

GAMBLEVILLE
(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Mollie Free and children spent a few days last week with the former's daughter, Mrs. Edward Brock, and husband of Fargo. They accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and son, John, and Homer and Tommie Stewart were in Crowell Tuesday.

Irene Shultz of Vernon returned home Wednesday after a week's visit with her grandparents.

Miss Jewel Truesdell of Lawton, Okla., visited two days of last week with Grandma and Grandma Fox. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. Fox.

Mrs. C. D. Haney and son, Bob, of Talmage and Mary Grace Shultz, Iona and Reed Pyle of Thalia and Bernice Shultz of Vernon spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

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

D. M. Shultz was a Vernon visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Self and two children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Connors, and family of Iowa Park.

Sim Gamble and family have gone on a two weeks trip to points in Oklahoma.

W. M. Shultz spent Monday and Monday night with his parents.

Another state championship hog calling contest will be staged at the State Fair of Texas October 6 to 21. The present champion is Joe Lillard, of Arlington, who won over a field of 21 entries.

VIVIAN
(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Nelson and baby of Eldorado, Okla., are here visiting relatives.

Miss Bernice Walling of Vernon spent from Thursday until Monday visiting Miss Rosalie Fish.

Miss Ola Carter of Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Rusette Dee Rasberry.

Miss Anita Maye Fish spent from Wednesday until Saturday visiting her uncle, H. H. Fish, of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Durham and family of Shamrock spent from Thursday until Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bert Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walling and son, Arthur, of Vernon spent Sunday night and Monday in the home of Egbert Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gallup and children returned to their home at Sneedville after spending several months with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Matthews.

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

Miss Rosalie Fish left Monday to visit Miss Bernice Walling in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boren of Holliday are here visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sparrow of Bonham are here visiting Mrs. Dean's sister, Mrs. J. E. Whately.

Texas has the largest state fair in the world. In 1927 the attendance was 1,028,317.

BLACK
(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walling and son, Arthur, of Vernon spent Sunday with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Ed Andress.

Mr. and Mrs. White of Margaret spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McFarling.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Andress of Camp Springs spent a few days this week with their uncle, Ed Andress. They were on their return trip from Coldwater, Kansas, where they had a visit with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Free.

A large crowd from this community attended the funeral of Marvin Jonas at Crowell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cunningham of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Cunningham's brother, W. D. Stubblefield, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry visited Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Mills, of Crowell.

Miss Irene Patton of Crowell spent Saturday night with Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stubblefield of Cleburne visited their uncle, W. D. Stubblefield, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Sparks and daughter, Alela, went to Stamford Sunday to visit Mrs. Sparks' daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Connell.

W. D. Stubblefield and family and Mrs. Cecil Smith visited relatives in Quanah Friday and Saturday.

Sammie Gene Mills of Crowell spent Friday night with her grandmother, Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Miss Idura White spent last week with her brother, Jack White, and wife of Quanah.

C. D. Hall returned Sunday from Decatur where he had visited his father and mother for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Quanah spent Monday with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKown of Crowell spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. W. McKown.

MARGARET
(By Special Correspondent)

Grandma Boman returned Friday from Post, Mineral Wells and Bowie where she spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Biggs and daughter of Wilson, Okla., visited in the home of W. T. Blevins Monday.

Luke Bledsoe and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Goodlett.

Mrs. J. B. Laseter and children and Mrs. Humphrey and children left Sunday for East Texas. They will be gone till cotton opens up here.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Johnson from Fannin County visited her brother, G. M. Sikes, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Terrell and children of Lockett were also visitors in the Sikes home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hysinger and son, Walter, Mrs. Dennis Russell and Carl Ingle have gone to the Plains for a few days visit.

Fred Goodman of Vernon was a visitor in town Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas passed through town on their way home from a tour of Colorado, Wyoming and a number of other places. They were with Mr. and Mrs. Ab Dunn. They report a fine time. Ab and his wife will be home in two or three weeks.

Frank Killian and J. L. Orr and son, Earl, spent a few days on the Plains last week. Mr. Orr says he thinks that is the garden spot of the world.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rambo and children of Hamlin, Texas, visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Owens, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hunter and daughter, Juanita, have returned from Oklahoma where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reinhardt have moved to town to send their boys to school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnson have moved back here so that Mr. Johnson can work at the gin this fall.

Mrs. Mose Etta Cherry had quite a surprise Saturday when all of her children and grandchildren except one son came home and stayed till Monday.

Mrs. M. P. Kinard has returned to her home in Goodnight, Texas.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas, will receive bids at Crowell, Texas, on September 10th, 1928, for the purchase of one road tractor. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. E. ATCHESON,
County Judge, Foard Co., Texas.

Horse racing will be one of the leading attractions at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, 1928, as it was in 1927.

The largest day's attendance at the State Fair of Texas in 1927 was 209,866. This was on the second Sunday and broke all known records.

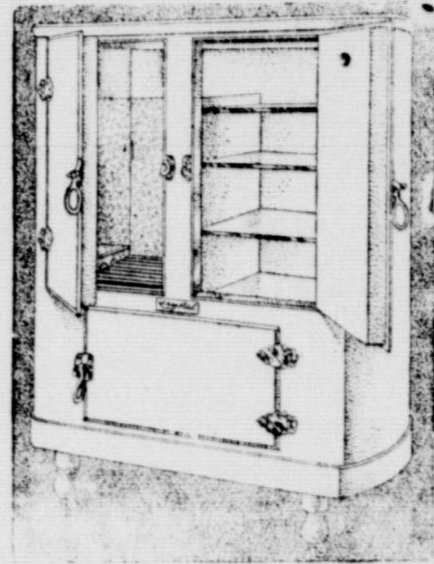
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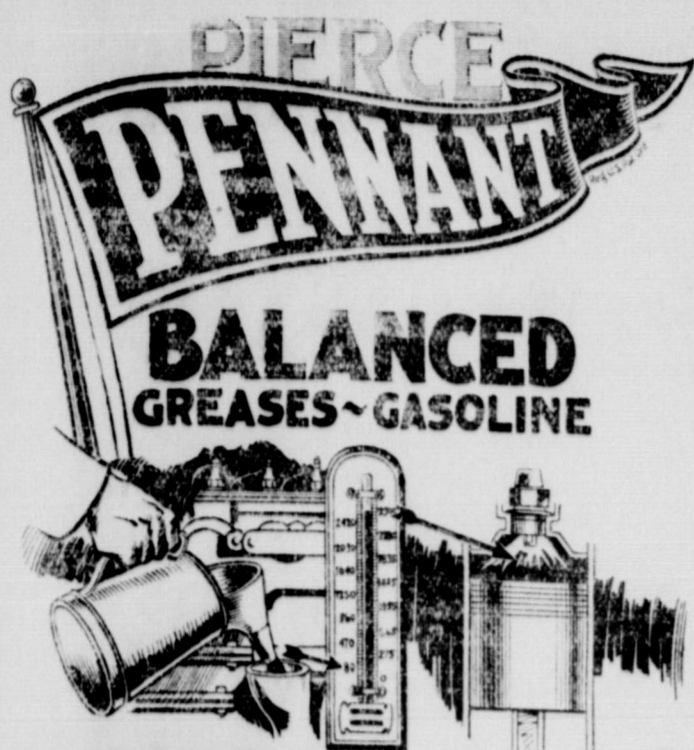
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RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gregg, newly weds, were the recipients of a shower given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crisp Wednesday afternoon. After the guests had arrived and deposited their gifts on the dining table the bride was led into the room to receive the beautiful and useful gifts to be placed at her disposal. The game, "Things for the hop chest," proved very interesting. Refreshments of ice cream and cake and watermelon were served. Those present in addition to the bride were Mesdames R. A. Rutledge, O. Capeheart, A. C. Crisp, Gracie and Bonnie Crisp, Hazel Rutledge, Lorraine Attaway and Alma Capeheart.

Arthur Buffalo of Nacona is visiting among friends here.

R. B. Prescott, who is taking treatment at Marlin, is reported to be improving.

Horace Young returned Sunday from Anton where he had been visiting his brother and wife for the past two weeks.

Mrs. R. A. Rutledge accompanied her sister, Mrs. Luther Streit, to Dallas Friday where the latter will undergo an operation.

Oliver Raines and wife moved to Fargo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parrish of the Rio Grande Valley are visiting among friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert returned home Thursday from Teague where they went to attend the funeral of his brother, J. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crisp, W. Jeff Fleming and son, Norris, accompanied by G. T. German and wife, left Saturday for several weeks' visit in New Mexico, Arizona, and will also visit relatives in Bakersfield and Sacramento, California.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crisp and Jeff Fleming visited Gus Neill and family Thursday night.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Rankin—The commission form of government has been adopted at Rankin, and R. C. Harlan elected first mayor.

Tatum, N. M.—Members of the Home-Civic Improvement Club are sponsoring a move toward a community park.

Eastland—H. O. Tatum, for three years secretary of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, is soon to be Eastland's city manager.



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 Stanford Scott and Family.

Beauty shop at Nick's place. Anything you want in the beauty line.
 —Thelma Bell, operator.

A Red Cross chapter in South Carolina has a "loan cow" which is lent to poor families throughout the county when they particularly need milk.

New regulations for moving picture theatres in Greece prohibit children under ten years from entering these theatres.

The great pyramid of King Khufu in Egypt covers thirteen acres and contains over 3,000,000 huge blocks of limestone.

Estelline — Installation of gas mains is under way here.

Big Lake—This town has just completed laying of a new sewer system.

Fort Stockton — The executive board of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association will meet here October 13.

Marfa — Mexican laborers are available in this section as a result of efforts of W. T. C. of C. to have an American Consul stationed temporarily at Ojinaga, Mexico.

Spur—Spur's first three story building is under construction at this time by W. S. Campbell.

Alvord—Up to August 1, fourteen carload of watermelons had been shipped from here this season.

Shamrock—The 45th block of Shamrock's paving program has just been completed.

Lampasas—Plans are being completed for the W. T. C. of C. Heart of Texas District Convention here in September.

Tulia—Tulia High School has recently acquired two additional affiliated credits, making a total of 31.

El Dorado — Directors of the Scheicher County Fair are now planning for the event which takes place September 11 and 12.

Munday—A credit in general science, and one in fourth year English have been awarded the high school here.

De Leon—J. C. Patterson, county farm agent of Eastland County made an instructive talk on the sweet cream industry here August 11.

Truscott—The opening of the new hotel here was celebrated by a free barbecue and costum concert August 8.

Rising Star—A vocational teacher has been secured for this community the efforts of the chamber of commerce and business men.

Channing—Improvements are being made on the Fort Worth & Denver depot here.

Roswell, N. M.—Roswell was voted 1929 host to the W. T. C. of C. International district convention at Carlsbad.

Plainview—Plainview will enter a carload of Jersey pure bred cattle at the dairy show of the Dallas Fair this fall.

In some Hungarian villages girls still wear from thirteen to seventeen petticoats.

Children worry more than adults realize, says a child specialist of New Jersey.

The pink boll worm that attacks cotton is a native of India.

Dog fleas can not be trained to perform as well as human parasites.

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Crowell, Texas, July 17, 1928

Country Press on Hoover and Smith

Is Your Party Your Boss?

Republicans bolting Hoover and Democrats bolting Smith offer nothing to worry about.

There is nothing hard and fast about a citizen's affiliations with a political party. The right of any citizen to vote as he pleases can't be questioned. There is nothing shameful in changing allegiance from one party to another; there is nothing to be proud of in being a thick-and-thin partisan. It is much more wholesome for citizens to belong to themselves than to belong to a party. So if there is a free and easy swing of voters back and forth between the parties this year it merely means more political independence. Anyhow, the difference isn't so much between the two old parties as between the two strong individuals who happen to be the candidates. Public opinion is independent enough this year to be fluid. Which way it will flow in full stream depends largely on the appeal made to public sentiment by the candidates.—Lubbock Avalanche.

The extremely wets will vote for Al Smith for president, while the extremely dries will vote for Herbert Hoover. From all indications it seems that there will be from three

to four times as many dries vote for Hoover, as there are wets who will vote for Smith. It seems that the dries will be able to influence many of those who are not extremely wets, to vote as they will, that is for Hoover for president. The fight is on, and it remains to be seen as to whether the Whiskey Element along with Tammany and Wall Street grafters will hold the United States in their clutches after March 4th, 1929.—Claude News.

We shall support Herbert Hoover for President of the United States in the present campaign. We say it plainly and we will not be swayed by the hot air windjamming that is going on these days about "party loyalty" and "supporting the ticket" and all that buncomb. We reserve the inalienable right to decide when the Democratic party strays from the paths of old. We have not left the Democratic party permanently, provided it wakes up and rectifies the mistake made at Houston, which the overwhelming defeat of November should bring about. The Democratic party is now controlled by a highly organized minority financed by those who hope to bring liquor back to America as a legalized business. As we vote for Hoover electors we shall vote for every nominee of the Democratic primaries in Texas. The Texas party is all right. The national party is "all wet" in present control.—Clarendon News.

Years ago there was horror in the words whiskey, corporations, Tammany, and religious intolerance. Corporations have come to be the working man's best friend and whiskey, Tammany, and religious troubles simply things dead as far as we are concerned. To the younger generation it all means little except to those few who heed the tales they hear coming from politicians and ig-

norance. The days of the Goblins are over and mature men and women will not be frightened by the threat that they will "get" them.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

If you believe Al Smith is the best qualified man to become President of this nation, then you would be a traitor to yourself if you did not support him. As for us, we believe beyond any doubt that Mr. Hoover is by far the best qualified man for the place, and therefore expect to support him. And because you happen to differ with us on this matter we do not think you are crooked and intolerant. No, you have that right, and if you believe in the freedom of the ballot to all men alike, you will allow the other man the privilege you take.—Merkel Mail.

The Tammany tiger has got the Democratic donkey and gone with it, the first time in national politics. It has whipped the little mule many times in New York City. This year the donkey is eliminated from the national contest and it is one to be fought out by the tiger and the elephant.

A clean-up campaign would be a fine thing for Crowell. There are many unsightly spectacles which lessen our own appreciation of our little city and bring unfavorable comments from visitors. A few touches here and there would put things in good shape.

Since some husbands recently have been arraigned for whipping their wives, the question is often asked by well-meaning husbands, "if one cannot whip his own wife, whose can he whip?" These are champions of the cause of personal liberty and if there are to be limitations placed upon their rights they want to know it.

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Egypt turned her kings into mummies. Over here in America, we sometimes turn our mummies into office holders.

Medical skill is attempting to overcome hardening of the arteries, but what the country needs is a method to prevent hardening of the hearts.

For Sale—Second hand shafting, pulleys and belts. Also one-third horse-power motor. All good.—The News.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO GRANT CONFEDERATE PENSIONS REGARDLESS OF DATE PENSIONER CAME TO TEXAS OR WHEN WIDOW MARRIED PENSIONER OR WHEN SHE WAS BORN

H. J. R. No. 75.
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing a tax levy for Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and providing for submission of same to the qualified electors of this State at any election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, and providing the necessary proclamation and appropriation to defray expenses of proclamation, publication and election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public moneys to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient, and to their widows in indigent circumstances under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who, under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States, served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia who were in active service during the war between the States, and to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who are or may be eligible to receive aid under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient; and also grant for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home. There is hereby levied in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the

Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property of seven (\$0.07) cents on the one hundred (\$100) dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate herein levied, and provided further, that the provisions of this section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy therefor," and "Against the constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances and authorizing tax levy therefor." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be needed is hereby appropriated for the expense of publication of said Amendment.

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	24 lbs.	98c
Salt	25-lb sack	41c
	50-lb sack	90c
	100-lb sack	\$1.49
	25-lb block	40c
Oranges, med. size, and juicy, doz 24c		
Grapes, nice, seedless, lb.....6c		
Apples, nice, medium size, doz. 20c		
Cabbage, large, firm Colo., lb....4c		

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Local and Personal

Rooms for rent.—Mrs. T. J. Ferguson.

Baltic cream separators.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

V. A. Robinson of Fort Worth was here Saturday visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Nicholson.

For rent, new house, 5 rooms and bath, water, gas, modern conveniences.—Edward Huffman.

Joe H. Earls, expert watch and clock repairing. All work guaranteed. At Reeder Drug Store.

Mrs. E. P. Bomar of Henrietta is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Long, and family.

O. I. C. hogs, brood sows, shoats and pigs. All full blooded stock. See them at Margaret, Texas.—John Wesley.

See me for electric wiring, light fixtures and repair work. Estimates daily furnished. Phone 64.—Claude McLaughlin.

Mrs. Mary A. Simons and son, Eugene, and daughter, Mrs. Charley Clark, and family of Mt. Pleasant, Texas, and Walter Johnson of Valiant, Okla., visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. John Diggs, last week.

Wall paper, canvas, paste.—Womack Bros.

Pete Gobin of Rayland, a former Crowellite, was in town Monday.

One last great refrigerator sale. See our ad.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney are in Colorado spending their vacation.

It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.

Mrs. Goldie Byrd left Tuesday for Hagerman, N. M., where she will be located for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Crump of Annona, Texas, are here visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. Guy Housouer.

J. H. Self is in Baylor Hospital at Dallas where he will be under medical treatment for a couple of weeks.

Mack Boswell spent the first few days of this week with relatives at Plainview, having gone Thursday of last week.

Roy Ricks and family were down from Newlin Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Easley were here from Vivian Wednesday making preparations to remodel and stucco their ranch home in that community.

All kinds portable phonographs and latest records.—Womack Bros.

National Mazda light bulbs.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

C. E. Flowers and family made a trip to Quanah, Chillicothe and Vernon Sunday.

Bob Bell and family went to Fort Worth Saturday, returning the first of the week.

Mrs. W. S. Douglas of San Angelo was here last week the guest of Mrs. M. S. Henry.

Beauty shoppe at Reeder's drug store is now open for business.—Edythe Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry and Edward Huffman went to Daugherty in Floyd County yesterday.

Mrs. T. L. Lovelady of Brawley, Cal., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. S. Lovelady, this week.

George Self and wife are spending a two weeks outing in Colorado, having left Thursday of last week.

Roper, White Star and Leonard gas ranges at lowest prices for any gas range in their class.—Womack Bros.

Fine cling peaches for sale at \$1.50 per bushel. Good for pickling.—T. F. Lambert, Vernon, Texas, Route 3.

Roy Fox and wife left Saturday afternoon for Colorado Springs and other points in the West on their vacation.

For Sale—1,000 bushels last year's seed wheat, testing 60 lbs., at \$1.40 per bushel at granary. First come, first served.—J. W. Wishon.

C. W. Thompson and family went to Pilot Point Sunday to visit Mrs. Thompson's folks. They came back Monday and report fine crops but very hot weather.

Mrs. M. E. Moore of Dallas visited from Tuesday till Sunday with her son, Leslie Moore, and wife. She went to Chillicothe Sunday where she is visiting another son.

Mrs. W. A. Shannon of Paducah has been here a couple of weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Alton Nicholson. Mrs. Nicholson is convalescing from a long spell of typhoid.

Little Miss Peggy Cooper came up from Dallas Sunday where she had been visiting and where she had had her tonsils removed. She came on the train and her parents met her in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis returned Thursday of last week from Randall, Okla., where they visited relatives of Mr. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Davis recently made a visit to Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Green and family returned Monday from a visit with relatives at Wichita Falls, Alford and Rule, Texas. Mrs. Green's little niece, Geraldine Hunt, returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Thomas W. White and son of Houston are visiting Mrs. White's daughter, Mrs. Alton Bell. Mrs. Bell recently returned from a visit with them and they accompanied her home and will be here a week or so.

Vance Swaim and sister, Miss Harlett Evelyn, left Wednesday for Las Cruces, N. M., to visit their brother, Lebert, who is employed in the Standard Drug Store of that city. He has been there for two months.

Mrs. Barn Martin of Quitaque, who had been in Moore's Hospital at Vernon for several weeks following a serious operation, was able to be taken home last Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are former residents of this county.

W. T. Razor came home from Dallas Saturday where he had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. O. T. Ball, and family for a few weeks. He came in the car with Clarence Self, Herbert Edwards, Mrs. Maude Hinds and Miss Allison Self.

Ellis Gafford, wife and daughter, Miss Vera, and his mother, Mrs. T. M. Gafford, of Sulphur Springs, spent last Friday in Crowell. They left in the afternoon for Afton to visit Mr. Gafford's sister, Mrs. Joe Jackson, but will be back to Crowell for a longer visit.

Heal Those Sore Gums Even after pyorrhea has affected your stomach, kidneys and your general health, Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy, used as directed, can save you. Dentists recommend it. Druggists return money if it fails.—Reeder Drug Co.

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 PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
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CLOSE-OUT

ON ALL Summer Hats

We still have some good values in Spring and Summer hats, which we are closing out at the following prices:

GROUP NO. 1
 These are our better hats, priced up to \$13.50, most of these are the famous "Fisk" hats **\$4.95**

GROUP NO. 2
 These hats formerly sold up to \$7.50. Until they are all gone, your choice **\$2.95**

GROUP NO. 3
 This group consists of children's, Misses and ladies hats. Dandy values at **\$1.95**

GROUP NO. 4
 Some of these are old, some are new, but after all is said and done, they are well worth from **50c to \$1.00**

SELF DRY GOODS COMPANY

ONE PRICE CASH ONLY

Rooms for rent.—J. D. Johnson, if see our window for refrigerator prices.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Every Gibson refrigerator goes at actual cost for cash.—Womack Bros.

It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.

Miss Edythe Jones has returned from Fort Worth after an absence of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith of Floyd County spent the week-end visiting relatives in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper of Burkburnett are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cooper.

Mrs. J. B. Andrews and daughter, Marry Alice, of Amarillo are here visiting the family of L. G. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Edgin left Friday for their home at Tolar, after having visited his brother, J. R. Edgin, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston, Mrs. T. M. Beverly and J. W. Beverly left Tuesday for Dallas, Plano and McKinney to visit relatives.

Robert D. Oswalt and Elbert Griffith went home with their cousin, W. D. Woffard, who lives at Abilene, Monday to spend a few days.

Lost a man's traveling bag between Crowell and Vernon Thursday, containing clothing. Finder notify J. B. Lawson, with J. C. Penny Co., Vernon, Texas. Reward.

Mrs. Claude Adams and son, Staton, returned to their home in Austin Friday after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Foard and Wilbarger counties, and in Oklahoma.

R. F. Hamersley and family of Brownfield visited his brother, C. W. Hamersley and family, this week in Crowell. They will also visit relatives in Eastern Oklahoma before they return home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Magee moved into their beautiful new brick veneer home Monday. It is a 6-room structure with all modern conveniences and one of the most beautiful homes in Crowell.

Dr. A. C. Gettys and wife of Belton stopped for a short time here Monday on their way to the Plains country. Dr. Gettys was once pastor of the Baptist church here and is now holding the chair of Bible in Baylor College at Belton.

Mrs. John Diggs happened to a very painful accident Thursday of last week when she stepped on a cow yoke and drove a spike through her foot. The doctor was called to remove the spike. She has been confined to her bed since.

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The optimistic farmer plants
 And trusts to weather, work and chance;
 And while his corn may need a rain
 Wet hay to him would give a pain.
 Now the only thing for him to do
 Is to diversify the whole way thru;
 So if it rains and spoils his hay
 It helps his corn and makes it pay.
 The First State Bank would advise you try
 No other way than diversify.

THE FIRST STATE BANK

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Our meats are handled and sold under the most sanitary regulations. We keep our shop clean and tidy, which means much to you, for it assures health protection.

BERT BAIN

At Haney-Rasor Grocery



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Come in and let us talk with you about it.

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PARKS ATTRACT MOTORISTS

A newly arrived observer of American ways finds that "no other people run around on wheels as Americans do, or live so large a part of their lives in transit."

This observer adds the questions, "Where are they going, why are they speeding, what do they hope to find?" And then he answers his own question thus: "No rational explanation can suffice for a wandering so purposeless."

However, a government bureau seems to have an answer. It reports that the main American shrines of natural wonders, the national parks, are receiving five per cent more worshipful motorists than last year at this time—and twenty per cent more last year than the year before.

More than 1,400,000 cars, carrying 10,000,000 passengers, crossed the country to these national parks since 1921. This would seem to indicate something more important than "pennants, hot dogs, paper bathing girls and speed."

The cynical observer says his impressions of America are these: "A never-ending road, a thousand farms, grade crossing signs, back axles, towns passed at thirty miles an hour."

There is something more than this to America-on-wheels. Something more than aimless wandering and the "roving spirit" takes the nation to the national parks. And perchance the thirty per cent increase in motor tourists during the past five years has helped the commerce department in its successful war against British rubber control.

Estate gas ranges.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Picnic

On Tuesday evening of last week the Senior B. Y. P. U. went on a picnic. We met at the church at 7:30 and departed for the joyous picnic grounds.

On arriving many games were played and enjoyed by all but at length came the "yell" for lunch and when it had been spread E. L. Mayfield, Jr., offered thanks to the Master for His constant watch and care over us and for the good wholesome pleasures we are privileged to enjoy.

Those present were: Misses Martha and Bernice Schlagal, Hallie Mae and Susie Johnson, Lucille and Anna Mae Ellis, Inez and Mabel Ivie, Bonnie Norris and Ola Carter, Messrs. Mack Boswell, Lee Black, Raymond Burrow, Herbert King, E. L. Mayfield, Jr., Byron Reese, Ed McDaniel, Weldon Cogdell and Mr. and Mrs. McBurnett.—Contributed.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Topic—Christ Calls Christians to Service.

Introduction by leader.

John's Disciples follow Jesus—Inez Ivie.

Matthews' decision blessed mankind.—Ola Carter.

Christ still calls.—Mrs. King.

Trust Christ for results.—Lee Black.

Delay not.—Ruth Mack.

We urge all young people to be present at 7:30 Sunday evening for we will serve God better when we see the fine service of others. Be true to the King. Enter into His services and receive his blessings.—Reporter.

Berlin is planning an international aeronautic exhibition in the spring of 1928.

T. E. L. Class Meeting

The T. E. L. Class met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Bursey with Mrs. Bursey and Mrs. Rucker as joint hostesses.

After the regular business session Miss Winnie Self told many interesting things of her European tour. We hope to have Miss Self with us again to tell more of her tour.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mmes. Griffith, Oswalt, Renels, Moore, Self, Myers, Long, Wright, Campbell, Bishop, McLaughlin, Womack, McBurnett, Duke, Rucker, Bursey and Miss Winnie Self.—Contributed.

Things Worth Knowing

Suits of plate armor came into use about the end of the thirteenth century.

The largest dried fruit industry in the United States is the raisin industry.

An area of Nigeria about half as big as Texas is suitable for cotton growing.

Tiny plants in the sea, called diatoms, manufacture literally tons of sugar a day.

Codfish caught along the North American Atlantic coast amount to more than 1,000,000,000 pounds each year.

The Japanese government has officially adopted the metric system of weights and measures.

Plans for an Italian airship expedition over the polar regions next spring are being made.

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Senior League Program

Subject—The Negro lifting himself by industry and education. Leader—Ella Patton. Scripture reading, Jeremiah 29:13.

Song—"Swing Low Sweet Chariot. The story of Booker T. Washington.—Catherine Clark.

The experiment at Tuskegee.—Althea Saunders.

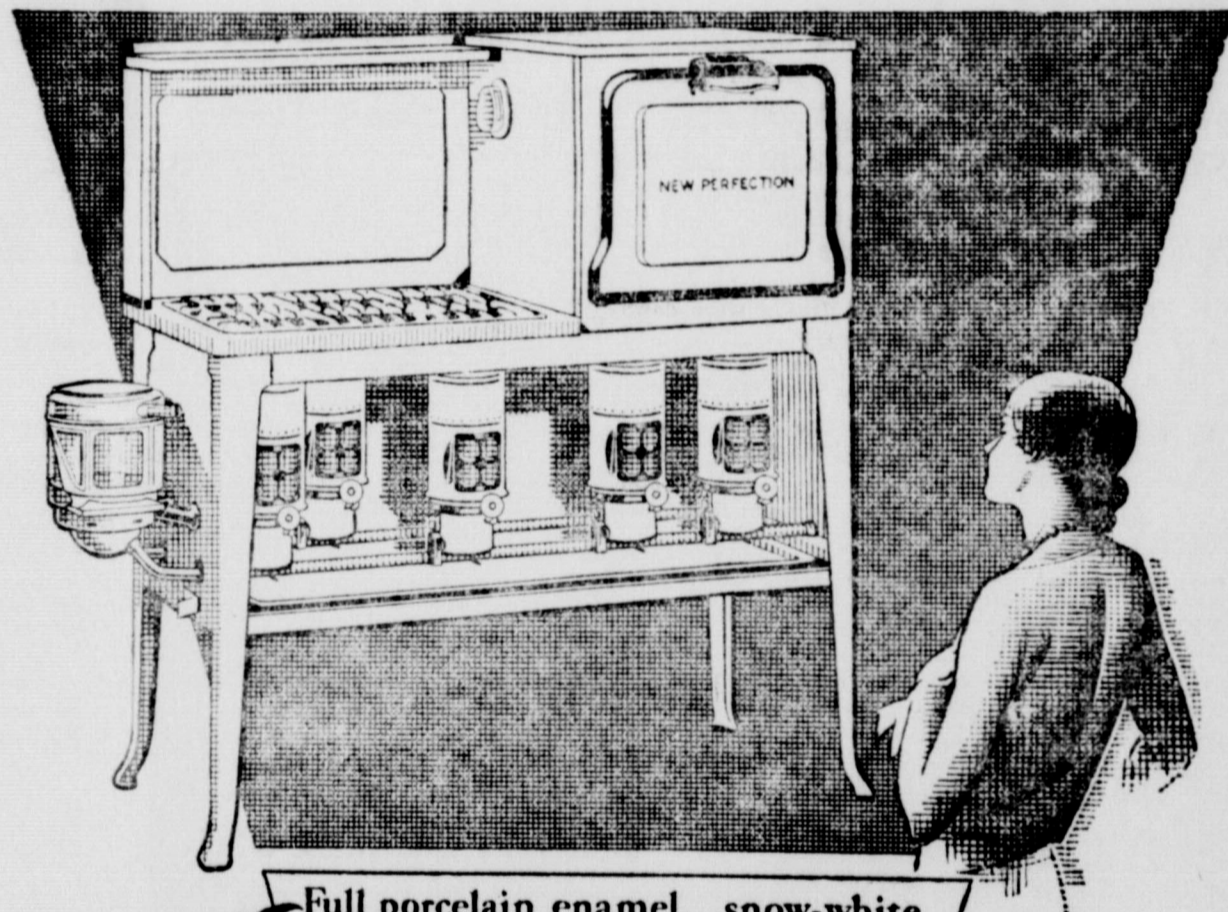
Booker T. Washington and his ideals for his race.—Frances Stearns.

The progress the Negro has made.—Carrie M. Allee.

How we can help the Negro today.—Charlie Ashford.

The souls of black folks.—Catherine Woods.

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A NEW, snow-white porcelain enamel range that cooks swiftly and burns oil, the safe, economical fuel! Come and see how beautiful it is! Watch it cook! Examine its 27 features. See it just once—and you will never be satisfied until you get it into your kitchen.

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This beautiful Perfection is one of 24 new models. All convenient, light-colored, swift-cooking. All finished either in porcelain enamel or in Perfectolac, a new, durable lacquer never before used on stoves. It is like the lacquer now used on automobiles, but made to stand heat as well as hard wear.

See these new stoves at your dealer's. And, whether you are ready to buy or not, don't miss seeing the new range!

EASY WAY TO BUY. Your dealer will demonstrate these new models for you. And, if you wish it, he will no doubt be glad to tell you how you can take any one of them home and use it as you pay for it.

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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO EXEMPT FROM TAXATION PARSONAGES, AND CERTAIN PROPERTY OF ASSOCIATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT.

H. J. R. No. 20.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State, so as to authorize the Legislature to exempt from taxation any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society, for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society, and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; providing for an election upon such proposed Constitutional Amendment, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution be so changed as to read hereafter as follows: All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the au-

thority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from public taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1928, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry"; and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

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Keep your food according to government specifications.

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PRESIDENT CHEVROLET CO. TO TOUR WESTERN HALF OF THE UNITED STATES

With production in fourteen great Chevrolet factories running at a record pace for this period of the year and sales continuing at the highest summer level in the history of the company, W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Motor Company and R. H. Grant, vice president in charge of sales, left Detroit last week for a three weeks' business tour of the entire western half of the United States.

In the course of the tour, which will include the leading business centers of the west, the Chevrolet executives will visit with Chevrolet dealers in each community, discuss individual dealer problems and study local business conditions as they pertain to Chevrolet.

Before leaving Detroit, Mr. Knudsen announced that production in the first seven months of the year to August first totalled 869,297 cars and trucks, breaking by a wide margin all former marks for this period and definitely indicating that the millionth car built in 1928 will come off the production line early in September. More than 800,000 of the "Bigger and Better" model are now in the hands of owners.

Included among the cities to be visited on the executive tour are the following and will be visited in this order: Chicago, Kansas City, Los Angeles, Oakland, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Spokane, Butte and Minneapolis. In Kansas City, Mr. Knudsen and Mr. Grant will check the progress of construction work on the newest Chevrolet assembly plant now rising in that city. When completed this fall it will have a capacity of 350 cars a day and will bring Chevrolet's production facilities up to 1,250,000 units annually.

The party will return to Detroit September first in time to witness the production of the millionth Chevrolet of 1928 about ten days later.

No state fair in the United States came within 350,000 of reaching the total attendance number at the State Fair of Texas last year.

A Chinese superstition says that when crabs are found in abundance war is at hand.

Germany has established 2,000 aid stations along the roads to help automobilists with emergency repairs.

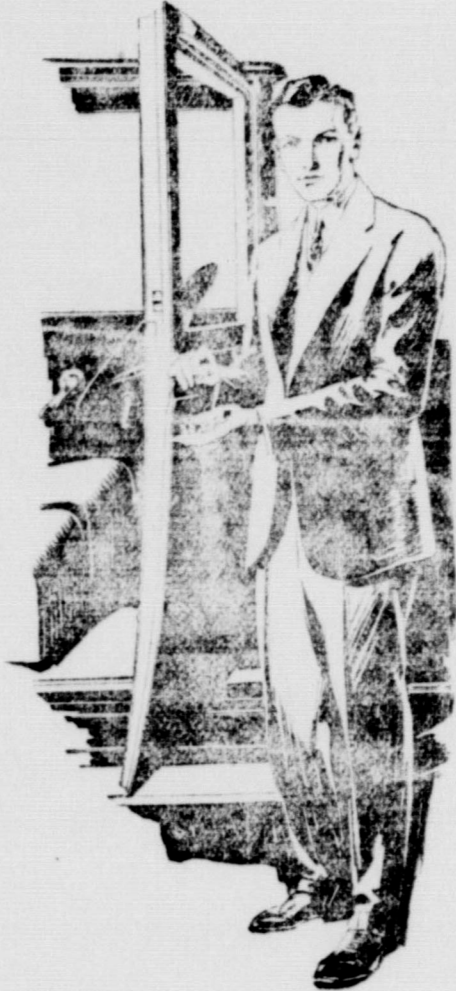
Come take a Ride - and you will know why Chevrolet is **First Choice of the Nation for 1928!**

One of the most spectacular achievements in automobile history is the manner in which today's Chevrolet is increasing its margin of leadership as the world's largest builder of automobiles. Since January 1st more than 750,000 of these Bigger and Better Chevrolets have been delivered to owners... and a single demonstration will tell some of the reasons why Chevrolet is first choice of the nation for 1928!

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The Touring or Roadster	\$495	The COACH	The Imperial	\$715
The Coupe	\$595	585	Unitruck	\$520
The 4-Door Sedan	\$675		(Chassis Only)	
The Convertible Sport Cabriolet	\$695	All prices f.o.b. Flint Mich.	Light Delivery (Outside Oats)	\$375

Check Chevrolet Delivered Prices They include the lowest handling and financing charges available.



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Saturday Specials

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- 48 lbs. Chancellor, every sack guaranteed \$1.75
- 24 lbs. Chancellor 90c
- DRY SALT BACON, per pound 18c
- BROOMS, five stran, white handle, each 59c
- Mother's Chinaware Oats, per package 29c
- PORK & BEANS, 3 cans for 23c
- WHITE SWAN MILK, large 10c
- WHITE SWAN MILK, small 5c
- MARSH MALLOWS, 3 boxes for 25c
- Mrs. Tucker's Shortening, 8--lb bucket ... \$1.15

We always have the best assortment of vegetables to be found anywhere. Come here for your grocery needs.

Hughston Gro. Co.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR A STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND RELATING TO TERMS OF SCHOOL OFFICERS

H. J. R. No. 14. Proposing to amend Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 16, providing that the term of all officers of the public free school system, including State institutions of higher education, may be fixed, not to exceed six years; proposing to amend Section 8 of Article 7 of said Constitution, authorizing the appointment or election of a State Board of Education to serve not to exceed six years; requiring said amendments to be submitted to the people for adoption and making appropriations therefor. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 16 as follows:

"The Legislature shall fix by law the terms of all officers of the public school system and of the State institutions of higher education, inclusive, and the terms of members of the respective boards, not to exceed six years."

Sec. 2. That Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"The Legislature shall provide by law for a State Board of Education, whose members shall be appointed or elected in such manner and by such authority and shall serve for such terms as the Legislature shall prescribe not to exceed six years. The said board shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law."

Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

(1) "For the amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

"Against the amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

(2) "For the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

"Against the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of the above listed clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment to which it relates.

Sec. 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendments set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

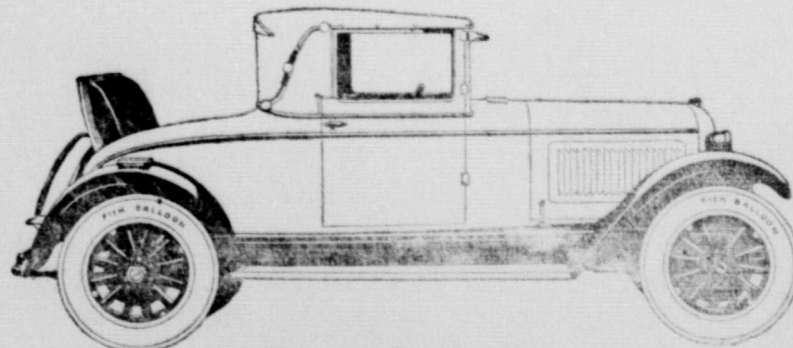
A very thin film of gold added to glass is used in making windows which are transparent from one side but entirely opaque from the other side.

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—and keep them away. Bee Brand Insect Powder or Liquid kills Flies, Ants, Roaches, Poultry Lice, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Bed Bugs, and other insects. Won't spot or stain. Use powder on plants and pets. Write us for FREE insect booklet. If dealer can't supply, we will ship by parcel post at price named. McCORMICK & CO., Baltimore, Md.

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50c & \$1.00	\$1.25
30c (Spray type)	35c



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The tendency is toward narrower brims, but we'll see that you get the right proportion in a becoming style and in a suitable color.

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ON THE FARM

By the County Agent

Terracing

Roy Todd is terracing some of his farm land this week. It is his opinion and observation that very few farms in the county are so level that terracing would not pay by way of holding and distributing the water over the land. Mr. Todd intends to terrace the land in small grain and by constructing the broad terrace, which will be built from 20 to 30 feet wide he can use his machinery without any disadvantage.

Poultry and Dairy Cows

P. H. McLain was in the office the first of the week. Mr. McLain farms several hundred acres of wheat, but he has time to milk several head of good cows. He stated that since the first of April receipts from cream and eggs amounted to about \$275.00. This does not include four or five good hogs which have been fattened on the skim milk. Mr. McLain thinks that the secret of success with a few dairy cows on the farm is first good cows, then caring for them properly without letting overhead expenses run away with the profits. This can be done by providing good pasture.

Mr. McLain milks Jerseys. He has a registered Jersey bull with his herd and he hopes to get into the registered cattle business as fast as it is profitable.

HONORING MR. AND MRS. W. R. PARRISH OF MISSION

Mesdames J. R. Beverly and H. Schindler were hostesses at a delightful picnic supper at the country club on last Monday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Parrish of Mission, Texas, who have been visiting friends here for several days.

After enjoying an hour or two of swimming in the lake the guests were invited to partake of a picnic lunch consisting of everything good to eat. Those present on this occasion were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Parrish and family, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ray, Miss Minerva Moore of La Grange, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly and son, Joe Wallace, Joe W. Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper

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Frank Kirkman tells us that he reads Splinters and likes them. Can you beat it? If you like Splinters tell us and if you do not like them—TELL US.

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Second Gossip: "Oh no, he just crowns her. He's a dentist!"

To improve flying studies are now being made of eagles, condors and other birds. The next thing to do is to capture an angel.

The jury had been dead-locked for two days. It was eating time again. The foreman of the jury came to the door, and said to the sheriff: "Send in eleven dinners—AND ONE BALE OF HAY."

Geo. Key is building a nice home on his place near Rayland. Gloyna & Austin are doing the carpenter work.

"What happens to little boys who swear when they play marbles?"
"They grow up and play golf."

Read Splinters even if they are a little dry and remember we have had no rain in—well, some time.

The biggest thrill we get out of the lumber business is knowledge that we have pleased another customer.

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Adding machine paper for sale.

BARGAIN NIGHT

at 7:30 sharp Friday night, August 17th.

We invite you to take advantage of this bargain, 30c for the first one, 1c for your partner. A real good show for only 31c for two people.

Children 15c for the first one, 1c for the next.

We are making arrangements to take care of four hundred people, so there will be room for all. Second show starts at 9:15.

Rialto Theatre

HONORING MISS CAMPBELL

On the evening of August 9th, a party was given by Mrs. M. S. Henry assisted by Mrs. W. B. Johnson, honoring Miss Christine Campbell. The evening was spent by playing bridge and the singing of old time songs. Also several vocal solo's were rendered by Misses Christine Campbell and Carrie Maurice Allee.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Christine Campbell, Carrie Maurice Allee, Frances and Catherine Clark, Lozelle Kincaid, Jessie Dell Ricks, Elsie Schindler, Martha Schlagal, Messrs. Mack Boswell, Raymond Burrow, Jesse Brown, Edward Huffman, Merle Kincaid, Granville Lanier, Tom Reeder.—A Guest.

Gibson 14-wall refrigerators at actual cost for cash. Last call!—Womack Bros.

TEXON TALES

This rain is a funny thing. Rained here for ten days and when I got to Crowell it was dry. Came back here and had a four-inch rain that evening and has been raining right along since. However, we predict rain at Crowell in the future. It will rain there at intervals any time in the next four years.

The Splinters mentioned the Tattler once without mashing any corns. Thanks.

The M Store ain't going to entice us into trading with them on that free clothes pin stuff. We don't like clothes pins when buttons is lots better.

The News is right about picking guys up along the road. One day we picked up a seedy looking bird and about the first thing he said was, "How long since you left Arkansas?" As ever, TEXON TATTLER.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and Ritchey Newton and Dan Hines Clark left yesterday afternoon for a visit to Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico.

Mrs. Otis Abston and baby were here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith, of Floyd County to spend the week end visiting relatives.

The world is getting better. Now it smokes at the table after meal, where formerly it used toothpicks.

After all, every animal is just a stomach equipped with legs that enable him to get about.

When newspapers began the custom of making sentences short they didn't know that judges would adopt it also.

Mud baths are being used to make women beautiful, and with a presidential year at hand, the political mud slinging should produce a great improvement over many.

Some people worry over having flat feet, but there is one thing about it, they will get on farther than having a flat tire.

One of the funny things is that the genuine lay-walker and a genuine fool driver, usually manage to avoid one another.

Canary birds are generally found in homes where the stork has been neglected.

Some people envy the idle rich, but after looking around you can find a lot of people without a dollar who are just as idle.

Conservation of forests is a great thing—especially for those who make bill boards along the highways.

Who said Hoover isn't for farm relief? Newspaper dispatches assert that he eats corn bread every day.

Announcing THE OPENING OF A NEW SHOE STORE AT VERNON ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 2

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COFFEE, WAMBA, 3-lb can		\$1.39
(Morning, noon and night)		
CRACKERS, Brown's Saltine, 2 1/2 lbs.		42c
FLY LIQUIDS, all brands, pints		49c
SALT, 1 1/2-lb. Packages		3c
PORK & BEANS, Wapco brand, 3 cans for		25c
TEA, TETLEY'S, 1/2-lb.		39c
BAKING POWDER, 1-lb Calumet		25c

Let us sell you Groceries.

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