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We also have a first-class Tin Shop in connection and can make anything out of iron or Tin except a failure.

We also have Deering Binder Extras, Machine Oil, a general line of Groceries, Hardware and Implements, and will not be undersold by any body, Big or Little, quality considered.

We have a good Delivery Wagon and Horse, a Handsome Driver, and are fully prepared to serve you promptly and will always try to please you.

Yours to please,

## GROCERIES

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Crowell Hardware and  
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Implem'ts

My last letter left me at Ranger Lake about 15 miles west from the east line of New Mexico. After leaving that place I had several miles of bad sand to pull through, but by high noon I reached Texas, Grand Old Texas, the biggest thing in the United States, stopping for noon at the ranch home of Roy Neal on the line of Texas and New Mexico about two and one-half miles north from the south-west corner of Cochran county. My first evenings travel in Texas was also very sandy and was necessarily slow. On Friday morning, June 9th I reached the ranch owned by Charley Crews and Judge Fires of Childress. These gentlemen own a fine ranch property in Cochran county of five sections of fine farm and ranch lands. Mrs. Crews, who is the daughter of Mr. J. W. Odell of Gypsum in Hartman county, and her children also, (a bright, interesting family) were at the ranch spending the summer with Mr. Crews. Of course I could not pass by them without stopping, as I had known the families of both Mr. and Mrs. Crews for more than twenty years. I spent a few hours with them very pleasantly, and after my grub box had been replenished by Mrs. Crews I took my leave of this good old school Presbyterian family, feeling the better for their association.

After leaving the Crews' ranch I had much difficulty in finding

my way. The watering places (windmills) where at least 5,000 head of cattle watered, obliterating all signs of wagon travel made it exceedingly difficult to get out from these places on the proper route, so I found myself lost about half the time, and added distance to my route, as well as loss of time. But I finally got straitened out and after being lost one night and camping in the pasture of C. C. Slaughter of Dallas, I pulled into the Oxsheer pasture in Hoekley county, on the morning of the 10th of June and found my road clearly marked the rest of the way. On entering the Oxsheer pasture I was on the Hartman county school land which has an interesting bit of history, especially to those who were here from 1887 to 1890. This land was fraudulently conveyed and it took several years litigation and large court costs and attorneys' fees to recover it, but it is a valuable piece of land and well worth the contention.

The rain commenced falling on me at noon today and after three hours of travel in the rain I pulled in at the Oxsheer headquarters at 5 o'clock p. m. and stopped for the night. Mr. H. K. Porter of Lubbock, a prince among clever fellows, is the foreman of the ranch. He knows exactly how to make a wayfaring man feel com-

fortable at his ranch.

On Sunday morning I leave the Oxsheer ranch and pass through the finest plains country I have yet seen. The whole of Hoekley county and the west side of Lubbock are exceptionally fine. I noon with one, C. A. Pierce, 18 or twenty miles west of Lubbock. Mr. Pierce was raised and educated at Waxahachie, Texas.

He has a magnificent home on four sections of school land, and like all other Westerners, makes you feel glad to be at his home. Late this evening the rain caught me again and I sought and obtained shelter in the home of Mr. J. C. Coleman, five miles west of Lubbock. I found Mr. Coleman to be a brother Methodist and his wife an Episcopalian. I think they are really religious. Sister Coleman is an invalid, but seems to look on the sunny side of life. She is well posted on all the current events of the day and entertains her guests (though strangers they be) in a way that makes you feel easy and welcome in her home. They have one son who, having graduated in the public School at Lubbock, will enter the A. & M. College this fall.

On Monday, June 12, early in morning, we pull into Lubbock and make our way to the Post Office which we find in the hand,

of our old friends of 35 years acquaintance, Bob Brown, cousin to our Mrs. Belle Alice and Mrs. R. A. Wells of Crowell. I also found at this place Judge G. R. Bean, County Judge of Lubbock county. He is the son of our old army friend, Bob Bean of Gainesville, Texas. We had not seen the Judge since he was a small boy, but we find stamped in his character the noble qualities of his mother whose maiden name was Amanda Perrin. His wife is a daughter of one of the original settlers of the Quaker Colony that settled at Estacado in Crosby county about twenty-five years ago. I could have spent a week very pleasantly with my friends in Lubbock, several of which I have not mentioned, but I left this little city after dinner and by noon on the following day I was in Estacado and at noon on June 14, I reached Floydada.

I reach Matador at noon, June 15, and after traveling about fifteen miles that evening, doing a good deal of road work as I went, I pulled up to the home of one, Mr. J. W. Twombly on the hill east of Teepee creek. When we asked for permission to camp and also for supper and breakfast, "have you got a bed?" was asked, and we informed him we had our own sleeper, he invited us to take out. We found there also Dr. A. C. Frawcek of Matador; who preceded us by an hour. We also found neighboring women gathered here, and just what kind of an entertainment or party this was, we were left to guess, but all went smoothly, and the guests seemed to have an enjoyable time. Doctor and all, until about noon that night when the grand hailing sign of distress of a new born babe was plainly heard by us, although our sleeper was fully 30 steps from the house. Being a man of small experience in these matters we rightly guessed then what it all meant. Next morning the Doctor was out of the way and I was invited in by the happy father and mother to see the precious new arrival. I insisted that the name should be Malinda, but I think it was already named Katie and I presume they will not give me the name. We found the mother to be a wide awake, intelligent conversationalist and some what posted on our family history, having read and remembered about our Pat, Neff, who was only our twenty-first child. So after a pleasant chat with our host and hostess and after urgent solicitations to call if we passed passed that way again, we pulled out, reaching Paducah late in the evening, where we met many of our friends who besieged us to stop over, but in order to make it home next day we had to go further. So we made our camp in the Moon pasture, five or six miles east from Paducah.

Saturday morning, June 17, we made a hard pull for home, stopping however at the home of Ed Andres, near Vivian, to get our dinner for we always feel welcome at the home of Ed and his excellent wife. After dinner nothing unusual occurred (except that we lost our hat) and we reached home, sweet home, after an absence of 48 days, having traveled by wagon about 1,100 miles.

J. C. R.

### Notice

**Stockholders Meeting.**  
General Offices, Colorado, Texas & Mexico Railroad Co.  
Abilene, Texas, April 25, 1905.  
—Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Colorado, Texas & Mexico Railroad Company, at the general offices of said Company, in Abilene, Texas, on July 10, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of authorizing said Company to apply to the Railroad Commission of the State of Texas, for authority to issue bonds on said Railroad, to determine the amount to be applied for, and to issue same; the rate of interest to be paid thereon, and to authorize the Board of Directors to create and affix a first mortgage or trust lien on all of the property of said Company, to secure the secure the payments of bonds so issued; to authorize the Board of directors to make such contracts as may be necessary for the construction and operation of said Railroad, and to transact such other business as may be necessary to carry into effect the construction and operation of said road, and for desired extension of same. Notice is also given, that immediately after the adjournment of the Stockholders, the Board of Directors of said Company, will meet on the same day and at the same place for the purpose of carrying into effect the will of the stockholders, in applying to the authority to issue, and to issue such bonds and stocks as may be provided for, and to make all necessary contracts for the construction and operation of said road, and to make such extensions as may be desired and directed, and to make proper amendments of charter for such purpose.

Morris R. Locke, President  
Colorado, Texas & Mexico Railroad Company.

Attest:

F. C. Digby-Roberts, Secretary,  
Colorado, Texas & Mexico Railroad Company.

### To the Local Optionists of Texas.

You are urgently invited to attend the annual convention of the Texas Local Option Association at the City Hall, Dallas, Texas, July 4th, 1905, beginning at 10 a. m. Remember the Texas Local Option Association is not a political organization and that its sole purpose is to aid by non-partisan, non-sectarian methods in closing the drunkard factories in Texas and keeping them closed.

H. H. Haisell, Pres., Decatur.  
H. A. Ivy, Sec., Sherman.

June 29th, 414 immigrants were landed at Galveston, 275 of which will settle in Texas, the others scattered around in different states.

The Foard County News and  
Bob Taylor's Magazine, \$1.55.

# FOARD COUNTY NEWS.

M. V. Roberts, Editor.

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR.

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## Directory.

### CHURCHES.

**METHODIST**—Preaching every First and Third Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights, 7:30 o'clock. J. M. JEVANS, Pastor.

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

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Preaching every third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At their Foyt's church. S. O. WOODS, Pastor.

The Crowell Cemetery Association meets in regular session each fourth Monday at a clock sharp. Uptons in the Court House.

### SECRET SOCIETIES.



**CROWELL LODGE, NO. 494, A. F. & A. M.**, Meets Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the full moon in each month. G. A. Burks, W. M. T. N. Hill, Sec.



**THALIA LODGE, No. 658, A. F. & A. M.**, Meets Saturday night at 8 o'clock in the full moon in each month. S. E. McLaughlin, W. M. C. W. Hillman, J. B. M. Hillman, Sec.



**MESQUITE CAMP, No. 373.** J. M. Thomson, C. C. J. W. Jones, A. L. S. P. McLaughlin, Clerk. R. F. Allen, Forster.



**HACKBERRY CAMP, No. 479.** D. S. Ryan, C. C. T. M. Hays, Sec. G. F. Ford, Clerk.



**CROWELL LODGE, No. 1, O. O. F.**, Meets every Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. C. A. McLarty, N. G. G. A. Burks, V. G. G. I. Burks, Secretary. W. H. Howell, Treasurer.



**CROWELL LODGE, No. 39, K. of P.**, Meets every second and fourth Monday nights in the 1 O. O. F. Hall. All Knights are invited. Ed Stanford, C. C. C. E. Ferguson, Vice C. G. W. Henthall, K. of R. S.



**CROWELL COUNCIL, No. 181 M. O. P.**, Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday night in each month in the 1 O. O. F. hall. C. P. Scudlifer, S. A. Em. Scudlifer, Recorder.



**O. E. S.** Meets in regular session on Friday night before the full moon in each month and each third Tuesday afternoon at 7:30 p. m. C. P. Scudlifer, W. M. C. P. Scudlifer, W. M.

The W. H. M. S. will have an Ice Cream Parlor east of Quinn's store Saturday, from 2 o'clock till ten p. m. I am sure I voice the sentiment of the entire Society in thanking Bros. McLarty and Hicks for their kindness to us by not selling cream that day.

Ers. J. A. Travis, Press Sup't.

The Baptist Sunday Schools of Crowell and Thalia will have a picnic at the Sompson Grove, one mile west of Thalia. A short, interesting program will be rendered by each school. Every body come and you will have a big time.

# ACT QUICK

THREE BIG PAPERS ONE YEAR FOR 50c

One year's subscription to The Fort Worth Weekly Telegram  
 One year's subscription to The Farm and Home, a semi-monthly magazine  
 One year's subscription to The American Farmer, a monthly magazine

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Think of it—a year's subscription to three first-class publications for the price of one alone.

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DO IT NOW.

The strenuous stand taken by the Chinese against the U. S. caused by the Chinese Exclusion Act, is beginning to assume threatening proportions. The Chinese trade, and her demand of our products, is no small affair now and it is only in its infancy in comparison to what it will be in a few years if China keeps up her rapid pace of enlightenment of which there is no doubt but what she will do if we can maintain her good will and friendship. China is now a great market and is looked on by both the European and American continents as the coming market of the world, but the U. S.' share seems to be nipped in the bud, and unless the Chinese Exclusion Act is withdrawn, or at least modified to a great extent. The loss of the Chinese trade is a great one to the South as it is mostly cotton. The persistent boycotting of the American goods may, however, move our Congressmen to make amendments immediately.

Boston, Mass., June 25, 1905. Amalgamation of the white and colored races through intermarriage as a solution of the race problem was advanced to day by Chas. W. Chestnut, a well known negro author of Cleveland, Ohio, in an address before the Boston Literary and Historical Association.

Chestnut, who is here to attend his son's graduation from Harvard spoke on "Race Prejudice, its Cause and Cure."

After discussing the differences between the two races, the two races, the speaker said: "The most difficult of the differences which hold us apart from our fellow citizens is our difference in color. Should this difference disappear entirely, prejudice and the race problem would cease to exist. I not only believe the mixture of races will in time be an accomplished fact, but that it will be a good thing for all concerned."—Dallas Morning News.

That is where President Roosevelt has been mingling with the boys for the past few as one of the students.

Notwithstanding the efforts of President Roosevelt to bring about peace negotiations between Japan and Russia, another big fight seems to be likely to occur within the next few days. There has been of late considerable activity at the front and the Japs are, as they have always been turning the flanks of the Russian armies and have them on the retreat most of the time. Just what will be the outcome of the peace negotiations cannot now be very clearly divined.

A gentle rain is falling as we go to press.

Sylvester, a new town on the Orient, is preparing for the largest celebration, in honor of the advent of the Orient in her midst, that has ever been known in that part of the country. All rates are advertised on all railroads running to Sweetwater, and free rides on the Orient line from Sweetwater to Sylvester a distance of 22 miles.

## Special Clubbing Offer.

Every man should subscribe to his local paper, because from it he secures a class of news and useful information that he can get nowhere else. He should, however, also subscribe to a first class general news paper. Such a newspaper is

### THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS.

Thousands of its readers proclaim it the best general newspaper in the world. Its secret of success is that it gives the farmer and his family just what they want in the way of a family newspaper. It furnishes all the news of the world twice a week. It has a splendid page where the farmers write their practical experiences on the farm. It is like attending an immense farmers' institute. It has pages specially gotten up for the wives, for the boys and for the girls. It gives the latest market reports. In short, it gives a combination of news and instructive reading matter that can be secured in no other way.

For \$1.55 cash in advance, we will send The Semi-Weekly News and the

**FOARD COUNTY NEWS** each for one year. This means you will get a total of 156 copies, or a combination which can't be beat, and you will secure your money's worth many times over. Subscribe at once at the office of this paper.

### Clubbing Arrangement.

We have made arrangements whereby all our friends and patrons can secure both the Foard County News and "Bob Taylor's Magazine" for the small sum of \$1.55 for both for one year. You need our paper for the local news essential to your interests and for the news of the day. You need "Bob Taylor's Magazine" for its literature, for the Taylor doctrine of "Sunshine Song and Love," for its inspiration to higher ideals; for its influence in the home circle. If you want these in such permanent form that you can preserve them, and a feast of other goods every month, give us your subscription. \$1.55 covers the cost of both for one year.

There is no reason why every body in Foard county should not enjoy themselves the Fourth. There will be picnics and barbecues tdown in different parts of the county for every body to attend conveniently and more than that, get all they can eat.



**H. A. Hunter**  
Liveryman.

First-Class Rigs. Prompt Service.  
Transit Teams a Speciality.

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Is what I now have for Feed Buyers, and at right prices.  
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GOOD TABLE, CLEAN BEDS AND NEATLY FURNISHED ROOMS. BATH HOUSE IN CONNECTION. RATES \$1.00 PER DAY, BATHS 25c.

Mrs. M. L. McLarty, Prop.  
CROWELL, TEXAS.

## HAYS & BURKS,

DEALERS IN

**Groceries, Grain, Fruit and Vegetables. Also Fresh Meats.**

We will keep our stock constantly replenished with the very best that is in the market.

We propose to compete in prices with others who sell the same class of goods handled by us. We will deliver all goods to our town customers promptly on receiving their orders. In fact we are going to treat you so well that you will not only be willing, but anxious to give us at least a share of your trade.

Yours truly,

**HAYS & BURKS,**  
Crowell, Texas.

## Allison & Ferguson Bros. Druggists.

HAVE IN STOCK A COMPLETE LINE OF

**Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Paints Oils Notions etc.**

Prescriptions carefully compounded.  
NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE  
Crowell, Texas.

## To The Public

I have opened up a Cold Drink Stand and Cream Parlor. Fine Cigars, Smoking Tobacco and Candies. I would be pleased to have the Public call. It is my intention to conduct a strictly first-class stand. I particularly invite the LADIES and CHILDREN.

Between Hart's Drug Store and Post Office.  
S. S. McLarty.

**Crowell, Texas.**

## SUBSCRIPTION.

If yours is due, pay it. We need it.

**LOCALS.**

Wanted.—Tobacco tags at Quinn's.

Rev. Sparks from Thalia was in the city Thursday.

Fresh Uvalde Honey in the comb, new crop at Hays & Burks.

Miss Mamie Carson is visiting in Quannah this week.

Mr. Perry Clark a prominent citizen of Knox City is in our town today.

Claude McLaughlin came in yesterday from the harvest fields and will rest a few days.

Mr. Ben and Joe Moncus from Good Creek were in the city last Thursday.

Jim Bell was in town Tuesday morning buying supplies for the thresher outfit.

Rev. Everett and family of Knox county, were in town Tuesday trading with our merchants.

John Hunter's thresher made its annual commencement at Steve Bell's last Friday.

W. J. Long, an enterprising young man from Thalia, was in this city Tuesday on business.

J. L. Hunter made a run of 1,375 bushels of wheat last Saturday.

James and Frank Long, of Thalia were transacting business in our city Thursday.

Plums are beginning to ripen and the Pease river plum thicket are swarming with people from all over the country.

Little Eva Bennett returned Thursday evening from Vernon where she has been visiting her uncle.

Roasting ears are plentiful now and constitute one of the chief diets on some of the farmers' tables.

HARRY MOORE and Houston Goodwin came in yesterday from Oklaunian where they have been working at Rasor's thresher. They hooped it from Quannah.

Dr. Cowan has saved his patrons over one thousand dollars in drug bills in the last twelve months by dispensing his own medicines.

Just arrived at Quinns, 768 pairs celebrated Hamilton Brown shoes, for the entire family, from the smallest to the largest. Come in and make your feet glad.

J. R. Russell was in town Thursday morning. He said the thresher had just begun work that morning on his crop and was turning out the wheat at the rate of 115 bushels per hour.

Mrs. J. W. Cope and Mrs. Thacker claperoned a crowd of young people out to the Orient railroad tank last Saturday night. All had a jolly good time, and caught five more fish than they "ot" for supper.

J. C. Roberts left this morning for Quannah.

See display of ladies under-muslins in Quinn's show window.

C. A. McLarty, who is attending the Vernon Normal, visited his family here last Saturday and Sunday.

Hardware, Glassware and Queensware, a good assortment at Riggold's.

S. M. Bell has just threshed his 150 acres which averaged 23 bushels to the acre.

Mr. George Allison is here from Ft. Worth and will work here during the harvesting season.

Mrs. Saul Barnett and children of Eldorado, are in Crowell this week visiting Mrs. Barnett's father, Dr. W. H. Adams.

L. D. Campbell returned last Tuesday from Oklaunian, where he has been working with the thresher.

Mrs. J. L. Klepper and children are visiting Mrs. Klepper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook, of Truscott, Knox county.

Mr. L. Pitts, from Weed, N. M. passed through town Tuesday enroute for Boone county, Ark. Mr. Pitts says that New Mexico is all right, but he likes Arkansas better.

The people in and around Crowell are nearly all at work harvesting, threshing and chopping their cotton. This is the busiest season of the year and there are paying jobs for all who are willing to work.

J. R. Hutchison returned the first of the week from a trip to Eldorado, Mangum and other points in Oklahoma. Mr. Hutchison saw the Crowell boys while out over there. All five are working at the same place at \$1.50 a day.

See those stylish summer Lip Robes at J. W. Check's, styles and prices to meet the demands of the trade. Young man, your girl will be delighted to ride with you if you get one of these nice, new, up-to-date Robes.

The Methodist S. S. has given out the idea of having a picnic on the Fourth, but will give a moon light picnic in the Parsonage yard on Friday night before the third Sunday in July. Everybody come out and bring your baskets filled with supper and have a good time.

Mrs. Ollie Satterwhite and son, Gaither, and Mark Raney from Willow, Okla. came in Wednesday, Mrs. Satterwhite on a visit and the boys to work through the threshing season.

**Confederate Reunion at Galesville, Texas.**

This big occasion is set for July 18, 19, 20, and 21. A special invitation has been received by the editor of this paper for himself and to the people of this section, and especially to the Confederate Veterans. Low excursion rates on all railroads and a special reunion train on the Cotton Belt from Waco.

**Members of the Medical Profession AND OTHERS**

are asked to remember that the consensus of the Best Medical Authorities (based on investigation and results) unanimously favors the unrivaled advantages

**COOL COLORADO OFFERS** as a Resort for Invalids or those in need of Physical Upbuilding because of Over-work, Sedentary Habits or other causes; this having particular reference to those residing in the Lower Altitudes or Malarial or Semi-Malarial districts

**THIS LAND OF HIGH ELEVATIONS,** Invigorating Atmosphere and Magnificent Scenic Grandeur, presenting Unequaled Opportunities for Out-Door Life and affording all the comforts of Civilization at Minimum Expense is but one day's journey from Texas via

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**Remember 5 weeks Session. "The Colorado Chautauq." Boulder, begins July 4th.**

**"ONE WAY VIA THE DENVER ROAD."**  
N. S. Davis, T. P. A. R. W. Tipton, C. T. A. A. A. Gilsson  
Fort Worth, Texas.

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MRS. E. G. BENNETT, PROP.  
Table furnished with the best the market affords. Nice clean beds. A good place to get your dinner when in town. Phone No. 5.  
**CROWELL - - - TEXAS.**

**SAY!**

Had you heard that Tim Smith had told Tom Jones that Will Shoemaker said that his uncle, Jim Brown, told Ben Snyder that his wife's brother, Jake, a few days ago met a man in the road who started to go to the Panhandle, but camped one night with a stranger who told him he started to the same country about ten years ago, but heard that three years before that time no rain fell for four months and the farmers made no corn, and—well, no difference what else he said. The question now in the minds of people is, what opportunities does FOARD COUNTY now offer to farmers or Stock-raisers, or for the combination of the two lines of business.

1st. No county in Texas can show better crops than are now growing here. 2nd. Rich land and good people. 3rd. The Antelope Pasture of 35,000 acres now owned by **G. G. Hemming, Colorado Springs, Colo.** is now on the market in any quantities wanted, at from \$4 to \$8 per acre with small cash payments, long time and low interest. Buy before the railroad gets here, prices will advance. Citizens of Foard County can do their friends and kinfolks a kindness if they will notify them of the chances that are now at hand. The man who has only a small amount of money can be supplied with the land he needs. If a man wants to farm and raise stock a fine location can be secured. For more definite information, see

**Joe W. Beverly,**  
*Crowell, Texas.*

W. D. Logan, Secretary of the Profit Telephone Company is here this week.

The light rain last night stopped work at the thresher and the hands are taking in the town today.

Don't forget the Ice Cream supper at the Court House for the benefit of Grand-ma Ricks, next Tuesday night.

R. L. Moore of Vernon, was in Crowell last Monday to meet the Board of Equalization, but the Board not being in session he returned to Vernon the same day.

The First National Bank of Crowell, located at Crowell in the state of Texas, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.  
**JAS. P. HAGLER, Cashier.**  
Dated June 13, '65.

**PROFESSIONAL.**

**E. H. Gowan, M.D.**  
**Physician and Surgeon.**  
Member of THE TEXAS ELECTRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, and of THE NATIONAL ELECTRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.  
FELLOW, AMERICAN SOCIETY for the Study of Alcohol and other NARCOTICS.  
CROWELL, TEXAS.

**Joe W. Beverly,**  
**Land and Insurance Agent.**  
Abstractor  
AND  
*Notary Public.*  
CROWELL, FOARD COUNTY, TEXAS.  
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**ROBERT COLE,**  
**Lawyer.**  
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CROWELL, TEXAS.

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**All work done right and at reasonable prices.**  
**HORSE SHOING**  
**CASH**  
No. ones and twos, \$1.00  
No. threes and fours, 1.25  
NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE,  
CROWELL, TEXAS.

**CURES OLD SORES**  
Westmoreland, Kansas, May, 2 1892: Ballard, Snow Liniment Co. Your Snow Liniment cured an old sore on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The sore was stubborn and would not yield to treatment until I tried Snow Liniment, which did the work in short order. My sister, Mrs. Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Mifflin Co., Pa. has a sore and mistrusts that it is a cancer. Please send her a 60c bottle. Sold by E. F. Hart.

There will be a campmeeting at Thalia, commencing Friday night before the first Sunday in August, conducted by Rev. J. T. Bell of Clarendon. Mr. Bell will be assisted by one of the best singers in Texas. Everybody is invited. Free grass and water to those who want to come and camp.

Rev. J. L. Sparks.  
Try one year of the Foard County News and see if you dont like it.









# CLARENDON COLLEGE

A Chartered Literary Institution of High Grade in the great Panhandle of North-west Texas. Highly indorsed by the best Scholars and Universities of Texas. Schools of English, Mathematics, Science, Language, Philosophy, History, Elocution, Music and Art.

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Faculty. The Faculty of Clarendon College is composed of thoroughly trained and mature men and women, refined, cultured and religious, holding degrees from the best colleges in the South.

## DR. RANKIN'S INDORSEMENT.

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S. C. Rankin, D. D., Editor Texas Christian Advocate.

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## Official Route for Epworth Leaguers to Denver

Official announcement is made by the State Chairman of Transportation that for the Seventh International Epworth League Conference to be held at Denver July 24 to 29th, the Ft. Worth and Denver City Railway ("The Denver Road") has been selected as the Official Route from Texas and that in connection with that line arrangements have been perfected for Special Service leaving Ft. Worth at 9:55 a. m., July 4th, the schedule being such as to put the Delegates and friends in Denver early the following afternoon.

In addition to the always up-to-date regular service available via that route, which will include Palace Sleepers and Cafe Cars, the special arrangements also provide for the operation of first class Pullman Tourist Sleepers, through, in which entirely satisfactory sleeping accommodations will be available at but one-half the usual expense. In other words upon a basis of two persons to a double berth, individual expenses for Through Sleeping Car Accommodations need not exceed \$1.25 from Ft. Worth to Denver.

As the passage rate will be but one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip and tickets will be good for stop-overs, also good for 60 days for return, and as usually low rate side trips will be available from Denver to the numerous adjacent resorts and points of attraction in and along the mountains, it is anticipated that Texas leaguers will, as they most undoubtedly should, be on hand in large numbers.

As a strong effort is to be made toward securing the next International Conference for Texas, many Pastors and other Church workers will head delegations from their respective charges and communities in the interest of accomplishing the end referred to. It is a foregone conclusion that "Grand Old Texas" will be strongly and enthusiastically represented, and that, among the many thousands who will be present from every section of the country, Texas and its claims will be made manifest and become justified through its delegations.

We, the undersigned Business men of Fort Worth fully appreciating the true meaning of the National word "Independence," which was established by the true nobility and many courage of the patriotic American on that memorable day, the 4th of July, 1776, and recognizing this day as a National holiday which all American people should celebrate to show their appreciation of the independence they enjoy, and in anticipation of the good things to be had by the attendance of the picnic to be given in various parts of the country, and in view of the emptiness of our stomachs, have decided to close our places of business on the above date until 5 o'clock in the afternoon and go out and get one square meal. So all interested please take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

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## Married and Bachelor Bishops.

Several of the English Bishops are not married. The bishops of London, Lincoln, St. Albans and Worcester are all bachelors. On the other hand, several of the bishops have married wives, though there is none living who has achieved the record of the late Bishop Ryle of Liverpool in marrying three times. Two or three of the bishops have large families. Dr. Simpson, Bishop of Norwich, has had sixteen children, of which twelve are living; the bishop of Ripon has a family of eleven; and Dr. Bickersteth, late Bishop of Exeter, is the father of twelve children, one of whom became a bishop, while several other sons entered the church, and some of his daughters married clergymen. The bishop of London gave a singularly interesting dinner party last week. He welcomed as his guests at London house, St. James square, the several couples whom he has united in matrimony since he was preferred to the see of London. Each lady was garbed in white, and with one or two exceptions, the costume was the one the bride wore on the day that had made her a wife. Very appropriately the gathering closed with a short service of thanksgiving.

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## Attention!

Christian Endeavors going to Baltimore Convention, July 5-10. The Transportation Committee has selected as the official route for the Texas delegation, the Frisco System to St. Louis, thence Pennsylvania Railroad to Baltimore. The Official party will leave Ft. Worth 10:50 a. m., July 3rd, arriving at Baltimore 3:55 p. m., July 2. It is earnestly requested that all those going notify the undersigned at once, in order that sleeping-car accommodations and other arrangements may be made.

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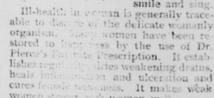
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## German Lies About America.

The German press has evidently made for itself an international grievance of the damage done to Frau Wagner's feelings by the production of "Parisfal" at the Metropolitan opera house, in defiance of her wishes. Not content with editorial blarneying of Herr Conried, the Metropolitan opera house, the New York public and the "Yankee press" generally for "the desecration of Wagner," prior to the production, they maliciously falsified their reports of that event so as to make it appear to their readers that the New York "Parisfal" was a burlesque on the stage and a riot in the audience. The New York correspondents of German newspapers evidently wrote under instructions to vilify the performance and the audience, for their reports now reaching this country are made up almost entirely of ridiculous and malicious falsehoods.

## LIGHT AND DARK.

Try and smile, sunshine and shadow are not more different from each other than a headland from a sickly woman. The beautiful woman carries light and sunshine with her wherever she goes. The woman who smiles a smile from all health casts a shadow of gloom and sadness on the happiness of others. She cannot help it. Those who suffer cannot smile and sing.



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## Profits of "Parisfal"

The New York Tribune says the receipts for the series of five "Parisfal" performances have averaged \$18,000, making a total of \$90,000 for the series. All the seats for the series of five performances yet to come have been sold for another \$90,000, so that the total receipts for the ten performances will foot up \$180,000.

Manager Conrid puts the cost of the production at \$100,000, and of course, there has been heavy advertising bills to carry and incidental expenses. Although Mr. Conrid is not saying anything about his profits or losses, he seems pretty sure to come out ahead.