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## Warns Property Owners Against Dangers Voting Bonds at Present Time

I cannot make a speech but the subject under discussion is bond issue. President Coolidge said a few days ago that a tax on gasoline was the proper way to build good roads, that the people were burdening real estate too much.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce went on record at Mineral Wells against building roads by bond issue and said they were going to put all their power before the next Legislature to pass gasoline tax for that purpose. Also Wilbarger has not voted bonds for Lee Highway, Cottle has done nothing. I am sure Lee Highway will not all be concrete within ten years. Why should we hurry? We are not financially able. Some will say other counties are building, why not us? In answer, I will ask, why don't every person own a Lincoln or a Cadillac car, answer, because we are not financially able. The same will apply to Foard County. Wilbarger has a \$20,000,000 tax valuation, Wichita has \$100,000,000. We cannot keep pace with these counties. If we try we will go broke. Let's talk gasoline tax until the next Legislature meets. We have real good dirt roads now that cost four years ago about \$217,000. Let us use them a while before voting bonds.

I overheard two young men talking a few days ago. They were for the bond issue and one said, "We are living in a new age and out of the 'moss-back' time." I have known this boy all his life and know that his father and grandfather were some of the trail blazers of this country, and if it had not been for their sufferings and hardships he would not be situated as he is today, and if they were living today they would be with the 'moss-back' crowd he spoke of. I am of the opinion that this fellow could still learn some things from the old "moss-back" if he would take time and stop to listen. My friends, I never want to get to the place where I will have the gaul to call the people who bring their families and settle and develop a new country a "moss-back." They are the salt of the earth that the Bible speaks of, and the younger people will, in my judgment, by listening to their warning, learn some things. I am not like I heard a man say the other day. He said it made no difference what we did or how much debt we made, he believed the Supreme Architect of the Universe would get us by. I am not willing to reflect on my Lord that way. I think he intended for us to use some common sense. I don't read the Bible that way. The Bible says, "when you go to build a house count the cost first and see if you will be able to finish same." A county is just like an individual and most of us know what happens to a fellow when he gets in debt too bad. It ruins his credit, makes his friends afraid of him in a financial way. Of course, some of these fellows that are trying to put this over for personal purposes will not consider what I have said. But let me tell you brother farmers, he is not looking out for your interest at all—he is selfish. The road will not increase the value of land. It has not done so in black land counties. It has killed small towns down east—the benefits have all gone to cities.

My honest judgment is we should not vote these bonds at present, but work for the gasoline tax for this purpose. I am speaking mostly to the farmers and land owners, for I love the tillers of the soil. I have always given my influence and financial help to try to make things better for them and their families. There are farmers in the county that I assisted to buy their homes, some of them their first ones, and I am sure you can't find a farmer that will tell you that I ever gave him bad advice. If I have to take chances I would rather take it on a real honest to goodness farmer than any person on earth. If you doubt it, ask T. F. Lambert, Dick Coffman, T. L. Ward, Joe French and many others in Foard County.

Now, the tax levy that has come out in the Foard County News of 65 or 70 cents, will not carry a bond issue of \$460,000. It will take nearer \$1.00 on the one hundred than it will 70 cents. We now have about \$275,000 bond issue and 61 cents tax levy to pay them off and this amount is not meeting the payments. If 61 cents won't pay interest and create a sinking fund to meet \$275,000, how will 70 or 72 cents meet \$460,000, almost twice as much. I do not think

## Vote Your Sentiments in Road Bond Election

On June 23rd the property owners of the county will say whether Foard County shall have hard-surfaced roads. If your vote is an expression of your own will in the matter no harm can be done whatever the results are. The one thing we believe every one should do is to get the facts together as nearly as possible, think the matter out for himself and vote as he wants to. If that is done no one will have cause to tear his shirt over defeat. We believe the county can easily shoulder this burden and that it will mean great development for us in the immediate years and that with that development the burden will become lighter as the years come. We believe the matter of taxation is made a "booger." We recall that opposition has always manifested itself in every campaign of this kind, but after it's all over everybody seems to be glad that we have taken a forward step. It is true that we have more taxes now than formerly, but it appears that we are more able to pay them. The annual percentage of tax payments run well up into the 90's, a thing that was not true in the pioneer days of this country. Support of this claim is found in the fact that in the year 1908 the Foard County News published a delinquent tax list comprising 12,000 tracts including delinquents for about 15 years. The sixteen years since that time have not required the publication of a list of one-third that number. So it would seem that increased taxes have not been so great a burden in recent years as in former ones. Can we attribute this to any other thing than the development of the county?

Wherever roads are being built, school houses constructed, streets paved, or any other public improvements made, it is done by taxation. It costs something but they are procured in no other manner. And it might be said that if one lives where all these things are had and owns property there he will help pay for them. We think it is wiser to help make our own country what it ought to be than to move away and help pay for the improvements that have been started in another locality. These things attract people. They have drawn some Foard County people away, at least they have gotten some of their hard-earned cash. Some of them have gone to the Rio Grande Valley, some who are fighting taxes in Foard County, and have paid \$400 per acre for land made valuable by reason of the very improvements we are advocating in Foard County. They will help pay for the good roads, practically all of which have been and are being paved in the Valley.

The News insists on consistency in this matter. We wish there might be no personal feelings entering into the campaign and that every person would be absolutely himself in voting at the election. We say again, if that be the case, there can be no harmful consequences from the election.

## Baylor Senior Drowns in Bath Tub June 3

Charles Pool, senior in Baylor university, cousin of Mrs. W. T. Coker of this city, son of Prof. W. H. Pool, of Baylor, drowned in a bath tub at his home late Wednesday night.

Besides the Cokers, who are relatives of the deceased, he had a number of friends in Quannah who were in Baylor at the same time he was. The young man would have taken his degree next Wednesday, one week from the time of his death.

Evidence indicates that he slipped and fell, his head striking the tub, rendering him unconscious and unable to lift his head out of the water.

Prof. Pool called his son several times but failed to get a response finally forced an entrance into the locked bathroom, where it was found he was beyond aid.—Quannah Times.

## Two Cars Collide; One Badly Injured

A Ford car driven by Mack Bradford was badly injured Monday in front of the Beverly Station when it was struck by a large touring car.

Mr. Bradford had already passed another car and was perhaps a little careless and evidently did not see the approaching car and had swung his car too far to the left, which brought it almost directly in front of the big car. The result was that the right front wheel of Bradford's car was torn off, the fender smashed and wind shield broken to fragments.

The commissioners court could or would be safe to levy very much less than \$1.00 on the \$100.00. Friends, take your pencils and use your brain and count the cost and after due deliberation, if you can make yourself believe this will be worth the cost, then it's up to you. But don't forget my warning at this time and remember that all bond issues are based on your land. Personal property moves about, buildings burn up, land does not burn up or run away. Personally, I will pay my tax, always have, but I am trying to look at this from a general standpoint for all the people of Foard County.

C. P. SANDIFER.

## Sentiment in Favor of Good Roads at the Luncheon Friday Night

One of the principal things discussed at the chamber of commerce luncheon Friday evening at the Sanitary Cafe was that of good roads. Quite a number expressed themselves as favoring the bond issue for the hard-surfacing of Lee Highway and the F. F. F. and will throw themselves into the campaign for the success of the election on June 23rd. There was some opposition to the proposition but the sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of the bonds.

J. C. Self was appointed as chairman of a committee to supervise general committee work over the county and as other members of the committee the following were named: J. W. Bell, M. S. Henry, H. E. Ferguson, T. N. Bell, Joe W. Beverly, H. K. Edwards, M. L. Hughston, B. F. Ivie, Q. R. Miller, E. Swaim, G. D. Self, Mesdames M. S. Henry, H. E. Ferguson, R. L. Kincaid, M. O'Connell, S. S. Bell, and Miss Emily Purcell. Members of the committees on good roads will be named at the different meetings throughout the county between this and the election.

Another matter that received attention was that of getting the district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to come to Crowell for its next convention. A large number of citizens are expected to attend the meeting at Paducah on June 18th, as a number have already signified that they will attend, and an effort will be made at that time to get the next meeting here.

Thalia Committee  
The committee named for Thalia Tuesday night are: H. L. Fisher, Geo. Doty, A. B. Wisdom, T. M. Haney, Luke Johnson, H. W. Banister.

## Cut-Out Law Effective After June the 18th

After June 18th, according to the ruling of the Attorney General, it will be unlawful for one to drive a car in Texas with ordinary muffler cut-out, but the muffler must be used upon all occasions. This will be decided by a good law if fully enforced as it should be. There is nothing which is as annoying as a Ford when pulling away from the curb with the cut-out open. Other cars are bad but possibly none as bad as the Ford. In a letter interpreting the law by C. L. Sutton, assistant attorney general, states he drew the law for the member who introduced the same. In a paragraph of the letter he said: "At the instance of Senator W. S. Moore, the writer of this letter prepared Senate bill No. 222, which is the subject of this communication, and while, of course, what he may have thought at the time of preparing it has no weight whatever in interpreting the language used, I will state that it was never dreamed at the time of preparing this measure that it would ever be contended that it did more than to require the use of a muffler, and prevented the use of the ordinary muffler cut-out."—Quannah Times.

## Returns from Visit to Tussy, Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burns and children returned Friday from a visit with Mr. Burn's mother at Tussy, Okla.

On the way up there they had the opportunity of visiting with a number of Mr. Burns' relatives and so the trip was one of general visiting. It was intended at first that other members of the family would meet and they would have a kind of family reunion, but others found that they could not go so the reunion was not had.

Oil interests in that part of Oklahoma are great, according to Mr. Burns. The entire country is a network of pipe lines. Corn is the principal crop and it is now in tassel, most of it. It is not much of a cotton country, but gardening is a leading feature of the country.

They made the return trip in a day.

## Rev. McDonald Was at Baptist Church Sunday

The pulpit of the Baptist church was filled last Sunday by Rev. E. C. McDonald of San Antonio.

Rev. McDonald is said to be a splendid preacher. He is not a stranger here, since he has held pastorates of near-by churches.

He is a son-in-law of Grandma Teel of this place. There has been some talk of his being called as pastor of the church here, but this is mere rumor. How true it is we do not know.

## M. S. Henry & Co. Adding Furniture Stock

A portion of the wooden petition wall separating the store room occupied by M. S. Henry & Company and the one adjoining it on the south in which the company has been keeping Star cars has been removed and the two rooms thrown together for the display of a stock of furniture which has just been purchased. The stock is expected to arrive some time this week.

## M. O'Connell Has Fire Scare Saturday

About 8 o'clock Saturday morning the fire alarm announced a fire at M. O'Connell's cream manufacturing establishment, but it was soon extinguished by the chemical engine and comparatively no damage was sustained. The fire occurred when the burner of a small gasoline stove was twisted off, allowing the gasoline which was under pressure to shoot out and become a big blaze.

## Well Soon to Start on M. L. Hughston's Property 6 Miles East

Murchison & Fain are under contract to start a well within a few days on M. L. Hughston's land 6 miles east of Crowell. The material has been going to the site for some days and the announcement was made the first of the week that everything would be ready for the building of the derrick Wednesday of this week.

The company is under contract to drill 3,000 feet and will rush the work along at a rapid rate. These people are responsible parties and it is said are worth \$2,000,000. So it may be expected that they will make a thorough test on this property.

The location of the well can better be understood by saying that it is on the middle southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 332, Block A. H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey.

## Club Encampment at Vernon July 14, 15, 16

The boy clubs of eight counties will have their annual encampment at Vernon July 14, 15, 16. Preparations are now going forward to that end.

There will be eight counties represented at this encampment, Foard, Knox, Baylor, Hardeman, Childress, Motley, Wichita and Cottle. Foard County will be represented by about 125 members of the various clubs, including that of maize, poultry and cotton.

There will be included in the program on these three days a farmers short course and one day the experiment station at Chillicothe will be visited for the benefit of the adult farmers as well as the boys. Men will be at the encampment from the A. & M. College to speak on matters pertaining to agricultural pursuits.

County Agent Fred Rennels expects this to be a great encampment, one of profit and general interest to every one who avails himself of the opportunity of attending.

## M. E. Pastor Will Not Be Here Sunday

Since Rev. J. M. Fuller, pastor of the Methodist church, and his family left last Sunday was a week ago for Dallas where Bro. Fuller underwent an operation shortly after having arrived, several parties here have received cards from him and his wife. The first one told of the operation during which he was on the table for two hours. The next card said that he was doing fairly well but that he could not come home for some days yet. He stated that the doctor told him he could not think about preaching in his pulpit next Sunday, so he will not be here Sunday, but will try to get some one to fill the pulpit for him.

His friends here will be glad to know that he is doing fairly well, even, and they are hoping for a speedy recovery and that he will soon be here to take up his work.

The operation is one that he had postponed for some time but it became apparent as time went on that he must have it done or he would soon be forced to quit his work. If the operation proves a successful one he will likely be stronger than for years.

## Car Stolen in Front of Self Garage Sunday Night and Is Wrecked

A car belonging to Arthur McMillan was stolen near the Self Garage Sunday night and driven out into the country and turned upside down. McMillan thinks the car was turned over by hand and was not the result of an accident.

A search was made Monday when the car was found missing and it was found near J. D. Johnson's place northeast of town. No trace has been found of the thieves.

## Harvest of Small Grain Will Soon Be Over

Wheat harvest commenced last week and quite a lot of it was cut down. This week will see practically the entire crop in the shock.

Driving the roads one sees hundreds of acres already cut and it looks as if there is quite a lot of wheat in the country. The farmers report the crop to be very light. The early sowing is fair but the late wheat is very poor.

The harvest season will be short this year.

## Some Reasons for Voting Road Bonds

Any discussion about benefits or improvements which rest in a saving to pocket books is always listened to with great interest and more persons like to take part in such discussions than perhaps any other kind.

Such a discussion is the one in favor of paving roads. Especially the rural residents, the benefits of paved roads apply. For upon the road to market depends the very livelihood of the farmer and his family. In other words, a farm is no more efficient than its road to market.

## A Program Will Be Given at Gambleville All Day Next Sunday

Some time ago people in the Gambleville community made the announcement that they were going to have an all day program there in May, but for some reason it had to be postponed. They are now ready to announce that it will be next Sunday, June 14. The program will start in the morning and close some time in the afternoon. At the noon hour there will be dinner on the ground. Following is the program merely outlined, as given to the News:

Welcome address by R. B. Bell.  
Response by R. D. Oswalt.  
10:00 a. m. to 12 m.—Children's recitations.  
12 m. to 1 p. m.—Dinner.  
Afternoon  
Sermon by Rev. Bradford of Margaret.  
Music—Song—Band.  
Talk by Rev. Wheatley.  
Talk by Judge Myers, subject, "Mission of the Sunday School."  
Music.  
Talk by Rev. T. M. Johnston.  
Talk by H. L. Kimsley, subject, "The benefits of the Sunday School."

Auto Tax Not Used on Road Work, Charged  
Washington, June 6.—(AP)—About \$11,000,000 or one-seventh of the total paid by motorists in gasoline taxes in the last 12 months, the American Automobile association declared in a statement today, was diverted in seven states to channels other than road building. The states listed were Pennsylvania, Maryland, Texas, North Dakota, South Carolina, Montana and Georgia.

Ultimate destruction of the gas tax structure unless two tendencies are discontinued was forecast in the statement by A. M. Loomis, member of the advisory board of the district division of the A. A. A., who conducted the inquiry.

These tendencies, he declared, "are misappropriation of the tax for other than road purposes," and the "disposition to pyramid the tax by adding a cent or two at a time, revealing well-developed cases of the 'rimmies' in the legislature."

A gasoline tax, Mr. Loomis said, "is a pretty easy way to get this money out of the users of the highways."

## Heat Wave in North Takes Big Life Toll

The total number of lives lost on account of the terrible heat wave in several of the northern states and cities, according to the dailies reached about 400.

It is very regrettable that such times come, but it is gratifying to know that few of these fatalities were in the South, Kentucky and Tennessee were the only two Southern states reporting deaths on account of heat.

It has always been that most deaths caused by heat have been in the North and East. This is due largely to the very long days and short nights. There is shorter time for radiation of heat during the nights. Another thing is the absence of wind. People in Texas are blessed with an abundance of wind, sometimes it is hot, but it's better than no wind at all. Usually it is of a temperature that tends to cool one's parched brow. Don't complain at the wind. It is one of the best things we have in this country. Not only does it cool one off when he gets hot, but it is one of the chief agencies in the bringing of rain.

The wind is a blessing, as much as we complain about it sometimes.

Chicken Thieves Take Bunch of Thoroughbreds  
Those chicken thieves who raided the pen of Mrs. P. R. Huckleberry Sunday night, taking three dozen purebred Rhode Island Red fowls were a little more particular in their choice of fowls than the ordinary thief. The time was when they would have been contented to slip an ordinary speckled rooster from his perch, but the modern thief seems to be more discriminating.

The chickens stolen were the choicest of a flock of about 200 just ripening for the table, but it was not intended that they should find their way there until after they had spent seasons of service in the propagation of their kind either for Mrs. Huckleberry or for some one else wanting good foundation stock. These had come from high priced purebreds and were among the best in the country.

No trace of the thieves has been discovered.

Rev. E. C. McDonald, wife and daughter, Miss Pauline, were here Tuesday of last week from San Antonio visiting Mrs. McDonald's mother, Mrs. Jane Teel. Rev. and Mrs. McDonald had been to Abilene to attend the graduating exercises of Simmons College, their daughter being a member of the graduating class.

## Former Crowell Girl Valedictorian Kidd-Key Class

The Dallas News of June 10th carried a picture of Miss Ruth Irvin who graduated at Kidd-Key, Sherman, Texas, and who was valedictorian of the class.

It is interesting to some Crowell people who knew the Irvin family, her father, Rev. G. J. Irvin having been the pastor of the Methodist church here at one time.

The young lady received her diploma in the college and certificates in piano and pipe organ. She was also associate editor of the Keynotes, the college paper, and a member of the annual staff, the Players Club, the Music Club and the Forum.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH PROGRAM FOR NEXT 2 WEEKS  
Rev. Scott Hickey will preach next Sunday, June 14th.  
Rev. Ross C. Payne will conduct a series of night services beginning June 15th and continuing through the entire week. He will be assisted by Rev. J. W. Sale. Rev. Sale will preach Sunday, June 21.

The church in regular conference on June 10th set the date of calling a pastor for June 24th at 8:30 p. m. The entire membership is requested to be present at these meetings, especially on June 24th.

PULPIT COMMITTEE.

Miss Knight of Childress, Assistant District Deputy Grand Matron, of the Order of Eastern Star, visited the Crowell chapter Tuesday evening for the purpose of inspection. Miss Knight was favorably impressed with the condition of the chapter and predicted a successful year.

Mrs. M. L. Hughston accompanied Misses Lottie Woods and Ethel Ross to Quannah yesterday afternoon where they took the train for Colorado.

## Country Correspondence

### Items from Vivian

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marr and children spent the day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Tarrant of Rayland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Benham and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brown near Crowell.

A. T. Fish purchased a new Ford touring car Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ola Carter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Annie Lee Long of Crowell.

John Carter, J. B. Rasberry and T. W. Cooper took Mr. Cooper's mother to Vernon from which place she went to Kieburg to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and children were shopping in Paducah Saturday afternoon.

T. S. Patton and daughters, Irene and Ella, were visitors in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

J. W. Brewer and daughter, Odessa, were in Crowell on business Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Redwine, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. Walling and children were visitors in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Egbert Fish and sons, Herbert and Henry, and L. C. Fish were in Crowell on business Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish and daughter, Myrtle, were shopping in Crowell Thursday afternoon of last week.

Misses Bess and Myrtle Fish left Tuesday for Canyon where they will attend the summer normal.

The Crowell boys came out to Vivian Thursday afternoon and played ball with the Vivian school boys. The scores were 2 and 4 in favor of Crowell.

J. P. Walling, Wayne Dishman and S. J. Lewis went on a fishing trip last Thursday afternoon on Wichita River.

H. Young and son, Roy, and G. J. Benham were in Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. R. M. Beatty and sons, Charlie and R. N., took Lem Davidson to a doctor at Quanah Saturday.

Wesley Haskew of Childress who has been visiting his uncle, R. S. Haskew, returned to his home Sunday.

J. B. Rasberry, Claude Torres, Eldridge Bishop, Grable and Lewis Whatley were in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskew and daughter, Maybelle, left Sunday for Childress where they will visit for a few days with relatives.

T. L. Burnett of Iowa Park is here looking after his ranch.

### West Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Wallace Scales and wife entertained the young folks with a party last Friday night. All report an enjoyable time.

Carroll Lindsey and wife of Thalia, Man Braswell and family of Kinchloe called at the Bob Huntley home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Caros was brought home from Vernon last Friday where she had been for some time recovering from an operation.

Bert Love and family attended church at Thalia Sunday and spent the remainder of the day in the Tom Ward home.

Owen McLarty and family and Frank Ward and family attended the singing at Tolbert Sunday.

J. C. Wade and family were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Luther Jobe and family spent Sunday in the Maning home at Dixie, it being Mr. Maning's birthday. Well filled baskets were brought and all spent an enjoyable day.

Mrs. Dale Thorn of Dixie spent Sunday night with Mrs. Luther Jobe.

Verna Verle Moore of Thalia is spending the week with her grandparents, J. D. Jobe and wife.

Mrs. Sam Jobe was right sick Monday.

Mrs. Blew and baby are on the sick list.

J. E. Young and son, Arnold, made a trip to the Plains Saturday returning Sunday.

Hub Gregg and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Jeff Prescott home at Farmers Valley.

Ralph Gregg and family and Mrs. Young visited Mrs. Ernest Crisp at Moore Bros. hospital at Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Bill Anderson and wife of Vernon, Robert Derrington and family and Travis Davis visited in the Cap Adkins home Sunday afternoon.

Dewey Coffman left Thursday for Ranger where he has a position in a bank.

J. R. Coffman and family visited in the Bolton home Sunday afternoon.

News has been received of the birth of a baby girl to C. B. Davidson and wife of Vernon.

Earl McKinley and wife of Lorenzo spent on Sunday until Tuesday visiting relatives here.

Ernest Grimsley and family motored to Wichita Falls Sunday. They had the misfortune of getting their car wrecked while there. They returned home on the train.

### Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Iva Crisp was taken to the Moore sanitarium at Vernon last Wednesday where she underwent a serious operation. She is getting along fine at this writing.

Walter Lawson was a visitor in Wichita Falls Sunday.

H. D. Lawson left for the Rio Grande Valley Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Dewberry left Sunday afternoon for Chillicothe where she can be with her niece who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Reed took their little daughter, Lauvell, to the Vernon sanitarium Wednesday. She was operated on for appendicitis and is getting along nicely.

Miss Veva Lawson is spending the week with her brother, Tom Lawson.

Miss Emma Hunter was visiting in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett of Ayersville visited in J. C. Davis' home Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis and children attended the singing at Tolbert Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Culver of Thalia visited her cousin, Josie Davis, Saturday night.

Mrs. Iva Lawhorn who has been sick is able to be up now.

H. D. Lawson and son, Jack, went to Quanah last Friday on business.

Some of the farmers are having to replant their cotton this week on account of the wind last week that covered their cotton up.

The roads are being worked here. Those who were Vernon visitors from here Saturday were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert and daughter, Sou, Jim Jordan and daughter, Willie Mae, A. H. Martin and family, H. D. Lawson and sons and daughters, and L. G. Lawhorn.

### Black Community News

(By Special Correspondent)

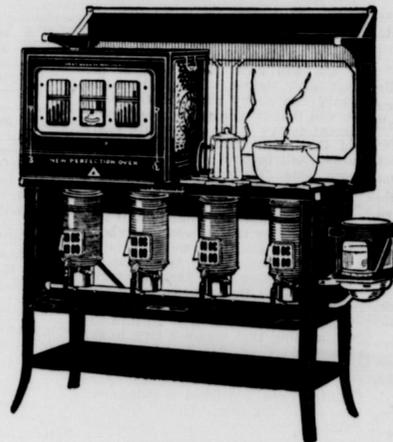
A nice shower of rain visited this community Tuesday night.

Miss Lonnie Free entertained her young friends with a party Saturday

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night.  
 Ed Adress and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Young at Vivian.  
 H. Ford and family and Monroe Anderson and Elzie Jones and family were fishing on the Wichita River Saturday night.  
 Mrs. Homer Norman is on the sick list this week.

**Christian Science Services**  
 Sunday 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.  
 Subject for Sunday, June 14, "God the preserver of man."  
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening services 8:15 p. m.  
 Reading room open each Tuesday and Friday from 2 to 5 p. m., where the Bible and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, purchased or borrowed. The public is cordially invited.

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The rain may sound better when it falls on your own roof, but it's all alike when there is a hole in the roof.

### Baptist Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church had a most interesting lesson and enthusiastic meeting on Monday afternoon, there being twenty ladies present. After the Bible study led by Mrs. Andrews, a discussion was entered into for plans to make money to renovate the parsonage, and a plan was decided upon.—Reporter.

One man in ten thousand becomes famous. Hence "one in a million" is making the average too low.

A woman bank cashier prevented a bank holdup by keeping cool and "collected" and the yegmen left the \$5 they wanted changed.

### Thalia News Items

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. Payne of Vernon preached at the Baptist church Saturday night. Rev. Strickland of this place preached Sunday morning and Rev. Vaughn of Odell preached Sunday night. Large crowds attended each service.

Thelma Maye, a fine baby girl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Garland Thompson June 9th.

Lois Hammonds who recently underwent an operation at Vernon is able to be home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts of Vernon spent the week-end visiting relatives here.

Herbert Thompson and wife of Foard City spent Monday night in the E. C. Wheeler home here.

Mrs. H. R. Randolph was called to Comanche Friday on account of the illness of her mother, who lives at that place.

Mrs. M. A. Logan and Mrs. C. F. Gibson of Crowell spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. H. W. Banister here.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Monte Wisdom June 6th.

Leroy Johnson and a friend from Altus, Okla., spent last week-end visiting relatives here.

Billie Banister left Saturday for Abilene where he will attend a business college this summer. He was accompanied to that place by his father who returned Sunday.

Edgar T. Wood and Jo Davidson of Denton came in Wednesday for a visit with relatives here.

Miss Agnes Patton visited relatives in Crowell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry of Crowell visited in the M. C. Adkins home here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Wood and daughter, Miss Cleo, and Jesse Hathaway of Wichita Falls visited relatives here last week end.

W. F. Wood and family and J. K. French and family and Lee Whitman were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grimsley, Charlie Webb, Willie Johnson and C. H. Wood attended a baseball game in Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinley and son of Lorenzo came in Sunday to visit relatives. Mr. McKinley returned home Tuesday but Mrs. McKinley will be here for some time yet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, E. G. Grimsley and Mrs. Willie Johnson were Vernon visitors Monday.

Mrs. Norah Lawrence and children and Miss Jewell Awbrey of Lorenzo are visiting relatives here this week.

Jack Wood, Mrs. T. J. Wood and Mrs. C. H. Wood and children spent

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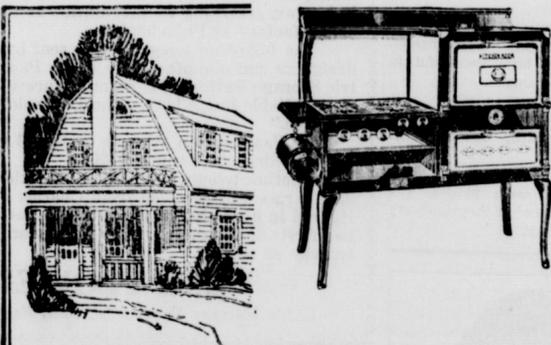
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### Pointed Paragraphs

Golf was not played in Ananias' day, but he has plenty of able imitators.

There are a few things best done tomorrow when tomorrow never comes.

Visitors form their opinion of a town from the worst things they see in it.

A fat woman is one who is weighed and wishes she could be found wanting.

It is customary for many people to eat their food on the fly, but not fly on the food.

Nobody really dislikes a small town except the city folks who were born on the farm.

Misfortune is the price of wisdom, but most of us complain when we have to pay.

Life is largely a matter of going some place, coming back or staying where you are.

Punctures and blowouts test men's patience and make the dry cleaning business good.

Friends can be very annoying, but if it were not for them you would be a total stranger.

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, June 12, 1925

Some of our friends who are opposing the bond issue for roads say they will kill the town. Can you imagine a thousand towns strung along the Lee Highway when it is completed from New York to San Francisco, dead as a mackerel? No business, no activity, nothing doing at all? If that argument is logical, then every man in the county ought to fight the roads to beat the band. And if there is any probability that Mr. Burkett will get his proposition through to bond the State for \$150,000,000 to get money with which to build roads, and pay that with a 3 cent gasoline tax, then let us fight the proposition. We can not afford to accept such plan. But some of the opposition are in favor of that, at the same time claiming that it will kill the towns. Watch your argument, gentlemen, and be consistent. Of course, they don't mean that the highways will kill anybody's town. Everybody knows they don't mean it. But it is intended as argument against the voting of bonds. As to Burkett's plan, it may be a good one, but our experience with the Texas Legislature is that they are disposed to sidetrack any proposition that aims to force a gasoline tax to pay for the roads, and if we are to wait for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to get that body worked up to a point where they are willing to do something of the kind, in all probability we will be sitting here ten, twenty and possibly thirty years from now with folded hands waiting for something to happen.

A farmer remarked the other day that twenty-five years ago people could scarcely pay their taxes when they had no bond issue on them, but now he said it is easier for the average fellow, farmer or any one else, to raise a thousand dollars than it was in those days of the past to raise \$100. Then, in reality, in the pioneer days taxes were high because they were out of the reach of the property owners. It is an easy matter to get scared and say that we can't do a thing, and we can't, so long as we sit still and say we can't. It is that spirit that says "We can," that forges a people to the front and enables them to achieve things worth while.

If Foard County votes bonds with which to build the Lee Highway we are practically certain to have that great transcontinental thoroughfare pass through the county. If we do not vote bonds there is an element of uncertainty in the matter. There are those who are anxious for the highway and they will make a bid for it. It could miss Foard County and it would be a matter of serious regret should we sleep on our rights to the extent that the road would have to look for more hearty co-operation for its construction. We now have the opportunity of getting it at half price.

The News columns have not been closed to any argument for or against bonds for good roads. We believe in a free discussion of the matter and we admire the courage and manhood of the fellow who expresses himself publicly. But there is a class of folks who are sly with their work and those, as a rule, wait until they can locate those they hate most and then say ugly things about them. They simply use the campaign to fight somebody. That makes it a personal matter. But charity would suggest that one be not too severe on them and so we must say they are good for one thing, that is to use the muck rake.

Here and there over the country we again hear of the appearance of grasshoppers. This time they seem to be of a type that does not look harmless. There has been a short rest from the grasshopper scare, but it may be that we should have been laying plans for a real war on them. At any rate, we had better not go to sleep.

## If You Are Gambling With Temperature-- You Will Lose

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### CARL YODER INJURED BY LIVE WIRE

During the storm a few nights ago lightning burned one of the Utilities Company's wires in two. The circuit was entirely broken, but in some way the severed wire had become connected with another wire and when Mr. Yoder picked up the wire in the act of repairing it he received a severe shock. The surprise was worse than the injury, however, and Mr. Yoder was back on the job again in a few hours.—Scurry County Times.

### Thalia Missionary Society

The Thalia Methodist Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock. We had 12 members and 3 visitors present. We had for our lesson the 8th chapter of Acts in which Mrs. W. G. Chapman was leader.

We will have our mission study lesson for next Monday. Adventures in brotherhood with Mrs. C. B. Morris as leader.—Reporter.

### BALOPTICON MACHINE

As you are passing up or down the sidewalks in front of the stores look for a machine in the window showing good roads. There are 100 slides and these have automatically interchangeable slides showing different road scenes. It is liable to be in the window of any store as you pass.

### ATTENTION—R. A. M. MASONS

Stated Convocation of Crowell Chapter No. 276 will be held Friday, June 12th. Officers for new year will be elected. Refreshments will be served.—L. A. Andrews, Secretary.

### SOUND REASONING

Communities grow only in proportion to the support they receive from the people who make up the community.

Foard County has no chance to improve in quality and size by the inhabitants investing their money or buying the necessities of life in other localities.

People who cling to the misguided policy of "doing better" away from home often lose dollars in trying to save pennies.

The home merchant is honest and offers honest values. He can't afford to be otherwise, though he might be inclined to. He depends for his living form the community which he serves and he must give the community what it wants at a fair price.

When you are tempted to trade outside and buy something "just as good" at lower prices, you should think twice before acting. If you are disappointed in merchandise bought at home, you can always get an adjustment. The merchant himself may have been cheated and he is generally willing to take the loss rather than have a dissatisfied customer.

But the out-of-town merchant is not personally interested in you. His only hope is to sell you once and he does not have to take precautions to preserve your good will.

More than owing it to your community to trade at home, thus keeping your money in circulation at home, you should give the home merchant the first opportunity to serve you, from a sound economic viewpoint.

### QUICK—OR DEAD?

Is your child quick—or dead? This is the rather pertinent inquiry or a warning issued in connection with National Safety Week.

The reason for it is: Of 19,000 persons killed by automobiles in the United States in 1924, 5,700 were children.

The assumption then is that the child that is not quick and on the alert every moment of the time spent on the streets, is of few years on earth.

Reckless autoists take this terrible toll of child life, and since they are not being curbed very rapidly, it behooves parents to use the greatest precautions in guarding their children against such an untimely death.

A study of statistics regarding this phase of automobile fatalities shows that the overwhelming majority of youngsters are killed while running errands or going to or from school.

The loss of life among children playing in the streets is comparatively small.

No community escapes the blight of this ever present menace. Though accidents are less numerous in small towns, they are no less in proportion to population than in the large cities. Though speeding, reckless auto-

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mobile drivers may be punished, the vengeance of the law will not bring back the little life that might have been spared, had more care been exercised.

Where you start doesn't matter. It's what you start.

It's not a good sale unless the customer is satisfied.

A steady beau is the one she can make feel shaky.

Tobacco smoke kills some insects, but no one has been successful in teaching them to smoke.

The man who watches the clock never makes a mark, but he marks time successfully.

In the case of some people, you would rather hear what they don't say than what they say.

Some glory in the fact that they are "coming men," while others find satisfaction in the belief that they have arrived.

A picnic is a place where everybody takes olives and wonders why there isn't enough fried chicken to go around.

## The Famous Exice Battery

Peter de Paolo, youthful racing star and nephew of the famous Ralph de Palma, who broke all records on the Indianapolis speedway, Memorial Day, used an Exide battery in his car, according to information received by us from the Exide factory in Philadelphia.

The following telegram was sent by Duesenberg Bros., designers and manufacturers of De Paolo's car to the Electric Storage Battery Co., manufacturers of Exide batteries: "The reliable Exide battery on De Paolo's car helped us win the race."

De Paolo set an average of 101.13 miles an hour for a 500 mile drive and won \$38,000.

Another telegram telling of an Exide-equipped car winning a race was received from Charles F. Ganung, who has figured in a number of races in the East. It reads: "Won two firsts one second at races Rochester May 30 using Exide battery as usual."

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## Local and Personal

8 towels for \$1.00.—Self's.  
Men's blue bibbed overalls \$1.00.—Self's.  
3,000 yards O. N. T. thread for dollar.—Self's.  
Men's \$2.00 dress shirts, choice \$1.00.—Self's.  
Genuine Dwarf Milo maize at T. L. Hughston Grain Co.  
If you want bran and shorts call Swim & Sons. They deliver.  
Miss Mary Sam Crews arrived home last week from S. M. U. at Dallas.  
Let us sell you Red Top and Amber can seed.—T. L. Hughston Grain Co.  
Banana nut ice cream, pure apple sherbert and apricot ice at M. O'Connell's.

New summer millinery.—Self's.  
Men's tennis oxfords, 2 pairs for \$1.00.—Self's.  
We'll get fresh meat for you.—Swim & Sons.  
Mrs. Glenn Shults is at Glenrose visiting relatives.  
35 voile and crepe dresses, choice \$6.75 Saturday at Self's.  
For Sale—Good used 7-foot grain binder.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
Merl Kincaid has returned home from the State University at Austin.  
For Sale—Pure Half and Half cotton seed at Bradford Garage, Margaret. 50p  
Half and Half and Mebane cotton seed for sale.—C. B. Morris, Thalia, Texas. 1p  
Miss Inez Sloan left Tuesday of last week for Denton to attend summer normal.

\$10.00 free at Self's Saturday.  
Good second hand saddle for sale.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
W. D. Foster arrived here Sunday night from Dallas.  
Give us your blow-out troubles. We fix them.—Ivie's Station.  
For sale a 9-18 Case tractor in first class condition.—Overland Sales.  
Paul Crews came in the first of the week from T. C. U. at Ft. Worth.  
For all kinds of insurance see Emily Purcell. Office above Owl Drug Store.  
Miss Juanita Campbell has returned home from Denton where she attended the C. I. A.  
Garland Shults returned last Saturday morning from the Decatur Baptist College.  
Good second hand wood and coal cook stove for sale cheap.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
Roy Awbrey is here for a visit with friends, coming from the Decatur Baptist College.  
For Sale—Half and Half cotton seed as good as the best.—T. L. Ward, Crowell, Route 2. 51p

Croquet is out of the oldest games played today. Croquet sets at M. S. Henry & Co.  
For Rent—Sleeping rooms for men. Cool upstairs rooms. Call J. W. McCaskill's residence.  
Miss Gertrude Moore returned home last week from Childress where she had been teaching school.

Mrs. Walter Howell of McKinney is here visiting her sister, Mrs. T. M. Beverly, arriving Wednesday.

Let us take your cut-out off and weld exhaust pipe. Save expense of a new pipe.—Swaim's Garage.

W. D. Fields of Los Angeles, Cal. was in the city Friday of last week visiting his brother, J. P. Fields, and wife.

Miss Jode Brian has returned home from Wichita Falls where she was a teacher in the public schools the past winter.

Positively no fishing, hunting or trespassing in our pastures on Good Creek.—Leslie McAdams and G. M. Yowell. 51p

Miss Lottie Woods and Miss Ethel Ross left yesterday for Boulder, Colo., where they will attend the summer session of the State University.

Miss Emma Pendleton left yesterday morning for McAllister, Okla., for a vacation of several weeks to be spent with her brother, G. W. Pendleton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loper and baby and Homer Fincher and Miss Lucile Walker from Aeme visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ricks Sunday. The Lopers are relatives of the Ricks family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bomar left recently for Henrietta where they will make their home on a ranch belonging to Furd Halsell, Mr. Bomar having a position as foreman of the ranch.

Mrs. Pauline Davis and daughter, Rosalind, who had been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Stone, of the Foard City community, left Monday for their home in Dallas.

Howard Ringgold and sister, Miss Minnie, and Mrs. W. C. McKown and daughter, Dorothy, visited relatives in Fort Worth and Collinsville last week and will return home some time this week.

Sam Brown of Sparter, Tenn., arrived this week for a visit with his sister, Mrs. G. M. Jones, of the Claytonville community, and other relatives. Mr. Jones had not seen his sister in fifty years.

Miss Winnie Self left last week for Loveland, Colo., to visit her sister, Mrs. Reid Williams, for a short time before going to Boulder where she will attend the summer session of the State University.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Propps and children arrived Sunday from Weslaco in Rio Grande valley where they had been living since the first of the year, and visited until Monday at noon in the home of Dr. J. M. Hill. They left Monday afternoon for Knox City.

Rev. J. B. Henderson and family of Blanket were here last week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Bond of Margaret and other friends. Rev. Mr. Henderson at one time was pastor of the Crowell and Margaret Baptist churches.

Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark and daughter, Miss Catherine, left Sunday afternoon for Boulder, Colorado. Their daughter, Miss Frances, who has been attending the university there, will graduate this year in the music department and will return home with the family.

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### FOR LADIES

3,000 yards O. N. T. thread for.....	\$1.00
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2 yards best 9-4 sheeting for.....	\$1.00
20 yards new pretty lace for.....	\$1.00
100 pairs pure silk thread silk hose for.....	\$1.00
24 ladies crepe gowns, \$1.50 values, choice.....	\$1.00
10 yards 36-inch good grade, brown domestic for.....	\$1.00
100 pairs ladies house shoes, choice.....	\$1.00

### FOR MEN

50 pairs 240 weight blue bibbed overalls, choice.....	\$1.00
100 men's athletic unions, 2 for.....	\$1.00
1,000 pairs black and tan hose, 10 pairs for.....	\$1.00
12 pairs knit wrist canvas gloves for.....	\$1.00
50 pairs khaki pants, choice.....	\$1.00
100 men's dress shirts, values up to \$2.00, choice.....	\$1.00
500 Earl & Wilson collars, all styles, 20 for.....	\$1.00
50 pairs work gloves, values up to \$1.50, choice.....	\$1.00
50 pairs men's tennis oxfords, sizes 8 to 11, 2 pairs.....	\$1.00

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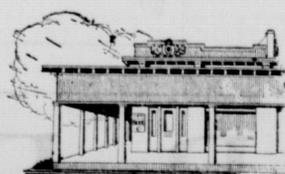
We are headquarters for all kinds of fishing tackle.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
Miss Vera Crews is at home from T. W. C. at Fort Worth.  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boman left Monday for Quinlin for a visit with Mrs. Boman's father, N. Higdon.

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Towels, 30x16, 3 pr. for . . . . . 99c	Children's lisle socks 5 for . . . . . 99c		Ladies house shoes, per pair . . . . . 99c	Men's dress shirts, collar attached, each . . . . . 99c
Flock Dot Voiles, 6 colors, 50c value, 3 yards for . . . . . 99c	Ladies Rayon silk hose, assorted colors, 2 pair for . . . . . 99c		Men's heavy gray work shirts, "Big Indians," each . . 99c	Men's leather work gloves, wristlet style, pair . . . . . 99c
32 inch gingham, 5 yards for . . . . . 99c	Children's rompers, ages 1 to 4, special, each . . . . . 99c		Men's nainsook athletic unions, 2 pair for . . . . . 99c	Men's white handkerchiefs, 18 for . . 99c
Heavy blue cheviot shirting, 5 yards for . . . . . 99c	Ladies silk hose, several colors per pr 99c		Heavy work socks, black or brown, 4 pair for . . . . . 99c	Boys' khaki play suits, a \$1.50 value, very special each 99c
Dresser scarfs, beautifully embroidered, each . . . . . 99c	Brown domestic, good quality, 10 yds. for . . . . . 99c	Ladies gingham house dresses, assorted sizes and colors, each . . . . . 99c	Fleur de Mignon toilet water, per bottle . . . . . 99c	
Register for your free chance at the hat case Friday or Saturday.	Flowered voiles, 60c values, 3 yds. for 99c	<b>Ladies Attention!</b> You can't hold the lucky number for the hat box unless you register.	6 cans talcum powder, 25c value . . 99c	

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<p><b>GROUP 1</b> Includes hats up to \$2.50 in value</p> <p><b>99c</b></p>	<p><b>GROUP 2</b> Includes hats up to \$4.50—wonderful values at</p> <p><b>\$1.99</b></p>
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- 6 Dresses—in printed crepes, light summer colors, good selection of sizes, values to \$45.00 . . . . . **\$21.99**
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- 9 dresses, beautiful light colored crepes. Our regular \$30.00 values . . . . . **\$15.99**
- 5 Dresses—printed crepes, mostly size 16, values to \$25.00 . . . . . **\$13.99**
- 6 Dresses—colors are light green, blue, tan and banana, values to \$20.00 . . . . . **\$9.99**
- 2 Dresses—long sleeve, high neck, size 42 and 48, \$7.50 values . . . . . **\$3.99**

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The reason for the large supply of gossip is the fact that so many people are eager to carry it.

#### YOU ARE INVITED

You are invited to attend a discussion to be held at the Church of Christ on the nights of June 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th, between E. J. Smith and D. N. Barnett. The propositions to be discussed read as follows:

Proposition No. 1. The method used by me and my brethren in teaching the word of God in all public assemblies of the church being to teach the assembly undivided using the Bible without lesson helps, with only one teaching at a time, and that always a man is the only scriptural method for such teaching. Affirmative—E. J. Smith; Negative, D. N. Barnett.

Proposition No. 2. It is scriptural therefore right to divide the public assembly of the church into classes for the purpose of teaching the word of God using lesson helps as put out by the Firm Foundation and the Gospel Advocate and women teachers in teaching.—Affirmative, D. N. Barnett; Negative, E. J. Smith.

This discussion was not fostered by any spirit of envy but for the love of the truth. The speakers are the very best of friends and are after the whole truth on the subject. So come and enjoy it with us.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST,  
By E. J. Smith.

#### BETTER MAILING

It was inevitable that we should have Better Mailing week. There was no escaping it, because anything so close to the people as the postal service would naturally reflect their weaknesses and be open to improvement.

The postoffice department has declared war on the "nixie," which in postoffice parlance is a piece of mail so carelessly addressed and wrapped that it can neither be delivered or returned to the sender.

This was the object of Better Mailing week which was observed the first week in June.

The one fact that the postal authorities hoped to impress on everyone is that "every man knows his own address if not that of his correspondent." The same applies to women.

In other words, every individual can save money for the postoffice department by writing a return address on every piece of mail.

The figures that the postoffice department has compiled are impressive. Twenty-one million letters could not be delivered last year due to insufficient address, no address at all or some other deficiency. One hundred thousand letters were mailed in blank envelopes. Other shortcomings of the public in this respect are:

That 803,000 parcels never reached the persons for whom the parcels were intended; that \$55,000 in cash is removed annually from misdirected letters; that \$12,000 in checks, drafts, and money orders never reach intended recipients; that Uncle Sam collects \$92,000 a year in postage for the return of mail sent to the dead letter office; that it costs Uncle Sam \$1,740,000 each year to look up addresses on mail insufficiently addressed; that 200,000,000 letters annually receive special attention because mailers are careless in the matter of addressing.

This is waste that can be eliminated through co-operation of the people. Better Mailing week is used to concentrate attention on these facts. Practicing better mailing one week will not overcome the trouble. It must become a habit to wrap parcels securely, address all mail legibly and correctly and put on a return address. Until then, the dead letter office will continue to be an institution and the taxpayers will continue to bear the burden of the needless expense that can be charged up to carelessness.

#### CASH VALUE OF EDUCATION

A university professor made a study of the lives of a number of men in the light of their school training and arrived at the conclusion, which is open to debate, that a high school course has a cash value of \$33,000 and a college course \$72,000.

While we would not minimize the value of an education, it would be foolhardy for one past the school age, to become discouraged by these arbitrary figures.

They strike an average. No one should lose sight of the fact that a man or woman adequately equipped for life from the standpoint of an education, may be a dismal failure.

And men and women without any schooling of any consequence have attained great heights in life.

Nothing will take the place of hard work and strict application to the task at hand. While education is of great value, when properly applied, it is not the supreme thing in a successful life.

Human nature changes very little As the Centuries pass,  
Men still play both ends against the middle  
And always come out last.

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### RGASSO IS SEA OF MANY SECRETS

#### Expedition Will Explore Mysterious Region.

As if an enormous giant had put his finger into the sea and stirred it round, the entire North Atlantic ocean slowly revolves in the direction of the clock's hands.

In the center is the Sargasso sea, a gigantic collection of floating islands, made of seaweed and inhabited by countless living things.

Nobody knows how Herodotus, in ancient times, came by the alarming stories he told of this mysterious region, for it is only during recent years that it has been properly charted.

When Columbus and his men were drawn into this oval-shaped vortex, his ship remained out of control for 15 days, and the crew thought they were condemned to perish in a watery prison, closely guarded by seaweed barriers for 200,000 square miles. But a strong wind luckily carried the ship to safety.

Supported in the water by small air balloons, the feathery weeds of Sargasso are mostly olive-brown in color, with blotches of white. The chief source of supply has been proved to be the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean sea.

Sailors do not like this strange tract which floats, almost like land, on the bosom of the Atlantic. It is reputed to be the home of barbarous fish and the hiding place of mysterious monsters. Animals drifting about on the surface of the sea, with only the scattered cover of moving seaweed, are exposed to many dangers, not only from the birds always hovering above, but from hungry fish lurking in the patches of uncovered sea, which is the bluest in the world.

To protect themselves, all the living creatures imitate, in a remarkable way, the color of their floating home. One grotesque little animal is conspicuous owing to the disproportionate size of its head and jaws, and resembles the frog fish, sometimes seen near British coasts.

Making its nest of seaweed bound together by long cords of its own manufacture, this singular creature combines all the characteristics of an animal, a fish, and a bird.

A short-tailed crab of the shell-less type swarms on the Sargasso weed and is blotched with white to match the light patches on its surroundings. These and many more peculiar creatures will be examined by Professor Beebe, of New York, who recently set out to explore this little-known region.

A secret ambition of the expedition is to capture a monster squid, a terrifying fish of the cuttlefish family, with black eyes at least 12 inches in diameter and a body 80 feet in length. The body of these giants, one of which the explorers hope to capture, is wrapped in a loose mantle, from an opening in which emerges the evil-looking head with its sharp, parrot-like beak.

This Sargasso monster is the tiger of the ocean, and, like its striped counterpart on land, is said to kill even when not hungry—for the sheer pleasure of killing.

Ask a man's wife if you want to know his weak points.

Most women would rather have "say it with a car" and spend the flower money for gasoline.

#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as trustee, named and appointed on a certain deed of trust recorded in Vol. 12 on page 531, deed of trust records of Foard County, Texas, executed and delivered to me on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1924, by J. S. Ansley, a single man, and J. L. Ansley joined by his wife, Ola Ansley, for the better securing the payment of eleven (11) certain promissory vendors' notes, dated January 31st, A. D. 1924, and for the principal sum each of \$3,696.00, and due respectively, January 1st, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, and 1936, and bearing interest from date at the rate of eight per cent per annum until paid, and more fully described in said deed of trust, payable to the order of G. M. Yowell, S. W. Weatherall, and G. W. Britton, at Paducah, Texas, and providing that in the event the said notes are placed in the hands of an attorney for collection then an additional amount of ten per cent of the amount or principal and interest then due shall be added thereto as attorney's fees, said notes executed by J. S. Ansley and J. L. Ansley, and providing that the interest shall become due and payable annually as it accrues, and said deed of trust and notes specifying that a failure to pay the said notes or any installment of interest due thereon shall at the option of the holder of said notes mature all of said notes, and the said deed of trust specifying that in case of default or failure to make prompt payment of said indebtedness, or any part thereof, principal or interest, as the same shall become due and payable then in that event the said Trustee is hereby authorized and empowered, and it shall be his special duty, at the request of the payee in said notes to sell the hereinafter described property to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door of the county in which said property, or any part thereof, is situated at public outcry between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in any month, after having given notice of such sale by posting up written or printed notices at three public places in the said county of Foard and State of Texas, one of which shall be at the courthouse door of said county of Foard, State of Texas, and all of which said notices shall have been posted for at least three consecutive weeks prior to the date of sale. And, whereas, the said above described notes and indebtedness were given in part payment for the purchase money of the following described lands and premises located and situated in the County of Foard, and State of Texas, and more particularly described as: 1st tract, All of survey No. 1 by virtue of Veteran Donation Cert. No. 1123, issued to John S. Craft, and patented to Sam H. Royal, assignee, on June 12th, 1888, by Pat. No. 597, Vol. 6, 2nd tract, All of section No. 10 located and surveyed for the public free school fund by virtue of Cert. No. 3739, issued to the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Ry. Co. 3rd tract, All of the fractional part of section No. 11, by virtue of Cert. No. 3738, issued to the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe R. Co. The said land described in a warranty deed dated January 31st, 1924, given by G. M. Yowell, S. W. Weatherall and G. W. Britton to J. S. and J. L. Ansley, to which reference is made.

And, whereas, the said G. M. Yowell, S. W. Weatherall and G. W. Britton are the present owners and holders of said notes, and the said J. S. Ansley and J. L. Ansley and Ola Ansley have made default in the payment of the interest due and payable on January 1st, A. D. 1925, in the sum of \$2,900.00, and the same is now past due and unpaid, and the payees aforesaid have in writing demanded payment of the same and which the payors have failed and refused to pay, and as provided in said deed of trust and notes the payees have and do by these presents elect and declare all of said notes and interest thereon due and unpaid and declare all of said indebtedness matured and have so notified the payors aforesaid in writing, and whereas each of said notes is now past due and unpaid now aggregating principal, interest and attorney fees \$40,000.00, and whereas, I, J. Ross Bell, trustee in said deed of trust have been requested by the payees, G. M. Yowell, S. W. Weatherall and G. W. Britton, and each of them to enforce said trust, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to-wit between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of July, A. D. 1925, at the courthouse door in the town of Crowell, in Foard County, Texas, the above described property and premises with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging.

Witness my hand this the 5th day of June, A. D. 1925.

J. ROSS BELL, Trustee.

#### Margaret Missionary Society

The Margaret Methodist Missionary society met in regular session Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. June 6th. The leader for the afternoon, Mrs. Jimmie Hembree, and other members of the society rendered an excellent "voice program." We urge all members to come to the meeting next Monday afternoon. The society begins a study of the book of Acts, at this meeting.—Supt. Publicity.

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He returns it to them looking like a new one, and the owner saves the price of a new one.

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Dock Wright

# BAPTISTS DENOUNCE EVOLUTION; REPORT PROGRESS IN THEIR WORK

### Southern Convention at Memphis Adopts Statement of Baptist Faith and Message for Information of World—Co-operative Program for Support of Enterprises Endorsed.

Many large achievements were reported to the Southern Baptist Convention at its recent session at Memphis by its various missionary, educational and benevolent enterprises, although none of them had at its command during the past year as large funds as were needed.

The Hospital Commission reported 34 Baptist hospitals in operation in the South, with three others under construction. These institutions treated over 100,000 patients during the year and did over \$1,000,000 in charity work for deserving poor.

More than 1,000 aged preachers and their dependent ones were aided by the Relief and Annuity Board.

#### MANY BAPTISTS REPORTED

The Sunday School Board reported a gain of 949 Sunday Schools for the year, with 155,236 new pupils, bringing the present number of Southern Baptist Sunday schools to 21,570, with an enrollment of 2,563,953. Other items in the board's statistical report show that there are now 27,517 Baptist churches affiliated with the Convention which last year reported 209,676 baptisms and which now have 3,766,863 members.

During the past 25 years Southern Baptists have increased the number of their schools, colleges and theological seminaries from 65 to 117 and the

the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds and religious opinions should be tried."

#### THE FALL OF MAN

"Man was created by the special act of God as recorded in Genesis. 'So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.' (Gen. 1:27). 'And the Lord God formed man out of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.' (Gen. 2:7). He was created in a state of holiness under the law of his maker but through the temptation of Satan he transgressed the command of God and fell from his original holiness and righteousness; whereby his posterity inherit a nature corrupt and in bondage to sin, are under condemnation, and as soon as they are capable of moral action, become actual transgressors."

#### THE WAY OF SALVATION

"Salvation of sinners is wholly of grace, through the mediatorial office of the Son of God, who by the Holy Spirit was born of the Virgin Mary and took upon him our nature, yet without sin; honored the divine law by his personal obedience, and made atonement for our sins by his death. 'Being risen from the dead he is now enthroned in heaven and uniting in his person the tenderest sympathies with divine perfections, he is in every way qualified to be a compassionate and all-sufficient Savior."

#### CO-OPERATION

"Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure co-operation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over each other or over the churches. They are voluntary and advisory bodies designed to elicit, combine and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Individual members of New Testament churches should co-operate with each other, and the churches themselves should co-operate with each other in carrying forward the missionary, educational and benevolent program for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary co-operation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. It is permissible and desirable as between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such co-operation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament."

#### STEWARDSHIP

"God is the source of all blessings, temporal and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. We have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the Gospel, and a binding stewardship in our possessions. We are therefore under obligation to serve Him with our time, talents and material possessions; and should recognize all these as preaching the Gospel of Christ, and of God and helping others. Christians should cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately and liberally contribute of their means to advancing the Redeemer's cause on earth."

#### EVOLUTION IS DENOUNCED

To the statement of faith proper the Convention added a declaration upon the relation of science and religion in which the theory of evolution was denounced. Referring to evolution the statement says: "Its best exponents admit that the causes of the origin of species have not been traced, nor has any proof been forthcoming that man is not the direct creation of God as recorded in Genesis. We protest against imposition of this theory of evolution upon the minds of our children in denominational or public schools as if it were a definite and established truth of science. We insist that this and all other theories be dealt with in a truly scientific way, that is, in careful conformity to established facts.

"We record again our unwavering adherence to the supernatural elements in the Christian religion. The Bible is God's revelation of himself through men moved by the Holy Spirit, and is our sufficient, certain and authoritative guide in religion. Jesus Christ was born of the Virgin Mary, through the power of the Holy Spirit. He was the divine and eternal Son of God. He wrought miracles healing the sick, casting out demons raising the dead. He died as the vicarious, atoning Savior of the world and was buried. He arose again from the dead. The tomb was empty of its contents. In his risen body he appeared many times to his disciples. He ascended to the right hand of the Father. He will come again in person, the same Jesus who ascended from the Mount of Olives.

"We believe that adherence above truths and facts is a condition of service for to our Baptist schools."

#### Notice of Road Bond Election THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

To the resident property taxpaying voters of Foard County:

Take notice that an election will be held on the 23rd day of June, 1925, within Foard County, Texas, to determine if said county shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the commissioners court on the 19th day of May, 1925, which is as follows:

On this, the 19th day of May, 1925, the commissioners court of Foard County, Texas, convened in special session at the regular meeting place thereof in the court house at Crowell, Texas, all members of the court, to-wit: Jesse Owens, County Judge; A. B. Wisdom, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; D. A. Solis, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; E. M. Crosnoe, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; W. E. Thomson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; being present, came on to be considered the petition of H. D. Lawson and 83 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Foard County in the sum of \$460,000.00, bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the commissioners court, not exceeding 5 1/2%, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining, and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of Foard County subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and

It appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Foard County, and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Foard County;

It is therefore considered and ordered by the court that an election be held in said county, on the 23rd day of June, 1925, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of \$460,000.00 bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the commissioners court, not exceeding 5 1/2%, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 627 to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 203, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this county, and who are resident property taxpayers in this county, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

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

"Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

The polling places and the presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At Crowell, Crowell Voting Precinct No. 1, in south part of the east half on the first floor of the county court house, with W. W. Griffith as presiding officer;

At Crowell, Crowell Voting Precinct No. 2, in the county judge's office in the county court house, with J. C. Seif as presiding officer;

At Crowell, Crowell Voting Precinct No. 3, in the county tax assessor's office in the county court house, with A. T. Schooley as presiding officer;

At Crowell, Crowell Voting Precinct No. 4, in the book room in the county court house, with Sam Crews as presiding officer;

At Margaret, Margaret Voting Precinct No. 5, in the scales house to the grain elevator, with Joe Orr as presiding officer;

At Thalia, Thalia Voting Precinct No. 6, in A. C. Phillips' Garage, with Walter Johnson as presiding officer;

At Thalia, Thalia Voting Precinct No. 7, in Long-Creves' Hdq. store, with C. C. Wheeler as presiding officer;

At Foard City, Foard City Voting Precinct No. 8, in the Foard City school house, with Frank Weatherall as presiding officer;

At Black School House, Black school house Voting Precinct No. 9, in the Black school house, with Claude Nichols as presiding officer;

At Vivian, Vivian Voting Precinct No. 10, in the Vivian school house, with H. Young as presiding officer;

At Rayland, Rayland Voting Precinct No. 11, in Wood's Garage, with H. D. Lawson as presiding officer;

At Good Creek School House, Good Creek Voting Precinct No. 12, in the Good Creek School House, with C. E. Dunn as presiding officer.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Foard County News, a newspaper published in the county, for four successive weeks before the date of said election, and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the county, one of which shall be at the court house door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The county judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted, as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until

the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this court.

Given under my hand, with the seal of the Commissioners Court affixed, this 20th day of May, 1925. (Seal) JESSE OWENS, 50 County Judge, Foard Co., Texas.

### Revolutionary Patriot Deserving of Honor

"Who in heaven's name is Hercules Mulligan?" must have been the approximate exclamation of every one who read a newspaper headline saying that a gentleman of that name had been proposed for the Hall of Fame at New York university. And not only who, but why? The inquirer naturally approached the question with some arrogance, but after he had listened for a brief moment to Michael J. O'Brien, historiographer of the American Irish Historical society, who proposed Mr. Mulligan, he went away with meek and drooping tail feathers. For, believe Mr. O'Brien, who knows and can back up his words with documents, Hercules Mulligan was some person, says a New York letter in the Baltimore Sun.

It appears that Hercules Mulligan was the American patriot who led a crowd on the afternoon of July 9, 1776, from the Common, now City Hall park, New York, to Bowling Green and there tore down and destroyed the hateful statue there erected of George III of England. The crowd had just been listening to the reading of the Declaration of Independence, which was then brand new and had quite a different effect on audiences from what it has now.

But that is not nearly all about Hercules Mulligan, for even a closely condensed record of his principal claims to fame takes over half a newspaper column. He was a prominent member and organizer of the Sons of Liberty; friend, confidant and host of George Washington; the friend, protector and confidant of Alexander Hamilton.

According to Mr. O'Brien's researches, when Alexander Hamilton arrived here from the West Indies at the age of sixteen, he had a letter to Mr. Mulligan, who was a merchant in Water street. The merchant was just twice the age of Hamilton and took him to live with him, and later started him as a student in the College of New Jersey, which is now Princeton.

Other claims of Mulligan to fame were that he saved Washington from capture or assassination by the forces of Gen. Henry Clinton, was host to Washington and his officers at his home in Queens street on the first Evacuation day, and that he was the first to introduce instrumental music in the churches of New York, he being a vestryman of Trinity church.

Mr. O'Brien's nomination of Hercules Mulligan was received two days too late to be considered, but it has served to introduce a lively patriotic figure to a lot of us ignorant people, who are glad to make his acquaintance.

#### Ho, Hum!

A New York physician warns girls that their frivolous habits, smoking, jazzing and drinking, will shorten their lives.

"Swaste of breath, Doc! They've shortened their skirts, their hair and code of morals in spite of warnings, and they'll go right ahead and shorten their lives if they want to, and no little thing like a warning's gonna stop 'em.

You can't be short-sighted and long-lived—but girls don't care. But there is one thing you can't get the female of the species to shorten—and that's—yes, you guessed it—her conversation.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

#### Solace for Puppies

"We were given a couple of puppies recently and had to keep them in the basement, where they cried and whimpered all night long, keeping the neighbors awake as well as us," a Detroit related. "A neighbor pounded on our door the middle of the third night and told us how to make those blankety-blank pups shut up. 'Give them a hot water bottle to cuddle against and they'll be happy and quiet until morning,' he said. The pups have had their hot water bottle every night since, and haven't whimpered once."—Detroit News.

#### Famous Ring

The museum of Versailles now has the ring with which M. Clemenceau sealed the famous treaty in 1919, and it is a ring that had an interesting history ever before that. Charles Naudin, who maintained that he was Louis XVII of France, gave it to Jules Favre, who became foreign minister, and M. Favre used it to seal the armistice of 1871 at Versailles, because Bismarck was unwilling to wait until the state seal could be brought from Paris—Youth's Companion.

#### The Missing Proof

Dr. Percy Slickney Grant, taking his rest cure at Bedford Hills, said of a suggested proof that the world was growing less religious:

"I think you have proved just the opposite. Your proof, in fact, reminds me of the servant girl to whom her mistress, after a trip to Florida, said: 'Did my husband miss me during my month at Miami, Norah?' 'Shure, mum,' said Norah, 'OI didn't notice it so much at first, but yesterday he was in despair like.'"

It is hoped some of the high school girls will be able to apply their domestic science training at home this summer.

#### Their Way

"I reckon I'll hafta quit taking my children to the picture shows," at the crossroads store remarked Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge.

"What's the matter—they ketch the itch, or something that-a-way?" asked an acquaintance. "Not yet, as far as I know. But what's the matter is that they get so devilish interested in the picture that they furgit whur they're at. They all decide for one feller on the screen and whoop and holler for him till the roof lifts, or else part of 'em are fur him and the rest ag'in him, and while one side cheers the other side snarls till directly they jump up a-cussing and tear into each other like fighting fire."—Kansas City Star.

#### Flying Flivver Era Tardy

Cheap, light airplanes for popular use and ownership are still a development of the future, says Prof. E. M. Low, in charge of the light airplane competition recently held in England to encourage hope for an era of flying flivvers. The public interest still is apathetic, he said, and the manufacturers of light airplanes have not succeeded to any extent in perfecting their machines. The small light planes are very noisy, dirty, dangerous and uncomfortable, according to Professor Low.

#### Clock Has One Hand

An oblong clock with a single hand, and shaped like a thermometer, is the latest innovation in timepieces. The space between each hour number is divided into minute units. Smaller figures mark the 15-minute periods. A pointer traveling in a slot between the columns of figures, is attached to an endless chain actuated by a mechanism at the bottom of the case. When the pointer reaches the bottom it turns and starts upward, pointing in the opposite direction.

#### Where Modesty Wins

A modest person seldom falls to gain the good will of those he converses with because nobody envies a man who does not appear to be pleased with himself.

#### Has Penetration

The largest X-ray machine ever built, capable of generating 200,000 voltages of rays, will penetrate through one-quarter inch of lead, one foot of aluminum and two feet of brick.

#### Women Win Recognition

The press gallery of the British parliament is now open to women, and the first of the sex to take advantage of the privilege was Miss Stella W. Murray.

Health, good looks, and money are the most sought-after things, and it's human to sacrifice either or both of the first named for the last.

### You May Have Pellagra

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total assets of these schools from \$7,500,000 to \$48,000,000, it was reported by the Education Board. In these institutions there are 38,000 Baptist students.

The Home Mission Board employed 1,077 workers during the year who reported 30,027 baptisms and 50,354 additions to the churches, the erection or repair of 355 church houses and the organization of 608 Sunday schools.

On 17 foreign fields the Foreign Mission Board has employed 618 American missionaries and 2,443 native workers. A total of 12,134 baptisms were reported by these workers for the year, bringing the present membership of the foreign churches to 117,961.

#### ENDORSES CO-OPERATIVE PROGRAM

The Convention heartily endorsed the co-operative plan for the support of all its missionary, educational and benevolent work and named a Commission on the Co-operative Program which will seek to enlist all the Baptist churches of the South in the regular, systematic support of home, state and foreign missions, ministerial relief and Baptist schools, hospitals and orphanages. Churches not already supporting all these enterprises through weekly contributions are invited to assume such support at once. The Convention endorsed the plan of the Commission discouraging independent appeals to churches and individuals on the part of special denominational interests, urging all of them to look to the Co-operative Program for their support and asking all the churches to support the Program.

#### STAND BY THE OLD BIBLE

That the world may know where Southern Baptists stand upon the great fundamental Christian doctrines, many of which are being assailed today, the convention adopted a statement of the Baptist faith and message, in which attacks upon the inspiration and authority of the Bible and the divinity of Christ were vigorously refuted.

Here are some of the leading declarations in the statement as it was adopted:

#### THE SCRIPTURES

"We believe that the Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is a perfect treasure of heavenly instruction; that it has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter; that it reveals the principles by which God will judge us, and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and

# To Those Who Have the Welfare of Crowell and Foard County at Heart

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The great trouble with many races to beat a train to the crossing is that they are a dead heat.

Flying ants damage buildings. High flying uncles deface the landscape.

### Cramped and Suffered

"My back and head would ache, and I had to go to bed," says Mrs. W. L. Ennis, of Worthville, Ky. "I just could not stay up, for I would cramp and suffer so. I was very nervous. My children would get on my nerves." It wasn't a pleasure for me to try to go anywhere, I felt so bad. My mother had taken

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at one time, so she insisted that I try it. I took four bottles of Cardui, and if one should see me now they wouldn't think I had ever been sick. "I have gained twenty pounds, and my cheeks are rosy. I feel just fine. I am regular and haven't the pain. "Life is a pleasure. I can do my work with ease. I give Cardui the praise." Cardui has relieved many thousands of cases of pain and female trouble, and should help you, too. Take Cardui. At All Druggists' E-10

### Victoria Invested Wisely

Through the good advice of Disraeli, her chief adviser, Queen Victoria of England, invested in Suez canal stock and was thus enabled eventually to leave additional millions to her children. She also was one of the original owners of a share in the New River Water company which provided the water supply for London. The water shares, originally worth a pound (\$5), enhanced in value to where they were worth millions, and even the richest of others like the Rothschilds were forced to be content later with a sixteenth or a thirty-second of a share.

### Quake Made Trouble

All was peaceful and quiet Saturday night in the Springfield police station when Patrolman Clark, who was entering something in the police blotter, suddenly shouted: "For the love of Mike, Mitchell, stop shaking the table. How do you suppose I can write?" Patrolman Mitchell indignantly denied that he was shaking the table and accused Clark of being responsible. The argument was waxing warm, with each denying and accusing, when the telephone rang and gave them their first inkling that an earthquake was the cause of the table's strange behavior.—Boston Globe.

### China's Trade in Bones

For many years, the economical Chinese have put animal bone to good use for various ornamental and practical articles and for fertilizer, but the traffic in this commodity in recent times has greatly increased so that now they are said to be importing large quantities. During the first six months of 1923 Shanghai alone imported nearly 1,500 tons of cow bone valued at more than \$238,000, principally for tile-game makers. In 1922, China exported more than \$1,000,000 worth of bone.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

### Sheet Covers Two Acres

Near Fitzgerald, Ga., there is a large tobacco field or bed covering two unbroken acres, so that a large sheet containing two acres of cloth had to be designed to cover it. The bed is on the farm owned by H. K. Sligh, which is on the Dixie highway.

### Use the Bath Spray

You can keep your screens clean by giving them a bath every week with the bath spray. Then your curtains will not soil so easily.

Another one of life's inconsistencies is that a baseball player works when it is too hot to work and loaf when it is too cold to work.

### Good for the Circulation

Cortlandt Bleecker said at the annual Parrot ball at the Ritz-Carlton in New York:

"The new fashions are transparent. Well, we're used to that. But have you remarked—I know you have, of course—the return of the slashed skirt? The short, very tight skirt with a long slash at the left side has returned, and it's—well, it's a revelation.

"A grand dame, got up in transparent blouse and slashed skirt and all the rest of it, stopped at my table in a restaurant the other day at luncheon time and laughed and said:

"I love these new fashions. They make me feel so girlish, Cortlandt. Every time a man looks at me I blush."

### Inkwell Covers Itself

The annoyance of removing the cover of an inkwell every time a pen is to be used has been obviated by an ingenious cover that is closed by a small glass ball rolling on a runway, says Popular Science Monthly. When a pen is inserted the ball is pushed back easily. As the pen is removed the ball rolls forward, closing the well from dust and air.

### Can Move Tall Trees

Tall trees are now successfully transplanted by means of a newly invented machine.

### Traffic in Human Hair

Ninety-nine tons of human hair was exported from Hongkong in 1923.

### Soup or Coffee?

Officials of a New York broadcast studio sent this story to editors: During the broadcast of a hotel orchestra, a waiter dropped a loaded tray. The next day the station received a special delivery letter containing the following earnest query: "Was it soup or coffee that splashed when the tray was dropped? We stand two to one in my family that it was a distinctive coffee splash, with only my wife holding out for soup."—Collier's Weekly.

### Siphon Water to Capital

An automobile could be driven through the world's largest siphon, which is nearing completion on the outskirts of Washington, says Popular Science Monthly. It is to be used for the Great Fall conduit which will supply water to the national capital, and is expected to be ready for operation in May. This single siphon is sufficient in a stretch of 20 miles of piping, to give the water momentum enough to reach its destination.

### Backache Is a Warning!

Crowell Folks Are Learning How to Heed It.

Are you miserable with an aching back? Do you get up lame and stiff; drag through the day feeling tired, weak and depressed? Then you should help your kidneys. Backache is often the first sign of failing kidneys. Urinary troubles quickly follow. Neglected, there's danger of gravel, dropsy or fatal Bright's disease. Don't wait for serious kidney sickness! Use Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys, before it is too late. This Crowell resident tells an experience: Chas. Loyd, prop. Orient Hotel, says: "My kidneys were in bad shape and the secretions were scanty and burned in passage. My back also bothered me with a dull, mean hurting. I began to use Doan's Pills for the trouble and they soon regulated my kidneys and rid me of backache."

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A modernist is one who never examined his family tree because he fears it will make a monkey out of him.

Some people find life very similar to a vaudeville show. You think the next act will be a little better, but it isn't.

Plenty of fellows who act like they are hard-boiled are merely soaked.

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### Marriage of Royalty

British princes and princesses may not marry before the age of twenty-five without the king's consent; if over twenty-five they may marry by giving 12 months' notice beforehand to the privy council, unless parliament decides against the proposed match.

### May Rid World of Scourge

A recently discovered alleged cure of tropical sleeping sickness, the discoverers say, is capable of ridding South Africa of the sleeping-sickness scourge.

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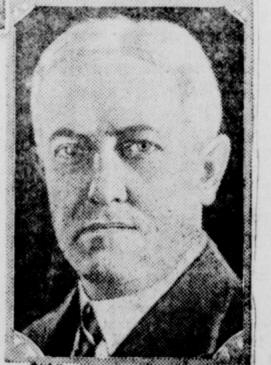
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### Fitting Commemoration Owed to Future Generations, Says Davis



Central Group for Stone Mountain

THE effort to complete the Stone Mountain Memorial to the men of the Confederacy has my warmest sympathy and approval," says John W. Davis, and continues, "The military genius of Lee, Jackson and their colleagues and the valorous deeds of the men who followed them are now a part of the country's common heritage. Generations still to come will draw inspiration from the brave deeds of those who fought both for and against the union in the Civil War. We owe it to future generations to see that this chapter of American history is fittingly commemorated both in the North and in the South. In authorizing the mintage of the series of Memorial Half-Dollars to be sold in aid of this enterprise, Congress has expressed, I am sure, the sentiment of a United country and I trust the campaign inaugu-



JOHN W. DAVIS

rated for the sale of these coins will meet prompt and ready success."