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COUNCIL OF DEFENSE TO ORGANIZE

The News is asked to say that on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the court house a County Council of Defense will be perfected. It is urged that everybody attend this meeting and become members of the organization. G. A. Mitchell is the present chairman of the organization, but a lack of interest on the part of the people generally is not sufficient to make such organization very efficient in its work. It is desired that a more perfect organization be affected and more interest infused into the matter. In this connection we quote a letter from Edward N. Hurley, President of the United States Shipping Board, to Mr. Mitchell. It follows:

January 5, 1918.

Mr. G. A. Mitchell, Chairman, Foard County, Council of Defense, Crowell, Texas.

Dear Mr. Mitchell:

Because of your official position, and the vital importance of the work of enrolling the United States Shipyard Volunteers, in which you are engaged, I desire to lay before you a statement outlining the shipbuilding situation.

The information herein contained is placed at your disposal, for use as you may see fit in obtaining the enrollment of the necessary men for the United States Shipyard Volunteers.

Our shipbuilding program contemplates the construction of six million tons annually, but owing to the want of the necessary skilled men, we are not under present conditions in a position to turn out that tonnage.

The Shipping Board has the money. It has the yards. It has the material. The housing question is being rapidly cleared up. All that is needed is to obtain the necessary efficient labor.

It should be brought home to employers and to the employees of the industries of the nation that their own future depends on the construction of these ships. The fact is that the recent order issued by Fuel Administrator Garfield closing the factories of the whole country, and the more recent freight embargo issued by Secretary McAdoo, tying up all the freight with the exception of food and fuel, came not because of a falling down on the part of the carriers themselves, but because of the lack of ships. The reason for this is plain. The speeding up of the American factories piled in the Eastern seaports, and packed into every railway siding outside of the seaboard cities, thousands of loaded cars of materials for the war zone. The result was that even the few ships which we now possess were held in harbor by empty bunkers and could not sail.

Until we have ships to clear the Atlantic ports of manufactured goods, for which our army in France and our Allies are in need, these enforced holidays and embargoes must recur, with the result that no factory in America can be assured of running full time and no workman can count on continuous employment.

If you can drive this home to your people; if this lesson, through constant repetition, can be thoroughly learned; there is no doubt that you will get your quota of the necessary men.

It is not mere numbers that count—it is the efficiency of the men enrolled.

It is as much to the interest of the man himself to go.

If the use of my name will in any way help you in your work, you have the authority to use it, quoting from this statement, to the end that the people from your district may realize once and for all that on labor depends the construction of the needed ships, and on these ships depend not only the war itself, but the present industrial life of the nation.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD N. HURLEY,

Chairman of the Board.

AT THE PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Geo. Howard, pastor-evangelist of the Presbyterian church, will occupy the pulpit of that church here Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service.—W. F. Kirkpatrick.

CHANGES OF SCHEDULES

The Orient has changed its schedule on both morning and afternoon trains, each coming about an hour later. This has necessitated changes in the schedules of the rural routes. So these now leave at 9:30 and return at 12:45, instead of leaving at 7:30 and returning at 10:45, as before the change by the railroad.

ADELPHIAN CLUB MEETING

February 6th, the Adelpian Club met with Mrs. W. B. McCormick as hostess.

This was the meeting in which the officers for the ensuing club year were elected, and a goodly number of Adelpians were present with a business like air, for they knew they were going to have a chance to cast their vote.

The house was called to order by the president and after the reports of officers, Mrs. Thacker, chairman of the committee to select study for the next year, reported that a miscellaneous study had been selected, consisting of "Twelfth Night by Shakespeare," several Mintors and one of Dickens' and one of Whittier's works.

There being no further reports the election of officers was taken up and the following officers elected:

President, Mrs. J. A. Gafford; Vice President, Mrs. W. B. McCormick; Recording Secretary, Mrs. H. Schindler; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. John Long; Treasurer, Mrs. R. R. Magee; Critic, Mrs. M. S. Henry; Assistant Critic, Mrs. C. E. Thacker; Parliamentarian, Miss Emily Purcell; Press Reporter, Mrs. R. B. Gibson.

Mrs. Taggart and Mrs. Thacker were elected as delegates to the State Federation meeting to be held in Mineral Wells in April.

Following the election of officers an interesting contest was engaged in, Mrs. Henry proving to be the most efficient in this contest, being rewarded with a dainty guest towel.

Miss Johnson was guest for the afternoon.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Grey Thompson, served dainty refreshments, after which the Adelpians bade Mrs. McCormick adieu, thanking her for a pleasant afternoon.—Press Reporter.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Clouse of Amarillo preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday night. A splendid representation of the membership was present at both services, and a good sermon was delivered by the preacher. Bro. Clouse is in the evangelistic work but is desirous of changing to pastoral work. He came to Crowell at the invitation of the church, having been highly recommended as a suitable man for the pastoral work of the church here. So far we have not heard any one express himself otherwise than favorably of his coming. Yet the church has not taken action yet on the matter. It will do this at an early date. The church is in need of a pastor, but the members think it wise to make haste slowly.

It is thought by many, perhaps all who formed acquaintance with Bro. Clouse, that he would be a very suitable man for the work, yet unanimous favor is hoped for, and for that reason a preacher will not be called until the members have had ample time to think about the matter.

COTTON GINNED IN COUNTY

The Government report for the cotton ginned in Foard County for this season is 5,901 as against 7,858 last season. That is 1,955 less than last year. Since the price of cotton this year was more than twice what it was last year one can readily see that Foard County's 1917 crop brought many thousands of dollars more money than that of 1916. As we stated some time ago, the indications were that the crop would be better in proportion than that of any of the adjoining counties. That statement is borne out by the Government report, as may be seen from the following: Cottle, 7,406 as against 12,584; Wilbarger, 15,798 as against 21,343; Hardeman, 9,790 as against 14,028; Knox, 8,492 as against 22,121.

L. G. ANDREWS FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR

Four years ago L. G. Andrews offered himself as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor and was a close second when the final vote was counted. Mr. Andrews accepted the decision of the voters meekly and retired from the political arena, but he now comes before you with the request that his claims be considered at the coming primary. He has been a resident of this county for 18 years and is as well known as any man in the county, and it is but just to say that no one knows conditions here better than he. He feels that he is amply capable of serving the people in this capacity, and if you are disposed to cast your vote for him he will serve the county in a faithful and impartial manner. Mr. Andrews is entitled to your consideration.

TELLS OF SHEEP RAISING IN FOARD

The News has written an item a time or two on the sheep industry in this county, but not being a practical sheep raiser we have perhaps omitted many important details of the industry that would be beneficial to those who might be contemplating a venture into the business. We are now in position to offer our readers a few words from a practical sheep raiser, Tom M. Beverly. The article here quoted appeared in the American Sheep Breeder in January.

Profitable Ways to Handle Sheep

"This is a short mesquite grass country with an average rainfall of twenty-two inches and an elevation of 1,600 feet. The farm consists of 1,600 acres, 200 of which is in cultivation, the balance in grass. The farm is cut into four fields and is planted in milo maize, feterita and sorghum. The maize and feterita is headed and put in the barn and the sheep are then turned into the stalk fields about the 15th of August or the 1st of September, and allowed to eat up all the stalks while they are green, for they get more benefit from them than they do to wait until after frost, and the grass gets a rest and grows some for winter, and if not too much rain falls, it cures up as good as hay. The sorghum is cut with a binder and shocked and fed to them in winter months.

"The pasture is cut in three different pastures, all leading up to the corral so the sheep can come up at night, and it is very seldom they fail to come up. We find they do better to change them from one pasture to another every two or three weeks.

"Sheep eat every weed that grows in this country that I have seen them find, except bull nettle and milk weed. This country has an abundance of mesquite trees and brush, and when the beans ripen and begin to fall, the sheep eat them and fatten on them.

About December 1st, we grind the maize and feterita and feed it and the bundle sorghum to the sheep and still let them run in the pasture in day time, and at night they are all in a corral with sheds opening to the south, and they go in or stay out at will. This year feed is scarce and we may have to buy some cotton seed cake and alfalfa to help out.

"The flock consists of 500 breeding ewes, 400 of which are grown and 100 lambs, and 12 bucks. The ewes are mixed Merino and Shropshire, and bucks full blooded Shropshire, and some of them registered. About 30 or 40 per cent of the ewe lambs bring lambs and nearly all of the old ones. The bucks are put with the ewes September 1st and stay there ninety days.

"February is the busy month on the sheep farm, as lambs are beginning to come, and continue on through March and April. This requires one or two men with them all the time. As soon as we see a ewe is going to lamb we watch her, but leave her alone until lamb is born, if she is in a good place out of the cold. After it is born we move them to the lambing pen and see that the lamb sucks. Then they are generally able to take care of themselves. If there are twin lambs we put them in a small pen and let them stay until they are taken up good by the ewe, which is about from three to seven days.

"If a ewe fails to oven her lamb we keep her in a small pen and make her let it suck, and we never have to do this many times until they own them. In case a lamb dies and we want to give the ewe another one, we skin the dead one and tie the skin on another lamb, and never have much trouble in getting the ewe to own it. Buck lambs are castrated from ten to fifteen days old and tails docked, with Joe Wing's hot iron pinchers. Ewe lambs are docked and ears marked in a different way each year, so that we can tell the ages of them. We generally sell wetter lambs when they weigh 60 or 70 pounds and while they have the milk fat on them.

"About 100 ewe lambs are selected out of the flock for breeding ewes, and the others and some of the older ewes are then sold, as we have only room for the 500.

"We have a few registered Shropshire sheep, but do not think they do as well as the grades with the same attention. They don't seem to rustle.

"There are only ten or fifteen small flocks in this country and all doing fine.

"Coyotes are plentiful here and sometimes catch the lambs, but what sheep are here are kept in a woven wire fence, and coyotes scratch under and sometimes go over. About forty bells help to keep them scared out. Now

PRICES OF FEED MAY BE REDUCED

Albert Bird of this county recently took up the matter of the relative prices of wheat and corn with Congressman Marvin Jones, and has been assured by Mr. Jones that the matter shall be given attention. Mr. Bird's letter to Mr. Jones was in part as follows:

"I want to ask you to use your influence with the Food Administration to take over corn, as we in the drought-stricken West are suffering from present conditions. We are asked by the Food Administration to sell 60 pounds of wheat for \$1.00, as that is the price we are getting at our station, and pay \$2.00 for 56 pounds of corn. It is working a hardship on the farmers, for nearly all the hogs that were fattened in my neighborhood were fed on wheat. The price of corn to the farmer as feed is prohibitive. Yet we are told that the United States produced the greatest corn crop in its history."

Replying to Mr. Bird's letter Mr. Jones said:

"Replying to your letter of recent date in which you discuss the relative prices of wheat and corn, and the hardship that would be occasioned by feeding corn, at the present prices to hogs, beg to advise that I have taken the liberty of submitting your letter to Hon. Herbert Hoover, Food Administrator, with the request that he give careful consideration to the matters which you set out. As you know, these matters have been placed in the hands of the President and the President handles them through the Food Administration.

Please accept my thanks for your letter, and I wish to say that it will be a pleasure for me to serve you when possible.

Sincerely yours,

MARVIN JONES.

The matter was taken up with Mr. Hoover, Food Administrator, which brought forth the following letter to Mr. Bird:

Mr. Albert Bird, Crowell, Texas. Dear Sir: Your letter of the 24th addressed to the Hon. Marvin Jones, has been referred to the writer for attention.

Undoubtedly the severe weather conditions and the railroad congestion have been the principal causes of the high prices of corn. The railroad situation, however, is now improving, and we hope that within a short while corn will be moving readily.

For your information, all feeding stuffs will be put under license February 15th, and we believe this will have the effect of bringing the prices of all feed to its proper level.

Yours very truly,

U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION. By S. F. Evans.

PIONEER MOODY CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

L. M. Hatter, aged 77 years, resident of Moody, Texas, and vicinity for more than half a century, died at his home in that city recently.

He was the father of Mrs. Mary Whitfield who for several years lived in Crowell, the wife of Will Whitfield, deceased.

Mr. Hatter served four years as a soldier in the Confederate army, during which time he was stationed at Galveston, Texas, belonging to company I, Cook's Regiment of Heavy Artillery.

He was a consistent member of the Baptist church, a member of the Masonic lodge, and was identified with all the progressive moves made in the city of Moody and community since the founding of the town.

Mrs. Whitfield has the sympathy of her Crowell friends in her great loss.

comes the dog, and if one has ever caught a sheep for me, I never knew it. If they did I would be tempted to take an old sheepman's advice, which is never to tell about it, but put out plenty of poison for wolves.

"The idea some men have that sheep are scavengers and need little attention is a mistaken one, and unless a man likes sheep and is willing to feed and love them, he had better stay out of the sheep business.

"Have never had any scab in this country or any sick sheep to amount to anything, but have never seen a sick sheep get well and generally count them lost when they get sick. We shear in May and dip them to keep them healthy."

FORMER FOARD CO. RESIDENT

Abilene, Texas, Feb. 8, 1918.

Dear Friends and Readers:

It has been just a little over a year since I left Foard county for Abilene and I consider my time well spent, as I have been in school most of the time. And I only wish I could be in school the rest of the year; but I am called to the colors and must go.

I would advise every young man and woman, boy and girl to stay in school and make time count. If you ever thought you were tired of school, and wanted to quit, think again, and start with a stronger and better determination than ever before.

We are living in a different age than ever before; and the demand is great for properly trained young men and women.

Abilene is a great school town, containing four colleges, besides the other schools. And in these colleges, you will find men and women who thought once that they had enough of school; but decided differently, and are in school again.

You, who have the opportunities, especially young men, who are under the draft age, take advice. You may not realize the benefit of an education in the army, but you will if you are called upon. You will stand a better chance than you would without.

My freedom at home is at an end; and the I may have to go abroad, but still my chances are good.

I will have to ask one and all to excuse me for writing such a short letter, and I will try to write again at a more convenient time.

So wishing one and all the best there is in life, I am,

Yours truly,
CLARENCE BOYCE.

A HALF-INCH RAIN

A half-inch rain fell over most all of the county Monday morning, commencing at about 1 o'clock a. m. While it was only a drop compared with what is needed, yet it will revive what wheat there is already up and which has not had enough moisture since to bring it up. But of course more rain will be needed if the small grain crop promises any fruitage. We have heard wheat men say, however, that with plenty of rain this spring some wheat can be made yet. It is probable that some oat crops will be sowed on the strength of the moisture we now have.

The rain is already having the effect of stimulating farming activities. We see that the hardware and implement houses are putting out a lot of goods which bears out this statement.

WILL EXHIBIT CATTLE

There will be an exhibit of some of the best cattle at the court house square Saturday ever raised in Foard county. These will be of the herd of white faced raised by Dr. J. M. Hill.

For some time he has been taking a great deal of interest raising thoroughbreds, having imported from the north some of the best stock to be bought. It will be worth your while to see this stock Saturday.

FORMER PASTOR HERE

Rev. J. E. Billington, who was the former pastor of the Baptist church at this place, is here from Waco on a visit and is preaching at the church twice a day. He will continue over Sunday, preaching at the 11 o'clock hour and at night.

Our people remember Bro. Billington as one of the best pastors the church ever had. He is now pastor of a church in Waco.

PATRIOTIC RALLY

In compliance with a request from the Government there will be a patriotic rally at the Christian church next Monday night. Paul J. Merrill will speak on the subject: "The Prussian System—Slavery or Death." You are invited to attend. No admission, no collection. You owe it as a duty to yourself and your country to familiarize yourself with present day conditions, and the reason why we would be the blackest traitors to God and man in the history of the world if we did not fight. Service begins promptly at 7:30. Special music.

RENEWALS AND NEW SUBSCRIBERS SINCE LAST ISSUE

New ones:
G. G. McLarty.
Dick Hill, Paducah.
Renewals:
R. P. Brindley.
C. C. Campbell.
M. L. Self, Thalia.
J. C. Davis, Thalia.
G. W. Adkins.
H. E. Davis.

SAYS GLEN EYRIE NOTED BEAUTY SPOT

Most of those who have visited the mountain scenery in the vicinity of Colorado Springs the last few years have traveled over this wonder spot once open to the general public.

This valley was the personal property of General Palmer, now deceased, and the summer home of the family. General Palmer was the leading business spirit that started the boom for making Colorado Springs and vicinity, a great summer resort. It was under his instruction and with his financial backing that some of the best roads and most noted mountain trails were constructed. In this little valley to the north of the "Garden of the Gods," he spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to make more attractive this natural beauty spot. The mansion he built there cost \$350,000. In the mountains around there is great variety of fine and durable rock, but they were not to his fancy, hence for the construction of his mansion he imported from Indiana the noted Bedford granite. He had also a large and beautiful flower house, numerous pigeon houses, an artificial lake which supplied the water for an extensive system of water works for buildings and grounds. There was also a powerhouse and electric lights.

When we visited the place most of the grounds were open to the public. Among the many that visited this lovely spot there were some that had but little regard for its preservation but willfully damaged the property. It is now closed to the general public. Here is a good place to ask whose fault it is; that in some communities there are those who have so little regard for the preservation of property? Even our public school property is sometimes willfully mutilated.

Upon General Palmer's grounds stood that wonderful natural monument, Major Dome, lifting its head hundreds of feet above the valley, containing thousands of tons of granite in an individual pillar that rested upon a small base; a remnant still left by the various erosive forces that have been at work for ages. Near this are several very interesting rocks. In the shadow of one that towered far above us, Samantha and I ate our noon-day lunch. We then crossed over the valley to a cliff or system of narrow, verticle rocks hundreds of feet in height and many rods in length. We walked around this wonderful formation on the face of which in many places are some of the most curious specimens of wind and water carving yet seen on our trip.

Thanks to the editors for their favorable mention of our letters that will appear from time to time. These letters will be largely a reproduction of some of the most interesting parts of our letters that were published in Iowa papers when we were on that long, slow trip with the mules, had a good geologist with us and plenty of time.

The only absolutely true revelation from God which contains a record of an eternity is the great leafy book of nature. Scientists lay no claim to have interpreted it in its entirety. They do agree, however, that the same natural forces are at work today that in all probability have forever been at work. The major portion of the most awe inspiring canyons, valleys and mountain cliffs owe their present grandeur to the weathering by wind, water and ice during long periods of time.

Our object in writing these letters is to educate and entertain. Should any one notice any statement not in line with the present revealed facts of geology we will be thankful for correction. Some of the quotations given from time to time will be good memory gems for the school pupils. "All Nature speaks the attributes of God."

Whose vast domain of matter and of mind,
Accord forever with His holy will.

All life is an expression of His love,
All seeming death, is birth to higher life;

All discord is the fragment of a scale
Which, had man the power to comprehend,
Would be replete with harmony divine."

—H. M. FERRIN.

If congress keeps on fanning those political flames it ought to be possible to conserve a lot of fuel up there.

That German peace dove turned out to be a crow.



"The Order of the Garter"

was long ago conferred upon us (figuratively speaking) for the great things we have done for men in outfitting, adorning and making comfortable men so far as they require shirts, collars, cuffs, handkerchiefs, socks, underwear, ties, scarfs, and=garters, not often seen but very, very comfortable to the wearer. Come in and see how very well we observe the "order of the garter."

Hinds & Magee

The Store Behind the First State Bank



SENATOR W. A. JOHNSON

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
Senator W. A. Johnson of Hall county, who is now acting lieutenant governor, has announced his candidacy for election to that office and will make an active campaign during the spring and summer. He has been a member of the senate for the past eight years, representing the jumbo district of forty-nine counties, and has made an enviable record. He has served as chairman of many important committees, and when Gov. Hobby was inducted into the office of chief executive, Senator Johnson was honored at the close of the session by being elected president of the senate.

He has served as president of the Texas Press Association and also of the Northwest Texas Press Association. He has served several times on the executive committee of the National Editorial association. Being a regular attendant for more than 25 years upon annual conventions he has a wide acquaintance among the publishers of the state, which will no doubt be an asset in his favor in his campaign. He is now and has been for many years publisher of the Herald at Memphis, Texas.

He is a newspaper man of many years experience and has thus attached a wide scope of information and experience. Before being elected to the senate he was a member of the board of Regents of the University of Texas. He is basing his campaign on three cardinal principles, "honesty, economy and sobriety." As a democrat editor he has supported every state ticket from John Ireland down to date. He is capable, honest and earnest and has a strong support over the state for lieutenant governor.

Vivian News

J. B. Easley spent last week with homefolks in Crowell.

Jesse Walling was in Crowell from Saturday until Monday.

H. Young and son, Willie, made a trip to Crowell Monday.

Wayne Dishman made a business trip to Crowell Saturday.

Allen Fish and T. E. Turner made a trip to Crowell Sunday.

C. T. Biggs visited in Sweetwater the latter part of the week.

J. E. Fish and sons are unloading a car of feed at Swearingen.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter were shopping in Crowell Saturday.

W. H. Richardson from Paducah was at his ranch Sunday and Monday.

This part of the county was visited by an inch and a half rain Sunday night.

There are several cases of German measles and chicken pox in this community.

Miss Mildred Bush spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Myrtle Cooper in Crowell.

Lem Davidson and family visited relatives in Paducah from Saturday until Tuesday.

L. D. Harris and son, Joe, made a business trip to Collinsworth county the latter part of the week.

H. H. Fish and family visited Mrs. Fish's parents, H. H. Smith and family in Ogden Saturday and Sunday.

Noah Milliken, brother of Mrs. J. M. Marr of this community, was one of the U. S. boys that was on the transport Tuscania which was sunk. He was among those that were rescued.

A Reader.

Bring your wheat to us for exchange for flour. You will get the same price for your wheat and will pay the same price for your flour as in a straight sell or buy. In other words you will get a square deal.—Bell Grain Co.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

came in Monday to visit his parents a few days.

Miss Leah Dickson went to Vernon Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Beaty Andrews.

Quite a few young people attended the party at Charlie Wood's Thursday night.

Miss Emma Main who is teaching at Antelope spent the week-end with her parents here.

The Edwards-Leeper Co. have hauled lumber with which to build a warehouse at Thalia.

Several of the young folk attended the party at Mrs. Gregory's near Talmage Saturday night.

W. C. Orr and family of Crowell attended Sunday School at the Christian church here last Sunday.

Mr. Howard of near Worley Chapel was buried in the Thalia cemetery Monday afternoon, the cause of his death we failed to learn.

Correspondent.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and Healthy

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—

which vary widely but may include pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatic pains, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right the danger is overcome. Doan's Kidney Pills have proven an effective kidney medicine.

S. J. Watson, shoemaker, Main St. Chillicothe, Tex. says: "I was troubled pretty much by my kidneys. My back pained badly and was weak and aching. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage, usually being too frequent. It took Doan's Kidney Pills only a short while to cure me and I haven't had any trouble since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Watson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Trespass Notice

No hunting, trapping or putting out poison is allowed in my pasture. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Furd Halsell.

Thalia Items

Claude Abston came in from Oklahoma Saturday.

Miss Georgia Kea of Rayland visited the Misses Short last week.

Mrs. Fred Rennels of Rayland visited her parents here last week.

George Burress of Margaret visited his parents the latter part of last week.

Miss Leta Haney of Talmage visited the Misses Pigg Saturday afternoon.

F. C. Rector and B. L. Johnson visited friends (?) in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

We had a nice shower of rain Monday morning which was greatly appreciated.

J. Ed. Johnson of San Antonio

CRUDGINGTON for CONGRESS

to you, as a citizen:

The voters of this Congressional District are true Americans, loyal to President Wilson and the Government. You, as a citizen, owe it to your county to elect a Congressman from this District who will square up with war-time tests. The issues are vital, and a Congressman should meet them squarely. I put my campaign on that platform and ask you to test me on that basis. I invite your consideration of my candidacy and the response thereto, which you as a real American, deem proper.

J. W. CRUDGINGTON

of Amarillo
FOR CONGRESS
in this the Eighteenth District
July Primaries

WE HAVE Corn, corn chops, ground by us, Flour, every sack guaranteed, Meal, every sack guaranteed, Bran, Feed Oats, Seed Oats and

NIGGERHEAD COAL

Try us and be convinced that we give you a square deal

Bell Grain Company
Phone No. 124

Cash After Feb. 1

Please remember that from now on garage work will be strictly cash. This is necessary for the best interests of all. All work will promptly done and guaranteed.

Burks & Swaim Garage

We are pleased to meet you at the

Crowell Barber Shop

First Door South of Postoffice

Bruce & Wallace, Proprietors

Hot and Cold Baths First Class Shines

The City Shaving Parlor

An

UP-TO DATE SHOP

in Every Particular

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Proprietor

CALOMEL DYNAMITES
A SLUGGISH LIVER

Crashes into sour bile, making you sick and you lose a day's work.

Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It's harmless, pleasing and safe to give to children; they like it.

Miss Bess Harris has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Sandifer Grocery Co.

Just received a car load of J. I. Case lists—the lister that saves seed and labor, and increases yield.—J. H. Self & Sons.

We work on anything, but Fords are our specialty.—Self Motor Co.

This is the Stove Polish YOU Should Use

It's different from others because more care is taken in the making and the materials used are of higher grade.

Black Silk Stove Polish

Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the shine lasts four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware and grocery dealers.

All we ask in trial. Use it on your cook stove, your parlor stove or your gas range. If you don't find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish. Made in liquid or paste—one quality.

Black Silk Stove Polish Works Sterling, Illinois

Use the Black Silk Air-Drying Iron Enamel on plates, registers, oven-rings. Prevents rusting. Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silver, nickel or brass. It has no equal for use on automobiles.

"A Shine in Every Drop"

Do You Wish To Increase Your Savings This Year?

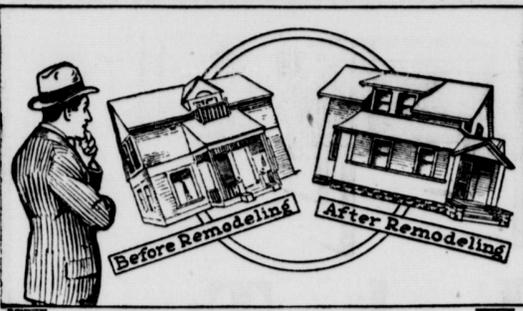
If so, start the year right by buying your

Groceries

at Davidson's. It is cash but the price is right.

Davidson Cash Store

Phone 213



Make the Old House New

If you don't like the appearance of your house, let us show you how to make it modern and attractive. You will be surprised to see what a big difference a few small changes will make.

Repairs an Investment

Proper remodeling and repairs greatly increase the value of your property. We can furnish you good practical ideas for repairing and modernizing all types of buildings, whether for town or farm.

And we can supply all the materials necessary at prices that will mean big savings.

Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc.

Delivery Wagon

The Grocery Stores are discontinuing their deliveries after the 9th, and when you want those groceries delivered call me at Davidson's, phone 213.

Deliveries 5c each
Robert Ford

Beverly & Beverly

Lands, Loans and Abstracts

Crowell, - Texas

TO BUSINESS PESSIMISTS

Let's begin by betting on the black and subscribe to the Gloom Club's opinion that conditions are bad enough to satisfy the most enthusiastic of pessimists.

Suppose, as the croakers jubilantly insist, business is rushing into white water.

For argument's sake, we'll agree that trouble has just whetted his appetite, and the war is not anywhere near the maximum phase; that trade is headed for the demitition bow-wows, and we're going to have a perfectly gorgeous series of industrial casualties—then all the more reason to keep running at full tilt before these disasters prostrate us.

And now having draped the future with the thickest crape your own imagination could have chosen, why not mine the clouds for whatever silver may be lining them?

Somewhere between the United States treasury and the four corners of the republic, two or three billion dollars, mainly drawn from bank surpluses, savings accounts and stocking hoards, are in process of distribution.

Week by week the Brobdingnagian spending will wax more furious; further Liberty Loans and tax imposts will place at Washington's disposal more billions to finance the upkeep of army and navy, the erection of military camps, hospitals, arsenals, shipyards, grain depots—to feed, arm and clothe a dozen allies—and every red penny of it is heading for the tills and pockets of manufacturers, retailers and workers in general.

It has required months just to get an organization together to place orders.

Precedent had no ready system to handle the job.

Hold your men, oil your wheels, rub up your fixtures, dress your windows, design your samples, renew your advertising contracts.

Two-dollar wheat and two-bit cotton have come to stay indefinitely. Civilization is boarding at our table and pleading for more goods than we can produce.

Keep the trademarks flying—hold your public—carry on.—H. Kaufman, Chicago Examiner.

Why leave your car on the street when you can park it in our garage.—Self Motor Co.

Meet me at Fergeson Bros.



The New Odor

Made from Jonteel 26 Flowers, the Talcum with the \$100,000 odor. Try it - - - 25c
Cold Cream - - - 50c
Combination Cream - - 50c
Face Powder - - - 50c

You will be delighted with Jonteel. Come in, let us show you the nicest and best.

Fergeson Brothers

West Side Square

J. I. Case Non-Skid Sulky Lister

THE J. I. Case "Non-Skid" Lister is a modern and up-to-date machine embodying a number of attractive and practical features. It is strongly built throughout and does a high grade of work.

"A Non-Skid Lister"

The bottom of this lister sets solid in the frame and prevents the machine from skidding. This feature of construction is a great improvement over other styles of two-wheel listers.

Seed spout telescopes above shoe—preventing clogging.

Wheels have a wide latitude of adjustment—over eight inches. May be adjusted by means of a key pin to suit the width of the row.

Long-distance, dust-proof wheel adjustable on box, giving both dust-proof and adjustable features—felt, oil-retaining washers.

Penetration is controlled by on auxiliary lifting bale, which also assists in holding it to its work and prevents slipping.

Planting Distances

Planting distances for corn 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 22 inches.

Bottom can be raised and lowered as little as a half inch—fine adjustment.

Chain driving the driving mechanism is exceptionally heavy and strong. A simple device for tightening this chain prevents any possibility of its slipping.

Furnished with shovel or disc coverer as ordered.

2½ Concave tire.

Sweep can be attached.

Adjustable disc coverers.

J. H. SELF & SONS

MRS. MORRIS HAS GAINED 20 POUNDS

Friends See Great Change in Her Condition Since Taking Tanlac

"I have gained twenty pounds or more and anyone who knew the dreadful condition I was in can readily see the wonderful change Tanlac has made in me," said Mrs. N. F. Morris, who resides at 910 East Missouri Street, El Paso, Texas, after using five bottles of the "Master Medicine."

"No One," she continued, "except those afflicted the same way can have but a faint idea of the awful suffering I went through for seven years. I had indigestion, a bad stomach and rheumatism in my back and shoulders. Many a day, and even months at a time, I have lived most altogether on liquids. Occasionally for breakfast I was allowed a glass of milk and a little stale bread toasted, and I got so I couldn't even take that. I couldn't even drink water without it causing me trouble. I was often so sick and nauseated I felt like I would die and some days there wasn't an hour but what I would have a vomiting spell, and while in this fix I was completely exhausted. The gas on my stomach made my heart beat so fast it seemed like it would jump out of my body and I just had to struggle for breath. I was very nervous, couldn't sleep at night and felt tired and worn-out all the time. I had fearful headaches and, really, I never knew what it was to be free from suffering.

"I spent three months in one hospital and was told my trouble was caused by either gallstones or appendicitis, but I came back to El Paso and kept getting worse. My suffering was so terrible I didn't much care whether I lived or not, and I had become discouraged and down-hearted. Then I went to a hospital and had my appendix removed, but I still suffered the same way and became more despondent than ever. My husband and family paid out hundreds of dollars trying to get something to help me, and just to think a few bottles of Tanlac have done more than everything else certainly seems remarkable to me. Tanlac seemed to go right to the seat of my trouble and in a few days I had a good appetite and commenced to gain in weight and strength. My rheumatism and nervousness are gone and I sleep good

every night, and my appetite is so great I have to guard myself to keep from eating more than I should. I am still taking Tanlac but I have already gotten so stout and healthy looking that I don't get any more sympathy. I'm talking Tanlac all the time and my friends often speak of how much better I look." Tanlac is sold in Crowell by the Owl Drug Store and in Thalia by Long Bros.

ELL TO START AT BOTTOM

asons Why Lowest Rung of the Ladder Is Frequently Better Than the Middle One.

There is plenty of room at the bottom. It is better to start there and climb to the top than to start half way up and stick.

"So many boys and young men are getting the wrong start," says a merchant in the New York Times. "The salaries paid by most of the Wall street houses are high, I believe, because, first of all, the business just now can afford them; and, secondly, there must be some premium for the lack of opportunity. In other words, the boy is paid high wages to start, because he can't get much higher from the position he fills."

In the mercantile field, says the writer—who himself has several positions open which he has been unable to fill—there is unlimited chance for the young man who wants to make something out of himself. For, once he has learned a business from the bottom up, he has training that will pay better in the end than the job with the high salary at the start.

"It is more profitable to start low and have your salary grow every year, than to stick around the same mark or lose ground as time goes on. As far as hours go, we have a long day. But if the work is congenial and the employee knows he is getting ahead, hours don't count. We generally turn down the applicant whose first question is, 'What hours do I have to work?'"

Bring your wheat to us for exchange for flour. You will get the same price for your wheat and will pay the same price for your flour as in a straight sell or buy. In other words you will get a square deal.—Bell Grain Co.

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

Bring your wheat to us for exchange for flour. You will get the same price for your wheat and will in a straight sell or buy. In other words you will get a square deal.—Bell Grain Co.

We are now having a Paramount picture program, consisting of six reels, at the Opera House every Friday and Saturday nights. This is a fine program—come.—Bell Bros.

Registered Hereford Bulls for Sale
Twenty-three yearlings, seven, 3 to 4 years old, ten long yearling Poles, all registered.—J. M. Hill. 1 tf

When your car gets out of order remember we are always on the job.—Self Motor Co.

A Fight For Life

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky people are those who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "An-u-ric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges or rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water, and at each meal take Doctor Pierce's Anuric Tablets (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsees of Anuric as are many of your neighbors.

TYLER, TEXAS.—"I am 53 years old, and for the last three years I have been afflicted with kidney trouble; no relief from the medicines I took. At last I took one small package of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets and the very first dose helped me, and I continued to improve. I took in all six packages. I am very glad to testify."—DAVID VILCHIZ, 414 E. Social Street.

YOAKUM, TEXAS.—"After using different medicines for kidney and bladder troubles will say that I have given Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets a fair trial and was greatly benefited, and do hereby cheerfully recommend Anuric to all persons suffering from kidney and bladder troubles."—HENRY ROTR, Route 4, Box 153.

Ask the druggist for Anuric (60c.), or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., 10 cents for trial package.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, OWNERS AND PUBLISHERS

Entered at the Post Office at Crowell, Texas, as second class matter.

CROWELL, TEXAS, FEBRUARY 15, 1918

If Mr. Garfield had tried he could not have hit on a better gauge of the patriotism of the business men of the country than in the Monday closing order. As with all measures of the kind, there is a vast difference between the letter and the spirit of the order. The true patriot will not burn fuel on those days for work that he can possibly defer till Tuesday. The spirit of the order is conservation and sacrifice. And the man who refuses is an undesirable citizen—mark him.

An exchange says four of the monarchs who have lost their thrones since the war began, are ill. These are King Peter of Serbia, King Nicholas of Montenegro, King Constantine of Greece and the ex-Czar of Russia. It might have added that the Emperor of Germany is also ill because of the fact that he occupies a tottering throne. It's only a question of a short time until the disease causing their illness will result fatally.

In his recent speech President Wilson said that we have not commenced to fight yet. Of course that is literally true, but what he meant was that we are going into the war to win and that when our preparations have all materialized into actual fighting strength something is going to happen.

Since the war commenced Italy has purchased a billion dollars worth of military goods from the United States. Evidences point to the fact that we shall have to spend a like sum on our own army before it is brought to the high state of fighting efficiency required of it.

Senator Jim Ham Lewis of Illinois intimates that he could tell many things about the outcome of the war, but will not. If he will just give us a little dope on the Russian riddle we will enter his name with those of the major prophets.

Three hundred thousand Turks have deserted the Turko-German armies because the kaiser is "too cruel." While the desertions may inconvenience him somewhat, the kaiser should be satisfied that he is sustaining his reputation.

Uncle Sam is now spending \$2,000,000 daily on his aviation service. Within the last year the number of our airplanes has increased twenty times, and Congress is now considering an appropriation of over one billion dollars for this service.

Thousands of acres of land in Foard county were sown to wheat last fall, but the wheat did not come up. It may be yet that we shall see big green wheat fields before summer. The recent rain was sufficient to bring the wheat up.

Billy Sunday is reported to have lost his voice since going to Washington. Well, it oughtn't to be difficult to find a voice in Washington. There are a few there that could be better employed than at present.

Mr. Bryan predicts the triumph of the national prohibition in two or three years at most. Now the prohibitionists are dubiously reviewing Mr. Bryan's record in the prophesying business.

Veterinary surgeons of several of the states are endorsing the use of horse meat as food. But in Texas we will not be ready for that until all the jackrabbits have been consumed.

It is no more than fair if the women are to be granted equal suffrage in public affairs, that there be some way of guaranteeing to the men equal suffrage at home.

Food prices in Austria have advanced more than 200 per cent while in Great Britain the advance has been a little more than 100 per cent since the war began.

The recent long cold spell was so severe in the southern states that Negro preachers are reported to have preached an ice-bound hell to their congregations.

The packing house investigations may not be turning up any embalmed beef, but they threaten to disclose some things with an equally offensive odor.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For Congress, Eighteenth District: J. W. CRUDGINGTON, Amarillo

For Senator 29th District: W. S. BELL.

For Representative 103rd District: W. W. COLE, Chillicothe, Tex.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: L. D. CAMPBELL (re-election)

For County Judge: J. G. WITHERSPOON, J. F. OLIVER, G. L. BURK, (re-election)

For County and District Clerk: JOHN C. ROBERTS (re-elect)

For Tax Assessor: G. A. MITCHELL (re-election), G. H. HOWELL, L. G. ANDREWS

For Treasurer: MRS. AGNES E. McLAUGHLIN (re-election)

For Public Weigher: CHAS. W. THOMPSON (re-el)

I will appreciate the presence of every voter of Foard county, in the court room at 3 in the afternoon on February 23, for I will deliver a lecture on Political History in connection with my candidacy for the County Judge's office.—J. F. OLIVER.

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RED CROSS ANNOUNCEMENTS



The chairman of the Woman's Work has endeavored to furnish every available comfort for the chapter work-room. Turn aside from your many household cares and give at least one afternoon in the week to Red Cross work.

A shipment of twenty-six pairs of socks and one helmet was sent this week. The chairman urges the knitters to follow the directions exactly. In sorting the socks several pairs were not quite up to the standard. One pair entirely too small, and two or three were not "toed off" correctly. Some of the heels were knit "single" when they should have been "double."

Red Cross knitting instructions can be had from the chairman. Those who have pieces finished please send them in, as another shipment will be made next week.

The army is to provide a trench cap for the men, so we are asked not to make these. Those that are made may be sent in but time had better be put upon sweaters, helmets, socks, wristlets and mufflers.

The Red Cross magazine will be sent for one year upon the receipt of \$1.00. It is a monthly publication and contains much interesting information concerning Red Cross work at home and abroad. President Wilson in his signed editorial in the February issue approves and recommends the Red Cross Magazine for use in the public schools in extending American ideals of humanity and democracy. He asks for "a willing co-operation among school officers to carry out the idea (of using the articles in the Red Cross Magazine as reading lessons in the public) to the fullest extent." A magazine membership should be taken out for each and every school room (in the name of the teacher.) There is no better way of spreading Red Cross information and enthusiasm among the children of America.

The American Red Cross has just prepared a Junior Membership with school activities in which every pupil in the United States can find a chance to serve our country. The period between Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12th, and Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, will be Junior Red Cross enrollment week. There will be a charge of twenty-five cents, membership fee.

PRICES OF SEEDS

Office of Frank Clarke, Collaborator, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Replying to your inquiry for price on seeds, I submit the following:

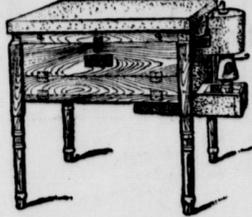
Red Top cane, Black Amber cane, Orange cane, Red Amber cane, \$9.25 per 100 pounds, f. o. b. Waco, 4 bushel being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.

Red Milo, White Milo, Kaffir, \$4.20 per 100 pounds, 6 bushel being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.

Feterita, \$6.50 per 100 pounds, 2 bushel being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.

Soudan, 20c per pound, 25 pounds being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.

Peanuts, \$7.00 per 100 pounds, 15 bushel being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.



Now Is the Time

To Set Incubators

The kind to set is the

Safety Hatch

It hatches 'em all. We have them, all sizes, from 150 to 240. See them before buying.

M. S. Henry & Company

Successors to

Allee-Henry & Company

ed to purchase.

Mebane Cotton Seed, \$1.75 per bushel, 25 bushel being all one farmer is allowed to purchase.

All seed are f. o. b. Waco, Texas. P. O. Order or Bankers Cashier Check payable to the United States Department of Agriculture must accompany all orders. No order for Grain sorghums for less than 100 pounds will be filled. These prices are based upon purchases already made, and sold at actual cost.

We must have the name of every farmer who purchases any of these seed.

Any further information will be furnished upon request.

Yours very truly,
FRANK CLARKE,
Collaborator, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Waco, Texas.

FEW GIVE LUCID TESTIMONY

Average Person Seems to Get Badly Flustered When Talking to Lawyer or Detective.

"And after the choking—" prompted the lawyer, who represented the plaintiff in a recent trial for assault. "Oh, there wasn't any choking that I saw," said the witness.

"No choking? But didn't you tell the officer that the accused sprang upon his victim from behind and seized him by the throat?"

"Yes, sir, surely. But there wasn't any choking. He just squeezed him till he couldn't breathe."

"Well, wasn't that choking, I'd like to know?"

"When a body chokes, he coughs till he spits it out," explained the witness, "but the old man didn't have anything in his mouth, and he didn't cough, so he didn't choke. He was squeezed till the life was most squeezed out of him, that's all."

If the court was not enlightened by such a finely discriminated point, neither was the truth beclouded. But William J. Burns, the famous detective, declares that it is nearly impossible for the average person to give simple, lucid information to a lawyer or detective. He gives us an example of the office boy who was asked, "Did Mr. Jones or his partner usually reach the office first?"

"Well," said the boy eagerly, blushing and stammering with excitement, "Mr. Jones at first was always last, but later he began to get earlier, till at last he was first, although before he had always been behind. He soon got later again, although of late he has been sooner, and at last he got behind as before. But I guess he'll be getting earlier sooner or later."—Youth's Companion.

Feed and Hay

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

Our motto is to give every one a square deal. Our prices are as low as the lowest and our service as good as the best. Call for anything in the Feed line, corn, corn chops, maize, maize chops, meal, hull, etc., and the best of hay.

A. L. JOHNSON Phone 159

Free Deliveries

have been discontinued by all the grocymen of Crowell.

When you want

Quick Service

call your groceryman and tell him to put your order on Stovall's wagon. Our prices are LESS.

Our hours are 9:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. However we will deliver your orders later if you will only call us. We deliver from all of the seven grocery stores. Our headquarters are at the H. H. Hardin Lumber Yard.

GIVE US A TRIAL

W. E. Stovall

GLYNN SHULTZ, Driver
Phone 56 (ring it)

YOU COOK YOUR FOOD—WHY NOT YOUR TOBACCO?

YOU know what broiling does to steak, baking to a potato—and toasting bread. In each case flavor is brought out by cooking—by "toasting."

So you can imagine how toasting improves the flavor of the Burley tobacco used in the Lucky Strike Cigarette.

IT'S TOASTED



10¢

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.
INCORPORATED

Way to Succeed

THE MAN WHO IS WILLING TO WORK, without much recreation except what he finds in labor itself, is bound to make money. He may have reverses, or what is termed, "A streak of hard luck." But if he keeps at it he is bound to go ahead. Men of this kind have good size bank balances. We want those who are striving to get there to affiliate with this institution. We want to know them. These are the kind of men whose co-operation we crave. When your personal and business integrity and asset entitle you to credit; when you find the opportunity of legitimate investment attended by profit; when the requirements of your business demand; THE NECESSARY CAPITAL IS READY. This bank is anxious to assist its patrons in every way towards their financial advancement.

"Let Our Bank Be Your Bank"

The Bank of Crowell

(UNINCORPORATED)

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

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Overlands—B. W. Self. For quick service go to Self Motor Company.

F. W. Alger was here Monday from Paducah.

Thomas F. Hill spent Wednesday in Knox City.

Genuine Ford parts at Self Motor Company.

J. J. McAdams was here Wednesday from Quanah.

Mrs. Pollard came home Wednesday from Wichita Falls.

We keep a new stock of tires and tubes.—Self Motor Co.

Miss Ella Shields left Tuesday for her home in Blair, Okla.

F. D. Hendrix was here from Quanah Wednesday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Furd Halsell left Wednesday for their home in Fort Worth.

We have house lights and shades, prices are right.—Schooley & Cross.

Try Nyals corn remover.—Ferguson Bros.

Garland Burns was here Tuesday from Thalia.

I. M. Cates was here this week from Vernon.

Burnice Halsell was here Thursday from Burkburnett.

Max Miller was in Abilene the latter of last week.

Dock Hudson was here Thursday from Lawton, Okla.

Hay ties! Hay ties! Hay ties! at \$1.75 at J. H. Self & Sons.

J. B. Pope was here Tuesday from his ranch in the western part of the county.

Capt. Clyde Graham and Corporal Albert Tucker returned to Camp Bowie Monday.

W. B. Matthews left Sunday for Iowa Park where he will be employed at the carpenter's trade.

Roy Ricks returned Wednesday from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Austin Wiggins at Electra.

Anti-Freeze at Self Motor Co.

Nyals Yellow Pills for bilious liver.—Ferguson Bros.

W. R. Vaughan was here from Quanah last Friday.

Dick Hill and son, Clifton, were here Tuesday from Paducah.

W. B. McCormick and Marion Hughston spent Tuesday in Quanah.

Mrs. Con McAdams of Quanah was here Monday visiting the Magee family.

Three hundred and twenty acres of land to rent, 70 acres in cultivation.—Beverly & Beverly.

Mrs. W. B. McCormick left Sunday for Moody, Texas, to visit her mother, Mrs. Gipe.

C. A. Anderson and Clarence Klepper were in town Saturday from the Monkey Run community.

Miss Lela Womack left Tuesday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferguson at Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shirley and Glen Oldfield left last Saturday for Alpine to be away for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning were here Sunday afternoon from Truscott visiting friends and relatives.

Private John Klepper and Miss Letty Ledbetter of Knox City were married in Fort Worth last Saturday.

Mrs. Eva Eaves was called to Yukon last Thursday on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Miss Mabel.

Ellis Gafford was here this week from Sulphur Springs shaking hands with his many friends and attending to business.

Egbert and Allen Fish were here yesterday from Vivian. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Allen Fish and children and Miss Jeffie Dockins.

The Ayersville Literary society will meet Friday night Feb. 22nd. Our duty to our country and to the world will be the chief topic.—H. M. Ferrin.

Sebe Newman, the Income Tax man from Washington, was here from Saturday until Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Newman's home is in Ennis, Texas.

Those who failed to see the Income Tax man while here can secure proper blanks for making return by writing to A. S. Walker, Collector, Austin, Texas.

Mrs. B. F. Hallmark left Wednesday morning for Knox City to visit her new grandson who recently arrived in the home of her son-in-law, M. F. Abbott.

Strayed—A two-year old fawn colored Jersey milk cow, branded C. H. Been dehorned, has halter on. Will pay for information. Phone C. D. Stephenson. 39p

Miss Buna Stovall of Chico, formerly with the Fort Worth Life Insurance Co. at Fort Worth, came in Sunday to take up her work Monday in the First State Bank as stenographer.

In the Market

Our buyer is in the Eastern markets this week to buy the spring stock for this firm. Every care will be taken to guard the interests of our customers in making our spring purchases both in the matter of prices and qualities of goods, and at an early date we hope to make our announcement as to these purchases. Watch this space for our further say.

1892 **R. B. Edwards Co.** 1918
The Oldest and Largest

K. Johnson was here Tuesday on the way to his ranch.

Red Seal Battery, Rose Pumps and French Flashers at Schooley & Cross.

S. C. Auld returned this week from Dallas where he purchased goods for Cecil & Co.

Nowadays when you see a fellow coming to town with a basket of eggs you wonder if he is preparing to lift the mortgage on the old home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tucker, father and mother of Mrs. Maurice Kenner left Thursday of last week for Maryneal to reside. They will also make visits on their way to that place.

Mrs. J. M. Allee returned home last Friday from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Hart at Rockwood. She was accompanied by Mrs. Hart and little son, Jim Allee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly returned Sunday from a visit with Mrs. Beverly's mother at Mabank, Texas. They were met at Vernon by Lee Allen Beverly and Miss Myrtle Huddleston.

Miss Vera Waldrop left last Sunday for Brownwood where she has accepted a position in the Brownwood National Bank. Miss Vera will be greatly missed by her many friends in Crowell.

Joe Harrison and wife of Grace-mont, Okla., were here this week visiting the family of W. B. Griffin and other relatives. Joe is a son of Riley Harrison, who was here two years ago, and who is an old-time friend of the writer. We were graduates together from the same institution at Gumlog Ecademy, a little less than a hundred years ago.

Charlie Colley of Quanah spent Thursday night of last week with his nephew, C. E. Hutchison, and wife.

I will have on the tracks about Saturday a car of No. 1 alfalfa hay. If taken at the car will take \$40.00 per ton.—A. Bird. 38p

Gordon Witherspoon was here the first of the week from Seymour visiting his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Witherspoon.

Decker Magee left Wednesday for Dallas to buy goods for the Gents Furnishing store of Hinds & Magee.

Strayed from the Jeff Dickerson place, a young black horse mule, year old past, uncastrated. \$5.00 reward for return.—E. A. Rogers. 39p

Hay for Sale
Good bright peanut hay for sale in car lots, \$35 a ton. See R. J. Thomas, at Crowell. 40p

Your Health

depends on the purity of drugs used and the care employed in compounding the prescriptions given you by your doctor. Sometimes it is even a matter of

Life and Death

Our stock of drugs is the best and freshest we can buy. We use the utmost care in compounding all prescriptions. It's a matter of conscience with us.

The Owl Drug Store

T. P. REEDER, Proprietor

A Short Horse

There is always something to be thankful for. You remember the old fellow with a runty little horse who said, "Well, a short horse is soon curried."

A short horse is soon told. If you are not already a customer of ours, we would like to have you with us, so take this means of inviting you to open an account at our bank. We offer you exceptional banking facilities and a good, strong, reliable, accommodating banking service. Need more be said?

First State Bank of Crowell

R. R. WALDROP, Active President
R. B. GIBSON, Cashier

M. L. HUGHSTON, A. C.
VERA WALDROP, A. C.



Sash-Doors-Windows

When you put up a house or any other kind of structure you want material that will give entire satisfaction. The stock of millwork which we sell is guaranteed to give the best of service—because it is made right.

When You Buy From Us you are assured of high quality at a fair price. Tell us your building plans and we'll tell you how to secure the most for your money and avoid waste.

*Our Business Methods Make
New Friends Every Day*

C. T. Herring Lumber Co.

Crowell Feed & Produce Co.

Keep in stock Corn, Corn Chops, Oats, Bran, Shorts, Molasses Feed, Chicken Feed, C. S. Meal, Cake, Hulls, Mixed Feed, Hay, etc. Pay the highest market price for Poultry and Hides. Will appreciate a share of your trade and give the most reasonable prices possible on feed.

Location, Quinn Building

J. W. McCASKILL, Proprietor

Business Phone 183

Residence Phone 212

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE

I take this method of saying to the people of my precinct that I will not be a candidate for Commissioner this year. I am willing to let some one else have the honor.—G. W. Adkins.

WILL PAY MORE

The Bell Grain Company will pay more for your sacks. We need them.—Bell Mill & Elevator Co.

We are now having a Paramount picture program, consisting of six reels, at the Opera House every Friday and Saturday nights. This is a fine program—come.—Bell Bros.

Dr. Abernethy Coming

Dr. Abernethy, ear, eye, nose and throat specialist, will be in Crowell professionally, between trains, Tuesday, March 5th.



Help Your Children Succeed by Teaching Them the Lesson of Thrift

Let them buy at least one Thrift Stamp every week. It will teach the value and rewards of saving. Let them learn the "Thrift Table":

1 "Slacker" quarter.....	1 Thrift Stamp
16 Thrift Stamps (plus a few cents)	1 W. S. S.
1 W. S. S.	\$5.00 in 1923
20 W. S. S.	1 Filled War Certificate
1 Filled War Certificate	\$100.00 in 1923

War Savings Stamps can be cashed before 1923 if you give ten days' notice.

Teach the children to "Save Up" for Thrift Stamps. Use your Slacker Quarters to buy Thrift Stamps and W. S. S. They earn and save money for you. They help Uncle Sam win Peace Through Victory.

Buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps at any Postoffice, at either bank or most any business house in town. Inquire about it.

This space paid for by the Crowell business men.

EVERY MONTH IS A PLANTING MONTH IN TEXAS

The Soil Is Ready to Respond If You Will But Do Your Part

It is up to every loyal American to prove his patriotism during this crucial year in the struggle for worldwide freedom.

It is now universally agreed that food and feed, even more than men and munitions, will be the determining factors in winning this war. The side that can feed its people at home and its troops on the battle line longest will be victorious.

Germany recognized that fact early and began its submarine campaign to starve England and France into submission. Germany's plans have been thwarted by the Allied navies.

But the European Allies cannot produce the necessary food and bear the brunt of the fighting at the same time.

Fortunately the United States is far removed from the seat of war and is able, if it will, to produce enough food and feed for itself and its Allies, and the government can assure the safe delivery of shipments.

This cannot be done without a mighty united effort on the part of every citizen; every man, woman and child with a particle of patriotism should help; every available foot of ground in country and city alike should be made to produce its part of this food.

This is a call to which every one can respond—the rich and the poor, the banker and the laborer, the old and young, men and women, the strong and the infirm.

The planting season is right at hand; whatever is done must be started now; next year will be, and even next month may be, too late. In Texas every month is a planting month.

Do not shirk your responsibility or leave it for others to do what you should do; slackers merit and receive the contempt of every one.

Study local conditions and the country's needs. Plant and cultivate the food and feed you will need for your own use, and such products as can be saved and sent to Europe. If in doubt as to what and when to plant and how to cultivate to secure best results seek advice from the national and state authorities.

The American soil stands ready to do its part; certainly the American people will not fail its Allies in this, their great need.—Will H. Mayes, Dean of the School of Journalism, University of Texas.

COMMUNITY CO-OPERATION

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Advertising Protects the Consumer

When you buy an advertised brand of any food product you are protected against under-weight, short measure, misrepresentation and over-charge.

For the manufacturer has, through advertising, standardized his product. Every package is the same in size, weight, quality and price as every other package bearing that label.

You are thus protected against the practices of unscrupulous dealers, for advertised goods are standard. They are the same wherever they are found, in the big store or the little store, the down-town store or the suburban store, the city store or the country store.

By placing his trade-mark or brand name on the package, the manufacturer identifies his product and thus assumes responsibility for the quality and correct weight and measure. By so doing, he stakes his reputation upon the product and therefore MUST give satisfaction with every package. You get STANDARD VALUE when you buy STANDARD ADVERTISED GOODS.

ESTRAY NOTICE

Taken up: W. R. Shults of the undersigned, living about one mile west from the town of Foard City in the county of Foard, the following described animal known to be estray, viz: One red muley cow about three years old, no brands that I can discover.

If legally proven by the owner within twenty days from the date hereof I will proceed to estray the same in accordance with law.

W. R. SHULTS, Taken Up.
Foard City, Texas, this 2nd day of February, 1918.

Notice

For sale, Blue Front Wagon Yard in Crowell, located one block west of the square, well established business. Also residence house. This will be valuable property some time in the near future. Also 223 acre-farm, well improved, plenty of water and grass. Terms reasonable. Apply to owner at the Blue Front Wagon Yard.—J. E. Collins. 37tf

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W.S.S.
WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
ISSUED BY THE
UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT

FREE

WE are not offering you a valueless something free, but a real gift of real value—

A War Savings Stamp

with each purchase of \$5.00 worth of merchandise at this store. Think of how many stamps you may procure in this way at no cost whatever to you. With each purchase, it matters not how large or how small, you are given a ticket which corresponds with the amount of your purchase. Keep these and when you have saved as many as \$5.00 worth bring them to this store and we will give you a War Savings Stamp in return. Then you can begin to save these tickets again, and almost before you know it you will have saved enough to fill your Thrift Card, which will be worth \$5.00. Get the habit now and begin to save for your own well-being as well as to help Uncle Sam win the war.

New Goods Arrive Daily

Cecil & Co., Inc.

The Proper Time

to have a tire fixed is when it first shows signs of giving way. If you wait and use a blow-out patch the dirt will work back between the layers of fabric and make it cost more.

Do it now while it is only a small matter.

Lee Allan Beverly

South Side Square Steam Vulcanizing Crowell Texas

Fat Hogs and Cattle Wanted

I am prepared to handle all of your fat hogs and Cattle, and will pay the highest market prices
Phone, see me in person, or write

Zeke Bell

We are in the Feed and Coal Business

and solicit your trade. We sell for SPOT CASH.
We pay Cash and cannot sell on time

Jas. H. Olds

Crowell - Texas

Let Me Figure

on your Tin and Plumbing work. I carry all sizes of pipe up to 2 inch.

I Buy, sell, exchange and repair stoves

T. L. HAYES, Tinner and Plumber

J. G. Moncus

General Blacksmithing, Woodwork, Horseshoeing a Specialty. Do all kinds of Machine Work and General Repairing. Give me a trial.

J. G. Moncus

Women!

Here is a message to suffering women, from Mrs. W. T. Price, of Public, Ky.: "I suffered with painful... she writes. "I got down with a weakness in my back and limbs... I felt helpless and discouraged... I had about given up hopes of ever being well again, when a friend insisted I

Take

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

I began Cardui. In a short while I saw a marked difference... I grew stronger right along, and it cured me. I am stouter than I have been in years." If you suffer, you can appreciate what it means to be strong and well. Thousands of women give Cardui the credit for their good health. It should help you. Try Cardui. At all druggists. B-73

FOR SALE

I have for sale a good team of blacks, a horse coming 9 and a mare coming 8; good matches and good work stock, will weigh about 1,000 lbs. each. Cash or good paper.—Otto Schroeder, Thalia, Texas, Phone 2 longs, 1 short. 40p

Cream 46c at Ringold's.

Groceries Delivered

Not only Groceries, but any light hauling. Will do general delivering. Careful attention given to all business put into my hands. Hauling solicited.

R. L. Lawrence, Phone 240

Knox City Sanitarium

A nice quiet homelike place, where you can have the comforts of a home with the advantages of a light, sanitary, up-to-date operating room ready for any emergency. Under the care of the best of nurses with my careful personal attention.

T. S. EDWARDS, Surgeon.

Margaret Musings
Who wants a Jersey cow? We have several now fresh at reasonable prices.

Captain C. B. Graham, who has been home on a sick leave, returned to Camp Bowie on Monday.

We are selling good coal at nine dollars per ton and at Vernon you have to pay ten dollars per ton for mesquite roots.

Bro. Beverly should look into the price of bran. We are paying the same old two-fifty when Hoover says it should be one-fifty-five.

A swimming pool would be a useful acquisition at the training camps. No soldier should go across the big pond unless he could swim five miles.

J. W. Spotts has purchased a farm in the Panhandle where his neighbor's chickens cannot bother him. One more move and he will go over the top.

Herdis Sellers who moved recently to Matador is here on business. He says he bought 1,000 pounds of flour last August and hauled it to Motley county and they made him bring it back.

Mr. Fletcher has completed a fine cistern at his residence and he says that no one but widows will be allowed to get water there. We are expecting that cistern to catch some fine widow who will be a widow no more.

Rabbits are said to be fat and some of our people have cleaned their guns and are getting fresh meat free. This will help them by the meatless days and the eatless days, for the bunnies have not been Hooverized, but don't give it away or they will be.

It has rained at Margaret. A nice, gentle rain began falling at 12 m. on Sunday night and continued until morning. Some of the new comers would not believe that it ever had rained here but now they are convinced. Johnathan Bradford's oldest boy had never seen rain and he called his pa and said some one had turned over the water barrel.

The Hooverizing business has got our merchants and some of the people rattled. Mr. Goodman has to consult his books when you make a purchase to see what goes with it. Bro. Gattis bought a sack of flour at two seventy-five and it cost him six ten to get it. Tom Russell makes you take a pound of epsom salts and a box of cathartic pills if you purchase a bottle of vaseline.

Bro. Gattis accompanied the remains of Miss Thurmon to Gainesville and reports that it was a very impressive funeral service. They were met at the train by the hearse decorated with flowers and a vast assembly of young ladies and children which indicates that she was much loved by those who knew her. Mrs. Thurmon and family asked that the people of Margaret be thanked for their kindness and help during their great affliction.

Kafoozleum.

IN MEMORY OF ROBERT RUTH ROWLAND

Robert Ruth Rowland departed this life December 14, 1917, at Vernon, Texas, and was the grandson of Uncle Bill Wheeler.

Dear Robert now has gone,
With him we had to part,
To know we'll never see him no more,
Such sadness fills our heart.

He will be greatly missed
By friends and loved ones here,
Among them is a mother and father,
Three brothers and one sweet sister,
So dear.

His earthly cares are past,
His suffering here is o'er,
He crossed death's chilly stream
To a bright and better shore,
And I believe some day we'll meet on that bright shore,
Where happiness forever reigns
and parting is no more.

How sad, that tho we must part
With those we hold so near our heart
To know that we can meet no more,
Until we reach that golden shore.

God, from his dwelling place on high,
Looks down to earth through wisdom's eyes.

He calls his own to heaven's domain,
Which brings great glory to his name.

How glorious is their blest estate,
Since he has entered heaven's gate,
Forever there with Christ he'll reign,
Our loss is only heaven's gain.

He has passed from earth beyond the tide,
And crossed the stream that seems so wide;
Then let us all for death prepare,
That we may dwell with loved ones there.

Written by his aunt, Mrs. Annie Polk, Crowell, Texas.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Gems from Foard City
Mrs. Pounds returned home Tuesday.

Miller Rader left Sunday for Clar-
ofdon.

Mel Gover was here Monday from
Vivian.

J. E. Atcheson is sick-a-bed with la
grippe.

A. L. Smallwood and family went
to Crowell Tuesday.

There will be church here Sunday,
24th. Everybody come.

Messrs. Johnson and Magee of
Crowell were here Sunday.

Miss Garnet Johnson spent the
week-end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren of Truscott
were autoing here Sunday.

A. P. Barry and Mr. and Mrs. Wil-
lis were in Crowell Tuesday.

Mr. Weatherall and family spent a
part of Sunday at the Barry home.

Mrs. Sallie Martin from Gray county
is visiting her mother, Mrs. Tra-
week.

Miss Ollie Robertson was a guest
of Miss Clyde McDaniel Saturday and
Sunday.

There was a good crowd at church
Sunday. Bro. Nichols delivered a
good sermon.

Dick Crosnoe is able to be around
again. He says the mumps was not
so bad after all.

The goose hangs high since the lit-
tle rain Sunday night. Nothing can
be better than more rain.

Private Ozie Turner from Truscott
has been in our community several
times while visiting homefolks.

R. A. Stinebaugh returned Sunday
from his prospecting trip. He pur-
chased a home at Maryneal where he
intends to move this week.

Punch and Judy.

COUGHS UP NAIL
A Mr. Kuntz of Whitesboro had
been confined to his bed since last
June and had been pronounced by
physicians as having pellegra, but re-
cently he coughed up a nail 1½ in-
ches in length and is now improving
rapidly.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Food Administration Ruling

We have been notified that when we sell flour we must sell an equal number of pounds of flour substitutes. The following is a list of substitutes authorized by the administration:

Oatmeal
Corn Meal
Rice
Corn Flour
Hominy
Rolled Oats
Rice Flour
Corn Gritts
Corn Starch
Barley
Buckwheat Flour

and other cereals not containing wheat. We have Rice Flour, Buck-
wheat Flour, and other substitutes
ordered and will have them all in
stock within a few days.

SANDIFER GROCERY CO.

Phones 94 and 234 Crowell, Texas

A. C. GAINES

JEWELER AND
WATCH REPAIRER
Owl Drug Store CROWELL, TEXAS

When wanting anything in our line,
try us and get a square deal.—School-
ey & Cross.

DR. H. SCHINDLER

Dentist
Bell Building
Phone No. 822 Rings

Just received a shipment of Queen
incubators—the kind to buy.—J. H.
Self & Sons.

Ford Drivers

When you are in trouble remember our
excellent shop is always open to you.
Our motto is:

SATISFACTION

Ask those who have visited our place.
All we ask is a trial and we know you
will be convinced of our excellent ser-
vice and exceedingly reasonable prices.
We have made numbers of satisfied cus-
tomers and we want you on our list. Try
our place and you will be convinced.
We handle the famous "BATAUIA" tire
and a standard brand tube. We work on
any car but specialize on Fords. We
buy for cash and sell for cash. When
you break down, our trouble wagon will
come anywhere at any time.

Phone 224

Self Motor Co.

"The Place of Satisfaction"

ANNOUNCEMENT

R. B. Edwards and J. W. Allison have opened a new up-to-date

Cash Grocery Store
on north side of square.

We carry a full line of fresh Groceries at the lowest prices, quality considered.

Our motto is
Cleanliness, Courtesy, Keep
Quality up, Prices Down.

Come to see us, or phone 30

Edwards & Allison

The People's Cash Grocery Store
ROBT. E. WATSON, Mgr.

MAKING OF VIOLIN STRINGS

Raw Material Is Obtained From the Stock Yards and Is Manufactured by an Interesting Process.

While perhaps most violinists know how the gut strings they use are manufactured, there may be those who are unacquainted with the manufacture of such strings. This may be explained in a few words.

The gut D, A, and E strings are made from the intestines of the sheep. In the full grown, mature animal, such intestines are from 40 to 50 feet in length.

The raw material is obtained from the stock yards, and is first thoroughly cleansed of all fat and flesh fiber, by dull knives arranged on a drum turned by a crank, says the Musician. The white and tough membrane that is left is then split by an expert in this work, by bringing it against the blade of a safety razor set upright in a table before the splitter. The material is thus split into seven strands. These strands are then spun together, and placed on frames where they are thoroughly dried.

The E string of European make requires four strands, and the E string of American make six. The strands, at one end secured to an upright post, are twisted together while in a damp, pliable condition by means of a spinning wheel. After removal from the drying frames, the strings are cut in lengths, coiled and boxed in oiled paper for shipment. Very fine emery paper laid on a grooved aluminum block is used while the strings are still on the drying frames, by passing the covered block over the strings, as many strings being polished as those are grooves in the block.

Famous Editor's Epigrams.

Sir Herbert Tree had a reputation in England for making epigrams. One of his obituary articles quoted several times that he made when playing in this country. "In America," he said, "there are many babies but few children." "There is something in the air in New York," he thought, "that stimulates and sooties activity; one ought always to be tired, but never weary." More ambiguous, but without doubt honestly meant in a complimentary sense, was his remark after a conversation with Cardinal Gibbons: "Of great men one sometimes learns little things." This would have been better if he had said, "From great men," etc., as perhaps he did. In his own line of theatrical work he said: "If the commercial managers of America had but served Shakespeare as they have served musical comedy, he would not have been deserted in his old age." Probably Sir Herbert had heard of our famous "fired business man," but apparently he forgot him in this remark about so-called musical comedy.

The Old, Old Story That Never Grows Old



The Time, the Place and the Girl

THE TIME was a glorious Autumn day,
THE GIRL was a girl like you,
And softly they talked of a winter nest,
With just enough room for two.

And they planned where they'd furnish their little home,
THE PLACE you will guess, I am sure,
For of all places the BEST to make cozy your nest
IS W. R. WOMACK'S FURNITURE STORE.

Let us figure with you on your needs for your house furnishings, such as we offer for sale. We have bought very heavily before goods reached the present high level, and can save you some money on very many articles. We have a very large stock. We give you excellent service and honest values. Give us a trial with your next bill. We will soon have some of the LATEST MODEL HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINETS. The kind with the PORCELAIN WHITE ENAMELED STEEL TOPS. The most beautiful and the most useful and durable Cabinets made.

WE GIVE PROFIT SHARING CERTIFICATES
WE SELL WAR THRIFT STAMPS

W. R. Womack Furniture

UNDERTAKER AND LICENSED EMBALMER

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Foard,
By virtue of 141 several orders of sale, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Foard County, Texas, on the 11th day of February, 1918, as directed by the terms of 141 several judgments rendered in said court at the April term, 1917, in 141 causes, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and Divers Persons and Unknown Owners, as hereinafter set out and shown are defendants in favor of the said plaintiff, and against said defendants for the several sums of money hereinafter set out, and being for the amount of the State and County taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Foard County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in March, 1918, the same being the fifth day of said month, at the Court House door of said Foard County, in the City of Crowell, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interests of said divers persons and unknown owners in and to the following described real estate, levied upon on the 11th day of February, 1918, as property of said divers persons and unknown owners, as shown by the following list which shows the file numbers of said causes, respectively, the names of the defendants therein, so far as known, the lot and block numbers of the lands involved, together with the several amounts of taxes, interest, penalty and costs adjudged against said lots respectively, to-wit:

File No.	Defendants	Lots	Blocks	Taxes, etc.
1117	A. J. Barham and unk owner	1	1	\$2.45
1118	R. M. Webb and unk owner	3	1	5.08
1120	J. L. Scarce and unk owner	17	1	2.44
1121	L. B. Creach, B. Creach, unk owner	6	2	2.63
1122	Sidney Allison and unk owner	1	3	5.43
1227	C. A. King and nuk owner	7	3	5.18
1124	H. Allison and unk owner	12	27	2.79
1125	Josephus Hunt and unk owner	13	27	5.26
1127	W. J. Thomas and unk owner	16	27	2.61
1233	J. Dunivan and unk owner	2	27	2.61
1128	John H. Paul and unk owner	10	28	2.73
1129	Alice Power and unk owner	9	30	2.69
1130	Elmer Kennison and unk owner	10	30	2.61
1131	Henry Marcks and unk owner	12	30	3.36
1234	J. R. Tanner and unk owner	11-12	56	17.49
1132	Unknown owner	4	57	5.53
1134	L. J. Paul, C. L. Smith, unk owner	20	62	2.82
1236	John T. Hartman and unk owner 17-18	62	62	26.01
1237	G. Hayden and unk owner	21	66	22.25
1135	G. S. Rogers and unk owner	6	22	5.43
1136	Nation Bros and unk owner	9	71	5.40
1138	C. M. Power and unk owner	12	71	7.95
1238	Pioneer Book Co and unk owner	13	72	10.97
1137	Kirby Cartwright and unk owner	16	76	5.70
1139	J. E. Phillips and unk owner	20	76	9.03
1141	A. E. Schrock and unk owner	10	84	2.77
1142	Eunice Dupree and unk owner	11	84	2.77
1143	Auz. Marks and unk owner	12	84	3.42
1223	J. H. Chapman and unk owner	4	82	19.24
1145	Lila Buck, G. J. Smith, unk owner 14	84	84	19.24
1146	Walter M. Wolfe and unk owner	9	95	12.52
1147	S. S. Chisolm and unk owner	11	95	8.97
1148	P. G. Sullivan and unk owner	16	98	2.63
1246	W. A. Vaughan and unk owner 4-5-6	98	98	13.59
1149	H. H. Fowler and unk owner	9	101	7.81
1247	C. E. House and unk owner	11-12	102	5.90
1249	J. Fitzpatrick, A. Tinker, unk owner 3	103	103	5.82
1250	F. A. Rollason and unk owner 7-8-9	105	105	17.69
1150	J. C. Montague and unk owner	6	106	5.85
1151	A. C. Martin and unk owner	17	106	5.96
1251	A. C. Collins and unk owner	21	106	25.07
1152	M. C. Speer and unk owner	21	107	2.81
1252	R. C. Kemp, R. C. Grisson, unk owner 22	107	107	5.61
1256	C. E. Mann and unk owner	10	112	19.10
1153	Rose M. Thompson, unk owner	13	114	11.25
1154	W. J. McCallan W. J. McCullom unk ow 4	115	115	2.80
1155	L. A. Pittman and unk owner	9	115	5.61
1156	Joe Taylor and unk owner	24	115	2.81
1157	F. B. Upton and unk owner	2	117	6.02
1158	C. E. Lawrence and unk owner	4	117	5.52
1259	Altus Ice Co and unk owner 13-14	119	119	5.29
1161	A. P. Speck and unk owner	9	123	2.55
1162	Jos. H. Miller and unk owner	10	123	2.55
1163	M. L. Shelton and unk owner	12	123	2.99
1164	H. W. Rogers and unk owner	18	123	2.55
1165	Armstrong Rickles and unk owner 3-4	123	2181	21.81
1166	Carl L. Smith and unk owner	8	124	5.15
1168	A. J. Moffield and unk owner	14	124	5.35
1170	G. C. Everett and unk owner	11	125	5.15
1171	George Francis and unk owner	11	125	5.15
1263	A. T. Miller and unk owner	4	127	7.18
1173	Fred Marsland and unk owner	1	132	2.65
1174	E. B. Noblett and unk owner	3	132	2.65
1176	S. W. Easley and unk owner	1	133	5.26
1177	Jos. H. Miller and unk owner	3	133	5.26
1178	Nation Bros and unk owner	1	136	5.19
1179	W. V. Brown and unk owner	2	136	2.59
1180	S. M. Muse and unk owner	3	136	2.59
1181	B. C. Smith and unk owner	4	136	5.08
1182	S. C. Tarver and unk owner	5	136	2.48
1183	Thos. P. Gallaher and unk owner	6	136	5.14
1184	Will Benjamin and unk owner	14	136	5.06
1185	E. H. Fullerton, Rosa J. Fullerton, u. o. 17	136	136	5.06
1265	A. J. Pullian and unk owner	5-6	143	25.10
1266	J. W. Perkins and unk owner	5	145	15.66
1267	Mrs. S. A. Comper and unk owner	6	145	20.13

1189	Fred J. Thompson and unk owner	8	145	5.44
1190	F. B. Upton and unk owner	1	146	5.34
1191	Geo. L. Sherrill and unk owner	2	146	2.61
1192	Wm. M. Rea and unk owner	10	146	5.38
1193	L. S. Hill and unk owner	11	146	2.63
1288	T. C. Bishop and unk owner	8	146	46.84
1194	H. Allison and unk owner	12	146	5.65
1270	G. H. Brandt and unk owner	11-12	148	91.12
1195	Claud M. Nash and unk owner	3	151	2.55
1196	Mrs. L. L. Manning and unk owner	1	153	2.45
1294	R. L. Bekman, S. S. Dube and u. o.	9	154	7.31
1201	Tom Garrett and unk owner	5	164	7.59
1202	B. Freeman and unk owner	9	164	5.62
1203	Mary Ellen Brooks and unk owner	3	165	7.66
1204	Elizabeth White and unk owner	6	165	7.80
1205	J. E. Chappell and unk owner	12	165	5.62
1217	R. B. Truglove and unk owner 1-2-3	165	165	7.60
1304	Tate Anderson and unk owner	1	170	5.24
1207	J. M. Foster and unk owner	2	170	7.86
1208	J. D. Peterson and unk owner	3	170	5.16
1209	T. B. Crawford and unk owner	10	170	7.88
1210	Tony Hibbs and unk owner	12	172	10.27
1211	J. P. Shaw and unk owner 1-2-3	172	172	42.85
1211	D. E. Ross and unk owner	1	175	5.24
1213	John B. Gunder and unk owner	9	174	7.63
Lots in Pack's Addition to Crowell				
1214	J. W. Freeland and unk owner	1	4	11.13
1215	W. T. Hatchett and unk owner	2	4	8.06
1305	W. McLain and unk owner	3	8	59.34
1300	J. C. Drake and unk owner	7	10	39.68
1217	J. G. Bellamy and unk owner	5	14	3.14
1218	John Milton and unk owner	5	16	2.86
1341	J. F. Bryant and unk owner	3	16	6.05
1219	Walter E. Gunn and unk owner	5	25	8.26
1220	M. M. Parks and unk owner	6	25	2.63
Lots in Andrews' First Addition to Crowell				
1271	F. B. Upton and unk owner	4	1	5.25
1272	J. A. Derryberry and unk owner	5	1	2.62
1273	E. Smith and unk owner	7	1	7.86
1275	C. L. Kenny and unk owner	4	2	2.62
1276	H. C. Kreincamp and unk owner	5	2	7.87
1309	J. R. Taylor and unk owner	8	2	7.90
1277	W. L. Victory and unk owner	6	3	7.86
1279	Ernest Allen and unk owner	5	4	5.24
1280	Mrs. Anna Roberts and unk owner	7	4	2.62
1282	J. C. Killion and unk owner	2	175	5.24
1286	Laura Merritt and unk owner	11	5	2.61
1288	B. Conner, Ed Hansacker, unk owner	3	7	5.24
1289	John Walker and unk owner	4	7	5.24
1290	S. S. Thomas and unk owner	12	7	2.64
1291	J. W. Seal and unk owner	4	8	5.27
1293	Dana C. Mann and unk owner	9	9	5.24
Lots in Ferrell's Addition to Crowell				
1226	J. B. Gage and unk owner	4	B	2.68
1225	H. S. Bridges and unk owner	5-6	G	16.51
Lots in Orient Heights Addition to Crowell				
1310	Martha J. Calvert and unk owner	3	1	5.26
1311	J. E. Johnson and unk owner	5	2	2.72
1312	O. B. Carter and unk owner	7	3	16.14
1313	T. W. Willie and unk owner	10	3	13.31
1319	F. B. McKinney and unk owner	3	28	13.17
1320	J. E. Johnson and unk owner	5	28	10.17
1321	W. J. Altman and unk owner	3	29	10.25
1322	T. W. Whitener and unk owner	7	30	10.57
1326	N. L. King and unk owner	4	32	10.19
1327	S. J. Wilbur and unk owner	1	33	10.19
1329	E. B. Yeager and unk owner	9	33	7.54
1330	R. Dugan and unk owner	3	33	7.54
1333	J. M. Napier, Dave Williams, u. o.	9	60	10.06

Subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants in each of said cases, or any one interested therein, may have and subject to any other and further rights the defendants, or any one interested therein, may be entitled to under the provisions of law. Said sales to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgments foreclosing the lien provided by law for taxes, interest, penalty and costs, against said real estate, in favor of the State of Texas, together with interest and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Said sale will be made subject to the defendant's right to redeem the said property within two years from the date of sale by complying with the provisions of law in such cases made and provided.

L. D. CAMPELL, Sheriff Foard County, Texas.

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