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## CROWELL TO HAVE THIRD ELEVATOR

Material is now being put on the ground for the building of a third elevator for Crowell, by Messrs. J. W. Allison and B. W. Self.

The site of the new elevator will be that of the storage granary they built a year ago for loading wheat and this building will be used for storage purposes, which together with that belonging to the elevator proper will give them a storage capacity of about 16,000 bushels.

The building will be built of wood on concrete base and will be constructed at a cost of something like \$6,000. The power will be furnished by electric motor.

Mr. Self says they hope to have it ready for use within a very short time, if not by the time wheat begins to come in, very soon thereafter.

They are prepared to handle grain at Margaret.

## PLANE MAKES NON-STOP FLIGHT ACROSS ATLANTIC

London, June 15.—To Jack Alcock, a captain in the British Royal Air Force, and his navigator, Lieut. Arthur W. Brown, an American, goes the honor of having made the first non-stop flight across the Atlantic from Newfoundland to Ireland, the Daily Mail's \$50,000 prize is theirs.

Forty minutes after 8 o'clock this morning their big Vickers-Vimy biplane landed on the beach near Clifden, Galway. They made the flight in sixteen hours and twenty-seven minutes, having left St. Johns, N. F., at 4:13 yesterday afternoon, Greenville time (12:13 New York time).

Both pilot and navigator were in good spirits, but terribly fatigued. Every mile of the flight was a terrific battle against the elements. Of the human qualities that combined to conquer the air on this direct trans-Atlantic route, unshakable pluck was unquestionably the decisive factor.

Immediately after landing, Captain Alcock said: "We were tired, being alone in the fog and drizzle. Sometimes we found ourselves flying upside down, having lost all sense of direction while enveloped in the heavy blanket of fog. Our wireless was useless for the greater part of the flight. The wireless operator blew off on after we started from St. Johns. Our receiver was much jammed by strong signals not intended for us."

Both Alcock and Lieutenant Brown were in good spirits when they made their landing. The landing was effected some minor damages through coming down rather heavily on the sandy shore, but neither Alcock nor Brown suffered any injury.

The Vickers-Vimy officers sent instructions to Alcock to remain at Clifden until repairs have been made to the damaged fuselage and then to start for London. On his arrival over London, Alcock is to circle over the city, so as to give everybody a chance to see the record-breaking machine in full flight.

H. Knight, the Vickers-Vimy factory manager, said to Universal Service tonight: "As soon as I hear from Captain Alcock what spare parts are needed to repair the damage caused by the rough landing, several mechanics will start immediately for Galway. I expect that Alcock will be able to show London his machine by Tuesday or Wednesday."

"We are all tremendously happy and proud over the accomplishment of the great feat by our machine. We expected Alcock to get across if any man could do it, because he had great experience in night flying during the war and knew his machine as well as he knew himself."

A wave of crime, confined principally to automobile stealing, is expected to sweep over this section of the country within the next few weeks.

The police of the larger cities are warning the local authorities in the towns and villages to be on the alert for auto thieves who will work on farms during the harvest time. It is said to be practically certain that many professional gangs will split up into small parties and individual groups, get into the country districts long enough to "spot" certain cars, work in the harvest fields, quiet suspicion and send in all information to the various thieves headquarters.

These spotters will be followed by the men who are to do the actual stealing from the farmers. The latter protected, the habits of the owners, the best time for stealing the cars, necessary road information and in fact all the "dope" necessary to insure a perfect job of thievery and a successful get-away.

No district will be safe—no community exempt, according to the police officials and the detectives connected with Anti-Automobile Thief Associations. The latter organization in Wichita has instructed all of its agents and representatives in Kansas and Oklahoma to co-operate with the police and the sheriffs of the various counties in both states. Photographs and descriptions of well known professional thieves, now at large are being circulated among the rural officers.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

ROY COOPER IS HEARD FROM  
Mrs. P. P. Cooper received a letter Sunday from her son, Roy, who is in France, dated June 1, stating that he was well, but did not know when he would get started home. This was the first letter they had had from Roy in two months.

## WITH OUR READERS

W. F. Draper has returned from Cone, Texas, having come in Saturday himself, while his family, he said would be in this week. They will make their home in Foard County. Mr. Draper never did fall out with Foard County, but went away when the drought was on, and of course intended to return.

John L. Kilworth of Lawrence, Kan., writes us to change his paper from Gilliland to Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Kilworth spent the winter at Gilliland. He has interests in Foard County.

Mrs. A. L. Honeycutt has us change her paper from Truscott to Quannah, Texas, at which place she has been stationed for the last several months awaiting the return of her husband from the battle front.

W. C. McKown writes us to change the address of his paper from Bellville, Texas, to Brenham. Clyde was here only a short time ago and said he was doing a splendid business down in that country in the sewing machine business.

H. M. Jamison of Gilliland renews for the News another year. Mr. Jamison was formerly a citizen of this county.

T. T. Kuykendall renews for the paper to be sent to his nephew, Charlie Kuykendall, at Artesia, N. M.

P. E. Todd orders the News sent to his son-in-law, J. P. Oliver, at Locker, Texas. Mr. Oliver and family resided here for some time, having removed to San Saba County last year.

W. E. Simmons sends in his check for the Foard County News and the Dallas News. In his letter he says he has corn that will make 75 bushels to the acre and the cotton full of squares and blooms. He says everything is fine in the Harlingen country, but that with all that he can not stay down there without the home partner.

T. R. Pirce, a recent new-comer to Foard County, does the right thing by having his name put on our subscription list.

Jim Clifford is unwilling to try to worry along another year without the News, so he makes arrangements whereby it will keep going to him on route 1.

D. M. Davis is a recent renewal subscriber to the News. Mr. Davis is at McLean and is doing well. He was one of our very best citizens until about a year ago. He still wants to keep up with Foard County.

Dr. M. M. Hart renews for the News this week. The doctor, besides having a splendid practice in his profession, has a very good sized wheat crop on the Sparks place which he owns south of town.

W. H. Delker, who has been getting his Foard County News at Portland, Oregon, has moved to Vader, Washington, to which place we are advised to address his paper.

J. M. Gilliam of Vernon has been losing sleep lately on account of his not getting the Foard County News, so he has decided not to allow it to continue. Jim belongs about as much to Foard County as he does to W. J. Berger, and of course, has to have the News.

## DRILLING TO COMMENCE

W. E. Rice, who has charge of the promotion of the Wilbarzer-Foard Oil Company, announces that Walter Wooten, of the firm of Wooten Bros., drilling contractors of Wichita Falls, will be in Vernon tomorrow to close a contract for drilling the first well on the Company's acreage near Rayland.

Mr. Rice says the first contract will provide for a hole 1,000 feet deep to be sunk with a steel rig. If shallow oil is not found by the time the depth is reached, a standard rig will be on the ground ready to continue the well as deep as it is thought necessary to make a fair test of the territory. In this way, Mr. Rice explained, time will be gained and the project carried out faster than if they waited for a standard rig to be moved on to the acreage and started to work. The well will be started with a sixteen-inch hole.

Stock in the Wilbarzer-Foard is selling rapidly and Mr. Rice is of the opinion that the books will be closed within the next two weeks.—Vernon Record.

## HAS SOME VERY FINE HOGS

There are a number of Foard County people who are improving their breeds of hogs, as well as of other stock, but perhaps there are few who are more enthusiastic over the hog business than J. L. Orr, of near Margaret.

Mr. Orr has the Poland China and is the proud possessor of some of the best of this breed of hogs to be found in West Texas. Only recently he sold a pair to K. Johnson for \$50. He has been building up his herd for only a few years and has really not gotten into it well yet, at least not so well as he expects to.

He thinks Foard County swine breeders ought to get together, bring their hogs and get into the swine breeders' association and demonstrate the fact that Foard County can raise just as good hogs as any county in the state. It is not a matter as to whether or not it can be done, but it depends on the interest the stockmen take in the matter.

Mr. Orr believes that Foard County should come to the front with all her products and have an annual fair, as most of our neighboring counties have, and feels sure that such would stimulate greater interest in all departments of farm life.

According to reports Secretary Daniels expects that those who were enlisted in the service of the United States Navy for the duration of the war will be discharged by August. He is quoted as saying that the release would begin as soon as the treaty of peace is signed.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The M. E. Missionary Society met Monday after the first Sunday in its regular business session at the church. Mrs. Bird called the house to order promptly at 4 o'clock and gave a splendid talk on the Scripture lesson. After the business was transacted the society enjoyed the report given by Mrs. Stovall, our delegate to Plainview.

The conference meeting is a great inspiration as well as a source of enlightenment along all lines pertaining to our work and every society should always see that it is represented. The meeting is at Quannah next year and a number of women should be able to attend.

The Mission Study Class met this month with Mrs. Wells. The lesson was on Africa showing the great need of Christian civilization. That enlightenment without Christianity is a detriment.

How much missionary work was needed in every part and especially around the diamond mines country where vice is so boldly carried on.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sandifer and every member is urged to be present as our next study is to be discussed.

These meetings are a great help to us and every Methodist woman should feel it her duty to attend.

## PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

The Government of the United States is endeavoring to disseminate the principles of Thrift among the people of this nation, that they may learn to avoid waste, save wisely, spend judiciously and invest their savings safely and judiciously.

The Government is offering the people of the United States the opportunity of making safe and judicious investments through the medium of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps, that they may have money invested for any future emergencies or opportunities which may arise.

It has been decided to designate the eight days from June 29th to July 6th, A. D. 1919, inclusive, as "Thrift Message Week" in the Eleventh Federal District, during which time Thrift Messages will be delivered and the benefits accruing from a life of Thrift pointed out.

The entire State of Texas is within the boundary lines of the Eleventh Federal District.

THEREFORE, I, W. P. Hobby, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby officially proclaim the eight days from June 29th to July 6th, A. D. 1919, both inclusive, as Thrift Message Week, and do call upon the citizens of the State of Texas to join in its observance.

I urge that Thrift Messages be delivered at all public gatherings held in the State of Texas during Thrift Message Week, that Thrift Message Parades be held on Independence Day, July 4th, and that all bells in the State of Texas be rung and that all whistles in the State of Texas be blown at 10 o'clock each morning and at 4 o'clock each afternoon during Thrift Message Week and that the purposes and objects of the Government's Campaign be given earnest attention by all citizens of the State of Texas.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the Seal of the State to be hereon, at Austin, this 13th day of June, A. D. 1919. (State Seal)

W. P. HOBBY, Governor.

GEORGE P. HOWARD, Secretary of State.

## HEAVY LOCAL RAINS

There have been no general rains over the county for some weeks but there were some very heavy showers in spots last Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Southwest of town Friday afternoon it rained a flood, especially on F. C. Borchardt's place. He says it looked like it must have been about a 12-inch rain from the way it flooded his wheat field. The harvested wheat was floating around after the rain in the river of water. In the Black community Saturday afternoon they had almost a waterspout, according to reports. And in the Vivian country they are told that they have been bothered very much on account of rains and could work but little in their crops last week. All these rains were confined to narrow strips, however.

## FIREMAN KILLED FRIDAY

LIVED AT WICHITA FALLS was the fireman who with Engineer F. A. Foker of Fort Worth were killed when the boiler of the engine pulling passenger No. 3 exploded eighteen miles north of Fort Worth Friday morning.

Early reports said the fireman's name was Loney. The men were scalded to death and their bodies were found some forty feet from the track. None of the passengers were seriously injured.

The engine was completely demolished, part of the frame being blown into the ground, and the track was torn up the length of a city block. Repairs were made by a crew from Fort Worth and the train arrived in Vernon over eight hours late.—Vernon Record.

## FIRST OF THE 36TH DIVISION BOYS ARRIVE TUESDAY

Jack and Louis Ballard, Frank Arr and Arthur McMillan came in on the train Tuesday from Camp Bowie. Elbert Scales also came up the road with them and got off at Vernon.

Those arriving Wednesday were Eldon Crosnoe, Charley Alger and Tom Ribble.

Those arriving yesterday were Clint White of Crowell, Lonnie Goodman and Roy Reinhardt of Margaret, and Ozzie Turner of Truscott.

## POISON FOR GRASSHOPPERS

The poison-bran bait for grasshoppers control is as follows: The grasshoppers have begun to leave wheat and oat fields and the pastures now, as the grain has been cut and the grass in pastures not so good and fresh as it was, and are migrating to the row crops.

They devour these crops in a short time, as you know by experience. These fellows go in great herds. The poison-bran bait below should be used late in the afternoon and early in the morning, preferable in the late afternoon, because the pest will pass the night on the plants.

Do not become discouraged after using this bait if the grasshoppers do not drop dead at once, he will be several days and may be a quarter of a mile away.

Put on two spoonful every two or three rows apart at the ends and sides of the field, or elsewhere you think is a good place, just so it will be in his path when he is hungry.

If it rains put more bait out, as this will cause some of the strength to be washed away.

The mixture: Wheat bran, 25 pounds; Paris green, 1 pound, or white arsenic, 1 pound; lemons or oranges, 6 finely chopped fruits; low-grade molasses, 2 quarts. If atmosphere dry add 4 gallons of water.

Apply this mixture with a sprayer or to this or any other matter and I don't happen around, write or phone me.

PLENNY D. CHANEY, Emerg. Demonstration Agt.

## BUYS PEACOCK

Not often does one see a peacock in this country. We do not know why they are not raised in Foard County, perhaps they are not so profitable as most domestic birds. So many of the younger people have never seen one.

While he was at Chillicothe one day last week, T. M. Beverly bought a peacock and had it shipped over Wednesday. Some of the girls had the pleasure of seeing this bird when it came by the postoffice and "took on" mightily over it.

Mr. Beverly has two hens and will try to get a start from the small flock he now has. The peacocks are valuable for the long beautiful tail feathers they grow and they are also good for table meat.

## DALLAS MAN BUYS FOARD COUNTY LAND

J. F. Steele of Dallas bought the old Will Pie place some 12 miles southeast of Crowell some weeks ago from A. J. Cooper, and is here this week looking after the property. The farm consists of some 800 acres of land, a portion of which consists of breaks and a portion of tillable land. Mr. Steele will use the place as land for general farming and stock raising. Mr. Steele himself will not be here in person for some time, but the place will be operated by his two sons constituting a company known as Steele Brothers. The deal was made by J. R. Allee.

## PETRIFIED MESQUITE

What looks to be a portion of a mesquite stake but which is assuredly a rock was picked up on the prairie near the home of L. G. Andrews. The bark of the wood is plainly visible on the outside and the grain of the wood at the end of the rock and it is flinty in appearance and as heavy as the heaviest rock. It is about 4 inches in diameter and about 7 inches in length. So far as is known no one knows where this rock came from, but evidently it has at some time been unearthed. It has been in the show window at Massie-Vernon & Co.

## HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Sam Ray is here from Fillmore, Cal., visiting his brother, J. S. Ray, and helping in the harvest. Mr. Ray has been living in California for about 9 years, but has been keeping up with things which have happened in Foard County pretty well by being a very close reader of the News during his absence. In 1915 while his brother, John, was visiting him in California he told him many incidents that had happened here that John had never heard of before.

## EXCHANGE NEWS

The city of Vernon has recently purchased a block of land for a city park. This will be the third park for Vernon.

Vernon authorities are taking steps to have the weeds cut in that town, even if it becomes necessary to put an assessment on property to have it done.

The twelve-days revival at the Methodist church at Vernon closed Thursday night, there having been 32 conversions and reclamations within the 12 days.

Congressman Parrish is trying to get a piece of captured German cannon for each county in his district. Vernon hopes to get one of these pieces.

According to the Vernon Times 47 marriage licenses were issued from the first of 1918 up to June 11, while for the same period this year 63 had been issued, showing a splendid increase.

A harvest hand in Ballinger set fire to a wheat field when he struck a match with which to light a cigarette. The entire loss caused by the fire was about \$2,000.

Bones have recently been found 3,000 feet under ground where an oil well is being drilled, which is considered by geologists as the bones of a pre-historic giant, estimated to be that of a man 10 feet high.

## OLD POSTAL RATES WILL GO INTO EFFECT JULY 1ST

On July 1, the old postal rates of 1 and 2 cents for letters and 1 cent for postal cards, the same as before the war, will go into effect. Orders have been sent out to the postmasters advising discontinuance of the sale of the 2-cent cards and 3-cent envelopes. The following are a few of the paragraphs giving advice and which will be general information to the public. Postmasters shall redeem from the public all unused and undamaged No. 9 and No. 10 2-cent cards and 3-cent stamped envelopes, printed or unprinted, at full value, provided they are convinced such cards and envelopes are presented by the original purchasers.

Postmasters shall furnish in exchange for such cards and envelopes, postage stamps, postal cards or stamped envelopes of other denomination or varieties to be selected by the owner or may apply them in payment or part payment for 2-cent special-request envelopes.

No postal cards nor stamped envelopes shall be redeemed from the public in cash.

The public will be allowed one month from July 1 in which to present their 2-cent cards and 3-cent envelopes for exchange at full value. After the expiration of that time postage value only shall be allowed for the envelopes and three-fourths of postage value for the cards, except as provided in Sec. 11 of these instructions.

HARVESTING IS ABOUT OVER

For two weeks everybody who could work in the harvest fields has been pressed into service as far as possible. And generally speaking the people of the county have not had to be pressed. The spirit of helpfulness has been the most commendable. With many who had no interest in the matter except the improvement of general financial conditions in the county have willingly gone to the fields to help the farmers save their grain. In every community where it was possible for farmers to exchange help and thus hasten the saving of the wheat has been done. And now practically all the crop is up in good shape.

Separators and engines are now being put in readiness for the threshing season which is opening this week. It will not start proper, however, until next week. It is said there is a larger number of threshers in the county than usual and it is expected that the grain will be put into the granaries much earlier than has been the case heretofore.

JUNIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject—Some Jerusalem Christians. Scripture verse—2 Tim. 1:17.

In the upper-room, Acts 1:13-14.—Frankie Kirkpatrick.

The home of Mary, Acts 12:12.—Mildred McLaughlin.

John Mark, Acts 15:37-39.—Evelyn Albee.

Silas, Acts 15:40.—Jewel Kennar.

The women, Acts 1:14; Luke 24:10.—Myrtle Griggs.

## STANDS POSTAL EXAMINATION

Leo Spencer was the only applicant from Crowell in the examination of Childress Wednesday for the postoffice here. This means that Mr. Spencer will be our next postmaster. He is the logical man for the position and will give the people first-class service.

This is not said to make Mr. Spencer feel good. We know he will do it and the people know it. He has been tried in the public service and found equal to demands wherever he has served.

## CHILD WANDERED OFF

The little 4-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Williams who lives on the Popo ranch wandered away from the ranch house about night one day last week and was not found until about ten o'clock. The little boy had been in the habit of going to the barn and playing with the calves about night, but when his mother went to look for him he was not there. She gave the alarm and searching parties were organized and the child was found about ten o'clock playing along the road a mile from home with the four big stag hounds from the road camp.

## A PLEASANT SURPRISE

While Mrs. A. W. Keller, who has been living with her brother-in-law, Walter Carr, near Thalia, was visiting relatives in Crowell last week, her husband, A. W. Keller, who has been overseas with the A. E. F., came in unexpectedly. He got off the train at Margaret and went out to the Carr home. Mrs. Keller was notified and she soon secured conveyance to the Carr home for the happy reunion.

## FIRST CROP THRESHED

MAKES 21 BUSHELS

M. F. Crowell is the first to thresh wheat this season. On 9 acres at his home place north of Crowell he made 21 bushels to the acre on wheat and 60 bushels of oats. The wheat tested out 58.

The threshing outfit belongs to Mr. Crowell and W. T. Raso and left yesterday morning for J. W. Bell's farm.

## SUPERINTENDENT EMPLOYED

The school board of the Crowell Independent District has employed Prof. D. W. Cook of Denison as superintendent of the Crowell schools for the next term. Prof. Cook has been connected with the Denison schools and comes to us highly recommended as a teacher.

There have been a number of applications for lower grade positions but no teachers have been employed yet.

## PAUL BISHOP HERE

Paul Bishop who has recently been discharged from the Navy came in Wednesday from Southern Texas. Paul was in the aviation department of the navy and spent six months on the front nearest England. His father, "Squire" Bishop was one of the early settlers of Foard County and Paul's childhood days were spent here.

## FIELD WORKER RED CROSS HERE SUNDAY

On Sunday afternoon Miss Kramer who is sent out from Division Headquarters in St. Louis as a field worker for the nursing department of the American Red Cross, visited Crowell and conferred with several members of the Red Cross Executive Board.

Miss Kramer has just recently returned from thirteen months service, as a Red Cross nurse, where she is supposed to be placed before the Executive Board what is known as the "Peace Program of the Red Cross." This program plans to place graduate Red Cross nurses in each county, where the people desire them, to hold a school of hygiene instruction. Miss Kramer stated that the course of instruction would be absolutely free to those desiring it with the exception of 45 cents, the cost of the text book to be used. The expense of the school will be borne by the funds of the local chapter on deposit at Division Headquarters.

The course of study as outlined is taken from a book on hygiene written by Miss Margaret Delano, who, for years was director of the American Red Cross, and who died recently in France as a result of her strenuous work during the war. A few of the many interesting and instructive topics embodied in this course are as follows: How to prevent disease and the spread of contagion. The proper diet and care of babies diet for patients affected with kidney disease. How to take temperature, bathing the sick, making a sick bed, clothing for the sick room. How to render first aid to the injured. The care of typhoid and other contagious diseases, etc.

The course is planned for three classes a week. On days when the nurse is not engaged in teaching she is supposed to visit homes where there is sickness and render any assistance that is possible to the physician in caring for the patient. She is also supposed to organize classes at different points in the county and have special days for instructing them.

Should we engage the nurse Miss Kramer stated that it would be well to retain her three months. She suggested September, October and November as being ideal months for the school, as at that time county institutes are being held and schools opened. In that way she would have an opportunity to reach both the teachers and pupils.

During its recent epidemic of influenza in our county, the death of trained nurses and the lack of a knowledge of nursing was felt very keenly. If the women of Foard County can be sufficiently interested in nursing will be sure to have a school held according to her suggestion.

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## OFF TO THE CENTENARY

Rev. J. H. Hamblen left Tuesday for the big centenary meeting at Columbus, Ohio, and will be gone some three weeks or more. It will be a great meeting for Bro. Hamblen and as for that matter for his church here.

The church evidently feels that this will be well worth his attending, and feeling that way about it the church is giving him leave of absence and is paying his expenses.

## ONE 20,000 BUSHEL CROP

One of the largest, if indeed not the largest, single crop in Foard County is that owned by Zeke Bell. He has a section of land in wheat, and it is thought to be one of the best average crops in the county. Some of it is estimated to thresh 35 bushels to the acre, while it is thought very little will come under 25. The entire crop will not miss 20,000 bushels far.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all neighbors and friends for the assistance they rendered during the recent illness and death of our baby. May God richly bless each and every one of you.

DR. AND MRS. HINES CLARK.

## HAS STROKE OF PARALYSIS

Henry Greening is suffering from a stroke of paralysis, having been struck down the first of the week. Mr. Greening is 74 years of age and has always been in very good health. His physician thinks there is a chance for his recovery from the attack.

## RECEIVES BOX OF CHERRIES

Robert Wells, Jr., received a box of cherries Wednesday from his grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Campbell, in Grey County. Mrs. Campbell picked these cherries from her own cherry trees.

The town of Ranger is paving its streets at the expense of the property owners along the streets being paved. A good plan, let the owner be a resident or non-resident, the value of the property is increased and the owner should pay for it if he would get its benefits.

In January, 1910, there were in the United States 62,683 single men insane and 26,047 married men insane—which shows that the crazy men stay single. At the same time there were 37,115 single women insane and 35,975 married women insane—which proves that in January, 1910, married life made more women crazy than it did men. And the more you study these figures the crazier it makes you.

—Journal of American Medical Association.

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**PLAINVIEW POINTERS**  
(By Special Correspondent)

Geo. Hay and wife are the proud parents of a new boy.

Claud Davis and wife carried their baby to Dr. Maine Thursday.

Ed. Shannon and Jim Rogers were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

Buck Hudgens and wife are entertaining a new baby girl at their home.

Grandma Davis is spending a few days with her son, Claud, and family.

Jack Wood and family spent Saturday night with C. L. Adkins and family.

A new boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haley who live on the Lee Jordan place.

Geo. Reeves and Wallace Seales carried 13 bales of cotton to Vernon Monday for Ed. Shannon.

Mrs. Velna Seales and little son accompanied by Grandma Seales spent Sunday at the Dick Coffman home.

Dr. Still from Vernon passed through our community Friday en route to Crowell where he has several patients.

The County Line school closed last Friday with a picnic at the school house, dinner was served and a nice program was rendered.

Corp. Elbert Seales came in Tuesday from overseas. We are all glad that he has arrived home and hope it will be long until all of the boys will get home.

Owing to the condition of the weather some of our farmers thought it best to cut wheat last Sunday. While we don't think it is right to work on Sunday, but if there were no greater

sins committed than trying to save our food stuff, we think this old world would be a good one.

**FOARD CITY ITEMS**  
(By Special Correspondent)

Ambrose Burdine has returned from a visit in Rochester.

Willie Harris of Crowell drove the binder last week for J. M. Glover.

S. Beavers and wife are very proud of a new nine pound boy born the eleventh.

A number of the men were busy going to Crowell last week for repairs for the binders.

Mr. and Mrs. Canup are rejoicing over a big girl which has recently arrived in their home.

E. Pounds and family have moved back to their home on the river after six or eight months living in our little city.

Hefford Womack, a nephew of Mrs. U. C. Raider, came in last week from Williamson county to work through harvest.

J. M. Glover is absent from home this week and is helping his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Harris, north of Crowell, harvest her wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pair of Collin County are here visiting in the Frank Welch home. Mr. Pair also came to see that the threshers he had sold to Messrs. Welch and Fox run alright. He will probably stay until after threshing is over.

Will and Glenn Minnick returned last week from Colorado after being away a month. Mr. Minnick was prospecting and came back well pleased with that country, but Glenn wasn't at all satisfied until he got back to Foard City. He says, "There's no place for me but here."

A number of teams ran away with binders last Friday afternoon when a loud clap of thunder came. All the binders were damaged and some were torn up. Those who had the runaways were U. C. Raider, L. Graham and Mr. Barker. There were several others whose names I failed to get.

J. M. Glover has had news of Lawrence through a letter written by Charley Bryson to his father. Charley said that Lawrence looks good since recovering from the flu. They were fixing to make another move and he thought perhaps they would sail about the 10th of June. Mr. Glover had not heard from Lawrence in over a month and was getting anxious to hear.

Mrs. Will Minnick and children with the exception of Glenn, have returned from a long visit with friends and relatives in Seymour and her father at Mineral Wells. Mrs. Minnick was a guest at a party given at the home of her father given in honor of his grand-children and children. Other guests were two sons-in-law and one daughter-in-law. Mrs. Minnick reports a delightful gathering and a pleasant visit.

A big rain fell in our community Saturday morning, in fact, the biggest rain that has come in many a day. Most every one said they never saw so much water on the ground here before and some have been here ten and twelve years. Water was standing on level ground three and four inches deep while all the branches overflowed the remainder of the day. It damaged the wheat some but not as much as was expected. The most of it can be saved. Most every one has

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his wheat cut or don't lack much. If it stays clear the wheat will all be cut and the threshers running in a few days.

**THALIA ITEMS**  
(By Special Correspondent)

Frisko and family have moved back here.

Leona Thompson is on the sick list this week.

J. J. Williamson is plowing for H. N. Thompson this week.

O. L. Rector and son, Allie, were business callers here Monday.

Walter aBnister and family went fishing on Pease river Wednesday.

A. G. Johnson spent Monday night with his brother, Luke Johnson.

Elder Pierson preached at the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Elder S. C. Wall of Rockey, Okla., will preach at the Church of Christ here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. All are invited to attend.

A rain fell here Saturday evening and night and Sunday which brought harvesting of grain and other farm work to a standstill. There is yet lots of grain to cut in the county.

Messrs. Webb, Reeves, Huston, Fred Rennells, Jesse Whitfield, Jno. Bradford, Pete Gamble, Mike Bevers, Will Hudgins, Walter and Will Banister, Grover Nichols, Kebe Short and J. G. Thompson were business visitors here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Estes and son, Deed, and

daughter, Lucile, and Lee Shultz and family all of Vernon, and Allen Shultz and family, and Lat Johnson, wife and daughter, Miss Myrtle, and Miss Nannie Sneed were guests in the D. M. Shultz home Sunday.

A. W. Keller, husband of Mrs. Laura Keller got off the train at Margaret Wednesday from Germany. He came out to Walter Carr's to find his wife was spending the week in Crowell. But it did not take her long to find a way out home when she received the message that her husband had arrived. He was gone one year to the day and hour. We all extend to him a hearty welcome home.



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Garland Burns and wife entertained the young folks with a party Monday night.

Mrs. Joe French and family visited her brother, Walter Carr, and children Sunday.

Carl Bennett of Burkburnett was shaking hands with old friends here Saturday.

Henry Latham of Burkburnett is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Lula Mason, and family.

Miss Almer Shroeder and some of her friends attended church at Rayland Sunday evening.

Jack and Button Henry of Plainview shocked wheat in this community Wednesday and Thursday.

Curtis Bradford and family of Margaret were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Bradford, Sunday.

Messrs. Shroeder and Porter looked over and fixed the phone line Monday, which we appreciated very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kee and family were the guests of his brother, George Kee, and wife at Rayland Sunday.

Clyde Self came home Saturday evening from Burkburnett to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Self, for a few days.

A. G. Johnson and son, Wade, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, were the guests of his brother, Lat Johnson, and family Tuesday.

Mode Haney made a trip to Burkburnett. His sons, Clarence and Sylvan, are at work on the farm near Talmage this week.

Bob Huntley has returned home from Knox County where he went to look after harvesting his grain. He reports everything flourishing.

Tom Ward and sister, Miss Pearl, of Plainview, visited Ernest Toll and sisters, Misses Stella and Bessie, and attended Sunday School here Sunday.

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**All Are Invited**

The soldier boys that have been here at picnics heretofore and those that have never been here are all especially invited. In fact this is intended to be soldier boys' picnic. Come prepared to stay two days, 3rd and 4th.

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There's a photographer in your town.—Mrs. H. T. Cross.

#### MARGARET MUSINGS (By Special Correspondent)

The boys of Co. I are still in Camp Bowie and not expected to reach home before Friday.

The unsettled weather is causing the wheat harvesters much trouble in saving their crops.

The ladies of the Baptist church are preparing to give the boys a reception on Friday evening.

Henry Ross and wife (formerly Miss Geneva Welch) came in on Sunday. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

Arrangements are being made to start an oil company in this vicinity and put down a sure enough well. Our people have been humbugged long enough.

Mrs. Cherry, wife of our late lamented Dr. Cherry, is here visiting old friends and having her goods shipped to Ft. Hancock where she proposes to reside with her son, Will Cherry.

Much grain is going to waste on account of the scarcity of labor. One of our farmers who has a large crop has offered the sum of \$1.50 per day and board for hands, and yet he cannot get hands—too bad.

Will Murphy who has been in France reached home today. We are informed that he was wounded while in the service but have not learned the extent of his injuries. We are all glad to see him home again.

Jim Ewing has closed his broom factory temporarily in order that he may assist the farmers in saving their grain. He has been obliged to cancel some large orders but thinks he can catch up after harvest is over. He is receiving many matrimonial orders or offers and has turned that part of his correspondence over to us and we must decide which one of the fair applicants will be the most suitable for his business. This is a serious matter and some time in the future we will submit some of the applications to the News for we don't feel like taking all the responsibility upon ourselves.

A species of high-brow gorilla which has developed the rudiments of speech is said to have been discovered in the French Congo. He probably says, "Is it warm enough for you."

No one who observes the latest bathing suits can doubt that the government's request for economy in material has been carefully followed.

The country will soon be in the condition prevailing after the civil war, when you couldn't throw a brick in any direction without hitting a colonel or a major or at least a captain.

You can make no mistake by buying the Maxwell touring car. Comparatively cheap and thoroughly modern in every particular. To see the latest model is to appreciate it.—S. S. Bell.

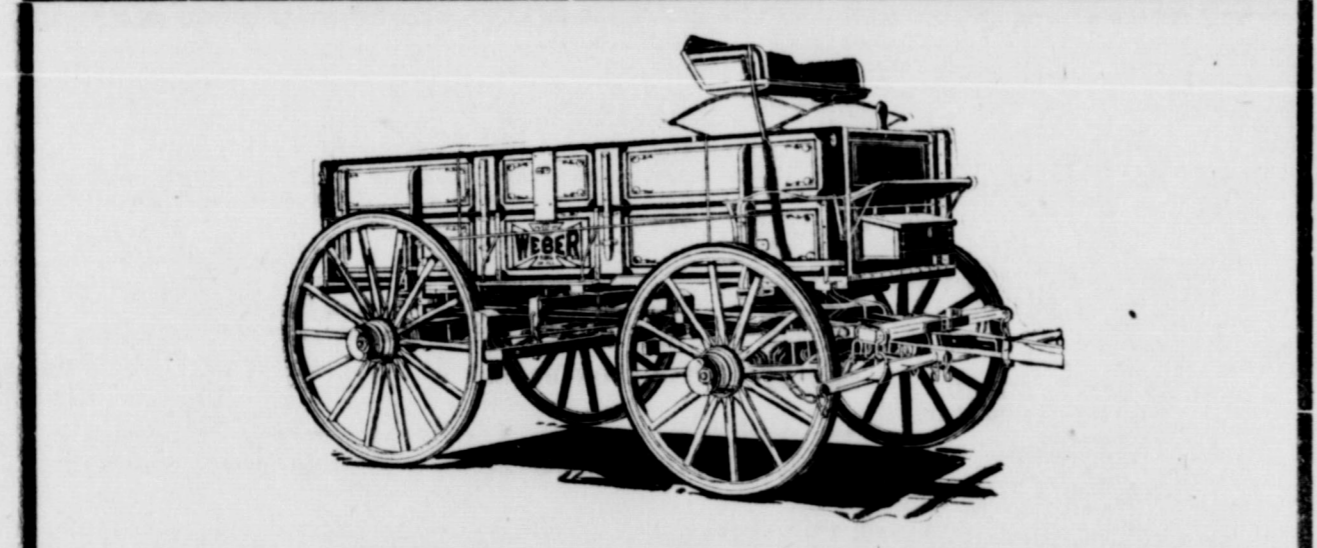


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#### FARMERS AND BOMBS

The day which revealed to us the ramifications of the merry little bomb plot in this city—will soon be a month old. But we should not let it be completely obliterated from our memories.

It was in Paterson, N. J. that one of the bombs exploded on that fateful Monday night, and in the same city an abundant collection of revolutionary pamphlets has been unearthed. One of them has been printed in exceptionally large quantities, and is addressed to the "workers, farmers, soldiers and sailors."

It starts with the usual Jeremiad about the tribulations of the proletariat, and then it continues:

"If in your factory or mine, farm or village, there is no anarchist soviet yet, organize one at once."

"Organize an anarchist commune soviet and organize them secretly; as soon as our members grow large enough making us so strong as to assert ourselves in the open we will do it—by beginning to take over the factories, mines, and farms of America."

It is addressed to the farmers, and urges the farmers to seize the farms. Whom from? Most farmers took hold when they obtained possession of their farms.

But the radicals don't know this. They don't know very much about the status of the American farmer. They don't know much about America—is scarcely to be expected, as hardly any of them are citizens.

If they were to take control of the farms, what would they do with them? Imagine a group of them trying to run a thrashing machine. They wouldn't know the blower from the knives. They would be like the man who wanted to start a tea plantation but complained that the man who sold him the seeds gave him the wrong stuff and it came up geraniums.

The trouble with the bomb throwing expert is that he is rarely an expert at anything else. And in the latest exploit he even flunked with the fireworks.

#### WHO WAS TO BLAME?

A young lady, her cheeks flushed with indignation and her eyes flashing fire, burst in on her parents and demanded in no uncertain tones that he immediately go and lick a certain "swart" young man in town.

"Why, papa, he flirted with me. He ask me 'which way little one' and offered to follow me. I want him whipped. Oh, if I were only a man!"

Mother naturally got dad's hat and told him where the old six-shooter lay hidden away, but papa didn't take the hint.

"Daughter" he said, calling the girl to one side. No one on earth is more interested in you than your old dad. No one quicker to rise in your defense. But listen, daughter. This very incident has lead me to study you and this is what I have learned.

"You go down the streets scantily dressed. You deliberately expose as much of your person as is necessary to appeal to the carnal instincts of man. Your lovely neck, a large por-

tion of your well developed breast, your arms and by means of a slit, transparent skirt a goodly share of your lower limbs are exposed to view. Then when you pass a man, or a group of men you giggle, toss your head, and perhaps remark to your girl companion that this is the slowest town you ever saw. And if some man accepts your challenge you want him shot."

"Not long ago I was in a town, and wanted a glass of beer. I came to a big building along the side of which in big black letters was the word 'saloon.' I stepped inside to find that it was some other line of business, but one which is often run in connection with a saloon. I called for a glass of beer, the proprietor seemed in doubt as to whether to shoot me, call the police or kick me out in the streets."

"Daughter, I was a stranger in that place; I didn't know that man or his business. I only was guided, or rather misguided by his sign. The man who accosted you is a stranger here and daughter, as I have said before, I have studied your ways."

"Moral: Don't advertise unless you are willing to deliver the goods.—Bates County (Missouri) Democrat."

#### Farmers Find Easy Method of Saving

Farmers who are making a habit of getting a few Thrift Stamps every time they market anything from their farms are finding that they are able to save regularly and that they do not miss the small amounts invested.

The average farmer in this section of the country depends largely on his "money" crop, which he harvests once a year. Almost every one of them, however, grows something else which he markets at odd times.

An occasional load of hay may be taken into town and sold. The thrifty farmer also plants peas, beans, okra, lettuce, beets or some of the other vegetables which thrive in the South-west and for which there is a ready market. Butter and eggs form staple articles to be marketed between seasons. By buying just a few Thrift Stamps each time the farm-wagon makes a haul to town, the farmer or his wife is providing a fund which they will be able to turn to good account later on, for when these Thrift Stamps are exchanged for War Savings Stamps, they increase in value automatically, and may always be turned into cash on ten days, written notice to the postmaster, although the longer they are kept the more they earn.

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# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Crowell, Texas, June 20, 1919

It is worth a good deal to know that we have secured a superintendent for our school, but as yet no teachers have been employed. That we are handicapped on the school proposition for the want of funds is a fact which must be faced, and so far as it can be seen, we are no nearer a solution than we have ever been. Almost every town in the country, seeing the need of more money for their schools, have taken steps to raise it by an increase of valuations, because no doubt they see this to be the only right way to do it. Of course it means higher taxes, but the value of schools is estimated too highly for them to allow this to stand in the way. This is a matter that will not solve itself. We can not afford to wait for something to happen, it may happen all right, but it does not often happen just right. As it looks now, it will happen just as it has been happening for several years, that the patrons of the Crowell school will be forced to dig up at the beginning of the school term for about two months of school, and that method will bar a number from entering at the beginning, and consequently they can not make their grades. It will bring itself down to the proposition that those who can not pay tuition will be at a very great disadvantage in getting an education in the public school. This is just a fact to which the News calls attention.

Why not inaugurate a weed-swatting campaign and swat the unsightly weeds that are so distinctly marring the appearance of our city? Aside from this fact they are breeding places for flies, mosquitoes and disease germs. Let's get busy and create a cleaner and more sanitary Crowell.

It really looks like we are going to have trouble with the Mexicans. According to reports they are still manifesting the same old spirit by which they have always been characterized and their attitude towards Americans will doubtless make it necessary for them to be attended to. Our people have long thought this way about it, and if it must be done the sooner the better.

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### FEMALE SUFFRAGE—AND MALE

A day will dawn in the hereafter when a legislator at Washington will decide to introduce a bill which will wreck his career in public life. The attitude will be patriotic, but he will be conscious that it involves political suicide.

For this reason he will not take that attitude until he is ready for political extinction. He will not wreck his career until he has had all the career he wants.

Then he will make the sacrifice. He will introduce a bill excluding illiterates from the suffrage. It will not discriminate between the sexes; he will frame his bill so that it will operate against all men and women who cannot read or write.

Thereafter he will not present himself for re-election. It would be waste of time.

For many years we have been arguing whether women have sense enough to vote. The argument has at last become so wearisome at Washington that it has ended in a victory for the affirmative. There is some justification for it. Some women have sense.

Some men have, also. Some men can tell you, without referring to a book, the food values of the chemical ingredients contained in most articles of diet. Also what towns in South America are the best markets for certain manufactured products. And several other things. They are better informed than the average. It would be absurd not to let them vote.

Some women are equally well informed, and equally well qualified to vote—more of them than you might think. It seems strange that they have only just acquired a privilege which has been held promiscuously by drunks who did not know whether Longfellow was a cocktail or a suit of underwear.

Many men and women who have never read Longfellow, or familiarized themselves with the commercial situation in South America are nevertheless abundantly qualified to vote. But it is a fair guess that they can all read and write.

Yet there are male and female voters who can do neither. Women have now obtained this privilege, and many of them ought not to have been granted it. And there are many men who ought to be deprived of it; but no politician just now has the nerve to say so.

Soda water sent from Hull, Liberty County, to Austin for analysis was found to contain strychnine in deadly quantities.

It may seem like a waste of energy, time and money for men to fly across the ocean, yet, some things that have been accomplished in other matters that once seemed useless have proven of great benefit to the world. Before trans-Atlantic travel can be established the fact must evidently first be established that it is possible, and we shall never know it is possible unless somebody dares to risk his life in blazing the way. Who knows but that within a few years airship travel to Europe may be as common as that of the common ship is now?

According to figures at hand which we take as reliable, the American soldiers were very well fed during the duration of the war. Making an application to the individual it runs about as follows: Each soldier consumed 300 lbs. roast beef, 40 lbs. bacon, 300 lbs. flour, 5 lbs. butter, 4 lbs. oleomargarine, 40 lbs. baked beans, 122 lbs. potatoes, 10 lbs. onions, 40 can corn, beans and peas, 50 cans tomatoes, 27 cans peaches, prunes and apples, 90 lbs. sugar, 50 cans evaporated milk and 20 lbs. coffee. The average gain in weight was 12 pounds.

The little things are what count in the aggregate. For instance it is said the United States saved \$17,000,000 by making trousers without lacings and eyelets for the army, and by using a new pattern for cutting coats it effected a saving of \$5,000,000. Fifty years ago the per capita of materials for life's necessities was more abundant than now and our fathers could better afford to be extravagant, but we are now living under a different order of things. Demands have multiplied to such an extent that we must either economize or else enter the class of producers.

## OF SIMPLE ORIGIN

Interesting to Trace Source of Familiar Expressions.

"Mind Your P's and Q's" Said to Have First Come Into Use in a London Taproom—"Humbug" First to Come From Ireland.

It is, I think, generally supposed that the expression "Mind your p's and q's" originated in a schoolroom and was a teacher's warning to pupils that the two letters, when not capitalized, were very similar in construction, says a writer in the Memphis Commercial-Appeal. There is, however, authority for the statement that the place of origin was very far from being a schoolhouse, and was, in fact, an ancient London taproom, whose proprietor, on giving credit for ale to customers, chafed their indebtedness on the wall in the form of p's for pints and q's for quarts, and was in the habit of bidding such debtors to "mind" them.

The expression "sub rosa" (under the rose), implying secrecy, is said to have originated from an incident dating back as far as the year 477 B. C. At that time Pausanias, commander in chief of the confederated fleet of the Spartans and Athenians, was engaged in an intrigue with Xerxes for the subjugation of Greece to the Persian rule, and for the hand of the monarch's daughter in marriage. The secret negotiations were carried on under an overhanging bower of roses. The perfidy of Pausanias was discovered, but, whether in defiance of his fate or not, it became a custom among the Athenians to wear roses in their hair whenever imparting a secret they wished kept inviolate, hence the saying "sub rosa" among them, and, since, among Christian nations.

The word "dun" as used in the phrase "dunning a man" is commonly thought to be derived from the French "dunnez," but, according to an English publication, bearing date of 1706, it owes its origin to one Joe Dun, a famous bailiff of Lincoln in the time of Henry VII. The bailiff is said to have been so dexterous in the management of his rough business, and so successful in the collection of dues, that his name became proverbial, and whenever a man refused to pay his debt it became customary to say to his creditors: "Why don't you Dun him?"

To find the origin of the word "humbug" we are invited to Ireland in the days of James II. That monarch is said to have caused to be made at the mint in Dublin a coin out of anything obtainable, such as lead, pewter, copper, brass, and so low was its intrinsic value that 20 shillings of it was worth only two-pence sterling. The soft metal of which the coin was composed became known among the Irish as "Uim bog," pronounced "Oon bog," i. e., soft copper, i. e., worthless money, and in the course of their dealings the modern use of the word "humbug" took its rise, as in the phrases: "That's a piece of 'Uim bog,'" "Don't think to pass off your 'Uim bog' on me," etc.

Looking for an explanation of how the expression "A feather in one's cap" originated you may find in the Lancelotti manuscript, British museum, a "Description of Hungary in 1600," in which the writer says of the inhabitants: "It hath been ancient custom none may wear fether save onlie he who slew a Turk, to whom onlie it is lawful to shew ye number of his Slaine enemies by ye number of fethers in his cappe."

Old Warships Put to Good Use. In the days before the war, one of the features of Ryde, Isle of Wight, was the fleet of obsolete warships which rode mournfully at anchor to the west of the pier. There was a curious air of desolation about them with their gunboat gray showing rust everywhere, their truncated masts, cleared decks, and blackened brasses. As the ferry steamed out of Portsmouth, some four miles away across the Solent, they had a warlike appearance, but the nearer one came to them the more one saw that their fighting days were over.

But were they? May there not have been amongst them some of the old cruisers which joined in the now famous run for Zeebrugge the other night? Perhaps they are Ryde boats which now lie gloriously at the bottom of the sea, blocking the way to the "nests of Bruges."



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W. D. STUBBLEFIELD,  
Guardian.



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**Message Had a Meaning.**

One of the lions of the moment is General Townshend, who, after being so long a prisoner in Turkey, is doubly able to appreciate the turning of the tide, observes a writer in London Answers. Unlike many other prisoners General Townshend seems to have been quite well treated and was described during his term of captivity as "the best-dressed man in Constantinople."

This recalls the amusing message which he sent by wireless from Kut to London in the early part of 1916. He stated that he would be wanting his evening clothes at an early date! There were some who took this seriously and wondered why a British general should trouble himself over such trivial matters as this in war time.

But the wise knew that the wire was sent to reassure his family and to perplex the Turks.

E. R. Allen of Forney came in the first of the week and is running Crowell & Rasor's separator.

**WHISKERS** Young man, if you are not going to wear a full beard—Russian style—then for the sake of your appearance keep neatly shaved. Neither your sweetheart nor your employer prefers to see you with a mess of sprouts on your chin half the time. Self-respect begets the respect of others.

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Come to our store almost every day to take their places on our shelves and await the particular purchaser.

Our Extra Fine brands include everything in our stock from pie-plant to pickles.

Our measures are honest and our prices bashful, because they feel like they account for so little in the world. But—Our Customers—they are what count, are always satisfied with goods and service. Join the ranks of good breakfast, dinner and supper makers.

**Crowell Gro. Co.**  
Successors to Ellis & Lanier.

**Square-Deal Grocery**

is the kind that sells the right goods for the right price.

**That's Us**

We believe in doing—nobody. Our groceries are the strictly elect of the market in every department.

If you want to make your living the very best that efficiency in buying food direction can make it then you will make no mistake in patronizing us.

We'll save you money on your eats for the thrashing season.

Try a sack of  
**Cream of Wheat**  
And you'll be pleased

**Edwards & Allison**  
The People's Cash Grocery Store

O. E. S. School of Instruction, District No. 2, Convened with Crowell Chapter No. 107, June 23-24, 1919

**PROGRAM**

MONDAY, JUNE 23d, 1919  
2:00 P. M.

Opening Ceremony.....By Crowell Chapter No. 107  
Presentation of Grand Officers.....  
Study of Secret Work.....  
Question Box.....  
Examinations.....Mrs. Rebecca Robinson, Committee on Work

**EVENING SESSION, 8:00 P. M.**

Exemplification of Degrees.....Crowell Chapter No. 107  
Address of Welcome.....Rev. J. B. Henderson  
Response.....Mrs. Harriet Beadle, Chillicothe

TUESDAY, JUNE 24th, 1919  
Morning Session, 10:00 A. M.

Exemplification of Degrees.....Delegates  
Study of Ritual.....  
Study of Parliamentary Law.....  
Question Box.....  
Examinations.....Mrs. Rebecca Robinson, Committee on Work

**AFTERNOON SESSION, 2:00 P. M.**

Study of Constitution conducted by Mrs. Harriet Beadle, Chillicothe, Assistant Deputy Grand Matron.  
Contest by Delegates in Secret Work.  
Closing.

## Sailing on Greenback

Is the only way to sail through life. The boat of poverty is always filled with saving slackers who have earned dollars and tossed them back into circulation that will never mean anything to them. Put your dollars on a ship that carries them to the interest ports that benefit you. Put your dollars in a boat with no leaks and a true rudder.

### Make the Voyage a Paying One

So when you are no longer able to weather the Storms of commercial fields, you still have a small fortune saved from the days you pursued the almighty dollar.

"Let Our Bank Be Your Bank"

## The Bank of Crowell

(UNINCORPORATED)

County Depository. Let Our Bank Be Your Bank. Crowell, Texas

W. S. BELL, Pres. S. S. BELL, Cashier  
T. N. BELL, Active V. Pres. C. C. THACKER, Asst. Cash.

Directors:

W. S. Bell, J. W. Bell, R. B. Edwards, W. S. J. Russell, C. R. Ferguson

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

**Overlands—B. W. Self.**  
Meet me at Ferguson Bros.  
Brand new Maxwell for sale.—S. S. Bell.  
Some solid gold diamond lavaliers at A. C. Gaines.  
Mrs. J. M. Denton is here from Harlingen on a visit.  
"Terror of the Range," every Friday night.—Bell Bros.  
Ladies—Don't forget Hill's Place for your toilet goods.  
Mrs. C. S. Taylor came in Wednesday from Burkburnett.  
For Sale—Three second hand grain binders.—J. H. Self & Sons.  
Dorothy Thompson, public stenographer, County surveyor's office. tf  
Go to the Owl Drug Store for your arsenic for killing grasshoppers.  
Get a box of Avicol tablets—keep your chickens healthy.—Ferguson Bros.  
Lieutenants Hinds and Anderson of Wichita Falls were here in an airplane Sunday.  
For Sale—Two 7-foot new Deering binders, one engine plow, engine disc.—B. W. Self.  
You can get plenty of arsenic at the Owl Drug Store for destroying the grasshoppers.

O. J. Weaver was here Wednesday from Quanah.  
Mrs. C. A. Adams and baby came in Tuesday from St. Jo.  
Picture show Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights.—Bell Bros.  
You will find Altus Ice Cream at Hill's Place. Step in and try one. tf  
Miss Louie Carroll of Chillicothe has been visiting Mrs. Albert Schooley.  
G. G. McLarty is up from Vernon this week looking after his home place here.  
Ladies, if you want some good Altus cream for your home, phone 83.—Hill's Place. tf  
Mrs. C. B. Battle of Hedley is here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Charley Hunter.  
Eat Alta Vista cream—the cream with that rich velvety taste—served at Ferguson Bros.  
A new shipment of Range cook stoves. They are beauties—see them.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
A good time to buy a motor truck is now, and a good truck to buy is the Maxwell. See S. S. Bell.  
Evans Mitchell was here this week from Burkburnett visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mitchell.  
You will find Altus ice cream at Hill's Place from a come to any amount you may want for your home. Come in and carry a pail home for your dinner. tf

Fire Insurance.—E. W. Self.

J. D. Key of Vernon was here Tuesday on business.

When in town and thirsty try a malted milk at Hill's Place. tf

J. D. Wright was in town Tuesday. His broken leg is improving slowly.

Bert Thompson, hardware salesman, was here Wednesday from Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hunt left Sunday for their home in Ochelata, Okla.

Three second hand grain binders for sale at a bargain.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Second-hand wagon for sale. See S. E. Norris, 1 1/2 miles northwest of town. 5p

It pays to take care of your chickens. Avicol will keep them from dying.—Ferguson Bros.

When you buy a watch chain why not buy a Sturdey with a permanent guarantee?—A. C. Gaines.

Don't pay 17c for your cream when you can buy it for 15c at Hill's Place. We don't fool with odd pennies.

Rev. S. H. Holmes of Vernon will preach at the Christian church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

J. W. Duncan, Jr., wife and child of Childress spent Sunday here with Mr. Duncan's father, J. W. Duncan, Sr.

Our Vivian Items arrived too late for publication this week. We didn't receive them until Thursday at noon.

Let us show you the J. I. Case line of tractors, they are the old time tried line that stands test.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Statser came in Sunday from Lubbock. Lee Roy has recently been discharged from the army.

Put a smile on your wife's face that won't wear off by taking her a pail of Alta Vista cream from Ferguson Bros.

Mrs. Jas. F. Witherspoon left Saturday for her home in Paducah accompanied by her sister, Miss Sattys Whitfield.

Children, why pay 6c for your cream cones, when you can buy them at Hill's Place filled with Altus cream for 5 cents.

Mrs. L. G. Andrews and daughter, May, returned Saturday from Vernon accompanied by her son, J. B. Andrews, and wife.

We are now serving at our fount delicious Alta Vista cream—made in the city of Ft. Worth. Eat a plate every day at Ferguson Bros.

Miss Pauline Smith came in Monday from Colorado Springs and left yesterday for Waco to attend the summer school at Baylor University.

Joe Shirley, wife and child are here this week from Paris visiting Mr. Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Shirley, and other relatives.

Otto Kelley, traveling for Butler Bros. of Dallas, was here Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Kelly is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Beverly and son, Tom, made a trip to Fort Worth last week. Little Tom went on to Plano to visit his aunt, Mrs. Walter Howell.

Installation of the officers of the Blue Lodge and Royal Arch Chapter will take place at the hall Tuesday evening, June 24. Light refreshments will be served.

Boyce Cannon came in last Sunday from Camp Bowie. Boyce has been stationed down in the Canal Zone several months prior to being discharged.

W. R. Womack left last week for Fort Worth and Dallas where he expects to purchase a car of furniture. He will attend the embalmers' convention at Galveston before returning.

J. W. Beverly returned Sunday from Fort Worth. He says most of the Foard County boys of the 36th will be home sometime this week. He expects A. Y. the latter part of the week.

# GRAIN BAGS

TO those who placed orders with us will say that your grain bags are here and placed back with your name on them.

We have around five hundred in stock and when you begin threshing send to us for your grain bags.

Remember we have a complete stock of all kinds of harvest goods and can fit and please you.

## Self Dry Goods Co.

# Keep Kool

A cool "head" and a cool body are highly essential to good health in the summer time. You don't have to belong to the order of "Never-Sweats" to keep cool, especially while in Crowell—just patronize

## Out Fount

--or eat some of our fine ice cream when you are getting too warm to be comfortable.

We carry in stock a complete line of Face Creams, Lotions, Powders and Perfumes

--and other worm weather necessities. We cordially invite you to call when in need of anything in our line. If it's Drugs or Druggists' Sundries, we have it, so if you don't see what you want, call for it.

Prescriptions carefully filled.

# The Owl Drug Store

T. P. REEDER, Proprietor

J. B. Williams was here from Miami this week.

Liggett's grape juice in all sizes at Ferguson Bros.

Make Hill's Place your headquarters when in town. tf

If you need a second hand binder, we have them.—J. H. Self & Sons.

All kinds fishing tackle, poles, lines, hooks, minnows and etc., at Self's hardware Store.

Mrs. H. Schindler and little daughter, Elsie, are in Vernon this week attending the chautauqua.

G. E. Spencer and wife are here from Mart, Texas, on an extended visit with their son, Leo Spencer.

Mrs. Marvin Whited came over from Quanah Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Dickerson.

Spend a little money for arsenic at the Owl Drug Store and kill the grasshoppers and thereby save your crops.

Miss Beulah Kenner of Ryan, Okla., came in Wednesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. P. P. Cooper, and other relatives.

Are you too hot to be comfortable? Then try a dish of the celebrated Alta Vista ice cream at the Owl Drug Store.

The J. I. Case 15-27 tractor will pull two 3-disc plows. Price is \$1,600 for factory, \$80.00 freight.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Miss Lora Thacker came in last Saturday from Austin where she has been attending the State University this winter.

I will give somebody a bargain in my Dodge car that I have used myself—run about 3,500 miles.—M. S. Henry.

Miss Hazel Johnson left last Friday for her home near Floydada after a couple of weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Boss Roark, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Chas. Thompson returned last week from Pilot Point. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Florence Ragland, and sister, Miss Adele Ragland.

Joe Meneus arrived Friday from Harlingen and will help through the harvest here. He says they have mighty good crops in his country. Cotton is opening and corn getting hard.

Lee Allan Beverly is here from Burkburnett. Lee Allan has disposed of his interest the grocery store at that place and will make his home in Crowell again. His wife and baby will be here in a few days.

Will sell my 20-40 Case tractor, engine plows and Minneapolis separator. All in good shape. Engine now pulling three binders. Contract with purchaser to thrash 650 acres good wheat and break 400 acres of land.—B. J. Smith.

For sale a complete threshing outfit consisting of new 32-inch cylinder separator, and steam engine in first-class running condition, cook shack and everything that goes with threshing outfit. Part of crew already employed and want buyer to take over crew. See Roy Todd or J. R. Ford. 4p

Try Nyais corn remover.—Ferguson Bros.

Alta Vista ice cream at the Owl Drug Store.

We have just unloaded a car of regular wagons and steel wheel trucks this week. Better get one while you can. Wagons are going to be scarce.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Foreman of Sayre, Okla., was here a few days last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Albert Schooley. Mr. and Mrs. Foreman formerly lived in Crowell but for a number of years have been living in Oklahoma.

**DIDN'T CLOSE HOTEL**  
The Razor Hotel didn't close last Saturday night as announced in last week's issue. Mrs. Razor decided to keep running provided she can get proper help.

Who wants a Dodge touring car that has been run about 3,500 miles at a bargain—in perfect condition.—M. S. Henry.

**\$100,000,000**

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J. C. THOMPSON, Sec'y  
Crowell Association

## The Farmer's Relation to This Bank

We consider the farmer the very backbone of this great Empire. It is through his untiring efforts this community is permitted to enjoy its present prosperity.

A large per cent of our business comes from the farmer. Several of our directors are farmers. Service to the farmer is our first consideration.

No depositor ever lost a dollar in a State Bank in Texas.

We invite your business, large or small.

### THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL Guaranty Fund Bank

J. W. Allison, President, J. H. Self, Vice Pres.  
M. L. Hughston, Cashier, Sam Crews, Asst. Cashier

## Before That Trip

Have the car looked over by one of our experts so that it may be put into condition for continuous and reliable use for the trip.

A little expert attention and overhauling now will insure a pleasant and enjoyable vacation trip, untroubled by sudden discovery of some easily prevented trouble that may spoil the whole tour.

Bring the car to our garage before you take it out on a long trip, and it will then prove to be nothing but a real pleasant trip.

## Burks & Swaim Garage

The Red Army of Hungary is going on with its cheerful summer sports of massacre and loot.

Death and taxes are alike in their certainty. But you do get through with death some time, while taxes are eternal.

The dove of peace has certainly not evinced the speed of the homing pigeon.

### Fat Cattle Wanted

I will buy your fat cattle at the best market price. Call, phone or write me if you have any to sell.—J. W. Bell, Crowell, Texas.

If you want a saddle, see some extra bargains that we have now.—M. S. Henry & Co.

## Weekly Health Talks

### The Many Mysteries of Nature

BY L. W. BOWER, M. D.

You can take an onion seed and a pansy seed, and plant them side by side in the same spot of ground. In one case, you get an onion, with its peculiarly strong odor, and in the other you get a flower of rare beauty. You can plant a poppy seed and get opium (a dangerous, habit-forming drug), or you can plant a rhubarb seed and get something that helps constipation. No scientist, living or dead, can explain these mysteries of Nature. Behind the invisible life germ in each seed is hidden the deep secret that nobody understands. Everything growing out of the ground is intended for some use in establishing natural conditions. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., long since found out what is naturally best for women's diseases. He learned it all through treating thousands of cases. The result of his studies was a medicine called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This medicine is made of vegetable growths that nature surely intended for backache, headache, weakening drains, bearing-down pains, periodical irregularities, pelvic inflammations, and for the many disorders common to women in all ages of life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is made of lady's slipper root, black cohosh root, unicorn root, blue cohosh root and Oregon grape root. Women who take this standard remedy know that in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription they are getting a safe woman's tonic so good that druggists everywhere sell it.

Favorite Prescription should have the full confidence of every woman in America because it contains no alcohol and no narcotics. Dr. Pierce knew, when he first made this standard medicine, that whiskey and morphine are injurious, and so he has always kept them out of his remedies. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. for trial pack. Tablets.

## COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sideache, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.—Mrs. Minnie Philpot, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left rib. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffered usually about three days. I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go. I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me. One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle. I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui." Try Cardui today. E 78

See the new Maxwell car—several improvements. It's a dandy and sells at a moderate price.—S. S. Bell.

## Savings Campaign Is Boon To Women

The average family in Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico is not wealthy enough for the "lady of the house" to have all the little conveniences she wants. Through Thrift and War Savings Stamps, however, the Government has provided a way for the housewife to fit up her kitchen, paint the house, furnish her spare room or embellish the parlor.

Those women who were so wise as to begin saving systematically early in 1918 have nice little sums invested in War Savings Stamps by this time. Eleven War Savings Stamps some of which cost as little as \$412 apiece, will buy a first class kitchen cabinet in many instances, the housewife would not have saved anything to speak of, had it not been for the War Savings Stamps.

Some of the banner Savings Societies in the Eleventh District are in women's clubs or church societies. Women are quick to grasp the benefits from habits of Thrift. Numerous reports have been received at District Headquarters of the Savings Division at Dallas of women who have started in by putting quarters in Thrift Stamps and who have been enabled to buy desired articles to brighten up their homes. As soon as a War Savings Stamp is bought, it begins earning more money. War Savings Stamps are ready money. They are redeemable with accrued interest at the post office on ten days' notice, but the longer they are held, the more money they make for their holders.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

## The First Thousand Is Hard To Get

When a man gets \$1,000.00 saved up there are always opportunities for a good investment. It is hard to place much less than that. That is why wealthy men who are self-made advise young men to begin early and save the first thousand.

Until we went to war, it was hard to get started toward that \$1,000.00 unless at least one dollar could be put away at a time. Small change was restless and acrobatic and kept jumping out of our pockets into somebody else's.

Now, however, there is an easy way to get that first thousand. The answer is Thrift Stamps. They cost only a quarter apiece and can be converted into War Savings Stamps. The Government of the United States backs these War Savings Stamps with a guarantee of 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly. Save and Succeed.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

## Who Is Best Man To Do Your Work?

The best way to have anything is—do it yourself. The best way to get ahead in the world is—save regularly and invest wisely. Your children may be buying Thrift Stamps but the nickels and dimes and quarters they are able to save won't buy a home or a new automobile or a new cultivator. The money to do that will not be saved—unless you save it.

It's easy enough to save if you do it the W. S. S. way. Quarters planted in Thrift Stamps grow into War Savings Stamps and the interest makes them grow like rain does a summer weed. Save for that happy opportunity. If you're not in a War Savings Society—get in one. Be with the crowd. Save.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

I have ordered a new lens and will soon be ready for home portrait work.—Mrs. H. T. Cross.

See the new Maxwell car—several improvements. It's a dandy and sells at a moderate price.—S. S. Bell.

## NEW TANLAC PLANT IS NOW COMPLETED

Magnificent New Laboratory Has Daily Capacity of 36,000 Bottles

What is said to be one of the largest pharmaceutical laboratories in the United States has been completed at Dayton, Ohio, for the manufacturer of Tanlac, the well-known medicine, which according to recent reports is now having the largest sale of any medicine of its kind in the world.

The erection of the new plant was made necessary by the rapid growth of the business, as the older plant was found to be wholly inadequate to supply the ever-increasing demand which at the present rate of sale will amount to more than five million bottles for the present year alone.

By the erection of this plant the manufacturers of Tanlac are giving to the world just one more evidence of the remarkable growth and expansion of their business, and of their absolute confidence in its future.

This announcement will be read with interest not only by the many thousands of Tanlac agents scattered throughout every state of the Union and throughout Canada, but to the millions who have used it beneficially as well.

The new building occupies 60,000 square feet of floor space. It is six stories in height, practically fire-proof throughout, and is of striking architectural design. It also has private railway facilities.

This beautiful new structure now stands in striking contrast beside the older building where Tanlac was first made.

Visitors to the laboratories are strongly impressed with the extremely modern character of the equipment. Everything is provided and splendidly arranged to promote systematic and rapid production. The very latest machinery and devices known to invention in pharmaceutical science are here used.

The interior throughout is finished in spotless white, and all of the large force of employees wear white uniforms, which they are required to change daily. The main offices on the first floor are all finished in Cararra marble and mahogany.

The entire process of manufacture is conducted under absolutely sanitary conditions. Even the bottles made expressly to contain Tanlac are washed and sterilized electrically by the ultra violet ray process. They are then filled by automatic machinery and the finished product is therefore never touched by human hands.

When Tanlac was introduced into Canada history repeated itself, and the demand which had been created in the United States was quickly duplicated in the Dominion Provinces. As a result, it was recently found necessary to establish another Tanlac Laboratory at Windsor, Canada, which is on a somewhat smaller scale than the plant at Dayton, but is no less modernly equipped.

These new facilities give a daily capacity of 36,000 bottles, but as Tanlac is rapidly being introduced into foreign countries it is probably only a question of a few years before even larger facilities will become necessary.

While the manufacturers are necessarily working for capacity production, it is a fundamental rule of the Tanlac Laboratories that the quality of the medicine shall never be sacrificed to secure quantity output.

Uniform quality is guaranteed by a series of careful inspections by expert chemists, from the time the roots, herbs and barks are received in their rough state from all parts of the globe until their medicinal properties have been extracted by the most approved processes. The finished medicine is then bottled, labeled, and shipped out to the tens of thousands of druggists throughout the United States and Canada, to supply a demand never before equalled for this or any other medicine.

The executive sales offices are located in Atlanta, Georgia, and occupy almost an entire floor of the Fourth National Bank Building of that city. Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

## UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU DEADLY SICK

Stop using dangerous drug before it salivates you! Its horrible

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Here's my guarantee! Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and take a spoonful tonight. If it doesn't start your liver and straighten you right up better than calomel and without griping or making you sick I want you to go back to the store and get your money.

Take calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak and sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of armless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great. It's perfectly harmless, so give it to your children any time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything afterwards. 11

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Everything around home has become too high for belief. Now hotel rates have gone up, and many a man has lost his last refuge from home.

If the Kaiser is tried for his part in the war he will come to the judgment bar no longer a prince "clad in shining armor," but an ordinary man with a heavy burden upon his soul.

Perhaps the Sick Man of Europe would like to have Uncle Sam for a doctor. But Uncle Sam is more in the soldiering business just now.

And if Uncle Sam should go into the medical profession there is a Sick Man of the Western World living right

# GRAIN

WE are now building a new elevator and when completed, with the storage room we already have, we will be able to furnish storage capacity of around 16,000 bushels of grain. We hope to have our elevator in operation with three weeks.

We will handle the wheat with our jitney elevator until our new elevator is completed.

We will buy at Margaret, Foard City and Crowell and will have jitney elevators at all three points to load with.

We will pay the top market price for wheat at all times and solicit your patronage.

You will always find us at either Self's Dry Goods store or Mr. Allison at the First State Bank.

Our phone numbers by day are 74 or 36; by night, 194 or 128.

When ready to sell your wheat see us.

*J. W. Allison Grain Co.*

With the Senate on one side and the League of Nations on the other, President Wilson must sometimes have a good idea of what the conditions are between the upper and the nether millstone.

The only sure way of getting these demobilized boys up to breakfast will be to introduce an army bugle into every home and have mother trained to sound reveille at the proper moment.

This is the season when the owner of a garden becomes diffusively generous with lettuce to his friends and acquaintances and to any body who will take it.

We trust that none of this year's June brides will be numbered in the crop of next year's June divorcees.

Telephone operators must have worn out the busy signal under government ownership. When the owners have installed a new one it is to be hoped that the operators will use it less frequently.

## FIRST NAVY "Y" UNIFORM GREET'S WILSON



The "gobs" at the big U. S. naval base at Brest, France, wouldn't stand for any suggestion of khaki at the Y. M. C. A. there, and here is one of the results—the first navy "Y" uniform. It is of navy blue, lined with yellow—the Annapolis colors—with the Red Triangle insignia over the anchor. The "Y" built a big double hut at Brest, painted it battleship gray and every ship in the harbor gave a flag to decorate it. It had window curtains of blue and yellow, and the "A. E. F." was removed from the writing paper and "Navy Forces Operating on Foreign Waters" took its place. Finally came the new uniform, which has Admiral Wilson's official approval. Dressed in these new uniforms, as they appear above, Mrs. Pleasant Pennington, daughter of Walter Damrosch, and Miss Letitia McKim of Philadelphia, stood with the bluejackets to greet President Wilson when he arrived at Brest.

across the alley who would take up a lot of Uncle's time.

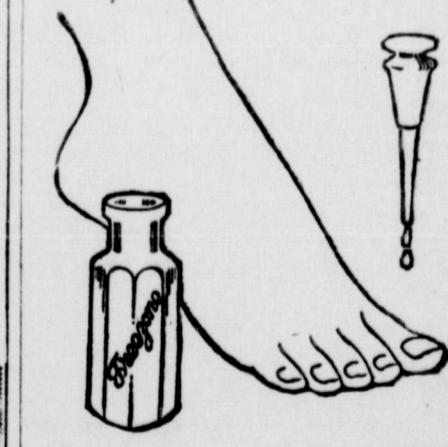
If you wish to hear some choice vituperation listen to a robin scolding a cat from a point of vantage. In the way of vocabulary she could give cards and spades to a doughboy fresh from Flanders and beat him at that.

Speaking of vacations, the most delightful one that we could imagine would be not to hear nor see nor think the word "expense" for about two weeks.

Wanted—Copy of the Peace Treaty. Address U. S. Senate, Washington, D. C.

## LIFE OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magis!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the caluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

## Feed and Hay

When you want Feed of any kind you will find it at my store.

All kinds of Hay, Oats, Chops and all kinds of Cow Feed.

Also will pay the highest prices for Poultry and Hides

Call 159

**A. L. JOHNSON**

### A big new discovery in cigarette blending

The big thing about Chesterfields is their unique blend. The *Chesterfield blend* is an entirely new combination of tobaccos. It is a most important development in cigarette making.

As a result, Chesterfields deliver a new kind of cigarette enjoyment — just like a "bite" before bedtime when you're hungry — they SATISFY!

It took the finest selections of TURKISH and DOMESTIC tobaccos and no end of skill and patient experiment to get this blend right.

Was it worth it? Say — just smoke a Chesterfield fresh from the moisture-proof package. You'll say it was worth it, all right!

*Leggett & Clark Tobacco Co.*

# Chesterfield CIGARETTES

-of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos - blended

-a splendid combination of aromatic Turkish tobaccos from Xanthi Cavalla Smyrna and Samsoon

-three of the choicest varieties of Domestic tobaccos grown and only the best grades of each

-careful skilful blending by a secret process that cannot be copied

## They SATISFY!

### IS HIT BY SHELL WHICH KILLS FOUR OF UNCLE SAM'S MEN

Y. M. C. A. Man Returns With Story of Finding Huns in French Uniforms.

Under shell fire and gas for three weeks, the buildings in which he ran his canteen hit six times, and finally knocked out by a shell which killed four men, wounded thirty and put him in a hospital for two months, Guy A. Willis, a Grand Rapids lumberman, has returned on crutches from France with some evidence of the zeal with which the Y. M. C. A. canteen men worked with the troops in the St. Mihiel and Argonne drives.

Willis was attached to the Three Hundred and Fifty-fifth regiment, Eighty-ninth division. In the Toul sector, which the division held until the St. Mihiel drive began, Willis' Y. M. C. A. outfit had a canteen near Mont Sec, at Beaumont, and one of his pleasant jobs was to drive almost daily around the famous Dead Man's curve on trips to get supplies for his canteen. Willis entered Benny, in the St. Mihiel drive, three hours after the Germans had been thrown out of it.

In a shell-wrecked building he found a German kitchen with three big cauldrons. For several nights he made cocoa—hundreds of gallons a night—which was rushed in cans, shell cases,



GUY A. WILLIS.

pails and whatever else came handy out to the boys. Three times shells crashed through what was left of the roof of the building in which the Y. M. C. A. had set up shop, but they kept on at their work and ran the canteen there for three weeks, until they were shifted to the Argonne.

While at Benny Willis was busy in the canteen one night when two officers entered. They wore uniforms of the Fifth French artillery. The canteen was full of doughboys getting cigarettes and chocolate, and the Frenchmen, who seemed in a great hurry, picked up several pieces of chocolate and started to go out. Then they hesitated and turned back toward the counter. As they did so a doughboy heard one of them say to the other, "Wie viel?" (How much?).

A group of eight or ten doughboys entered at that moment, and in the crowding and jostling and dim light the soldier who had heard the remark lost sight of the officers for a moment. When he looked for them again they had vanished. Headquarters was telephoned that spies had been in the canteen, but the pair made good their escape in the darkness.

In the Argonne drive Willis was at work in a first-aid station when Captain Baker was wounded in the barrage. Willis went back through the barrage, serving as a litter bearer, and helped carry wounded down through the mud for four kilometers to the ambulances.

Two days before the last drive in the Argonne Willis went back into the village of Romagne to get supplies for a first-aid station. As he entered the town the Germans opened up on it with a battery of 88s, and the second shell sent over landed in the street within twenty-five feet of him. The shell killed two soldiers on a truck, setting fire to the gasoline tank and cremating one of the men. Two others were killed and thirty wounded, one of whom was Willis, a piece of steel being driven through his foot.

The field hospital to which he was taken had been shelled ten minutes before he arrived, and four hospital attendants and several engineers had been wounded. A few minutes later some German airmen came over and bombed the place, one of the bombs ripping a piece of cloth from under the head of a doughboy two stretchers away from the Y. M. C. A. man. The doughboy was not even scratched.

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"We, the people of the United States, in gardens assembled, might well be the beginning of a new preamble of American liberty, stating that the people had decided to fight for freedom with hoes, proclaiming to the world the declaration that the welfare, prosperity and happiness of this nation are to be maintained; that the freedom of other peoples is to be guaranteed against oppression," writes Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the national war garden commission, in the People's Home Journal.

This preamble could state that it had been decided by "an American people armed with hoes" that they would help to raise enough food to win the war. Every man in the army would be doing his duty in the trenches of his own back yard or a near-by vacant lot. The work in these trenches is just as important as that in the front battle lines of Europe. It will constitute as vital a factor in the final result.

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There is nothing else the church has to advertise which is so well worth advertising as the gospel of Jesus Christ, and every Christian should realize his responsibility to Him and to his fellows to rightly and persistently advertise this fact by precept and example. "Ye are living epistles, known and read of all men." What do others think of the gospel of Christ by the effect it has on your life, your conversation, your zeal, your fidelity, your loyalty, in short, your example? Christ said, "Ye are my witnesses."

A satisfied customer is one of the best assets any business can have. It is the business of every dealer in any business to get his wares before the public and create a demand for his goods and then letting the goods prove their worth to the customer and to others. It is our experience that any kind of judicious advertisement is

likely to pay for itself in the increase of business. Every member of a business should rightly represent that business. It is not enough to advertise one's wares and get customers into their places of business, however important this is, but there is a consideration justly due the prospective customer by the members of the business or their representatives. What business would tolerate a clerk that would refuse to wait on a prospective customer when said customer has come into their place of business desiring their goods? Is not every member of a Church a component part of the firm chartered under the laws of God and doing business for Him. "Members in particular," says the law, and should not every member of the firm be desirous of the success of the business committed to them of their Lord. If any member who can sing, or play any kind of instrument, pray, teach a Sunday School class, pass the collection plate, see that the house is in order and made comfortable, act as usher, shake hands with visitors or pilgrims, create an atmosphere of pleasantness and good

cheer, in short, do any thing to make the place of business pleasant, not only for members of the firm, but all customers or visitors, so that all shall want to come back again? Should they not be expected to do their part heartily and cheerfully, as well as any one working in a secular institution, and are not any refusing to do what God has endowed them with talent and capacity to do, justly responsible to God for their stewardship and shall be reckoned with at the judgment bar when justice shall be meted out to all according to the deeds done in the body? Surely there is need of more business being practiced in religion, and more religion practiced in business, than some seem to take into account.

A good way to advertise a business is to talk it up, not down, if the business is worthy. Is the Church worth while? Is the Gospel taught and the principles contained therein worthy of consideration? If so, let us rightly advertise the fact every where and at all times. Will you do your part? Let us make the cause of our Lord the important business of our lives,

and a prosperous one.

Let us be at our places of business as regularly as possible and be there for business and to make a success of the work committed to us. What do you say? Here am I, or excuse me! "None is to poor to have a part—none so well off he can be independent." Every one who is concerned with the business of living is vitally interested whether he recognizes the fact or not.

Subject of sermon next, Sunday morning, "Prayer as a Battlefield." At night, "Conditions for Answered prayer."

**J. B. HENDERSON,**  
Pastor Baptist Church.

**OWN YOUR OWN FARM**  
At Des Moines, Iowa, each year, there is a baby show at the state fair. Babies are entered from all parts of the state, and judged by score cards. They are classified as coming from cities, small towns, and from the country—i. e. from farms.

And each year the farm babies, both boys and girls, no matter what age, average the lowest in health. The town babies beat them every year. Yet Iowa is a typical farming state.

And at a meeting of the National Education Association, held in February, 1919, a chart was presented showing what percentage of school children are afflicted with various diseases, both in the city and in the country.

There were fourteen kinds of disease tabulated, and the country children were found to be the greater sufferers from each of the diseases. The disorders listed were tonsil defects, teeth defects, weak eyes, abenoids, ear trouble, enlarged glands, malnutrition, breathing defects, spinal curvature, anaemia, social disease, lung disease, heart trouble and weak mentality.

It seems almost incredible, but it is so true that experts have been giving the matter anxious consideration. They have decided that the disease rate among country children is caused by the unhealthy condition of tenancy farmers' homes. As a tenant knows he may be leaving before long, he is not disposed to improve living conditions for the benefit of the next

tenant. Bad ventilation, absence of screens, insanitary fixtures, leaky roofs—all continue from year to year. The landlord will not make improvements, because he feels that the next tenant will want it done all over again anyhow.

And there are more than a million tenant farmers who move every year. In Sumner County, in the state of Kansas, over 54 per cent of the farms are held by tenants. And there is more typhoid per capita than in any other county in the state.

Here is a chance for a constructive reformer, with "Own your own farm" for his slogan.

**Old Saying Amended.**  
"What's come over the girls nowadays? They don't seem to want to marry." Molly—"That's the way with those hair restorers—all promise and no performance."—Boston Transcript.

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**BULGING DOMES**  
It is the habit of the highbrows to berate the lowbrows for their uncouth ideas on the subject of entertainment. The things which give them pleasure ought to give them pain. So they are told.

They get more fun out of a brass band playing popular music than they could get out of a Handel festival. They have no business to. They can sit happily in a theatre, and draw pleasure from appeals to superficial instincts—from simple stuff without any depth to it. They ought to know better.

The train of reasoning that leads to this conclusion indicates a quaint conception of economics. Why is it undesirable that people should be easily pleased? Would it be undesirable for people to be easily fed? Under present conditions there is not enough joy in the world. Probably there never will be. There is extremely little danger of there being too much. If some people are easy to please, so much the better. There would be less pleasure in the world if they were hard to please.

"But," argue the highbrows, "a man's mental facilities must be at their lowest if he enjoys elementary stuff in a theatre. His intelligence must be at its minimum strength."

Why not? That is just the proper state for a man to be in when he is in a theatre. When his mentality is fully alert he has no business in a theatre at all. He ought to be at work.

Our career—our calling—is the most important thing in our mundane lives. If it is not, we have chosen the wrong career, and we ought to switch at once. The best moments, the hours when our faculties are keenest, ought

to be spent in our vocation, whether it be farming or dentistry. We should not take our brains to a theatre when they are intensely awake.

The long-haired highbrow who sits at a New Thought drama, congratulating himself that his cerebration is at its peak, probably has no work to do that demands the efforts of a thoroughly alert mind. If he had, it would require the conservation of his mental energies.

**PLAINVIEW SAILOR SEES SEAPLANES ARRIVE IN AZORES**  
Plainview, Texas, June 14.—Marshall K. Warren, a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Warren of this city, saw the seaplane NC-4 during its trans-Atlantic flight, recently. He was at Ponta Delgada, in the Azores Islands. He tells of seeing this wonder of the air in the following letter to his parents, written May 2:

"After a few days of mild adventure, we are in a port from which they say they sometimes send mail to the civilized world, but to look at it you wouldn't believe it. Neither is there any evidence of them ever receiving any but I am willing to take a chance, poor as it seems, on this finding its way to where white people live.

"We arrived here last evening, from a little town which was built on the side of a pyramid island about 180 miles from here—and what do you think! That island isn't over five miles wide or long in any direction, but rises several thousand feet above the water.

"Well, we have two of the flying daredevils here. One hit the water before it got near land, and sank, and of the two that arrived here only one is able to continue its flight. The other is being taken apart, prepara-

tory to its less dangerous trip back to the United States on board a ship. The one that is going to continue the flight is about ready to start, and we are all hoping he will make it, and I guess he will, as he has only about 800 miles of water to cross now.

"They are very large birds with four propellers and four engines, and when they are in the air they make a noise just like they dared anything on earth or in the air to get in their way.

"Just at present our destiny seems to be uncertain, but, the most forward opinion is that we are going from here into Lisbon, Portugal, and from there into Lisbon, Portugal, and from there to Portsmouth, England, but I don't know yet, neither does the captain.

"I must stop now, as bad as I hate to, for the mail orderly is calling for the mail."

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The annual meeting of the Texas Good Roads Association will be held at Corpus Christi Friday and Saturday, July 4 and 5. A program will be rendered on which will be several prominent men, and among the topics to be discussed is the Townsend bill in Congress which proposes to take over the roads of the entire country and maintain them.

Ed Norris came in this week from Burk Burnett to help in the wheat threshing.

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