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WEDDING OCCURRED ON WICHITA RIVER

Perhaps the most unusual wedding ceremony which has been performed here occurred Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. on the Wichita River when Miss Fern Pool and Evans Mitchell were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. Hamblen, in the presence of a few friends and the Boy Scout company which was encamped on the river. The Boy Scouts stood at attention during the performance of the ceremony.

The wedding party consisted of the bride and groom and Misses Olive Hanks and Gladys Benson, and Decker Magee and Travis Hayes. The fact that Bro. Hamblen was on a hike with boys on the river made it necessary for the marriage to take place down there.

Mrs. Mitchell is the daughter of H. B. Pool of Foard City and was a member of the 1921 graduating class of the Crowell High School.

Mr. Mitchell is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mitchell and has been employed by the Magee Toggery since returning from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell have secured rooms at the J. F. Hays home on north Main street.

Pease River Bridge Situation

As our readers remember, the efforts to get the road between Crowell and Quanah designated as a highway failed. That brought the matter of bridging Pease River before Foard and Hardeman as an exclusive problem for the two counties.

There seems to be a way whereby this bridge can be financed, and that is by the two counties contracting with Austin Brothers to put the bridge in and let Foard and Hardeman each be responsible for a fourth of the cost and Austin Bros. half, and make a toll bridge of it.

This matter was discussed by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce with the commissioners court Tuesday and the question as to the legality of the counties making a contract of this kind was raised.

Hardeman County is reported to be ready to finance its half of the bridge, so really it all depends on what Foard County is willing to do in the matter.

BAPTIST LEADER HAS PASSED AWAY

Dr. J. B. Gambrell died at the home of his daughter in Dallas last Friday at the age of 79 years.

The death of this man removes from Texas and from the nation one of its really great characters.

He was born and reared to young manhood in South Carolina, lived in Mississippi for a while before coming to Texas, where he spent many years of his life as a leader of the Baptist denomination.

He was in the confederate army under General Lee and during the war proved himself a man of great courage. He rose to the rank of Captain.

Dr. Gambrell has been one of the leaders of the Baptist denomination in the South and has held many important positions at the head of Baptist institutions. For several years he was chairman of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The Dallas News pays him a splendid tribute which we here quote: Engaged as he was in the business of the soul, death brought to Dr. J. B. Gambrell only the call to come up higher. Into his contemplation of his own approaching end fear no more entered than it entered into the heart of the intrepid young Confederate scout who three score years ago stole through the Federal picket lines and carried his Virginia bride safely away after a midnight wedding in her home.

Instead of reflecting upon the loss that is felt with his going, it is more profitable to think upon the great gain that has accrued to his denomination, to his State and to the Southland in the many years of wise and fruitful labor that have been his among us.

MEXICO TRADE TRIP TO HELP WEST TEXANS

The Mexico City trade trip of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be one of the most representative delegations of American citizens that has ever visited Mexico.

President Obregon's personal representatives will join the West Texas special train at Laredo, according to information received from the Mexican capital by Ed. P. Byars.

Through the American Chamber of Commerce at Mexico City, special entertainment has been arranged along the route at points where the special train will stop.

A woman's instinct is so keen she can invariably detect flattery from the genuine article, but it often keeps a fellow guessing to know which she prefers.

The heaviest windstorm in years occurred at Haskell Tuesday of last week, causing much damage to property there.

CITY WILL HAVE BOND ELECTION

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night it was ascertained just how far Crowell has gone with the waterworks proposition, and by the way we have gone to a considerable extent.

Mr. Noland was on hand with the blue prints showing the whole proposition in all of its details, the well completed, the pumping station, the pipe into the city, the standpipe and the mains through the town.

The water is to come over the hill through a large pipe from the well and raised into the standpipe which will be located in the north part of town, the exact spot not having been determined.

One of the main benefits of this water system will be the protection it will afford against fire. There will be a 100,000 gallon pool at the well and a 50,000 gallon stand pipe in the north part of town.

It is thought best to vote bonds sufficient to give a margin beyond the actual needs of putting in the system, so it was decided that we should vote \$100,000 worth of bonds so that we might have a sufficient amount of money and then we can use what is needed of that amount.

As to the sentiment in favor of the election it seems to be almost unanimous for it. It was not trouble to get 150 names the first day, many more than is necessary for the ordering of the election.

It looks like things are moving in Crowell and Foard County. We are learning that the way to get what we want is to go after it.

DRILLING CREW ARRIVED; BEVERLY WELL WILL BE FINISHED

Preparations for drilling on the Beverly test well north of town are being rapidly completed and it is thought actual drilling will commence in a few days.

Upon examining the hole it was found that a pipe and baler would have to be fished out and this work has been hindered by cave-ins.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKown fell from the porch one day recently and sustained a fractured collar bone.

The Rockefeller Educational Board of New York City has given Simmons College \$117,500 on condition that the institution raise \$200,000.

HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK IS NOT PUT ON

The county commissioners withdrew financial support from the home demonstration work which was put on here late last year, this action of the court going into effect June 1.

Miss Bess Edwards, district agent, was here the first of the week and tried to prevail on the commissioners to appropriate the money for the re-establishment of the work.

The News has been of the opinion that this was very much needed in our county and has not yet fully seen the wisdom of the court in taking the action it has taken.

Miss Goodwin, the young lady who was conducting the work, has returned to her home at Odessa.

COUNTY AGENT IS BACK AT POST OF DUTY

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Chaney returned the first of the week from their trip to Cleburne and other points in Texas. Mr. Chaney is now ready to take up his work and go forward with it with new zeal and energy.

Another thing we here call attention to is that they expect to use the columns of the News each week in their line of work.

The county agent's work is very important. In nearly every county in the state this work is maintained and is considered as indispensable to the best interests of the farmers.

WATCH MONEY LEAKS

Every man wants to save money. There are many ways by which this can be done. One is avoid useless expenditures. Another is to keep one's eye open to the opportunities of profitable purchases in the business world.

The possible saving to a reader of the News who keeps up with the advertisers will pay for several years subscription to the paper.

NEW PASTOR AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. Frank Montgomery of Russellville, Ark., has accepted work with the Christian churches of Crowell and Paducah, having spent the 1st Sunday in June here, and last Sunday in Paducah.

Beginning with July he will preach 1st and 2nd Sundays here, and 3rd and 4th in Paducah.

EDUCATION DRIVE OF M. E. CHURCH OVER THE TOP

Bro. Hamblen, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church, reported this week this church over the top with its quota of \$5,000 in the great Educational Movement of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to raise \$33,000,000 for the maintenance of colleges and universities of this denomination.

Otho Lee Dykes, son of Mrs. Willie Dykes, underwent an operation Thursday for appendicitis, the local doctors performing the operation.

Sections of the Gulf Highway were rendered impassable by reason of the big rains last week.

Clarendon has voted a \$75,000 bond issue for school building purposes and a maintenance tax of \$1.00 by a majority of 2 to 1.

CROWELL TAKES ANOTHER GAME FROM PADUCAH

Little Boyd takes the mound for Crowell allowing Paducah only three hits. It wouldn't take this little fellow long to win favor of the Crowell fans, just one or two more shut-outs like this Paducah stunt, and the fans of Crowell will be looking to him like they did to Big Vick.

Jack Woods, twirling for Paducah was hit hard in the first go-around, Crowell scoring three times. Sloan featured with a homer with two dobers on the sack.

Paducah managed to get one man on third with two men out. This only happened one time during the game.

Box Score				
Crowell				
	AB	H	R	E
Hay, 2nd	3	0	0	0
C. Boyd, c	3	2	1	0
Gray, c. f.	4	2	1	0
Sloan, s.	3	3	1	0
Barry, Bri.	4	0	0	0
Bell, 1st	4	0	0	0
Weaver, r. f.	3	0	0	0
Magee, l. f.	2	2	2	0
Boyd, p.	3	1	2	1
Walker, l. f.	2	0	0	0
Mosley, 2nd	1	1	1	0

Paducah				
	AB	H	R	E
Summers, l. f.	3	1	0	0
Heron, c.	3	0	0	0
Bowley, 1st	4	0	0	0
Goiffrey, s. s.	3	1	0	2
Carroll, 2nd	4	0	0	1
Harper, c. f.	3	1	0	0
Presley, 3rd	3	0	0	0
Woods, p.	3	0	0	0
Robinson, r. f.	1	0	0	0

Summary: Double plays 1, Goiffrey to Carroll, and Carroll to Bowley. Bases on balls, off Woods, 2; off Boyd, 2. Hit by pitcher 1, Boyd. Struck out by pitcher, Woods 9, Boyd 6. Home-runs 1, Sloan. Three-base hits 1, Boyd, C. Two-base hits 2, Sloan and Magee. Sacrifice hits 2, Magee and Carroll. Umpires, Huntley, Boyd and Robinson.

Crowell Takes Game from Truscott

Score 14 to 2, in favor of the Sluggers. This game was a little late owing to the fact that the Truscott boys had some trouble in crossing the Wichita River, and the attendance was hardly as large as was expected.

This game was staged at a rather rapid gate, only playing seven innings. Sloan pitched the game and was in good shape, only allowing a very few hits, and the boys backed him up exceedingly well.

As we never have stated anything about the Goree game, we will mention here that Crowell don over Goree the first day, and lost to them on the second.

There was nothing in Crowell's favor, even from the umpire to the atmosphere, and after Crowell had knocked one pitcher from Electra out of the box, they sent in Wetsell, and Vick twirling for Crowell wasn't allowed even the corners, therefore he had to create the plate and the result was a few bunch hits.

With no decision favoring Crowell, the boys disheartened, walked out in the first of the eighth.

SUGAR DROPS TO 4 CENTS IN NEW YORK

New York, June 14.—The lowest level recorded in the local sugar market in five years was reached today with the sale of 24,500 bags of centrifugal at 4 cents.

Renewed pressure on Porto Rican sugars brought about the decline.

C. B. Williams Improving

We are glad to report that C. B. Williams of Clarendon who underwent an operation for appendicitis in a sanitarium in Amarillo last week, and whose condition for a time was considered dangerous, is improving.

According to press reports Knox City had a flood last week. It is reported that 12 inches of rain fell there from 6:30 to 8:30 in one evening and that a number of houses were filled with water.

Mrs. M. M. McKinney of Van Alstyne, 90 years of age, is cutting a new set of teeth, according to statements of one of her sons.

CARPET CLEANING

Is another one of the things that we do well. We have just received a carpet washer and are now prepared to clean your carpets and rugs. Carpets are WASHED, not beaten, which takes out all the grease, dirt, etc., brings back the color and restores them to their original brightness.

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The Magee Toggery



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Crowell, Texas

MARGARET NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Jim Bagley is still on the sick list.

Z. T. Fletcher returned from the oil fields Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Dunn has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Geo. Burress made a trip to Crowell Wednesday.

Mrs. Russell Bryson's condition is reported improved.

D. M. Ferebee and family were here from Vernon last week.

W. A. Dunn has bought the home now occupied by Prof. Coltharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell are rejoicing over the arrival of a new boy in their home.

S. B. Middlebrook and Greek Davis unloaded a separator and an engine Monday.

W. D. Burress and Garland Burns of Thalia were business visitors in our town Saturday.

Miss Coltharp is home from Denton where she has been in attendance at the North Texas State Normal.

Mrs. Vinnie Newth of Fort Worth returned to her home Wednesday after a several days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hembree.

The many friends of Mr. Reed, who was our chautauqua manager this year, will be interested in the announcement of his wedding to Miss Florence Yerger, May the 20th. Miss Yerger was a member of the Maid O' Dundee Company.

AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Lynn Walker of Tolbert was a guest in the Shultz home Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Childs of Burkburnett is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Pauley are the proud parents of a boy which arrived the 3rd.

Miss Johnie Mae Shultz of Vernon spent last week with her grand parents here.

Mrs. S. M. Morgan and son, Ruey, of Dodsonville, are visiting their friends, Will Gamble and family.

Miss Delia Short of Margaret is spending several weeks with her brother, John, and family.

Mrs. Vinnie Newth and children of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hembree.

J. S. Smith and family of Margaret and Mrs. B. F. Ivie of Crowell, were visitors with John Short and family Sunday.

Elmer Lee Brimberry, Craft Jobe and Misses Clara Skipworth, Alta and Verna Neill of Talmage called on Miss Jewell Davis Friday night.

Little Raymond Burrow had the misfortune Monday to stick a piece of cotton stalk in his foot which caused him much suffering. He was taken to a doctor and had it removed and has been resting very well since.

Mrs. D. M. Shultz received a message Wednesday morning that her mother, Mrs. McCallister, of Grapevine was dead. Mrs. Shultz and her daughter, Miss Fannie, left Wednesday to attend the funeral.

THALIA NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. Brown came home from Dallas Tuesday very much improved.

"Uncle" Charlie Solomon of Vernon is visiting relatives here this week.

Dr. Maine was called in to see Mrs. J. G. Thompson Monday evening who was very sick.

Isabelle Self spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Harley Capps, of Crowell last week.

Floyd Hood, Paris Allen and Lee Shumake of Rayland were in Thalia Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Doty returned Monday from San Angelo where she has been for several months.

Bro. Cobe of Vernon preached here Sunday. He was accompanied by Lynn Walker of Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Capps of Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Fred Rennels and son of the Plainview community spent Thursday night with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Abston.

Walter Carr and children of the Ayersville community spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe French.

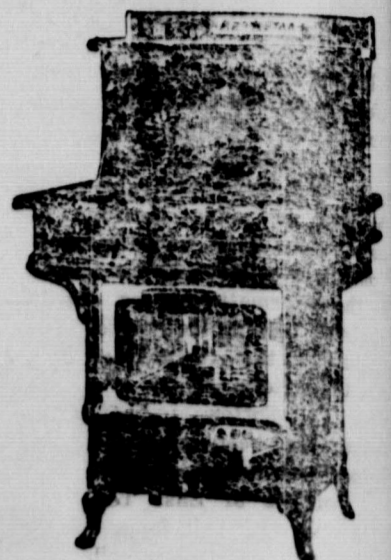
Mrs. Rector and sons, Allie and Jessie, spent the afternoon with Mr. and

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Mrs. Walter Rector of Ayersville Tuesday.

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As the Editor Sees It

Stop and think!
The country is beginning to emerge from one of the severest cases of business depression it has experienced in years—a period of factories running on half time, with many of them closed; construction work at a standstill; strikes tying up what little industry was left; retailers selling half of their normal quantity; five million people out of employment.

Yet with all of these handicaps there has been no whisper of a financial panic, such as have caused widespread disaster in former years.

Does this indicate that the day of panics for this country is over? It would seem so.

No matter how much we may differ in our political beliefs, or what party may be in power, the fact remains that the American people have an abiding faith in the stability of their government.

They know that it is as sound as the Rock of Gibraltar.

They know that while we may have our periodical depressions in business—as we will always have at intervals—the stability of the government precludes any possibility of destructive panics. Therefore, we have no panics. This is the U. S. A.

Stop and think!

There are probably more aliens in this country than in any other country on the face of the earth.

Our laws are more lax and there is greater opportunity for conspiring against the government than there is in any other country.

The punishment we mete out to such conspirators (when we punish them at all) is probably more lenient than that to be found in any other country.

And yet it is a fact that there is less internal unrest in this country than in any other. There is less undermining of the established order of government. There is less dissatisfaction of every nature.

And why?

We have no kings or nobility, no landed aristocracy of ancient lineage, no class distinctions such as they have in the old world.

We are a democratic people, our rulers are elected by vote of the people, and they govern for the benefit of the people.

There is no other government quite such as ours. There is no other gov-



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.

F. J. MEASON, Proprietor

Some people think they are just a little better than others, but that is probably because they can not read the minds of their neighbors.

The successful man is monarch of his own affairs. When he divides his prerogatives he also surrenders a large proportion of his profits.

ernment as fair to all classes of people as ours. There is no other government as generous and as humanitarian as ours.

Aliens who come to our shores make many times the money they made in the lands from whence they came. They are free agents and have no masters. They are men, and not serfs.

They have brains enough to see the advantages of such a government as ours. They have too many brains to seek to destroy the source from which their increased sustenance comes.

In all lands there are a few wild and rabid fools who seek the destruction of government simply because it is government—to sever their own noses, for no other reason than that noses are a part of the human anatomy.

They are fewer, and less wild, and less rabid in this country than in any other.

When you hear an isolated idiotic pincompoop railing against this country just ask him how he would like to be forcibly sent back to the place from whence he came?

He will have no answer ready for you. There is none to be made.

HUBBY AT THE COOKSTOVE

Some Excellent Reasons Advanced Why Head of the House Should Know How to Prepare Food.

Cooking has been added to the curriculum of male students at Pennsylvania State college. Cooking is something that all men should know something about.

Some men should know all about it. Particularly should married men have the necessary knowledge so that in the pinch they can escallop a pan of potatoes or stir up a mess of fluffy biscuits.

There is no telling when the good wife may be absent from home at meal time.

As time goes on the legitimate reasons for this are growing.

And what is more pleasing to the average wife than to return from the bridge party or the polling place, a trifle late, perhaps, and worried for fear that she'll not be able to have dinner on the dot—what is more pleasing than to be greeted at the door by the man of the house, all uniformed up in a long overall apron, a dab of flour on his beaming countenance, stirring for dear life at a bowl of embryo drop biscuits?

And the teakettle steaming its heart out?

And the smell of burning beefsteak permeating the otherwise hopeful atmosphere?

Man should know how to cook!—St. Joseph Gazette.

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

Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.

Famous Greek Letter Society.

The first Greek letter society was Phi Beta Kappa, the letters standing for a Greek motto which is translated "philosophy, the guide of life." It was organized at William and Mary college December 5, 1773, as a secret social club and literary society. It has become an honorary fraternity to which men and women are elected on a basis of scholarship.

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Crowell, Texas, June 17, 1921

The relation of advertising to business activity must not be overlooked. In a very large sense advertising constitutes cause while business volume becomes effect. This is true because advertising has a tendency to check the spirit of hoarding when money begins to tighten. That is one of the reasons why an apparent money panic may prove a mere mirage. It is impossible for people living in this country not to be benefitted by the advertising spirit of its business men.

The attitude of Pryor, whom Gov. Neff has asked to sever his connection with the prison system, seems to be based on the time-worn philosophy that it is not what you want but what you get that counts. We are always in sympathy with the under dog, but in this case we do not know who it is.

According to recent estimates we need not worry about the future supply of rock salt. The largest deposits in the world are said to cross West Texas from Kansas to New Mexico. It has been figured out that in this deposit is enough to supply Uncle Sam's needs for a million years.

If sugar has dropped to 4 cents in New York, as the report is, we may soon expect the sugar trust to tell us of an approaching scarcity. Then up goes the price and everybody buys and the trust continues to fatten off of the public.

Race and blood tell the story. In Japan there is one divorce to every seven marriages, while in England there is only one divorce to every ten thousand marriages.

If you do not allow the other fellow to criticize you that is something that must go unattended to. You will not do it yourself.

The enrollment of students at the North Texas State Normal at Denton was announced on the 7th, the number being 2,222, the largest in the history of the institution.

A McKinney man was recently killed by the explosion of a soda water tank, one of his legs being torn from his body and hurling it across the building.

Services at Christian Church
Next Sunday, June 19th

Bible school, 10 a. m., Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Supt.
Communion and sermon, 11 a. m.
Sermon subject, "God's Mighty Power in the Gospel."
Evening service, 8:15 p. m.
Sermon subject, "Man's Princely Privilege of Choice."
Everybody cordially invited to attend our services. Strangers and visitors especially welcomed.—J. Frank Montgomery, Minister.

No Room for Criticism

In the city of London there are hundreds of thousands of people unemployed—five million of them in Great Britain.

Empty stomachs are as numerous as the leaves upon the trees.

One section of London is gaunt and filled with misery. There is no work, no money, and but little bread.

In another section—the center of aristocracy and fashion—gayety reigns supreme. Immense sums of money are spent on the pleasures of a single night. It flows continually in the production of social excitement.

There is no want, no hunger, no lack of bread there.

But are we Americans in a position to criticize England's aristocracy for its frivolity in the face of unemployment and misery?

We are not.
Millions of people are out of employment in this country. Our cities swarm with homes where the larders are empty and little stomachs are more so.

Yet in Atlantic City a prize fight is to be pulled off between an American and a Frenchman—between Dempsey and Carpentier.

Men will journey from every state in the union to see that fight. They will pay from \$10 to \$1,000 a seat to see two men beat each other up.

A broken nose smeared with blood will elicit no feeling of pity or concern—only renewed howls of joy or chagrin.

There will be no empty stomachs at that fight. No little children crying for bread will witness that gory contest of brutality.

The money spent for the privilege of seeing that fight would furnish a royal feast for all of the people in the United States who now hunger for bread.

Instead, it will not allay the sufferings of one.

No, we are in no position to criticize the English, or any other nation of people, so far as squandering our substance and neglecting our unemployed are concerned.

ENGINEER COMMENCES ROAD SURVEYING

The route has been designated for the highway between Crowell and Vernon and is to go by Thalia and Rayland. This is the route most generally traveled. Mr. Noland has already commenced the work of surveying. D. L. Reavis is assisting Mr. Noland.

The new crop of tomatoes have commenced to move from East Texas. One hundred cars were shipped from Jacksonville in two days.

Haskell reports severe windstorms last week, which unroofed many houses. One man was injured.

EACH MONTH HAS ITS JEWEL

Almost Universal Belief in Marvelous Properties Attached to the Various Precious Stones.

The ancients attributed marvelous properties to many of the precious stones. There is a significance attached to the various stones in making birthday, engagement and wedding presents. The different months and the stones sacred to them, with their respective meanings, follow:

January, garnet; constancy and fidelity in every engagement.

February, amethyst; preventive against violent passions.

March, bloodstone; courage, wisdom and firmness in affection.

April, sapphire; free from enchantment, denotes repentance.

May, emerald; discovers false friends and insures true love.

June, agate; insures long life, health and prosperity.

July, ruby; discovers poison, corrects evils resulting from mistaken friendship.

August, sardonyx; insures conjugal felicity.

September, chrysolite; free from evil passions and sadness of the mind.

October, opal; denotes hope, sharpens the sight and faith of the possessor.

November, topaz; fidelity and friendship, prevents bad dreams.

December, turquoise; prosperity in love.

DECLARE QUILTS OLD GAME

Many There Are Who Say It Is Descended From the Ancient Sport of Discus Throwing.

There have been international matches between quilters and in the '90s wide publicity was given in the newspapers to a quilt match between Billy Hodson, the champion of all England, and Jimmy McLaren, who was the champion of the United States. McLaren was a resident of Newark, N. J., and was a Scotchman by birth. But he represented the Stars and Stripes. The gentlemen played themselves to a tie and concluded that neither was the better player.

There are writers on the game of quilts, and advocates of the game who are not writers, who insist that this game is descended from ancient discus throwing, and the enthusiastic quilters who believe that their game had this classic origin will tell you that the statue of "The Discus Thrower," by Myron, copies and pictures of which you have seen, really represents a Greek youth playing at quilts when that game was young and when it represented strength in hurling rather than skill in putting.

DODGE BROTHERS

ANNOUNCE

A Substantial Reduction

in the prices of their cars

EFFECTIVE

June Eighth

Allee-Henry & Co.

Crowell, Texas

RAINS DAMAGE WHEAT

The continued rains last week damaged the small grain that was in the shock. Just how much the damage will amount to can not be determined yet, but it is bound to be considerable. Until within the last day or two the periods of sunshine for two weeks have been few and far between. About three-fourths of the wheat is reported to have been harvested, and what is standing is in better condition than that in the shock.

Since the first of June we have had between 8 and 10 inches of rain.

Entertainment in the form of boxing and wrestling was staged by the American Legion Post at its quarters in the old Woodman hall Wednesday night. The feature events of the evening were a boxing match between Boyd and Davis, and a wrestling bout with Bullet Head Ward and Strangler Miller, the contenders.

Bro. Hamblen, the boy scout master, was out with the boys several days this week on Wichita river. They went on the train to Foard City and hiked from there to the river.

Come in and see the new line of portraits made at Sink's Studio.

ECZEMA!
Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

OWL DRUG STORE



THE UNIVERSAL CAR

New Prices

On All Model Fords

Touring (starter)	\$582.11
Touring (plain)	\$509.22
Runabout (starter)	\$535.25
Runabout (plain)	\$462.36
Chassis (starter)	\$502.37
Chassis (plain)	\$430.63
Trucks (Pneumatic equipment)	\$584.35
Trucks (solid equipment)	\$584.35
Coupelet	\$800.77
Sedan	\$868.45
Fordson Tractor	\$700.00

Above prices include filled with all necessary oils and gasoline, delivered at Crowell.

We can make immediate delivery on any model.

Self Motor Co.

"Afford a Ford"

READY

We are ready with our elevator entirely empty, a brand new pair of ten ton Fairbanks scales duly installed, our machinery all worked over, and four cars on tract ready to move wheat.

It looks now like a down market for a few days but nobody knows. We can quote you price on your wheat up to August 31st.

Use your best judgment and sell your wheat when you think market is highest.

Only advantage in contracting is that if market spurts up you can sell on the ups, whereas if you sell when you thresh you will very likely sell the day you thresh regardless of price.

Call 203 or 167 by day and 128 or 22 by night.

Allison Grain Co.



You may have implicit confidence in this Bank, trust it with your funds, accept any advice from its officers.

It is an institution organized and run for the safety, the convenience, the advantage of its friends and customers.

Your account is invited here on the basis of a more friendly, helpful service than is customary in our lines.

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T. N. BELL, ACTIVE V. PRES.
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.
Ice water every day.—Self's.
Portraits that please.—Sink's Studio.
Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Cotton chopping hoes, 8, 9 and 10 inch.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Picture show at the opera house every night beginning promptly at 7:45.
If you want cool water get one of these water bags from M. S. Henry & Co.
For Sale—Practically new Emerson cultivator and go-devil at a bargain.—Henry Ross.
Mrs. Charlie Moorhouse of Benjamin was here Monday visiting Mrs. W. F. Kirkpatrick.
John Williamson is here this week from Fort Worth looking after his farming interests at Foard City.
Mrs. Mamie Hutchison and youngest daughter of Coachella Valley, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hutchison of Azusa.—Covina, (Cal.) Citizen.

Slim work shirts.—Self's.
For Rent—One furnished room for two. Call 249.
Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
We have the cook stove you need for your cook shack.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Mrs. Grace Norris and little son, Mabrey, left Sunday for a visit in Lockney.
Mr. and Mrs. Parker Churchill moved to their home in northwest Crowell this week.
Enjoy the Fourth of July. Come to the old time barbecue by the Women's Auxiliary of the Baptist church.
C. W. Cecil of Cleburne was here the first of the week attending to business. He went from here to Plainview.
Mr. and Mrs. Tully Henry of El Paso are expected to arrive here today from Quanah to visit Mr. Henry's brother, M. S. Henry, and wife.
T. J. Bell left last Thursday for Marlin, Texas, where he will take treatment for rheumatism. He was accompanied by his son, S. S. Bell.

Bargain shoes.—Self's.
Odd pants, new ones at Self's.
Kodak finishing.—Sink's Studio.
Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
Let us fit up your threshing outfit.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Header and pitch forks in stock now.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Miss Edna Glover is here this week from Vernon visiting homefolks.
Ben Burk left yesterday for Canyon to enter the summer normal.
30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill. 1f
If you need a cot we have it. If you need a lantern we have it.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chapman were here from Spur this week visiting Mr. Chapman's cousin, Paul Fields, and wife.
Misses Ruby and Leota Hutchison of Vernon are here this week from Vernon visiting their uncle, W. A. Matthews.
Miss Alice McLarty was here from Vernon Tuesday. She left Wednesday for Merkel as a delegate to the Epworth League Convention.
The Abilene Draughon Business College is now offering low summer rates and guaranteed positions. Write Dixon Miracle, President, Abilene, Texas. 1p
Stated meeting Crowell Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., Monday, June 20, 1921. Election of officers. Come out.—M. M. Hart, W. M., J. A. Stovall, Secretary.
Miss Litha Crews came in Wednesday from Austin where she has been attending the State University. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. T. M. White.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Diggs are happy over the arrival of an 8 pound boy in their home Wednesday. Child and mother doing well. Diggs says the boy "is rearing to go."
Jo Ray came in Wednesday from Marlin where he had been for three weeks taking treatment for an attack of rheumatism, after finishing his second year's work at A. & M.
Lost—On the street or between S. J. Ferguson's residence and my home, a gold platinum mounted diamond bar pin. Suitable reward given if found and returned to owner, Mrs. Percy Ferguson. 1

Miss Emma Pendleton of Cecil's store left yesterday on her summer vacation, going from here to McAlester, Okla., to visit her brother, G. W. Pendleton, and from there she will go to Pilot Point to visit her father, J. A. Pendleton.
Mrs. J. C. Sanders and Miss Augusta Sanders entertained during the latter part of last week, Miss Ida May Dickerson, who has passed the winter in Los Angeles, and who left this week for her home in Chicago.—Covina, (Cal.) Citizen.

10 Cent Gingham Sale

Saturday Only

Saturday morning we will have 250 yards of some of our best gingham and percales for the old time price of 10 CENTS PER YARD.

These goods will not be sold until Saturday morning and only 250 yards will be sold.

A limit of ten yards only to each customer.

Self Dry Goods Co.

Shop made boots.—Self's.
Header forks—J. H. Self & Sons.
Ice cream on Sunday at the Sanitarium Cafe.
Overalls, the cheap kind, \$1.00.—Self's.
The three tine pitch forks at Self's hardware store.
The kind of pitchfork you want at M. S. Henry & Co.
When in need of oil of any kind see me or phone 162.—Texoma Oil & Refining Co., W. B. Wheeler, agent. 1f
Tom Adams was here Thursday and Friday of last week from Benjamin visiting his niece, Mrs. Alton Andrews.

New suits for men.—Self's.
Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
Lost—A white 3X Beaver Stetson hat, size 7 1/4, between court house and Sloan Springs. Bring to Bank of Crowell and get reward.—J. E. Kinsey. 1p
Strayed—Brown mare about 16 hands high, weighs 1300 lbs., left hind foot white, star in forehead, lame in left hind foot. Also brown mule 7 years old about 14 hands high.—J. I. Malone, 2 1/2 miles east of Margaret.

Insurance

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Farm, Livestock, Automobile, Cotton.

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Health and Beauty

Health Is best Maintained

by the judicious use of remedies designed to aid nature in throwing off the impurities of the body by keeping the system in a proper condition.

We sell such remedies, their use is simple, and they are very efficacious in their results.

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is enhanced by the use of our pure grade lotions, creams and other modern remedies for defeating the ravages of time and hard work.

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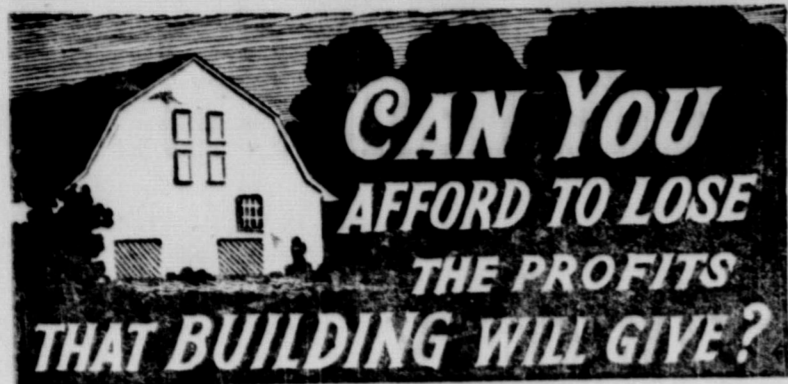
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Jimmie Self returned last week from a visit to his old home in Missouri. He made the return trip in a car accompanied by his brother, Frank, and wife.
Look for an advertisement next week telling all about the barbecue on the Fourth of July at the Allison Elevator given by the Auxiliary of the Baptist church.
Next Friday night will be the stated convocation of the Royal Arch Chapter, No. 276, and election of officers. All members urged to be present.—T. B. Klepper, H. P.
N. J. Roberts was called to Dallas the latter part of last week where his mother, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, of Denton, underwent an operation at St. Paul's hospital. Mrs. Roberts stood the operation well and is reported to be recovering rapidly.
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Roberts are here this week from Wichita Falls visiting relatives. Mr. Roberts is also working on some insurance policies. He has written within a few thousand of \$100,000 since he entered the business and if he succeeds in reaching that mark by the first of July he will be given a free trip to Denver, Col., by the company.
On Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hutchison of Azusa, who formerly resided here, celebrated the birthday of their little daughter, Jennie Reid, with a merry party, at which 12 of the children of the neighborhood were present were guests. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Burk and family of Covina were dinner guests at the Hutchison home. While playing in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison's little girl fell and had her arm badly sprained, but she has now entirely recovered.—Covina, (Cal.) Citizen.

- Sturdy and Staunch and unwavering—
- Faithful in its service to you—
- This bank stands as a monument to Strength and Safety; a deep-rooted permanent part of the community.
- And the service it affords is as staunch and unswerving as the bank itself.



THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL
M. L. HUGHSTON, Vice President SAM CREWS, Cash.



If we could reduce building costs we would cut them fifty per cent.

We can make more money when prices are low.

But what indication is there that prices will be lower? None that we know.

It is our advice to build now what you need.



Have you tried the new 10c package?
Dealers now carry both:
10 for 10c,
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It's toasted.



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The Southern Marble and Stone Co.'s
Line of Monuments
They are Texas' largest monument manufacturers and can supply you with any design or quality of either marble or granite you may want. W. O. W. monuments a specialty. All work guaranteed both as to quality and workmanship.
J. B. HENDERSON, Agent
Margaret, Texas

Humor Superior to Wit.
Wit, bright, rapid and blasting as the lightning, dashes, strikes and vanishes in an instant; humor, warm and all-embracing as the sunshine, bathes its object in a genial and abiding light.—Whipple.

The Crowell Barber Shop

COURTEOUS AND EFFICIENT WORKMEN
Represent the Waco Steam Laundry.
Basket leaves Tuesday of each week

BRUCE & WALLACE, Proprs.

REGISTERED
Big Type Poland
China Hogs

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

J. E. BELL, Crowell, Texas

Farm Bureau News

Who said the cotton farmer would not organize?

The rapid rate at which the farmers have signed the co-operative cotton contract over Texas the past week demonstrates the fact that the cotton farmer means to do something.

Foard County has 75 per cent of her quota and is still going. We are going over the top. We have caught the spirit. They come in and call for a contract.

See our assistant secretary at P. D. Chaney's office.

T. M. HANEY, President.

Secrets Will Out

A new use has been found for ether, and the criminal element of our population is not pleased. In time their uneasiness may develop into a panic.

It has been demonstrated by practical experiment that a small amount of ether administered to a person—an amount sufficient to place him under its influence and yet leaving him conscious—will cause that person to respond readily to any question, to babble his inmost secrets.

Just what effect information secured in this manner will have in law is unknown, as its admissibility is yet to be ascertained. But the fact remains that this opens up a possible way of detecting crime and of solving many of the mysteries that now baffle the police of the country.

Then, too, if employed in ferreting out violations of the prohibition law there is no limit to the consternation it may create. It may even cause half of the population of the United States to decamp for parts unknown.

Some people enjoy throwing money to the birds, but it is generally the buzzards who get the benefit of it.

No fishing and no wood cutting in Wishon's pasture.

Resolutions

To the officers and members of Rayland Baptist Ladies Aid, we your committee on resolutions, beg to submit the following:

Whereas it has pleased God to remove from our midst by death our dear sister, Mrs. Ollie Awbrey, whose death occurred at 10 o'clock p. m., Sunday, June the 5th, 1921.

That in her death the church has lost a worthy member and the husband and children a devoted wife and mother.

Be it resolved, that we tender our sincere sympathy and condolence to the husband and children in this hour of grief, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, also a copy to the county paper, and a copy to Baptist Standard and a copy to be placed on the minutes of the Ladies Aid record book.

MRS. M. A. GERMAN,
MRS. N. J. BEAZLEY,
MRS. SARAH CRISP,
MRS. CLARA YOUNG.

A new liquid gas has been discovered that is so powerful that three drops falling on the skin will kill a person in thirty seconds, thus making it possible for a hostile aeroplane to blot out entire cities. In the event of another war look for that grand rush "back to the farm."

Undressed women are said to be appearing on the stage in Paris. But who can slip over to France, take in the sights, and sneak home again without his wife getting wise? This is a bum world.

Intelligent people emphasize their quality by the use of simple language. It is only the weak minded who wrap their tongues around words of which they know not the meaning.

Genius is the master of simplicity, but a genius is not necessarily simple.

The man who realizes that there are others smarter than himself is generally endowed with a liberal amount of brains and the ability to apply them.

When judging the mistakes of others consider first the cause of them and your judgment will not be greatly at fault.

East Texans are stilling, too. Just the other day a still with 2,500 gallons of mash in Titus County was captured.

The joy of life is like a weed in the garden. No matter how much we stamp it out, it creeps right back in again.

You may be superior to the person to whom you are talking, but it is the height of ill breeding to show it.

Many movie actors are said to be starving in California, but we never see it reproduced on the screen.

It is a good idea to smile sweetly on a cloudy day. You thus supply the sunshine that nature withholds.

Yes, there will come a time when flying is safe for many people. Gabriel will furnish the wings.

When two people get into a fight there is generally wrong to be found on both sides.

Don't crack jokes at the young man just out of college. He may know less than you.

Soon, now, the June bride will be among the has-beens.

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

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Tired

"I was weak and run-down," relates Mrs. Eula Burnett, of Dalton, Ga. "I was thin and just felt tired, all the time. I didn't rest well. I wasn't ever hungry. I knew, by this, I needed a tonic, and as there is none better than—"

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

"... I began using Cardui," continues Mrs. Burnett, "After my first bottle, I slept better and ate better. I took four bottles. Now I'm well, feel just fine, eat and sleep, my skin is clear and I have gained and sure feel that Cardui is the best tonic ever made."

"Thousands of other women have found Cardui just as Mrs. Burnett did. It should help you.

At all druggists.

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

A lawn mower is what you need now. We have them.—M. S. Henry & Co.

The NEW EDISON "The Phonograph with a Soul"



Too tired to get dinner

Music brings back the "pep"

THE illustrations show what good music will do for you. The New Edison is so perfect an instrumentality that it enables you to utilize the power of good music to improve your mood, brighten your spirits, and refresh your body.

Mr. Edison wants a phrase of 4 or 5

words that will distinguish the New Edison from talking machines, and emphasize the fact that it is an instrumentality by which the true beauties and the full benefits of music can be brought into every home. Come to our store and get a folder that gives full particulars of Mr. Edison's \$10,000 Prize Offer.

Three days of Music Free

If you do not own a New Edison, mail or bring us this coupon, and we will gladly loan you an instrument for three days, in order that you may experiment with it in your home, and learn what music will do for you. This experience may make it easier for you to win a prize.

Act quickly, as the number of instruments which we can lend is limited. Remember, you assume no expense or obligation.

Texas Music Co.

Crowell, Texas

Three Day Free Trial Offer Coupon

You may deliver to my home a New Edison, and a library of RE-CREATIONS for a three days free trial, in order that I may learn what music will do for me. It is understood that I assume no expense or obligation whatsoever.

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Extra Special

Saturday Only

- One lot Dress Gingham, fancy plaid . . . 12½c
- One lot Dress Gingham, fancy plaid . . . 16½c
- One lot Tomboy Cloth, 35c value . . . 29c
- One lot Figured Voile, 75c value . . . 59c
- One lot Georgette Crepe . . . \$1.39
- One lot Ladies Black and Tan Oxfords, all sizes, \$5.00 value . . . \$3.85
- One lot Men's Gun Metal Shoes, sizes 6 to 11, \$5.00 value . . . \$3.85
- One lot Men's Work Shoes . . . \$2.00
- One lot Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 4 to 14 . . . \$1.50
- One lot Men's Blue Work Shirts . . . 75c

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SHE ALSO KNEW TENNYSON

Poetic Business Man Got Something of a "Jolt" When He Tackled Little Waitress.

The man with the superior air was a poetic business man. He generally patronized a small lunchroom near his office. When he was not selling eggs at wholesale or something, he liked to read verse. His favorite was Tennyson's "Idylls of the King." And because he felt that he knew so much about it he thought he would have a little fun with the lunchroom waitresses, in a superior sort of way.

It began by naming the girls after the heroines in the poem. His regular waitress was a tall, gaunt person, but somewhat queenly as she here down on him with a plate of hash. Her real name was Sadie.

"Sadie," he announced one night, "hereafter I'm going to call you Guinevere. Mind?"

"I should worry," said the waitress, shifting her gum, "but who's she?"

"The bride of King Arthur," was the reply.

"Awful, but I hope she's respectable. I ain't seen that fillum."

So it went. All the girls were properly renamed. And then one day a new waitress was on the job. She was small and dark. Exceedingly pretty, he thought.

"I haven't named you yet," he told her after a couple of nights.

"Then he explained his little indoor sport.

"I'll let you be Elaine," he said.

"How ridiculous," she answered. "I can't be Elaine."

"Why not?"

"Tennyson says she was fair. I'm a brunette. Elaine the fair, Elaine the beautiful, Elaine the lily maid of Astolat. Evidently you don't remember how the lines went."

The superior bookworm called for his check.—New York Sun.

Dinner-Plate Pennies.

Some of the first coins were enormous, the idea apparently being to discourage the greedy from attempting to accumulate and carry around too many of them. There were copper coins as large as dinner plates. This inconvenient style had to give way to the demand for smaller and more convenient forms of currency, and the giant pennies soon dwindled in size to meet the popular demand.

The earliest trace of the use of gold as money is to be found in the pictures of the ancient Egyptians weighing in scales heaps of rings of the precious metals. But there is no actual record that these rings were known as coins with a fixed value.

Real Grocery Saving

The argument to buy for less if you can is always good provided the quality of the stuff you buy is up to the standard, but the where is not to be overlooked. If your good judgment leads you to this store for good groceries for less money, you will come to the right place. "The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof." Read and be convinced. The following are a few of the things we will sell you at the prices quoted:

- No. 2½ Pedestal Apricots 25c
- No. 2½ Pedestal Pears 25c
- Or we will sell you the following which is our best brand:
- No. 2½ Silver Letter Apricots 35c
- No. 2½ Silver Letter Peaches 40c
- 30c size Sliced Beef 10c
- Pink Beans 20 lbs. for \$1.00
- Five Gallons Coal Oil 50c
- Cream of Wheat Flour per sack \$2.50

Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.

Every one pities the wife of a chronic grouch. The grouch pities himself.

The greatest man living is unaware of his true greatness—but not so of the champion fool.

Registered Poland China pigs—10 gilts 6 months old, 1 male pig, a real pig, sired by Improver and Smooth King dam, 30 March pigs just the size for club pigs, terms made to club members.—Ferguson Bros. and Charlie Blevins.

Dr. Hines Clark

Physician and Surgeon

Office Russell Building over Owl Drug Store

There is such a thing as biting the hand that feeds, but only fools do that. America does not breed fools. A few drift in from other places.

CULTIVATE HABIT OF THRIFT

Practice Means That One Will Be Ready to Seize Opportunity When It Comes.

Practice thrift habitually. Make it as much a part of your routine as eating and sleeping. Get yourself systematized. Work on a definite schedule. Save regular amounts. Plan your work and your actions so that you will have no idle time, no lost motion, no wasted energy.

These are among the secrets of success, happiness and progress.

The time to begin the cultivation of thrift habits is now.

The most important message that can be conveyed to the people of this nation today is: "Get the thrift habit." Practice thrift not for a brief interval or intermittently, but habitually.

Disraeli said, "The greatest secret of success in life is to be ready when your opportunity comes."

This brief sentence furnishes one of the best reasons for practicing thrift that ever has been given. It presents a phase of the question to which not enough attention is paid. Ordinarily thrift is looked upon as a means of safeguarding one against possible emergencies or of building up an accumulation of money for some definite purpose. But there are many unexpected turns in the pathway of life.—Thrift Magazine.

All men are alike in one respect. They are not women.

BIDS FOR CONTRACT FOR BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals addressed to County Commissioners Court of Foard and Knox Counties for the improvement of certain highways between Foard and Knox Counties will be received at the office of the County Judge, at Crowell, Texas, until 12 o'clock a. m., July 11, 1921, and there publicly opened and read.

Description of work to be done: Crossed timber pile trestle, length 800 feet, consisting of two 34 feet steel beam spans and 43-17 feet panels, timber roadway 16 feet.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of the County Engineer of Foard County, at Crowell, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashiers check, for One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars made payable to the order of G. L. Burk, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked, "Bids for the construction of the 800 feet timber and pile trestle over Wichita River between Foard and Knox Counties."

All bids will be retained and will not be returned to the bidders.

G. L. BURK, County Judge, Foard County, Tex.

Taken Up

One light bay horse, about 10 years old, branded T J on left hip; also one Jersey bull calf about 4 months old unbranded. The above property will be sold to the highest bidder on June 18th, 1921.

P. S. LOVELADY, City Marshal.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their sympathy and help during the illness and death of our wife, daughter, mother and sister.

W. L. AWBREY AND CHILDREN, MRS. MARY F. GREY, MRS. MAGGIE KILLEN, MRS. NORA LAWRENCE, H. W. GREY AND WIFE.

DODSON'S LIVER TONE KILLS CALOMEL SALE

Don't sicken or salivate yourself, or paralyze your sensitive liver by taking calomel which is quicksilver. Your dealer sells each bottle of pleasant, harmless "Dodson's Liver Tone" under an ironclad, money-back guarantee that it regulates the liver, stomach and bowels better than calomel without making you sick—15 million bottles sold.

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Lands, Loans and Abstracts

Crowell, Texas

Knox City Sanitarium

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

T. S. EDWARDS, Surgeon.

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We are in the Feed and Coal business and solicit your trade in Field Seeds, Feed and the best Colorado coal. THE CASH STORE.

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Fat Hogs and Cattle

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

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Crowell, Texas

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Final Clean-Up Sale Of Millinery

Our millinery department will be closed during the month of July while our trimmer is on vacation and in market. We must therefore close out every hat in the department by July 1st, regardless of cost.

To that end we offer the three following attractive price groups.

Group 1 Consists of hats up to \$7.50 for \$1.00	Group 2 Hats formerly valued up to \$10 for \$2.50	Group 3 Includes all hats over \$10, some formerly priced up to \$22.50, for \$3.50
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Perhaps you have become tired of your Spring or summer hat—then why not have a new one for a change that will last out the rest of the season? A "One Dollar Bill" will buy it, or if you like something a little better, \$2.50 or \$3.50 is such a small matter for a nice new hat.

Better take our tip and be on hand bright and early Saturday morning, June 18th. The hats won't last long at these prices. We open at six o'clock.

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KNOW WHEN THEY HAD BITE

Traveler Tells of Rats Who Used
 Their Tails as Fishlines to
 Catch Crabs.

Captain Moncton in his "Experiences of a New Guinea Resident Magistrate," relates the following incident: "Having landed on an utterly barren island formed of coral rock and destitute of all vegetation, he found it to be the home of an enormous number of rats. There was no trace of other animal life, and it was impossible to imagine how, except by continual preying upon one another, it was possible for these rats to subsist. "While seated at the water's edge, turning over the problem in his mind, he noticed some of the rats going down to the edge of the reef—lean, hungry-looking creatures they were, with pink, naked tails. He stopped on the point of throwing lumps of coral at them, out of curiosity to see what they meant to do. His curiosity was soon gratified. Rat after rat picked a flatfish piece and, squatting on the edge, dangled its tail in the water. "Presently one rat gave a violent leap of a yard, landing well clear of the water, and with a crab clinging to its tail. Turning around, the rat grabbed the crab and devoured it, and then returned to the stone. Other rats were seen repeating the performance."

Macaulay Silenced Critics.

Macaulay was a victim to the habit of reading in bed. When going the northern circuit as a newly fledged barrister, an old king's counsel staying in the same hotel with him noticed that Macaulay carefully picked out the longest candle as the members of the mess were retiring for the night. "He remonstrated with him," says Sir George Trevelyan, "on the danger of reading in bed, upon which Macaulay replied with immense rapidity of utterance: 'I always read in bed at home; and if I am not afraid of committing parricide and matricide and fratricide, I can hardly be expected to pay any special regard to the lives of the bagmen of Leeds.' And, so saying, he left his hearers staring at one another, and marched off to his room."

Nails.

A machine for making nails was patented on May 18, 1824. To America belongs the distinction of being the first to make cut nails by machinery. With the advent of machine-cut nails the household industry of nail-making rapidly declined. The hand-made nail was pinched in a vise, with a portion projecting; a few blows with a hammer flattened one end into a head, which was beaten into a counter sunk in the vise, in this manner regulating its size and shape. Nails were also made by forging on an anvil.

BEDS OF POTASH DISCOVERED IN DAWSON CO.

Austin, Texas, June.—Discoveries of beds of potash in two wells recently drilled for oil in West Texas, one well situated near Midland and the other southwest of O'Donnell and northwest of Lamesa, in Dawson County, are regarded as being of the greatest industrial importance from a national as well as a state standpoint. According to a report made by Dr. J. A. Udden, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology of the University of Texas, under whose direction a field geologist has been investigating and gathering data on possible potash beds in West Texas for some time past, the discoveries in the two wells aforementioned indicate that that part of the State has potash resources equal to the famous potash deposits of Germany. It is recalled that about two years ago while drilling a wildcat well for oil near Tohoka, Lynn County, the drill went through a bed of so-called salt, said to have been two hundred feet thick. In view of the fact it is only by analysis that potash may be determined, it is thought this substance may have been potash. It is regarded as significant that this well is within about twenty-five miles of the well in Dawson County where potash was found. There are also large basins and "salt" lakes in the region to the west of O'Donnell where considerable explorations for potash have been done during the last two or three years. In test borings in one of these basins, upon the ranch of S. F. Singleton of Tohoka, potash analyzing 12 per cent was found almost from the surface down to the bottom of the hole, two hundred feet. The United States Geological Survey has been working with the Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology in the search for potash in West Texas. It is stated that much difficulty is experienced in getting oil operators to save the cores of their wells so that the different formations which are penetrated may be analyzed by these government laboratories. The importance of doing this is shown by the results of the analysis of the borings of the two wells where potash was found, it is pointed out.

CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM

To be given at the Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
 Song—The S. S. Brigade.
 Subject—Christian Education.
 Twenty-third Psalm—Ophelia Stephens.

This is your hour—Morris Bell.

The boy and the saw (monologue)
 —Garland Leuders.
 Rec.—The chickens, led by Stella Gribble.
 Reading—Work—Annie Mae Ellis.
 Song—Little Daisies.
 Flower drill—Five primary girls.
 Be true to the colors—George Carter, Staton Adams, Billie McGonagle.
 Eight hand piece—Frances Hill, Annie Lee Long, Mary Billington, Bernice Long.
 Song—Swing Little Blossoms, led by Frances Puckett, Frances Allison, Markham Spencer.
 Reading, My Master—Ola Carter.
 A bag of wishes—Allison Self.
 What shall I give him?—Luenda Puckett.
 Exercise—Jennie Lee Leuders, J. T. Carter, Elizabeth Locke, A. Q. Randolph, Fayne Wilkes, Bessie Womack, James Henry Kimsey, Bertha Womack.
 Duet—Frances Puckett, Bell Locke.
 Book of Bible, led by Ila Mae Johnson.
 Solo—Lorraine Carter.
 Lord's Prayer in concert.

AIREDALE DOG NOT SCOTCH

Breed Had Its Origin in Yorkshire, England, and is a Comparative Newcomer.

Your airedale is not a Scotch dog. He is not of Scotch ancestry and no blood of Scotch dogs flows in his veins. He is an Irish and English dog. The name of his breed does not come from the County Ayr in Scotland, but from the River Aire in Yorkshire, England. Nor is the airedale an old breed of dog, as such things are measured in the dog world. It is neither an old family nor a "first family" among dogs. The airedale is a newcomer. Dogs of this breed were first exhibited at Shipley, in Yorkshire in 1876, and they were then called, not airedale, but "waterside terriers." These dogs were produced by crossing an English otter hound with an Irish terrier, believed to have been a red terrier, and later adding a dash of bull terrier blood. The combination produced a dog second to no other dog in intelligence, bravery, gameness in a fight, loyalty to his master and his master's family, and kindness to children.

The word "airedale," as the name of this new kind of dog, was first used in 1883 at the national dog show at Birmingham, England, where these entries were described as "airedales or waterside terriers." The name "waterside terriers" fell into disuse. The English Kennel club was slow and conservative in recognizing this as a new and distinct breed of dog, but referred to them as "broken-haired terriers."

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Watch your step. In the United States last year 65,000 girls disappeared without leaving a trace. Pitfalls are numerous and yawning, and always obscured from the view of the unwary.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is to put on an excursion to Old Mexico June 18th.

Storm damage to crops are reported last week in Wilbarger County.

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