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REMOVES OTHER PIONEER FROM OUR MIDST

Years of growing feebleness led with total blindness, D. ... one of the earliest settlers country, passed away at his city April 12 at 2:00 ... morning.

Former Crowell Boys Played at Theatre in Los Angeles, Cal.

The following was taken from a Los Angeles paper: "There are two acts on the Pan-tages bill this week that should be seen by every man, woman and child in Los Angeles. One is the Junior Symphony orchestra, composed of 34 young men and women who give an offering of popular and classical music that is truly marvelous, every member of the orchestra being an artist."

Masters Tom and Hays Burks, sons of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Burks of Covina, Cal., are members of this orchestra. They are playing in San Diego this week. This junior orchestra is expected to tour the United States this summer.

Many Members of the Church Are in a Long Bread Line

Rev. T. C. Willett pictured the bread line in a very vivid manner Sunday morning in his pulpit, saying that no country is free from it, even America with all the great opportunities it offers has its bread line, and thousands of poorly clad and woe-begone men and women march up to get their allowance in order that they may eat and live.

The application was made to the church. There is Mr. Indifference who attends church regularly but has little or no interest in the program of the church. There is Mr. Complainer who finds fault with everything but makes no effort to improve conditions. He goes to church but finds himself out of harmony with everything. Mr. Pewee thinks salvation is free and refuses to give anything to the support of the Gospel and while he wants to see things done well, he wants "George" to do the work. Then there is the big man who comes with his basket and demands a portion of the food. He is very important in his own estimation and the community is blessed because of his presence in it but he does not help support the program of the church and pays his taxes only because he is forced to do so. All these characters are in the bread line of the church and are contributing nothing to the support of the institution.

At the evening service this sermon was followed up by drawing pictures of six men who seldom go to church. Those who lack respect for God, those who profane the name of God, those who profane the Sabbath, those who are lustful, those who kick at the preacher because he uncovers their sins, and the morally and spiritually indolent fellows.

Profanity gets one nowhere. It helps one to do no more than can be done by the fellow who is not profane. That is a practice of murderers, thieves, liars, robbers and all the low down characters of the earth. They seldom go to church.

The man who profanes the Sabbath gets along no better than the one who observes that day. He lives no longer, is no happier, is no richer. Using that day for material profit is a desecration of the day. To disobey God's law in this particular is to disobey the law of the land. He seldom goes to church.

The fellow who falls out with the preacher because he uncovers his sins may be he may not be a church member. His support of the church program is withheld and he seldom goes to church.

The lustful minded fellow would steal and desecrate homes. He would be uncomfortable in church because he does not stand for the purity of the home, so that he seldom goes to church.

The morally and spiritually lazy man is seldom found in the church because he gives way to his feelings in seeking ease and comfort, even on Sundays, riding around and taking life easy. He is practically dead spiritually and cares not for himself or any one else. To satisfy the present wishes for ease and comfort are all the things he cares for.

Yet all these characters are recipients of the blessings of the church, either directly or indirectly. Its influence has kept them from plunging deeper and deeper into sin. Its restraining influence is all that has saved them from the great degradation depraved as they may already be.

The church and the laws of the land go hand in hand in their safeguarding to prevent human wrecks and the laws of the land clear the wreckage. One is a builder and the other a repairer.

Seymour People Here to Inspect Crowell's Fire Fighting Equipment

A committee of the city council from Seymour was here Thursday of last week inspecting Crowell's fire fighting equipment and they were surprised that a town of this size has such a good outfit. They were also very much impressed with the water system of our city and the water pressure we have.

HINKLE TELLS THINGS OF INTEREST ABOUT MATAMORAS AND ITS NATIVES

Matamoras, Mexico, April 6, 1924. To the Foard County News:

The city of Matamoras consists of about fourteen thousand souls and twenty thousand dogs. I know of no reason why they have so many dogs unless their financial rating or social standing is estimated by the number of dogs they possess.

Matamoras is a very old town, yet it's water supply is carried on by water peddlers who are continuously on the streets selling water at so much per barrel or bucket. The water is hauled to the city with ox teams or burrough teams and every family has to buy the day's supply or haul it themselves. A large number of them carry their own water. They carry it on a pole across the shoulders two buckets at a time, some carry it in a water bag. One trip a day is usually enough, as they have to carry it about two miles. A rain here puts the water work out of business for several days, as the people can catch water from the roofs of the houses and dip it up from low places on the ground.

The fire department is something very strange to an American. It consists of about a dozen two-wheeled carts and a barrel of water on each cart. The carts have shafts like those on our one-horse vehicles, only much heavier and shorter. The carts are pulled by hand. Just anybody pulls them that will do it. Sometimes if the fire is a big one they will send out a few ox teams with water. The unfortunate individual has to pay for all the water used in fighting the fire.

A go to the right past is something you never see in Mexico. You drive to the right, or to the left, backwards or forwards, any way and every way to get by and then sometimes you fail.

Main street in Matamoras is so narrow that two cars can't pass if there are any cars parked on the sides. When you start to drive through that street you first have to look and see that there is not a street car or a yoke of steers coming. Many an American has had his fenders torn off trying to pass an ox cart on the street. Other streets are not quite so narrow. If it were not for so many Americans coming over here you would see very few cars. I have walked up and down all the streets in Matamoras and find that about 95 cars out of every one hundred were registered in the United States. Mexico cars are not registered like ours.

It is astonishing to know what value the Mexican places on the American dollar, also the financial rating he places on an American. He seems to think all Americans are millionaires and are out hunting some way to spend their money. He will almost drag you into his shop to sell you something. If you will not go he will carry his goods out on the street to try to sell you.

All ages, kinds and sizes of Mexicans in Matamoras are engaged in the shoe blacking business. They will black your shoes, dust your clothes and brush your hat for ten cents and thank you a dozen times for the job.

Matamoras is said to be the incubator of revolution in Mexico. In the past two hundred years they have had about thirty-three revolutions and about twenty of them were hatched here.

Sixty years ago this city had a population of fifty thousand but today I can't see where they get ten thousand, not counting the dogs and goats.

In the United States a city the size of this would be intertwined with telephone and electric wires but here they have very few wires, some few long distance lines and an electric line to Brownsville.

Another strange thing is the way the city is arranged. Everything seems to have been built for protection in time of war. The center of the city is the resident portion, the business portion being in the third block from the public square. Around the public square everything is saloons. Whiskey can be bought in almost every room around the public square and out a block each way. Eating joints, pool halls, and two big churches around the square. Everything else is a saloon. In building this city the Mexicans seem to have built it one block at a time. All four walls are built solid. There are no alleys, no way to enter except through the front door. All the wood, water and everything that is used in the back alleys gets to its destination through the front door.

The market square is where they have things to sell, all the groceries, dry goods, drugs and hardware is to be found here. This place is located more than a block from the public square where the whiskey is.

In the United States we would have a street around a block and our business fronting the street with the rubbish in the alley. Here there is a solid wall around the block and business in the alleys.

The cemetery here is strangely arranged. There are no flowers or monuments, just plain wall about twelve or fifteen feet high with pigeon holes all up and down the wall from one end to the other. They place the dead in a casket and slip the casket into one of these pigeon holes and seal the hole up and there the dead remains as long as the rent is kept paid. If the rent becomes delinquent the hole is unsealed and the dead taken out and burned and offer the hole for rent to some other person. Then rent on a second hand grave is just as high as that on a new one. I am told that some of these holes have been occupied by as many as a dozen bodies at different times. Some of them are still occupied by the original placed there many years ago.

There are no paved streets here, just dust and mud, but here I shall be compelled to say that you can drive a car with more comfort on the streets of Matamoras than you can on the streets of Crowell.

Most of the sidewalks are laid with brick and some of them are only three feet wide. You have to turn sideways when you meet anyone.

An old church here was built way back in the sixteenth century, the date being still on the corner stone. It is a fine building till this day.

The street car is nothing more than a Ford car with a reconstructed body. Each car will haul about a dozen passengers. You sit with your back to the walls and your feet in the center. There is no room to pass up and down the aisle when the car is loaded. The conductor walks on the ground around the car and gathers up the tickets.

P. M. HINKLE, Foard City, Texas.

Crowell Hi Cops Game 9-1; Home Runs Beat Chillothe High Team

In a run-away game played on the Crowell diamond last Friday, the high school team defeated the brilliant Chillothe nine by a score of nine to one. This was the third game which has been played with Chillothe and settled the tie which existed between the two teams.

Chillothe was somewhat hampered from the start by the lack of George Hayhurst, the slugging first baseman, but managed to hold the Crowell team beautifully until the third inning, when the pitcher began to weaken. In the third Roberts stepped to the bat and slapped a long fly into left field. He scored while the left fielder chased the ball into center field.

He was followed by Gorrell, who secured a three bagger. From that time the Chillothe pitcher continued to grow worse and the Crowell men scored hit after hit, running up a score of nine before Chillothe changed pitchers. Among the hits were many long ones, Ashford securing 2 home runs. Cok slammed a three bagger into center field and stretched the hit into a home run while the Chillothe short stop fumbled the ball.

The Crowell defense was perfect. Borchart pitched stellar baseball, allowing only one hit during the seven innings he occupied the box, and securing eleven strike outs. He was relieved by Bell in the first of the eighth who held the visitors down safely, although a run was secured in that inning by a fluke scratch hit and an error.

The Chillothe team displayed good baseball but were crippled owing to the loss of Hayhurst, their main offensive man, and to the unaccountable breaking of their pitcher.

Rifle Club Organized With 150 Members

Major Claude A. Adams, president of the Texas State Rifle Association, spent several days here last week in organizing a civilian rifle club.

Major Adams, a successful and enthusiastic shot, was able in a very short time to secure 130 members whose names were placed on the charter.

The first meeting of the club was held last Friday night in the district court room and was well attended. An election of officers was first held in which Leo Spencer was elected president; W. A. Matthews, vice president; M. M. Hart Jr., secretary; L. Kinsey, treasurer, and A. Y. Beverly, executive officer.

The meeting also voted a life-time paid-up membership to Major Adams in recognition of his services in organizing the club. Official by-laws were read and adopted and the resolution was passed adopting the name of Crowell Rifle Club.

According to Major Adams, the organization is entirely a sporting one and is not connected with the military in any way, except that the guns, ammunition and targets are supplied from the military supply depots. The local organization will be affiliated at once with the National and State Rifle Associations, and construction of a target range northeast of town will begin as soon as supplies are received from the disbursing offices.

It is understood that competitions will be held and the best shots will be sent to concentration points to compete with teams from other places, and the best shots from over the state will in turn form a state team to shoot in the National shooting meets.

Membership in the organization carries no obligations, and the dues are only one dollar per year. Major Adams states that the United States issues approximately fifteen dollars worth of ammunition per year per member, which may be expended on the target ranges.

It is thought that the range will be in place and the club will be ready for actual firing within six weeks. A. Y. Beverly, executive officer of the club, will be in charge of the range; all firing, competition and range regulations will be under his supervision.

Any of the three government calibers—22 rifle, .30 rifle and .45 automatic—may be used by the members in target practice, or the members may use their own guns and ammunition.

Applications for membership may be made direct to the secretary, and it is understood that the membership lists will remain open for some time yet.

One death in every nine is the result of an accident which means that one-ninth of the lives lost could be saved if people were a little more careful.

Someone has figured out that it takes 65 muscles of the face to make a frown and 13 to make a smile. But some folks will even frown at this.

A man with a cool head, a ruly tongue and good health can look the world in the face and dare it to do its worst.

If the ex-kaiser is planting a rose garden, as reported, he will raise nothing but thorns, if he gets what he deserves.

Scandal gathers no moss, because it travels too rapidly.

RECENT RAINS WILL ALMOST ASSURE A WHEAT CROP

Saturday night's rain was not a heavy one, but a big rain was not needed. It was sufficient to bring the wheat crop on its way towards maturity with surprising rapidity. One would not think a light rain could have such effect. The precipitation was not more than half an inch, perhaps, but little need of moisture had been seen up to that time. The wheat fields could scarcely look more promising than they do now. A conservative estimate of the yield is 20 bushels per acre, that is for an average over the county. It is also estimated by some that the acreage is about 36,000 acres. It is practically impossible to get an accurate estimate of the acreage, but it can not run far from these figures either way. We should think it will go beyond that.

Foard County has in the years past had a much larger acreage, but since the price of wheat has declined to its present low level wheat production has become less profitable than in former years and much of the acreage has been devoted to other crops, cotton for the most part, and this spring will witness the largest cotton acreage ever in the history of the county. We should easily have a 20,000 bale crop under normal conditions.

Pastures are green with a most luxuriant growth of the finest grass in years and what stock now being marketed are said to be in excellent condition, and the prices have advanced to a point that is yielding attractive real profits.

Altogether prospects must be accepted as the most flattering in several years.

Ferrin Tells What "Organic School" Is

Gulfport, Miss., April 7, 1924. Editor News and Friends:

We promised in our last letter to give something about the "School of Organic Education."

A tract of ten acres constitutes the grounds. Some four acres are used as a garden plot. The home of a Mrs. Johnson is used for the school. It is also the home of many children who come there from a distance and some of the older people that attend the winter school.

There are eight other buildings, the kindergarten, manual training, arts and crafts, high school, music building, the main building, one other and the "Comings Hall." This is a general purpose building used by the school as the basket ball court, folk dancing, and entertainments, also the community center for the people in general. It is 70x132 feet, well lighted, and all the furniture was made in the manual training department and is movable. Tables to seat 200 people can be put up for community luncheons.

Mrs. Marietta Johnson, the founder, is a firm friend of the public schools, but believes that some of the methods could be greatly improved. She does not believe in the crowding process nor in strict examination for advancements but that they should advance according to age and believes extra attention should be given to the backward pupils. New pupils are always placed in classes where they associate with those of their own age and this method seems to work well. The pupils are largely self-disciplined but with the best advice. There are no examination tests but in all departments the pupils pass in years. Pupils have gone from this to 13 colleges and made good.

The general department in the school is excellent. Mrs. Johnson was a teacher in public schools for 17 years, ten of these in a teachers' training school at Nankato, Minn. Her first work in Fairhope was with six kindergarten pupils. This was started at the request of Mrs. Comings, a lady still a leading spirit in Fairhope. The salary was \$25.00 per month and out of this Mrs. Johnson was to pay all expenses. The school now has 140 to 160 pupils. It has always been handicapped for lack of funds and depends entirely upon donations in addition to tuition for its existence.

Many who have attended the winter course have undertaken to put into operation a plan leading to a permanent endowment. The people of Fairhope are not wealthy but have promised to assist the institution, as they know it is a big help to the city.

We shall stay only a short time in Gulfport, yet it is a very fine place for tourists and has a free camp. Our address now is Leesville, La. H. M. FERRIN.

T. L. Hughston and son, Thomas, were in Amarillo the first of the week on business. They returned home Tuesday afternoon, making the trip from Amarillo in a Ford car, leaving that city at 1:40 and reaching Crowell at 8:20, a distance of about 200 miles.

The end seat hog at the motion picture show is the fellow who drives his automobile in the center of the road.

The best punishment to administer to a scandal-monger is to forget him.

W. L. Ricks Finds Dairying a Fairly Profitable Business

"I have always raised wheat and have been getting in bad from year to year," said W. L. Ricks while in conversation with a News man Monday, "and I decided to try the dairy business on a small scale and I have found that it is alright. I can see that it is going to mean more to me financially than the one-crop policy has been."

Mr. Ricks has increased his herd 100 per cent within the last few weeks and is now milking 12 head of good cows. He is finding ready sale for his product, which is butter made from the cream after it has been separated. Mr. Ricks believes in putting out a product that will stand the test and believes that he will have no difficulty in placing every pound of butter at a fair profit if the quality is present. And he proposes to put his guarantee upon every pound sold.

That being his plan, he has placed an order with the News for the printing of a large number of wrappers bearing his name.

The News has believed for many years that there is good money in the dairy business and Mr. Ricks is one of the few men in the county who have thus far commenced to claim these profits.

There will always be demand for quality products from the dairy farm and when one once becomes established in the business and delivers the goods he will find it unnecessary to hunt a market.

The trouble seems to be that the man who raises the wheat makes a smaller profit than the man who raises the flour.

Foard County Is Third in Per Cent Increase of Voters

It is interesting to note the increase in the voting strength of the counties for this year over that of 1922. Comparing the adjoining counties to Foard we find that this county shows an increase that places it third. Wilbarger stands first with an increase of 1059, a percent gain of more than 30, while Knox comes second with an increase of 14 per cent. Foard is third with an increase of a little more than 8 per cent. Hardeman is fourth, with a gain of 5 per cent, while Cottle stands at the bottom of the list with less than 2 per cent increase.

Foard County's tax receipts for 1922 numbered 1553, while this year they number 1683, showing a gain of 130 over that of two years ago.

Foard City Revival Resulted in Nineteen Additions to Church

The revival which closed at Foard City Sunday night, after having been in progress for more than a week, resulted in the addition of 19 members to the church, 16 of which were by baptism and 3 by letter.

Rev. W. A. Foster of Abilene did the preaching and Rev. W. G. Tankersley, also of Abilene, did the singing. The latter is pastor of the church at Foard City.

Rev. Foster is a strong preacher and indulges in no cheap-john tales and abstains from slobbering over people. He is a real Gospel preacher and does good wherever he conducts a revival.

The 1924 Model



No Wick of Any Kind

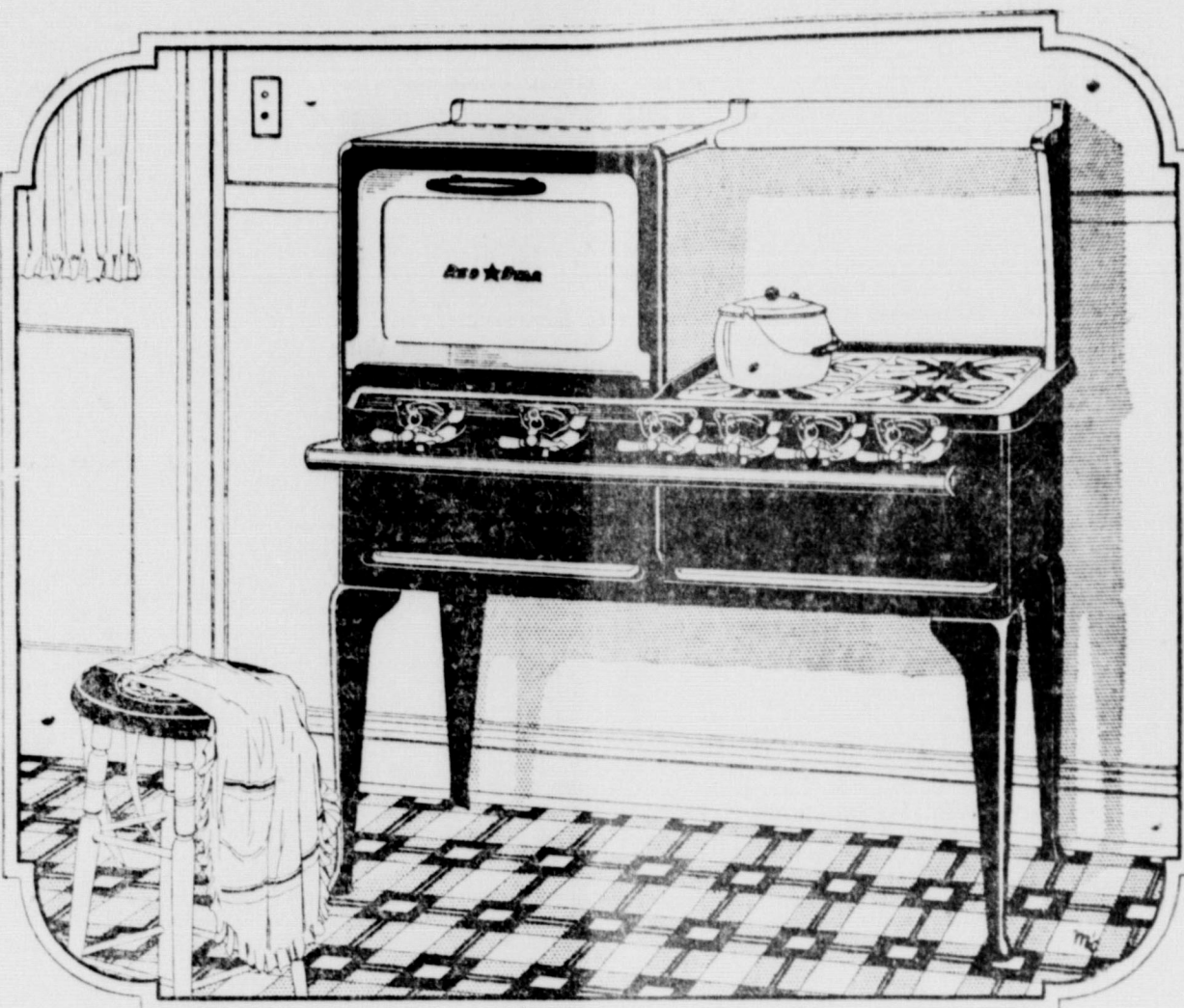
This stove handled according to instructions absolutely will not smoke but when one turns on more oil than it can use to make an intense gas flame it will make a red flame instead of a blue flame. The red flame is a signal to turn your valve back a little—too much fuel.

Below we give a list of owners. Ask any of them.

Those Who Own the Big 6-Burner Type

- Mrs. A. G. Bell,
- Mrs. A. A. Brian,
- Mrs. C. J. Campbell,
- Mrs. James Cotten,
- Mrs. C. F. Elliott,
- Mrs. Ike Everson, Vivian,
- Mrs. Marion Garrett,
- Mrs. Jim Glover,
- Mrs. Jim Gribble,
- Mrs. Floy Cheek Haney,
- Mrs. Connie Wood Johnson, Thalia,
- Mrs. J. T. King,
- Mrs. H. L. Kimsey,
- Mrs. J. H. Lanier,
- Mrs. Millard Meason,
- Mrs. A. Y. Norman,
- Mrs. Jack Norman, Swearingen,
- Mrs. Jim Olds,
- Mr. Frank Ownbey,
- Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Thalia,
- Mrs. Eddie Elliott Russell,
- Mrs. Charles Smith,
- Mrs. Shults,
- Mrs. Wallace Scales, Thalia,
- Mr. J. R. Solomon,
- Mrs. M. L. Seabolt,
- Mrs. Willie B. Wheeler,
- Mrs. Edgar Womack,
- Mrs. W. R. Womack,
- Mrs. C. J. Yoder.

30 who have used them from 3 weeks to 4 years. We believe they are satisfied. Ask any of them or all of them.



No way to forget to fill oil tank and burn up your wicks. If your oil gives out your fire goes out, but if you need it again light any burner any time.

Below we give a list of owners. Ask any of them.

Those Who Own the Five-Burner

- Mrs. A. P. Barry,
- Mrs. J. Clark, Margaret,
- Mrs. N. A. Crowell,
- Mrs. Pete Bell,
- Mrs. J. R. Merriman,
- Mrs. S. T. Knox,
- And another at Thalia owned by the wife of the principal of the school Seven.

Those Who Own the 4-Burner

- Mrs. Dwight L. Campbell,
- Mrs. P. R. Huckleberry,
- Mrs. E. D. Shaw, Thalia,
- Mrs. E. M. Solomon, Thalia,
- Mrs. Pearl White,
- Mrs. John Williamson, Seven.

Do not fail to ask them how much fuel per day they use per burner, regardless of type. Ask them if they smoke when properly used, ask them if they GET HOT, ask them if they cannot be lighted any time, ask them if they can be used in the winter time, and also ask them if they think they will blow up, or if they consider them dangerous.

Then come to us for a demonstration in the store. Then ask to have one brought out to your house for a two weeks trial without obligation to buy. We will risk the rest.

W. R. Womack

ITEMS OF INTEREST OVER FOARD

THALIA NEWS ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burns of Crowell visited Mrs. Elmer Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Elmer Roberts and son, Claude, are in Wellington this week.

Rev. Frank McNair preached at Margaret Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Edens and children visited relatives at Rayland Sunday.

Johnnie Gamble and family of Lamesa attended church services here Tuesday at the Baptist church.

Earl and Melba Phillips spent Saturday night in Crowell.

Misses Minnie Ola Nash and Lottie Meadors of Crowell visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

A. C. Phillips purchased a Chevrolet car last week and made a visit with relatives and friends at Olney, Texas.

Hiram Grey and Hugh Thompson are helping Monta Wisdom to build a barn this week on the W. H. Dougherty place.

C. E. Woodriddle will begin a series of meetings here for the Church of Christ next Sunday at 11 a. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

Walter Nichols and Ed Address of the Black community visited in the homes of R. G. Nichols of Thalia and J. R. Coffman of Rayland Monday.

The ball game between the Thalia and Gamberville boys Tuesday resulted in a tie of 8 to 8.

There were several couples from here who went to Vernon Sunday afternoon.

H. L. Fisher and wife went to Quanah Monday night to be at the bedside of Mrs. Fisher's sister who was operated on.

Quite a few from here attended a

show at Vernon last Thursday.

A large crowd attended the Dixie fiddlers' program here Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pittillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gimmell at Shamrock last week, Mrs. Gimmell being critically ill.

The Thalia boys won a victory over the Dixie boys baseball team Tuesday afternoon.

Little Bryan Banister is very ill from a relapse of measles.

H. W. McLendon and wife of Dunlap have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. A. Shultz.

Frank Maine came home last week from the A. & M. Junior College at Arlington.

Mrs. Early Shaw visited Mrs. Ed Standlee near Vernon who is critically ill, Sunday and Monday.

Jack Maine is reported on the sick list this week.

Willie Johnson went to Wichita Falls Saturday after his wife and baby.

The young people enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wood's Thursday night of last week.

Mrs. Leslie Hammonds got her right arm broken last week while cranking her car.

Miss Gladys French of Vernon and Mrs. Belle Thompson of Thalia spent Sunday night with Mrs. Fred Rennels of Crowell.

Dr. R. E. Maine went to Vernon Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Olmstead's little son who was operated on.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Prescott took their little daughter to Vernon last Friday to a sanitarium for treatment.

Dr. Maine accompanied them.

Lorine Haskins, 6-year old daughter of Joe Haskins who lives near Talmage, died last Saturday from a relapse of measles and was buried in

the Thalia cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. A. Johnson, Early Shaw, Gus Neill and Ed Seif were among those that were shopping in Vernon last week.

AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Z. D. Davis of near Clarendon came in Tuesday of last week to visit relatives and friends here.

Oscar Beck of near Ft. Worth is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Blevins.

Johnnie Gamble and family from near Lamesa came in last Friday morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gamble. Johnnie is still well pleased with their new location. He owns a quarter section of land about six miles from Lamesa.

D. W. Pyle of Crowell did some repair work on the Gamble school house Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Smith was brought home from the sanitarium last week and is improving rapidly.

V. A. McGinnis, Charlie, Bryan and M. Blevins went fishing at Lake Pauline in Hardeman County Monday night.

Mrs. C. E. Flowers and children of Crowell were visiting Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis Monday. The children have been quite sick with the measles.

J. W. Davis and family took dinner with Claude Davis and family near Antelope Sunday and attended the singing at Talmage in the afternoon.

Forest Durham and wife, Mrs. Sim Gamble, Will, Johnnie and Frank Gamble were Vernon visitors Monday.

Mrs. Vernon Pyle visited her mother, Mrs. M. F. Meadors, in Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Shultz and children and Mrs. G. A. Neill of Thalia were callers in the D. M. Shultz home Saturday morning.

Richard Johnson, wife and baby of Talmage, Mrs. D. M. Shultz, H. L. Shultz, wife and little daughter and Ray Pyle and family took lunch and spent most of the day Sunday on Pease river near Margaret.

The Ayersville school closes Friday (today) and the day will be spent in pleasure such as a picnic and an Easter egg hunt for the kiddies. Travis and Miss Vera Davis have taught a very satisfactory term of school and we are very sorry the term is cut so short.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Short, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz, Dave Shultz, Mrs. Ray Pyle and Sim Gamble and wife from here attended the Baptist workers' conference at Thalia Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips and baby left last Thursday to visit Greek Davis and family at Lorenza and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Phillips, near Plainview, and Jay Phillips and wife at Clarendon.

W. L. H. Johnson and family of Tolbert and Henry Johnson and wife of Chalk spent Saturday night and Sunday with Angelo Johnson and family.

Miss Eva Blakemore and little Dorothy Lee Mills of near Foard City spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peacock.

J. R. Gamble and Tom Free of Crowell took dinner with Will Gamble and family Monday.

Miss Charidy Hukill was quite sick last week.

Judge's Notice of Election

The State of Texas,
County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of May, 1924, at (a) Ayersville school house in (b) Common School District No. 11 of this county to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the (c) Margaret No. 6 and Jameson No. 10, School Districts thereby forming the (d) Margaret Consolidated Common School District No. 6 of this County.

H. L. Shultz has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days

after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation,"

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against Consolidation."

Dated this 15th day of April, 1924.

JESSE OWEN,
County Judge of Foard County, Texas.

Good cigars are a big help to a poor man in office.

Contrary to general opinion does not count—we count it.

You never find good things looking for enemies.

SPRING GROCERIES

The minute a new vegetable is ready in the market we have it. And we select our trade only the finest and most wholesome.

For we have a particular trade and cater to that trade that we cater.

If you are hard to please in Groceries, us. Telephone orders given as much attention as though you called yourself. We deliver.

Make our store your buying place for Easter Groceries

FOX & SON
In Ringgold Bldg.
Will deliver in City Limits

HOOD TUBES

DELIVER MORE mileage in any Tire. MOST mileage in HOOD Tires. The best tube is the tube that will hold air the longest. Hood cost about the same as other tubes. Ask us about the size for your car that is guaranteed not to pinch.

"Gas with Me" "Sudden Service"

Mack's Filling Station

C. C. McLAUGHLIN, Prop., Phone 230

Easter Meat 'Specials'

Folk, we have some very tasty Meat 'specials' to suggest for that big Easter dinner. How about any one of these delightful items:

- Boiled Ham,
- Baked Ham,
- Cured Ham,
- Sliced Bacon,
- Sugar Cured Bacon.

Have some of Hays & Sons products at Wichita Falls, such as:

Bert Bain

Make No Mistake

DOES NOT PAY TO BUY CHEAP GROCERIES

You Get Quantity without Quality

DOES PAY TO BUY GOOD GROCERIES

Because you get both Quality and Quantity

OURS IS A QUALITY AND QUANTITY STORE

Our stock is large and varied and our prices are as cheap as the cheapest.

Haney-Rasor Gro. Co.

At Elliott Stand, North Side

Dr. Hines Clark

Physician and Surgeon

Office Russell Building over Owl Drug Store

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Because many farmers have removed their fences along the public roads and have adopted the custom of plowing in and filling up the ditches along the public highways, attention is called by the Commissioners' Court of the county to the fact that these ditches are a part of the highways and have been dedicated to the use of the public, and any obstruction of these ditches by plowing or otherwise is a violation of our state laws. Any one who persists in this practice will lay himself liable to prosecution.

JESSE OWENS,
County Judge.

VIVIAN ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Bro. McNair of Thalia preached here Saturday night. This was his last sermon here. He will give his full time to the Thalia church.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Downing on April 8th, a fine boy.

Mrs. J. E. Fish returned home Thursday of last after two weeks visit with her son, H. H. Fish, of Paducah.

Mrs. J. E. Parson returned home last Saturday from Antlers, Okla. She was accompanied home by Mrs. A. C. McGee who will spend the summer with her sons.

Miss Odessa Brewer entertained the young people with a party last Friday night.

J. M. Sosebee visited relatives at Paducah Saturday and Sunday.

Our community was visited by a big rain and hail storm Saturday night.

The Vivian school boys and the school boys of the Black community had a baseball game here last Friday afternoon. The score was 15 to 22 in favor of Vivian.

Allen Fish and Egbert Fish and daughter, Jewel, went to Crowell last Saturday.

Newt Lemons and family have moved to the Y Ranch.

A. T. Fish, Joe Rasberry and Jack Tanner went to Crowell Saturday.

Garfield Frazier visited his parents near Crowell Saturday night.

Mrs. T. W. Cooper and mother, Mrs. Taylor, spent Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Hamp Carter of Crowell.

W. B. Wheeler of Crowell was in our community Friday of last week.

M. H. Bishop, S. J. Lewis and son, Marvin, Mrs. M. E. Boren and son, Allen, were in Crowell Saturday.

G. H. Patton of Crowell was in our community Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. E. Parson is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and children were in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Tom Patton spent the week-end with his family at Crowell.

Miss Maye King, teacher of the Fish school, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom King, of Crowell.

S. J. Lewis and family were visitors in Crowell Tuesday.

WEST RAYLAND NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

C. J. Fox and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Wheeler and son of Vernon.

Andrew Duffey and wife and Clyde Fox of the Box community spent Monday in the C. J. Fox home.

Mrs. H. H. Hopkins and children of Vernon visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Adkins, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Culver was called to Lamesa Saturday on account of the illness of her daughter.

The small child of Mr. Olmstead and wife was carried to Vernon last

Friday where it underwent an operation for an affection of the head. It is rapidly improving.

Mrs. Albert Cooper and son Claude of Kinchloe visited her sister, Mrs. Bob Huntley, Sunday.

Mrs. Olmstead of Taylor County is here visiting her son, Bob, and family.

George Privett and family of Knox County spent Saturday and Sunday in the Bob Olmstead home.

Arnold Young returned to his home last Friday after having been in Vernon for two weeks, following an operation.

Ralph Creng, wife and children left last Saturday for a few days visit with relatives in Childress County.

Mesdames Gordan and Carl Davis of Ayersville called at the Owen McLarty home Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community attended the ball game at Parsley Hill Sunday.

Luther Jobe, wife and little son spent the week end with Mrs. Jobe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manning, of the Dixie community.

Myrtle Huntley of Olney spent the week-end with relatives here.

Judge's Notice of Election
The State of Texas,
County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of May, 1924, at (a) Jameson school house in (b) Common School District No. 10 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the (c) Margaret No. 6 and Ayersville No. 11 School Districts thereby forming the (d) Margaret Consolidated Common School District No. 6 of this county.

C. E. Gafford has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against Consolidation."

Dated, this the 15th day of April, 1924.

JESSE OWENS,
County Judge of Foard County, Texas.

Better Citizens

The war department expects to take care of 40,000 students in the summer military training camps which will open in all army corps areas in July. Young men between the ages of 17 and 24 are eligible.

No service the government performs is more valuable than this because it offers the youth of the country a chance for a month's vacation

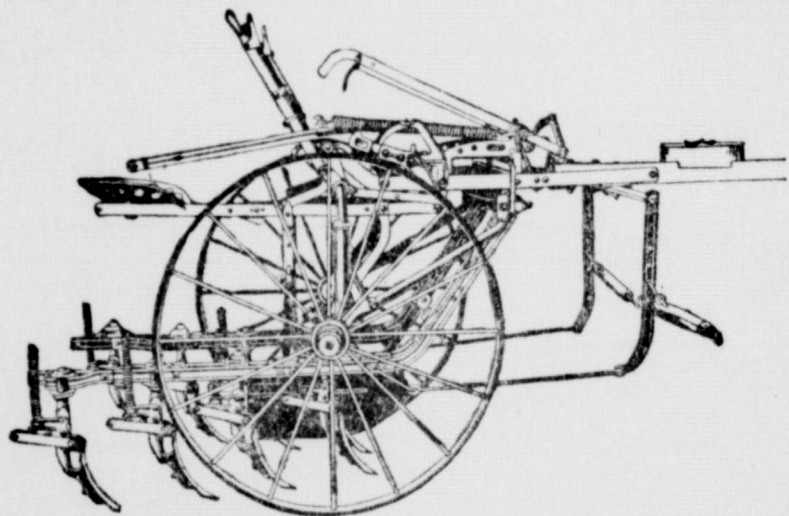
An Appropriate Easter Gift



Little Bits from the East

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McCormick-Deering New 4 Cultivator

This is something entirely new and possesses many improved features that makes it one of the best cultivators on the market.

It is the only pivot axle balance frame cultivator in existence that retains its vertical pivot at all time.

Besides this it has many other features which we shall be glad to explain to you.

Come in and let us show you.

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Why Be Satisfied with Poor Results

IN

COOKING?

Discriminating housewives in Crowell and vicinity have found that it is easy to get up delicious meals with our foodstuffs.

They have also found that the expense is no greater.

This is the result of our policy of selling good groceries at the ordinary price of inferior grades.

It satisfies our customers and in that way pays us.

Matthews-Crawford Grocery Co.

Florence oil cook stoves burn less oil and give a hotter fire.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Get your notes and mortgages at the News office.

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

CONTRACT WORK

See me individually for your contract work. I shall be glad to make estimates on any kind of carpenter work you want done.

H. D. POLAND

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, April 18, 1924

The following editorial is written by Tom Reeder on the subject of "Citizenship." Tom is in the 7th grade of the Crowell school and is 12 years of age. The editorial appears just as he wrote it for his teacher who had given the pupils practice of this kind. It follows:

There are no more patriotic or progressive people in the world than those of the United States.

Their loyalty to their country is unexcelled, as was proven in the recent world war. The United States is one of the youngest nations in the world and yet it is the most advanced in civilization, science, civic improvements. The improvements of the people are modern for they make their towns beautiful and attractive. They pave the streets, clean up vacant lots, and set out trees. Crowell's streets are just a conglomeration of holes and ditches, the vacant lots are not all clean, and there are few trees.

Crowell has between one thousand two hundred and one thousand five hundred inhabitants. Other towns of this size have paved the streets, and they paved them before they were as bad as Crowell's are. They make their towns beautiful. Why can't we?

Knox City of Knox County, south of here, has voted bonds to build a high school building and before long they will have paved their streets.

Crowell should not lag behind. We need a new school building and we need paved streets. I am not saying Crowell's people are laggards, for they are not. They have put in water works and in other ways have made Crowell a better place to live in. However they should keep up their good work and follow it with other good work.

The Randall County News says that dogs got into the stock pens there a few nights ago and killed 80 head of sheep and maimed others so that they are not fit for shipment. The total loss is about \$1500. A thing like that may not happen in another century and since our dogs are essential to our happiness and well being we should be careful about making complaint. Of course such a thing will happen once in a while. And of course, we have to feed the dogs, but what of that? Once in a great while one of the dear things will go mad and bite one of the children and it must then be rushed to the Pasteur Institute for treatment and it costs dad \$100 or more, but that's all right, it's all in life anyway. The dogs are not worth a continental, so far as their profit is concerned, but there are lots of things we could not get along without that are profitless when their value is measured in dollars and cents. Dogs will play with you and sheep won't. Dogs will bark when anything comes around at night keeping you awake so if you want to you can scare the thing away. Sheep would run off and let the thing get you. Let's be charitable.

Governor Neff is telling the people over Texas that they should not send an instructed delegation to the National Democratic convention in New York. McAdoo is telling them that they should send an instructed delegation. Mr. Neff thinks the delegation should not have its hands tied and be bound to vote for any one man. He does not think the proper candidate has yet appeared in the race. He regards McAdoo as a little oily and Underwood a little too nonprogressive. Whatever criticism may justly be spoken against Governor Neff in his stand on this matter we believe he is right. It does not look good for a man to be going over the country trying to get the people to pledge him their support before the day of the nominating convention. We believe with Mr. Neff that the Texas delegation should go to the convention with their hands untied. Mr. McAdoo ought to be willing to trust his case to the people when they meet for business.

It is said that the reorganization of the Orient will include a plan for the extension of the line to the Pacific coast in Mexico, thus making the road a transcontinental line. We are informed that the English capitalists who furnished the money to construct the line are favorable to the plan. It has been thought by many people for some years that the completion of the Orient would mean everything for it. This prospect makes the road's future brighter than it has been for many years. That is strengthened by the recent steady growth of business which is claimed to be producing a revenue sufficient to make it self sustaining.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For County Judge: JESSE OWENS.
- For County and District Clerk: MRS. GRACE NORRIS.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: L. D. CAMPBELL. R. B. BELL.
- For County Treasurer: MISS EMILY PURCELL. MAYE ANDREWS.
- For Tax Assessor: G. A. MITCHELL.
- For Public Weigher Justice Prec. 1: GEORGE ALLISON. G. L. COLE. E. A. DUNAGAN. TOM JOHNSON.
- For Commissioner Precinct 3: TOM CALLAWAY.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. B. WISDOM.
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1: N. P. FERGESON.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: W. F. THOMSON. A. T. FISH. R. N. BEATTY.
- For Representative, 114th District: G. M. BRYAN. E. L. COVEY.

Concentrated Thought

The effect of concentrated thought in business, athletics, in fact, any form of activity, is being appreciated more and more every day.

When Dr. Couie came over to America with his optimistic thought, "Day by day in every way I am getting better and better," he was at first hooted and jeered, but the effect of his teachings has not been lost.

Men in large business enterprises now recognize the value of psychology and are using many methods of applying these "mind stimulants" for the purpose of getting better results from their employes and getting it more cheerfully.

The big business man has applied the same principle in viewing the business outlook. He keeps plugging ahead, all the while convinced that optimism is one of his biggest assets.

Dr. Couie's success and the attitude of successful business men are a mighty object lesson for the farmer. Think of Couie's accomplishments; by the concentration and cheerful thinking of the doctor and his patient, cripples have been placed on their feet who have been bedridden for years.

Such has been done by the combined thinking of only two persons, the doctor and his patient. Multiply these results by three and one quarter million and you will have the effect of the concentrated thinking of the 6,500,000 farmers in the United States.

It is this very thing of concentrated thinking that is partly the cause of the farmers' condition today. For two years farmers have been thinking, but it has been negative rather than positive, pessimistic rather than optimistic, destructive rather than constructive. In fact, if there is any merit in Dr. Couie's "cheerful thinking" and the big business man's psychology of "optimistic thinking" the "pessimistic thinking" of the farmer is really harmful.

The manufacturer and city business man has a better opinion of the present and future of agriculture than the farmer. In fact the city man's view would be 100 percent favorable if it were not for the "gloom" spread by the farmer himself. We have a few strong-willed, broad-minded farmers who are still in optimistic class and we have great faith in the good that this "handful of cheerful men" can do providing some one will choke the loud-mouthed political agitators who are continually preaching of the ills of and injustices done the farmers.

By hanging so much "crepe" on his business the farmer has given the impression that farming is dead. This has hurt, if it has not entirely destroyed, the farmer's credit. It will take years and years to overcome the opinion bankers have formed of farming in the last two years. The continual knocking of their own business, by farmers, has lowered the value of the farms and equipment an amount that is impossible to calculate.

A stockholder in a manufacturing concern doesn't knock his concern when he has stock to sell; farming will respond to the same treatment. Many a young man and girl has been driven into bookkeeping positions in the city in the past two years that would be far happier and for more independent in the country. "Dark talk" did it.

Now let's all get together and talk

Better Cultivating

Makes Better Crops

John Deere And Oliver Cultivators

Make it easy work.

Let us supply your needs.

M. S. Henry & Co.

up farming as a business, talk the bright and cheerful side and if you want to be sad "think" but don't "talk!" Look up and you will be lifted up.

The man who attends strictly to his business generally has his hands occupied all the time.

Anything that is based on the sound plan of the greatest good for the greatest number is bound to succeed.

If you sling mud, be assured that some of it is going to stick to your fingers.

There is a bright side to everything, but so many people fail to look at both sides.

ALL OUT OF SORTS?

So Was This Crowell Woman Who Tells Her Experience

All too often women accept their pains and aches as natural to their sex. They fail to realize that weak kidneys are often to blame for that backache, those headaches, dizzy spells and that tired, depressed feeling. Thousands have found new health and strength by helping the weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. This Crowell case is one of many:

Mrs. Bert Hanks, Crowell, says: "My kidneys were disordered and acted too often and my back pained hour after hour. Twinges caught me across my kidneys when I stooped and I suffered so much from backache, I often had to sit down and let my work go. Long and severe dizzy spells annoyed me, as did little spots which blurred my sight. I was run down and always tired. Doan's Pills regulated my kidneys, stopped the backache and drove away the symptoms."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 57

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by J. Edgar Kimsey, City Secretary-Treasurer of the City of Crowell, Texas, up to 1 o'clock p. m., May 9th, A. D. 1924, for the paving of the following streets in the City of Crowell, Texas, to-wit:

Main Street between the south line of Donnell street and the north line of Austin street; and Commerce street between the east line of Main street and the west line of Houston street and California street from Main street to Houston street.

Said bids must be filed with the said J. Edgar Kimsey not later than the date above named and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$2,500.

Plans and specifications of the work to be done are now on file in the office of the said J. Edgar Kim-

sey, where same may be inspected at all times during office hours. Plans and specifications are also on file in the office of F. E. Devlin, civil engineer, 614 Biting Building, Wichita, Kansas.

The City Council will meet at the City Hall in the City of Crowell on the 2nd day of May, 1924, at 1 o'clock,

at which time the bids will be opened.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all of said bids.

C. T. SCHLAGER

Mayor of the City of Crowell, Texas

ATTEST:

J. EDGAR KIMSEY,
City Secretary-Treasurer of the City of Crowell, Texas
(Seal) City of Crowell, Texas



EASTER
Program
7:45
P. M.

At
the
Methodist
Church

"He is not here, but is risen"
PROLOGUE

When Israel, after the long desert journey, had reached the brink of the Jordan, Joshua said to the people, "sanctify yourselves, for tomorrow the Lord will do wonders among you." On the other side of the river beckoned the hills of the Holy Land. Before setting foot on sacred soil, however, they must sanctify themselves, so that as a holy and a separate people they might possess the inheritance of Jacob.

Brethren, we too, are gathered on the borders of a Holy Land, the land of our Lord's Passion and Resurrection. "Behold, we go up to Jerusalem." Sanctify yourselves therefore, in this hour, so that with clean hands and believing hearts you may pass over the Kedron and follow the Master all the way.

The story of Passion Week in pantomime by fifteen young ladies—

- Scene 1. On the Road to Jerusalem.
- Scene 2. Gethsemane.
- Scene 3. In the High Priest's Palace.
- Scene 4. On the Way to Sorrows.
- Scene 5. Calvary.
- Scene 6. The Burial.
- Scene 7. Easter Morning.
- Scene 8. Easter Evening.
- Scene 9. On Olivet.
- Scene 10. The Gate Beautiful.

Benediction.

Tractor Season

Is almost here and we would be glad to have an opportunity to serve you with our famous



Tractor Oils, Cup Grease, Transmission Oils.

In fact we carry a complete line of the BEST at price we will compare with anyone.

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TONIGHT—
Tomorrow Alright

NR Tablets stop sick headaches, relieve bilious attacks, tone and regulate the eliminative organs, make you feel fine.

"Better Than Pills For Liver Ili"

Get a 25c. Box. Year Dressing

FERGESON BROS.

Who Gets Your Pay Check?

Are you using it to buy the things you want and need—and to provide for the future? Or do you fritter away a good part to satisfy passing whims and pleasures?


WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

It is a determining factor in your success, for someone is putting a part of your pay away as a key to opportunity and a step to independence.

IS IT YOU ARE SOMEONE ELSE?

Each pay day put a part of your check in an account in this strong bank. Then the money which you save will serve you in time of need.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER



THE BANK OF CROWELL
(UNINCORPORATED)

CAPITAL 1,000,000 CROWELL, TEXAS

J. W. BELL, PRESIDENT
T. N. BELL, ACTIVE V. PRES.
S. S. BELL, CASHIER

Local and Personal

Go-devil knives.—M. S. Henry & Co.
New millinery arrived this week.—
Edison lite bulbs.—M. S. Henry &
Special showing of \$19.75 dresses.
Second hand furniture at Ringgold's
Highest price paid for eggs at
Trucking done—any place, any
Good second hand tires for sale
For Sale—A white enamel refrigerator—
Mrs. M. L. Hughston, phone
Send your washing to the Crowell
depot. One day service if required.
Speckled Sussex eggs for sale,
00 per setting.—Otho Green at
Kerosene for your stoves and truce
—get it from Ivie, any quantity,
Festal Ayers and wife came in last
from Fabens, Texas, and will
Crowell their home. He will
employed by the Standard Gro.
of which his father is manager.

New sweaters.—Self's.
Go-devil knives.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Wood for Sale. See Marion Hugh-
ston.
New millinery arrived this week.—
Self's.
25 bars Quick Naptha soap for \$1.00
at Standard Gro.
For Sale—John Deere go-devils.—
M. S. Henry & Co.
A 50-lb. refrigerator for sale, prac-
tically new.—Mrs. A. Wiggins.
Good second hand tires for sale
cheap.—Quick Service Station. 44
You will like the difference in the
John Deere go-devil.—M. S. Henry
& Co.
Be sure pure water goes into your
battery. We have it.—Swaim's Gar-
rage.
Mules for sale—I have some good
mules for sale from 3 to 6 years old.
—J. D. Johnson. 44
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burress returned
this week from Lamesa. Mr. Bur-
ress left yesterday afternoon for Dal-
las.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bain visited re-
latives in Burk Burnett and Wichita
Falls Sunday returning home Monday
morning.
For Sale—Single comb White Leg-
horn chicks and eggs. Some 330 egg
strain trap nested. Write for prices.
—Boothe's Hatchery, Chillicothe,
Texas. 44p

Every color silk hose.—Self's.
Pete Moody was here yesterday from
Truscott.
New arrivals—Kirschbaum suits
for men.—Self's.
If it's hardware you will find it
at M. S. Henry & Co.
The best California raisins, 8 lbs.
for \$1.00 at Standard Gro.
Good second hand tires for sale
cheap.—Quick Service Station. 44
Gasoline that fully meets your re-
quirements as a motor fuel at Ivie's
Station. 43
Price Bush was here this week from
Plano looking after business and vi-
siting friends.
S. J. Ferguson and wife returned
last Friday from the Rexall conven-
tion held in Ft. Worth.
J. E. Lefevre who has been here a
few days returned to Mason, Texas,
where he has employment.
Cream, chickens and eggs wanted.
will pay the highest market price.—
Matthews-Crawford Gro. Co. 44
Lost—A purse containing about \$2.15
change and two keys, one stamped
DB96. Bring to News for reward.
For Sale—Bronze turkey eggs or
hand now at \$2.00 per setting.—Mrs.
Rosalie Pechacek, 6 miles northwest
of town. 44p
Just received shipment of Sweet
Pea flour, none better, every ounce
fully guaranteed or your money back.
—Standard Gro.

Mammoth Bronze turkey eggs at
25c each delivered to Matthews-Craw-
ford Grocery Co., if preferred.—Mrs.
W. H. Bell, Rt. 1, Crowell. 43
Mr. and Mrs. Counts Ray are here
from Vernon visiting relatives and
friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ray are pre-
paring to move to Breckenridge.
Seed—You will find Sudan, maize,
Higeria, Feterita and red top sor-
ghum seed, also Mebane and Kasch
cotton seed, at Johnson Feed Store. 43
Miss Thelma Cleo Hollis of Gilli-
land was in Crowell Saturday to in-
spect the beautiful line of commence-
ment invitations at the News office.
J. H. Westbrook of Truscott is re-
ported to be in a very critical condi-
tion and his recovery is doubtful. It
is said that he is suffering from a
relapse of influenza.

Mrs. E. F. Gibson and her mother,
Mrs. M. A. Logan, Dave and Earl
Logan and wife left Monday for Mrs.
Gibson's home near Aspermont. They
will all reside together for an indefi-
nite time on Mrs. Gibson's place.
Mrs. George Hinds returned home
Sunday from a Dallas sanitarium af-
ter spending a few days with her
sister, Mrs. C. H. Melton in Wichita
Falls. Her many friends are glad to
know that her health is greatly im-
proved.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason came in
last Friday from Big Sandy. Mr.
Meason left the first of the week for
a business trip to Oklahoma while
Mrs. Meason will remain here for some
time visiting her son, Frank, and
other relatives.
Johnnie Gamble and family came in
last Thursday from Lamesa to visit
relatives and friends. They returned
home yesterday. Johnnie states that
prospects are good for a crop in his
community and he well pleased with
the Lamesa country.

Service Value Quality

Kirschbaum Clothes

Let a Kirschbaum suit end your suit troubles. They give satisfaction, never fall down, do not fade and are all pure wool. They are made by the best tailors in the world in the best shops and are fully guaranteed.

A goodly selection arrived this week in all the newest fabrics priced \$25.00 to \$39.50.

SPECIAL SUITS

We are grouping 20 men's suits for Saturday specials in some of the best colors in worsteds for

\$19.85

Dress up for Easter in either a Kirschbaum suit or one of our \$19.85 specials.

Special showing Saturday of Sure Fit caps, Nofade shirts, Edwin Clapp shoes, Stetson hats.

Self Dry Goods Co.

One Price Cash Only

Special—20 men's suits, each \$19.50—
Self's.
For sale a good five-room house
close in.—H. L. Kimsey.
Good second hand tires for sale
cheap.—Quick Service Station. 44
50 pairs ladies slippers in all new
styles arrived this week.—Self's.
Genuine Bull Peaberry coffee, steel
cut, 30c per lb. package at Standard
Gro.
I. M. Cates returned Wednesday
from a two weeks' stay in Mineral
Wells.

Mrs. M. A. Reeder and Rev. Wheat-
ley of Knox City were in Crowell
Tuesday.
Miss Lottie Cole returned last week
from an extended visit with relatives
at Wayland.
For sale or trade for cow and calf
one 8-foot McCormick binder.—T. R.
Cates, Thalia, Texas. 44p
Oliver Hughston, wife and small son
of Plano were here Sunday visiting
his uncle, T. L. Hughston.
If you have a Florence oil stove
fill out coupon in our ad and bring to
our store.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Wilburn Ayers and family went to
Truscott yesterday afternoon on ac-
count of the serious illness of J. H.
Westbrook.

I have taken the agency for the
Texas Company and want a portion
of your trade. Day phone 79, night
phone 127.—Percy Ferguson. 44
Lost a black and white spotted fox
hound, collar with R. C. Stone, Wiley,
Texas, dog branded S on left hip. In-
form R. C. Stone, Foard City, Tex. 43p

Dark Barred Rocks—Eggs for set-
ting Pen No. 1, headed by first cock,
took first at 1923 and 1924 poultry
shows, grand bird, best in county.
Eggs \$2.50 per setting. I also have
other pens at \$2.00 and \$1.50.—Mrs.
E. L. Ribble.

Miss Jewel Westbrook of Amarillo
passed through Crowell Wednesday
en route to Truscott on account of the
serious illness of her grandfather, J.
H. Westbrook. She was met in Quan-
ah by her brother, Arthur, and taken
overland to Truscott.

W. T. Bailey is here from Amarillo
working on the Self Motor Co. build-
ing. Mr. Bailey and family made
their home in Crowell for several
years but for the last two years have
been living at Amarillo. He says he
may possibly move back to Crowell.

John Deere go-devils are built for
service.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Miss Lucile Hughston of Davidson,
Okla., spent last week-end with her
uncle, T. L. Hughston, and wife of
this city.
For Sale—S. C. R. I. Red hatching
livered at Owl Drug Store.—E. V.
eggs, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per setting de-
Halbert. 43p
Free! Two aluminum pie pans to
owners of Florence oil cook stoves.
Fill out coupon and bring to our
store.—M. S. Henry & Co.

The News has printed a new supply of notes and mortgages and can supply you with these.

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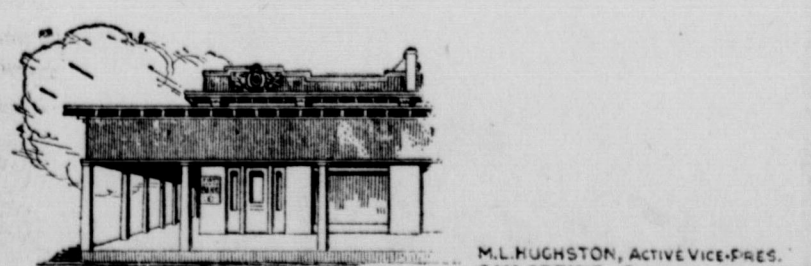
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Notice

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

A man's future depends a great deal on what he is doing with the job he has now.

The man in wrong is generally so pigheaded that he stays there.

This life is full of chances that are never taken.

Have that old broken piece welded like new.—Swaim's Garage.

SECOND ANNUAL Triangle Ranch Rodeo Iowa Park, Texas April 24, 25, 26, 27

150 cowboys and cowgirls in gruelling contests of bronc busting, calf roping, wild horse races, fancy roping, wild Braham steer riding, trick riding, bulldogging and other cowboy sports.

300 outlaw bucking horses, wild longhorn Mexican and Brahma steers and trained cowponies.

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Where Do You Belong?

There are three classes of people in every community and everybody fits into one of them.

There are those who go through life with a smooth unconcern that is seldom, if ever, ruffled. They are serene on all occasions because they never take the trouble to bother themselves with anything that is going on around them.

People of this class never do any real harm in the world and in rare cases exert themselves enough to do a little good. Everybody likes them, but they never command a lot of respect and admiration.

Then there is a second class, which we hope are in the majority, who do not hesitate to say what they think—who take a stand on questions of importance, after they get the facts and form an opinion.

In other words, they have convictions, and they do not hesitate to give praise where it is due, nor heap on censure when it is deserved. They are the constructive citizens who, though they may sometimes make enemies, are responsible for whatever progress is made.

And finally, we have the third class—the chronic complainers and kickers, whose happiest moments are when they are complaining about somebody or something and whose whole life is destructive.

But the fortunate thing about them is that they are more destructive to themselves than they are to society. They don't get as large a hearing as they once did but they are annoying, to say the least.

TRY A NEW METHOD

When you have occasion to speak of the place where you live, what is the burden of your remarks?

Some complaint or grievance, no doubt. The good things of community life we take as a matter of course and never give anyone credit for them. We believe that they are coming to us and we can see no reason for comment.

If we have a good administration of affairs by public officials, we never take the trouble to tell them. If we have an unusually large number of public-spirited men who are working for the betterment of our local conditions, we seldom ever give them even faint praise.

But let something go wrong and

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

On this 14th day of April, 1924, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, being in regular session, the County Judge and all members of the court being present, there came before the court for consideration the question of the advisability of the purchase of a road tractor, and upon motion of Commissioner Tom Callaway, seconded by Commissioner J. B. Easley, the following order was adopted, to-wit:

Whereas, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County has determined the advisability and necessity for the purchase of a road tractor for use upon the public roads of said county.

Therefore, it is ordered that the County Judge give notice in the manner and form prescribed by law, that the Commissioners' Court of said Foard County will receive and open bids for the purchase of one road tractor to be supplied said county at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 12th day of May, 1924, at the County Judge's office in the courthouse of said County, which notice shall be attested by the County Clerk of said county and shall be in substantially the following form:

Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Foard County up to 10 o'clock a. m., on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the purchase by said county of Foard one Ford Holt "Caterpillar" Tractor with regular equipment to be used upon the public roads of said county. A certified check of 5% of the amount of the bid shall be filed with each bid and the successful bidder shall be required to give a good and sufficient bond in the full amount of the contract price executed by some surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas. Bidders shall be required to bid on condition that such tractor or road machinery shall be demonstrated upon the roads of said county for a period of 3 days prior to the date of awarding the contract, and all bids shall be addressed to the County Judge of said County, and shall be marked "Sealed Bids," and bids not so marked shall not be considered. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JESSE OWENS,

County Judge, Foard County, Texas.

ATTEST: GRACE NORRIS,

County Clerk, Foard Co., Texas.

The County Clerk is directed to prepare said notice and the County Judge is directed to cause same to be published once a week for four weeks prior to the time set for letting such contract, which notice shall be published in the Foard County News, a newspaper published once a week in the City of Crowell, Texas, in said county.

JESSE OWENS, County Judge, A. B. WISDOM, Commr. Pet. 1, J. R. COFFMAN, Commr. Pet. 2, TOM CALLAWAY, Commr. Pet. 3, J. B. EASLEY, Commr. Pet. 4.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

I, Grace Norris, County Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of said County, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the Commissioners' Court of said County, on the 14th day of April, 1924, as shown of record in book 4, at page 393 et seq., of the minutes of said court.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1924.

(Seal) GRACE NORRIS, Clerk of County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas.

our first inclination is to blow up. Somebody is to blame, of course, we reason, and that somebody needs a good reprimand, if not something worse.

Having let off steam, the most of us are ready for the next round and become almost human again.

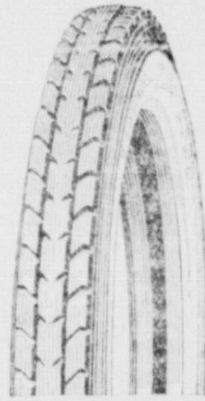
But let's resolve to change our policy in the future. Why not try looking for the good things that may be found in abundance and boost them? It will benefit everyone who tries it and it will help the community too.

Before making any changes, it's always well to be certain that they are improvements.

I still have Texaco lubricating oil and grease, any grade, any quantity, as cheap as you can get anywhere.—B. F. Ivie.

Keeping late hours may be bad for one—but sometimes it is fine for two.

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T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist church met at the church with Mrs. Duke Wallace. Devotional opened with class song and prayer. Mrs. Billington had a paper on God's great woman, and Mrs. Self a paper on the life of Ahab. We then had report of calendar committee, year beginning with June. A motion was made to send letter of appreciation to photographer for making picture of church for the calendar.

church and commented on the fact we could improve our own building. Mrs. Dunagan told of the T. E. L. class room and made all very anxious to finish the Sunday School rooms of our church.

Hostesses for May are Mrs. Womack, Mrs. Alva Spener, Mrs. Carl Zeibig, Mrs. Henry Griffith, and Mrs. Griffith.

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Double Your Happiness—Economically

Satisfy your craving for a home and a place for the youngsters to play. Live at less cost in an uncongested section far from the noise and dirt of city traffic and factories.

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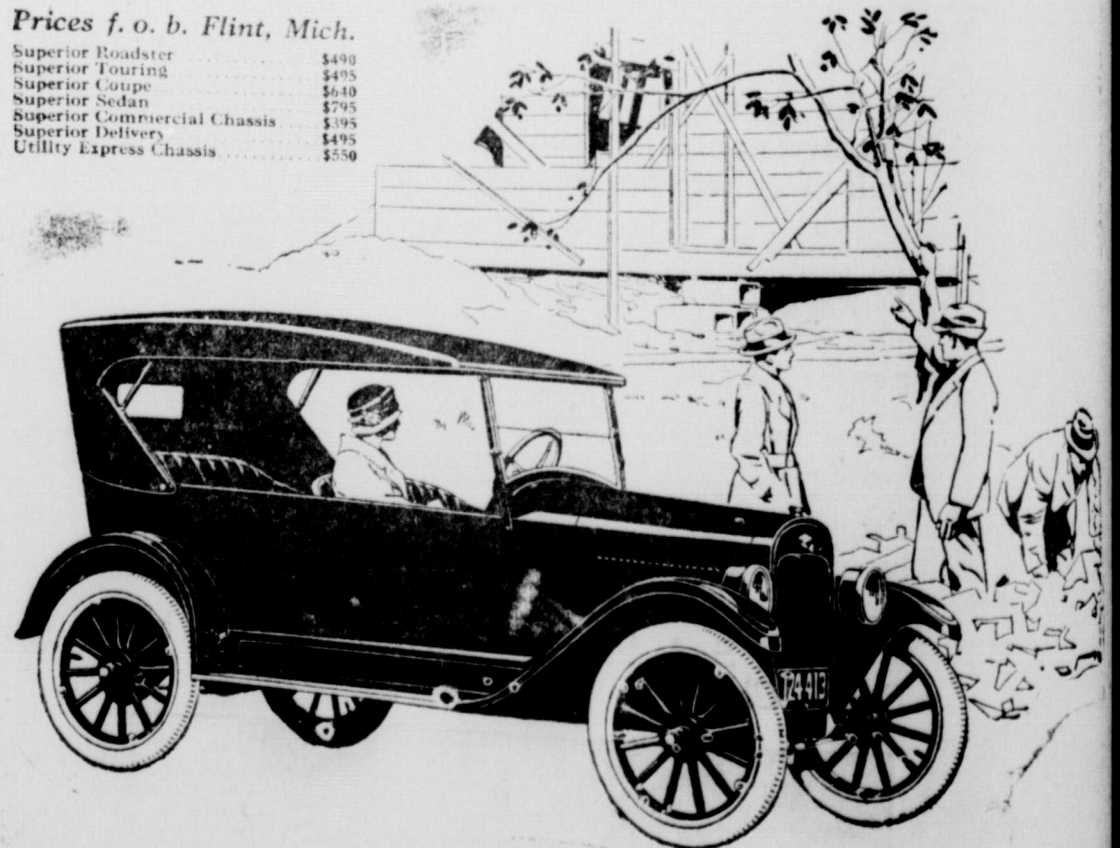


besides being economical to buy and maintain, is a quality automobile anyone can be proud to own. It is modern in appearance and construction. It is so easy to drive that any member of the family can use it.

Call at our showrooms and inspect this automobile which has doubled the happiness of thousands of families at little, if any, added cost.

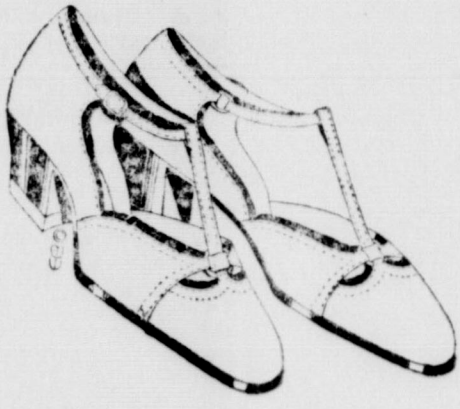
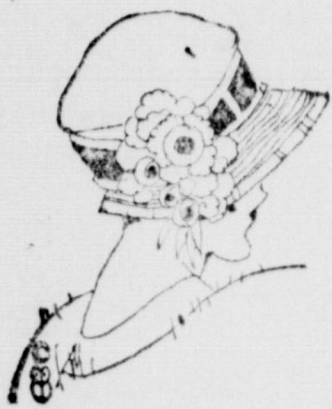
Prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich.

Table listing Chevrolet models and prices: Superior Roadster \$490, Superior Touring \$475, Superior Coupe \$540, Superior Sedan \$795, Superior Commercial Chassis \$495, Superior Delivery \$495, Utility Express Chassis \$550.



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A Few Ladies' Hats to Close Out at the Following Prices

\$11.50 for	\$7.50
\$10.50 for	\$6.50
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Ladies' Oxfords, Pumps and Sandles

\$10.00 values for	\$7.45
\$7.85 values for	\$5.45
\$5.00 values for	\$3.95
\$3.95 values for	\$2.65

These Prices Will Continue Until the Items Mentioned Are All Sold

The Crowell Dry Goods Company, Inc.

Judge's Notice of Election
State of Texas,
County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of May, 1924, at (a) Margaret school in (b) Common School District No. 6 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally

qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the (c) Ayersville No. 11 and Jameson No. 10 school districts thereby forming the (d) Margaret Consolidated Common School District No. 6 of this county.

T. P. Hunter has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."
And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against Consolidation."
Dated, this 15th day of April, 1924.

JESSE OWENS,
County Judge of Foard County, Texas.

E. L. Covey Announces for Re-Election As Representative 114 District

In filing my name for a place on the ticket as a candidate for re-election to the office of Representative and in asking for the support of the voters of this district in the coming primary, I shall make no unreasonable promises and shall not try to deceive you into believing that I will do things that I cannot do. I am coming to you as I did two years ago and promising that if you re-elect me I will do all within my power to serve to the best interests of the district. I will go to Austin with my hands tied to no special interests and will, to the best of my ability, serve impartially every man, woman and child and every interest of the district.

I shall not at this time make any defense of the 38th Legislature for many acts were passed by that body that did not at that time meet with my approval. However, I would be glad to have the people of this district investigate my record since I have been serving as your representative. In doing this I do not claim that I have made no errors, but I do want to say that I have always used my best judgment and acted honestly. I have studied very closely the conditions of the district and have done what I believed to be to the best interests of the district.

The 38th Legislature had the work of passing upon more than fifteen hundred proposed laws. And it is very likely that the next legislature will have as much to do. I, therefore, do not believe that it would be possible at this time for me to say just how I will vote on all these measures. However, there are a few questions that will, no doubt, be the paramount issues next year when the legislature meets. These, according to my views, will be taxation, improvement of the rural schools, adequate care of the insane of the state, an adjustment of the penitentiary system and some changes in the highway laws. Space will not permit me to discuss these questions now, but I wish to say briefly that since I have been representative I have opposed a raise in taxes and will continue to do so. I believe with a sane and economical administration the taxes can be lowered instead of being raised. Many thousands of dollars can be saved by abolishing Bureaus and Commissions that are failing to function and are, therefore, doing the people no good. Many thousands of dollars are squandered in traveling expenses of men connected with the various state Commissions and Bureaus. This should be stopped. I will favor a re-adjustment of the penitentiary system. With a diversification of labor and a disposal of thousands of acres of penitentiary land that is in the overflow sections of the state, I believe the convicts can be made self supporting. At present there are approximately four thousand convicts in the state and we have more than eighty-one thousand acres of land that is used by the penitentiary and still the system is not paying expenses. Another thing that must be remedied at an early date is the care of the insane. Every insane asylum is overcrowded and there are hundreds of insane incarcerated in the jails of the state. Just ask any County Judge if he can secure a place

for an insane person. This is a shame and a disgrace to the State of Texas and something should be done to relieve this awful condition as soon as possible. Texas is making great improvement in her school system, but there are still many schools in the rural districts that are providing only four or five months of school with very poorly trained teachers. These children should have at least six months of school. I believe that the present registration fees on automobiles are too high. I voted against the raise. While at the time the bill passed, I voted against the gasoline tax, yet I believe that the gasoline tax is more just than the high registration fee. The man who uses the roads the most uses the most gasoline and, therefore, pays more tax. I predict that the next legislature will lower the registration fees and raise the gasoline tax.

There is one subject that is calling for much discussion and most every candidate has something to say about it. That is "law enforcement." My idea of law enforcement is for every officer elected by the people and every officer filling a position by appointment to efficiently do the work of his office. If every officer in Texas will do the work he is sworn to do we will have REAL LAW ENFORCEMENT. If a man cannot or will not do this he should resign and let someone have the place who can and will.

All I am asking of the people of the district is to re-elect me, if I have served you well and represented the people of the district. I trust that I may have an opportunity before the primary to meet all the people of the district and discuss matters of mutual interest. Should I fail to see anyone, I solicit your support anyway.

Sincerely,
E. L. COVEY.

One trouble with a considerable part of the rising generation is that it does its rising too late.

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Chew it after every meal
It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.
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Scientists are trying to lengthen life and speed fiends are trying to flatten it.

The fake stock salesmen know that man is the only animal that can be skinned alive more than once.

At the Christian Science Chapel Sunday services 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Testimonial services Wednesday 8:15 p. m. Subject for Sunday, April 20th, "Doctrine of Atonement." The public is cordially invited to attend.

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We've rolled up the curtain on our opening display of Men's Select Straw Hats. And if you men want to see something really snappy, nifty and nobby—you want to get around at your earliest convenience and see the offerings in this great event. Lion Straws again lead as in the past. Better quality, finer finish, greater variety, very modestly priced \$1.50 up to \$6.00.

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One Peerless grain separator, 32-inch in good condition; one 25x40 Emerson engine in good condition; 4 iron wheel wagons, 5 sets of harness, cook shack, stove and cooking utensils and other stuff that goes with a first class threshing outfit. This outfit is for sale at a sacrifice. Will give good terms. If interested see J. W. McCaskill.

Card of Thanks

To our friends and neighbors who assisted in any way to make comfortable our grandfather in his last illness we offer our sincere thanks and want you to know every act was appreciated. Especially do we thank Dr. Clark for his untiring efforts both day and night. May Heaven's blessings rest on each and every one. His grandchildren.

MRS. H. SCHLAGAL,
CARL ZEIBIG,
HOMER ZEIBIG,
PAUL ZEIBIG.

Notice

Members of the Farmers Gin who may need twine should come in at once and give me their list so that I may know how much to order. Must know next week.—L. G. Andrews.

Mattress Factory

We make over old ones; make new ones any size. See our ticking before you buy. We also have the quick drying auto paint, or will paint your car cheap. Located two blocks north and one west of standpipe.

Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. F. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

Theford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and it relieved me. "About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. We tried all week to help her, but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up." Try Black-Draught. It costs only one cent a dose. Sold everywhere. E-99



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NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by Jesse Owens, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, at Crowell, Texas, up to 1 o'clock p. m., May 9th, 1924, for the paving or parts thereof of the following streets in the city of Crowell, Texas, to-wit:

From the curb on the east side of Main street, from intersection Main and Commerce streets to intersection of Main and California streets, to center of said Main street, and from the curb on the south side of Commerce street from intersection of Commerce and Houston streets, to the center of said street, and from the curb on the north side of California street from the intersection of California and Houston streets to intersection of California and Main streets, to center of said street, and along and in front of lots 6 and 7 in block 91, in the said town of Crowell.

Said bids must be filed with the said Jesse Owens, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, not later than the date above named and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum equal to five (5%) percent of the amount of said bid.

The Commissioners' Court will meet at the court house in the said city of Crowell, in Foard County, Texas, on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1924, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at which time the bids will be opened. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all said bids.

JESSE OWENS, County Judge, Foard Co., Texas. Attest: GRACE NORRIS, Clerk County Court, Foard County, Texas.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Remember the protracted services which begin at our church Sunday. We are counting on you. Services each morning at 10 o'clock and night at 7:45. Let us for one time help those who are lost.

The workers' conference of the Wilbarger-Foard Association met with the Thalia church Tuesday. Our church was well represented at this meeting as well as other churches in the two counties. Mrs. Billington was elected president of the woman's work of the association. Foard County has two associational officers, Mrs. Billington, president, and Miss Maye Andrews, secretary. Ladies, we have something to live out, build up and work at, in our association. Let's work together and great will be the result. Mrs. Hockersmith of Vernon was elected personal service chairman.

The Easter program will be at night just preceding the evening sermon. Now come early for we will begin at 7:30. If you are not there by that time you will miss some of the program.—Church Reporter.

Over three million people in the United States play golf and all three million have doubtless learned that patience is still a virtue.

Missionary Society

The business session of the Woman's Missionary Society was held at the M. E. Church Monday afternoon, April 7. Mrs. Henry, president, presiding. Reports from different officers was very encouraging and showed an interest along all lines of work. The delegates elected to annual meeting of Northwest Texas Conference to be held in Vernon, April 26-30, were Misses J. A. Stovall and J. L. Hunter. Alternates Misses Margie Magee and T. L. Hughston.

Monday afternoon, April 14th, society met in mission study class. The Scripture lesson was given by each member repeating a verse of Scripture. The lesson on Japan was led by Mrs. T. L. Hughston, each member taking part in the discussion. We learned many things about the customs of the Japanese people, and how the English language was creeping into their lives almost unaware, and how the missionaries were teaching them to modernize the interior of their homes and their modes of living.—Reporter.

Senior Epworth League

Leader—Mrs. Yoder. Hymn. Sentence prayers. Scripture reading. Romans 4. Easter address No. 1—Lottie Woods. E. address No. 2—Marion Cooper. E. address No. 3—Fancy Horn. Song—Male quartette. Meaning of our motto: "All for Christ"—Sam Mills. Song. Benediction.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindnesses shown during the recent sickness and death of our foster father, D. J. Collins. We want every one to know that we shall not forget you for the good deeds you did and for the sympathy you have shown in these times of sorrow. MR. AND MRS. G. W. HARRELL.

Notice

I am still in the real estate business but have been out of town for some time. Have bargains in farms, ranches and town property. Make a specialty in exchange deals, have a number of satisfied customers. What have you to trade, and what do you want? See me.—J. W. McCaskill.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County—Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded to summon Gladys Bates by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive 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; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 46th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crowell, or the 1st Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the 5th day of May A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1190, wherein D. B. Traweck, is plaintiff, and J. L. Bates and Gladys Bates are defendants, and said petition alleging: Plaintiff represents to the court that on or about the 1st day of February, A. D. 1924, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following land and premises situated in Foard County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the east boundary line of said section No. 87, certificate No. 632, block 44, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, 575.47 varas north of its southeast corner, the northeast corner of tract of 100 acres in the name of D. B. Traweck, out of said section;

Thence north on the east boundary line of said section 448.53 varas for the northeast corner of this tract;

Thence west 281 varas to the northeast corner of this tract;

Thence south 448.53 varas to northwest corner of said 100 acre tract for the southwest corner of this tract;

Thence east 984 varas to the place of beginning.

That he has held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said land by deed duly registered in the county clerk's office of Foard County, Texas, for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit, and is entitled to possession of said premises by virtue of the three year statute of limitation.

That on or about the 1st day of March, 1924, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty dollars.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court, that the defendants be cited as provided by law to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, for costs of suit and such other and further relief special and general, in law and equity that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Crowell, Texas, this, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1924.

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