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Engineers Here to Start Pease River Project

Engineers of the firm of Floyd & Lockridge of Dallas were here Tuesday to begin the preliminary work looking to the building of the Pease River project and it is expected that about two months will be required to complete this preliminary work.

This survey will be the basis for the organization of the preliminary district, and for the voting of short term notes to finance the detailed survey of the project. The first or outline survey will show the approximate limits of the district and the approximate route of the main canal. The second or detailed survey will include a complete topographical map of the district and the cost estimates of all construction. The dam site of the project is located on the Pease river eight miles north of Crowell on the Crowell-Quanah highway, and the land to be included in the district comprises acreage in Foard, Harde-man, Wilbarger and Wichita counties.

The plan also includes a permanent water supply for Vernon, Electra, Burkburnett, Quanah and Crowell.

Directors Attending

The Pease river project is sponsored by a voluntary association known as the Pease Red River Valley association and directors are included from the leading towns of the proposed district. Present at the meeting Wednesday at Electra were the following: C. E. McDannald, Edward Schlaffke, J. M. Henby and Byron P. Johnson of Electra; J. A. Dixon, R. M. Fielder of Vernon and Grady Hip, secretary of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce; F. W. Kernerly of Quanah; H. E. Ferguson of Crowell; C. R. Cowles and W. A. Roberts of Burkburnett; Judge Harvey Harris of Wichita Falls, counsel for the district; L. N. Floyd, chief engineer on the project from Dallas, and Julian Montgomery and Joe E. Ward of Wichita Falls, associated with the Dallas firm in the engineering work.

Directors attending the meeting were optimistic of the success of the project, which promises to be one of the largest in Texas. Floyd and Lochridge, engineering firm in charge of the work, had charge of the big Wichita project, and are experienced in the type of project, according to directors of the association.

Thalia School Exercises to Be Held Tonight

The Thalia school will come to a close tonight and the commencement exercises for the senior class will be held at the school auditorium. The senior class is made up of the following ten members: Lillian Reid, Virgie Lee Johnson, Jennie Lee Roberts, John Hugh Banister, Jody Tole, Royce Cato, Roy Minst, Peggie Pittillo, O'Neal Johnson and Jack Neill.

The program will be as follows:
Processional—Miss Russell.
Invocation—Rev. Payne.
Salutatory—Lillian Reid.
Class statistics—Jack Neill.
Class prophecy—Royce Cato.
Valedictory—Jennie Lee Roberts.
Address to the class by Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.
Processional—Miss Grimm.

L. G. Andrews Goes to Baylor Sanitarium

L. G. Andrews went to Dallas Saturday, accompanied by his wife and two sons, C. W. and L. A., to have an examination made of his leg, which has caused serious illness for the last several months. The two sons returned Monday and say that the doctors at Dallas think they can cure his leg but they are not certain that it will not give him trouble again.

The doctors will make a thorough examination in order to determine what treatment is to be given, whether amputation will be necessary or not. The examination will last about three days, but even should an operation be decided upon it is said that some time will be required in which to build him up physically before it can be done.

The friends of Mr. Andrews are anxious that he regain his health and be restored to his family.

Rocks Springs Relief Fund Is Appreciated

The following letter from County Judge C. H. Gilmer of Rock Springs, an expression of his appreciation of the relief fund solicited by J. C. Thompson and subscribed to liberally by the citizens of Crowell. His letter to Mr. Thompson follows:
Mr. J. C. Thompson,
Crowell, Texas.

Dear Sir:
I am acknowledging receipt of your two cashier's checks for \$70.00 and \$52.50 for Rock Springs Storm Relief. I am turning these checks in to Mr. Lon R. Smart, Cashier First National Bank, and chairman of Rock Springs Relief Fund. I do not believe it is necessary, under the circumstances, for me to tell you how much good this contribution will do, and how we appreciate it. Tell your people that with their valued assistance we will build Rock Springs back again better than before.

Very truly yours,
C. H. GILMER, Co. Judge,
Edwards County, Texas.

Commencement Exercises Will Be on April 20

The commencement sermon will be preached by Rev. Chas. A. Powell, pastor of the First Baptist church at Abilene, on Sunday, May 15th, at the Methodist church. Rev. Powell is widely known not only in his own denomination but among others as one of the strong characters and fine speakers of the day. It will be a rare treat to hear this man. These services will be at the 11 o'clock hour.

The seventh grade exercises will be held on Thursday night, May 19th, at the Methodist church, and Rev. L. H. Smith, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will be the speaker of the occasion.

On Friday night, May 20, the graduation exercises will be held and the diplomas delivered to about 20 graduates. The class this year is fairly well represented by both sexes, there being about 9 boys and about 11 girls.

Information has not been furnished us yet as to who will deliver the baccalaureate address, but a good speaker will be had and the announcement made later.

Kept Record Shows That Poultry Pays

Practically everybody thinks poultry raising pays, but S. E. Tate is keeping a close record on his flock and knows that it pays.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate are raising two varieties, Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns. They took an invoice the first of December and found that they had 120 White Leghorns and 108 Rhode Island Reds. The Leghorns were confined to a pen during the five months, but were fed egg laying mash and grain. The Reds had access to the barn lots and the poultry yards, and were also fed mash and grains.

During the five months the total production of eggs were 8,515. The White Leghorns laid 4,770 of this amount. The Reds laid 3,745. The highest month of production was during March. The White Leghorns laid 1,567 and the Reds 1,222.

Mr. Tate has 1,200 baby chicks, with 525 eggs setting that will hatch this month. He is planning to keep 1,000 laying hens on his farm. Eggs, chickens, cream and butter buy what groceries that the family uses which are not raised on the farm.

Mr. Tate has plenty of feed stored for his livestock. He is milking four good cows. He has meat to last him during the year, also hogs for next year's meat supply and some to spare. He has an orchard that produces enough fruit for family use. In short he is practicing diversification and living at home.

Married at Methodist Parsonage This Week

Two weddings took place at the Methodist parsonage this week. Rev. W. J. Mayhew performing the ceremonies that united the happy couples.

The couples were, Ben Brakebill and Mrs. Mabel Moore, Saturday night, and Buster Baker and Miss Lena Stephens Tuesday night.

PROCLAMATION

I, C. T. Schlagal, mayor of the City of Crowell, do hereby issue a proclamation;

That all dogs in the City of Crowell must be muzzled or kept tied, as a means of protection of the citizens of Crowell, as there has been several dogs known to have rabies. We can't afford to take any chances. My dog will be killed. Other dogs found unmuzzled on the streets will be treated likewise.

C. T. SCHLAGAL,
Mayor City of Crowell.

Large Crowd Was At Polo Game Sunday Afternoon

The largest crowd yet seen at the polo games was that of last Sunday afternoon. It appeared to be larger than the one on the last day of the games a year ago, judging from the number of cars parked around the grounds. It has been estimated that there were five to six thousand people there. These were from all over this section of the country and many from Oklahoma.

The steeple chase was even more interesting than the one Sunday before, as some changes had been made in the grounds that afforded a better view from the top of the breaks where the large crowd gathered to witness the interesting contest.

In this chase Bill Barry was winner of first place, while Ray Embree of Oklahoma University, who had won in the first chase, came out second in the last one. Glen Offield was third. In the quarter mile chase Jimmy Minnick won again, he also having won in the first chase a week before.

The polo game Sunday was a very lively one in which Wichita Falls won over Fort Reno.

General interest has been manifested in the tournament, even more than a year ago, and in all probability this will be looked forward to as an annual affair when thousands of people will visit Crowell and this section of the country. It has already meant great advertising for us and will become even greater.

AYERSVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jones.

Marion and Emmett James, John Edwards and Wade Odle of Vernon, and Pete Lindsey of Thalia, all went fishing on Wichita River Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and Mrs. D. M. Shultz were visitors in Quanah Saturday.

Ray Pyle and family spent Sunday with R. C. Johnson and family in the Talmadge community.

Mr. Carroll has about completed his new house.

Vernon Pyle has been making repairs on his house the past week.

D. M. Shultz and T. D. Edwards joined other parties at Thalia Tuesday morning to go on a fishing trip to Lake Kemp and spend the night.

John Wozencraft and family, Sim Gamble and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz attended the baccalaureate services at Thalia Sunday night. It was held in the school auditorium.

Mrs. R. C. Johnson and daughter, Evelyn, and Mrs. C. D. Haney and son, Bob Martin, of Talmadge spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz attended church Sunday at Thalia and took dinner with J. L. Shultz and family of Thalia. They also attended the polo game near Foard City in the afternoon.

78th Birthday Celebrated

Sunday, J. B. R. Fox's 78th birthday was celebrated. His birthday is May 3rd. His children were all present but one, Claude Fox, of Post City. Those present were: Mrs. J. B. R. Fox, Mrs. E. V. Cato and family, Mrs. W. S. Tarver and family, of Thalia, Mrs. Eric Wheeler and family and C. J. Fox and family of Thalia and Mrs. Ralph Cuff and daughter of Vernon, Andrew Duffie and family, Clyde Fox and wife of Vernon, Dave Shultz and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts of Vernon, Elba Sanders of Vernon, George Fox and family of Thalia, Charlie Cavin and family, Clarence Fox and family of Davidson, Okla., Tom Fox and wife, a brother of Mr. Fox, of Davidson, Okla. There were 18 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

All brought well-filled baskets and spread a sumptuous dinner together which was very much enjoyed by everyone. The visitors wished the honoree many more hale and hearty days. He was the recipient of several gifts and was especially delighted with the large cake which held the 78 candles of various colors.

Grady Halbert to Represent Us In Wichita Contest

Grady Halbert of Foard City won in the tryout here last Saturday for the position in the contest at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting at Wichita Falls the 16th of May at which time prizes will be awarded for the best oration delivered in the "My Home Town" contest.

Grady represented Foard County in the contest at Amarillo last year and won 3rd place.

He is 15 years of age and is in the eleventh grade of high school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Halbert.

All Foard County is behind Grady and are confidently expecting him to walk off with first prize from the Wichita Falls meeting.

Commissioners Go to Paducah Tuesday

County Judge J. E. Atcheson and his court went over to Paducah Tuesday and met with the county judge and court of that county to discuss matters relative to road building. Two of the principal things considered were those of procuring State and Federal aid and direction of route. By direction of route is meant the straightening of the line. While the commissioners of none of the counties will have all to say about this, they have a right to express their wish in the matter. It is certain that the State will have something to say about where the road shall be put through the counties, but the aim of the courts is to work together for the best interests of all concerned. A line up of all the counties through which Lee Highway is to run with a view of securing an understanding with each other will be sought.

We are informed that on the strength of the voting of bonds in Foard County for Lee Highway Hale County is getting ready to vote a million dollar bond issue.

Mad Dog Killed After Biting a Number of Animals

Mad dogs have been doing some damage in the county for a couple of weeks or more. The first appearance of these was when one went through the community south of town and bit a number of dogs and other animals, one of which was a cow for Mr. Merriman. The cow is reported to have developed rabies Wednesday of this week. Several shots were taken at the dog but it was never known whether it was killed or not.

Some days after this another mad dog appeared in town and bit some of the pets here and went on to F. C. Borchardt's place southwest of town and bit some sheep for him. Mr. Borchardt killed the animal and sent its head to Austin for examination and a wire came that it was one of the worst cases of rabies.

Since this disturbance, C. T. Schlagal, mayor of Crowell, has issued a proclamation that all dogs in town must be muzzled or they will be killed. This proclamation will be read in this issue of the paper, and it will be well for every one who has a dog to observe it.

Crowell Sponsor for Convention Selected

Mrs. T. B. Richmond has been selected as sponsor for Crowell at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention which will be held in Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17.

Mrs. Laura Ward Dies at Windfield

Mrs. Laura Ward died at Windfield last Sunday morning at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Ward and her son, Velox, and his wife and child had been gone several days to East Texas, visiting and traveling for Mrs. Ward's health, and they were at the home of Mrs. Ida Garreston, a niece of Mrs. Ward, when she took sick and died. The deceased had been in ill health for two or three years and it was thought that travel would benefit her health. Mrs. Ward was 55 years of age at the time of her death.

The deceased is survived by her only children, two sons, Joe and Velox Ward, both of this city. Mrs. Ward had been making her home with her son, Velox, since having moved to this country from Windfield about 7 years ago.

The body was buried in the cemetery at Windfield Sunday afternoon.

Joe Ward went to the bedside of his mother as soon as the message came that she was seriously ill and arrived only a short time before she died.

Construction of High Line Is Making Progress

The L. E. Meyers Construction company of Abilene arrived in Crowell last week with 35 men and these are digging holes for the posts for the high line of the West Texas Utilities Co. from Truscott towards Crowell. The big crew of 100 men setting poles from Truscott this way are expected to arrive at Crowell within about 14 days, and should nothing happen to hinder the work at the rate they are coming, a mile a day, their expectations will be reached and the line should be completed to Crowell by about the 20th of May.

A portion of the material has already arrived and is still coming for the high line from Crowell to Paducah, and when the line is completed to Crowell the work will be rushed on to Paducah.

Monday of this week also Jack Gorman, civil engineer of Abilene, and a crew of surveyors commenced to set stakes from Crowell to Quanah for the extension of the high line to that city. This work is expected to be finished by tonight.

Program for Mothers' Day at Margaret Sun.

Pastor of the Baptist church at Margaret, Rev. J. E. Smith, advises the News that there will be a Mothers' Day program rendered at his church next Sunday, May 8th, and that there will be plenty of free lunch for every one who attends.

The invitation is extended to all to be there and a special one is given to all old Sacred Harp singers to come and bring their books. Bro. Smith says they want to make this one of the great days in Foard County's history.

It will be interesting to every one who enjoys these occasions and if there be those who can not go in the forenoon they may go in the afternoon and get a good portion of the program.

Pace Gin Burns at Rayland Tuesday

The Rayland cotton gin, owned by J. C. Pace of Vernon, was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. The gin, seed house, and a truck were consumed by the flames. Mr. Pace said the gin was valued at approximately \$25,000. It was insured for approximately \$10,000 he reported.

It is believed the fire originated in some bird nests around electric wires in the roof. When people living nearby first discovered the flames shortly after midnight, the blaze was in in the roof of the gin building. Lack of water made it impossible to combat the fire.

The gin was a five-stand, seventy. It has not been in use for several weeks. The truck which was destroyed was parked under the suction shed.

Mrs. Pace said he plans to rebuild the gin at some future date, but said he would not be able to make any definite plans at present.—Vernon Record.

School Bond Election Here Next Saturday

A school bond election has been ordered for next Saturday at which time tax payers in the Crowell Independent School district will vote on the proposition of building a new \$80,000 high school building. The district has been enlarged by consolidation, the Crowell Independent, as it was before the consolidation, Jameson, and district No. 17, south of town, all going together and now constituting the Crowell Independent school district.

The proposition is to vote bonds to build a school building that will take care of the school situation which has been in need of relief from the crowded condition for the last three or four years.

This is a matter in which every patron of the district is or ought to be interested, and the News is merely calling attention to the approaching election. It will be a fine thing if all voters will go to the polls Saturday and vote their sentiments in the matter. Of course, it is expected that it will carry, but it should have a good strong vote, as such vote will show that the people are behind the proposition good and strong. It is an easy matter to forget an election unless there has been a lot of agitation. In this there has been little or none, and unless voters are reminded they may forget. So this is to remind lest you forget.

Statement of Crowell Cemetery Association

For twenty-five years the Crowell cemetery has been cared for by a little band of faithful women. It has been no small responsibility and care. The conditions today are quite different to what they were when the association was organized. The work has become too much for some eight or ten women to carry on. No doubt you are surprised that the number of active members are so small but it's true. Eighteen have paid dues during the past year, and less than ten have attended more than two or three meetings.

The term of office of the present set of officers expired and two efforts have been made to get a quorum to elect without success. The reason for this state of affairs is that some of the older and most faithful have passed on, others have grown old in the service and are unable to continue the heavy obligations, and younger women have failed to accept the mantle of service cast upon them by their elders.

The present staff of officers wish to say to the public, to the people of Crowell and Foard County, that we can no longer continue the work. The work has grown until a different plan of work and different source of support must be provided.

We frankly admit you have been generous in your aid. We have never asked for donations or help that you didn't respond gladly. But, we need somebody to help do the asking.

This means after 6 weeks there will be no sexton at the cemetery, no one to locate graves and protect the lots you own there, or even to close the gates, unless a new organization is effected, and new management secured.

The present management is not quitting. We are still willing to help, but we cannot do it longer alone.

Respectfully submitted,
PRESIDENT and OFFICERS.

Work Is Started on First State Bank This Week

The material for improvements and changes to take place at the First State Bank arrived last week and now the carpenters are at work on the building. The work will be rushed as rapidly as possible in order that the bank may soon be comfortably located with the improved conditions and surroundings these changes will bring.

Local Plumber Gets Shamrock Contract

O. O. Hollingsworth, local plumber and metal worker, was awarded last week a \$6,000 plumbing contract on a new hotel building to be erected at Shamrock.

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Rev. C. R. Payne of Vernon preached at the Baptist church here Sunday morning. A large crowd attended.

J. A. Stovall and daughter, Modina, and S. B. Stovall visited relatives in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Rev. T. M. Johnston of Margaret preached the Baccalaureat sermon for the senior class at the high school auditorium here Sunday night. A large crowd was present.

Wood Roberts and wife, Mrs. J. A. Stovall, Mrs. Yance Lindsey, Mrs. A. C. Stallcup and daughter, Marie, E. G. Grimsley and family, H. W. Gray and family, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey, Royce Cato, J. C. Taylor and family, Mrs. Vonnie Eden, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKinley, Jessie and Katherine Wheeler, O Neal Johnson, Joe Johnson, Raymond Oliver and Ray Mints attended the polo game near Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and daughter, Mary Frances, were business visitors in Quanah Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Dickens of Brownfield has been visiting her brother, J. A. Stovall, here the past week.

Several from here attended a singing at Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haney's home near Rayland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burress of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown here Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Hathaway left Saturday night for a visit with relatives in Gainesville.

A. C. Stallcup went to Electra Sunday for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. L. Sims and Mrs. G. C. Phillips visited relatives in Quanah Friday and Saturday.

Rev. T. M. Johnston and son, Amon, of Margaret were business visitors here Monday.

Claude Abston and C. E. Sumner of the Rio Grande Valley have been visiting and attending business here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett of Plainview came in one day last week for an extended visit with their son, Bill, and wife.

Mrs. Naomi Harbin and little daughter, Jacqueline, returned to their home in Wichita Falls Saturday. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. J. K. Langley, who will visit them for a few days.

Misses Velma and Corine Haney and Lillian Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Neill, W. F. Wood and family, E. V. Cato, G. A. Neill, Roy Mints, Jesse Miller and family and Jack Neill were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Grandpa Adkins is seriously ill this week.

Clarence Self and Mr. Myers of Crowell were business visitors here Tuesday night.

J. K. French and Pete Gamble were business visitors in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

W. H. McClendon and W. E. McClendon of Paducah visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. G. A. Shultz, here Monday night.

Mrs. John Phillips of Wichita Falls is visiting her nephew, A. C. Phillips, and family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abston of this place and Mrs. Maggie French and son, Allen, of Rayland left Tuesday afternoon for Denton to be at the bedside of Miss Tommie French who is ill at that place with typhoid fever.

J. G. Thompson, Tom Abston and John Thompson left Wednesday for a business trip to Floydada.

Commencement exercises will be held at the high school auditorium Friday night. Members of the senior class are: Reggie Pittillo, Vergie Lee and O Neal Johnson, Royce Cato, Jack Neill, Judy Tele, Roy Mints, John Hugh Banister and Misses Lillian Reid and Jennie Lee Roberts.

C. B. Morris, H. W. Gray, J. C. Taylor left Wednesday for Memphis to attend business.

Tom and Clara Lowrance of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haney here Sunday.

Mrs. John Raser of Crowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Haney, here one day last week.

Clifford Stone of Vernon and Miss Agnes Patton of Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. Truett Neill here Sunday afternoon.

The teachers of the school here entertained the junior and senior classes with a "hobo" party and supper Friday night down on Beaver creek. Then Tuesday morning the two classes entertained the teachers with a sunrise breakfast.

J. K. French purchased a new Dodge sedan one day last week.

A play, entitled, "Twelve Old Maids," will be staged at the high school auditorium on Friday night, May 13, by the Methodist ladies missionary society.

Ruby and Roy French visited their sister, Mrs. Hugh Jones, near Fargo Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. Shultz received a message Sunday stating that her uncle, Dr. E. Barnes, of Vernon was found dead in bed at his home there. She left immediately for that place and attended the funeral services there on Monday. She was accompanied by her family and Mrs. T. M. Haney.

Mr. Page from Shreveport, La., was a business visitor here Monday and Tuesday.

W. D. Burress returned to his home in Seymour Tuesday after several days visit with relatives here and in Wilbarger county.

Dr. R. E. Maine was a business visitor in Vernon Tuesday.

L. H. Myrick of McKinney spent Tuesday in the W. H. Short home here.

T. M. Haney and family and W. J. Long and family were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.

Charlie Floyd Webb, Mack Eden, Bill Banister, C. C. and J. Y. Lindsey, Jack Neill, Roy Mints, Joe Johnson, Walter Banister, J. A. and Tom Abston, Carl and Gordon Davis, A. K. Eden, H. R. Randolph, Lee Sims, D. M. and G. A. Shultz, Joe Huntley, Kebe Short, J. H. Fruedigger, and Bob Huntley went fishing at Lake Kemp Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Bell and Mrs. Kellie Erwin entertained the club members and their husbands Friday night at the home of Mrs. Erwin. Several games and contests were enjoyed. Delicious ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. J. A. Shawver of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ermitt Blakemore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kell Erwin were visitors in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerome Kane of Weinert were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cates visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Stroud and children of Odell were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Erwin and attending the polo game.

Adelphian Club
Mrs. W. E. Maddox was hostess to the Adelphian Club in a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, April 27.

The lesson, the last in a study of Ruskin's "Sesame and Lilies," was on the lecture "The Mysteries of Life" and was led by Mrs. R. D. Oswald. The deepest mysteries of life are involved in the simplest realities of life. Art has as its beginning and foundation the elemental occupations of life, feeding, sheltering and clothing. Ruskin was interested in giving the message of art to the public at large. His message deals not only with the principles of creative art, but with the principles of the art of living happy, contented and useful lives.

At the close of the lesson, the hostess served an ice course.—Reporter

A boss in the home is wrong, says an authority on health and beauty, but if that's the case, who's to decide who will mow the lawn?

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COMMUNITY CLUB NOTES
(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Ralph Bell and Mrs. Kellie Erwin entertained the club members and their husbands Friday night at the home of Mrs. Erwin. Several games and contests were enjoyed. Delicious ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. J. A. Shawver of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ermitt Blakemore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kell Erwin were visitors in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerome Kane of Weinert were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cates visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Stroud and children of Odell were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kellie Erwin and attending the polo game.

The person who steps in front of a moving automobile can scarcely be said to be "a step ahead."

There is some complaint about nudity on the stage, but nothing is being done about the strip miners who are at large since the mine walkout.

A British advertising expert will spend \$200,000 to prove Americans should drink more tea, but it will take more than that to convince some men that tea is anything more than a drink for maiden ladies.

The spring neckties make almost as much noise as squeaky shoes.

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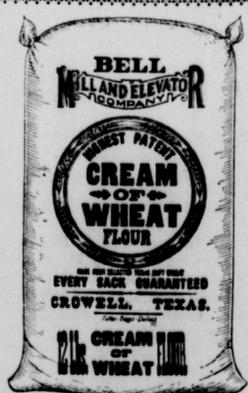
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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Stamford—A plea for chambers of commerce to function as agencies in raising funds for Rock Springs' relief has been issued by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to towns in its territory. Rock Springs now left in wide-spread suffering and destruction with not a bit of tornado insurance, though an inland town, always did its full share in support of West Texas interest, and carried its quota of membership in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Sister towns in the regional organization are therefore being asked by Manager Wade and President Duggan to organize Rock Springs Relief Drives.

Denton—Denton, Queen College City of North Texas, has voted to affiliate with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Secretary-Manager G. R. Warren of that place, in making announcement of this, pointed out advantages of holding membership, one among which was benefit to local educational institutions. The Denton Chamber of Commerce, at the time this action was taken, also voted to take membership with the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, and to observe Industrial Development Week. Denton is home of the College of Industrial Arts and North Texas State Teachers College.

Sweetwater—Judge R. C. Crane has returned here after attending the third annual session of the West Texas Historical Association held in Stamford, April 21. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, whose headquarters are in that place, has interested itself in that society, especially in respect to securing recognized names for historic, scenic and beauty spots over West Texas.

Merkel—Miss Emily Bailey has been selected as sponsor for Lampasas at the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17. Towns throughout West Texas will have sponsors at the meeting. Miss Helen Frossard has been chosen as sponsor for Turkey, and Memphis has selected Miss Luda Travis as their sponsor.

Throckmorton—Throckmorton has been the scene of the annual meet of Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters Association this week. The drive started Tuesday on the Davise Brothers Ranch, nine miles west of Throckmorton, and was extended over three days. The Throckmorton Chamber of Commerce and Throckmorton County members of the association were hosts at a big barbecue Wednesday at the ranch.

Brownwood—The Mid-Texas Press Association will hold its first semi-annual convention at Brownwood May 13, which will mark the first meeting since the organization formation last September. Prominent Newspaper men from Coleman, Brady, Ballinger, Winters, San Saba, Hico, Brownwood, Stephenville, De Leon, Rising Star, and Santa Anna will appear on the program.

ELECTION ORDER

By virtue of a petition duly presented to the City Council of the City of Crowell, requesting that an election be called to determine whether or not chickens or other domesticated fowls shall be prohibited from running at large within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell, Texas.

Therefore, I, G. D. Self, by virtue of the authority invested in me by law, do hereby give notice of, and order of an election to be held at the city hall in the City of Crowell on the 21st day of May, 1927. Said election to be held as near as possible in conformity with the general laws of the State of Texas pertaining to elections.

All qualified voters under the laws of the State of Texas and residents of the City of Crowell shall be entitled to vote at said election.

All persons desiring to vote for the prohibition of chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and guineas from running at large within the corporate limits of said city shall have written or printed on their ballot "For the Prohibition of Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys and Guineas Running at Large."

All persons desiring to vote against the prohibition of chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and guineas from running at large within the corporate limits of the city shall have written or printed on their ballot "Against the Prohibition of Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys and Guineas Running at Large."

C. W. Beidleman is hereby appointed manager of said election. This the 19th day of April, A. D. 1927.

G. D. SELF, Mayor,
City of Crowell, Texas.
Attest:
J. T. BILLINGTON, Sec.,
City of Crowell, Texas.

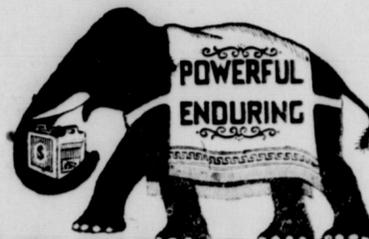
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MOTHER'S DAY

Charming little presentations of your love and respect that are just a little "fussy" and the things the wouldn't buy for herself are listed here to help you decide on your gift for Mother.

NIGHT GOWNS

Ideal gifts for her would be one of these fine Gowns of crepe, batiste and voile, both lace trimmed and tailored in a good range of both large and small sizes.



Jewelry

Years do not change the desire in a woman's heart for gay bits of Jewelry. Mother's heart will be made happier on this day by a brilliant pin, a string of pearls or a lovely ring.



Gloves

Gloves tailored and Gloves a bit "fussy," both with and without cuffs, are here in a lovely display in all beautiful spring shades for Mother's day gifts.

Hankies

Handkerchiefs are one of those little accessory items that Mother doesn't buy for herself. Why not a box of six or a dozen? All pure linen, with contrasting color borders.



Hosiery

Most Mothers prefer service weight hose and for that reason we are offering a special price for a box of three pairs for Mothers' day. Pure silk, reinforced heel and toe and full fashioned.



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The fresh charm of these cotton fabrics will inspire many unusual frocks—frocks which will be very different from ready-to-wear dresses. The materials:

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A Resolution ordering a public hearing and that notice thereof be given to property owners and others interested in construction of sidewalks ordered to be constructed upon, along and across the property hereinafter described, and estimates of special assessments to be made and levied for the purpose of paying for the construction of same.

I. J. T. Billington, city secretary of the City of Crowell, Texas, in pur-

suance of the hereinafter resolution, do hereby give notice of the publication of the same, of the matters and things therein contained, which resolution is as follows:

Resolution of the City Council of the City of Crowell, Texas, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof hereinafter described, for the cost of constructing permanent sidewalks upon, along and across the property hereinafter described, fixing the time for the hearing of the owners of said property

concerning the same, and directing the secretary of the City of Crowell, Texas, to give notice of said hearing as required by Article 1093, chapter 9, Title 28, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, of the State of Texas.

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Crowell, Texas, ordered the construction of permanent sidewalks upon, along and across the north side of lot No. 1, and the north end of lots Nos. 24, 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19, in block No. 92, in the original town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, same to be constructed with sand, gravel and cement. Also lot No. 7 in block No. 7 in said town.

Whereas, in accordance with section 2 of resolution entitled a resolution to carry into effect Chapter 9, Title 28 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1925, authorizing cities and towns which have accepted the benefits thereof, to improve streets, highways and public places.

Now therefore, be it resolved, that the cost of constructing said sidewalks shall be assessed against the property to be improved, and the owners thereof, and shall be due and payable July 1, 1927, with interest thereon from date this date at the rate of 8 per cent per annum until paid.

Assessment chargeable to property in Crowell, Texas.

Lot No. 21, block 92, A. Haley, \$20.00.

Lot No. 20, west 18 feet, block 92, B. W. Crowell, \$14.40.

Lot No. 24 in block No. 92, \$20.00, unknown owner.

Lot No. 7, in block 7, \$49.60, Mrs. C. E. Nix, 92 feet.

Be it further resolved, that a hearing shall be given to said owners or their agents, or attorneys, and all persons interested in said matter as to said assessments, as to amounts to be assessed against each owner and his property, and as to the benefits to said property by reason of said improvements, or any matter of thing in connection herewith, which hearing shall be had at the city hall in the City of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at which time all of said owners, their agents or attorneys, or persons interested in said property are notified to appear and be heard; at which hearing, said owners or other persons may be heard by counsel or in person and may offer evidence and said hearing shall be adjourned from day to day until fully accomplished, and the city secretary of the City of Crowell, is hereby further ordered and directed to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof as required by Article 1093, chapter 9, title 28, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1925, and be it further resolved that this resolution take effect from and after its passage.

Approved this 10th day of April, A. D. 1927.

G. D. SELF, Mayor.

I. J. T. BILLINGTON, Secretary.

Slaughtering and meat packing is rated as the largest manufacturing business in the United States according to the money value of the annual product. Consumers of this country expend about one-third of their annual outlay for food in the purchase of meat, the largest expenditure for food of any one type.

The so-called "Nationalists" in China are accusing the United States of leading China into war. We feel certain it was only a question of time until Uncle Sam would be blamed for everything that happened over there.

The birds mate in the spring but they don't have any rent or grocery bills, or taxes to pay.

RECKLESS DRIVING

Few would agree on what constitutes reckless driving, except in cases of extreme speed where recklessness would be unquestionable. Some speeds that seem excessive to the middle-aged or old man are regarded as very tame to the youth full of adventure and the spirit of daring.

The law has endeavored to fix speed limits and we are expected to remain within the bounds of legal propriety in order to escape arrest. The average limit for driving in rural sections is forty miles an hour. Some states have a lower limit, others higher.

But there are other forms of reckless driving. A driver may take unwarranted chances in passing another car; he may drive over roads though warned not to; he may turn without giving any signal; he may

back out of a parking place without looking in the rear to see if another car is coming; he may load up with intoxicating liquor and lose possession of his faculties and control of his automobile.

There are many other examples of recklessness in the operation of a motor car that might be referred to, but it remains for the state of Washington to define a form of recklessness in the operation of an automobile that never before has been barred specifically by the law. Washington lawmakers were lenient with the driver who wishes to speed along at a good rate, but "boy friends" and "girl friends" who want to do their loving while on the move will have to watch their actions while on the public highway.

New motor vehicle regulations, which become effective June 10, raise the speed limit from 35 to 40

miles an hour on the open road, classify "petting" as "reckless driving." To be sure there will be no misunderstanding, the legislators worded the "petting" clause in plain language. It declares a driver shall be guilty of reckless driving if such person has or her embrace another person, prevents the free and unhampered operation of the car.

That \$35,000,000 the treasury department has in unclaimed bond interest would pay an amount of first installments.

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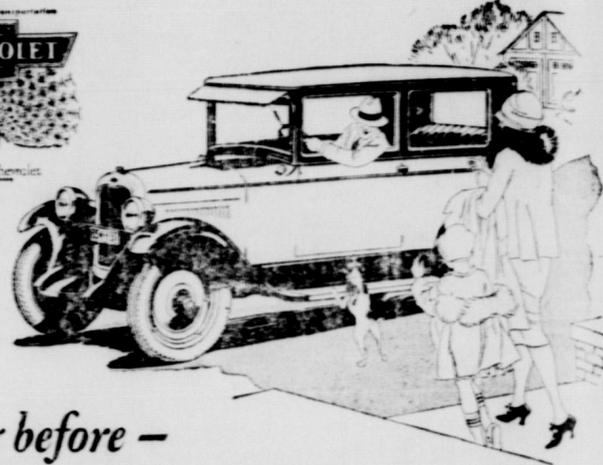
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ANTELOPE

(By Special Correspondent)

There will be a mother's day program at the Rayland Baptist church Sunday night, May 8, beginning at 8 o'clock. Every one cordially invited.

Mrs. Mollie Turner of Odell attended Sunday school at the Baptist church Sunday.

T. J. Prescott, Kenneth and Elmer Hawkins, all of Elliot, visited Christine and Myrta Prescott, Saturday night.

Jep Haynes, Mr. Mansel and family, Mrs. H. D. Lawson and children attended the polo game at Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. German and son, Robert Dewey, of Rayland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crisp.

Mrs. J. W. Anderson and daughters and Mrs. Clyde Powers were Vernon visitors Wednesday.

Those who attended the birthday party at Mrs. L. W. Greenwood's given for Almeda Crabtree Saturday afternoon were, Christine McNabb, Margie and Ora Davis, Sybil Gobin, Isabelle Green, Rosa and Minnie May Coonrod, Maudie and Idabelle Greenhouse. Mrs. Pearl Cobb helped serve the refreshments, cake and lemonade.

T. A. French and family, Mrs. Mag-

gie French and daughter, Miss Gladys and Doyle Hopkins were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Wyatt Gibson, who has been working at Broken Bow, Okla., returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Wilburn Wood, Jr., small son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wood, has been very ill the past week with bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Price of Talmage spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. German.

E. W. Crisp, Pete Gregg, Bill Jordan, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin were Vernon visitors Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Anderson and daughters and Mrs. Clyde Powers spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson of Vernon.

Dr. Maine was called Wednesday to see Wilburn Wood, Jr., who is ill.

Mrs. Ruby Edwards and Mrs. E. I. Edwards visited Mrs. Dora Gregg of West Rayland Wednesday.

Lester and Luther Martin of Edmond, Okla., spent the week-end with their parents, A. H. Martin and wife.

The Oklaunion and Antelope base ball teams played ball Friday afternoon. The scores were 3 to 8 in favor of Oklaunion.

Mrs. Earl Anderson of Vernon visited in the J. W. Anderson home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane Armstrong of Doans spent Monday night and Tuesday with J. E. Young and family.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German and Mrs. Pete Gobin were business visitors in Vernon Wednesday.

Among the Vernon visitors from this community Saturday were, Hubert Sutton, G. Schultz, T. J. Coonrod and sons, Buck Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Schoppa, Carl Schoppa, Jep Haynes and daughters, Owen McLarty, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gobin, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. German, Tom Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rector, Miss Ora Lee Greenwood, Mrs. R. A. Rutledge, J. C. Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley, Cecil Boattenhammer, L. G. Lawhorn and family, R. T. Derrington and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meadows, R. B. Prescott, Carl and Mildred Culver.

Mrs. Tom Ward has been ill for the past week.

Joe Huntley and family of Thalia community and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cribbs visited Cap Adkins and family Sunday.

Miss Bessie Tole who is teaching school near Quanah spent the week end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Robertson of Crowell visited her parents, S. H. Allen and wife, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett of Plainview came in Friday to visit his son, Bill Barrett, and wife.

G. W. Rutherford has returned after a few days visit with his family at Corsicana.

H. D. Lawson and T. F. Lambert attended the polo game at Crowell Saturday.

Rev. John P. Tye of Crowell preached at the Methodist church in Rayland Sunday morning. A large crowd attended. He visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Key.

Mrs. Brown and two sons of Harold spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Prescott.

Mrs. Earl Anderson was called to Altus, Okla., Saturday night on account of the illness of her mother.

There were 72 present at the Baptist Sunday School Sunday and 51 present at the Methodist Sunday School.

One Cent Sale

THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

WHAT A REXALL ONE CENT SALE IS

It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price, then another item of the same kind for one cent. As an illustration: The standard price of Klenzo Dental Creme is 50c, you buy a tube at this price and by paying 1 cent more, or 51 cents, you get two tubes. Every article in this sale is a high class standard piece of merchandise, just the same as is sold every day at the regular price.

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Wayne Price of Abilene and Bill Price of Vernon visited their sister, Mrs. Pearl Caldwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner of Odell are visiting her parents, R. D. Green, and wife.

Roy Davis is very ill with pneumonia.

T. J. Coonrod was a business visitor in Vernon Thursday.

Aron Paige of Shreveport, La., was a business visitor in this community and at Thalia Monday and Tuesday. He has returned home.

J. C. Pace of Vernon was a business visitor in Rayland Friday.

Rev. E. W. Loyd made a business trip to the Vivian community Monday.

J. C. Davis was a Vernon visitor Tuesday.

Rev. E. W. Loyd and wife, Mrs. Eva Beazley, Mrs. Delia German, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German attended the workers' conference at Oklaunion Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Phillips and children of Thalia visited Mrs. Pearl Cobb Wednesday.

Mrs. Clyde Powers and little daughter, Dorothy Joe, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson, left Sunday for their home in Oklahoma City. They were accompanied by Mrs. Earl Anderson.

Mrs. Martha Price and son, Bill, of Vernon, visited Mrs. Delia German, Thursday afternoon.

A. C. Crisp made a business trip to the Fluhman oil field Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rector attended church at Thalia Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Hughes and two children of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Culver.

Miss Bertha Danson of West Rayland spent Saturday night with Miss Edith Kate Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. George Langston were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Joe Price of Vernon was a business visitor in Rayland Wednesday.

Bob Price of Vernon visited his sister, Mrs. Delia German, Tuesday evening.

Little Miss Mary Ellis Taylor of Vernon is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. L. G. Lawhorn.

Mrs. Bowers of Vernon visited her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Wood Tuesday.

A number of Rayland people attended the commencement exercises at Thalia Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin attended the polo game at Crowell Sunday.

Shirley McLarty made a business trip to Gray County last week.

A. H. Martin returned Friday from the Rio Grande Valley where he has been visiting for the past week.

Mrs. J. A. Cook of Benton, Ark., came in Friday to visit her brother, H. D. Lawson and family, and her son, Bill Clark, and family.

Dr. R. D. German, Mrs. May Coon-

rod and Mrs. Laura Crisp were Vernon visitors Monday.

As usual, the overwise weather forecasters are predicting this will be a year without a summer, which is a good warning to prepare for some hot weather.

The number of drinkers is decreasing, as maintained in some quarters, because of the quality of the stuff they drink.

It will not be many days until we begin to hear complaints about the "heat wave."

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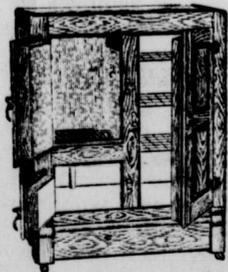
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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Crowell, Texas, May 6, 1927

We are calling attention to the fact that an important election is to be held in the Crowell Independent school district tomorrow. We shall decide whether or not we want a modern high school building and shall vote on an \$80,000 bond issue to provide funds with which to erect that building. It is not expected that the patrons of the district will vote against the proposition but what we should like to see is that they vote for it. Don't neglect going to the polls. A good strong vote will show that the tax payers are behind it and will stimulate interest and strengthen confidence in ourselves. This is one of the big things the Crowell Independent school district should do in a big way.

The hard-surfacing of Lee Highway is a big task, but it can be done. This country is capable of doing large tasks. We do not know of a county in West Texas that has ever undertaken anything too big for it. Since four counties, Wilbarger, Foard, Cottle and Motley, have voted to pave, it is reasonably certain that sooner or later the other counties west of these will also vote to pave. They cannot afford to do otherwise, and it means the salvation of this section of the country. It means that we are not to be isolated and neglected.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day. Programs will be had in some of the churches in this community and if they have been prepared with care they should be very interesting and helpful to those who attend. We believe it would be well for every one to forget the ordinary suggestions of his own mind to take Sunday for his recreation and pleasure and attend a Mother's Day program. It will be a time when we can in a very fitting manner call to mind the memories of those who have passed and show our appreciation of those who remain with us.

There are those among us who think a county federation of women's clubs would be an advanced step in the promotion of the lofty aims of the worth-while clubs of the county. It seems to the News that a county federation would have the same place in the county that a state federation has in the State, that is, to say if a state federation is a good thing a county federation ought to be a good thing also. The combined efforts of all good organizations directed towards the same high purposes ought to prove a benefit.

There come times in the lives of most of us when we wonder why fate has decreed that we have to work as hard as we do, but logical reasoning brings us to the happy conclusion that we have been richly favored in that we must work hard. It is the idle person who is least happy of all and one is unfortunate if he has chosen such life or if he has been forced to it by circumstances.

Our District Conference

Vernon District Conference convened in its annual session at Kirkland, Tuesday night, April 26 and adjourned Thursday afternoon, the 28th. Those attending from Crowell were T. D. Roberts, J. W. Beverly, Rev. J. P. Tye, M. S. Henry, H. E. Ferguson and the pastor.

The preaching services of the Conference were much enjoyed by delegates and visitors. Rev. B. W. Dodson, pastor at Quanah, preached Tuesday night on "The Design and Mode of Water Baptism". Wednesday night his subject was "The Origin and Perpetuity of the Church". Wednesday morning, Rev. W. M. Murrell, pastor at Childress, preached on "The Possibility of Apostasy". Wednesday afternoon, Rev. R. N. Huckabee, pastor at Paducah, preached a strong sermon, making a stirring appeal in behalf of our young people. Thursday morning, Rev. C. A. Bickley, pastor at Vernon preached on "Stewardship", a strong, searching message.

Reports from over the District indicate a good growth in the work of the church. There have been 407 additions to the church during this year, and the outlook is encouraging for at least 1000 additions this year.

This is the closing year of Brother Clark's quadrennium as presiding elder. Much progress has been made in every department of the work of the church during his administration. Brother Clark announced that indications were that the membership of the church in the district would be doubled during the four years of his administration. The District Conference expressed its appreciation of the services of Brother and Sister Clark in their respective fields of activities.

The following were elected delegates to the Annual Conference which convenes at Big Spring this fall: H. S. Black, E. H. Pigg, D. M. Boyd, Mrs. O. P. Clark, J. W. Beverly, J. R. Bell, Mrs. B. W. Dodson, Mrs. Ray Lee. Alternates elected were E. S. Fisher, G. W. Backus, H. E. Ferguson, J. B. Dennison.

By unanimous vote Quanah was selected as the place for the next meeting of the District Conference.

Kirkland entertained the District Conference in a splendid way. Beds and breakfast were furnished by the good people in the homes of Kirkland. Luncheon and dinner (supper) were served in a vacant business house down town. Everybody was served bountifully in a hospitable sort of way. The entertainment was fine. Kirkland did herself credit.

Your pastor was not ashamed of the report the church enabled him to make for Crowell. It was admitted that our financial system was the best in the District. We are among the few who raised their full quota on Sunday School day. We are the only church in Vernon District with a complete budget system for financing its business. So, we come back to Crowell, proud to be your pastor for the remaining months of the Conference year. There is much for us to do yet, and we expect the church to rally to every call in a whole-hearted way. Let's do our full duty in every way and take our place at the top among the churches of our District. We can if we will.—Crowell Methodist.

CROWELL DONATES TO FLOOD SUFFERERS

At the various churches here last Sunday donations were made for the flood sufferers in the Mississippi Valley, the whole amount donated being approximately \$152.

GONE TO CONVENTION

Rev. E. L. Mayfield left Monday for Louisville, Ky., to attend the Southern Baptist Convention, as a delegate from the First Baptist Church of Crowell.

Senior League Program

Subject—Responsibilities of leaders.
 Leader—Eva Todd.
 Scripture lesson—Exodus 18:17-23.
 Our Glorious Leader, Heb. 12:2.—Richard Ferguson.
 Directions for leaders, Eph. 4:1-16.—Marie Jinks.
 Leaders appointed, Acts 6:1-8.—Joe Roberts.
 Leaders serve, Mark 10:42-45.—Annie Rettig.
 A leader an example, 1 Tim. 4:12.—Althea Saunders.
 Seeking God's guidance, James 1:5-8.—Gusta Davis.
 Clearing the right of way.—Walker Todd.
 Installing the line.—Ella Patton.
 God's choice of leadership.—Irene Patton.

Clarence McKown and family were here Saturday and Sunday from Vernon visiting relatives.

For MOTHERS dear



In all the wide world over there is no one that loves us as mother does. Remember her on Mothers' Day, May 8, with gifts like these below. For who is more practical, or who appreciates a gift of utility more than a mother.

PORCH SWINGS \$3.75

Built of bolted hardwood with shapod seat and reclining back. Complete with chain and hooks.

QUEENSWARE

Aluminum cooking vessels, beautifully decorated bowls, Utile ice sets made of "everliving" Redwood, bowl and pick decorated to match, ice tea glasses and coasters, sherbert glasses and many other beautiful pieces mother will treasure for days to come.

PORCH FURNITURE

Single and double rockers. Single rockers with high or low backs, either wicker or wood. These chairs are built for comfort combined with durability and neatness, characteristics to be sought for in porch furniture. We also have a choice selection of wicker rockers with upholstered cushions.



M. S. Henry & Company

Mrs. A. Y. Beverly and small son, Joe Wallace, returned the latter part of last week from a visit with Mrs. Beverly's parents and other relatives at Normangee.

Before buying a refrigerator see the Belding-Hall at Crews-Long Howe, Co., Crowell and Thalia.

PUBLIC NOTICE

There will not be any pictures shown at the Home Theatre for some time, as the hot weather has made it too hot for us to run the show upstairs. We hope to reopen it just as soon as cool weather sets in again. Thanks.

Good second hand oil stoves for sale. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.

A man is really never famous until he is interviewed on his birthday.

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THAT'S your satisfaction when you use Summer Conoco Gasoline. The extra miles that are packed into this long-distance motor fuel are year 'round money savers. For over forty years this company has been serving the public with petroleum products. Summer Conoco Gasoline is the result of this long experience. It is made for one purpose: to get you there and back at less cost. And it does it!

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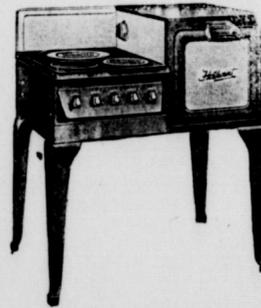
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SUMMER IS HERE



It has only commenced, however, and to make the long months a season of delight to the one who prepares the meals for the family you should let us install for you one of these Hotpoint Electric ranges.

It removes so much of the drudgery and discomforts of cooking and makes it a real pleasure instead. There is much in favor of the electric stove. Its convenience, economy, saving of time, cleanliness, etc., but aside from that, it is in keeping with modern progress in every other line. When you have once become accustomed to cooking by electricity you will wonder why you did not begin sooner, and you will find it difficult to excuse yourself upon any ground except that the opportunity has not always been present.

It is now here and you should not delay having one of these fine stoves installed. You'll never regret it, but on the other hand you will be happier every day of your life thereafter.

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DON'T SPEND YOUR TIME COUNTING PENNIES

When you have money in your pockets, don't you find it difficult to resist the temptation to spend some of it?

And when you do spend some, don't you feel like spending a little more, and still more, as long as there is any left to spend?

FOLLOW THE SAFE COURSE

Put your money in this bank. It will always be here when you want it, and the temptation to spend will be removed.

You can open an account with a dollar and deposit any sum you like any time.

The Bank of Crowell

Local and Personal

Ice boxes.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Mobiloil at wholesale.—Fox-Harrell.
 Gibson refrigerators are better.—Womack Bros.
 For service truck call Raymond Bell, phone 177.
 Mothers Day candy in beautiful boxes at O'Connell's. 45
 Give us your blow-out troubles. We fix them.—Ivie's Station.
 Whitman candy for Mother's Day at Reeder Drug Company.
 Limited quantity of carnations for Mother's Day.—Womack Bros.
 Columbia records you enjoy hearing again and again.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Wanted—Stock to pasture by the month at \$1.00 per head.—Bill Pechacek. 45p
 Get your order in now for flowers—get them Friday or Saturday.—Womack Bros.
 For Rent—Two large furnished rooms for light house keeping. South exposure, with bath and modern conveniences.—Mrs. J. W. McCaskill, phone 115. 45p

See Roscoe Brown for signs. 51p
 Mobiloil at wholesale.—Fox-Harrell.
 Croquet sets \$2.25.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Home-made pineapple ice cream at O'Connell's Friday.
 Pangburn's candy for Mother's Day.—Reeder Drug Company.
 Cooked meat every day at eleven o'clock.—Sanitary Market.
 Wanted—Stock to pasture by the month at \$1.00 per head.—Bill Pechacek. 49
 For Sale—Pedigreed Cash cotton seed at \$1.00 per bushel at my place.—John S. Ray.
 Headquarters for all kinds of fish tackle.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.
 Lots of phonograph records.—Victor, Brunswick, Vocalion and Columbia.—Womack Bros.
 I will have some milch cows in Crowell Saturday for sale.—O. C. Christie, Quanah, Texas. 45
 A refrigerator should be judged by the service it gives. Try a Northland.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Miss Lizzie Sloan left the latter part of last for Mineral Wells where she expects to make her home indefinitely.

Mobiloil at wholesale.—Fox-Harrell.
 Perch furniture, chairs and swings.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Cooked meat every day at eleven o'clock.—Sanitary Market.
 Home-made ice cream at O'Connell's, wholesale and retail. 45
 Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gribble returned Sunday from a trip to Dallas.
 It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.
 Good second hand oil stoves for sale. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.
 No fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed in my pasture. Stay out.—Leslie McAdams. 45
 Before buying a refrigerator see the Belding-Hall at Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.
 See us for new and used furniture. Also for mattress work second to none.—Ketchersid Bros., furniture.
 Now is the time to get your fish tackle ready. Our stock is complete.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.
 "Sweets to the Sweet." One day in the year belongs to mother. Let O'Connell's send her a box of "Mother's Day" candy. 45
 Buy now! Perfection stoves make harvest cooking easier. See demonstration, Saturday, April 30.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell.
 J. H. Cope was here Wednesday from Quanah. Mrs. Cope has been seriously ill for several weeks but is reported to be improving at this time.
 Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams were here the latter part of last week from Fort Worth visiting Mr. Williams' mother, Mrs. B. F. Ringgold, and other relatives.
 For Sale—My place in Crowell, consisting of four rooms and bath, underground cistern and garage, 100x150 feet southeast corner.—J. H. Cope, Quanah, Texas. 45
 Mrs. E. J. Dawkins and baby and Mrs. Dawkins' brother, Ray Autrey, came home Tuesday after a few days visit with their mother, Mrs. W. A. Autrey at Post, Texas.
 Mrs. W. R. Tuttle recently made a trip to South Texas visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allie Lawrence, and Mrs. Charlie Stephens at Houston and Robert Wynne at Bastrop. She had a very pleasant trip.
 Frank Crews Jr. of Dallas is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Crews, arriving Sunday morning. Frank is employed by the T. P. Railroad and has been located in Dallas for several years.
 The Wagon Bros. Trucking Co., of Duncan, Okla., passed through Crowell Thursday morning with fourteen of their trucks loaded with boiler, engine, derrick timber and other material for drilling an oil well. They were going to Lamesa, Dawson County.
 Mrs. M. R. Matthews, who has been keeping books for the West Texas Utilities Co. for some time, will leave tomorrow for Kansas City to make her home. Her husband has been in Kansas City for two weeks. Miss Estelle Murphy comes from Paducah to fill the vacancy made by Mrs. Matthews' resignation.
 Mrs. Allen Fish of Vivian left yesterday morning for Dallas for a week or ten days' visit with her sister, Miss Maye Klepper. She took the train at Vernon and was accompanied to that city by her husband, Egbert Fish and Mrs. J. E. Fish, the latter remaining in Vernon for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Walling, and family.
 W. F. Mabe and family were called to Medicine Mound Monday of last week on account of the death of Mr. Mabe's father, W. R. Mabe, who had been critically ill for some time at his home in that city. He was a pioneer of Medicine Mound, having lived there for twenty years. The remains were laid to rest in the Medicine Mound cemetery Tuesday.

CLASS

The world knows KIRSCHBAUM clothes especially for their wearing value. To this expert fashion designers and skilled tailors have added style-value in a measure that makes the KIRSCHBAUM line for Spring 1927 the talk of the trade and industry.

Have just receive beautiful patterns in KIRSCHBAUM'S two leading models for Spring, the "Clarion" and "American". Don't fail to see these before buying your Spring suit.

SELF DRY GOODS COMPANY ONE PRICE CASH ONLY

Mobiloil at wholesale.—Fox-Harrell.
 Cooked meat every day at eleven o'clock.—Sanitary Market.
 Whitman candy for Mother's Day at Reeder Drug Company.
 It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.
 Good second hand oil stoves for sale. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.
 Ask someone who is using a Northland. All sizes and prices refrigerators and ice boxes.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 For Sale—About 10 tons good maize at \$15.00 per ton.—C. J. Fox, 5 miles northeast of Thalia, route 2. 47p
 Mrs. M. S. Henry is away this week at Ozona attending a district meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.
 How about it? Don't you want to trade that old furniture in on new? If so, see us.—Ketchersid Bros., new and used furniture. 45
 W. F. Davis is here visiting his son, Earle, coming from Hamlin. He has been away for several months visiting his children at different places.
 For sale or trade for live stock, a 12-ft. McCormick header with binder attachment.—V. H. Weekley, 6 miles east of Rayland. Address, Vernon, Texas. 45p
 Mrs. J. W. Klepper left Sunday for Durant, Okla., for a week's visit with her son, Lanier Brooks. She was accompanied to Wichita Falls by her son, Claude.
 Mrs. D. C. Greer returned Monday of last week from Fort Worth where she had been for several weeks taking medical treatment. Mr. Greer went after her in his car.
 Poland and Housour began the erection Monday of a five-room with bath modern home for O. O. Hollingsworth on East Commerce street. The house will be located on the south side of the street.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Locke and family spent a few days here with Mrs. Belle Locke and family and went to the polo game Sunday afternoon. They returned to their home at Chillicothe Sunday afternoon.
 C. E. Sumner and wife of Donna were here the first of the week, Mr. Sumner having a case in district court. Mr. Sumner was in business in Thalia until last December when he disposed of it. They went from here to Mountain View, Okla., to visit a son. Mr. Sumner is well pleased with his holdings in the Rio Grande Valley and is a booster for that section of the country.

Mobiloil at wholesale.—Fox-Harrell.
 Pangburn's candy for Mother's Day.—Reeder Drug Company.
 See our big ad for a token of love to mother.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Corn for sale, 60c per bushel at farm, 75c delivered at Crowell.—Mode Haney. 48p
 Carnations and fern leaves, pink and white, dozen \$2.70, singly 25c.—Womack Bros.
 Good second hand oil stoves for sale. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.
 We make our own ice creams and sherbets, using pure milk, cream and fresh fruit juices.—O'Connell. 45
 Enjoy a portable. We have machines that will suit you in regard to quality and price.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harrison and children were over from Paducah Sunday visiting relatives and friends in Crowell.

I will have some milch cows in Crowell Saturday for sale.—O. C. Christie, Quanah, Texas. 45
 For Sale—A complete threshing outfit including cook shack. Will sell or trade for anything.—J. D. Johnson. 45
 Mrs. J. A. Shawver of Dallas was here last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Emmitt Blakemore, and old-time friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bomar were here the past week end from Henrietta visiting their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Long, and family.
 Mrs. Howard visited her son, Marvin, at Lamesa the past week end. Mrs. Boardman took care of the sanitarium while she was away.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans of Swearingen were in Crowell Monday. Before her marriage Mrs. Evans was Miss Eva Magee and was practically reared in Crowell and is well known here. She is a booster for good roads and good schools.



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Remember your Mother on Mother's Day

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Christian Science Services
 Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, May 8th, "Adam and Fallen Man."
 Sunday School 9:30. Wednesday evening services 7:15.
 The public is cordially invited.

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Insure your present prosperity to remain prosperous.

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COMMUNITY SINGING

The monthly community singing will be held at the First Methodist church of Crowell Sunday, May 10, at 2:30 p. m. These singings are under the general direction of J. A. Wright, veteran choir director of Crowell, who is permanent chairman. They are held on the third Sunday of each month in rotation at the different churches of Crowell, and the entire public is welcome to attend and take part in the singing. The communities of the county are especially invited to attend and lead their talent. The following program has been prepared for this time:

Invocation—Rev. W. J. Mayhew.
Two songs led by J. A. Wright.
Two songs led by D. W. Wallace.
Special number from Foard City, arranged by Steve Mills.
Two songs led by Joe Ward.
Two songs led by E. W. Burrow.
Special numbers from Thalia, arranged by Mrs. Hiram Gray.
Two songs led by E. A. Dunagan.
Trio—Mesdames Adolphus Wright, T. B. Klepper and D. R. Magee.
Two songs led by L. H. Smith.

The broadcasting stations are going to be regulated, and when we get some regulations for the human broadcasters, the world will be almost perfect.

SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

FOR THE GOOSE—

IT'S easier to strangle the first desire than feed all the ones that's born from it.

Tryin' to learn a kid some'n without first arousin' his interest is hammerin' cold iron.

If a woman keeps changin' her maids all the time it's a sign of some'n. And if she has the same one for ten years it's a sign of some'n, too. Dumb luck.

FOR THE GANDER—

Lawyers, Judges and doctors is nice people to meet socially.

The thing about learnin' ain't so much that it makes you fit comp'ny for other folks, but for yourself.

When he can't get his car to go, the first thing a guy usually thinks about is if there's enough gas in the tank.

And instead of bein' relieved when he finds out that's all that's the matter, he generally gets madder than a one-armed fute player whose nose itches.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas C. of C.)

Stamford—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has scored again in its work for the interest of its cotton growers, cotton markets, and compresses. According to word from U. S. Pawkett, San Antonio, Traffic Manager, the Interstate Commerce Commission has sustained West Texas' contention in every part of the so-called Houston case. The Interstate Commerce order in this case, in line with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce contentions, approved the plan for making the same rate apply either at water front or back of water front facilities at the ports, and found that the existing compress concentration arrangements were not discriminatory and therefore legal and lawful.

Childress—Everything is in readiness for the district convention of the Green-Belt-Lower Panhandle section of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here May 5. A constructive program has been arranged which includes prominent speakers from many points over the state.

San Saba—San Saba is looking for individuals or large concerns with sufficient capital to develop marble industry in its section. The San Saba marble has tested to be freer from foreign materials and longer lived than any other marble known. It is so located that it can be taken from quarries and placed f. o. b. cars at a cheaper rate per cubic foot than any other marble in any other section.

Wichita Falls—Manager Homer D. Wade has established headquarters in the Hamilton building here until after the ninth annual convention to meet May 16 and 17. He is resorting to airplane transportation in order to fill multiple calls for engagements at diverse points of the state.

Fredericksburg—At a mass meeting of its citizenship, Gillespie County voted and endorsed a co-operative creamery, and subscribed over one-half the contemplated \$20,000 stock for its establishment. Campaign is under way to raise the remainder of the stock for the creamery.

Big Lake—The Board of Trustees of the Reagan County Independent School District have let contract for a high school building for Big Lake and for a new building for Stiles, 20 miles north of here. Architects for the building are the same who drew the plans for Reagan County's \$100,000 court house now nearing completion.

Wheeler—A modern steam laundry is the newest addition to industries of Wheeler. The plant cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000.

Glen Rose—A highway or "topped" road from Walnut Springs to Glen Rose is the latest project under development in this section.

Channing—West Texas communities wanting physicians in their communities might well write Tom Collins, County Attorney of Hartley County and secretary of the Channing Commercial Club of their wants. Channing recently broadcasted its need of a doctor in a leading state paper, and as a result had applications from 25 physicians in Texas and Oklahoma. Dr. B. B. McGee of Roxana has moved to this place, but there are 25 physicians who may be willing to make changes to other West Texas points.

FOARD CITY COMMUNITY CLUB

The Foard City Community Club will meet in regular session Friday 8 p. m., May 13, at the Foard City church. All interested in community work are cordially invited to be present. The following program will be rendered:

- Chorus, conducted by Mrs. Claud Callaway.
- Reading—Forbes Blakemore.
- Male quartet—G. G. Mills, Steve Mills, E. V. Halbert, Chas. Marks.
- Possibilities of a community club—Fred Rennels.
- Piano solo—Mrs. Hite Jenkins.
- What can we do to make our community a better place in which to live? Discussion led by Rev. Chas. Marks.
- Vocal duet—Mrs. Claud Callaway, Mrs. Will Ferguson.
- Awarding of County Interscholastic League medals.—Claud Callaway.
- Victrola music.

Oh, for the optimism of a baseball manager at the opening of the season.

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 A low-priced "six" which is a quality product in appearance and construction. Value proved by unprecedented sale. Has largest 6-cylinder engine in its price class. Beautiful lines. Fisher Bodies. Duco finish. All conveniences.

OLDSMOBILE 11 models — \$875 to \$1190
 A fine car at moderate cost. Gratifies your finer taste; satisfies every need. Beautiful Fisher Bodies. Duco finish. Powerful 6-cylinder engine. Harmonic balancer and other new improvements. 4-wheel brakes. And a wide choice of models.

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 Winning and holding goodwill everywhere because of its superior performance. Fisher Bodies. Duco finish. Rubber silenced chassis. 4-wheel brakes. A "six" whose quality is doubly assured as a product of General Motors.

BUICK 18 models — \$1195 to \$1995
 Everybody knows Buick's worth. General Motors emphasizes Buick's statement that its new models represent "The Greatest Buick Ever Built." Vibrationless beyond belief. 6-cylinder valve-in-head engine. Fisher Bodies. Duco finish.

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 General Motors' latest contribution to the fine car field. New and beautiful car designed and built by Cadillac as a companion car to Cadillac. Has V-type 8-cylinder engine. Fisher Bodies. Duco finish. Now on display.

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It's hard to laugh at your own expense when your bank account is exhausted. It's about time for car fare to go up a few cents on the gallon and good weather for touring is here.

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SPECIAL PRICES

For Saturday, May 7, 1927

FLOUR, 48-lbs. La France \$2.00

GALLON PRUNES, White Pony Brd .. 40c

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STANDARD CORN, No. 2 can..... 10c

STANDARD TOMATOES, No. 2 can... 10c

GALLON CAN Pancake Syrup..... 65c

DRY SALT BACON, per lb..... 19c

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Saturday Special

MAY 7TH

SATURDAY IS OPPORTUNITY DAY

We offer you the opportunity to save on your grocery bill by giving the best the market affords at the lowest possible prices. Come see for yourself and be convinced.

- LARD, 8-lb. bucket\$1.00
- BACON, dry salt, per lb.....18c
- SUGAR, 10 lbs.68c
- BROOMS, 5 sewed43c
- RICE, White House Brd., 2-lb pkg. 23c
- WESSON OIL, quart can.....55c
- CATSUP, large bottle19c
- EVAPORATED PEACHES, 1lb...14c
- TEA, Orange Pekoe, 3 oz.24c
and Tea Glass
- PINEAPPLE
 - No. 2 1/2 Can Sliced24c
 - No. 2 Can Sliced20c
 - No. 2 Can Grated20c
- Ladies Silk Hose, all colors...89c
- MEN'S UNIONS, full cut.....39c

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Things Worth Knowing

Dreams depend on natural causes, it is now believed, originating from internal bodily impressions or something in the preceding state of body or mind. They are, therefore, retrospective and resultant rather than prospective or prophetic, contrary to the common view that they are indications of coming events.

Galileo, a young Italian, observed a heavy chandelier swing back and forth in the cathedral in the city of Pisa, when the door was opened and there was a strong draft of air. His observations and study of the subject was the basis for the discovery of the pendulum as the means of regulating the mechanism of clocks.

Very early in nineteenth century experiments were made with the view of making a permanent record of sound, but these early efforts did not contemplate making that record reproduce the sound it had observed. This was not accomplished until 1877 when Thomas A. Edison evolved the first crude talking machine.

The early newspaper printed the four points of the compass at the top of the page to indicate that events from all parts of the world were recorded. A progressive publisher eventually rearranged the letters symbolic of the points of the compass, into a straight line, and printed the word "News." Hence the origin of the name newspaper.

Within two hours after the regular morning observation of the U. S. weather bureau at 8 o'clock, the forecasts are telegraphed to more than 2,300 principal distributing points, from which they are sent out by mail, telegraph and telephone, being mailed daily to 135,000 addresses and received by nearly 4,000,000 telephone users.

The submarine's great mission during the European war was the destruction of commerce, but it also essayed the role of a commerce carrier when the "Deutschland" made a successful voyage to the United States in 1916 with a cargo of dye-stuffs. It has not proved successful in commerce during peace times since surface boats are cheaper and more available.

In this highly competitive age, a commercial organization of the type of a chamber of commerce is absolutely essential if a community expects to keep up with its neighbors. There must be some kind of group action to look after the commercial interests of the community. Otherwise there will be slipping backwards because other communities have commercial clubs and chambers of commerce which are pressing every advantage, and the city without an organization is sure to fall by the wayside.

Telescope Warmer

There has recently been invented a method of keeping telescopes and surveying instruments from sudden changes of temperature which are apt to contract or expand the metal parts of the instrument and may spoil the accuracy of measurements made with it.

These delicate instruments can now be provided with a tiny electric stove made in the form of a heating coil wound round the tube containing the lenses. An automatic regulator makes it possible to keep the instrument at exactly the same temperature no matter how the weather may change from day to day, and prevents moisture from condensing on the lenses and blurring the image.

Kept Prisoner by Wife

As his wife's prisoner a man has been living in a hayloft on his own farm at Baumholder, near Coblenz, Germany, for over three years. The couple were constantly quarreling over the man's incurable dislike of work. The husband vanished suddenly in 1923, and the wife subsequently obtained a divorce on the grounds of desertion. It is now revealed that the ruthless woman lost all patience with her husband's listlessness. She bundled him into the hayloft, where she kept him a close prisoner. When the man was at last discovered, he resembled a savage of the Stone age. His unkempt hair hung matted down his back, and his finger nails were two inches long.

Europe's Mystery Man

The so-called "Mystery Man of Europe," Sir Basil Zaharoff, is spending his thirtieth winter at Monte Carlo enjoying his sunny outlook over the Mediterranean from his suite in the Hotel de Paris. But he still has his eye over the world and keeps well posted. He says that he always did business for fun and that since the departure of his beloved wife last spring he does not find so much fun or play in business.

What the papers say does not concern him, for his secretaries still have directions, as always, to bring him no clippings concerning himself. It is about other people—France, England, the United States, and other nations—that he desires to be informed.—Wall Street Journal.

Adelphians Entertained

The members of the Adelphian Club were entertained with a social by Mesdames A. G. Bell and Lawrence Kimsey at the home of Mrs. Joe Couch on Friday afternoon, May 29. A number of contests furnished amusement and a program was given consisting of piano solos, Miss Inez Sloan; a reading by Mrs. Baxter Johnson, and a dance by little Miss Evelyn Sloan.

The hostess served a refreshment plate containing pressed chicken in molds, fruit salad, and fruit punch, and a second course consisting of strawberry short-cake. Before leaving, the guests were served punch in the dining room. Mesdames Hines Clark, Georgia Pittillo and D. R. Magee were club guests for the afternoon.—Reporter.

"A man may be down, but he's never out," said the sheriff as he locked the doors of the jail securely.

Intoxicated man was strangled to death by his stiff collar in New York and prohibition will have to take responsibility for that, too, no doubt.

A bachelor is a man who thinks he can enjoy life better with his present habits than with a wife.

Now if some archaeologist could dig up last summer's straw lid in a fine state of preservation, this would be a perfect spring.

Once upon a time, when a man was in love, the barber and the candy store got rich; now the filling stations get rich.

Marriage is a gamble in which everyone doesn't hold good hands, according to the divorce court records.

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Following are a few of the values we are offering at both stores for Saturday and Monday, May 7-9:

- Lettuce EXTRA LARGE 25c
3 for
- Tomatoes FRESH FROM SOUTH TEXAS 10c
Per lb.
- YAMS, Extra Good, per peck.....49c
- BACON DRY SALT, EXTRA GOOD 19c
Per lb.
- SYRUP, Pure Sorghum, the good kind, gal 98c
- CRACKERS, 50c box42c
- SUGAR PURE CANE, CLOTH BAGS 68c
10 lbs.
- MATCHES, 12 5c boxes, all for.....39c
- PORK & BEANS, 10 No. 2 cans for.....89c
- COACONUT, one-half lb. box Boken.....24c
- Coffee, 2 1/2 lbs. Gold Plume, 3 lbs sugar free \$1.49
- Peas for cooking-planting, black eyes, 10 lbs 69c
- Flour MADE RITE \$1.89
48 lbs.

Fox-Thompson Gro. Co. Crowell

Fox-Stovall Gro. Co. Thalia

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For the ladies—Munsingwear Underwear includes lovely silk bloomers, night gowns and form-fitting knitted and loose-fitting women union suits.

For men we have the popular athletic style Munsingwear Union Suits in loosefitting women fabrics.

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We offer, in Munsingwear Hosiery, the same high standard of quality, value and general all around satisfaction that has made Munsingwear underwear so popular with our trade—and throughout the nation. Munsingwear underwear, is distinguished for its fine quality fabrics, neat finish, proper sizing, comfort and satisfactory service.

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Foard County's goal—every woman of the county a member of the county federation. —Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

MOTHERS' DAY PROGRAM

We are requested to announce that a special Mother's Day program will be had at the Baptist church next Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

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(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty and daughters, Lillie Fay and Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Beatty and baby of Vivian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andress.

Mrs. Jesse Chatman of Crowell spent Wednesday with Mrs. Haydon Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols and children of Jameson attended church services here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Patton and daughter, Juanita, of New Orleans spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. Ed Andress.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Goughly and Rev. Mayfield, all of Crowell attended church here Sunday afternoon.

Leonard Boren and Dan McKown attended the polo game at the Minnick ranch Sunday afternoon.

Ed Andress is attending court at Crowell this week.

COMINE TO CROWELL

Dr. Hamilton, specialist, in internal medicine demonstrating his system of treating disease and deformities without surgical operation, will give free treatment at the Commercial Hotel Wednesday, May 11. Hours: noon to 5 p. m. Thursday, May 12, office hours: 8 to 11 a. m.

One Day Only

Dr. Hamilton is well known in Texas and has many patients. He will give his professional services free to all those who call on him this visit.

Dr. Hamilton is a regular graduate in medicine and surgery. He visits professionally the more important towns and cities and offers to all who call on this trip his services free of charge.

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He has to his credit many wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers, and slow growth in children.

If you have been ailing for any length of time and do not get any better do not fail to call, as improper measures rather than disease are very often the cause of your long standing trouble.

Remember above date and that his services on this trip will be free, making only a charge for medicines in cases which are accepted for treatment.

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L. Guy Ament, Pastor

Sunday is Mother's Day. Do not forget mother. Observe the day in her memory. Go to see her. Write to her, or vitally remember her. There is only one better friend.

We will observe the day in our special service. You are invited to worship with us. Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Christian Endeavor meets at 7 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society meets Monday 3:30 p. m. for business and Bible lesson.

RIALTO THEATRE

GULF BREEZE HERE

The Rialto Theatre has a Gulf breeze blowing through the theatre all the time and it will keep you cool all this summer. If you don't believe it ask some one who has been there.

PROGRAM

Monday and Tuesday—
Colleen Moore in
"IT MUST BE LOVE"

Wednesday and Thursday—
See Pauline Starke and Antonio Moreno in their best—
"LOVE'S BLINDNESS"

Friday—
This is not a Western—it's
Universal Jewell—
"POKER FACES"

A comedy drama from start to finish.

Saturday—
Fred Thompson and his horse Silver, will do their stuff in
"RIDING THE WIND"

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to announce to our customers and the public in general that this store is soon to become one of a string of Hokus Pokus Stores.

Many changes are to take place and all for the benefit of our customers, as well as ourselves. As already stated this will be one a group, and the group system possesses the advantage of buying at rock bottom prices and therefore can sell the same way. It means then, that this store will continue to make every possible reduction in the price of groceries for the benefit of its customers, and those reductions will be greater than any we have ever been able to make.

Of course, it means, too that losses from a dangerous credit system will be eliminated, for no store can afford to make the prices we expect to sell groceries at and charge the accounts on its books. In short, it is our aim in making the changes, to serve better than ever before our customers in the grocery line, and we hope to be able to prove this to every one.

Also we want to state that this store will be closed from May 8th until May 14th, during which time it will be making the changes and arrangements for the opening. Watch next week's issue of the paper for date of opening and a list of red hot prices on Groceries.

HANEY-RASOR GROCERY