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## Contract for Last Miles to Be Let Austin April 23

### Good Drainage Structures to Cattle Line

Contractors for state bridge construction have sealed proposals under the State Highway engineering department for the improvement of Highway 28 in Foard County. Good Creek to the Cattle line will be received at the State Highway engineer's office on April 23, and then opened and read.

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## Local Lumber Yards Have Secured Plans For Poultry Houses

Years of experiments are embodied in the plans for poultry structures that have been secured by the two local lumber yards, Cicero Smith and Wm. Cameron Co. The plans represent A. & M. specifications and are for the types of structures that A. & M. College have found to be best after considerable experimentation.

All of the material for the various structures has been figured out and those planning poultry houses should find it very convenient and valuable to take advantage of the free service offered by the local lumber yards in working out the best plans for their structures.

Models Constructed

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## Religious Census Shows Population Of Crowell 2,400

### Religious Census for City of Crowell Was Taken By

About thirty-five people from the different churches of Crowell assembled at the Presbyterian Church at 2 p. m. last Sunday for the purpose of taking a religious census of Crowell, sponsored by the Pastors' Association of this city. After an explanation of how to take the census by Rev. Woodie W. Smith, Baptist pastor, the city was divided into four districts and teams assigned to each. By 6 o'clock practically all returns had been made.

About two thousand cards were turned in to Rev. Smith Sunday afternoon and several more have been turned in this week. Rev. Smith estimates that due to absence from the city Sunday, complete oversight and other reasons that around 300 to 350 persons were missed in the census and his estimate in this respect is substantiated by others connected with the taking of the census.

Rev. Smith estimates that Crowell has at least 2,350 white people and that the total population of this city easily exceeds 2,400. C. V. Allen and others who helped with the census make about the same estimate. Crowell's population heretofore had been estimated at 2,200 in advertising literature, based on utility connections and the scholastic census.

Detailed tabulations of the census have not been made yet, however, it seems that the Methodists have the heaviest population in Crowell, with the Baptists closely following.

Each church in Crowell will be given the names from the census and the names of members or who have shown a preference for that church. These will be used for various purposes, especially in connection with the coming revivals of the churches of Crowell.

The results of the census are very pleasing and the Pastor's Association has rendered a great service in sponsoring this worthy move. The same may be said of those who volunteered their services in taking the census.

Those who took the census are Miss Winnie Self, Miss Louise Ball, Joe Ward, Ernest King, A. T. Schooley, C. V. Allen, Edward Huffman, Granville Lanier, Mrs. W. W. Griffith, John Long, Mack Boswell, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Miss Eva Todd, Miss Rachael Stewart, W. F. Kirkpatrick, J. T. Cates, T. S. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. G. H. Patton, Miss Martha Rettig, Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Miss Ira Pearl Saunders, Miss Jewell Brown, Mrs. Grady Graves, Mrs. E. B. McBurnett, Miss Ola Carter, Mrs. Arnold Rucker, Mrs. W. R. Womack, Mrs. Clint White, Miss Minnie Ringgold and Mrs. Frank Moore.

## City Election Tuesday Attracted 330 Voters

City elections over the state Tuesday seemed to reveal a lighter vote than usual for some reason or other and the same was true with Crowell when 330 voters cast their ballots at the city hall Tuesday, compared with 421 two years ago.

C. T. Schlagal and R. J. Thomas easily won their races for mayor and city marshal respectively with J. C. Self, M. S. Henry and T. L. Hughston winning the three aldermen positions.

The vote in the city election was as follows: Mayor—C. T. Schlagal, 235; B. F. Ivie, 96; City Marshal—R. J. Thomas, 235; Wesley L. Lovelady, 91; Aldermen—J. C. Self, 199; A. L. Johnson, 108; W. B. Tysinger, 16; J. W. McCaskill, 62; T. L. Hughston, 163; M. S. Henry, 188; Charles Loyd, 37; and M. O'Connell, 79.

C. W. Beidleman was presiding judge for the election, assisted by J. W. Beverly and Miss Cornelia Beidleman. Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Arnold Rucker acted as clerks.

## Trustee Election Will Be Held Here Sat.

Four trustees are to be elected for the Crowell Independent School District Saturday as the terms for four trustees, A. Y. Beverly, R. R. Magee, H. E. Ferguson and R. L. Taylor expire this year.

The candidates whose names will appear upon the ballot this year are R. L. Taylor, R. G. Nichols, S. T. Crews and T. B. Klepper.

L. A. Andrews and Leo Spencer are the only old trustees to be left on the board. The appointment of another trustee will be made later since Charles Hunter, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Tom Burscy, failed to qualify and this position will be filled by appointment instead of election.

J. W. Beverly, C. W. Beidleman and J. W. Allison will have charge of the election.

## Another Gas Well For Foard County Reached Near Thalia

Shell Petroleum Corporation reached near to one million cubic feet of gas, estimated daily production, at a depth of 857 feet in its test on the Tarver farm, one and one-half miles north-west of Thalia, Sunday. The gas has been cased off and drilling is now continuing below 1000 feet. The new well is about one-half mile west of the location where Fain-McGaha and Roxana secured the gas well that is furnishing Crowell and Thalia with natural gas. The test offsets the northwest corner of the north 160 acres of the south 320 acres of Section 3, G. C. & S. F. Survey.

The gas from the new test has a stronger oil odor than that of the other tests nearby. The first oil sand in the Matthews No. 1, one-half mile east, was reached at a depth of around 1250 feet.



REV. WODIE W. SMITH  
Pastor of First Baptist Church

## Baptist Revival To Begin This Sunday

Rev. and Mrs. H. Ellis Ogden of Chanute, Kansas, to Assist Woodie W. Smith

Rev. Woodie W. Smith, pastor of the Baptist Church, will open a revival Sunday to last at least two weeks. Rev. and Mrs. H. Ellis Ogden, noted evangelistic musicians of Chanute, Kansas, will have charge of the music during the Baptist revival while Rev. Smith will act as evangelist.

Rev. Ogden travelled with Rev. Smith for three years on evangelistic tours in several states and is an accomplished singer. Besides leading he will also give xylophone music at the services. Mrs. Ogden will act as pianist and will give special lectures to women and girls each day. The Ogdens have just completed a meeting at Crescent, Oklahoma.

Rev. Smith will deliver sermons starting at 7 o'clock in the morning and at 7:45 in the evening. Rev. Ogden will conduct meetings of the young people and children in special services beginning at about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

All of the principals in this revival have had much experience as evangelists and a successful revival is expected. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The Methodist Church will begin a revival at the close of this one.

## Presbyterian Revival Meeting With Success

Rev. E. C. Cargill of Seymour is delivering some wonderful sermons at the revival that is in progress at the Presbyterian Church and a number of additions have been made. At the young people's meeting Tuesday night, five additions were made to the church.

The revival will close Saturday after two weeks and those who have not yet heard Rev. Cargill, should take advantage of attending any of the remaining services, either in the morning or evening. Rev. Cargill is one of the best preachers that has ever conducted a meeting here and all of his messages are very worthwhile.

The meeting will close in order that all may take part in the beginning of the Baptist revival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and children left Wednesday of this week for Ft. Sumner, N. M., where they will make their home. Mr. Brown recently sold his farm and ranch land in the west part of the county and expects to buy some land near Ft. Sumner. He will also lease grazing land and will raise cattle.

## Chillicothe Takes Honors in One-Act Play Contest Here

### "Pink and Patches" Wins Play Contest In Which Six Schools Took Part

Chillicothe and Memphis were in the final contest Saturday afternoon for honors of District 14 in the one-act play tournament here in which Chillicothe won. Six schools were entered in this very interesting event which was fairly well attended. A few schools were prevented from coming on account of road conditions due to recent rains.

"Pink and Patches" was the name of the mountain story used by Chillicothe in winning the tournament. Marvelous acting was given by the Chillicothe group and the capable directing of Mrs. Lee Smith was reflected throughout the play. Not even the slightest detail was overlooked. The exterior scene of a log cabin and other properties were brought to Crowell by Chillicothe.

Memphis First Winner

Friday night, Knox City presented "Thursday Evening," Roaring Springs, "Who Kissed Barbara?" and Memphis, "The Valiant," which won the first performance. Crowell presented "Thursday Evening" and Chillicothe, "Pink and Patches." Flo-mot arrived in the afternoon and presented "Young America." Chillicothe was picked as winner in this group and its cast and that of Memphis competed at about 4 p. m.

Alma Ellen Anderson and Cecil Ayers of Chillicothe were picked, respectively, as the outstanding girl and boy performers of the tournament. Mrs. Ben O'Neal proved to be a very capable and satisfactory judge and following the contest she offered some helpful suggestions to the casts. Mrs. O'Neal is recognized as one of the most outstanding one-act play authorities in Texas.

Those in the winning cast were Frances Wigginton, Alice Labor, Alma Ellen Anderson and Cecil Ayers. The Memphis cast included Lee May, Debs Moore, Ingram Walker, Homer Shankle, Clearon McMurray and Joan Estes, with Miss Mary Lois Kincaid as director.

Blanche Schooley, Iva Pearl Teague, Ludell Green and Charles Ferguson made up the cast of Crowell High School. They gave a very creditable performance. Miss Jessie A. Johnson, director of the Crowell group, stated that Chillicothe gave one of the best performances that she has seen in her twenty years of directing plays.

Superintendent I. T. Graves efficiently managed the tournament and deserves much credit for its success. Those furnishing rooms in their homes for the visiting students rendered a service that was greatly appreciated and through their courtesy many friends were made for Crowell.

## Organization Meeting For Boy Scouts Will Be Held Tues. Night

### Local Representatives for Area Council Will Be Elected in Meeting at Basement Baptist Church

J. Ben Parrish, executive for the Quannah Parker Area Council of Boy Scouts, was in Crowell Monday and made arrangements with local officials for a meeting of the contributors to the scout program Tuesday night at 7 p. m. in the basement of the Baptist Church. The meeting is called at 7 o'clock in order that it may be completed by the time the Baptist revival begins. All interested in scout work for Crowell are urged to attend this meeting also.

The purpose of the meeting is to elect representatives of the ten standing committees, each of whom will become a member of the area council for this district. This standing committee when completed will plan, execute and govern the boy scout work of Crowell and trade territory. The ten standing committees for which representatives will be elected are troop organization, leadership and training, civic service, court of honor, camping, finance, health and safety, reading program, publicity and rural scouting.

Training School

It is planned to set a definite date for the scout leadership training school at this meeting. In recent years the training schools for the men have proven invaluable to scout work and they have met with outstanding success throughout most of Texas. All of the various angles of scouting are taught in these schools which are conducted by the district executive in developing scout leadership. Truscott has already indicated that it wishes to send four men to the Crowell training school and it is hoped that each of the rural communities of Crowell will be represented.

### MRS. FERGESON IMPROVING

Mrs. Tom Ferguson is improving from an operation at the Crowell Hospital. She will be able to return to her home the latter part of the week.

## Crowell Will Have Sound Pictures In About Ninety Days

### Richmond, Nelson and Simpson Making Expansion Program in This Section

According to T. B. Richmond, manager of the Rialto Theatre, Crowell will be prepared to show the same pictures with the same sound effects that are being shown in the largest cities and that "all talkie" programs are in store for Crowell movie fans in about 90 days. Mr. Richmond stated that it is possible that arrangements for the sound films will be completed earlier than 90 days for the Rialto Theatre.

With the new equipment citizens of this section will be able to see all of the regular Movietone and Vitaphone pictures that they must now go to the larger cities to see and hear. The pictures will be given here just exactly as they are presented in the large cities.

### New Theatres Bought

The firm of Richmond, Nelson and Simpson has added four new theatres to its chain during the past week. Three theatres at Spur have been purchased and one at Anson. A new \$65,000 building is to be built for one of the theatres at Spur and construction is now being completed on a new \$40,000 theatre at Floydada where this firm owns two theatres. Richmond, Nelson and Simpson now own nine theatres, the Rialto in Crowell; 2 at Paducah; 3 at Spur; 1 at Anson; and 2 in Floydada. They recently sold their two theatres in Wellington.

Sound equipment is very costly and thousands of dollars must be spent to install it in one theatre.

## Reese and Smith Are Rotary Speakers Wed.

Byron Reese, county engineer for the State Highway Department, and Rev. Woodie W. Smith, Baptist pastor, were the principal speakers at the Rotary luncheon Wednesday.

Mr. Reese has just returned from a short course at A. & M. College for highway engineers of the state. He gave some interesting facts that were brought out at the course and also information concerning the highway program of Foard County.

The highway problem has reached such an extent that already transcontinental highways with 500 feet of right-of-way are being discussed over the nation, according to Mr. Reese. He told of the use of airplanes in Texas engineering work, stating that they were very successful and that airplane surveys were being made at a cost of \$14 per mile which is considered very reasonable.

It is hoped that a contract for paving from Crowell, east, will be let the latter part of May, according to Mr. Reese. It is likely that water will be pumped on the highway grade in order to settle it more quickly instead of waiting for rains. It was stated that when the paving work is started, about 40 or 50 trucks will be necessary to keep the concrete mixer supplied, if it is 10 miles or over from Crowell.

Rev. Woodie W. Smith gave an account of the recent religious census, stating that about 2,000 cards had been turned in and that three or four hundred people had likely been missed. He invited all to attend the Baptist revival next week and to cooperate with the other revivals here.

President M. S. Henry announced that the Baptist ladies would no longer be able to serve luncheons and that beginning next week, they would be held at the Commercial Hotel, beginning at 12:30. A. D. Anderson of San Antonio and F. F. Seifert of Quannah were visitors.

### BIRTHS

Rebecca Ann, baby girl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ross Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Naron, 7 miles northwest of Crowell, a baby boy, Jimmy, Jr., Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leak of the Talmaidge community, a baby boy, Billy Van, Monday.



MRS. O'DEN, Pianist, Baptist Revival

## Meeting Called Next Monday Night

Norris, commander of the American Legion, has called a meeting for next Monday night in the district court room which he is urging that all members of Crowell and Foard be attended.

## LITTLE'S BOY KILLED

On March 15th, the baby boy of Mrs. George Little, former wife of this county, but now living in Dallas, was instantly killed when he was run over by a truck while on his way to school. The children were returning home from school in a wagon when the accident happened. The truck stopped to pick up the boy but before the truck had started to get on and down under the wheel which struck his head, Mrs. Little is to J. V. Allen of Crowell. Allen and Jake Denton and attended the funeral which was held at the home of Mrs. Little.

## 4-H CARNIVAL

4-H boys and girls, clubs of the city will hold a carnival at the city school Saturday night in order to raise funds for sending the district representatives of these clubs to the Farmer's Short Course at M. College this summer.



H. ELLIS OGDEN, Singer, Baptist Revival

**\*RAYLAND**  
(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Katherine Davis returned to her home at Iowa Park Friday after spending two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Dewitt Edwards, and family.

Miss Laura Nell Price spent the week-end with Mrs. I. F. Winn of Vernon.

G. C. Russell and family of Idalou spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fite, also his sisters, Misses Zelma and Gussie Russell.

Mrs. W. H. Adams of Crowell spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Price, and family.

A large crowd attended the Easter program at the Baptist church Sunday morning. Immediately after Sunday School the members went four miles east of Margaret on Mule Creek and spread their lunch after which all enjoyed an Easter egg hunt. Doris Edwards, Horace Abston and Ross Corzine won Easter rabbits as prizes for finding the most eggs. There were about 50 present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge attended the Sacred Harp singing at Tolbert Sunday afternoon.

Louis Ivans returned to his home at Hennipen, Okla., Thursday after a few days visit with A. H. Martin and family.

There were seventy-one present at the Baptist Sunday School Sunday. E. W. Crisp, Luther Martin and

Louis Ivans made a business trip to Spur and points on the Plains Sunday and returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira V. Younger, Miss Zelma Russell, Jodie Simmons, Jerry Young, Eula Mae Gregg and Elijah Young, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crisp Wednesday night and played progressive 42. Hot chocolate, cake with peaches and whipped cream were served as refreshments.

Mrs. Martha Price and son, Harrison, and Mrs. G. T. German went to Abilene Saturday to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Powell.

Miss Gussie Russell of Thalia and Miss Zelma Russell spent Saturday night with Miss Ruby Key.

Mrs. W. H. Adams and son, Ed, and family of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams of Vernon, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price Sunday and enjoyed a birthday dinner, celebrating Mrs. Adams sixty-fourth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Streit of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge Saturday.

Fate Tipps of Whitesboro spent Sunday night with his sister, Mrs. T. F. Lambert, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansel spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Brinkley of Quanah.

Mrs. May Gunn, Mrs. F. F. Mears and son, Bird, attended the Easter egg hunt and opening of the zoo at Wichita Falls Sunday.

Ollie Brown and family of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham of Vernon visited J. E. Young and family Sunday.

H. H. Hopkins is suffering with his eye due to an oil cap that blew in it while working on his car Wednesday.

C. J. Fox and family spent Sunday with Clyde Fox and wife of Vernon.

Friday afternoon Prof. Ira V. Younger presented a school magazine to each pupil of the Antelope school, entitled, "Memories of 1928-29." It is a very interesting little magazine, giving history of the school with activities and progress of this term. It was highly appreciated.

The seventh grade pupils will present their play, "Lighthouse Nan," at the Antelope school house Friday night. Everyone is invited, no charges.

**GAMBLEVILLE**  
(By Special Correspondent)

An Easter program and egg hunt at the school house Sunday was well attended, lunch being served to every-one at the noon hour, which consisted of everything good to eat. Those visiting from other places were John Sallis, wife and daughter, Finia Zeibig, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sallis and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Meadow, J. R. Gamble and Homer Zeibig and family, all of Crowell; Robert Derrington and family of West Rayland; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garrett and children of Harrold.

W. A. Johnson and family, Forest Durham and family of Thalia, Frank Gamble and family, Marvin Phillips and family of Aversville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble. In the afternoon an egg hunt was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz, Reid and Lewis Pyle took dinner Monday with Mrs. Bertha Shultz, near Thalia. Mrs. Shultz accompanied them home and spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

Mrs. H. S. Chandler of Olney and Mrs. Malcolm Bryson of Palo Pinto are visiting Vernon Pyle and family and E. W. Burrow and wife. They are sisters of Mrs. Burrow and Vernon Pyle.

Several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carroll met in their home Saturday night and played 42. Rosa Lee McDaniel of Crowell spent Saturday night with Mrs. Claude Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock of Black community spent Saturday night with Claude Carroll and wife. Marion James and wife were Vernon visitors Monday.

Little Beatrice Alston is ill this week with a high temperature.

Roy Abston and Claude Carroll took two loads of cows to Mr. Carroll's farm in Vivian community Monday.

J. L. Shultz and family of Brownwood, Mrs. A. Oliver and Eudale Oliver and wife of Thalia spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz, Dave Shultz and wife, Lewis and Reid Pyle, and R. C. Johnson and family took dinner Sunday with C. D. Haney and family.

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Are numerous among women who appreciate the rest and comfort that comes from well furnished surroundings. Wall paper on the walls, enduring colors derived from our paint and lacquers, and living room, bed room, dining room, a cozy chair and a favorite book can make home more cozy.

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Late Song Hits in Sheet Music

Ambulance Service  
We Order Cut Flowers

**CHINESE EGGS NOW MENACE OUR MARKET**

Chinese eggs are the "cloud like unto a man's hand" which has appeared on the horizon of the poultry industry, the Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman points out in its March 15 issue.

For years Chinese eggs have threatened to interfere seriously with the market of the American poultryman and at times they have had a serious adverse effect upon egg prices in this country.

Egg prices in China are often as low as 5 or 6 cents a dozen. They are seldom higher than 10 to 12 cents a dozen. It is not surprising that the American market for eggs has attractions for this oriental hen fruit.

A tariff of 8 cents a dozen on eggs in the shell, that has prevailed for several years, has been too much of a wall for most of the Chinese eggs to get over. Once in a while, however, they have come over to the Pacific coast markets, and demoralized prices there for a time. Invariably the other markets take a nose dive when that happens, and the effect is felt all over the country.

The most important effect of Chinese eggs in the American markets is felt in the dried and frozen eggs trades, which are becoming more and more important outlets for the eggs produced on American farms. There the Chinese eggs are playing hob with American products.

Present tariffs are 8 cents a dozen on eggs in the shell, 6 cents a pound on frozen eggs, and 18 cents a pound on dried eggs. The poultry organizations are asking for 10 cents a dozen on eggs in the shell, 12 cents a pound on frozen eggs, and a sliding scale on the various forms of dried eggs, running from 30 cents a pound on the yolks to 60 cents on the albumen. They seem to think that this schedule of rates will preserve the American market for American producers.

The United States produces more than 1,000,000,000 pairs of stockings a year.

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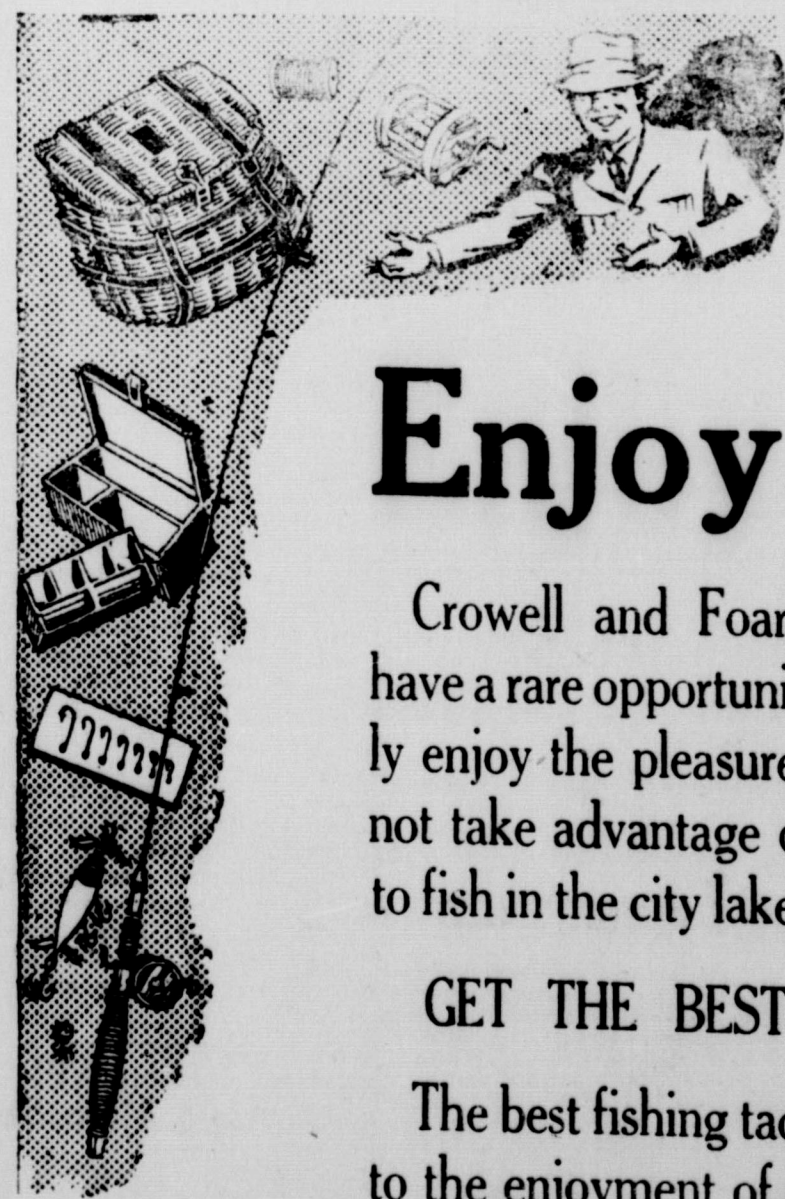
We are just receiving a large shipment of gallon peaches, apples, apricots and blackberries. They will be here Saturday and on these we will make the best prices that have ever been known on gallon canned fruits. This is a deal on which we got good prices and we are passing them to the public, giving you the benefits which we have received in buying.

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Crowell Thalia

**WEST RAYLAND**  
Special Correspondent

Mrs. Pickett and children spent the week-end visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. P. Sel...

Hattie Lara Prescott of El Paso spent the week-end visiting her uncle, Prescott, and family.

George Nabers of Rule spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. ...

Mrs. Ira V. Younger and Anna Russell of Antelope were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. ...

E. E. Maine of Thalia was called evening to see Louis Ward ...

Renells of Margaret spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. Buck Clark and children Mrs. Bud Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Long of ...

Mrs. Cap Adkins attended play school social at the home of Mrs. Gus Neill Saturday ...

Mrs. W. B. Durham returned Saturday from Abilene where she has been under medical treatment for some time.

Mrs. Frank Butler attended church at Vernon Saturday and ...

Clark and E. V. Courtney of Crowell Saturday after a Home Comfort cook stoves.

Mrs. Cap Adkins entertained with an Easter egg hunt Sunday. Those present were, Bob Hunt and family, J. H. Freudiger and family, Joe Huntley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Derrington and children, Ward and son, Weston, Tom and family, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Larkin Ladd, Robert Carr, Claud Carr, Werlene and the Whittens.

**FOARD CITY**  
Special Correspondent

community was blessed with a good week. Every one is ready to plant feed.

Reese of Ralls, Texas, was a visitor here Friday night. He attended to business at Trenton before returning home.

Dollar of Ralls, Texas, returned Friday to make this his future home.

Mary Nell Merriman was the guest of a gay party Saturday ...

Owens gave a singing Sunday night. There was a large attendance of good singers. Miss Vic McDaniel sang several specials.

many of Foard City people have been attending the vaudeville Truscott the past week.

Thompson has returned to stay after giving up his job in the bridge gang.

Callaway was hostess of a girl friends at her home Sunday with an Easter dinner.

Hoard entertained her pupils with an Easter egg hunt Friday afternoon. Nonman Dollar won the prize for the most eggs found.

Estella Munger spent last week-end in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McDaniel.

Thompson and Billie Ayers made a business trip to Benjamin Monday.

McLain and Victoria McDaniel spent Sunday morning with the home of Mrs. Ozzie Turner, at ...

**Margaret Missionary Societies**

Thalia and Margaret Women's Auxiliary of the M. E. Church met their quarterly joint session Monday, March 25, at the home of Mrs. J. Gray, with the Thalia ladies as ...

According to the custom, the visitation auxiliary presented the program, in this case an exceptionally good one, well handled.

Melvin Moore was the leader of the afternoon and the following program was rendered:

Song, "Bring Them In." Prayer, Mrs. C. B. Morris. Devotional reading—Mrs. Melvin Moore.

Discussion of the lesson—Mrs. W. ...

Prayer—Mrs. John L. Hunter, Jr. Solo—Mrs. Tommie Hunter. Singers—Mrs. J. L. Hunter, Sr. Song, "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead ...

Prayer—Mrs. Melvin Moore. A pleasant social hour followed which was rich with conversation and ...

The Thalia Auxiliary served a refreshment plate to four of their own members and the following guests, Mrs. Melvin Moore, John L. Hunter, Jr., Mrs. Arthur ... Mrs. Ray Hysinger, Mrs. George ... Mrs. W. T. Dunn, Mrs. S. J. ... Mrs. M. E. Cherry, Mrs. J. ... Hunter, Sr., and Mrs. L. G. Law. —Reporter.

The old-fashioned mother who used to drive a slow and gentle horse, now has a daughter who flashes down the road at a sixty mile an hour clip.

Three brothers were jailed the other day in a nearby state. They probably have a family rates for par...

The pioneers of this country had an advantage. All they had to fight were the Indians, while today we have to fight bandits, burglars, bootleggers and grafters.

**Samoan Tattooing**

The art of tattooing still flourishes in the Samoan islands where the natives tattoo their bodies from the lips to the knees. A tattooer's profession is very lucrative. His instruments resemble combs, and are made of human bones of different sizes. The operation takes from two to three months, during which time a patient remains in the same retired place. All this time the relatives of the young person bring mats, money and food, but if the quantity does not suit the tattooer, he "goes on strike," refusing to proceed until sufficient liberality is displayed. The requisite gifts are sure to be brought, for no Samoan could endure going half tattooed.

**Odd Methods of Fishing**

There are many ways of catching fish, but one of the quaintest methods is that revealed by natives to the administrator of New Guinea, on a tour of the territory. At Hatan the natives gave an exhibition of kite fishing for gars. The kites, constructed of pandanus leaf, and shaped like large birds, are flown from canoes, the motion of which makes the kites' tails skip along the surface of the water. A "spider's" web is attached in which the fish become entangled. Often 50 fish are caught with one kite in a day. The natives also stupefy fish with drugs.

**Oldest Dated Statuette**

A jade figure in the Smithsonian Institution is said to be the oldest object found in America. It is known as the Tuxtla statuette. This object was found in the state of Vera Cruz, Mexico. It is carved from jadeite, and represents a birdlike deity with human head. On the front and sides are Maya hieroglyphs, including one corresponding to the date 98 B. C., which makes the Tuxtla statuette the oldest dated monument thus far found in America. The institution has thousands without date which are much older.

**Oldest Christian Symbol**

The fish is considered the oldest symbol of Christianity. When the pagans became Christians they were afraid of being persecuted and put to death by those who still believed in pagan gods; so they invented a secret sign, giving it the form of a fish. When they wanted to make their new belief known to each other and wanted to find out whether the man with whom they associated was pagan or Christian, they drew the sign of the fish in the sand, and if the person responded in the same way, they felt secure to speak of their new faith.

**Ideal Sense of Humor**

Cultivate a sense of humor—not the harmful humor that only takes delight in the confusion or humiliation of others—but that humor which enables a man to laugh at himself and hold himself in proper proportion, a man who sees the bright side and communicates the brightness to others.—E. W. Beatty

**Saving the Sequoias**

In order to protect the last of the "Big Trees" the government has established two national parks, Sequoia and General Grant, containing some of the most interesting groves now left. In Sequoia National park alone there are scores of sequoia trees 20 to 30 feet in diameter, with a few still larger, and thousands with a diameter of more than ten feet. This park contains the General Sherman tree, considered the largest of them all. General Grant park, an area of only four square miles, contains a magnificent grove of sequoias in addition to the one for which it is named. There are also three groves of the "Big Trees" in the Yosemite National park. One of them contains the famous Wawona tree, through which a motor road runs.

**GREATEST SOIL LOSS**

Few persons probably realize that the annual loss in this country each year reaches the two billion dollar mark, due to the washing away of good soil by the rivers and streams, but a soil expert has announced this astonishing fact.

This soil expert says that wherever you see a muddy stream, you are witnessing a part of this vast loss. Washing away of soil robs the land owner of not only the soil itself, but of twenty times as much plant food each year, which could otherwise be used in growing crops.

Why do we permit the loss? The answer is that the American farmer whose ancestors settled on rich virgin lands has not yet been brought to realize that the reservoir of his wealth is being drained. Some of them, the more farsighted, appreciate the significance of the muddy stream. The government agricultural services have made some attempt to rouse the agricultural interests and the people as a whole to a realization of the situation. But, so far, what has been done is infinitesimal when compared with what remains to be done.

The loss probably can never be stopped entirely, but it can be reduced to a minimum by educational campaigns which will induce land owners to terrace their fields where erosion is rapid, to reforest their lands and to plant protective crops of alfalfa and other growths which will aid the soil to recoup its losses to nature.

Europe learned the lesson after the lands of the Roman Empire were reduced to sterility. There are few muddy streams on that continent today. America has that example to go by, if it will only apply the lesson in time.

**NEGRO SCHOOL AIDED**

J. C. Coger, principal of the negro school, was in the News office Monday and expressed his appreciation of the co-operation that had been given his school by Crowell people. He stated the school children last week lacked two dollars of having enough money to purchase a volley ball and that Mrs. B. W. Self kindly donated this amount.

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**The Foard County News**

T. B. KLEPPER, Editor and Owner  
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Crowell, Texas, April 5, 1929

**CIVIC PRIDE**

We believe that there is no single item more conducive to a good town and community than civic pride. Outstanding civic pride always means an outstanding town and community. And the larger part of the citizenship of most communities is made up of those who take pride in the community in which they live and are willing to do their part in making it a better place in which to live.

We also believe that no section can have a greater detrimental force than those dealing in destructive criticism. We are strong for constructive criticism for it really helps a community. We are all broadcasters and we never know just who is going to pick up our message. A stranger in a town may form a lasting opinion from an offhand remark of some citizen.

In this connection we happen to know of two outstanding institutions which would have been of great benefit to this section that gave up the idea of locating here on account of the pessimistic remarks heard from local citizens. We believe that a staggering figure would be revealed if we were to know the amount in investments that have been turned away from Crowell and Foard County due to the pessimists.

Why can't all of us be fair enough to at least make the best of the place in which we live and if a condition does not suit us, why not offer constructive criticism and help remedy it instead of making conditions worse by destructive criticism.

Many have admirably displayed their civic pride this week during the clean-up campaign and their efforts in this connection have been of real community benefit. However, every day in the year offers us the same opportunity in some way or other to make better citizens of ourselves.

**PEDISTRIANS SHOULD WATCH**

Pedestrians have an equal responsibility in crossing streets, with those of motorists, as many persons take too much for granted as they dart across a street, trusting to the oncoming car to be carefully driven.

Many motorists operate their cars in a manner grossly lacking in courtesy and rational caution, and for that reason those who walk should not leave too much for the other fellow. They often cross streets in a comfortable, easy-going way, expecting the motorist to look out for them.

Many times a person walking does not consider all of the things that a driver has to keep in mind. If there are traffic signals, the driver must watch for them and be presumes also that the pedestrian is watching and will not disregard them. Many walkers go, when they see an opening, and do not consider the danger they place the motorist to in dodging them, and other traffic in the streets.

People have to learn in these times to manifest a higher degree of care than was necessary a few years ago. Fewer accidents would result if people would be more cautious and practice a little more courtesy both in walking and in driving automobiles.

**THALIA 4-H JUMBO CLUB**

The Thalia 4-H Jumbo Club is getting along just fine. It is growing little by little and now has 39 members. Principal projects among the members are dairy calf, baby beef, milk, maize, poultry, pigs and cotton.

Each member has started work on his project. There are 20 boys who will raise cotton, 8 on the maize project, 5 in the dairy club, 4 for pigs and 2 baby beef projects.

At the last meeting the club was named the "Thalia 4-H Jumbo." All were present at the last meeting with the exception of two. Meetings are held twice each month, the first and third Monday evenings in each month. Officers for Jumbo club are Raymond Phillips, president; Wilke Cato, vice-president; Charlie Wisdom, secretary-treasurer; and Jack Wood, adult leader.—Reporter.

**Mayor Issues Statement In Regard to Fishing**

In view of a recent visit by a state game warden to this city, Mayor C. T. Schlagal has issued the following statement:

"There seems to be some doubt in the minds of some whether or not it is a violation of the law to fish in the city lake of Crowell, as provided by ordinance passed by the City Council.

"To those entertaining such doubt, I, C. T. Schlagal, mayor of said City of Crowell, acting in my official capacity, desire to state that the city council acting up on legal authority passed an ordinance permitting fishing in said lake during the months of March and April upon compliance with the regulations in said ordinance. You are further advised that I have been advised by the Attorney General's Department that it was not a violation of the law to fish in said lake during the months of March and April.

"Therefore those desiring to fish in the city lake may do so with perfect ease, so long as they observe the regulations passed by the City Council of the City of Crowell.

"C. T. SCHLAGAL,  
"Mayor City of Crowell, Texas."

**GENERAL NEWS**

Federal troops gained one of the most decisive victories of the Mexican revolution Wednesday after a two-day battle at Jimenez. Full retreat by the rebels is reported.

Twice during the week, Mexican rebel aviators have dropped bombs from their airplanes on the U. S. side of the border in Arizona, apparently by accident. One American was wounded.

Governor Dan Moody vetoed the law legalizing Sunday movies that was passed by the house and senate during the last session of the legislature. He also vetoed the Wirtz anti-bulter bill.

A strong Federal farm board with power to solve the diverse problems which confront agriculture was recommended to the Senate Agricultural Committee Wednesday by Secretary of Agriculture Hyde as the pressing need in bringing about improved conditions in agriculture. Secretary Hyde has also asked for the passage of the McNary bill at the coming special session.

The Louisiana House is meeting as a grand jury this week to consider charges against Governor Huey P. Long, ranging from a plot to murder to misdemeanors. Three have testified that Gov. Long had offered them bribes.

No. 551  
Official Statement of Financial Condition of the  
**FIRST STATE BANK,**  
at Crowell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 27th day of March, 1929, published in the Foard County News, a newspaper printed and published at Crowell, State of Texas, on the 5th day of April, 1929.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	\$236,155.01
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	4,000.00
Real Estate (Bkg. House)	11,875.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,425.00
Cash on hand	9,509.09
Due from approved reserve agents	36,073.81
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, undoubtedly good	17,757.91
Other Resources	713.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$323,509.62</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 30,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund	30,000.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	21,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	229,490.83
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	1,771.96
Bills payable	10,000.00
Other Liabilities	1,246.83
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$323,509.62</b>

State of Texas,  
County of Foard.  
We, S. S. Bell, as president, and M. L. Hughston, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
S. S. BELL, President.  
M. L. HUGHSTON, Cashier.  
**CORRECT—ATTEST:**  
G. G. Crews,  
Hines Clark,  
M. F. Crowell,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1929.  
(Seal) **JEWEL RICHMOND,**  
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**Crowell Women At Plainview**

The meeting of the Woman's Missionary Societies of the Methodist Churches of Northwest Texas is being held at Plainview this week. It started Tuesday and will end Friday.

Crowell women of the local Methodist Church that are attending the meeting are Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, Mrs. G. D. Self, Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mrs. Jack Brian. They will return to Crowell Friday night.

**BOX SUPPER AT HIGH SCHOOL**

A box supper will be held at the high school Friday night for the purpose of raising funds to defray expenses of the track season.

Women and girls are urged to come with their boxes and men and boys will have the opportunity to buy these at auction.

**MOVIES**  
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**MARY BRIAN**  
Serial No. 4 and comedy.

SATURDAY—

**BOB STEELE**

in  
"Breed of the Sunsets"  
Fox News and comedy.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—

Fox News and comedy.  
**LEW CODY and**  
**AILEEN PRINGLE**  
in  
"Beau Broadway"

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—

"Beggars of Life"  
with  
**WALLACE BEERY**  
**RICHARD ARLEN**  
and others of noted cast.

Beautiful saucers given away on Wednesday night. Every lady or girl that pays adult admission gets a saucer free.

COMING SOON—

Interference, Warming Up, Dancing Daughters, Four Walls, Wedding March, The Trail of '98 and many others.

**Laubenthal Is Fined \$25 in Vernon Court**

F. A. Laubenthal, Foard County farmer, was fined \$25 when the jury returned a verdict of "guilty" in district court at Vernon Tuesday night. Laubenthal was charged with assault with intent to murder as the result of a severe beating that he gave his wife on his farm near Thalia last year.

The first trial of Laubenthal, during the September term of court here last year resulted in a hung jury and the next trial was taken to Quanah where it was postponed to district court in Vernon. The second trial resulted in a hung jury at Vernon and the same case was postponed at the February term of court in Vernon due to absence of witnesses.

**APPRECIATION**

I take this method of thanking the voters of Crowell that elected me to the office of City Marshal. I sincerely trust that my services in office may be worthy of your confidence in me.

R. J. THOMAS 41

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Mrs. Ida Reavis, county deposed a marriage license to Agra Jassin and Mrs. Eva Davis, Snyder, Oklahoma, Tuesday. The wedding ceremony was performed same day by M. M. Hart, Jr., of peace.

Another marriage license was issued Wednesday to J. A. Run Mrs. Lavina Martin of Gilliland. Mrs. Reavis stated that in eighty marriage licenses were issued at her office, one annulment and fourteen divorces granted.

**NEGRO ARRESTED**

R. J. Thomas, city marshal, arrested Austin Whitesides, colored, lives in the north part of the Thursday morning. Whitesides was the possession of eight gallons "choc" beer and equipment handling it.

Some of the material found Whitesides' possession for choc beer were corn cobs, raisins, Apple tobacco, prunes, cots, and Tinsley tobacco. Whitesides was fined and set

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Second-hand furniture and stoves taken in trade for mattress work.—Ketchersid Bros. tf

J. R. Logan of Fort Worth, district man for Cicero Smith Lumber Co, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Marcel's 50c, rain water shampoos, and complete beauty work at Jewel's Beauty Shop. Call 79 for appointment. tf

Miss Hallie Mae Johnson visited here with her father, A. L. Johnson. She is a student in Texas Woman's College.

J. H. Lanier went to Dallas Sunday to be with his wife who was recently operated on. It is reported that she is improving.

Northland refrigerators—ice capacity 25 to 150 lbs. Priced from \$19.75 to \$60.00. Come and see them.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mrs. Z. T. Fletcher and son, Carl, have returned to their home at Electra after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Priest, and other relatives.

Strayed—Brindle heifer branded with half circle over a Z, at my place 1 1/2 miles north of Thalia. Owner may have same by paying pasture.—John Thompson. 44p

Hatching Eggs For Sale—Johnson White Leghorn strain and D. G. Coffman strain R. I. Reds, \$4.00 per hundred. Also baby chicks, 15c apiece.—S. E. Tate. 41

Elizabeth O'Connell spent the week-end with her parents. She returned to Wichita Falls Sunday with Miss Leah Daily and Claude Sharp of Vernon.

White Leghorn Chicks—Wonder-laying blood. Let us furnish your needs, book your order now, for delivery any week this spring.—Henry Hlavaty, Thalia. 41p

J. E. Atcheson, O. O. Hollingsworth, Eli Smith, W. O. Clary, Roy M. Johnson, Clyde Hollingsworth and Byron Davis visited the Odd Fellow lodge at Quannah Monday night.

Mrs. L. G. Andrews visited her daughter, Maye, at Dallas this week where she is in Dr. W. B. Carroll's clinic for treatment of her knee which was recently injured here.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Davis and daughter of New Braunfels, Texas, visited with C. E. Flowers and A. L. McGinnis, brothers-in-law of Mr. Davis, last week. They left Monday.

Jack Roberts, Jr., of Turkey was here a few hours Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts. Jack had gotten something in his eye and had been to Quannah to have it removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer and J. H. Lanier returned from Dallas Wednesday. Mr. Lanier reported that his wife is recovering nicely from a recent operation at the Baylor Hospital.

Miss May Florence and brother, Royce, of Northfield, Texas, arrived here Monday for a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. G. A. Rodgers. Royce left Crowell Tuesday, however, Florence is still here.

J. M. Garrett and family of Harrold visited Mr. Garrett's brother-in-law, M. F. Meadors, here last week. They returned to Harrold Sunday. Mr. Garrett reported that the rain was fine all the way to Harrold.

Mrs. A. H. Clark and daughter, Elizabeth, of Oklahoma City, and Miss Frances Hill, student in the Oklahoma University at Norman, were among those to spend Easter here with relatives. They returned Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Carter of Willow Okla., came in last week to visit her brother, S. E. Tate, and family. Mrs. Carter and Mr. Tate are visiting relatives in Weatherford, Texas, this week. Lillian Gene and Mary Burl Bell and Virgil Greer went as far as Fort Worth with them to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Darby came up from Dallas last Friday to spend Easter with relatives here. They spent Friday night at Vivian in the home of Mrs. Darby's sister, Mrs. Allen Fish, returning to Crowell Saturday afternoon where they spent the remainder of the time in the homes of J. W. and T. B. Klepper. They were accompanied by Miss Leona Young of Dallas who visited her sister, Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and family, and many friends.

R. J. Thomas made a business trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

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Irving Fisch and Ragsdale Lanier visited in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Better service than ever on your cream sales with our new Mistletoe equipment.—Ketchersid Bros. tf.

Elsie Schindler visited over the week-end with her parents. She has returned to school at Wichita Falls.

Marcel's 50c, rain water shampoos, and complete beauty work at Jewel's Beauty Shop. Call 79 for appointment. tf

Mrs. Alva Spencer returned from Dallas Sunday where she has been under special treatment. She has greatly improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Cooper returned Sunday from Dallas where Mrs. Cooper had been for several weeks, having had her tonsils removed.

Mrs. Flem Hays was taken to Wichita Falls Wednesday for special treatment. She has been in very ill health for about two months.

An excellent crowd was attracted at the Rialto Theatre Wednesday night when the local high school gave a special black-face minstrel show. A per cent of the proceeds was given to the Junior class of the high school.

Miss Fannie Thacker of Kaufman, a former teacher in the Crowell school, was here the first of the week visiting Mrs. Hines Clark and other friends. Miss Becker is County and District Clerk of Kaufman County and came to Wichita Falls Saturday to attend a county and district auxiliary meeting. She also visited relatives at Benjamin.

Miss Ora Gregory, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gregory, who live about 6 miles northwest of Crowell, has been in the Crowell Hospital since last Friday on account of an infected leg.

Infection was caused by the scratch of a thorn on her foot about a month ago. She has been very ill but is doing nicely at the present.

### THORN INFECTS LEG

His breakfast hadn't agreed with him, he had lost at bridge the night before and he had to run for the 8:05. As he hadn't finished his usual cigarette on the way to the station, he stood on the platform to finish it. The train started and just as it was gaining speed, a girl tried to hop to the last step. She missed the step and was hanging on, when the commuter grabbed her and pulled her up to the step.

He expected, after the girl composed herself, a smile of gratitude or at least a few words of thanks. He did not expect the torrent of abuse which she hurled at his head.

"If it hadn't been for you," she raved, "I would have pulled myself up and wouldn't have lost my new opera pump."

The commuter, stunned, found his way to a seat and hadn't made up his mind yet whether to help women in distress or let them—help themselves.—New York Sun.

### Commuter Would Like Help in His Dilemma

Not Inviting  
A man out near Ontario had been pestered by fruit thieves and although he had applied to the authorities, they had failed to help him. Finally he hit upon a bright idea, that so far has worked like a charm.

The motorist, as he pulls up along side the fence with the intention of climbing over and helping himself to forbidden fruit, is suddenly confronted by the sign: Skunk Farm.

Of course, you may believe it, or not, as you choose, but most people, whether they do believe it or not, do not care to take any chances.

### Irish Army Slang

The Irish Free State army has its peculiar slang. A few illustrations will serve to show the trend of their particular bent in this direction. For instance, what we call a dead beat or gold brick the Irish soldier calls a "scrounger." A doughboy is known as a "fat slugger." He also has his "chow," but it does not mean "G. I. straight," as in our army, but refers to the "extras" he is able to procure at the canteen, while his "G. I." is just plain "grub."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

### Crowds

Aren't people the craziest things! So many gathered at Lakehurst, N. J., to see an airship arrive that a great automobile tangle resulted, and thousands were compelled to spend the night there. . . . What an idle people we are becoming! Look at the great crowds that assemble everywhere on slight occasion! . . . Look at the touring! And the fact staring us in the face that industry is the only way out!—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

# Close-Out Sale

## ON LADIES SPRING COATS

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SEE OUR WINDOW FOR DISPLAY

## SELF DRY GOODS COMPANY

S. P. Bush of Allen, Texas, Collin County, is visiting here this week.

Pure bred Half and Half cotton seed, re-cleaned, \$1.50 bushel.—M. S. Henry.

No trespassing, fishing, hunting or swimming allowed in my pasture.—W. S. J. Russell. 44

For Rent—Five room house, all modern conveniences. Phone 205.—O. O. Hollingsworth.

John McAnear and family moved into Jimmie Cotten's residence on Main street Thursday.

The City Tailor shop is moving this week to the building formerly occupied by Robertson Studio.

M. F. Crowell will leave Friday for Dallas where he will attend a convention of Good Year tire dealers.

Mrs. A. E. Propps and children of Knox City were here Saturday and Sunday visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Fannie Thacker.

Underwood and Remington ribbons at the News office.

W. R. Womack and N. J. Roberts made a business trip to Vernon Wednesday.

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

Byron Reese returned Sunday from a short course at A. & M. College for highway engineers of Texas.

Henry Gribble of Vernon was here Tuesday. He is planning to have an operation at the Mayo Sanitarium.

Joe Reavis Spencer broke his left arm last week as the result of a fall from his tricycle to a concrete sidewalk.

Mrs. Fred Schwab of Winfield, Kansas, returned to her home Wednesday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson is recovering from an operation at the Crowell Hospital.



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## THE FIRST STATE BANK

## LOCALS

Bertha Priest is spending the week in Vernon.

Call 230 for Pierce Petroleum products.—Henry Ross. tf

Northland, a good ice refrigerator. M. S. Henry & Co.

Efford Kaylor of Plainview was here in Crowell Tuesday.

For Rent—5 room house, modern conveniences, close in.—M. S. Henry.

Frances Hill, student in Oklahoma University, visited her parents here last week.

See Ivive for new radiators for your old Ford.

Jesse Owens was in Vernon two days this week for district court.

Will have car of maize on track in few days.—Hughston Grain Co. 41

For Rent—2-room house piped for gas, also has garage.—J. D. Johnson. tf

For Sale—Dwelling, small cash payment, rest like rent. See Leo Spencer.

Marcel's—50c, and rain water shampoos at Edythe Jones Beauty Shoppe. 41p

Marvin Jones, United States Congressman of this district, spent a night here last week.

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### WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Spearman will be burning natural gas by August 1st. Six inch pipe lines are to be laid to the town from the Stinnett fields to supply the commodity. The price is to be reduced from 75 cents to 65 cents per cubic foot of gas.

Fort Stockton is experiencing a lively building boom. The new opera house when completed and furnished will represent an expenditure of \$75,000. Brick business houses costing \$20,000 are being built and plans for more made. Many substantial residences are going up.

Santa Anna, after completing a new school building and a modern city hall has now started evacuation preliminary to paving five blocks of the town's main streets. Plans are being considered for additional paving to be done upon the completion of these five blocks.

Although having an adequate water supply at the present time Childress is preparing for the future by purchasing a tract of 280 acres of land at a price of \$16,000 to be used in drilling water wells. A dam may be built later to make a lake.

Contract has been let for the new Silvertown high school building to cost approximately \$85,000.00. The building will be completed by September. It will be modern in every respect and will be built and equipped with the latest and most modern conveniences and material.

Tulia will represent Swisher county at the Second annual Panhandle Plains Dairy Show in Plainview April 2 to 5 with three hundred citizens headed by the Tulia High School band of thirty-two pieces. Eighty-

six head of dairy cattle are being fitted for the show.

More than 500 car loads of maize, kaffir, and other sorghum grains have been shipped from Tahoka this season. One hundred cars are yet to be shipped. A car load of heads consists of about 20 tons, and bring about \$17.00 per ton.

Ten percent of the farmers in Dickens county took advantage of the poultry and dairy short course conducted by E. N. Holmgren and E. R. Eudaly at Spur, and are putting into practice the knowledge gained. Many farmers have taken up the idea of diversification in farming around Spur.

Outlook for dairying in Haskell County is better now than ever before due to the various organizations in several towns boosting the establishment of a creamery. Farmers in this section realize that the cow is hard to replace on the farm when it comes to an income the year around.

Forty head of dairy cattle will be taken from Lockney and Floyd county to the Panhandle Plains Dairy Show. A Floyd County delegation, composed of farmers and business men of the county, are planning to attend the show in unison on Wednesday, April 3rd. The delegation will be led by the Floydada band.

The South Plains District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in Tahoka April 24th will sponsor a "My Home Town" oratorical contest, at which all high school children under 21 years of age will be eligible. Secretary Williams of the chamber of commerce has mailed out rules and regulations.

Two well known West Texas women will be on the program of the Oil Belt District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which will be held on April 18. They are Lexie Dean Robertson, poetess

of Rising Star, and Christine Carter, vocalist of Breckenridge.

Some of the recent charities of the Moran Delphian Club have been the buying of a memorial window in the new Methodist church for \$75.00. The club started the piano fund for the high school with a contribution of \$60.00. A window in the new Christian church for \$75.00 was also purchased.

#### WESTERN WONDER SEED

We have for sale a limited supply of high grade planting seed from the Hall County Seed Co., Memphis, Texas.

This seed was ginned first half of October last, from picked cotton which made a bale per acre of high lint and good staple. Not bad to fall out, and are as near 100 per cent germination as seed get to be. Seed have been culled and re-cleaned.

Examine and compare them with other seed before you buy. Price \$1.75 per bushel while they last at J. K. McBeath's Poultry and Feed Store, Crowell, Texas. 43p

#### Many Strong Tributes to Virtues of Garlic

Garlic is one of the most highly esteemed and heartily despised of vegetables. The ancients praised it with enthusiasm, as a cure for all sorts of bodily ills—among them indigestion, sunstroke, rheumatism, bronchitis and smallpox. It figures in the Bible: "We remember," the rebellious children of Israel told Moses, "the fish which we did eat in Egypt freely; the cucumbers, and the melons, and the leeks, and the onions, and the garlic."

Historians say that the Pyramids could not have been built but for the garlic fed to the slaves and captives. Pliny says: "I cannot overpass the foolish superstition of the Egyptians who use to swear by Garlic and onions, calling them to witness in taking their oaths." Garlic a god? The French do not deny it, but as a condition they seem almost to reverence it. So also, assuredly, do the Italians, to whom it is a necessary of life.—Boston Transcript.

#### Good of Plants in House

The presence of plants in the house often proves a guide to the sanitary conditions existing within the domicile. If a room is so badly ventilated or dark that plants will not thrive in it, it is certainly not a healthy room for human beings. Plants are very sensitive and react quickly to any poisonous gases that might be in the air. The begonia is regarded as a guide to health. It was recently demonstrated when a begonia doing decorative service in a dining room was found to wilt in a few days. Being replaced by a second one, the same thing resulted, and it was suggested that there must be something wrong. A leakage of gas perhaps. An investigation being made, a tiny gas leak was discovered under the floor. The volume of gas was not sufficient to be detected by smell, and yet it was great enough to have an immediate action upon the plants.

#### Forests Are Depleted

Cuba has turned much of its former forest land over to the growing of sugarcane, says the American Tree association. The coast line of Santo Domingo, and the lowlands of Porto Rico, are dotted with plantations of cocoa, coconut and cane. But a great deal more land has been cleared of tree growth than is ever going to be used for agriculture in the islands of the West Indies. Much of it is a wasteful asset today. Porto Rico and Trinidad have depleted their once widespread forest to a pitiful fraction. The republic of Haiti has hardly a stick of accessible commercial timber.

#### Shoppers' Faces Snapped

To obtain natural expressions of shoppers a Berlin merchant has in his store window a camera which, with its operator, is invisible to the gazers. One picture of a girl looking longingly at a string of pearls bore the title "Covetous." Another showing a young man surreptitiously looking at a pair of silk stockings, and evidently making up his mind to go in and buy, was unlabeled. Two small boys gazing at a mechanical train was charming, and equally so was that of a group of children watching a butterfly crawl up the window pane.

#### More Useful

Brown was called to the police court to receive a reward for rescuing a drowning woman. "I am pleased to pin this medal to your breast," said the magistrate, "and also to lodge \$25 to your credit in the bank as an acknowledgement of your great bravery." Brown showed some little embarrassment, and then said, "If it's all the same to you, sir, I'd rather you'd pin the \$25 to my breast and lodge the medal in the bank."—Weekly Scotsman.

#### Tyndale's Great Work

William Tyndale, while translating into English the New Testament and the Pentateuch, found publication impossible in England, owing to the opposition. Accordingly he went to Germany in 1524, and after visiting Luther at Wittenberg, settled with his amanuensis in Cologne where the printing of his work was being undertaken. He was forced to leave there, however, and take refuge at Worms, where his book eventually saw the light.

### Churches

#### Methodist Church

A splendid day last Sunday at the Methodist Church. The attendance not fully up to expectation, but the Easter spirit was everywhere in evidence. Easter decorations, music and programs.

Four members were received into the church at the close of the 11 o'clock service.

We are expecting a fine day next Sunday with increased attendance.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock with special provisions in the matter of teachers, classes and rooms for all ages. Worship at 11 a. m. to which we invite the public. Junior church for the boys and girls at 4:15 p. m. Senior Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Special revival services will begin on April 21st, third Sunday.

W. R. McCARTER.

#### Christian Church

With one hundred and seven present at Sunday School last Sunday we had the largest attendance on record. All services of the day were well attended and interest, real spiritual interest, was the best we have had for months. I feel that we are on the road to real accomplishments, for real spiritual interest is necessary to success in the Master's service.

Bro. Powers will be away next Sunday and I will fill his place in the pulpit. My subject for the morning service will be, "The Responsibility of Leadership." I hope that many will hear it.

Evening services will be conducted by the young people, and the following program will be given:

Subject, "Using the Bible as a Daily Guide."

Song, "Come Thou Almighty King."

Invocation.

Song, "More about Jesus Would I Know."

Song, "I Love to Tell the Story."

Sentence prayers, by all.

Song, "Sing them over again to me."

Special Song, "My Mother's Bible."

—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward.

Leaders talk—Mr. Teddy Burrow.

Scripture reading and comment—Miss Virginia Sue Crowell.

Talk, "Our Need of a Guide in Life."—Miss Edith Schooley.

Talk, "Why the Bible is the best Guide for Life."—Miss Mary Alice Shannon.

Poem, "The Bible."—Miss Majorie Schooley.

Talk, "How to use the Bible as a Guide."—Miss Blanche Schooley.

"Literary Drawings."—Ernest Spears.

Talk, "The Bible as a Guide for every Life."—Miss Mary Clayton Giddings.

Poem, "Life's Unchartered Sea."—Miss Elizabeth Kincaid.

Invitation Hymn, "Take my Life and let it be."

Christian Endeavor Benediction.

Be sure to come and see what a wonderful service these young people can give us. Service begins at 7:45 o'clock.

C. V. ALLEN, Reporter.

#### Baptist Church News

Last Sunday morning was outstanding in that the people responded to the appeal of the pastor for Home and Foreign Missions in a most substantial way. The offering was liberal and we hope that when it is all returned in not a member will be left out. How glorious it is for each one to have an active part in all things the church fosters.

We called in our evening service the Presbyterian revival.

We are busy this week getting ready for our revival which begins next Sunday morning. The pastor will do the preaching and the Odgens will have charge of the music, young people, children and ladies work. They are artists in their line and Crowell people will hear them gladly.

The orchestra has agreed to play for the meeting and with the cooperation of the singers, we expect the music to be the highest and best. Mr. Ogden will, no doubt, entertain us with his Xylophone. These people sing solos, duets, and negro spirituals. No one will want to miss a single service. They are powerful in prayer and no one can hear them without being convinced that they have been with Jesus.

Sunday morning subject, "The Importance of Prayer." Evening, "Greater Works." WOODIE W. SMITH.

#### Young People's Missionary Society

The Young People's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met in its regular monthly business and social meeting at the home of our president, Miss Jewell Brown, on Monday afternoon, April 1st.

Miss Cornelia Beidleman having charge of the program read several verses from the book of Mark for the devotional. Our superintendent, Mrs. Jack Brian, lead in a very earnest prayer after which every one joined in the song, "Pass Me Not," led by Carrie Maurice Allee. Misses Pearl Saunders, Ila Lovelady and Eva Todd each gave an interesting part on the program. Billie Jean Geo. Bible read from the Missionary Voice. Reports were heard from the officers for the past month's work.

We were glad to have Miss Wilma Ball as a new member and Carrie Maurice Allee, as a visitor, with us. Refreshments were served to eleven members and guests.

We are more than delighted with the way our society is growing and hope to gain many new members in the near future.—Reporter.

#### Epworth League

April 7: The Epworth League of Nations. Galatians 5:1, Colossians 3:9-15. Leader—Wilma Ball. Talk: What Kind of Service?—Ragsdale Lanier. Talk: Keeping Tab on the Congo—Jewell Brown. Sentence Prayers. Talk: A Cruz de Malta—Miss Emi-

ly Purcell. Talk: A Message from a Young Woman of the Orient—Mrs. McCarter.

Reading by Iva Pearl Teague. A talk on Europe—Lee Black. League Benediction.

#### Christian Science Services

Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, April 7, "Unreality."

Sunday School 9:30. Wednesday evening service 8:00. The public is cordially invited.

#### SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject—The Group that Jesus Trained.

Introduction—Group Captain.

1. Jesus Called Plain Men—Ivan Wozencraft.

2. Available Facts about Apostles—Mack Boswell.

3. The Task of Training—Lucille Ellis.

4. An Inspiring Parallel—Weldon Cordell.

5. Problems Always Present—Susie Johnson.

How much do you know about "The Group Jesus Trained?" Do you recognize these disciples, "traitor," "Son of Thunder," "rough-and-ready fisherman," and "the Gospel writer?" Study with the B. Y. P. U. the hardships that Jesus met in transforming his group into steadfast apostles. Be with us at 6:30, please.—Reporter.

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Although our equipment is the best, our overhauling and repairing prices are exceptionally economical. ACCURACY and ECONOMY, that's the type of service you receive here.

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### 6-Cylinder Smoothness

Due to the finer inherent balance of its six-cylinder valve-in-head motor, the new Chevrolet provides that smooth, quiet, flexible performance which is the distinguishing characteristic of the truly fine automobile. At every speed, the power is delivered easily, freely and without annoying vibration. You can ride and drive for hours without annoying rumble or noise fatigue—every mile a delight for both driver and passengers.

### 6-Cylinder Getaway

And in sheer brilliance of performance, as well as in smoothness and quietness of operation, the new Chevrolet Six is a revelation. An automatic acceleration pump results in remarkably fast acceleration whenever the accelerator is suddenly depressed. And a new high-compression, non-detonating cylinder head eliminates every trace of "lugging"—even when you have occasion to accelerate swiftly in high gear.

### 6-Cylinder Speed

Naturally, Chevrolet's powerful six-cylinder valve-in-head motor might be expected to provide speed in abundance. But even more important than the speed of the new Chevrolet Six is the smooth, quiet, restful comfort you experience at every point on the speedometer. You can go on the throttle with a feeling of complete security—and you come to the end of a full day's drive entirely free from the weariness caused by engine noise and body creaking.

### 6-Cylinder Power

The great reserve power of the new Chevrolet Six is a constant delight. The steepest hills are taken with ease. Heavy roads are negotiated without the necessity for frequent gear-shifting. And even at the higher speeds, there is always that feeling of confidence which comes from the knowledge that additional power is at hand . . . instantly available for whatever need may arise.

### Modern Safety Features

The new Chevrolet Six is equipped with every modern safety and convenience feature—typified by a full ball bearing steering mechanism, non-locking 4-wheel brakes with separate emergency brake, foot controlled adjustable two-beam headlights, automatic fuel pump, theft-proof Electrolock, electric motor temperature indicator, and Fisher VV windshield and adjustable driver's seat in all closed models. As a result, it is one of the easiest and safest cars in the world to handle.

### Better Than 20 Miles Per Gallon

The marvelous performance of the Chevrolet Six would be considered exceptional in any automobile. But in the new Chevrolet it is nothing short of sensational—for here it is combined with operating economy of *better than 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline*. As a result, those who can afford to own any automobile can afford to own and operate a Chevrolet Six!

### Exceptional Riding Comfort

Another vital factor that has influenced hundreds of thousands in their selection of the new Chevrolet Six is its exceptional riding comfort. Built on a wheelbase of 107 inches . . . offering the deep-cushioned luxury of bodies by Fisher . . . and with the entire upper structure cradled on four long semi-elliptic shock absorber springs—it travels the roughest highways with amazing comfort. And its balance on turns and curves is

equally exceptional—for the rigid frame and the long springs reduce sidesway to the minimum.

### Beautiful Fisher Bodies

The marvelous bodies on the Chevrolet Six reveal, as never before, the matchless artistry that has made the Fisher name renowned throughout the world for excellence in coachcraft. Longer, lower and roomier . . . finished in attractive, long-lasting colors . . . and upholstered in rich deep-tufted fabrics that give to the interiors an air of custom elegance—they introduce into the low-price field an entirely new measure of style and distinction.

### Proved Dependability

Before the new Chevrolet Six was presented to the public, it had been tested for more than a million miles on the roads of the General Motors Proving Ground. Never did a new motor car go into the hands of its owners more thoroughly proved in every detail. And now, reports of its performance on the highways of the nation pay glowing tribute to its endurance and dependability.

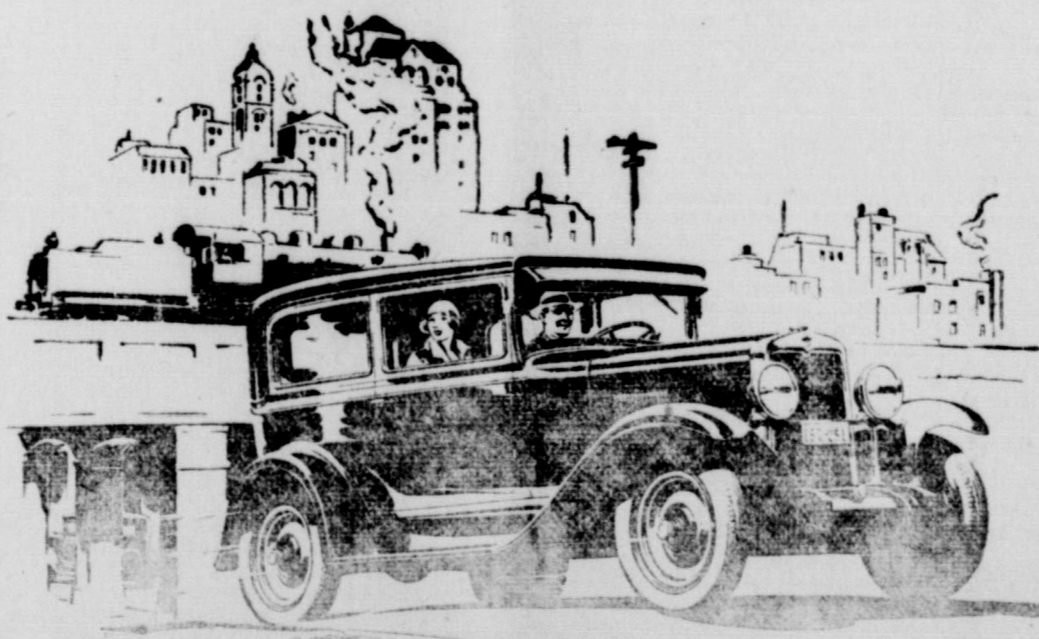
### Amazingly Low Prices

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The Convertible Landau . . . . .	725
The Sedan Delivery . . . . .	595
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Sargol Soft Mass Pills completely overcame my liver trouble and constipation. They act so gently that they did not upset my system or make me the least bit sick.

I know from experience that the Sargol treatment will end stomach and liver complaints. I feel just like I have been made all over like new, and I want all my friends to know what this grand medicine will do.

The above statement was made recently by Mrs. Julia Oak, well known and highly esteemed resident of R. F. D. 1, Box 157, San Antonio, whose motherly kindness has endeared her to hundreds of friends throughout her community.

Sargol may be obtained in Crowell at Reeder Drug Co. (Adv.)

FARM RELIEF PROPOSALS

Now that a special call has been issued for congress to meet in April, among business scheduled to be brought up, will be the Farm Relief Measure, of which we have heard so much in the last several months.

There will be a great difficulty for congress to pass legislation in a general way that will apply to the average farmer, because of the varying conditions that exist in the portions of the country.

A report has been compiled from federal and state surveys, which have attempted to devise a general pattern of farm relief. The figures would lead to the conclusion that the "average" farmer does not exist.

Annual farm labor returns, as indicated by surveys made in 17 states during the past six years have ranged from a loss of \$5,852 to an income for labor and management of \$15,925. Individual farm labor incomes of a group of Virginia farmers, for example, ranged from \$1,365 to a loss of \$909. In Ohio the range was from \$3,908 to \$136.

The range in costs of producing hogs among 21 Iowa producers varied from \$7.20 to \$17.66 per 10 pounds. The low-cost producer received \$1.54 per bushel for corn fed and the highest producer received 51 cents.

Butter fat cost for a section in the Middle West ranged from 21 cents to \$1.67 per pound. State averages of corn production costs ranged from 49 cents per bushel in Indiana to \$1.95 in Texas. Cotton production costs varied from 10 cents per pound to 57 cents.

The efficient farmer, the comparisons indicate, will reap a profit where the inefficient reaps a loss.

Oil of citronella, popularly associated with mosquitoes, is an important ingredient in soap and perfume industries, its perfume resembling that of the rose.

A salt mining company in Michigan has lined a hole 1,100 feet deep with concrete, for use in getting out the salt.

HAWK BRAND WORK CLOTHES advertisement featuring an image of a hawk and the text 'THEY WEAR LONGER' and 'Sold Exclusively in Crowell by R. B. EDWARDS CO.'

A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that court.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Sections 2 and 3 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 5, Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; in other matters, until otherwise provided by Law, the jurisdiction of the Court shall be exercised under such regulations and orders as the Court by a majority vote may prescribe. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this State and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a judge of a court, or such lawyer and judge together at least seven years. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at a general election, shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and, upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Article 5, Section 3. The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in cases of which the Court of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction under such restrictions and regulations as the Legislature may prescribe. Until otherwise provided by law, the appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of the Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several Courts of Civil Appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a Statute of the State is held void, and shall extend to such other questions as may be within the Court's Appellate Jurisdiction under the Statutes of the State in force when this amendment takes effect. The Supreme Court and the Justices thereof shall have the power to issue writs of habeas corpus, as may be prescribed by Law, and under such regulations as may be prescribed by Law, the said Court and the Justices thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari and such other writs, as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warrantum and mandamus in such cases as may be specified, except as against the Governor of the State.

The Supreme Court shall have power, upon affidavit or otherwise as provided by law, to determine, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capitol for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the Court. The Supreme Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the Minutes of said Court who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

Sec. 2. Said proposed Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on Tuesday, July 16, 1929, at which election each voter opposing said proposed amendment shall scratch off of the ballot

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with a pen or pencil the following words printed on said ballot: "For the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for a continuous session of that Court," and each voter favoring said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot in the same manner the following words printed on said ballot: "Against the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that Court." If it appears from the returns of said election that majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and said election held as provided by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

Approved February 19, 1929. (A Correct Copy) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor; providing for its submission to the voters of the State of Texas as required by the Constitution, and making appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive an annual salary of Ten Thousand Dollars and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion fixtures and furniture, provided that this amendment shall not become effective until the third Tuesday in January, 1931."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State on July 16, 1929, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor." And those voters opposing said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor."

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

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expense of such publication and election.

Approved March 19, 1929. (A Correct Copy) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR STATE ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals addressed to the State Highway Engineer of Texas, for the improvement of that part of State Highway No. 28, covered by F. A. P. 536-B, in Foard County, will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, at Austin, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m., April 23, 1929, and then publicly opened and read.

Work consists of construction of Grading and Drainage Structures from Good Creek Road to Cottle County Line on State Highway No. 28, a distance of 10.212 miles.

Time for completion to be 160 working days.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of Byron Reese, Resident Engineer, at Crowell, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashier's check for \$3,000.00 is required.

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HEAD AND TAIL LIGHTS URGED FOR ELEPHANTS

The Municipal Council of Kandy, Ceylon, has been urged by the automobile interests to protect travelers against the trains of unlighted elephants which carry merchandise along the roads by day and night, says "Meteor," writing in the London Electrical Times. "The dirty grey of the local elephant, it seems, is practically invisible at dusk. The Kandy Council is therefore proposing that every elephant carry a head and tail light. As these noble animals are perfectly competent to carry a few battery cells, or even a complete electric light station, it is possible that this unkind attack by motor car drivers may lead to a glaring rebort by the elephant fore and aft."

The north pole is at sea level, but the south pole is on an ice plateau almost 10,000 feet high.

The force of a lightning flash was computed by Steinmetz to be about 50,000,000 volts.

A monument to Roentgen, discoverer of X-rays, was unveiled in Leningrad recently.

More than half of Arizona is more than 5,000 feet above sea level.

POULTRY COLUMN

(By F. W. Kazmeier)

Discard Mongrel Hens

Mongrel or scrub chickens are hopeless as far as profits are concerned. It is a mistake to keep mixed chickens and hope to make any money from them; the first step is to get rid of the mongrel hen. All mongrels are poor layers and it stands to reason that they should be; they have never been bred for egg production. Even if one should accidentally be a good layer, she will not reproduce this characteristic. On a very conservative average, standard bred hens lay more than three times as much as mongrels.

It does not pay to breed from mixed chickens. It does not pay to breed from cross-bred chickens.

The standard bred hen, sometimes called the pure bred hen, is the most profitable. She is the only kind it pays to keep.

Farmers Need High-Grade Poultry

The farmer is realizing more and more all the time, the importance of keeping only pure-bred chicks, bred for egg production. A more correct term is bred-to-lay standard chickens. Only as many as fifteen years ago pure-bred chickens on the farm were the exception. Texas is still far behind the general progress in this respect, but fast coming to the front. It is a mistake to keep mongrel or mixed chickens. It indicates poor farm management to have a flock of mongrel hens on the farm. Scrub chickens are greatly inferior to bred-to-lay, pure, standard bred chickens. It is mistake to waste good time and feed on mongrel fowls. They are poor producers and consume just as much feed as pure-bred ones that lay well. "Just chickens" are rapidly being replaced by real hens that keep the cobwebs out of the nest boxes. Bred-to-lay hens, so to speak, cannot keep from doing their duty. Too many mongrel flocks consider themselves a necessary evil on the farm and act accordingly.

One-Man Plants

The one-man poultry plants appear to be the most successful for the average family. Such plants, as a rule, have from 500 to 1,500 head of mature stock. Many buy each year ten to twelve weeks old pullets from farms that specialize in the growing of pullets. Others buy hundreds or thousands of baby chicks from reliable hatcheries, thus eliminating an investment in incubator houses, incubators and the expense of operation. The tendency today is unmistakably towards a greater specialization in this industry which is already so highly specialized.

Investigation of many of these one-man plants indicates that the profits vary from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per hen has been recorded but, as we do not wish to mislead anyone, we give preference to the former and more conservative figures.

Get a small place of your own, if only an acre of ground, stock it with any of the popular and profitable breeds and know what it feels like to be independent. You will live longer and enjoy a happier and more prosperous life.

POULTRY INTEREST GROWS

More interest is being shown in good poultry stock, scientific houses and proper feeding in Foard County than ever before, according to County Agent Fred Rennels. "I am having more inquiries about the proper method of starting flocks, plans for poultry houses and other items concerning the poultry industry than I have ever had before," Rennels stated.

Increasing Flocks

S. E. Tate plans to increase his flock of 200 hens to 500 and is now making improvements to care for this number. He is selling baby chicks and stated that they are being bought faster than they can be hatched. Last week he was unable to supply orders for 1,100 eggs.

A. A. Blair of Vivian is increasing his flock of 300 hens to 500. Vernon Pyle has one thousand eggs setting and is planning to have a large poultry flock this year. Roy Todd is making various improvements for his chickens and dairy cows and is adopting all of the latest methods in his improvements. Joe Orr has sold down to only pedigreed poultry and is planning to increase his pedigreed flock.

Things Worth Knowing

Only seven states had more people on farms in 1925 than in 1920.

Practically all of the United States' raisin crop comes from California.

A new factory in Switzerland will manufacture glucose from sawdust.

A shark weighing 200 pounds has a liver weighing twenty or even thirty pounds.

In India last year there were 1,033 men killed by tigers, and 1,068 tigers were killed by men.

Elephants were used in putting criminals to death as late as the tenth century in Canton, China.

The snow-topped mountains of the Moon at the African equator emerge from a cloak of mist only for a few hours three or four times a year.

Several years ago a live tiger caught in northern Manchuria brought \$100, now it will bring over \$2,000.

A giant sequoia tree named after General Sherman contains the most wood of any of the big trees, being 286 feet high and thirty-six feet in diameter.

About 17 per cent of Russia's people live in towns.

There are now only about 800 grizzly bears left in the United States.

Snake bites kill more than \$1,000,000 worth of cattle in Texas each year.

America's first golf course was established at White Sulphur Springs, in West Virginia.

An ostrich's foot has only two toes.

The world's oldest republic is Andorra.

A tortoise can live to 350 years old, but no elephant was ever known to live beyond 130 years.

Tapestries that graced the palaces of Manchu emperors of China several centuries ago have been put on exhibition in a Chicago museum.

American eat more pork than any other people.

An American inventor devised the first successful process of color photography about fifty years ago.

All the religious sects of the east and west are represented in the

Hawaiian islands.

Agriculture in China is said to be back to the time of an emperor reigned about 280 B. C.

The planet Venus has no atmosphere.

Arabs think it unlucky to kill a giraffe, but the Chinese regard animal as a luck omen.

By use of a new device developed at the United States standards the pickup of a mobile engine can be calculated.

Battleship West Virginia, cruising radius of about 10,000 miles.

At the height of 20,000 feet you can see an object 185 miles to the horizon.

Of the 740,000 oil wells which have been drilled in the United States the last sixty-nine years, 312,000 are still producing.

Large advertisement for CASE Farm Equipment featuring a tractor, a plow, and a disk harrow. Text includes 'He Made Good On His Boast', 'FARMER in Oklahoma said he could drive along the road and pick out the fields fitted with the Case-Grand Detour Wheatland Disk Plow just by noting the better condition of the crop. And what's more, he succeeded in doing it in a good many cases.', 'This Wheatland is a real plow—don't get it confused with a disk harrow. You can get down 6 inches deep if you like and very often the field is left in prime condition for seeding without another lick of work. Saves time and money—increases the yield.', 'It fits any condition of soil or power because width (and consequently draft) is easily adjustable by removal of sections and proper angling. Even though disks are in separate sections, all the blades turn as one—an exclusive Case feature—which carries the plow through trash without clogging.', 'See the Case Wheatland Disk Plow. Let us point out to you its many desirable features. Come in anytime.', 'M. S. HENRY & CO. Phone 75', 'CASE Full line now includes E-B OSBORNE GRAND DETOUR', 'Four Months From Now WHAT chicks get in their feed will have a lot to do with keeping them alive and growing. More than 2,500 hatcheries say, "Feed Purina Chick Startena." There's a reason. Every ingredient that goes into Startena is carefully chosen and tested. Startena is rich in life-giving and growth-producing vitamins, proteins and minerals. Every ingredient in Startena has its job to do. Every ingredient does its part in keeping chicks alive and growing.', 'Start your chicks on Purina... keep them on Purina... you'll get more grown-up chicks and have more money left after all chick raising costs are paid. Tell us how many bags of Startena you need right now.', 'Bell Mill & Elevator Co. PHONE NO. 124'



**THALIA**

(Special Correspondent)

Mrs. R. E. Taylor of Vero Beach, Fla., and family, visited Sunday school at the Methodist church.

Mrs. G. B. Neill, Mr. and Mrs. A. Neill and daughter, Miss Maye, visited relatives in Falls Sunday.

James C. H. Wood, C. W. Morris, C. C. Lindsay, Adkins, J. A. Stovall, W. G. Adams and Miss Minnie Wood attended a zone meeting of the Methodist church at Wesley Chapel on Sunday of last week.

Bernice Webb of Crowell visited the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Webb, here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Haney were called to Olney Saturday where their daughter, Mrs. O. L. Maynard, was operated on Sunday morning.

J. A. Stovall came home from Wichita Falls last Friday where he had been attending Federal Court, but he had to return to Wichita Falls Tuesday morning of this week.

Miss Anna Maye Neill visited home folks here last week-end.

Misses Louise Stovall and Kathleen McElroy and Willie Cato visited Royce Cato in Stamford Sunday. They all motored to Abilene where they visited Miss Fannie Bell Williams, a friend of Miss Stovall's.

G. A. Shultz and daughter, Lorene, and J. C. Taylor left Wednesday morning for Dallas and Ft. Worth where Mr. Shultz will buy some fixtures of his drug store and Mr. Taylor will attend a Gin Convention.

Mrs. J. K. Langley left Tuesday morning to attend the N. W. T. missionary conference at Plainview. She will also visit her daughter at Littlefield.

Several attended the Laubenthal trial in Vernon Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. C. H. Woods and son, Charles Everett, and Mrs. Truett Neill were Vernon visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. Jones entertained quite a crowd of young people with 42 and bridge games Friday night of last week. Those present were; Misses Louise Stovall, Viola Taylor, Mattye Russell, Lorene and Lucille Shultz, Ruth Grimm, Tommie French and Bernice Webb, Messers. Roy, Lewis and Gotchie Mints, Reeves Hartman, Robert Caldwell, Bob Abston, Earl Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Neill, and G. A. Shultz. Miss Mattye Russell won high score in bridge and Earl Phillips won in 42. After the games refreshments were served to all present. Each one reported a lovely time.

W. C. Jones and Reeves Hartman were business visitors in Vernon Tuesday afternoon.

**WOMEN ARE BEST AVIATORS**

The woman who faints at the sight of a mouse, or jumps off her feet when an auto horn blazes behind her, can take courage. An official of an aero club in England has announced that women aviators are more fearless than men.

An exhaustive study was made by experts along this line, according to an announcement, and they have come to the conclusion that the feminine reaction to fear is less pronounced than the masculine.

Scientists declare that women who have submitted themselves to blood-pressure and other tests before and after participating in unenviable stunts have been found practically unaffected by the ordeal. They add that all but the most hardened men pilots show definite reactions under similar circumstances.

Far-seeing men in several European countries have not been slow to observe this unaccountable superiority of women in the face of aerial dangers. They have not waited for science to come forward and demonstrate the fact, but have made use of feminine indifference to danger in the air to organize flying schools for women, and, in Russia, flying units said to be available for national defense.

**ELECTRICITY**

Electricity is something that starts the Lord knows where and ends in the same place. It is one-thirty-sixth of a second faster on its feet than its nearest competitor, backyard gossip, and when turned loose in Europe will go to the United States five hours before it starts.

Nobody knows exactly what it is because it has never stood still long enough.

Electricity is sometimes known as science gone crazy with the heat, and if you can understand its maneuvers, you can do anything with it except open a can of peanut butter at a picnic.

Electricity was locked up in ignorance for centuries until Ben Franklin let it out with a pass key, and since then it has been pulling off more stunts than a pet monkey.

With it you can start a conversation or stop one permanently, cook dinner, curl your hair, press your trousers, blow up a battle ship, run an automobile or signal Mars, and many more things are being invented. —From Power.

**STATEMENT**

Statement of ownership, management, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of the Foard County News, published weekly at Crowell, Texas, for April, 1929.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Before me, a notary public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared T. B. Klepper, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Foard County News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form to-wit: That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager is: T. B. Klepper, whose address is Crowell, Texas; and the owner is T. B. Klepper, Crowell, Texas; that the known bondholders owning or holding one per cent or more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: G. M. Thacker, Crowell, Texas, and the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., New York, N. Y.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of April, 1929.

ALVA SPENCER, Notary Public.

**THE SAVING HABIT**

Occasionally we hear of some youngster who has acquired a habit of saving his pennies instead of rushing off to buy candy.

That is a good habit, and later in life he will be saving many dollars instead of a few pennies.

Saving comes easy to people who get the habit, and the habit comes easy if it is taught to the youngster when he begins to receive his first pennies.

The boy who learns to save in his young days never wants for funds in his old age.

But the lesson is seldom learned unless his parents are the teachers.

The calendar should be arranged so that when Opportunity knocks, you should be there to open the door.

**See Our Window Display**

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**DEPLETED WELLS MAY BE USED FOR STORAGE OF GAS**

A new visualization of America's gas industry of the future, when surplus gas can be stored in underground natural gas wells and partly depleted sands in amounts sufficient to meet the country's maximum house heating demands, thereby solving one of the industry's greatest problems, was described at the Pacific Coast Conference of the American Gas Association by S. W. Meals, of Pittsburgh, president of the Carnegie Natural Gas Company, and chairman of the Association's Natural Gas Department.

Mr. Meals pleaded for closer cooperation between the gas and oil operators in properly protecting production sands with a view to using partly depleted sands for storage purposes. He also advised that large-volume gas wells, when the sand is free from water, should be protected and not plugged when the gas is depleted. Such wells should be retained for storage, he declared.

The idea of using large amounts of gas in discarded natural gas wells is original with Mr. Meals, and is based on the experience of the natural gas industry in storing large volumes of gas in the summer time and using it during the winter. Such practice, he said, is now followed in sections of Kentucky, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, Oklahoma and Texas.

"One company has stored more than eight billion cubic feet of gas in some eighty wells covering an area of about 27 square miles," Mr. Meals explained.

"At Buffalo, New York, use of underground storage has been of great value in meeting the severe winter load. The gas was purchased in the Pennsylvania field during the summer months and stored in 23 wells located within an area of eight hundred acres. The average depth is 1900 feet. The first well was drilled

in 1888. The greatest amount stored at any one time was about three hundred million cubic feet, but nearly three billion cubic feet have been stored and used as needed since June, 1916."

**TONGUES THAT TALK TOO MUCH**

Many a life of purity has been clouded by the crimson tongue of shame—blasted by the gossip of tongues that never cease to wag. Purity is never safe as long as gossip is at large.

Sometimes it is not vicious gossip, but rather thoughtless or idle remarks that are not intended to harm, but that are taken in the wrong spirit and result in character crucifixion.

Good things said of a person are taken as a matter of course, and are often forgotten.

A detrimental remark, though small and of no material consequence, will be taken up and magnified from day to day until it becomes a mountain of iniquity.

That is what tongues do that talk too much.

The new flying machine that goes straight up will be quite an improvement over the ones that go straight down.

Tailors estimate that a man cannot dress in good taste for less than \$1,500 a year. Most of us know of several who are doing it.

This is the time of year now when some of the burglars should be pardoned from the prisons, and put to work opening windows on some of the street cars.

The modern day pessimist is the fellow who is in constant fear of being run over by a horse and buggy.

A London dentist has declared that America has the best teeth in the world, but he should examine some of our laws.

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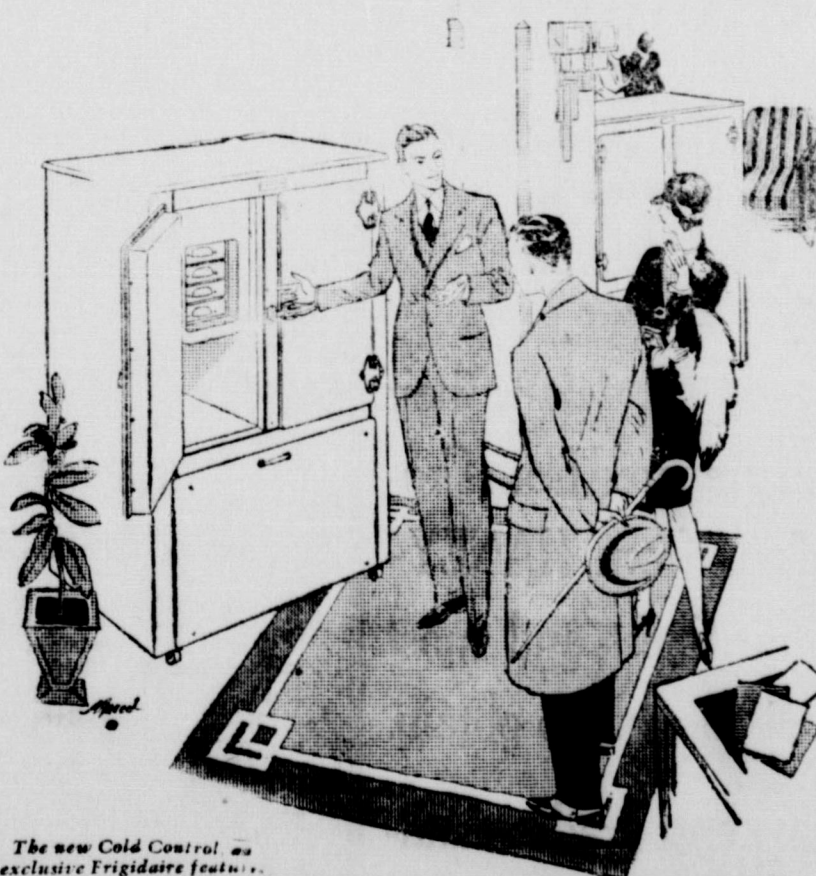
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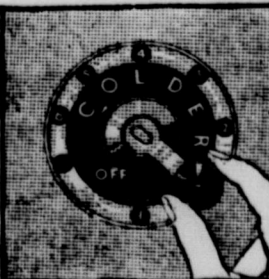
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absolute quietness for you can't hear it start, stop or run.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

Chevrolet Has Art And Color Division

Watching the new Chevrolet as it noses gracefully through traffic or presses forward eagerly on some highway, you may have wondered how its various color blendings are conceived, and why they appear in such profusion.

The Art and Color Division of General Motors is the source of all the color schemes which enhance every General Motors car from the graceful Chevrolet to the baronial Cadillac.

Wallace Beery Stars at Rialto Next Week

Crowell movie fans have learned that when the name of Wallace Beery is connected with a picture, no further proof as to its entertaining value is necessary.

Beery plays a serious role in the film "Beggars of Life" here Wednesday and Thursday and presents one of the greatest fictional characters of all time as "Delaboria Red."

A man died the other day at the age of 112, who drank and smoked, which proves that it will get you in the long run.

"What Texas Makes Makes Texas"

Herbert Edwards and Ernest King of R. B. Edwards Co. completed a very attractive window display Tuesday that has attracted much comment.

The Pool Shirt & Garment Company of Sherman, Texas, manufacturer of the shirts, is the largest institution of its kind in the South.

Ferguson Receives Cut of Lee Highway

H. E. Ferguson received a cut of the Lee Highway this week that he recently purchased. The cut, which is about 7 inches long and about one and one-half inches wide shows the entire route of the Lee Highway from San Diego to Washington, D. C.

Mr. Ferguson plans to use the cut on the letterheads for the Ferguson Drug Store and urges that all other business firms of this town use the cut on their letter heads also.

Dr. Johnson stated in his letter to Mr. Ferguson that only a few counties in the nation on the Lee Highway have not made provision for hard surfaced roads and that it should be a matter of only a few years until the entire route is hard surfaced.

Nowadays you look at the date of those shooting stars to see whether it is in Mexico or Chicago.

SOCIETY

ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

Mrs. Bill Norman entertained in honor of her sister, Miss Jessie Dell Ricks, Wednesday.

After a few games of bridge were enjoyed, little Mary Katherine McMillan dressed as a bride, presented each guest a beautiful pink carnation with a heart attached which disclosed the announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Jessie Dell Ricks to M. J. Brady of Wichita Falls.

The honor guest was presented a lovely gift. High score prize was awarded to Miss Florence Griffith and Mrs. Lemons was consoled with low.

The color scheme of pink and white was also carried out in the lovely refreshments.

The guest list: Mesdames Grady Graves, Robert Hudson, Sidney Miller, William Bell, Lemons, Haskell Norman, M. M. Hart, Jr., Arthur McMillan and Misses Mary Ennis Carter, Eva Blakemore, Florence Griffith, Eva Todd, Gussie Todd, Cornelia Beideman, Gusta Davis, Louise Thomas, Nona Owens, Annie Lu Rettig, Lottie Russell, Mary Katherine McMillan and the honoree, Miss Jessie Dell Ricks.—Contributed.

REYNOLDS-SHULTS

Mrs. J. H. Shults received word Monday that her son, Grady, married Miss Lola Reynolds of Dallas last Saturday. The young couple have been living in Dallas where Mr. Shults has been employed with a cleaning and dyeing plant and where they plan to make their future home.

Mr. Shults left Crowell a little over a year ago. He is a graduate of Crowell High School and has attended Abilene Christian College. He has lived in Crowell practically all of his life.

Mrs. Shults is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds who lived here many years ago. She was a student in Trinity University last year.

CO-LABORERS CLASS

The Co-Laborers Class of the Methodist Sunday School met in the home of Mrs. Paul Shirley, March 28th, in a business and social meeting.

Our lesson, the Book of Mark, was led by Mrs. T. L. Hughston.

We find these lessons very interesting and hope to have better attendance at our next meeting.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Paul Shirley and Miss Jessie Wright.—Reporter.

BRIDGETTES

The Bridgettes met at the home of Cornelia Beideman, April 1st. After several interesting games, of bridge were played a very delicious ice course was served to the following members: Dannie Graves, Florence Griffith, Mary M. Todd, Jessie Dell Ricks, Louise Thomas, Eva Blakemore, Lottie Russell, Gusta Davis, and hostess, Guests were Opal Hudson, Kaola Bell and Arnie Flora Beideman.

The next meeting will be with Eva Blakemore.—Reporter.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

Mrs. T. N. Bell was hostess to the Columbian Club Wednesday, March 27. Roll call answered with, "Why I am proud to live in Texas," served as an introduction to the lesson program which was conducted by Mrs. N. J. Roberts who, with a Texas map pinned on the wall, led the class from one achievement to another in Texas developments.

A contest in the form of a Texas examination was a fitting close to the series of Texas programs the club has enjoyed.

Mrs. Spencer gave an interesting account of the trip to Wichita Falls made by the 4-H Club boys. Mrs. Jack Brian read very prettily the little poem, "Out Where the West Begins."

A delicious plate, suggestive of the Easter season, was passed to the members and Mesdames Gordon, Crawford and Bert Self.

The club meets with Mrs. C. E. Ferguson, April 10.—Reporter.

METHODIST W. M. S.

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met in regular business meeting April 1st.

Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, the president, led the devotional by reading the fourteenth chapter of John, after which sentence prayers were offered by most of the members.

Each of the officers gave splendid reports which made us feel that we have accomplished something by our work. More work was planned for the future.

The superintendent of social service having resigned, Mrs. Joe Johnson was elected to that office.

The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison.

On April 8th the study class meets to study the books of Romans and First Corinthians. The lessons are instructive and at the close of each study we feel that it was good to have been there.—Reporter.

Fashionettes

NOTES OF FASHION and Store News

The fluttery note again! Georgettes and Chiffons in pastel shades and prints—with full skirts and large collars. Flares, pleats, and irregular hemlines. Transparent coats with long scarfs attached! The most feminine styles for several seasons mark the new summer apparel as distinctive.

And as a fitting complement, hair hats take their place among the front runs for milady's approval. Both large and small shapes are good and the much favored natural colored straws are holding their own.

Now is your chance to buy a strand of beads for that costume you've neglected. We have a beautiful array of them that we are selling for 79c—values up to \$1.95. Right now we have all colors and types and you will be sure to find just what you need if you are early. These costume rings too—that every one is wearing—are only 75c and you should have at least one.

Whiting & Davis are making a new mesh bag—Beadlite—which is a very pretty imitation of a beaded bag with the durability of a mesh bag. As a note of color they lend charm to the summer costume.

Men! It's time to step out in the new straw hat! Repeating its success of last summer, the body hat is completely overshadowing the sailor. A variety of color is shown with the weight on the grays and tans. Milams have the call all around followed by Leghorns, Pedilinos and Panamas. The Knox blocks, jungle, diamond and ridged crowns are among the shapes shown and the brim, just as last year, is to be worn turned down.

For those that did not get to take advantage of the Unusual Bridge Lamp Value on Opportunity Day, we are offering again, for Friday, Bridge Lamps, complete, \$1.00.

Blaw & Resenthal CROWELL, TEXAS

Young Men of Texas May To Go C. M. T. C.

The opportunity is now offered to the young men of Texas to enroll for one of the Citizen's Military Training Camps this summer. These camps will be held in the 8th Corps Area as follows: Ft. Sill, Okla.; Ft. Sam Houston, Texas; Fort Logan, Colorado; Fort Bliss, Texas; Camp S. D. Little, Arizona; and Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming.

These camps are conducted by the Regular Army from funds appropriated for that purpose by Congress. They offer to the young men of Texas a splendid opportunity to acquire the rudiments of military training and at the same time spend a glorious vacation of 30 days without a cent of expense.

The government pays the cost of transportation to camp and return, it furnishes free food, shelter, bedding and laundry service while at camp. The camp authorities put on a splendid athletic and recreational program of entertainment and the moral welfare of the young men who attend camp is carefully safeguarded, as well as their physical welfare which is safeguarded by the medical officers of the Regular Army.

Young men desiring information and enrollment blanks in regard to this matter may write—Headquarters 142d Field Artillery U. S. Army, 403 Worth Building, Fort Worth, Texas.

Young men desiring information and enrollment blanks in regard to this matter may see Dr. Hines Clark, of this city who has been appointed Foard County chairman, Sheriff Que R. Miller was formerly county chairman but is disqualified for this position due to holding a public office.

CLEAN THE SEED

One of the most valuable items of farm equipment from the standpoint of cash return on the investment is a good fanning mill, points out the research department of the National Association of Farm Equipment Manufacturers. Weeds are the most dangerous enemies of crop yields, yet, year after year, thousands of acres of grain are deliberately sown with weed seed by farmer operators who do not clean their seed grain.

Operation of a fanning mill is most efficient by means of a gas engine or electric motor to operate it at a more uniform speed than is possible to attain by hand turning. When overhead bins are used to store grain, seed cleaning may be made practically automatic by allowing the grain to flow by gravity from the bins into the hopper of the fanning mill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allison, Mrs. J. E. Barwell and Mrs. H. Schindler left Wednesday for Mineral Wells where they will remain for about two weeks.

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April 5, 1929.

Dear Friends: There is sure a lot of difference in the length of Foard County citizens faces now than before the rains. Speaking for ourselves we feel like they are justified in it.

It will surprise you how cheap you can lay a good hardwood floor over your old pine one. We have a good stock of Oak Flooring and will be glad to give you an estimate of what it will take to floor your home.

We understand that the contract will be let for the balance of the grading and drainage of the Lee Highway on the west side of the County on April 23rd. This is something we are all interested in for we are anxious for the time to come when Foard County will be connected with the rest of the United States with a concrete pavement.

We have built a brooder house according to the specifications furnished by Texas A. & M. College. If you are interested in one we will be glad for you to come in and look it over.

It will soon be time to begin planting and you don't want to forget that we have a good supply of Hickory eveners of various lengths.

Customer: "Waiter, there's a splinter in this cottage pudding." Waiter: "What did you expect, the whole cottage?"

"Can we play at keeping store in here, Mama?" "Yes but I have a headache, so if you do you must be very quiet." "All right, mama. We'll pretend we don't advertise."

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Many "Basic Patents"

The term "basic patent" is used ordinarily with much the same significance as "promoter patent"—that is to say as having reference to a patent covering an invention which represents a marked advance in some art, as when an inventor for the first time accomplishes a certain result. There have been a good many basic patents granted, from first to last, but no previous enumeration is possible, since opinions vary as to which patents are entitled to be so classed. We note Bell's patent on the telephone and Howe's patent for the sewing machine employing an eye-pointed needle. There are basic patents now in force for inventions relating to wireless, radio and other subjects.—Washington Star.

Radio Cave Painter

Plenty of miscellaneous information comes over the radio every day, but not all of it goes in one ear and out the other. A woman in Amberstburg heard some fire prevention official announcing one day that ordinary soda-bicarb was efficacious in putting out fires.

Some time later a small fire broke out in the woman's house. She grabbed a pail of water, dumped in a package of soda and poured the mixture over the flames, which went quickly out as if a blanket had been thrown over them.—Detroit Free Press.

Interest in All Lives

If a man is fairly intelligent, he has had experience of interest; if he is posed to frankness, his autobiography would be of value. Every man can place value on the life picture a little differently. I find much more interest in a good autobiography than in any story of polar exploration. There is nothing at the North pole that concerns any of us; nothing in life that does not.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Fool's Idea

Men study thought, economy, religion, chemistry, physics and philosophy many years before they claim to know much about those subjects. But on the spur of the moment every fool thinks he knows how to run a government.—Anchorage Globe.

Mutual Protective Life Association

(A Local Mutual Aid Association)

Home Insurance For Home People

Well folks we are surely doing a fine lot of business over our territory this week.

W. F. Ladd is in Crowell, and very busy. Mrs. Wortham, a recent addition to our force in the Lockett Community. Mrs. Fletcher, is one who comes in with a smile and makes us all glad we are living. Mrs. Howell is in the Farmers Valley Community, the home of our Vice President, Uncle Jake Frost.

We are expecting great things. Yes it will rain again. Every member a booster.

W. F. LADD, Agent, Crowell Phone 71

QUE MILLER IMPROVING

Sheriff Que Miller has steadily improved during the past three days from an operation for appendicitis at the Crowell Hospital. He rested well Wednesday night and Thursday, however, he is still in a serious condition.

Mrs. E. Frazier, Mr. Miller's mother, and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Sour, J. C. Miller, of Jayton, a brother, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Oliver of Denison, sister-in-law of Mr. Miller, came here this week when informed of the seriousness of Mr. Miller's condition.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

I have opened a cream station at Margaret. Bring me your cream, Saturday, one day a week, until I get established, then as often as will justify. We pay more for your butterfat.—L. C. today. JAKE MIDDLEBROOK

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