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## Bond Election Is Ordered for Foard City School Building

An election has been ordered for the voting of bonds in the Foard City school district on February 13th, with which to enlarge the school building and increase the school facilities in that district.

The old building which has been serving the district for a good many years, has become inadequate to the needs of the district and there is a strong sentiment in favor of more building.

It is planned to make an addition to the old building to cost about \$20,000. The present building is of brick and is good so far as it goes but does not furnish enough room for present needs. It is thought by making such addition a thoroughly modern building can be had with steam heat and all modern equipment at an expenditure of \$20,000.

This can be done without an increase in the taxable values. For some years that district has had the rate limit of \$1.00 and it is found to be impossible to set aside 35 cents of this amount for bonds and maintain the school on the remaining 65 cents. The taxable values of the district, since it has been consolidated with the Baker Flat school, is about \$400,000. The building of a school house, such as those people have in mind, will place Foard City in the forefront in school matters, a position it should occupy, since it is one of the most richly blessed of any in the county in point of agricultural possibilities, and should have as good as the best.

## Wheat Is Said to Be Needing Moisture

The farmers generally here would be mighty glad to see a good season. U. C. Rader asked Tom Cates a few days ago what he thought the wheat needed and Mr. Cates replied that it needed a two inch rain and then an 8-inch snow following the rain. That is about the way the wheat farmers are thinking about it, and it would be a great boon to the crop. For some time it has been a little dry and we have had several frosts and the farmers say a good rain would revive the crop and reclaim it from the effects of frosts. It is not particularly suffering from dry weather, yet a good season would be welcomed. Now is a good time for the rains to come to carry the crop over until spring.

But while one is not justified in being over-enthusiastic over the small grain outlook, conditions are by no means discouraging. The wheat is still furnishing splendid pasture and is looking fairly well. If rains come any time within the next few weeks, it seems to us, there is every reason to expect a good crop this year.

## Farm Bureau Elects Officers and Sends Delegates to Dallas

Members of the Foard County Farm Bureau met in County Agent Fred Rennels' office at the court house Monday afternoon and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, R. B. Bell; secretary-treasurer, C. B. Morris; vice president, W. A. Cogdell; directors, C. O. Nichols, Joe L. Orr, Claude Callaway.

Ab Dunn was elected as a delegate to attend the farm bureau meeting at Dallas set for Jan. 21 and 22. C. B. Morris and Joe L. Orr were elected as alternates and the matter was left to the president to make additional appointments of alternates, or to secure, if possible, as many as three who would agree to attend the meeting.

The matter of reorganizing the cotton association is to be taken up at a later date. The prevailing opinion of those present was that the association had proven beneficial in fostering the interests of the farmers and it seems to be their desire that it be continued. It becomes necessary to re-inlist the support of the farmers, as the 5-year contract expired the first of the year. Nothing can be definitely decided as to the cotton association until it is learned whether or not the farmers want to sign up for another 5 years.

There seems to be little or no complaint on the part of those farmers who have stayed with the association. They feel that it has benefitted them financially in the long run and they think it would be to their advantage to keep it functioning.

## Thieves Steel Spare Tires from Two Fords Here Last Sun. Night

Sometimes one forgets that thieves are still active in this community. On last Sunday night they stole two spare tires from cars in Crowell, one from J. H. Self's car while it stood in front of his home on the driveway, the other from Sam Russell's car while it stood in front of the Methodist church.

Thieving of this nature is occurring almost every night in some quarters and it is well for one to guard against it by putting everything that can be locked where they would have a little trouble in getting hold of it. It is almost impossible to get trace of such thieving and it is a loss that can hardly be run down. It is supposed that this is practiced by fellows who take this stuff out of the community and sell it. It is coming to be a profession with them.

## Cates Wins Prizes at Memphis Poultry Show

Jim Cates exhibited some of his Buff Orpington and R. I. Reds at the Memphis Poultry show last Thursday, Friday and Saturday and took a lot of prizes. He took 26 Buff Orpingtons and 4 Reds. He took all firsts on Buffs, besides four seconds and three 3rds. On Reds he took 1st on cockerel. There were 85 buffs in the show and 130 Reds.

Cates also won the prize on the best display in solid colors and the best display in the entire show, and champion on solid colored male.

He returned very proud of his winnings and said that he made a number of splendid sales. The judge said he had birds that rank with the best to be found in the country, especially in Buffs.

Mr. Cates is very much interested in the breeding of better poultry and has already built up one of the very best flocks to be found in the entire country. His winnings are not only worth much to him, but they mean a great deal for the county in the advertisement it gives us for thoroughbred poultry raising.

Everyone here is always pleased when a Foard County poultry breeder gets such recognition as Mr. Cates got in this show, as well as that gotten by all who have ever exhibited their birds in shows outside of this county.

## B. W. Self Plans to Build New Home

B. W. Self has bought property east of Paul Shirley's place, formerly owned by John S. Ray, and expects to erect a new brick-veneered building for a home. It will consist of 7 rooms and will be modern in every particular.

Mr. Self is now placing material on the ground and expects to get started to building at an early date.

## Wisdom Announces For Commissioner

A. E. Wisdom authorizes the News to make his announcement for reelection to the office of county commissioner of precinct No. 1.

Mr. Wisdom was elected to serve his first term at the last election but had served a portion of a term by appointment to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. D. Stephenson. Mr. Wisdom is a safe man, as he has proven by his service, for the responsible position of commissioner, and should be the choice of the voters of his precinct, he will continue to give the best service of which he is capable.

## PUTS IN ELECTRICAL SHOP

Velox Ward is putting in an electrical repair shop on Main Street, in the new building being erected by E. Swaim just opposite the Swaim Garage. Mr. Swaim has put a sheet iron building on his property there for Mr. Ward and the latter expects to open for business within a day or two.

He will do all kinds of electrical repairing, as well as repairing of machinery of different kinds, such as often receives secondary consideration by the garages, etc. He hopes to make this a business that will supply a long-felt need in Crowell. Ward is a good mechanic and will do good, honest work.



## Fisher, Lost for Two Weeks, Is Found

Authentic news reached here Wednesday to the effect that Henry L. Fisher, who mysteriously disappeared from Vernon about two weeks ago, woke up in Memphis, Tennessee, late Wednesday. Mr. Fisher himself, according to the report sent the message and stated that his memory had been a blank since the time of his disappearance, and that when he came to himself and realized who he was and where he was he found that he was in Memphis.

It will be remembered that Mr. Fisher went to Vernon about two weeks ago to transact business and late in the afternoon he sent a phone message to his wife that he was returning by way of Chillicothe and that he might be late returning home

that night. He did not come and the next day a search was made and for several days afterwards and finally hope of finding him was given up.

The message states that he sent a telegram to his wife who is now with relatives at Grandview, Texas. Mr. Fisher said he was leaving Wednesday night for his home at Thalia and would wire again when he reached Fort Worth.

The information was conveyed by the sheriff of Wilbarger County to Sheriff Campbell here, and Mr. Campbell sent a man to Vernon yesterday to accompany Mr. Fisher home. Mr. Fisher's friends are glad to know that he is still alive and that he will soon be at home with his wife and friends.

## Poultry Ass'n. Sets Dates for Next Show and Elects Officers

The Foard County Poultry Association met last week and set the dates for the next county poultry show, fixing the time as December 2nd, 3rd and 4th, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of that week.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. J. R. Allee; secretary, Mrs. Jim Cates; treasurer, A. Y. Beverly; vice presidents, T. J. Cates, Joe L. Orr, Jim Cates, R. H. Cooper, E. V. Halbert, Mr. Benham, George Self, Mrs. G. W. Harrell.

## Quannah Man Killed in Automobile Wreck

According to a dispatch in the daily papers, Hervey Mann, a local cotton buyer at Quannah, was killed in an automobile wreck last Saturday when his car collided with another and was turned over several times.

## Young Lady from Quannah Is Selected As Teacher Here

Miss Edith Hanna, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Hanna, has been elected by the Crowell school board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Oscar Boman.

Mrs. Boman's resignation was made necessary on account of a breakdown which she suffered recently. Her physician has advised that she must take a rest from the arduous tasks of the school room until her health has been regained. Mrs. Boman is one of the best teachers Crowell ever had and it is to be regretted that she must cease her labors for a time.

Miss Hanna is an A. B. graduate from Baylor and has had experience in the Quannah schools. Her place here will be in the high school, taking the position occupied by Mrs. R. B. Underwood and Mrs. Underwood going to the position vacated by Mrs. Boman in the elementary department.

## Funeral of M. A. McBeath Held at M. E. Church Sat.

The funeral of M. A. McBeath who was found dead on his emigrant train last Saturday shortly after the Orient train had arrived at Chillicothe, was held here Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church, Rev. W. J. Mayhew, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. S. A. Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church, conducting the services.

Mr. McBeath was shipping his household goods and some livestock to Texline, near which place he was intending to make his home. Mrs. McBeath and their two children had already gone to Texline and were awaiting the arrival of the husband and father when the sad news reached them of his death. She and the children and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clurry, arrived from Texline Friday.

The report first came that the man had been murdered but the opinion of many is that his death was caused by an accident somewhere between Crowell and Chillicothe while the train was switching. They think it is altogether probable that the sudden closing of the car door caught the man and crushed his head. Others still hold to the opinion that there was foul play. Up to the present time there seems to be no clue that will lead to the unraveling of the mystery of the man's death.

M. A. McBeath was born October 17, 1893, and died Jan. 14, 1926. He leaves a wife and two children, one a boy, 7 years of age, and a girl 2 years of age.

He is survived also by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McBeath, of Crowell; four brothers, H. M. McBeath, Abilene; J. L. McBeath, Thalia; P. M. and Denzil McBeath of Crowell; one sister, Mrs. R. M. Abbott, Lubbock. Four brothers are dead.

Those from a distance attending the funeral services are: R. M. Abbott, wife and son, Vernon, of Lubbock; J. S. Patterson and wife, brother of Mrs. J. K. McBeath, and their son, J. S. Jr., of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curry of Clayton, N. M.; two brothers of Mrs. Curry, G. W. and S. A. Allison, of Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boothe and sons, A. L. and Randolph, relatives of Mrs. J. L. McBeath of Thalia; and H. M. McBeath, a brother of the deceased, from Abilene, and his wife.

A large company of friends and sympathizers assembled at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral services and to pay their respects to the deceased and relatives.

The death of Mr. McBeath is a very sad occurrence and brings sorrow to many hearts here.

## Blanket of Snow Covers the Ground

As we go to press, Thursday afternoon, a blanket of snow now covers the ground. It began to snow Wednesday night and fell for the most part all night and snowed all day Thursday. Possibly the snow is three or four inches deep on a level.

It will be worth much to the small grain crops. Farmers are feeling good over the prospects for another wheat crop.

## FOR COUNTY JUDGE

J. E. Atcheson authorizes the News to make his announcement as a candidate for county judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Atcheson came to Foard County in 1909, resided at Foard City until the year 1921, when he moved to Crowell, where he has since resided.

Mr. Atcheson has taught in the public schools of Texas and Oklahoma, which qualifies him for the office of ex-officio county superintendent, which is a portion of the duties of the office for which he is now asking.

He believes in maintaining the public roads and highways to meet the needs of the public at a minimum cost, and as to the finances of the county he believes in the policy of a cash basis so far as the conditions of the county will permit.

Mr. Atcheson asks that the voters consider all his qualifications for the office of county judge and that they make a careful investigation of his claims before they select their man for this important office.

If elected, he promises to render competent and efficient service to both the county as a whole and to the individual, second to none.

## Pullman Service to Be Established from Altus to San Angelo

Wichita, Kansas, January 21.—Pullman service is to be established between Altus, Okla., and San Angelo, Texas, it was announced through the Orient general offices at Wichita, Kansas, today. The date upon which the new service is to become effective has not been determined but it is planned to have it in effect by the last week of January.

This will give Orient patrons Pullman facilities upon all night trains on the system. Such a service was in effect several years ago but its abandonment became necessary during recent years. Re-establishment of this service is the latest step on the part of the new management of the Orient to give patrons the best possible service in spite of the fact local passenger revenue has been decreasing steadily owing to motor bus competition.

A year ago the company made its first attempt to improve its passenger service by establishing through trains between Wichita, Kansas, and Alpine, Texas. The next step was the addition of Pullman service via the Orient and connections between San Angelo, Texas, and St. Louis, to accommodate oil field passenger business. Since the service west of San Angelo has been facilitated by the addition of motor trains.

One of the advantages of the new service will be first class traveling accommodations at a saving in fare. The one way fare via the Orient from Wichita to such Texas cities as Chillicothe, Sweetwater and San Angelo is \$4 less than any other route. Similar savings are made in reaching other points. Points on the Orient will be made much more accessible to such centers as Memphis, Tulsa, Oklahoma City and Fort Worth. The time between Wichita and points on the Orient is equal to competitive routes and in many instances very short.

One of the principal motives influencing the Orient management to establish this new service is the policy of the Orient to become an important trans-continental passenger route as it has become in the movement of freight.

## FOR TAX ASSESSOR

This issue carries the announcement of Claude Callaway of Foard City for tax assessor of Foard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Callaway came from Collin County seven years ago and located in the Foard City community where he and his family have resided since. He is one of the outstanding citizens of that community and of the county, is a progressive farmer and a public spirited and upright citizen.

He has never asked for a public office but feels that he is capable of discharging the duties of the office he seeks, and should be elected he will make the county the most efficient public servant of which he is capable. He has a common school and practical education.

Mr. Callaway believes that whatever is worth doing is worth doing right, and he expects to make his campaign thorough and will try to see every voter in the county.

Mr. Callaway is entitled to the consideration of every voter.

## H. B. POOL FOR ASSESSOR

H. B. Pool authorizes the News to announce his candidacy for the office of tax assessor, subject to the Democratic primary.

Mr. Pool is well known over the county and feels that he is thoroughly competent to discharge the duties of that office. While he is somewhat handicapped because of his partial deafness in mingling with people, he does not regard that as in any way a hindrance to the efficient service he can render. He is acquainted with a deaf and mute friend who has held a responsible position in Texas for about 20 years.

Mr. Pool has a good education and would without doubt make Foard County a capable assessor in case he is elected. He expects to make a thorough canvass of the county and meet as nearly as possible every voter in the county. However, just at this time and possibly for some weeks he will be with a son of his on the Plains, but will return in time to make his campaign as he plans it. His claims deserve the earnest consideration of every voter.





Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Bro. Tomlinson filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night. A large crowd was present for both services. At his next appointment here at league

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will be organized and also a Sunday School. The public is asked to help make it one of the best in the town.

Miss Marie Clark entertained the young folks with a candy breaking Friday night.

A large crowd was present at the ball game Friday afternoon between Antelope and Fargo. The scores for the girls favoring Antelope 18-2, and the scores favoring Fargo boys 18-11.

The Antelope school is progressing nicely. Within the last two weeks it has enrolled more than thirty new pupils and it is hoped that these new pupils can begin with the work and continue for the next four or five months.

Luther and Charlie Ladd left Saturday for Fort Worth where they attended the funeral of their father who died in that city.

Owen McLarty and family went to Vernon Sunday and visited their daughter and sister, Josephine.

L. G. Lawhorn was entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday. All of his relatives were present except a daughter.

Walter Lawson, Horace Lambert and Arthur Buffaloe are hauling seed to Margaret this week.

Dr. Maine of Thalia was called to see Mrs. Carrish Monday who is very sick.

Luther Jobe and Luther Marlow are helping Mr. Manning move to the farm of Luther Ward.

J. C. Wade is very sick at this writing.

Miss Josie Davis spent Saturday night and Sunday with her grand-

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Thalia News Items

(By Special Correspondent)

mother, Mrs. Lucy Davis, of Thalia. Misses D. B. Webb and Annie Davis attended the ball game Saturday night at Harold.

Rev. T. S. Teddlie of Vernon will preach at the Church of Christ here Sunday and Sunday night.

The boys and girls basket ball teams played the Crowell teams at Crowell Thursday afternoon. The scores for the boys' game were 24 and 4 in favor of the Thalia boys, and the girls' scores were 34 and 8 in favor of the Thalia girls.

G. Thompson and daughters, Miss Leona and Mrs. Belle Thompson, and Mrs. Tom Abston were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.

A large crowd attended Epworth League at the M. E. church here Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

Miss Tommie French of Rayland has returned to school here after several days' absence on account of illness.

A large crowd attended the ball game here Tuesday afternoon—Vernon vs. Thalia. The scores were 2 and 14 in favor of the Thalia boys.

Mrs. Luther Ward has been ill for several days.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins returned to her home here Friday from the sanitarium at Crowell where she had an operation recently. She is doing nicely.

Garland Thompson left Tuesday of last week for Amherst to work on a house where he has rented land for another year.

Mrs. Ernie Roberts of Vernon spent last week visiting relatives here.

J. K. French and family visited Grandma French and Mrs. Tennie Reed near Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Ava Jones spent last week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. McNair of Lockett.

Several from here attended the ball game at Harold Saturday night played by the Thalia and Harold boys. Our boys were defeated by a score of 18 and 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown have moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fisher. Mr. Brown will work in Crews-Long Hdw. store here.

Several from here attended the funeral of A. D. McBeath at Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts of Vernon visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gardner visited Mrs. and Mrs. Dick Farrar near Oklaunion Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Patton and daughter, Miss Agnes, visited relatives near Vernon Tuesday.

Joe Huntley and family of Sudan have moved to the farm just vacated by F. A. Brown.

G. A. Shultz purchased a new Dodge sedan one day last week.

C. C. Wheeler and C. B. Morris were business visitors in Crowell Tuesday.

M. C. Adkins and W. B. Durham were Vernon visitors Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Abston and daughter, Mrs. A. C. Phillips, visited in the Tom Abston home Thursday.

G. A. Shultz and family visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

The following attended church services at Lockett Sunday night: Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill, Mrs. T. A. Johnson, Mrs. G. A. Neill, Rev. Hedges, O. H. Harvey, Claude Baker, Hugh Jones, Arda Long, E. V. Cato and family, Mrs. Walter Long, Viola, Lucille and Jessie Taylor, Annie Wood, Lora Lee French, Mattye and Lillian Reid, Corene and Velma Haney, Allie V. Shultz, Elmer Roberts and family, Mrs. H. W. Jones and Truett Neill. There were no church services here Sunday night.

A. C. Phillips has moved his office at the garage into the restaurant just vacated by Rev. Strickland.

Bob Abston is working in J. A. Abston's grocery store.

J. D. Oliver and family of Lohn, Texas, have moved to the A. T. Miller farm, recently vacated by J. R. Solomon. Mr. Solomon moved his family to Thalia.

Rev. T. M. Johnston will preach at the Methodist church here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dodson of Vernon, W. W. Henry and family of Lockett and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wood were visitors in the B. F. Horne home Sunday afternoon.

O. C. Hammonds and Miss Lela Jenkins both of this place were married in Crowell Thursday afternoon.

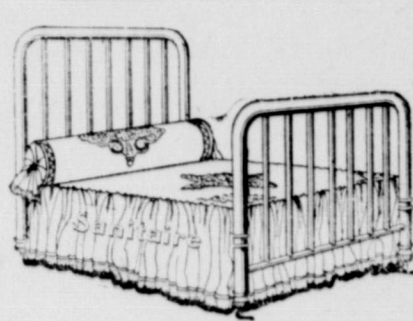
Mrs. H. L. Fisher is visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Phillips of Clar-

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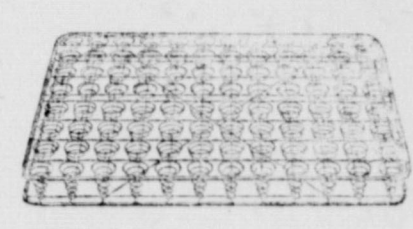
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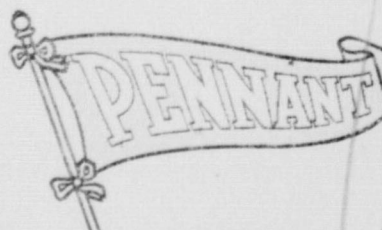
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endon are moving to Mrs. J. K. Langley's farm northeast of Thalia.

Items from Vivian

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Bonnie Knox of Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Russie Rasberry.

Miss Nellie Carroll entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish and small son were visitors in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Ike Everson and sons were in Crowell Saturday morning on business.

Henry Fish of Crowell spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Fish.

Misses Cora and Claudie Carter spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Carter, at Crowell.

Mrs. J. B. Rasberry and children were visitors in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. R. N. Beatty is at Vernon at the bedside of her little grandson who is very sick.

R. N. Beatty and son, Charlie, and wife were visitors in Vernon one day last week.

Ayersville News

(By Special Correspondent)

Dr. Clark of Crowell was called to see Mrs. Alfred McGinnia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips are here from near Clarendon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips. They intend to live in this county the coming year.

A program will be rendered at the school building Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Short were shopping in Vernon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble, also Mrs. Mollie Free, were in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sam Smith of Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Short Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flowers of Crowell came out Saturday night to E. W. Burrows' home and Mr. Flowers installed a radio in the Burrow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz spent Sunday with E. V. Cato and family at Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shultz of Thalia came by Sunday morning in their new car and took Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz to Vernon to celebrate Mrs. Angie Shultz's birthday. They report a nice time and lots of dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz went to Lockett Sunday night and heard Dr. and Mrs. Lockett who are Foreign Baptist missionaries in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrow visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts of Vernon visited awhile Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz.

Missionary Society

The Missionary Society met January 11th with Mrs. Tom Ferguson, Mrs. J. R. Allee and Mrs. T. L. Hughston. Mrs. Stovall was leader for the afternoon and in her comment on the lesson, "If Jesus came today would we know where to find him?" she

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Everyone makes a mistake now and then but why pick out a grade crossing as a "location?" It's not bad luck for a black cat to cross in front of your car, provided it gets clear across.

### Good Creek Items (By Special Correspondence)

J. T. Daniel and Andy Hinkle left last Thursday for Atlee, Jefferson County, Oklahoma, to buy hogs. They returned Saturday afternoon with four nice hogs. Mr. Daniel visited his father, mother and brothers while there.

Those in Crowell Saturday were Earn Cox and Frank Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Arrp's baby is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ida Scott left a few days ago for Wichita Falls to work in the Insane Hospital.

Nugent Birdsong is still hauling cotton to Crowell.

### Notice

I have a fine Jersey male, service \$1.00. If you can't pay do not bring nor send cows. The one who brings is held responsible. It costs something to keep animals, so bring a dollar when service is wanted.—W. E. and Mrs. B. F. Hallmark. 33p

### THE SIN OF INDIFFERENCE (By W. J. Mayhew)

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His soul feels no alarm.

The subtle Devil in disguise,  
His prize will surely win  
If we believe his wily lies  
Which lead us into sin.

"There is no sin," he says to me,  
"Except to disobey;  
As children of your Lord you're free,  
No need to work or pray."

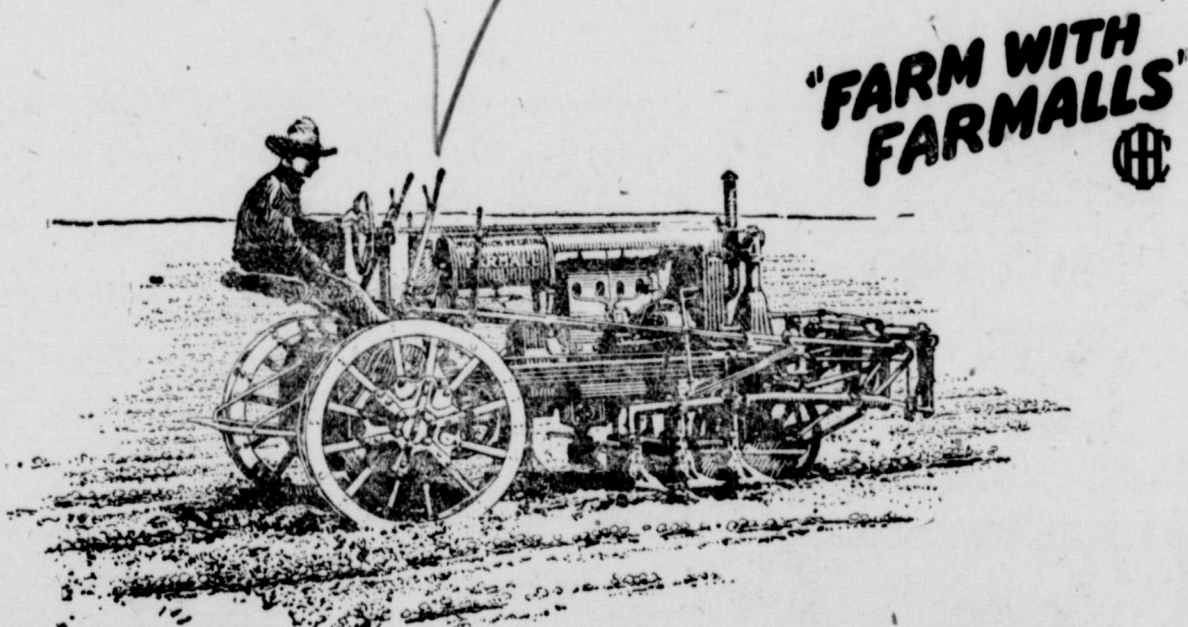
And so he lulls me into sleep,  
But still I know 'tis true  
I ought a watchful vigil keep  
Until the battle's through.

God help me, then, to be awake!  
My drowsy soul get right;  
Help me an active part to take  
Among Thy saints who fight.

### ART CONTEST NOTES

England has never had a more famous painter of portraits than Sir Joshua Reynolds, who knew how to use color better than any other man who lived at that time. His pictures have a bold and vigorous feeling that suggest strength.

When he was twenty-one he caught a cold which left him deaf for life and before he died he became almost blind, so that his last years were very sad. A little English girl named Frances Gordon often came to his studio. Mr. Reynolds thought she looked like an angel with her fair hair and blue eyes. So he painted her picture in five different poses and added wings and soft clouds and blue sky and called the picture, "Angels' Heads."



## How's This for a Real Cultivating Outfit?

The Texas FARMALL Is the Gem of ALL WORK—The Boon to the Cotton Farmer!

The FARMALL'S speed, flexible power, and adaptability to all work enables one man and his all-purpose outfit to plow, till, plant, and cultivate 200 (and even more) acres of intensively farmed land with extraordinary success. With this efficient combination of power and machines the average man can produce many times as much as is possible with old-time, mule-drawn outfits. With such modern equipment you can cut your production costs to the bone, and so earn a better living and be more independent about it.

The McCormick-Deering Texas FARMALL embodies many of the most important features of regular McCormick-Deering tractors. Foremost among these are the sturdy engine and the power take-off. In addition, the FARMALL offers perfect adaptability to all Texas row crop operations. It was built for your work. Come in and let us show and demonstrate this money-making outfit to you.

## Crews=Long Hardware Co.

"The Store With a Fraternal Spirit"

SAVE with SAFETY at your Rexall DRUG STORE



## When You Want HAIR BRUSHES

We Have Them!

- All Styles
- All Sizes
- All Prices
- For Children
- For Ladies
- For Men

Let us show you our assortment

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally Registered Pharmacist

## Ferguson Brothers

The Rexall Store

## Feed and Hay Phone 159

When you want Feed of any kind you will find it at my store. All kinds of Hay, Oats, Chops, and all kinds of Cow Feed.

Also will pay the highest prices for Poultry and Hides—Call 159

You will find all kinds of Purina chicken feed, Cow Chow and Purina Omoline at our store.

A. L. JOHNSON

Crowell, Texas

## High Quality GROCERIES



Chosen from nationally known brands—famous for their superior flavor and food value—that is what we offer you in our stock of high quality groceries.

Our stock represents the height of both quality and value.

Always come to this store, or if you can not come, then phone and we will do the rest.

### Dr. Hines Clark

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON

Office Russell Building over

Reeder Drug Store

Office Tel. 27 Res. Tel. 62

## Fox & Thompson Grocery



# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, January 22, 1926

The News is always glad to boost any local enterprise that has a rightful place in our community. This is done without any aim to turn to the News commercial printing that may result from the establishment of such enterprises, but one's zeal is damped sometimes after he has spent weeks, months and years boosting these things, when he has shoved under his nose a sheet of plain printing done out of town, accompanied with the request to do a little more free advertising. Perhaps 75 per cent of that is caused by thoughtlessness. The idea is too prevalent that we can get a better deal, better quality, or better service out of town or out of the county. The idea is carried so far by some that they would buy only "imported" goods if they could always get them. Some of the more fashionable ladies and lasses want imported dresses. It matters not so much whether they possess quality or not, just so they are "imported" and expensive. Importing goods, printing, garden hoes, seed potatoes, or husbands is all right only when the home supply is exhausted.

According to an item in the Dallas News, Smith County farmers are conducting a campaign against short staple cotton in that county. The aim is to induce the farmers to plant only pedigreed cotton seed this year that they may grow a better staple and consequently realize a better price for it. It is claimed that both the farmers and cotton buyers in that section of the country are supporting the campaign. This is in line with a suggestion the News made last week that cotton seed be standardized. It seems to us that it has been pretty clearly demonstrated this last season that good stuff is the thing, for the better grades of cotton have been bringing pretty fair prices. It may be that better cotton and fewer bales will net the farmers more money in the long run. It holds good in the breeding of stock, why not in the growing of cotton?

It is claimed that the poultry and dairy products in Hardeman County increased more than \$100,000 during the year 1925 over those of 1924. Just what the total was for the year is not known, but \$100,000 increase is not a small thing. The fact to be noticed is that this West Texas country has great possibilities in the poultry and dairying business, and when there is more general interest manifested in these two lines of business, much of the dread formerly caused by droughts will be eliminated. Foard County needs several herds of thoroughbred Jersey cows.

Texas cities may be up with northern cities in many respects but they are far behind in automobile fatalities. For instance, in Chicago last year 598 persons were killed by automobiles while Dallas, having the highest record in any Texas city, killed only 49, and the five largest cities in the state combined managed to kill only 167!

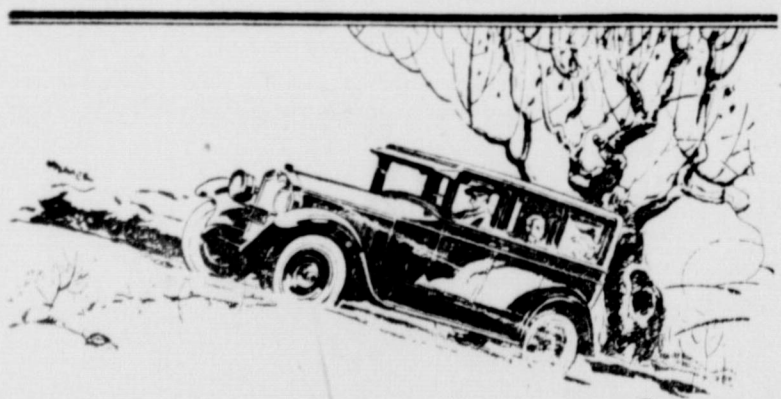
Some will not make a New Year's resolution because they are afraid they will break it. It's voluntary to make one and it's voluntary to break one, and this is a land of freedom. As a rule no one is more effected by the keeping or the breaking of a resolution than one himself.

Almost every day we read where one kills his wife and then places his gun against his own temple and blows his brains out. It's too bad that those fellows do not take their own dose first.

Men are becoming the ruled sex declares a New York psychologist! That fellow is to be praised, not for finding it out, but for having the courage to make a public declaration of it.

A thief stole \$5,000 worth of jewels from a Vernon lady recently. That's getting pretty close home and reminds us of the great risk we so often take in leaving ours lying on the dresser!

The governor of Texas is proud of her pardon record, but in all probability she'll beat the first year. It may be that when she catches up with other pressing duties she can issue pardons as rapidly as the courts convict.



## No Demonstration can reveal all of BUICK Excellence

ANY time you drive a Buick you will wonder how such a remarkable car can be sold at such a moderate price.

In just a few minutes you will realize that you are starting, stopping, parking, driving with much greater ease and security. And that you are surrounded by quality and luxury which rank with the very finest.

But demonstration will tell only part of the Buick story, and you should know all of it.

A demonstration cannot show you the enduring

stamina of body and chassis that belongs to Buick. Years are necessary for that. It can only suggest the powerful ability of Buick's 75 horsepower Valve-in-Head engine, built for hills. It cannot tell you how thoroughly the Buick "Sealed Chassis" and the Buick "Triple Sealed" engine will protect Buick performance on dusty, gritty roads.

And it cannot even hint of the mental ease you will enjoy, with Buick Authorized Service "just around the corner," everywhere in America.

BUICK MOTOR CO., FLINT, MICHIGAN, Division of General Motors Corporation

## the Better Buick

Better Buick Six Cylinder Valve-in-Head motor cars range in price from \$1125 to \$1995, f. o. b. Buick factories. Among the Buick open enclosed models there is one that meets your desires exactly.

WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM.

VERNON AUTO CO.,  
Vernon, Texas

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney 46th Judicial District:

C. Y. WELCH

For County Judge:

R. D. OSWALT,  
J. E. ATCHESON.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

JESSE OWENS.

For County and District Clerk:

MRS. D. L. REAVIS,  
MISS KATE WHITE.

For Tax Assessor:

D. W. PYLE,  
LEE WHATLEY,  
H. B. POOLE,  
CLAUDE CALLAWAY.

For County Treasurer:

MISS MAYE ANDREWS.

For Public Weigher:

GEORGE ALLISON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:

A. B. WISDOM.

## MUSIC MEMORY NOTES

The following are brief extracts from the pamphlet, "Music Memory Contest," published by the National Bureau for the advancement of music, New York:

"The music memory contest has proved itself to be an effective device for familiarizing children with good music, and for inculcating in them that love for music which will make it a resource, a companion, and an enrichment of their later life. Acquaintance is likely soon to merge into liking where good music is concerned, and liking to mature into love. The important thing is to acquire the taste early. Every child is entitled to this advantage. \* \* \* \* \* Music has been given to the world as a great and satisfying pleasure not as a task. Instead of driving children to it we should lead them to it, so they can know for themselves that it is something to be enjoyed. We should provide the means whereby they may here it, so they will know it is worth working for. We should associate it in their minds with other pleasures and it will always be thought of as a pleasure.

"The educational value of music is of two kinds at least, the first as a mind trainer—as pointed out by Dr. Charles V. Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University—and the second, as a means of preparation for a broader, fuller, happier life."

These extracts explain clearly the ideas back of the music memory contest, and it is with these ideas as the basis that the work should be carried on. Music appreciation as a factor in the increasing of individual human happiness should be the aim of the work rather than the exploitation of music as a factor in strife and petty rivalry. Too much emphasis can not be placed on this point by all persons in charge, since the music memory contest will be made defeat its own purpose if the contest side is not wholly subordinated to the appreciation phase.

The making of music memory scrap-books of adding interest among the intermediate participants especially. These books may contain descriptive notes on the compositions in the contest lists, pictures and biographical data on the composers, artistically lettered titles, drawings illustrating the music, and any other notes and information relative to the contest. The National Bureau for the Advancement of Music offers prizes, books on musical subjects, for the best scrap-books submitted—for a minimum of 25 scrap-books submitted, one book; 50 scrap-books, 2 books; 100 scrap-books, 3 books. With the many participants in this county there should be a number of these prizes awarded, and it is hoped that the plan of making scrap-books will be used in the different schools entering the contest.

## Birthday Party

On last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Geo. Hinds, Mrs. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Arthur McMillan and Mrs. Hinds entertained little Woodrow Hollingsworth with a birthday party from 3 to 5 o'clock. Games were played to entertain the little folks. Those present were: Peggy Cooper, Sam Crews Jr., Margaret Long, Mary Houssour, Jesse Palm, Virginia Lou Moseley, Rose Mary Crawford, Ruth Ferguson, H. K. Edwards, Edward Roark, Milton Marzee, Billie Russell, Glendon Reeder, Juanita and Billie Louise Brown, J. Rue Brown, Genevieve Ferguson, Charles Stuart Clark, Tom Ray Roberts, Tom Alton Andrews, Beverly Hughton, Modena Stovall and Woodrow Hollingsworth.

Hot chocolate, cake, fruit and candy were served to the little folks.

## Notice

No trespassing or hunting permitted in my pasture.—Purd Halsell, Jr.

## Baby Chicks

English White Leghorns...\$15.00  
Anconas.....\$15.00  
Barred Rocks.....\$17.50  
Rhode Island Reds.....\$17.50

Correspondence solicited.

## Vernon Hatchery and Poultry Farm

Vernon, Texas



## Anyone can use Valspar Varnish-Stains

Come to us with your paint and varnish problems. With our complete stock of high grade products and our long, practical experience we can serve you to your entire satisfaction.

Don't put up with floors that are shabby—don't discard furniture just because it's scratched and worn. You can make all woodwork bright and new-looking with Valspar Varnish-Stain.

## VALENTINE'S VALSPAR VARNISH-STAIN

Valspar Varnish-Stains are the famous Valspar itself plus six natural wood colors—Light Oak, Dark Oak, Cherry, Mahogany, Walnut, and Moss Green. They're durable and waterproof. You stain and varnish at one stroke of the brush.



## M. S. Henry & Co.

The House Where Service Counts

## SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE NEWS COMING IN FAST

The News force is very much gratified with the way our readers are responding in renewing their subscriptions for another. A large number have renewed since the bargain rate was put out in the fall and we appreciate it very much.

Frank Meason is at Big Sandy this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason. The family is having a reunion.

## INSURANCE

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Life, Health, Accident, Plate Glass, Cotton.

LEO SPENCER

## 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

## CARDUI

For Female Troubles

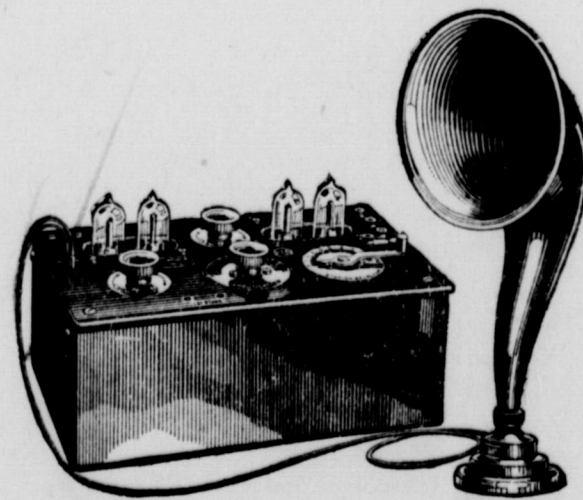
at one time, so she insisted that I try it. I took four bottles of Cardui, and if one should see me now they wouldn't think I had ever been sick. "I have gained twenty pounds, and my cheeks are rosy. I feel just fine. I am regular and haven't the pain. "Life is a pleasure. I can do my work with ease. 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-106

## Your Lumber Needs

Can be supplied at the Cicero Smith Lumber Company's place of business. Just associate your needs with this firm's name and half your lumber problems are solved.

Anything in the way of building material.

## Cicero Smith Lumber Co.



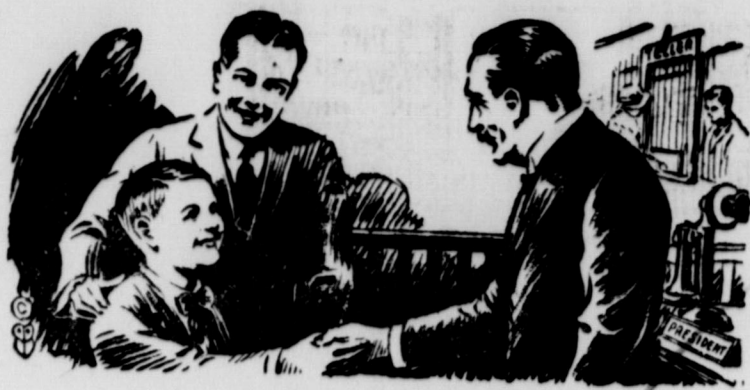
The New RADIOLA III A will be a treat to listen to and is within reach of all.

Let us demonstrate this set in your home.

Simple enough for a child to operate and yet coast to coast reception is always available in good weather.

## Beverly Filling Station





## See That Your Children-

Learn the value of money! Impress upon their youthful minds the same lesson that you, perhaps, learned in your youth—namely, that "every dollar saved is a dollar earned!"

Appeal to their childish pride by opening an account here for them. Then, give them to understand that whatever they save toward it, you'll add a similar amount! In short, that is the surest way of inculcating the admirable Thrift habit in children.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER

**THE BANK OF CROWELL**  
(UNINCORPORATED)

CAPITAL 100000.00 CROWELL, TEXAS

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

### Local and Personal

For Sale—Some good work mules.—J. D. Johnson. tf

Silk hats on sale at half price.—Crowell Dry Goods Co.

Roy Banks of Royse City renews his subscription for another year.

Rooms for rent, furnished or unfurnished.—Mrs. J. H. Shults, phone 156. tf

For Sale Oil stove and kitchen cabinet. Can be seen at postoffice.—Leo Spencer.

Good second hand oil stoves at bargains. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins who underwent an operation in the Crowell sanitarium was taken to her home near Thalia last Wednesday afternoon and is reported to be improving rapidly.

Generators set free at Exide Battery Station. tf

When you think of Radio, think of Beverly Service Station.

J. W. Cooke of Pilot Point renews for the paper another year.

All kinds of repairing at Exide Battery Station. East side square. tf

We have that good Colorado niggerhead lump coal.—Bell Grain Co.

Good cord wood for sale. See Long Bros., Thalia, or J. F. Long, Crowell. tf

For Sale—Mesquite pole wood, \$3.00 a load.—J. F. Myner, on Walter Ross place. 32p

Call and see our Farmall tractor.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Why let your radiator leak? Bring it to Exide Battery Station. East side square. tf

For six per cent farm loans see N. J. Roberts—33 years time and payable on the amortization plan. tf

Try Fergeson's Pills for liver ills.

Wolf and skunk hides bought at Ringgold's Variety store. 31

Joe Thompson renders satisfactory garage service at Ivie's Station.

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Mrs. Fred Hrabal of Ross, Texas, renews for the News for another year.

General auto repairing at Exide Battery Station. See me first.—Ray Watley. tf

We will have a demonstration on M. J. B. Coffee Saturday.—Swim & Sons.

Mrs. J. N. Lewis of Normangee is here visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Y. Beverly.

Some good used tires. Also Ford and other car parts.—McCarver's Furniture Co. 32p

Good second hand oil stoves at bargains. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.

Drop in at Swim's Saturday and get a cup of hot coffee made of M. J. B. brand.—Swim & Sons.

Barred Plymouth Rocks, stock and eggs for sale. I have some good matings this season.—Mrs. Lee Ribble. 31

For sale 1 churn, 1 turkey pan, 1 carpet sweeper, 1 glass globe, 1 calf muzzle, 1 buck saw.—Mrs. G. W. Walthall. tf

We are expecting a shipment of felt hats in pastel shades. The very newest thing for right now.—Crowell Dry Goods Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller of Childress say they are always anxious to get the News and therefore renewed for another year.

L. J. Massie of Los Angeles, Cal., A. N. Vernon of Vernon, and J. E. Williams of Snyder, Okla., were here Tuesday attending to business.

Miss Dee Strain who has been employed by Self Dry Goods Co. for the past several months left Saturday night for her home in Weatherford.

Furs! Furs! At Johnson's Feed Store. I will pay the highest prices for coon, opossum and skunk next Saturday since war times.—J. K. McBeth.

Let us make your farm loans at 6 per cent through Joint Stock Land Banks. You don't have to buy stock or guarantee the other fellow's loan.—N. J. Roberts. tf

Mrs. G. C. Rector who came from San Angelo to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wallen, south of Crowell, is extending her visit over several weeks.

For sale or trade—80 acres of sandy land, 5 miles northeast of Thalia, one-half mile of West Rayland school house, house, barn and orchard.—E. M. Key, Thalia, Texas. 31p

A message was received Tuesday that R. R. Gray, of Atoka, Okla., a former citizen of this county, was dangerously ill and his recovery thought to be improbable.

Farm for Rent—220 acres, good improvements. Want to rent to party with good force. Have teams and implements and feed to sell. See T. D. Roberts, telephone 185.

Emmett Rittenberry, architect of Amarillo, was here Tuesday. Mr. Rittenberry stated that Paducah is preparing to make a \$60,000 addition to their high school building.

Judge Donighey and wife of Vernon were here Saturday. Mr. Donighey was in the practice of law here for a short time before going to Vernon where he is now located indefinitely.

Roy Steele returned Wednesday from Taiban, N. M., where he was called a week ago on account of the illness of his sister who was critically ill at the home of their parents in that city, but he reports that her condition is greatly improved.

P. D. Chaney, formerly county demonstration agent here, and afterwards agent in Wilbarger County, was here from Vernon Saturday. Mr. Chaney has resigned his position as county agent and has a filling station in Vernon. Mr. McGown has been appointed to succeed him.

Land for sale in Cochran and Bailey Counties, in tracts from 80 acres up to what you can personally handle, at \$15 to \$30 per acre, on 20 years time at 6 per cent, with third and fourth of crops as payment on principal and interest. No improvements required. See John P. Tye. 32

The News failed to make clear last week that Velox Ward is the owner and manager of the electrical shop going in opposite Swaim's Garage. We make this statement and also call attention to his ad in this issue that it may clear that Mr. Ward is operating the business independently.

Service Value Quality

# SPRING CLOTHES

Spring clothes are beginning to arrive and the new spring dresses and coats are always pretty early in the season.

New spring dresses and a shipment of new spring coats this week.

Also shipment of new slippers just arrived.

## Self Dry Goods Co.

One Price Cash Only

Try Fergeson's Pills for liver ills.

All sizes Radio batteries at Beverly Service Station.

Give us your blow-out troubles. We fix them.—Ivie's Station.

For sale my home. Will make good price for cash.—B. W. Self.

Silk and wool dresses at great bargains.—Crowell Dry Goods Co.

Why not have the best. Get a Radiola at Beverly Service Station.

Complete line of harness, collars, bridles.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Miss Emma Pendleton spent the week-end visiting her brother in Frederick, Okla.

Strayed from John Diggs' place a light red heifer, soon be fresh. Notify Fred Rennels. 30

A. T. Beazley was here yesterday from Rayland and ordered the News for another year.

Claude Brooks of Vernon visited his mother, Mrs. J. W. Klepper, in this city Sunday afternoon.

Homer Belsher renews the subscription to the News of his father, A. M. Belsher, of Lubbock.

W. G. Chapman of Thalia orders the News sent to his son, Oran, who is attending school at Abilene.

Complete line of New Perfection stoves and accessories.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

W. R. Fergeson renews the paper for another for his mother, Mrs. F. G. Fergeson, of Claremont, Okla.

John Chastain of Gracemont, Okla., will receive the News another year compliments of J. N. Johnson.

T. J. Foreman of Brownsville will receive the News for another year by order of A. T. Schooley of this city.

A Brian renewed this week his own paper and also that of his daughter, Mrs. Bryan O'Connell of Wilkinsburg, Pa.

M. S. Henry left Sunday afternoon for Dallas to attend the hardware men's convention which was held in that city beginning Tuesday.

H. C. Crim of Wichita, representative of the United States Insurance Co., of which Leo Spencer is local agent, was here Wednesday adjusting some cotton losses.

Mrs. O. M. Grimm of Thalia orders the News sent to her daughter, Miss Ruth Grimm, at Denton, who is in her junior year at the North Texas State Teachers' College.

Money loaned to build residences in Crowell.—Bert W. Self.

Sam Powers of Knox County, a former Foard County citizen, was in town Tuesday.

P. & O. two-row listers, cultivators and go-devils.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

For Sale—My 1924 model Ford roadster at a bargain. See G. W. Jones at Mack's Station. 30

Prepared to do all kinds of auto repairing.—Ray Watley at Exide Battery Station. See me first. tf

Misses Marion Cooper and Irene Patton arrived home yesterday from Wichita Falls where they are attending school to spend the week end with homefolks.

**DR. H. SCHINDLER**  
Dentist  
Bell Building  
Phone Number 82 2-Rings

**INSURANCE**  
Fire, Tornado, Hail, Etc.  
Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

## Keep a Record with Your Checks

Make at least one good resolution this year—resolve to pay your bills by Check. By doing so you will have a complete record of all money spent as well as a legal receipt for all payments made.

M.L. HUGHSTON, ACTIVE VICE-PRES.  
SAM CREWS, CASHIER  
G.M. THACKER, ASST. CASHIER

### THE FIRST STATE BANK

CROWELL, TEXAS

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally Registered Pharmacist

## Drink and Be Merry

If the Greek apostle of the creed, "eat, drink and be merry," were living today, he would undoubtedly advise his followers to get their drinks hree.

Our drinks are satisfying and delicious, and that's all you are looking for in soft drinks. This is the reason an increasing number of people are finding this the best place at which to buy refreshing drinks.

You will find what you want at our fountain.

ONCE A TRIAL—ALWAYS NYAL

## Reeder Drug Company

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League



GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

IS IT A SQUARE DEAL? For you to neglect the church when you would not live in a community without the church? If the church is the backbone of any community...

ARE YOU IN FAVOR OF A SQUARE DEAL?

If so, come to Church and Sunday School next Sunday. No; you can't send a Proxy. Nobody can take your place. Nothing will substitute for your presence.

T. D. ROBERTS, S. S. Supt. W. J. MAYHEW, Pastor

Electrical Repair Shop

I have put in a business on Main Street across from Swaim's Garage. The name shall be known as "Ward's Electrical Shop."

The following is a partial list of what I intend to do—repairing batteries, generators, starters, lights, in fact, all electrical work on cars. Also repairing of electric fans, irons, washing machine motors, vacuum cleaners and all other electrical devices.

I will also do any kind of light repairing, such as lawn mowers, guns, typewriters and locks.

Come to Ward's Electrical Shop for Service, I will appreciate your business.

Thank you.

V. B. WARD

Individual Owner and Mgr.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Leader—Lillian Wren. Introduction—Leader. Who is the Holy Spirit?—Ophelia Stephens.

FOR WORKING PEOPLE The most of workers get out of sorts when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick, "flat" and discouraged.

Too many folks condemn their friends for the very things they themselves do.

For Sale

My place in Crowell, consisting of five lots, five rooms, bath, large screened in porch, outbuildings, etc. Will sell cheap.

W. A. MATTHEWS, 925 East Wilbarger St. Vernon, Texas

INSURANCE

For all kinds of insurance—See—EMILY T. PURCELL Office over Reeder Drug Company

THE USE OF WEALTH

It is refreshing to read of anyone in this day tainted with sudden wealth. Unexpected affluence usually changes the lives of people, but not Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schroeder, of Edin, Okla., who are receiving approximately \$650 a day in royalties from oil wells.

They still live in a modest frame house that was their home before good fortune was theirs. They turn a deaf ear to salesmen who wish to sell them mansions, high powered automobiles and other luxuries of life.

This is an example that might well be followed by everyone who acquires large sums of money unexpectedly. The average man or woman is charged almost over night, when deluged with riches. They spend recklessly and foolishly and their lavish display is a bad example for others less fortunately situated.

The wanton waste of money by people who can afford to do it is responsible for many lives being ruined. To the satisfying of selfish desires for new thrills, that wealth and leisure demand, may be traced the cause of many crimes.

Many would say, in reply to this charge against wealth, that this is a free country and these with fabulous sums of money may spend it as they please. It is true they may, but we are taught that there is a day of reckoning, and some day all will be judged by their deeds while on earth.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express, as best we can, our sincere appreciation of the manifestations of sympathy in our untimely death of husband, father, son and brother, M. A. McBeath. This applies to all the good people who came to our assistance from Crowell, Thalia and our own community, Gambieville. We can never give true expression by means of words to our feeling of appreciation of your kindness and genuine love.

The freshness of modern youth is desirable except in cases where it is too fresh.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Amarillo—O. V. Vernon, for the past four years manager of the Board of City Development here has resigned and will enter private business here. Mr. Vernon is vice president of the Texas Commercial Executives' Association and a director in the Texas Association of Fairs.

Cisco—Texas must do everything possible to validate the Highway bonds that have been sold in the past is the opinion of R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He declares that the honor and credit of the state is at stake and must be protected.

Midland—An incentive campaign is being put on in this district in preparation for the district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which meets here Jan. 26th. A new feature will be a contest among high school boys with a substantial cash prize offered to the boy who makes the best five minute address on the subject "My Town."

Stanton—The Martin County Chamber of Commerce is in process of organization here. A temporary organization has been effected with C. Wedgworth as secretary. A meeting is to be held here Thursday night, Jan. 21.

Eastland—Fertilization pays handsome dividends when properly carried out. This fact was proved by experiments conducted in this county and which were closely checked by R. H. Bush, County Agent. Several carloads of commercial fertilizer were used during the past year and the results showed that fertilization doubled the yield in almost every case.

Big Spring—Huge Mountain Tyne engines have been put on this division by the T-P Railway to pull the fast passenger trains. These are said to be the most powerful locomotives in existence. The big 600 type freight engines have been out on the division to handle freight shipments.

Childress—Cotton burs are of great value as fertilizer and have value as feed. This fact has been recently discovered by Childress farmers. Formerly the gins here had to hire the burs cleaned from cotton hauled away and were put to considerable expense. Now however, farmers eagerly pounce on all burs expelled from the gin and declare they are of great value. One authority declares that gins will soon be grinding these burs to sell as feed. He points out that a comparatively few years ago cotton seed were considered a nuisance at gins and farmers were stopped by law from dumping cotton seed in creeks.

Claude—A movement has been launched to perpetuate as a park the famed Goodnight Buffalo and Cattalo Park at Goodnight. This park and the herd of Col. Goodnight present the last opportunity for Texas to perpetuate the Buffalo which formerly ranged the Plains of Texas in countless herds and Mrs. Thebe K. Warner is leading the move to take the historical all star as a park.

Shamrock—A commercial hatchery is to be installed here at once. The poultry industry is expanding rapidly in Wheeler County and the hatchery has become a necessity. Col. E. O. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, started the movement for a hatchery here when he delivered an address here last August.

Merkel—This city plans to go after the next district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and will send a big delegation to Midland on Jan. 27 to the district convention there. It is planned to take the Simmons Cow-Boy Band of Simmons University to help land the next meet.

Lubbock—A meeting of all towns along the route of the proposed extension of the Denver road will be held here in the near future. The meeting is for the purpose of urging haste on the application of the Denver to make the extension.

Germany was on the air the other night and most listeners didn't know whether to applaud or get mad.

Don't Neglect That Stubborn Hacking Cough

It is not only dangerous but entirely unnecessary to let a persistent, hacking cough rob you of sleep and strength. For through a very simple treatment you can get almost instant relief, and very often break the most stubborn cough completely in 24 hours.

This treatment is based on the famous prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take one teaspoonful at bed-time and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and breaks soreness and irritation, but it quickly removes the phlegm and congestion which are the real cause of night coughing. So the coughing quickly ceases and you sleep right through undisturbed.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children as well as grown-ups—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



T. E. L. Class

The T. E. L. Class met January 12 in regular business meeting at the church. Our class song was sung and we were led in prayer by Mrs. Campbell. Reports were given by officers. Cradle roll has 36 babies enrolled. A calendar for the following year was made out. Officers elected as follows: President, Mrs. W. W. Griffith; 1st vice, Mrs. A. Wright; 2nd vice, Mrs. L. A. Andrews; 3rd vice, Mrs. H. D. Poland; secretary, Mrs. George Hinds; treasurer, Mrs. E. Albert Danagan; cradle roll, Mrs. L. D. Campbell; home department, Mrs. S. A. Taylor; reporter, Mrs. G. Burns.

Our meeting in February will be held with Mrs. W. W. Griffith. Come to Sunday School. We want to win in the contest.—Reporter.

Senior League Program

Subject—Japan. Lender—Hazel Dykes. Prayer—Bro. Mayhew. Scripture reading. Hymn—"Lead On Oh King Eternal" Bible quotations. Hymn—"Rescue the Perishing." Japan in the Past.—J. H. Lanier. Modern Japan—Frances Stewart. Is Japan Militaristic?—Catherine Clark. What can the Epworth League do?—Everell Saunders. Solo—Carrie Maurice Allee. Thought questions, open discussion.

Statement

Complying with the State laws relative to private banks we publish the following: THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared T. N. Bell, to me well known and known to me to be a creditable citizen of Foard County, Texas, who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the persons composing The Bank of Crowell, of Crowell, Texas, are as follows: J. W. Bell, T. N. Bell, S. S. Bell, Mrs. Evie Edwards, W. S. J. Russell, C. R. Ferguson, Mrs. Julia E. Bell, L. D. Campbell.

That no other persons than those above named own any interest or stock in said bank.

That said bank is solvent and that said partners own property and assets in this State in excess of any and all liabilities of such partnership.

T. N. BELL. Sworn to and subscribed before me by said T. N. Bell this 16th day of January, A. D. 1926.

N. J. ROBERTS, Notary Public, Foard County, Texas.

Among the few things that are going down is the well known king's ransom.

Pointed Paragraphs

Courtesy of the selfish sort, that is nothing.

Another paradox is that cold waves come in silently.

There is nothing worse than a radio bug except two of them.

A funny man seldom sees any humor in his own product.

The biggest critic is himself the most logical subject of criticism.

Quiet colors are advised for winter coats, but there is no means of preventing red noses.

"Bootlegger loses Suit"—Headline. Well, better his suit than his suit case, from his viewpoint.

When your friends get upish, don't get down on your knees to them.

Smile, and the world giggles with you, scowl, and you are just a grouch.

The submarine is being severely condemned. Men may learn in time that the sea is to sail on, not under; that the air is to breathe in, not fly in.

Almost one-fifth of the world's people live in the United States and ought to be glad of it.

Things are constantly being devised to save time, yet nothing seems as scarce.

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I will always do you good honest service and make you prices that will suit you. Give me your work and let me show you.

Crowell Shoe and Top Shop

F. W. MABE, First Door North City Hall

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Improved! A Revelation in Low Priced Transportation

A type of performance never before approached in any low priced car—a new smoothness of operation—new flexibility—new swiftness of acceleration—new beauty—new comfort—these have been added to its already world-famous power and economy to make the Improved Chevrolet a revelation in low-priced transportation.

Just take one ride in this remarkable car—and you will be amazed to find that qualities, heretofore the chief advantages of owning costlier cars, are now obtainable in a car of very low price.

New Low Prices!

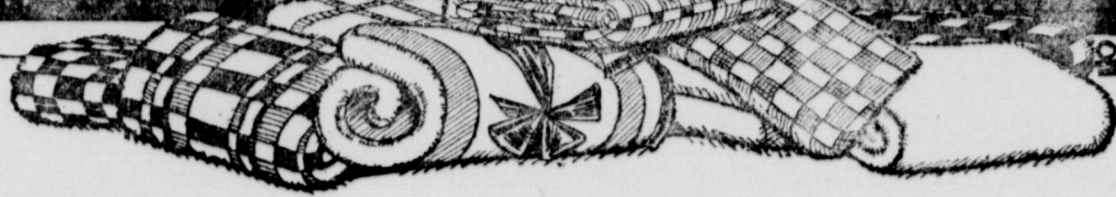
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ZEIBIG CHEVROLET CO., Crowell, Texas

QUALITY AT LOW COST



# BLANKET SALE



Your attention is directed to the very rare bargains offered at this store in blankets. This is an opportunity to save real money. Note the following bargains:

- 66x80 Brentmoor, \$8.00 value ..... \$5.25
- 72x84 Nashua, \$6.50 value ..... \$4.25
- 66x80 Our Pride, \$4.00 value ..... \$3.00
- 64x76 Hummer, \$3.25 value ..... \$2.60
- 64x76 Wear Best, \$2.25 value ..... \$1.70

## Crowell D. G. Co.

### How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no dieting.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

Nesco oil stoves—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

### More Than a Bakery

While bread is the chief product of our ovens, we have a wide assortment of pastries that may be purchased as cheaply as they can be baked at home.

This is a special service afforded the housewives of this community to lessen their kitchen duties.

If you have never tried any of our cakes and pies, you have been missing something good.

We have whole wheat bread each day.

DROP IN TODAY FOR SOME

### HOME BAKERY

Hot and Cold Baths

First Class Shines

### The City Shaving Parlor

An Up-to-Date Shop  
In Every Particular

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Proprietor

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Foard County—Greetings:

You are hereby commanded to summon E. M. Oldham by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, to be held at the court house thereof, in Crowell, on the 3rd Monday in February, A. D. 1926, the same being the 15th day of February, A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1264, wherein Ruby Oldham is plaintiff, and E. M. Oldham is defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

That plaintiff is and has been for a period of twelve months prior to the filing of this petition an actual bona-fide inhabitant of the State of Texas,

and has resided in Foard County for more than six months next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married to each other on or about the 7th day of April, 1924, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about July 20, 1925; when by reason of cruel, harsh, treatment and improper conduct of the defendant toward plaintiff, she was compelled to permanently abandon defendant; since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That defendant's conduct towards plaintiff is such as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable; That plaintiff is the proper person to have the care and custody of plaintiff and defendant's child.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be cited to appear and answer in this behalf; and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations that the court make suitable provisions for the support and maintenance of said child. And for the care, custody and education of said child; for cost of suit; and for such other and further relief general and special in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas.

On this the 7th day of January, A. D. 1926.

GRACE NORRIS, Clerk,  
32 District Court, Foard Co., Texas.

### Warning to Hunters

Poison will be put out in the Her-ring-Johnson ranch 6 miles west of Crowell, so hunters are warned to take care of the dogs, otherwise they may be killed.—L. K. Johnson. 30

### 5 1/2 Per Cent

### FARM & RANCH LOANS

by the Federal Land Bank of Houston. Easy terms—5 to 35 years. Dependable service. This bank has loaned \$120,000,000 to forty thousand Texas farmers in 8 years.

Let me tell you about it.  
J. C. THOMPSON, Crowell  
Foard, Knox, Wilbarger  
and King Counties.

Crowell National Loan  
Association, Inc.

### UNIFORM MARRIAGE LAWS

With Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas pressing his proposed uniform marriage and divorce constitutional amendment in congress, the opinion of Joseph Hergesheimer, noted novelist, on modern marriage is interesting.

Senator Capper's bill would void all state marriage and divorce laws and would prevent the marriages of feeble minded persons, first cousins and people with incurable diseases. "Bans" would be published for two weeks and parental consent would be necessary for all minors.

All this would be wasted effort if Mr. Hergesheimer's prophecy were to come true. He avers that marriage is fundamentally dishonest and that it will be an obsolete relic of the social order within the next two or three generations.

One view is about as extreme as the other. A constitutional amendment will not cure the divorce evil. The remedy will come only through individuals. Marriage ties would still be insecure with people who were not actuated by the highest motives.

Regardless of the laws that may be passed, divorces will not be reduced in number until more people are guided by that old-fashioned morality that leads man and wife to regard marriage vows as sacred.

Meanwhile, few people will take the novelist's perverted view of the modern marriage very seriously. He doubtless draws his conclusions from observations of the set that looks upon marriage as he describes it.

He does not picture the true American home when he says "our social pattern is breaking down." He can not know the American home by living in New York or Los Angeles. He will have to go into the small cities and towns and the rural communities to get the true picture.

Those who know the real American home do not feel any grave concern about its future. Where one marriage is a failure, there are thousands of successes, and the successes are maintaining true American homes, the bulwark of the nation and the hope of posterity.

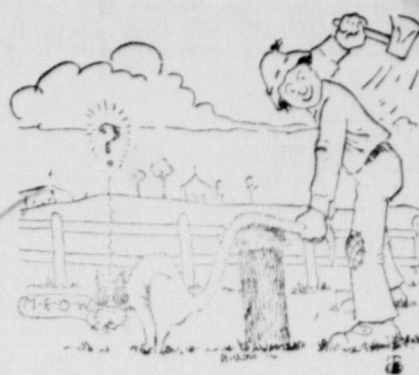
### HIGH COST OF CRIME

A wealthy retired merchant of London was found guilty of improper conduct with girls who went to his country home ostensibly as maids or cooks and sentenced to three years in prison.

Taking into account that he had

### To Make a Long Tail Short

the Sanitary Market is the proper place to buy your meats.



Sanitary Market Q. R. Miller, Propr.

### Garage and Filling Station Service

Auto Accessories, Tires and Tubes  
We appreciate your patronage

IVIE'S STATION  
West Side of North Main

### For Better Faces and Scalps

Ladies, we are now doing shampooing, facial and all kinds of scalp treatments. We particularly guarantee to cure dandruff and let you be the judge. If we can't prove what we say then tell us what you think of us. We will stand for it.

BANK BARBER SHOP

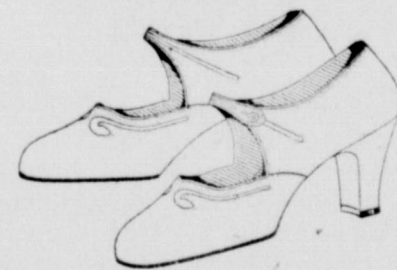
money, the judge ordered him to pay \$5,000 towards the cost of the prosecution.

That seems a very sensible solution to the problem to help defray the heavy tribute that crime exacts through keeping the courts busy a good part of the time.

The great difficulty is that the vast majority of criminals are without money and the scheme would not work, but it might well be applied when the convicted man has the financial means to help meet the expense that he is responsible for.

## New!

### Shades Were Never More Beautiful!



### New Straps, Pumps and Step-ins in Satis and Colored Kid

—This week's receipts of New Shoes makes the season's collection the greatest assortment of styles and colors we have had for some time.

Those who have taste for nice ties and who appreciate genuine quality of material and expect skill in manufacture are making selections now.

Among the New Shades are—

- Dawn.
- Ascot Blonde
- Parchment
- Gray
- Beau de Rose

—Hosiery to match or harmonize

## McKibbin's Booterie

Vernon, Texas



# Smart Spring Shoes

## That Don't Sacrifice Comfort

We are featuring for the New Season, shoes that will appeal to you because of their trim smartness. But they have an added claim to favor that you can't see.

They're made to be comfortable! If you would like your new Spring shoes to literally feel "as comfortable as old shoes" from the first moment you slip them on, then we suggest you spend five minutes with us next time you are downtown.

1892

**R.B. Edwards Co.**

1925

Tarver's Mattress Factory  
Mattresses, comforts and pillows made to order; old ones made new. We use machinery. Beautiful ticking. Yellow house west of cotton yard. Phone 281.

If your Radio set won't work, call us for repairs and replacements.—Beverly Filling Station.  
Furniture for every nook in the room.—M. S. Henry & Co.



## Eating Is a Pleasure

We specialize in quality foodstuffs sold at popular prices.

We aim to give our customers the maximum for their money at all times. We try to give complete satisfaction with every purchase.

If you are not a customer we ask you to test the truth of our statements by placing a few orders with us. We are always able to convince those who give us a trial.

We will have a demonstration on M. J. B. Coffee Saturday. Don't fail to come in and get a cup.

**SWIM & SONS**

In Ringgold Bldg.

### TEXAS RED RUST PROOF OATS

We have one car of Collin County, Texas, Red Rust Proof Oats that will be here within 10 days. SEE US IF YOU NEED ANY. We also carry feed oats, shelled corn, corn chops, bran, shorts, etc., at our elevator. See us before you buy your feed.

We have a limited amount of the famous Kasch Cotton Seed. Why not plant a few acres of staple cotton this year?

**T. HUGHSTON GRAIN CO.**

### A Lesson

Governor Ritchie of Maryland said in a talk to high school graduates: "I was sixty when he began to write the tense prose dramas that won him world fame."

"Bernard Shaw had to compose over a dozen excellent plays before the big managers would look at him."

"Wagner was a middle-aged failure, was about to commit suicide when the king of Bavaria agreed to finance his operas."

"These facts show us that failure is due to a lack of perseverance oftener than to a lack of ability. The road to success, in fact—"

And Governor Ritchie emphasized his words with a trenchant gesture.

"The road to success," he repeated, "is all choked up with men who, getting discouraged, have turned back."

### Plants Useful During War

Among the ingenious uses to which plants were put during the World war were: Sphagnum moss, dressing for wounds; charcoal from fruit pits used for gas masks; birch and willow pulp, used as a substitute for cotton and the nettle for making textiles; meal obtained from clover, horse chestnuts, oats, Indian corn, barley, beans, peas and buckwheat, used in place of flour; roasted barley and oats and roasted acorns and beechnuts, substitute for coffee; in Germany eventually a substitute for coffee was made from carrots and yellow turnips; bloom of the linden tree mixed with beech buds was found to make an excellent beverage; roasted peas and oats, a substitute for cocoa.

### Trail-Measuring Easy

One of the foresters of the Yosemite National park has devised a cyclometer to use in connection with trips over the trail where ordinary surveying methods would be prohibitive, says Scientific American.

He uses an ordinary cyclometer and wheel attached to a long handle which he can manipulate while he is riding his horse. The cyclometer is attached to the hub. It works very nicely and gives rough computations which are all that are needed. This device is a variation of the well-known odometer.

### Paris Theater Receipts

The gross receipts in 1923 of Paris music halls, theaters, concerts and moving pictures amounted to about \$18,000,000. Of this amount approximately \$2,000,000 went to the state for poor tax.



Crowell Dry Goods Co.

### PUBLIC FARM SALE IN KENTUCKY IN 1849

J. G. Thompson of Thalia handed us the following bill of sale published in the Anderson, Ky., News in 1849. Kentucky is Mr. Thompson's native state but this sale took place before his birth. It follows:

**Public Sale**  
Having sold my farm and am leaving for "Oregon Territory" by ox team, will offer on March 1, 1849, all of my personal property, to-wit: All ox teams except two teams, Buck and Ben and Tom and Jerry; 2 milch cows; 1 gray mare and colt; 1 pair of oxen and yoke; 1 baby yolk; 2 ox carts; 1 iron plow with wood mole board; 800 ten-foot fence rails; 1 60-gallon soap kettle; 85 sugar troughs made of white ash timber, 10 gallons of maple syrup; 2 spinning wheels; 30 pounds of mutton tallow; 1 large loom made by Jerry Wilson; 300 hoop poles; 100 split hoops; 100 empty barrels; 1 32-gallon barrel of Johnson-Miller whiskey, 7 years old; 20 gallons of apple brandy; 1 40-gallon copper still; oak tan leather; 1 dozen reel hooks; 2 handle hooks; 3 scythes and cradles; 1 dozen wooden pitchforks, 1/2-interest in tan yard; 1 32-caliber rifle, bullet mold and powder horn; rifle made by Ben Miller; 50 gallons of soft soap; hams, bacon and lard; 40 gallons of sorghum molasses; 6 head of fox hounds, all soft-mouthed except one.

At the same time I will sell my six negro slaves—two men, 35 and 50 years old; two boys, mulatto wenches, 40 and 30 years old. Will sell all together to same party as will not separate them.

Terms of sale, cash in hand, or note to draw 4 per cent interest with Bob McConnell as security.

My home is two miles south of Versailles, Kentucky, on McCoons ferry pike. Sale will begin at 8 a. m. Plenty of eats and drinks.—J. L. Moss, Wallace's Farmer.

### Christian Science Services

Sunday 11 a. m. Subject for Sunday, January 24th, "Truth." Sunday School 9:45. Sunday evening services 7:15. Wednesday evening services 7:15.

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.

Mrs. J. M. Sosebee of Anson, formerly Miss Jewel Fish of Vivian, orders the Foard County News and a Cemetery Association cook book. Mrs. Sosebee's marriage occurred on Christmas day and she is starting housekeeping right by securing the home paper and home cook book.

W. Luke Johnson of Thalia was in town Tuesday and renewed the paper for another year for his son, Dr. J. E. Johnson, of Galveston.

### PLUMBING and SHEET METAL WORK

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Also Repair Work

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## Saturday Specials

For Saturday 23rd



Note the following for next Saturday. You won't be hurt so bad by the low price of cotton if you will take advantage of the prices we are making on our groceries. We are selling them on a very low margin and you can make money by taking advantage of these prices.

- 12 bars P. & G. Soap . . . . . 50c
  - 10 cans No. 2 Tomatoes . . . . . 98c
  - 6 cans No. 2 Standard Corn . . . . . 70c
  - 3 cans Fancy Corn . . . . . 50c
  - Peck of Spuds . . . . . 70c
  - Peck of Sweet Potatoes . . . . . 68c
- Extra good ones

**Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.**

# Saturday Specials!

At the Famous Store

Where They Sell For Less

36-inch Bleached Sheetmg, Good As Gold brand, no starch, regular 20c yd.

**12 1-2c yd.**

Limit 20 yards

50 pairs Ladies fine slippers including Patents and Satis, Pumps, Straps and other styles. Values to \$6.50.

**\$2.95**

Sizes 3 1/2 to 8

Ladies Jersey Silk Petticoats, Satine bottoms, fancy, regular \$3.00—Special

**98c**

Black Ribbed Hose for the School Children—a real 50c hose at

**25c pr.**

Men's Hats, values to \$5.00. Big assortment of styles and colors.

**\$2.50**

Men's Dress Pants, values to \$7.50 at

**\$3.95**

See These

Watch for Our Big Consolidation Sale!

# The Famous Store

CROWELL'S LEADING BARGAIN STORE