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CROWELL, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1905.

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The House Tuesday passed the Onks Peeler joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment to fix the pay of Members of the Legislature at \$1000 for the first year and \$5 per day for special sessions during the second year also prohibiting members of the legislature from taking free passes.

Gov. Lanham sent in a message last Tuesday urging the Legislature to take up the measure to provide revenue for the support of state government before adjournment, but the boys sat down on him by a vote of 50 to 38, a two-third vote being necessary to suspend the regular order of business and take up the measure.

The Legislature will adjourn next Saturday. The Governor will be forced to call an extra session as no provision has been made for the state government for the next two years. The Appropriation Bill will be the chief measure in the Governor's call. Just what other subjects will be included in the call for special legislation is not definitely known.

There seems to be a little tilt going on at this time between Governor Lanham and the members of the Legislature. The latter wanting a few days intermission so they can visit home folks, and the Governor wanting to hold them down to business by calling the special session within one day after adjournment so they cannot get mileage again. We see where the Governor is right as the mileage of an extra session if not called in one day, would cost the State many thousands of dollars.

J. W. Proffitt, of the Proffitt Telephone Company, and Mr. Tom Cochran are at Crowell this week working on their Crowell exchange, extending their lines, and putting in phones. They brought fourteen new phones and have ordered six more, which they will put in before they leave. The last six however will be put in on the citizens line from Crowell to Thalia. The people of Crowell are pleased with their telephone accommodations, and expect that in a short time they will be in position to talk to every neighbor in the county, and also with the surrounding towns.

We, the committee on finance, appointed at the March session of the Cemetery Association, beg leave to submit the following statement:

Total amount of dues collected for the years	
1903, 1904 and 1905	\$ 29.95
Rec'd from sale of lots	21.09
Proceeds of Supper	67.95
Rec'd from other sources	14.00
Total	\$132.99

Paid out for surveying and plat, for repairing fence and otherwise improving the cemetery	\$ 128.83
Balance on hand	\$ 4.07
Mrs. Walthall	} Com.
" Hays	
" Wright	

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Slippers and Oxfords in Black, Tan
and White

Watch our Ads. This is just part of our goods. Balance follows Daily.

Yours for Bargains,

J. K. QUINN.

Loans.

Our Inspector will be in Crowell next week. If you want a loan on your lands, give us your application at once.

Roberts & Roberts.

In an interview with a Republican reporter, Wednesday, J. A. Foley, Division Superintendent of the Orient, stated that ample funds are now on hand, the material ordered and that by the first of May, steel laying will begin south from Fairview and be pushed as fast as material can be furnished.

"By January 1, 1906," Mr. Foley said, "the road will be completed from Kansas City to Sweetwater."

Quite an army of men are at work putting shingles on the railroad repair shops this week. Some idea of the amount of work necessary to put the roof on this structure may be gleaned from the following: The size of roof, overall; 12x78 feet. Number of square feet in roof, 9,672. Number of shingles required 97,000. About twenty men have been at work on this shop for over two months and at least another month will be required to complete it. When finished the Orient will have one of the finest repair shops in the West. Work on the round house and turntable will commence immediately after completion of the shops, and pushed to completion."—Fairview Republican

Thalia Items.

Mrs. Ralph Cato visited her father, Mr. Fox, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jobe went to Vernon last Wednesday and were the guests of Mrs. Leak while there.

Mesdames Hugh Thompson and Walter Johnson visited relatives last week. They returned to their homes in Vernon yesterday, accompanied by Grandma Johnson, Mrs. Thompson and Maudie Kemp.

C. W. Biddleman has been quite sick the past week.

The Baptist Sunday School teachers had a meeting at the church last Wednesday night which was very interesting and instructive.

Mr. Frank Long went to Vernon Wednesday. He said that he could not possibly stay until Saturday to see Pres. Roosevelt, but invited him to come out to Thalia, and we have all been looking for him, but he has not yet arrived.

Hiram Gray has been absent from school several days on account of sickness.

Misses Bessie Rash and sie Edwards of Crowell pleasant visitors at school day.

Mr. George Moo and Minnie Jobe were o'clock yesterday the bride's home many friends i much happiness lives be one long, they may strolle each other's love tion.

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FOARD COUNTY NEWS.

J. C. Roberts, Editor.

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR.

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Directory.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST—Preaching every First and Third Sundays, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night, Fourth Street. J. A. KAVIS, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Preaching every Second and Fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday night. J. FRANK LEAKE, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Preaching every third Sunday, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the Baptist church. S. O. WOODS, Pastor.

The Crowell Cemetery Association meet in regular session each fourth Monday at 10 o'clock sharp. Upstairs in the Court House.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

CROWELL LODGE, No. 50. P. O. F. & A. M. Meets Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month. G. A. Burks, W. M. T. W. Holt, Sec.

THALIA LODGE, No. 56. A. F. & A. M. Meets Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month. S. E. Middlebrook, W. M. C. W. Williams, J. W. D. Foster, S. W. A. T. Miller, Secs.

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CROWELL LODGE No. 1. I. O. O. F. Meets every Saturday night at 8 p. m. C. McLarty, N. G. G. A. Burks, V. G. G. L. Burk, Secretary. J. W. Howell, Treasurer.

CROWELL LODGE, No. 37 K. of P. Meets every second and fourth Monday night in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All Knights are invited. Ed Sanford, C. C. C. R. Ferguson, Vice C. G. W. Hattall, K. of R. S.

CROWELL COUNCIL No. 10. M. O. P. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday night in each month in the I. O. O. F. Hall. C. P. Sandifer, S. J. Fox (meeting), Secs.

O. E. S. Meets in regular session Friday night before the full moon in each month and each third Thursday afternoon at 8 p. m. C. P. Sandifer, W. P. Fox (meeting), Secs.

nt Roosevelt is after in the Kiowa and country. He has headquarters on about 18 miles square. Quannah established within a stone's distance of the President's. Quannah's squaws and Indians with him seem to be as anxious as the President as Roosevelt will sit Fort Sill and ore he leaves the nd after that will to Texas and up the

late dispatches from the East state that Togo's and Rojostovnsky's fleets will meet somewhere about the Straits of Porosna and that a naval battle is imminent.

G. R. Thrush returned Monday from the north. He said that the Orient people are getting ready to grade the track between the North and South Canadian rivers and will hurry the grading to completion for laying the track.—Altus News.

J. V. Fleming, townsite man of the Orient was in the city Tuesday. He has been visiting all the towns on the line from San Angelo, Texas, north. He says that work is being pushed all along the line, and that this will be a big year for the Orient building.—Altus Weekly News.

The Beer man can now with perfect safety sell his beer and whiskey to the Indian who has had land allotted to him in severalty, the Indian becoming a citizen of the United States and no longer wards. So says the Supreme Court of the United States in a decision rendered by Chief Justice Brewer on April 10.

The great bugaboo that is now going the rounds of the press in regard to the acceptance of the Rockefeller donation by the Baptist Church, if adhered to strictly, will preclude the accepting of money for charitable or religious purposes from wicked men and confine the giving to the pure and good, which would necessitate the passing upon the fitness of the donor before the gift could be received. We are sure that if Mr. Rockefeller wants to bestow a gift of a million on a Crowell enterprise it would go.

The population of the Philippine Island is, according to the late census made by the United States Census Bureau 7,633,426. The civilized tribes are all practically, members of the Catholic church. The total number of non-christian peoples is stated to be 647,740. The population is about four times what it was 100 years ago. The density of population is about 67 to the square mile. Manila, the chief town has a population of 219,928. With self government the Philippine ought to take on a rapid development of interests and population.

"President Roosevelt ought by all means be given a chance to shake hands with Judge J. C. Roberts, a newspaper man in Foard County, Tex.," remarked S. A. Fishburn to Round About Town. "The Judge is in theory and practice one of the strongest opponents of race suicide in the United States, being the father of twenty-one children, and it would doubtless do the President's heart good to encourage such heroism in the cause of race perpetuity.—Dallas Morning News, April 6.

The above paragraph which appeared in the Dallas News was probably not brought to the attention of the President in time for him to arrange for a handshake with the Foard County News. We believe, however, that Teddy would have enjoyed looking into the face, and shaking the hand of a man who is so thoroughly and unmistakably in accord with his view on the question of race perpetuity.

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SUBSCRIPTION.

If yours is due, pay it. We need our money—must have it

LOCALS.

Wanted—Tobacco tags at Quinns'.

Violin and guitar strings at the Furniture Store.

Ed Jameson, from Margaret was in our city Saturday.

F. D. Hendrix was transacting business in Crowell Saturday.

Sorghum and Millet Seed for sale at Crowell Hdw. & Gro. Co.

Miss Leona Young's school at Hackberry closed last Thurs. a. y.

If you want a 25 pound box of good prunes for \$1 call on Hays & Burks.

Esq. W. W. Pigg from Thalia was attending to business in Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. Bennett served home grown vegetables to her guests last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Branson, from Vivian came to town on business last Saturday.

Eb Williams, late of Oklahoma but formerly of East Texas, is now stopping in Crowell.

A load or two of wood wanted at the News Office on subscription. Dry wood preferred.

For Sale or Trade—A good surrey. R. A. Wells. Crowell, Texas

B. J. Smith the lawyer, farmer stockman of Cottonwood, passed through Crowell Monday enroute for Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Denton and Oscar Miles, from Cottonwood were in town Monday trading with our merchants.

D. C. Sullivan and John Gamble, subscribers on our Thalia list were transacting business in the capital city Saturday.

J. H. Haydon, D. M. Ferebee, and C. F. Peel each advanced their account 1 year on the News subscription list last Saturday.

C. B. Hyde from Lawton, I. T. came in to Crowell Saturday. Mr. Hyde is looking for a place to trap wolves this coming winter.

John Goble and family of Quanah spent Friday and Saturday of last week visiting Mr. Goble's daughter Mrs. H. T. Kenner near Sandrock.

Joe W. Beverly threshed his millet last Friday. Other parties brought in sorghum and etc. in their wagons and had threshing done at the same time.

William Taylor from Margaret bought from the Crowell Hardware & Grocery Co. last Saturday a new Peter Schmittler wagon. Mr. Taylor contemplates a trip to the plains.

Prof. Blankenship went to Vernon last Saturday to see the President. He also met Mrs. Blankenship and the children at Vernon, and brought them to Crowell, arriving about midnight Saturday night.

Mrs. Henry Ayers, and her children Roy and Metta, Mrs. Bernice Cahb, and Miss Georgia Ayers paid the News a very pleasant visit last Saturday. Mrs. Ayers showed her appreciation of the News by leaving \$3 with us.

Foard County News for sale. Only paper in the County. Price, \$750 for plant, or \$1,150 for plant and office. Dont apply unless you mean business.

Pure cane syrup at Quinns at 50 cents a gallon.

All Jewelry at the Furniture Store is being sold at reduced prices.

J.P. Hawger sold his home place in Crowell last week to E. P. Bomar. Mr. Bomar will not occupy it until the coming fall.

Dont buy your Spring Dress Goods till you see our new line soon to arrive.

J. K. Quinn.

Ladies, Misses and children Trimmed Hats

Mrs. Ringold would be pleased to have ladies of Crowell and surrounding country call and inspect them.

B. J. Smith from Cottonwood passed through Crowell Tuesday evening with two fine whitefaced yearling bulls, which he had purchased from E. J. Wall of Quanah.

All persons holding quilt blocks are requested to finish them and bring them to the W. H. M. meeting which convene at the M. E. church on Monday at 3 p. m. after the first Sunday in May. Mrs. Addie Ray, Rec Sec.

The Womens Home Mission Society at Margaret met last Monday and elected Mrs. Jno. W. Wesley a delegate to the annual meeting at Midlothian. Good for a society of only eight members.

NOTICE.

The drawing for the \$20 in the Red Box in Show Window will take place on Saturday, April 22, promptly at 2:30 p. m. Be on hand with your keys. J. K. Quinn.

Ross Edwards of Cottonwood who has been attending school at Thorp Springs for the last three months returned home last Tuesday. He will not return to school, the accommodations not being sufficient for the boarding students since the burning of the college.

The following brethren were elected delegates to the district conference from Crowell circuit: C. P. Sandifer, J. W. Klepper, W. L. Ricks and Lee Thomas. Alternates: Chas Jameson and B. W. Self. The conference meets May 4, at Matador and all delegates are expected to be ready and go together. Jno. A. Travis.

Married—At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Jobe, near Thalia, Foard county, Texas, at 8 o'clock p. m. Sunday, April 9, 1905, by the Rev. John A. Travis, Mr. George Moore and Miss Minnie Jobe. After the usual marriage ceremonies, a beautiful supper was spread, and it is said that while the the preacher's wife can take no part in the nuptial ceremonies, that Sister Travis took as big a dish in the supper, and enjoyed it as well as any one present. The wedding was a quiet, but enjoyable one, and was witnessed by a few neighbors and friends all of whom extended congratulations to the happy contracting parties.

For Sale—Four Quaker Bath Cabinets, price \$4.50 each, with incruston, book, lamp etc. I will also include at this price one facial hairpiece, which alone is worth \$1. Three of these cabinets have never been removed from case in which they were shipped. The other one has been used as a shoe cabinet. The regular price of cabinet and head piece is \$6. H. A. Wesley, Margaret, Tex.

For Sale or Trade One four year old, medium size, coal black Jack, with white points. He is easily managed and a good worker, he is of good stock. Can be seen at my place 9 miles south of Crowell on the Seymour road. J. J. Brown.

97 gets the chair at Edwards, Self & Co. The second number is **664** and the third number **1835.**

See J. K. Quinn's add in this issue.

R.B. Edwards, of the firm of Edwards, Self and Co., who has been trying the realities of city life for the last few months, decided that he loved country life better, and on last Saturday moved his family back to his farm 1 mile north of town.

Mr. James Ashford and Mrs. E. L. Rector were married at the Commercial Hotel at 6:15 p. m. April 12, 1905, by the Editor of the Foard County News. Esq. Ashford is a well defined land mark in Foard county affairs, having served two terms as County Treasurer. He has also served as County Commissioner and Justice of the Peace in precinct No. 1 of this county, and is the present Justice of the Peace.

Mrs. Rector has only resided in Foard County about one year, but in that time she has made many friends who join in congratulating her in her new relation. The Hotel was crowded to its standing capacity to witness the ceremony. After a fine supper prepared for the occasion the newly elected bride and groom went to the residence of the groom where they will make their future home.

Mrs. J. A. Travis who has been away for nearly two weeks returned home on last Monday evening. She attended the Womens Missionary Institute at Dallas, March 30, to April 1, inclusive; the Sun-lay School Institute April 4, to 6, inclusive. She also attended the laying of the corner stone of the Medical Branch of the S. W. University at Dallas; heard Bishop Key preach to the Graduating Class; also heard Bishop Hoss deliver a lecture at the laying of the cornerstone; saw President Roosevelt and heard him make his Dallas speech on Wednesday and heard him again on Saturday, April 8, at Fort Worth. On her return homeward Bro. Travis and Rue met her at Vernon and they came to Margaret; thence to Thalia to attend the Moore-Jobe wedding, returning via Margaret to Crowell. She reports an interesting trip throughout.

New goods arriving daily at Quinns.

I have for sale or trade a Surrey in good running condition. Mrs. F. M. Thatcher.

Full blood darbaro bulls ranging in age from 3 years to 4 year year olds will be sold at auction at 3 o'clock p. m. Saturday April 22, at my residence one mile west of the court house in Crowell. There is one registered bull, the others are full bloods, but unregistered. Sales will be made on six months time with note at 10 per cent, if desired. Notes must be secured. E. T. Goodwin

To The Public

Beginning Monday April 17, next, we will deliver all town orders received between 7 and 11 o'clock a. m. and between one and 7 o'clock P. M.

We dont do this to be contrary, but we are human, and like other folks and want to go church, pray, erecting, lodges, etc., beside we feel for dumb brutes and cant afford to kill one of his, so take notice and let us have your orders so as to get them out, as stated above, and there will be no disappointments.

Crowell Hdw. & Gro. Co. Hays & Burks' Edwards, Self & Co. W. L. Ricks

In last weeks News we published the statement made by Mrs. John Allison about the great abundance of vegetables she was enjoying at that time, and as a result of this mention, Mrs. Frank Hart determined not to be outdone, and knowing our weakness, for things good to eat, on last Monday phoned us to appear at her house at 12 o'clock sharp, to witness the fact that she too had a bountiful supply of vegetables, and we are now on the witness stand to testify to the bountiful supply of mustard, lettuce, onions, radishes and other good things that were prepared by the hostess in such a manner as to tempt the appetite of this Editor to take on one of the heartiest meals we have eaten in some time. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Blankenship and their children were also guests of Mrs. Hart, and you just ought to note the difference in the appearance of that table when we found it and when we left it. Our visit was most enjoyable.

On last Saturday evening April 8, was an informal gathering at the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wishon, for the purpose of joining in the celebration of his forty third birthday.

Mrs. Wishon had prepared the dinner, while Mr. Wishon was on his way home from Quanah, and of course it was all a surprise to him, but he enjoyed it all the same as he came in hungry, having had no dinner, and we congratulated him upon being able to represent himself at the table and also, as an entertainer, as he sure made all present feel a hearty welcome during their stay.

The guest's present were: Mr. and Mrs. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Kenner, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magee, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fite, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Wishon and last, but not least Misses Gussie and Bessie Sanders, who as special guests of Mrs. Wishon helped to make the occasion a very pleasant one.

After the dinner Mr. Kenner entertained us for a while, with his graphophone after which all departed for their homes; feeling much received and wishing for Mr. and Mrs. Wishon; a long life and many happy birthdays, and especially complementing Mrs. Wishon upon her ability, for preparing the elegant repast which we all so much enjoyed.

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A GUEST.

The following students on the Honor Roll from examination held last week at the High School:

MISS ALLISON'S ROOM

Leta Bark, 95; Jewel Hagler, 95; Annie Hudlow, 95; Lois Halsell, 96; Ora Bell, 96; Alton Andrews, 99; Tennie Ricks, 97; Marvin Moore, 98, Leonard Stanford, 95; Bertha Johnson, 95; Elmer Garlinghouse, 97; Lora Thacker, 95; Myrtle Campsey, 95; Frank Moore, 95; Luther Gribble, 97.

MISS ALLEE'S ROOM

Grace Ulom, 95; Earlie Norwood, 95; Dee Norwood, 95; Una Self, 95; Paul Logan, 95; Earl Logan, 95; Frank Kirkman, 95; Owen McLarty, 96; Homer Hagler, 96; Mabel Roberts, 95; Herbert Edwards, 96; Essie Ricks, 97; Reger Adams, 98; Arthur Ulom, 95; Ora Howell, 95; Mattie Ziebig, 95; Archie Williams.

PROF. THOMPSON'S ROOM

Minnie Ringgold, 99; Cecil Raney, 94; Mary Logan, 96; Mabel Crowell, 95; Mattie Klepper, 97; Ruby Andrews, 97; Bennie Wright, 99; Lorena Andrews, 98; May Klepper, 95.

PROF. BLANKENSHIP'S ROOM

Beaty Andrews, 95; Tully Klepper, 94; Fite Crowell, 98; Archie Campbell, 91; Biddie Thacker, 99; Chas. Andrews, 98; Cliff Crowell, 92; Essie Thacker, 98; Louana Cope, 98; Lena Kirkman, 99; Minnie Magee, 99.

The following are on the Honor Class of the High School for the present session:

MISS ALLISON'S ROOM

Marvin Moore
Alton Andrews
Annie Hudlow.

MISS ALLEE'S ROOM

Homer Hagler
Dee Norwood
Reger Adams.

PROF. THOMPSON'S ROOM

Mattie Klepper
Minnie Ringgold.
Ruby Andrews.

PROF. BLANKENSHIP'S ROOM

Charley Andrews,
Louana Cope.
Fite Crowell—Valedictorian.

Items from Black

The entertainment given last Friday night at the B. S. H. was well attended and seemed to be enjoyed by all.

Oscar Gentry after a week's visit to his home on Beaver creek, has returned home.

Mrs. C. B. Battle has been affected with catarrh for some weeks, but is now improving.

We have not heard of any cattle dying recently in this community from cockle burrs.

The people are getting down to business just right in their farming. Everybody seems to be hopeful of a seasonable year and a large crop.

The students of Black school placed upon the honor roll for the month of March are the following: Vida McKown, 95; Kate Bulkeley, 95; Joe Shirley, 93; Willie McKown, 94; Addie Coffman, 92; Willie Bulkeley, 92; Paul Clifford, 91; Jane Bulkeley, 91; Marie Nichols, 91; Edna Clifford, 90; Albe Tuttle, 90; Jim Clifford, 90; John Shirley, 90.
Y. F. S.

By appointment, as made by public notice given, a mass meeting was held at the Court to discuss the question as to what can be done in regard to enlarging the school building. Dr. W. H. Adams was elected Chairman and J. W. Beverly Secretary. Several present made short talks on the subject in hand. It was moved and carried that the board of trustees be requested to devise a plan and ascertain what room will be needed and what plan will be best to secure the money by which the building can be erected. Another meeting was called for Monday night, April 17, to hear the report of the board of trustees.

LOCALS.

Rocky Ford contains seed of choice quality at Edwards, Self & Company.

Allison & Ferguson Bro. are improving the street and making a high grade side walk on the west side of their Drug Store.

Bird Collinsworth, from Collin county, Texas, Crowell Wednesday evening on his way to Good Creek to visit his aunt, Mrs. J. P. Thomas.

N. J. Avers and wife made us a very pleasant visit yesterday. This was Mrs. Avers first visit to a printing office and she was greatly amused at what she saw.

A choice lot of Sugar Cured meat consisting of Hams, Breakfast Bacon & etc. It will tempt your appetite to look at it.

Hays and Burks.

The services last Sunday at the Baptist Church were attended by large crowds, both morning and night, with excellent attention and unexcelled decorum. The Baptismal service in the afternoon was well attended. Three persons were baptized.

M. L. Cope, of Denton, Texas, father of our ex-sheriff, J. W. Cope, and Mrs. San Cope, of Quanah, who have been visiting in Crowell, left yesterday for Quanah. From Quanah Mr. Cope will visit his brother, who is dangerously sick, near the mouth of Groesbeck in Hardeman county.

I will be in Crowell, Texas, Tuesday night, April 18 and in Margaret Wednesday night April 19, 1905 to organize Farmers Unions and to address the people in regard to said organization. Come out and let us reason together on this important subject.
J. K. P. Hindman.

On Saturday before the Fourth Sunday (Easter) roll call service will be had at the Baptist church at 11 a. m. Every member of the church is requested to be present either in person or by letter to respond to the roll call. Come brethren, let us have a good time together and plan great things the coming year.
Your Pastor,
J. FRANK LEAKE.

On Easter Sunday services at the Baptist Sunday School at the usual hour. Preaching at 11 a. m. At 8 p. m. a Missionary and Easter program will be rendered by the Sunday School. All who desire are invited to bring an offering to the Lord for Home and Foreign Missions. Baskets will be provided for those who wish to bring eggs and chickens. Come every one and participate in our service. J. FRANK LEAKE, Pastor.

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On last Wednesday evening after the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. James Ashford, but repaired to their residence, in the stillness of the night when music has its greatest power to charm, the Crowell string band gathered around that quiet home and broke the stillness of the night with the most enchanting strains of music that ever saluted the ears of that happy pair. The Serenaders conducted themselves in an orderly well behaved manner and the entertainment was greatly enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Ashford, who send through the News their thanks to the Serenaders.

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