could so have excited her irascible nature as to cause her to treat Crowell High as she did last Friday. Crowell lost the game by a 2 to 0 score and the old lady was the chief and almost the whole cause of Paducah's victory.

As can be seen from studying the tabulation at the foot of the column, Crowell boys outplayed Paducah in every phase of the game. After riding forty-five miles in the teeth of a young but vigorous gale, the Crowell team made only one error and this as a result of bad conditioned grounds. Several Paducah men were heard to express themselves favorably of Crowell's game and all marvelled at Jones' splendid pitching. Ashford, behind the bat, caught in a manner that defies criticism.

It would be impossible to mention each man for his work. All did equally well and space does not allow a dissertation on their merits. Suffice it to say that big league work was the order of the day, infield vying with outfield in the high class of their work.

Perhaps another factor in the loss of the game was the throng of spectators that crowded the side lines. The cheering and hooting was so loud and incessant from the uncontrollable crowd of small boys that anything like efficient coaching was impossible.

Crowell came away satisfied with the game as the averages showed that they outplayed their opponents at every stage of the game. Paducah plays Crowell High here Friday, the 31st. We were almost tempted to predict a victory for Crowell but we remembered in time the old saying about "counting your chickens before they're hatched."

The lineup follows:
Crowell A. B. R. H. C. A. E.
Sloan, s. s. 4 0 0 1 2 0
Bursley, l. f. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Kincaid, c. f. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Glover, 2b 3 0 1 3 2 0
Ashford, c. 4 0 1 0 2 0
Cock, r. f. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Cates, 1b 3 0 0 0 0 0
Roberts, 3b 3 0 1 1 2 0
Jones, p. 3 0 0 1 0 0

Totals 31 0 4 8 16 1
Paducah A. B. R. H. C. A. E.
Riddle, c. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Rogers, r. f. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Biddy, p. 4 1 0 0 7 0
Russell, 3b 3 0 0 2 1 2
Anderson, 2b 3 1 1 1 3 0
Ehlen, s. s. 3 0 1 0 2 1
Renfroe, c. f. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Osborne, l. f. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Anderson, 1b 3 0 0 2 9 0

Totals 30 2 3 7 22 3
Substitutions: Anderson for Biddy and Biddy for Anderson—sixth inning.
Strikeouts: Jones 8, Biddy 4, Anderson 5. Umpires: Jones and Hightower.

At the Christian Church

The News is asked to announce that there will be services at the Christian church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, but there will be none at night on account of the meeting going on at the Methodist church.

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Some of the smaller things on which we can be of real help to you in the spring cleaning are:

BLANKETS—You will want them cleaned before putting them away for the summer.

QUILTS—Let us save you the trouble of washing them.

PILLOWS—We clean them in your own tick, remove all the dust and dirt and return them to you with all their original fluffiness.

AND DON'T FORGET

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The woman with a short memory is consoled by the thought that she can soon forget her most embarrassing moments.

Riches makes a man suspicious of his friends, and the absence of it makes him suspicious of those who are his friends.

It would never do for some people to be farmers. Their grunting would make the hogs jealous.

"No place like home" appeals to the man who is too lazy to work.

Easy street is the hardest one to find.

THALIA ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

L. D. Campbell of Crowell was in town Sunday.

Joe W. Beverly of Crowell was here Tuesday.

A fine baby girl was born the 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis.

Rev. McNair filled his appointment at Rayland Sunday afternoon.

Clarence Self of Crowell was looking after business here Monday.

Miss Willie Lawhorn of Talmage attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Bee Wisdom and Carl Davis were working in this community Tuesday.

Clyde Self spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Self.

Fred Rennels and family from Crowell were visiting in town Thursday.

Mrs. Jim Banister of Kinchloe and son, Roy, visited Mrs. H. W. Banister Tuesday.

Mrs. Lillie Tole spent a few days nursing Mrs. Tom Ward near Plainview last week.

Sam Tole finished his new cistern and tank just in time for the nice rain Friday night.

Fred Brown, Bob Huntley and Allen Shultz made a business trip to Crowell Tuesday.

Luther Ward and family visited his brother, Frank, and family near Plainview Sunday.

The lane north of town is being graded past the cemetery which has been badly needed.

Mack Gamble, wife and little daughter attended Sunday School here Sunday from Gambleville.

Grover Nichols made a business trip to his farm in the Black community Friday of last week.

Harry McKown of the Black community spent one night last week in the Walter Banister home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Capps visited their parents Sunday before returning to their home at Crowell.

Quite a few of the young people from here attended Sunday School at West Rayland Sunday afternoon.

Grandpa and Grandma Whitman, who live with their son, Lee Whitman, south of Thalia, are critically ill.

There were a number of men from here in attendance at the Farm Bureau meeting at Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Huntley was called last week to Vernon on account of the illness and death of her brother's baby.

Tom Abston and John Thompson and wife spent Monday with their sister, Mrs. Fred Rennels, of Crowell.

Miss Blanche Randolph left Sunday for Comanche to visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne.

Rev. Hankins of Margaret preached to a large and appreciative audience Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night at this place.

Mrs. Braswell and her son and family who live near Vernon spent Sunday here with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Huntley, and family.

Walter Johnson and wife made a trip to Quanah last Tuesday where her sister, Mrs. Inez Gamble, was operated on by Dr. Hanna.

Mrs. Allen Shultz, Mrs. Clarence Haney, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle and Miss Fannie Shultz and Dave Shultz were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.

Elmer Roberts and Lat Johnson are visiting the families of L. C. Johnson and Jeff Fleming near Tahoka while on a prospecting trip to the Plains.

Misses Bates, Cheek and Cook and Doyle Kenner of Crowell, Sylvan Haney and Bob Abston of Thalia attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Tom Abston's Thursday night.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our great appreciation to friends who ministered to us during the illness and death of husband and father. Your kindness will ever be remembered, and our wish is that you all may be abundantly rewarded for the generous service you rendered.

Mrs. Julia Gobble and Children.

Twenty-one nations, members of the league of nations, have failed to pay their subscriptions for 1921. Possibly they mistake the league for a newspaper.

Why should a young man hesitate and stammer when he pops the question? The delay is often exasperating to the lady in the case.

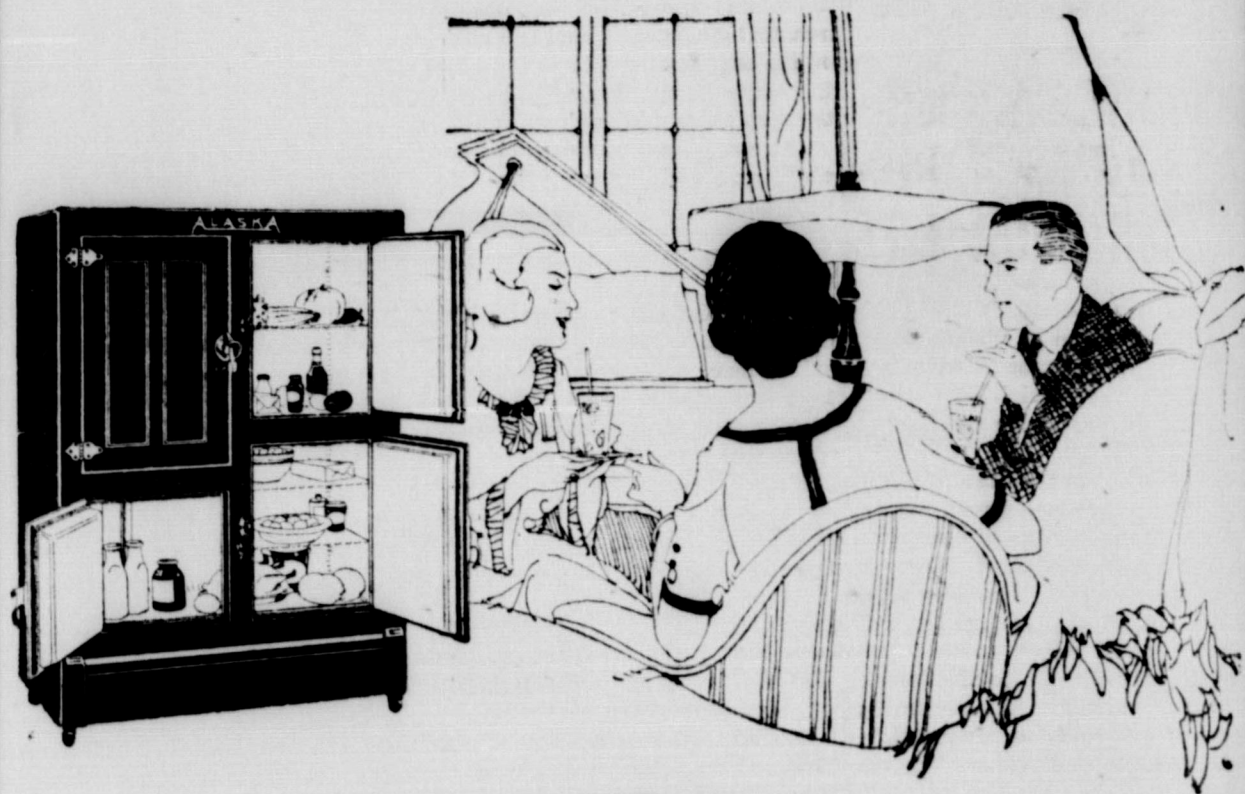
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W. R. WOMACK
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

WEST RAYLAND NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Otis Harris and family have moved back to Crowell.

J. M. Adkins has been on the sick list for several days.

Born to Frank Ward and wife the 24th, a ten pound boy.

John Rennels and wife attended church at Thalia Sunday.

Wallace Scales and wife were Crowell visitors last Thursday.

Joe Huntley and family of Vernon spent Sunday at the Cap Adkins home.

Harding Hopkins and family of Vernon called at the J. M. Adkins home Sunday.

Miss Eula Driskell spent from Friday until Sunday with Flora Bradford at Margaret.

Dr. Maine was called to the Tom Ward home last Friday to see their baby who was ill.

Miss Della Choat was called to Crowell last Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her brother.

Several of the farmers of this community attended the meeting of the Farm Bureau at Crowell Saturday.

Dr. Clark of Crowell called at the Simmons' home Sunday evening to see Grandma Corzine who is still in a very bad condition.

Mrs. J. D. Jobe is spending a few days in the Carl Davis home and helping them to entertain a new girl which has recently arrived.

Mrs. Huntley returned home Friday after several days' stay in the Bob Braswell home in the Kinchloe community, the little Braswell infant having died.

On account of the cloud which came up Friday night the literary folks were unable to render all of their program, but will carry it over until the next meeting night.

All the world admires a manly man—except the fellow who is unmanly himself.

The man who reaches the top often sighs over the good times he left at the bottom.

The bar of justice is often the greatest bar to justice.



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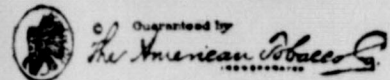
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Some people are the butt of ridicule because nothing else fits them.

AYERSVILLE NEWS
(By Special Correspondent)

There will be literary at Gambleville Friday night.
H. L. Shultz was around taking the school census Saturday.
A new girl was born to J. L. Short and wife Sunday morning.
E. W. Burrow and wife entertained with a party Saturday night.
H. M. Ferrin and wife visited in the Stephenson home south of Crowell Saturday night and Sunday.
Sim Gamble and wife and Will Gamble and wife visited Mrs. Inez Gamble in Quanah Monday.
R. P. Hembree was taken to Crowell Monday for medical treatment. The doctor pronounced it the flu.
Lee Shultz and family and Mrs. Susie Roberts and children of Thalia took dinner with Walter Shultz and family Sunday.
Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Mott-singer of Crowell, visited Charlie Smith and family Saturday. Mrs. Roberts is a niece of Mr. Smith.
Foy Pauley and wife and Elmer Watts came in from Iowa Park Sunday morning. Foy and Elmer returned to Iowa Park Sunday evening where they will be employed for some time.
Mrs. Inez Gamble was taken to Quanah last Tuesday where she underwent a serious operation. She had been suffering with a rising in her head which caused an abscess behind her ear.
Mr. and Mrs. Ferrin celebrated Mr. Ferrin's 74th birthday Monday by serving dinner to W. M. Wisdom and son, Monta, and his wife of Thalia. H. L. Shultz and wife and Ray Pyle and Dave Shultz also partook of the dinner.

MARGARET NEWS
(By Special Correspondent)

Otto Haseloff went to Vernon Monday to visit with relatives.
Mr. Fletcher of Vernon was visiting with his children here Saturday and Sunday.
Rev. Hurley of the Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. J. Q. Middlebrook made a trip to Altus last week to have her eyes treated. She returned Monday of this week.
Geo. Pierce returned home from the

sanitarium last week in a much improved condition. We are glad to have him back home again.

E. W. Bussey left Monday to join a party of workmen who are engaged in gin repairing. We understand that he will be gone for several weeks in this business.

Walter Murphy who has been in the Navy for the past two years returned home Tuesday. He has been discharged and says that a good many are receiving their discharges now.

A deal was consummated this week in which Sid Boman of Lamesa has bought the interest of B. W. Self in the Allison Mercantile Co. He will be located here and will give his attention to the business.

The road grading is being rushed to completion in our community. The road is already opened down the railroad to Crowell, and the people are traveling the near way right along. It will mean a great deal to this community to have good roads in and out.

Will Organize Band

Chas. W. Coull, band master at Quanah, was here Monday with the view of organizing a band for Crowell. He stated that he had received considerable encouragement and would be in Crowell next Monday night for the purpose of organizing a band. The meeting will be held in the district court room at 7:30, and he asks that all who want to join an organization of this kind meet him at that time and place. He would like to have any girls or young ladies who are interested in this to come on that night.

He has been at Quanah for two years and it is said he has one of the best bands in West Texas, some of them being girls.

Battle of San Jacinto

April 21st is the anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto. In the Magazine Section of the Foard County News which will be issued the 14th is an official report of the battle as written by General Sam Houston himself.

This eight-page Magazine Section will be folded with our regular issue. Look for it and read not only the "Battle of San Jacinto," which gave to Texas her independence and freedom from Mexican dominance, but read two other interesting features in this section: "How Much Oil Can a Gusher Produce," and the "Livestock Exhibits at the Fat Stock Show." Our Magazine Section appears once each month. It is brimful of good

reading and worth alone our price of subscription.
If you are not a subscriber to the Foard County News you are missing a real live newspaper. Keep posted on the march of current events by subscribing for this paper.

Finding Buried Shells.

An old problem which is being encountered all through the territory in which fighting occurred during the war, is that of guarding against the exploding of shells which buried themselves in the ground without having exploded. In the section of France along the Marne, where the fighting was particularly fierce, the peasant farmers have found this danger to be very real. A plowman may at any moment strike a shell that will explode with sufficient force to kill him and his team.
Various solutions have been suggested, but the most promising is one worked out by a French scientist and considered by the Academy of Science. The plan is to go all over the farms with an electrical instrument that will give warning when a mass of metal is near. Such an instrument is an old American invention frequently used in laboratory work. Some modifications of it were adopted by the French scientist to fit it for field use, and his apparatus requires the services of two men.
In practical tests on the old battlefields it has been found possible for two men to explore an acre thoroughly in about one hour, and to locate every buried shell near enough to the surface to do any harm.

CALOMEL MAY TURN ON YOU NEXT TIME

Next Dose You Take May Salivate and Start World of Trouble

Calomel is mercury; quicksilver. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

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

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. No salts necessary. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and can not salivate.

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HAS long association with your rooms and furniture blinded you to their decorative possibilities? Those scratched chairs; that marred floor; those stained and scraped panels,—all can be made just as attractive as those in your neighbor's newly furnished house. Shabby surfaces can be brought back to their original beauty by the use of Devoe Mirrolac. Easily applied; lustrous and durable.

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Ferguson Bros.

The *Rexall* Store

The more violent the quarrel the sweeter the kiss at the end.
Don't worry over criticism. Only the brainless escape.
Many a man is better known to fame than to his neighbors.
A good story teller is not always as good as his stories.
Trouble never bothers some people. They don't recognize it.
Home raised Acala cotton seed. \$1.00 per bushel.—J. H. Olds. 43

Painting Time Here

Good paint properly applied is always money well spent, bad paint is always an expense.

It is not enough to use paint simply because you may want your house to look well—that is good so far as it goes but it does not go far enough. When you consider its worth in the prolonging of the building you are thinking along the right line, and then the next good thinking in that connection will be about the quality of the paint you expect to use. Paint both to give beauty and length of life to the building and you'll feel happy in the thought that you have acted wisely. This you may do by using

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R. J. ROBERTS, Manager

CROWELL SHOE SHOP

I will appreciate mending your old boots and shoes with material and workmanship first class.

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"Say, fellows, look at the big chief. Says he can't break away till he finishes his Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Guess he knows good things, aw' right!"



Mighty appetizing to open the day with Kellogg's Corn Flakes

Those big, sunny-brown "sweet-hearts-of-the-corn" just seem to get things going right, from the littlest "star boarder" to the eldest! For Kellogg's Corn Flakes hit-the-spot as no other cereal ever could; and they are a continuous taste-thrill!

Tempting in their appearance, wonderful in supreme flavor and crunchy and crispy to the very last degree, Kellogg's Corn Flakes are really and truly a revelation in good things to eat—for breakfast, for any meal and for between-times nibbles!

How all your folks will delight to get Kellogg's; how they'll appreciate Kellogg's crispness. For, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery or hard to eat! You'll see big and little bowls come back for "some more Kellogg's, Mother, please!"

When you order Kellogg's today—insist upon getting KELLOGG'S—the delicious Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package! It bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. NONE ARE GENUINE WITHOUT IT!

Bear in mind KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes are made by the folks who gave you the JUNGLELAND Moving Pictures. Coupon inside every package of KELLOGG'S Corn Flakes explains how you can obtain another copy of JUNGLELAND.



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Crowell, Texas, March 31, 1922

A man at Bronte, Texas, has a hen that lays Easter eggs. It is very remarkable, of course, that the hen enters into the spirit of the season and deposits eggs with deep pink color, but it must be remembered that this hen is in Texas, and what Texas has done and can do will fill many volumes. But speaking of a laying hen, one of our neighbors has only one hen and that hen lays three eggs every day, if the deposits in the nest are to be taken as a criterion.

An East Texas lawyer has been convicted in the courts on a charge of misappropriation of funds amounting to \$1,000. No mention is made as to whether those were public funds. Presumably they were, but if it develops that they belonged to the lawyer himself, we may take this as a precedent and look well to the matter as to how we spend our nickels hereafter.

Two Chicago bandits, covering the owner of a drug store with revolvers, were touched by the appearance of the druggists' small child who plead for the father's life, and let him go after having relieved him of most of his cash. Those were certainly noble-hearted bandits!

The packers are said to be alarmed over the growing diminution of meat consumption. The public is eating fewer steers and more chickens than formerly. Chickens are better, and nearly everybody raises them, or their neighbors do.

The public has had about all that is coming to it from the Ku Klux Klan. The next thing we hear of the Klan will have lost its "Ku."

The fellow who exerts all of his strength in the beginning finds plenty of dust at the end.

Senior Epworth League Program

Subject—Better Giving.
 Leader—Pearl Saunders.
 Song.
 Prayer—Rev. Murrell.
 Piano Solo—Bevie Jewell Ringgold.
 Scripture Lesson—Acts 20:31-35.
 Luke 16:1-12—Henry Ferguson.
 Standards of Values—Mattie Russell.
 Earthly Tyings—Fredia Miller.
 The Investment of Money—Beulah Patton.
 Misused Money—Annie Hardy.
 Blood Money—Henry Black.
 "Sayings"—Emma Belle Hunter.
 League Benediction.
 A business meeting follows the regular league meeting. All members be present.

As the Editor Sees It

Be a student of human nature. You will learn much and be wiser.
 A certain project is suggested for the home town.
 John Smith is an enthusiastic supporter. He sees success at every turn. There can be no such thing as failure.
 Tom Jones opposes. He can see nothing good in the project. It is doomed to certain failure, with disaster in its wake.
 There you have the two extremes of life in a small community—the stumbling block which prosperity is unable to surmount or sidestep.
 Smith is granite in his optimism. Jones is flint in his pessimism.
 Somewhere there is a middle course—most likely the correct and safe solution—but neither Smith nor Jones is willing to take it, or even to consider it.
 They stand pat—and the town stands still.
 Congress is reducing the army and navy to mere skeletons—to shadows without substance.
 We see no conclusive evidence of

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 For Commissioner Precinct No. 4
 J. W. CURTIS

other nations doing the same. In fact we have strong suspicions that if the truth were known conditions would be to be quite the reverse.
 A dog without teeth can growl and snarl, but it is easily licked.
 A country without an army or navy can protest, but it can not repel an invader with its tongue or with its fists.
 We need no weapon of offense, but is it wise to destroy entirely our means of defense?

Some people will pull off any kind of a fool stunt in order to get their names in the newspapers.
 In figuring his income tax a New Yorker found that he owed the government just four cents.
 Did he send the four cents? He did not.
 He elected to pay quarterly and mailed the collector a one cent stamp. The freak action was duly reported in press dispatches, as he expected—but with names omitted.
 Good enough—all that a fool deserves.

It has cost this country \$241,000,000 to keep its army on the Rhine in Germany. Some of our troops are still there, when they should be here.
 Our allied "friends" have arranged for extracting from Germany the cost of maintaining their own armies there, but have studiously refrained from including the \$241,000,000 due this country in the settlement.
 When they get their backs up against a wall in another war they will yell lustily for aid from America.
 And they will get it right where they are giving it to us now—in the neck.

Sweet Potato Slips for Sale

I will be ready to supply you with plants in season. These are home-grown seed, carefully selected and sterilized so that they may be as free from disease as possible. Every one guaranteed, none better. Nancy Hall and Porto Rican varieties, prices consistent with the grade you get.
 1,000 \$3.00
 2,000 to 5,000, per thousand..... \$2.75
 5,000 or more, per thousand..... \$2.50
 Let me book your order now that you may get plants when you want them. Plant form just south of big yellow barn. Write or phone,
 J. C. DAVIS, Thalia, Texas. 48p

A HEAVY BURDEN

A Bad Back Makes Life Miserable For Many Crowell People
 A bad back is a heavy burden. A burden at night when bedtime comes.
 Just as bothersome in the morning. Ever try Doan's Kidney Pills for it?
 Know they are for kidney back-ache—and for other kidney ills?
 If you don't, some Crowell people do.
 Ask your neighbor!
 J. K. Woods, machinist, Crowell, says: "Lumbago and rheumatic pains had me in bad shape. Nights my back hurt so I could hardly turn and I couldn't sleep. My back ached and pained all the time and was so sore and lame it hurt me. My back and shoulders were lame and stiff, and when I stooped to pick up anything a sharp, knife-like pain caught me. Three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills put me in fine shape."
 Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Woods had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 45
 Ready money always finds a ready taker.

First Monday Special

10 Per Cent Discount on All

**Galvanized Iron Cisterns
 Stock Tanks
 and Water Barrels**

M. S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

**OH! BOY!
 BUT THAT'S GOOD**

That's what the "old man" will have to say of your evening dinner if you avail yourself of the variety of fancy grocery items that we offer you. You will be able to give him the unusual things, served in the unusual way, and he'll appreciate it.

Try it and see if you don't think that we can make him feel that way about it—and compliment you all the more on your cooking.

High Patent Bell of Wichita Flour kept at this store.

Russell Grocery Co.

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Special Prices

ON

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N. E. Corner Square

Still in the Potato Business

J. C. Davis was here Wednesday from the Walker place near Rayland and placed an ad with the News for the sale of his potato slips. Mr. Davis deserves much credit for the energy and interest he has spent in building up the potato industry in this county. He made a success of it last year and will endeavor to make it even better this year. Mr. Davis is enlarging his acreage with anticipation that he will find ready sale for his product. He sold on the home market last year and his potatoes were always in demand after they first came on the market.

Just now he is taking orders for slips. One thing in favor of his potato slips is the fact that they are free from disease, and are therefore as good as the best to be found anywhere and possibly much better than some that are put on the market. Mr. Davis hopes to build up a good business in his venture and in order to do that will make every effort to supply the demand with quality stuff.

The News always likes to see any one succeed who pioneers a proposition of this kind, especially one which means so much as does the potato industry to Foard County. In the years to come this will furnish an opportunity for wider diversification, and that is the hope of all agricultural communities.

When in need of oil of any kind see me or phone 326.—Texhoma Oil & Refining Co., W. B. Wheeler, agent at postoffice. Residence Tel. 252.

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Written guarantee insures \$75 to \$100 position or your money back. More calls for graduates of book-keeping, shorthand, and telegraphy than we can fill. Mail coupon today to Abilene Draughon Business College, Abilene, Texas, for new catalog and Special Rates.

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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.

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Beware! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid. 171



WE HAVE CONFIDENCE IN YOU

It makes no difference what your standing or circumstances may be today.

YOU HAVE IT IN YOU to become a decided success.

A bank account will help, a systematic working plan will help.

But we want you to know that WE ARE YOUR FRIEND, and we will welcome an opportunity to talk it over with you.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

1922 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.
Eye those bargains at Self's Sat.
J. H. Thomson was here Sunday from Paducah.
Eye those April Fool bargains at Self's Saturday.
Lewis Sloan returned last Sunday from Ardmore, Okla.
Eye that heavy brown domestic April Fools' day at Self's.
At the Crowell Theater Tuesday, April 4th, "Price of Possession."
The rats wont bother your chickens in our chicken coops.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Dr. Worrell, the veterinary surgeon of Vernon, has been in Crowell this week.
First Monday Special—10 per cent discount on all cisterns and tanks.—M. S. Henry & Co.
I have some more good corn for sale at my place 1 mile west and one-half mile south of Rayland.—H. B. Lawson.

Eye that 2 1/2c lace at Self's Saturday.
Look for the sign of Sanitary Cafe on west side.
Rat-proof chicken coops.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Big show at Crowell Theater Saturday at 2 p. m.
Eye those \$1.50 Georgette waists at Self's Saturday.
Unusual, extraordinary April Fool bargains at Self's Saturday.
If it's an Emerson godelvil you want we have them.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Blue Buckle overalls 98c at Harry White's store at Rayland. Eggs 15c in trade. 43p
Now is the time to buy screen doors. We have a good stock.—Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
For Sale or Rent—My residence in the north part of Crowell near school building.—J. R. Flesher. 43p
Miss Lela Womack returned Sunday from Vernon where she had been visiting the Ferguson family. She was accompanied by Howard Richie and wife and Miss Nellie Ferguson.

Garden rakes at Self's Hdw. Store.
Our chicken coops are rat-proof.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Registered bull yearlings and calves for sale.—J. E. Bell. 4f
April fool bargains outclip them all Saturday at Self's.
The Sanitary Cafe open for business. West side square.
Edison light globes are what you want.—M. S. Henry & Co.
If you need screen doors, figure with Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
Premium Staple Acala cotton seed at \$2.00 per bushel.—J. H. Olds. 43
Figure with us on sled cultivators, P. & O. or Emerson.—J. H. Self & Sons.
B. W. Self and T. F. Hill made a business trip to Sentinel, Okla., Wednesday.
J. W. Freeman of Wellington is here making a visit with his daughter, Mrs. James Kimbell.
For Sale—Two pure-bred short horn bulls, one red and one roan, 12 and 18 months old.—T. J. Bell. 44p
For Sale—Thoroughbred Barred Rock eggs at \$1 per setting of 15 eggs.—Mrs. E. A. Dunagan. 42p
Tanlac is appetizing, invigorating and strengthening. Try it and be convinced. Sold at Owl Drug Store.
District Attorney J. V. Leak was here last Friday from Quanah in the interest of his campaign for District Judge.
If you once give Tanlac an honest trial, you will add your voice to the thousands of others who are praising it. Sold at Owl Drug Store.
Sam Scales is in Fort Worth finishing his business course and will be there for several weeks. His place at the Bell Mill is being filled by Roy Ayers.
Mrs. Sam Bell returned last Friday from a visit in Dallas. Mrs. Bell had gone to Dallas with Mrs. Arthur Bell who is in a sanitarium in that city and is the mother of a newly born son.
Mrs. Ray Pyle, Miss Fannie Shultz and brother, Dave Shultz, of the Ayersville community were shopping in Crowell Wednesday morning. Miss Fannie resigned her position with Edwards, Burns Co. in Thalia last Saturday.
Rev. J. H. Hamblen and small son, John Henry, came up Wednesday afternoon from Stamford to visit Bro. Hamblen's daughter, Mrs. Roy Ricks, also his many friends. Bro. Hamblen returned yesterday to Stamford. Mrs. Hamblen is expected to come Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts came over last Saturday from Haskell to visit Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Motsinger and other relatives. Mrs. Roberts is a niece of C. J. Smith, and is spending the week here while Mr. Roberts returned to Haskell Sunday afternoon. He is connected with the Haskell Free Press.

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Your Eyes Are the Windows of Your Soul

They reflect your emotions, your personalities, your anger, your charm, and your features. Without them the things in this world would be blankety blank, but with them you are enabled to see and distinguish many things. But the best use that you can put your eyes to is to see those bargains on our next APRIL FOOLS' DAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 1ST.

- 1500 Yards Good, Brown Domestic, per yard 8c
- 12 Ladies Georgette Waists, each \$1.50
- Men's Blue Bibbed Overalls, each 75c
- Boys' Porous Knit Summer Union Suits, each 35c
- 2000 Yards 10c Lace, per yard 2 1/2c

APRIL FOOL'S BARGAINS

Extraordinary, unusual, out-of-reason, April Fool bargains for the men and for the women. You will have to visit our store APRIL FOOLS' DAY to find out just what the extraordinary, unusual, out-of-reason APRIL FOOL BARGAINS ARE.

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Self Dry Goods Co.

For Sale—A Chevrolet, a bargain.—Leo Spencer.
"Kingdom of Dreams" Friday night at Crowell Theater.
Eye those blue bibbed overalls for 75 cents Saturday at Self's.
Plenty of screen doors will be found at the Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
Registered Big Boned Poland China pigs for sale cheap.—R. W. Bell. 43
P. & O. godelvils, the most substantial on the market today.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Little Overland touring car, \$600.00 f. o. b. Crowell.—Burruss & Spencer. 4f
Rhode Island Red eggs for sale at \$1.00 per setting of 15 eggs.—Pete Gamble. 43p
First Monday Special—10 per cent discount on all cisterns and tanks.—M. S. Henry & Co.
For stock tubs, cisterns, barrels, flues, anything in the tin line, see or phone T. L. Hayes. 4f
M. P. Oswalt was here last Friday afternoon from Quanah visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Griffith.

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We have a full and complete line of Gillette and Auto-Strop Safety razors, together with all shaving equipment, shaving brushes, powders, soaps, healing and cooling lotions. You can shave yourself with ease, comfort and perfect safety with one of these razors, and you can do the job when you want to without waiting. It is also perfectly sanitary.

The sale of these razors is increasing by the thousands year by year, which proves their merit and usefulness. If you are not familiar with the safety razor ask us about it. See our display window.

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Owl Drug Store
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PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

PENNSLAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS PHONE 27

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Westbrook and their son, Tom, and wife, were here Monday from Truscott.
"Bumping into Broadway" Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and at 8 p. m. at Crowell Theater.

Tomato plants ready for transplanting by April 15. Also sweet pepper plants.—Mrs. Lee Ribble. 42

H. W. Burruss, W. S. J. Russell and T. L. Hughton left Wednesday morning for a business trip to Plainview.

When you pass through Rayland stop at Harry White's and buy the home flour—Cream of Wheat. 43p back today.

Mrs. Murry Martin and little son returned Sunday from a week's visit with Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. J. H. Thomson, near Paducah.

For Sale—5-room house in Crowell, with closets, porches, bath, underground and overground cisterns. Will trade for land or mules.—S. T. Knox, Crowell, Texas. 4f

Tanlac Vegetable Pills are sold on a positive guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. Try them tonight and you will be delighted to find the results you have obtained. Sold at the Owl Drug Store.

S. J. Ferguson returned Monday morning from Waco. After spending two pleasant days at the Rexal convention in Fort Worth he and his wife went to Waco to visit relatives of Mrs. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson expects to extend her visit in Waco for several days.

At the Baptist Church Sunday

Sunday School 10:00, B. F. Ellis, Supt. A class for you.
At 11:00 sermon by pastor.
Sunbeam 2:15; B. Y. P. U. Intermediate 3:00; Senior 6:30.
No service at night because of Methodist meeting.—Pastor.

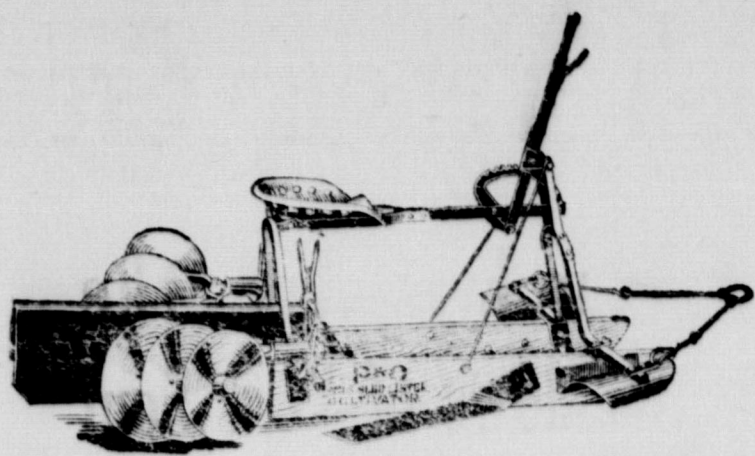
"May We Have Faith in Ourselves and in Each Other"

May we work a little harder and strive a little better to make this bank a helpful, useful factor in the life of this community.

May we be worthy of the friendship and confidence with which you have favored us in the past and which we are looking forward to in the coming year.

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1st. **GANGS** can be set in or out on the axle, the range be about eight inches for each gang, and can be reversed from out throw to in throw by turning the gangs over.

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4th. **SHIELD** is thirty inches long and extends so far back from the disk and prevents the loose soil from being thrown over the growingfield.

5th. **KNIVES** are steel blades, and can be set at varying angles to meet the conditions, and are 40 inches long.

This is the sled cultivator that you have been looking for. Phone 72 for your hardware needs.

J. H. Self & Sons

CROWELL HI BASEBALL SEASON IN FULL SWING

The baseball season has opened auspiciously for Crowell High School. The first schedule game was played last Friday with Paducah Hi on their grounds. Although defeated, Crowell feels that the loss should not be taken to much to heart. The defeat was due almost entirely to the prevalence of bad conditions and disorganization caused by the absence from play of some of the stellar members.

Perhaps it will be of interest to the general public to know the condition of the team.

To begin with, we ask you not to be influenced by memories of last year's record. The improvement over last season has been nothing short of phenomenal. Come out to see one game and if Crowell doesn't do her part to give you your money's worth, we don't as you to come back.

As regards moundsmen, we have two excellent last season men, Jones and Cates. Both are working in good form with either an able man on first base. Two rookie members of the staff, Ketchersid and Morgan, bid fair to develop into good men.

On the receiving end they are supported by two catchers of excellent rank, Cook and Ashford. Both have already shown their metal in the Truscott and Paducah games.

We have already mentioned Jones and Cates as first baggers. Second is held in inimitable style by Glover. In Friday's game Glover played an errorless game and made three put-outs. This in spite of the fact that this is his first year of play.

Little need be said of Sloan at short stop. Sloan, in the two games already played, has handled many chances with never an error. As a rule his hitting is par excellence.

For third both Roberts and Collins are competitors. Roberts has a fielding style all his own and can scarcely be excelled as a baseman. On the other hand Collins is as good and probably has advantage by virtue of his superior batting. Thus we have an airtight infield.

In the outfield are Beverly, Kincaid, and Bursley with King, Gorrell and Cook in reserve. All do excellent work. Beverly's work in left garden is of such a character as to be sensational. He makes catches that look impossible, hits high percentages, and runs bases in a manner to take one's breath. Kincaid and Bursley are both errorless fielders and good hitters.

Last but far from least comes the skipper. Coach Tate has made a team of a has-beenpretender. Even an unpracticed eye can see how much he has benefitted the team. One of the changes he inaugurated was the "make the team or don't play" system. Records were kept, guess work eliminated, and the best man got the place regardless of race, color or previous condition of semitude. This has helped and you may feel assured that the coach has turned out a winning team.

Our at home season opens Friday at the ball park. When you are approached by a ticket salesman buy a pasteboard and see Crowell High school win a game from Paducah.

Mrs. Asquith, english lecturer, considers prohibition in America a farce, but the thirsty are ready to argue the question.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Foard County—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Commanded to summon E. R. Swift by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Crowell, Texas, on the 8th Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D., 1922, the same being the 3rd day of April, A. D., 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of February, A. D., 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 1130, wherein Alice Marie Swift is plaintiff, and E. R. Swift is defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on or about the 4th day of March, 1920, plaintiff was duly married to defendant at Lubbock, in Lubbock County, Texas, and thereafter until about the 15th day of June, 1921, plaintiff and defendant lived and cohabited together as husband and wife. That during the time plaintiff and defendant lived together as aforesaid plaintiff treated defendant with respect and kindness and done all in her power to make him a good wife and companion, but defendant disregarding his marriage vows soon after their marriage began a course of cruel and abusive conduct towards plaintiff and often cursed, abused and struck her. That soon after their marriage defendant took plaintiff on a trip to New Mexico and just a few days after their arrival at Dexter, New Mexico, defendant was charged with the theft of winchester rifle and other property and was arrested and put in jail but was afterwards released and returned to plaintiff and gave her a severe beating with a leather belt. That prior to said beating defendant had beat, cursed and abused plaintiff

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and was thereby guilty of cruel treatment and outrages toward plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable, and plaintiff left defendant and came home to her father's in Foard County, Texas, and since which time plaintiff and defendant have been entirely separated. Premises considered plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition, and that she have judgment that the marriage relation between her and defendant be dissolved and that she have her decree of absolute

divorce from the defendant and for such other and further relief as she may show herself entitled to and plaintiff will ever pray, etc. 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 at my office in Crowell, Texas, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1922. MARIE HARRIS BURESS. (Seal) Clerk District Court. Foard County, Texas.

Dr. T. J. Worrell, D.V.M.

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Notice

No trespassing or hunting permitted in my pasture.—Furd Halsell. tf

The fellow who is in the right place at the right time may be considered the right kind of a man.

The most popular of all women is the one who talks to a man about himself.

A wise man never turns the other cheek. He gives no cause for the first swat.

It don't pay to let your temper get the best of you. The other fellow wins by holding his own in check.

Why do people say that beauty is skin deep? Much of it is only smeared on the surface.

Blind men are fortunate. They don't have to worry over the prevailing styles of dress.

Some people never collect the living the world owes them. The courts are too lenient.

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THE AMERICAN LEGION

With more than 200,000 of its total of 700,000 jobless veterans of the world war placed in positions the first day, with Gov. Louis Hart of Washington defying the 47 other state heads to beat him in finding places for them and with Louisiana reporting 100 per cent employment, the American Legion's campaign to give every ex-service man a job opened optimistically, national officers of the Legion state.

In order that no loophole may remain unfilled, Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the Legion, has extended the time for the campaign indefinitely. Word from Texas Legion officers was received at headquarters stating that the posts there had set 15 days as the limit. Cumberland, Md., was the first city to report unemployment ranks filled and was followed closely by Port Angeles, Wash., the farthest Western Legion post.

Facts about wounded ex-service men and the work which it is doing to relieve unemployment and teach Americanism will be broadcasted to wireless telephone operators March 31 by

the American Legion of New York. Weather conditions permitting the Legion expects to reach the Middle Western, Atlantic and Southern states and Cuba.

Producing documents which showed him to be an honorably discharged German soldier and holder of the Iron Cross, an applicant for membership in the American Legion at Mexico City, Mexico, said he thought the organization took in all soldiers regardless of where they ever fought.

A straw vote of civilians and world war veterans held by a St. Paul, Minn., newspaper gave count of 3 1/2 to 1 in favor of adjusted compensation legislation. A count of 2,518 ex-service men's ballots showed three out of every four had voted for a general bonus to all ex-service men.

"Spring clean-up days" are being observed throughout the country as a part of the American Legion's campaign to give jobs to all unemployed ex-service men. "Have an ex-soldier do it" has brought out old time kitchen police whose knowledge of barrack cleaning hasn't been forgotten.

Ex-service men are being sought by the American Legion of Seattle, Wash., to take over farms on the Yakima Indian reservation, renewal of leases of which has been refused former Japanese tenants by the state. Preference is being given disabled maimed soldiers.

In Washington, D. C., at the request of federal "adjustment board," James S. Daugherty, veteran of Pershing's bodyguard in Mexico and wounded during the world war at Cantigny, died in a hotel room. Identification was established by the aluminum tag he wore around his neck.

A Chicago man was given six months in jail following his exposure by the American Legion as a fake soldier. A Croix de Guerre, marksmanship medal and overseas service chevrons on his uniform had been bought in a pawn shop, he said.

That race feeling is a thing apart with them is shown by the action of the several San Francisco, Cal., American Legion posts in turning out almost en masse for the funeral of Col. Charles Young, one of the few negroes to graduate from West Point.

Battlefield soldiers turned fire fighters at Joelton, Tenn., and prevented a \$75,000 fire loss. An American Legion post formed a bucket brigade and kept the flames in check until the regular apparatus arrived.

The Seattle, Wash., program for the entertainment of Marshal Joffre of France will be in charge of the American Legion. The hero of the Marne will arrive from Japan in the Spring.

In order that no ex-soldier who served during the world war will have to sleep in a Potter's field, the Wisconsin American Legion has purchased a cemetery plot of its own at Racine.

National women's organizations and the American Legion are co-operating to raise a fund of \$2,000,000 to establish a retreat for disabled service men at Tupper Lake, N. Y.

Forty three per cent of Ohio's ex-service men are putting their state bonus money in the bank, a poll of American Legion members at Canton shows.

Cumberland, Md., was the first city to reach the 100 per cent mark in the American Legion's campaign for jobs. Four hundred service men were placed.

Texas has received \$19,000 from the American Legion as the state ex-service men's share in the expense of building a new hospital.

Official American Legion grave markers have been cut in price. They may now be had from Legion headquarters for \$1.30.

MEDICAL MEN CONFER REGARDING FLU

"It is a great satisfaction," said a prominent medical man the other day, "that chemists are now making Lax Pirin (Laxative Aspirin.) It is much better for Flu, headache, colds, neuralgia, etc. As it removes the cause as well as the pain and has such a gentle laxative effect. I prefer it to all other."

Ferguson Bros. recommend it. Some legislators aid in making a law and then employ lawyers to keep them out of its clutches.

Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that there will held in the City of Crowell, on the 4th day of April, 1922, at the court house, an election for the purpose of electing two aldermen to succeed M. S. Henry and D. R. Magee, whose terms expire, and a City Secretary. All qualified voters residing in the City of Crowell may vote at said election.

Joe W. Beverly has been appointed manager of said election and same will be held, as nearly as possible, in conformity with the general election laws of this State. This notice is given in obedience to an order of the City Council of the City of Crowell passed at its regular meeting on the 21st day of March, 1922, ordering said election.

Done by order of the City Council this 22nd day of March, 1922.

C. T. SCHLAGAL,
Mayor of the City of Crowell,
Attest:
L. A. ANDREWS,
City Secretary.

Statement of County Funds

An exhibit showing the aggregate amount received and the aggregate amount paid out of each fund for the year beginning February 1, 1921, and ending February 1, 1922, and the balance to the credit or debit of each fund; also the amount of indebtedness of Foard County, State of Texas.

JURY FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 29.84
Amount received during the year	995.68
Amount paid out during the year	1,038.09
O. D. February 1, 1922	12.57
	\$1,038.09
R. & B. NO. 1 FUND	
O. D. February 1, 1922	\$ 35.76
Amount received during the year	1,698.99
Amount paid out during the year	1,392.87
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	270.36
	\$1,698.99
R. & B. NO. 2 FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 767.09
Amount received during the year	2,473.11
Amount paid out during the year	3,037.07
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	203.13
	\$3,240.20
R. & B. NO. 3 FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 413.49
Amount received during the year	1,841.90
Amount paid out during the year	1,936.15
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	319.24
	\$2,255.39
R. & B. NO. 4 FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 176.27
Amount received during the year	2,340.51
Amount paid out during the year	3,050.41
O. D. February 1, 1922	533.63
	\$3,050.41
R. & B. FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 840.29
Amount received during the year	47,067.50
Amount paid out during the year	32,460.52
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	15,447.27
	\$47,907.79
GENERAL FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 2,773.13
Amount received during the year	16,169.94
Amount paid out during the year	14,842.55
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	4,100.52
	\$18,943.07
P. B. FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 163.39
Amount received during the year	3,900.08
Amount paid out during the year	2,807.12
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	1,256.35
	\$4,063.47
R. R. B. FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 670.94
Amount received during the year	2,072.59
Amount paid out during the year	2,162.46
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	581.07
	\$2,743.53
C. H. S. FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 1,904.76
Amount received during the year	4,338.49
Amount paid out during the year	4,909.23
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	1,335.02
	\$6,244.25
S. H. FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$ 9,668.83
Amount received during the year	29,004.07
Amount paid out during the year	44,629.81
O. D. February 1, 1922	7,956.91
	\$46,629.81
H. S. NO. 1 FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$1,309.94
Amount received during the year	5,339.10
Amount paid out during the year	5,644.50
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	1,004.54
	\$6,649.04
H. S. NO. 2 FUND	
Amount received during the year	\$2,686.06
Amount paid out during the year	2,703.75
O. D. February 1, 1922	17.69
	\$2,703.75
AUTO FUND	
Balance on hand February 1, 1921	\$4,371.60
Amount received during the year	3,093.77
Amount paid out during the year	5,260.17
Balance on hand February 1, 1922	2,205.20
	\$7,465.37

Statement of Indebtedness of Foard County, Texas, on Feb. 1, 1922

Road and Bridge Refunding Bonds bearing 4 per cent interest, running for 40 years, issued on the 12th day of Aug., 1909	\$ 8,000.00
Court House Bonds bearing 5 per cent interest running 40 years, issued on the 10th day of October, 1909	52,000.00
Road and Bridge Warrants (issue No. 1) bearing 6 per cent interest due 1 to 16 years, issued on the 15th day of October, 1918	36,000.00
Road and Bridge Warrants (issue No. 2) bearing 7 per cent interest, due 1 to 14 years, issued on the 15th day of October, 1920	24,000.00
Foard County Special Road Bonds bearing 5 1/2 per cent interest, due serially running 30 years, issued on the 13th day of June, 1921	150,000.00
Road Warrant issued to Avery Co. of Texas, due February 15, 1922	1,672.50
Road Warrant issued to Avery Co. of Texas, due Feb. 15, 1923	1,762.50
Road Warrant issued to J. D. Adams & Co. due February 15, 1922	596.25
Road Warrant issued to J. D. Adams & Co. due February 15, 1923	628.35
Loan under Drought Relief Act due State of Texas on December 1, 1920, with 4 per cent interest	10,000.00
Note with 10 per cent interest due Bank of Crowell, Crowell, Texas, on February 1, 1921, for road work	6,941.50

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

I, Marie Harris Burress, Clerk County Court and ex-officio Clerk Commissioners Court in and for Foard County, Texas, by complying with Article 1404 of Vernon Law Book Company, Complete Texas Statute 1920, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a complete Exhibit of the Financial Condition of Foard County, Texas, as far as the same can be reasonably ascertained from the records and other sources.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at office in Crowell, Texas, this 27th day of March, A. D., 1922.

MARIE HARRIS BURRESS,
Clerk County Court and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court in and for Foard County, Texas.



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. 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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Many persons, otherwise vigorous and healthy, are bothered occasionally with indigestion. The effects of a disordered stomach on the system are dangerous, and prompt treatment of indigestion is important. "The only medicine I have needed has been something to aid digestion and clean the liver," writes Mr. Fred Ashby, a McKinney, Texas, farmer. "My medicine is

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Some people are both wise and far seeing. They never advocate giving the devil his due.

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See or write J. C. Thompson, Sec. Treas.

HOW TO FEED THE BABY CHICKS

By F. W. Kazmeier, Poultry Husbandman, A. & M. College of Texas

ARTICLE NUMBER FIVE

HOW TO FEED BABY CHICKS

To raise the chicks, is the big job. If there is a stumbling block in the poultry business it is the raising of the chicks. Many people each year lose half of their chicks, because of faulty feeding.

In raising baby chicks, it is well to study the feeding of them carefully. Many people do not stop to think long enough to realize that a small chick's digestive system, is very delicate and easily upset.

Milk has been found a most excellent feed for small chicks. There is no feed that will develop chicks so quickly and uniformly as milk. Few people appear to realize the value of milk in raising chicks. There is nothing quite as good, and positively nothing that will take its place. If you want to decrease the mortality of your chicks, feed more milk. It will pay to buy milk and feed to the baby chicks. We have raised over 100,000 chicks, and each year come to realize more and more the necessity of feeding baby chicks milk.

Sour milk or buttermilk not only is a wonderful food, but it contains a lactic acid, that has a tendency to keep the entire digestive system of the chick in fine shape. Feeding plenty of sour milk has a tendency to check and control the much dreaded disease, "white diarrhoea."

The milk must be fed regularly. It should be kept before them all the time, and it is especially important that it be given the chicks as early in life as possible. It is not wise to feed sweet milk one day and sour the next. Clabber also is a most excellent feed, and should be fed with a very small amount of black pepper sprinkled over it.

The milk must be fed in such a way the chicks can not get into it. The drinking vessels must be cleaned and washed in scalding water every other day.

We would not like to think of raising baby chicks without milk, because it is such a most wonderful feed.

Time of First Feed

The last thing a chicken does before it emerges from the shell is to absorb or assimilate the yolk of the egg. This is nature's provision to keep the chick alive for the first few days, or until it is strong enough to eat. What happens, when you give the first few feedings to a bunch of baby chicks mothered by a hen—she gobbles it up in a hurry—so the little chicks can not eat any of it. She knows what is best. Too bad we can not arrange for the same thing to happen, when artificially brooded chicks are fed too soon.

Millions of chicks are killed—out right killed, each year by feeding too soon. By feeding we refer to solid food and not milk. We do not find it safe to ever feed our chicks before they are 48 hours old, and some times we wait until they are 60 hours old. We like to wait until they are very, very hungry, and show this by the way they act.

How Much to Feed

Many people believe it possible to feed chicks by measure. Some people consider it safe to feed chicks all they will eat up clean. Experience has shown us that for the first two weeks chicks should never be fed quite all they would eat up clean. Over-feeding is one of the most common causes of bowel trouble. We believe it wise to feed often, say five times a day the first two weeks, but never all they would eat up clean. Feed in such a way that they are always glad to see you at the next time, and act very hungry.

Starting Feeds

There are many good starting feeds. A good starting food, above all else fresh.

Corn bread, the kind we eat, ground up fine and baked dry is an excellent feed the first few days.

Equal parts of rolled oats and bread crumbs mixed with 10 per cent hard boiled eggs is a good feed.

Any of the so-called buttermilk starting feeds are excellent. They must be fresh and clean.

Method of Feeding

Starting Food—

8 parts rolled oats.
8 parts bread crumbs.
10 per cent hard boiled eggs.

Grain Mixture—

1 lb. cracked wheat.
1 lb. cracked corn or
1 lb. cracked milo.

Mash Mixture—

3 lb. wheat bran.
1 lb. wheat shorts.
1 lb. corn meal.
1 lb. sifted meat scraps.

FIRST WEEK:—Starting food three times a day on feeding boards or shallow pie tins. Grain mixture twice a day—first two days on clean feeding boards, after that in the litter. Clean water and milk; chick size grit, charcoal and cracked bone in separate dishes. Green food, cut very fine.

ONE TO THREE WEEKS:—Two feeds a day of starting food. Grain mixture fed in litter twice a day. Dry mash in a hopper always before them. Grit and charcoal in hoppers. Plenty of green food. Clean water and milk to drink.

THREE TO SIX WEEKS:—Morning feed of moist mash; two feeds of grain mixture in litter. Dry mash mixture in hoppers. Increase proportion of wheat shorts if diarrhoea appears in chicks. Water, milk, grit and charcoal always available. Green food.

AFTER SIX WEEKS:—Morning feed of moist (milk) mash; one feed of grain mixture in litter. Dry mash mixture before them all the time. Milk, water, charcoal, grit and bone in boxes.

Green Food Is Necessary

Many people do not realize the importance of green food for small chicks. When they are small, it should be very fine and succulent and cut up very fine. Fine cut cabbage, onions, clover, lettuce and sprouted oats may be fed.

Sudden Changes

It is very unwise to make any sudden changes in either ration or system of feeding. Sudden changes may disarrange the digestive system and cause bowel trouble. Necessary changes should be made very gradual.

Sufficient Feeding Boards

Plenty of feeding boards or troughs should be provided so the chicks do not have to crowd at feeding time. This is especially true in the case of large flocks. Insufficient feeding boards, develops stunted chicks and weaklings.

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