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Daily Tourist Cars Through Crowell Is Now More Than 200

An actual count has been made of the automobile traffic over the Lee Highway through Crowell. This was done by the county judge with the view of furnishing the State Highway Department with information showing the necessity for the hard-surfacing of the highway for which aid will be asked in case bonds are voted.

Two days, April 16 and 18, an actual count was made of the cars passing over the highway here. On the 16th there were 221 tourist cars, 8 tourist trucks, 865 local automobiles, and 44 trucks. On that day there were no tourist horse teams but 8 local teams.

On April 18th there were 215 tourist automobiles, 11 trucks, 1110 local automobiles, 40 trucks and 38 horse teams.

An application is being made for state and federal aid to the amount of \$920,000 for the building of Lee Highway from the east side of the county to the west side, a distance of 41.7 miles. An estimate has been made approximating the cost of such highway at \$1,389,650. This estimate is made upon the basis of building 22 miles with standard concrete and 19.7 miles with bituminous macadam.

That portion of the road which it is thought macadam will meet requirements for is in the western portion of the county where the road will pass through a country with road building material nearby, that is through the breaks. It is known to every one that great beds of the finest road material can be had close by in the Vivian country. It is figured that a road as good or even better than concrete can be built for about 19 miles at a cost much less than concrete. The road will be of rock bed with crushed rock on top of that and then crowned with asphalt.

Of course that portion of the county distant from road building material will have to have concrete, that is the eastern portion of the county.

Figured on the basis above merely outlined the cost, which will include all the bridges necessary, to be of concrete, will run to \$1,389,650. It is thought this will be an ample amount and of this amount the state will be asked to lend aid to the amount of \$920,000, leaving the county to bear one-third of the cost, or approximately \$460,000.

Judge Jesse Owens will go to Austin to meet with the State Highway Commission at its regular session within the next few weeks, and will ask for the amount above specified. If aid is granted it will then be up to Foard County to vote bonds in the amount of \$460,000 to cover one-third the cost.

The News thinks this is a wise step. When we shall have known definitely whether we can get this aid we will know better what to do in the matter. It would be useless to take steps to call an election unless we knew just how much aid we can get.

Another thing is that the sooner we get our application before the State Highway Commission the sooner we will get aid. Millions of dollars are being asked by counties in different portions of the state for this purpose and we will never get any unless we ask for it, but we will continue to pay our taxes to help other counties build roads just the same. Why should Foard County not come in for its share?

The county commissioners have each signed the application for State Aid.

Ferrins on Way to Former Illinois Home

A letter from H. M. Ferrin Monday stated that he and his wife were then at Columbia, Mo., and that they would likely go from there to Northwestern Illinois, their former home.

He stated that a great amount of rain had fallen in that country and that wheat, oats and early gardens were looking fine. Most of the corn, he said, had been planted and the weather is very warm for the time of year.

Mr. Ferrin says that his sister, Alice, 82 years of age, passed away six days before they arrived at Columbia.

Columbia is the seat of the State University and Mr. Ferrin says a great deal of building is going on at the University grounds to take care of the needs of the institution, which this year has 4,000 students.

"Religion in the Home" Is Theme of Sermon

"There is nothing equal to a Christian home," said Rev. Fuller in his sermon Sunday morning. "It is the foundation of civilization." He called attention to the lack of religion in the home and declared that unless they become Christian we are facing the saddest day in American life. Most people, he said, respect Christianity. They say it is a good thing, but it is strange that men do not try to make their homes Christian homes.

He declared that there are many fathers and mothers who do not set the right example before their children. Not only are they not religious in their homes but they do not take the interest in church work they ought to. Too many profess to be Christians and yet they send their children to Sunday School when they ought to go with them. In other words, they ought to prove their profession of accepting the principles of the Christian religion by actual practice. Then, the practice of allowing the children to go to Sunday School and return home afterwards, not remaining for the preaching service is helping the devil to ruin the children. The remedy for this practice must be found in the home. He declared that parents must take the lead. The church is losing its grip upon the young life because of the backslidden condition of the parents. This fact comes home to parents down in life somewhere but it is often too late. He declared that it is time to awake now, not just during the revival, but now and after the revival. If the effects of a revival last no longer than the revival it is not worth the effort, he said.

Parents must awake to the situation confronting them and rear their children to be Christians and to take their place in the service of mankind. The time to do that is when the children are young. The most lasting impressions are made before the child has reached the age of 6 years. As a rule the early impressions dominate its life.

The preacher urged Christian harmony in the home. Father and mother must both be Christians. He depicted the hard road traveled by the mother in trying to rear her children when father is not a Christian. Also where the father is a Christian and the mother is not. It's a task too large for either one singly. The responsibility should be borne equally.

The speaker made a strong appeal to fathers to wake up and see the true situation with them and mend their ways. He urged that they become Christians and assume their portion of the responsibility of parenthood.

Chillicothe Suffers from Severe Hail Storm

Chillicothe, Texas, April 21.—One of the most severe rain and hail storms in the history of this country struck here at 4:20 Monday afternoon which continued for 20 minutes. Some of the stones were as large as hen eggs. Damage to property will run into the hundreds of dollars.

About half of the business houses in town suffered losses to stocks when the roofs were battered to pieces and window lights were broken. Tops on all cars which were on the streets during the hail were completely demolished and practically every window light in town unprotected was broken out. The high school reported the loss of 317 lights. All fruit trees were completely stripped of everything including the foliage.

Merchants suffering the greatest losses were: S. H. Williams & Sons, dry goods; The Globe, dry goods; Wofford Bros & Whorton, gents furnisners; Davis Bros., grocery. Several others suffered smaller damages. Reports reaching town indicate only a small territory was covered by the storm.

Margaret and Rayland School Bonds Carried

The school bond elections held at Margaret and Rayland Saturday both carried.

Margaret voted on a \$16,000 issue and it carried 59 for and 6 against. Rayland did better, the fact is she broke the record. Nobody can be found who ever heard of a bond issue carrying 100 per cent. But that happened at Rayland Saturday when 41 votes were cast for school bonds in the amount of \$8,000. Not a single knocker could be mustered to register a kick against a better school house and a better school.

Officers Say New Auto Light Law Must Be Enforced Here

A law was passed by the Legislature regulating the lighting of automobiles which has for its aim the safety of the riding public and it seems that the law is now in force.

The new law provides that lights must be used on automobiles that will not be blinding to approaching cars. The State Highway Commission will act as the authoritative body which is to pass upon the lights. Certain specifications will be made and in each county will be maintained, under the authority of the commissioners court, testing stations where lights will be tested.

The law carries a pretty severe penalty in case it is violated and if it is enforced it will certainly have the desirable effect of cutting out the brilliant and blinding lights that are so dangerous to a driver meeting such lighted car. It is one of the best and most needed bills passed by the Legislature and the local officers will enforce it to the letter.

It will be an easy matter to enforce it, since car owners will be required to present a certificate that lights are according to requirements before car can be registered and it must be registered before it can be driven.

The public is strong in its demand for such law and for its enforcement. There are too many road hogs when it comes to using the roads and too many when it comes to spreading out glaring lights for hundreds of yards in front.

Such law will not affect the real man who wants the other fellow to have a reasonable share of his rights. But it will put the fixings on those human hogs who have no regard for the rights of others, not even for life itself.

We are glad to know that the officers in this county will see that this law is strictly enforced, as it should be in every other place and doubtless will be.

Paducah Band Gives Good Concert Sunday

The only publicity that was given to the fact that the Paducah band was to play on the court house lawn Sunday afternoon was the item in the Foard County News of last week. Everybody knows the result so far as the crowd was concerned. Parking space at the public square was all occupied. Most of the cars were occupied and the grounds near the court house and the steps of the building were covered with people. They were here from all over the county.

The concert was one of real enjoyment. Paducah has a good band and under the direction of Fred H. Roberts it is rapidly taking its place as one of the leading bands in the country. It will compete for honors at the Mineral Wells convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in May.

Judge Owens took the opportunity to welcome the band to our town, saying that the town was wide open—everything being open except the jail. He then introduced Judge Cole of Vernon, a former citizen of Crowell, who paid a high tribute to the hospitality of the people of Foard County and declared that there was great benefit to the social and moral life of towns which can meet and mingle with each other through the medium of band music.

Vernon Athletes Win League District Victory

Vernon, Texas, April 19.—Vernon High School won the interscholastic meet for the Third District, composed of Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Wilbarger, King, Cottle, Wall, Childress and Collingsworth Counties. The total points scored in both literary and athletic events showed the Vernon representatives leading the field and competitors by a wide margin, scoring 61 points, with Quanah coming next with 24. Harrold won third place with 20 and Memphis finished fourth with 17. Other schools finished as follows:

Turkey 15, Kirkland 14, Munday 13, Knox City 11, Dodsonville 10, Childress 10, Mountainview 10, Child Elliott, Haulkhill, Buffalo 5 each; Guthrie, Crossroad, Crowell, Gillespie, Tolbert, Estelline, 3 each.

A good thing to use in self-government is self-control.

Sidewalk Building Will Soon Start on East Side of Square

The owners of property on the east side of the square have been putting sand on the ground for the building of sidewalks. Practically all the material is now on the ground and a four-foot walk will be made both on the west and north side of the block fronting the square on the east.

Some of the property is owned by non-residents but there is reasonable assurance that they will bear their portion of the expense and the walk will be connected up the full length of the block.

Building has already started on the east side and walks will add not only to the convenience of pedestrian travel but to the value of property as well as to the appearance of that part of the business section of the city.

It is not improbable that walks will be extended east from the Self Motor Company towards the Baptist church some time soon.

County Music Memory Held Last Sat. Morning

The county music memory contest was held Saturday morning, April 18, at 10 o'clock at the district court room. A number of parents and other interested patrons from the several communities represented by teams were present.

The schools represented were Crowell, intermediate and primary teams; Thalia, intermediate and primary teams; Gambleville, intermediate and primary teams and two high school individual contestants; Foard City, intermediate and primary teams; Margaret, primary team; Cottonwood, primary team. Fifteen numbers from the twenty-one which had been studied were played on a Brunswick phonograph furnished by Womack Bros. Furniture Co.

In the intermediate section Gambleville won first place with a team score of 100, Foard City was second with a team score of 94½.

In the primary section the Crowell team won first place with a perfect score and the Margaret team won second place having missed a perfect score by three and one-half points.

The individuals making 100 per cent were:

Intermediate section—Gambleville, Elsie May Bell, Edna Diggs, Bonnie Alston, Bill Dunagan; Foard City, Gertrude Connell, Melba Connell; Crowell, Lella Ben Allee; Thalia, Pauline Grimsley.

Primary section—Crowell, Lennis Brown, Frances Wood, Edna Mae Huckleberry, Melvin Joy; Margaret, Mary Laura Womack, Foy Ingle; Foard City, Fay Callaway; Cottonwood, J. W. McDaniel.

The intermediate results of the contest are gratifying to all persons who have been in charge of the work. All the final contest grades were not as nearly perfect as they might have been, yet, as has been stated in this column before, the final contest was only one of the means used to stimulate the interest in music appreciation in the county. We feel safe in predicting that next year every school that was in the contest this year will re-enter with increased interest. We hope that several other schools, even every school in the county will take up the music memory work. It is easily possible for every school even to the one with the smallest enrollment to have a part in this work if the school communities will lend their interest and support.

As director of the music memory work in the county, I wish to express my deep appreciation of the hearty support which has been extended by both the teachers and patrons during the contest. I also wish to extend thanks on behalf and in behalf of all teachers who have been conducting the music memory work to all individuals who have in anyway assisted in any phase of the work. Especially do we wish to thank the Foard County News for opening its columns to us and assisting us so kindly in the publicity end of the contest. We feel that this has been one of the best means by which the general public has become interested in the music memory contest.

LOTTIE WOODS,
Director of Music Memory Contest,
Foard County.

There is no such thing as a poor guess. Any guess is poor.

The Revival at M. E. Church Is Going Well

The interest in the revival services at the Methodist church has been growing during the progress of the meeting.

Rev. O. P. Clark, presiding elder, was here from Vernon two days last week, assisting the pastor and was here also Sunday, Monday and Monday night. During a portion of the time Rev. Fuller was confined to his bed with fever on account of his having taken the typhoid serum, but he is again at his post.

Both the pastor and Rev. Clark have been making strong appeals to the Christians of Crowell to awake to their duty, as well as to the unsaved to accept Christ as their Savior. Much good has already been accomplished. A large number have been added to the church both by profession and by letter.

Rev. Clark delivered a sermon Monday night that was very impressive. He classified all who have a part in revival work and he stated before he delivered it that he expected to call every person's number. These are the heralds, the healer, the hinderers, the helpless and the helpers. The work each does, was pointed out in such manner that anyone could easily place himself. At the close of the service a number of Christians manifested a desire to make themselves more useful and a large number of new converts came forward to be received into the church.

The day services have been splendid and the general interest has been shown by the presence of a large number of business men who have been closing their doors for the hour from ten to eleven.

Altogether it will be a great revival season. It has already been that, and yet the results are far from what anxious Christians would like to see.

Hardeman County Votes Road Building Bonds

According to the vote in Hardeman County last Saturday that county will build a concrete road from the Wilbarger County line to the Childress County line, clear across the county from east to west. The \$600,000 bond issue carried 1068 to 502, 64 more votes than was necessary to put the election over.

The issue will be supplemented by state and federal aid.

This is a great step for Hardeman County and it means the lengthening of the Colorado-Gulf Highway far towards the Plains country. And with hard-surface roads already into Fort Worth from Wilbarger County it will give several hundred miles of concrete road from the heart of Texas into the distant West. It is a strong argument in favor of Foard County getting busy and putting Lee Highway in condition so that it can be traveled in all kinds of weather. We must do it in order to get the traffic that is certain to be headed this way in the near future.

Expect to Be Making Ice by Last of Week

The ice plant is about completed and it is expected that the first product will be turned out either the last of this week or the first of next, according to information given the News by the managers of the new business.

The arrival of motors to complete the equipment is expected any day. They have been shipped and a tracer is after them.

The Crowell Ice Company have been delayed on account of the delay in shipment of material but they have been handling the situation very nicely by shipping ice in to take care of the demand but it will be much easier when it can be manufactured at home, as the hot weather is coming fast and early.

New City Officers Sworn in Tues. Night

The city officers recently elected took the oath of office Tuesday night at the session of the city council.

The officers elected were George D. Self, mayor; R. J. Thomas, re-elected for marshal; M. L. Hughton, J. C. Self and E. Swaim were elected as aldermen, Hughton being a new man and Self and Swaim being re-elected. The five aldermen are J. C. Self, M. L. Hughton, E. Swaim, H. E. Ferguson and L. A. Andrews.

Seven Injured; Two May Die, Result of Quannah Race

Quannah, April 18.—Seven people are in the Myra James hospital here, two of them with little or no chance to recover, following an accident five miles west of Quannah this morning about 11 o'clock, when the car in which they were driving overturned in a ditch.

The injured people are Wilson Baker, aged 12, who is given no chance for recovery, following an x-ray picture which revealed the base of his skull to be hopelessly fractured; Velma Dial, age 5, suffering from concussion of the brain, is given little chance to recover; and A. J. Dial, the father, sustained a badly crushed right shoulder and minor injuries, but he will recover; four other members of the Dial family, who were in the car at the time, including Mrs. Dial, who was driving, are all suffering from bruises, but are not regarded as in a serious condition.

The accident occurred, according to eye-witnesses when the Dial car, a sport model touring car, had passed a truck. Another car also passed the truck and attempted to pass the touring car, which was said to have increased its speed, estimates running from 40 to 60 miles per hour. The touring car suddenly passed into some loose dirt in the road and turned end over end, stopping upside down in the ditch, with the entire party pinned underneath.

The occupants were immediately rushed to this place for medical attention. Four members of the Dial family were able to leave the hospital soon afterwards, though Mrs. Dial is ill from the shock and worry.

Mr. Dial is a farmer living north of Goodlett, near Quannah. They were returning to their home at the time of the accident.

L. Kamstra's Son Wins District Debate

Our jeweler, Mr. Kamstra, showed us a letter written by his son, Martin, who is in high school at Fort Stockton, and it is a matter of interest to us and we feel that it will be to our readers, that the young man recently won a district debate.

We do not know young Martin Kamstra, but we know his father and it is interesting to know that the boy, only 16 years of age, is making good in school at Fort Stockton and his father is very proud of him.

In a district debate Kamstra was one of the speakers on the negative side of the question as to whether the United States should grant the Philippine Islands independence. The Fort Stockton school, represented by Kamstra and a colleague, was given 98 points, taking the lead in debate, declamation and essay writing. His letter to his father showed that he had made a thorough study of the subject debated and put up irrefutable argument. The next closest contestant was Alpine with about 70 points.

Thief Strips Car at Church Sunday Night

While the preacher was warning men to make their paths straight and cease from doing things that are evil, some thief took from J. W. Bell's car in front of the church the sun shield and a coil. The discovery was made at once that something was wrong but Mr. Bell managed to persuade old "Lizzie" to hobble in home on three legs.

WOMAN GETS COLLAR BONE BROKEN WHEN CAR PLUNGES INTO A DITCH

Mrs. M. O'Connell is suffering from a broken collar bone as the result of an accident Tuesday night when the car in which she was riding went into a ditch.

She was riding in a car with Miss Bess Thompson and Miss Geneva Wishon, all of them having attended the play given by the Crowell high school at Paducah Tuesday and were returning home.

The accident occurred near the foot of the Carroll hill in the Vivian community. It is said they were getting up speed in order to climb the hill in the Ford touring they were driving when the front wheel of the car struck a rock and throwing it into the ditch and smashing the car.

Country Correspondence

Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Effie and Josie Martin, Vera, Josie and Annice Davis and J. C. Davis attended the singing at Elliott Sunday.

H. D. Lawson who visited in Memphis last week returned Saturday.

A large crowd from here went fishing Saturday and reported a good catch.

Arthur Buffalo, Jack Lawson, Ephrem Crisp attended the singing at Elliott Sunday.

Lavelle Reed who has sick with the

flu is better at this writing.

Irene Green is ill at this writing.

H. D. Lawson and son, Walter, and Jack and Arthur Buffalo were Vernon visitors Saturday.

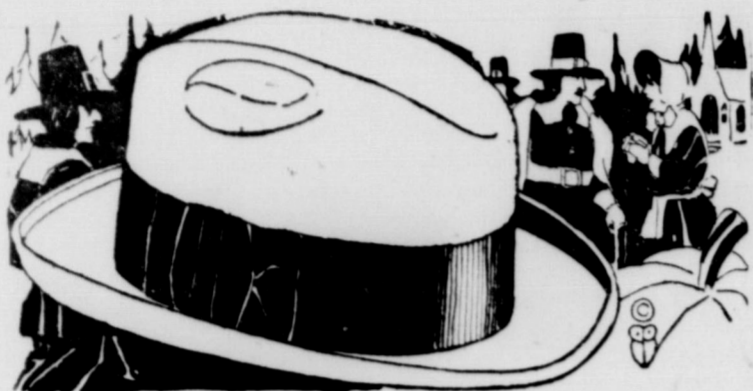
Miss Virginia German spent the week end with homefolks.

A large crowd attended the singing at J. C. Davis' Sunday night.

There will be a singing at R. L. Cribbs Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert and family attended the band concert at Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Grandma Roberts is sick at this writing.



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Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge and children attended the singing at Elliott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Matthews visited in the T. F. Lambert home Sunday and went to Vernon to the band concert in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Covey were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lambert went to Vernon Sunday to attend the band concert.

Tom Lawson is hauling cotton seed to Vernon this week.

Miss Effie Martin and Maurice Fite, and Misses Posie, Annice and Vera Davis and Bill Barnett attended the closing exercises of the Margaret school last Friday night.

Mrs. A. B. Skipworth of Waco is visiting relatives here.

L. C. Lawhorn has returned from Waco after a month's visit with relatives there.

Jessie Webb visited Irene Jordan at the Vernon sanitarium Saturday. She is getting along nicely.

Ben Webb of Breckenridge is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fuller and children of Tolbert visited in the J. W. Dewberry home Sunday.

Miss Florence Black, one of the Antelope teachers, was absent from school Monday with an attack of appendicitis.

West Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Fred Rengels and family of Crowell were callers in the John Reynolds home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Curry and family attended church at Thalia Sunday and took dinner in the Owen McLarty home.

Alma Manning of Dixie is visiting her sister, Mrs. Luther Jobe, this week.

Clyde McKinley and wife were called to Lorenzo Sunday on account of the serious illness of Mr. McKinley's father.

Mr. Adkins from Clarendon is here visiting his parents, and brother, M. C. Adkins.

The school bond election which was held Saturday was 41 to 0 in favor of the bonds.

Mr. Wade took his grandson, Orval Taylor, to Vernon Saturday to consult Dr. Flannagan in regard to trouble the boy had been having with his ears.

Sam Tole and family of Thalia spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Tom Ward and family.

Luther Ward and family of Thalia visited in the Frank Ward home Sunday.

Several from this community enjoyed the singing at the J. C. Davis home Sunday night.

Nettie Caros has been on the sick list the past few days.

C. J. Fox and family visited Mrs. Wheeler and son at Vernon Sunday.

Clarence Culver and family are visiting relatives at Lamesa this week.

Elijah Young is right sick at this writing.

Sam Scales and wife of Crowell spent Monday in the Wallace Scales home.

Mrs. Davidson and children of Arkansas are visiting in the Hawkins home.

Forrest Durham and wife are visiting relatives at Anton.

Thalia News Items

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. M. C. Adkins went to Memphis Saturday to attend the district conference of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society. She will visit her sister of that place for a few days.

Ed McDaniel of Crowell spent the week end with Will Wood and family of this place.

T. M. Adkins of Clarendon came in Sunday to visit his father here who is ill.

Several from here have been attending the Methodist revival meeting in Crowell the past week.

Clyde McKinley was called to Lorenzo Sunday to be at the bedside of his father, W. M. McKinley, who is ill.

A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gardner April 17th.

Quite a few people from here attended the band concert at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Lorene Boman of Margaret is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Brown, this week.

Grandma French of Crowell is visiting her children of this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rucker, Grady Shults, Paul Wallace, Ed McDaniel and Grady Magee, members of the Crowell orchestra, came out Thursday night and practiced with the Thalia band.

Oneal Johnson is very sick with pneumonia this week.

Mrs. A. C. Phillips of this place and Mrs. Pearl Cobb of Rayland visited relatives in Quanah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson and Miss Opal Eden and John Hopkins accompanied Miss Leona Thompson to Abilene Monday where she is attend-

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ing a business college.

Rev. J. M. Camp of Matador preached at the Church of Christ here Sunday and Sunday night.

Faye Randolph returned to Tulsa, Okla., Monday after a few days visit with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaines of Electra visited in the H. W. Banister home here Sunday.

Sherman Nichols and wife of Black visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley here Sunday.

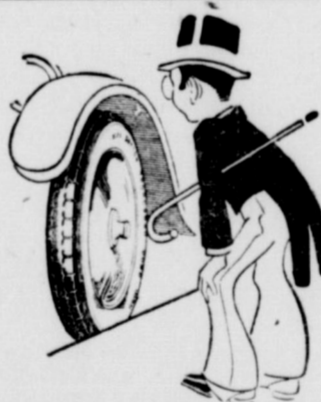
Leon Solomon and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller went to Paducah Tuesday night to attend a play and help furnish music in the orchestra.

Every now and then labor is reported to be scarce, but there never seems to be any shortage of bosses.

Commissioners' Court Notice
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1925, at a regular term of court the commissioners court of this county will receive sealed bids for a new tractor up to 10 a. m. o'clock.

JESSE OWENS,
County Judge.
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Black Community News
(By Special Correspondent)

George Andress visited Jesse Dishman in the Vivian community last Wednesday.

Misses Irene Patton and Marion Cooper of Crowell spent Saturday night with Mrs. O. M. Gentry.

The many friends of Miss Minnie Douglas will be surprised to learn that she was married Dec. 19th, 1924, at Quanah to Mr. Roy L. Lock of Altus, Okla. Miss Minnie has been our primary teacher for the last two terms and her sweet disposition has won for her many friends who will wish her all the happiness that is to be found in her new life, and she is in every way fitted to grace the home of her life partner. Mr. Lock is one of Altus' most popular young business men and is worthy of the one he has chosen as his life companion. Immediately after the closing of school Friday week they will leave for Altus where they will make their future home. Mr. Lock having already prepared a home for his bride, who will carry with her the congratulations and best wishes of all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Mrs. Clarence Carroll of Vivian attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andress spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. J. B. Raspberry of Vivian.

Mrs. Roy L. Lock spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crosnoe of Foard City.

Roy Cooper of Wichita Falls spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. O. M. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cooper of Crowell visited S. W. Gentry and family Sunday.

S. W. Gentry and family, Ed Andress and family, Charley Hall and family, W. D. Stubblefield and family attended the band concert at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Items from Vivian
(By Special Correspondent)

S. J. Lewis and three sons were in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. Walling and children were in Crowell Saturday. They were accompanied home by their son, J. P. Jr., who spent Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dishman and small daughter spent from Monday until Sunday with Mrs. Dishman's parents of Glenrose who accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and children and Misses Jewel and Rosalie Fish attended the band concert at

A COMIC PAGE OFFICIAL

An Indiana town marshal of the comic page type heard some wag say that someone should shoot at a man asleep in the railroad station and frighten him.

Acting on the spur of the moment and probably with the idea of showing the world that he could fire a revolver when he pleased, the town marshal shot in the general direction of the sleeping man.

The bullet hit the wall about twenty inches above the man and as he was rising the marshal's pistol was accidentally exploded, he says, and the bullet took effect in the man's brain, killing him almost instantly.

All of which demonstrates that it is not always safe for sworn officers

of the law to carry firearms, much less citizens without any authority or right under the law to do so.

The town marshal is quoted as regretting the act. Doubtless he does, but that does not bring the dead man back to life.

There has been altogether too much brandishing of concealed weapons during the past few years by irresponsible persons. More restrictions will have to be placed about the carrying of revolvers.

Likewise, this demonstration of poor judgment indicates that those who have the authority to select men to uphold the majesty of the law should use the greatest care, else the law is going to suffer in the eyes of those who are expected to obey it.

A Store of Surprises

You will be surprised at the surprises in store for you if you come here to make your purchases.

The modern drug store has outgrown its apothecary predecessor. Although it still caters to the wants of those who need drugs and drug compounds, its circle of service has been enlarged.

We would like the opportunity to surprise you when you are in need of something — just come here and ask for it.

You'll be surprised at the moderate prices, too.

Ferguson Brothers Rexall Store

Crowell Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Benham and small son, Marion, were visitors in Crowell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and children and Mrs. J. E. Fish spent Sunday with Mrs. Fish's mother, Mrs. W. H. Adams, of Crowell.

H. Young and son, Roy, were transacting business in Crowell Saturday. Mrs. J. E. Fish's children gave her a surprise birthday supper April 16. She is 72 years of age.

Miss Bess Fish, teacher of the Kirkland school, is on the sick list at this writing.

A. T. Fish and daughter, Dollie, took Bessie to see the doctor at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

R. N. Beatty Jr., who has been attending the Daque Business College has returned home for a few weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty.

L. E. Winsted, J. B. Raspberry and Claude Torres went to Vernon Friday afternoon to attend the district track meet. Mr. Winsted and J. B. Raspberry spent Saturday night in Wichita Falls, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll and daughter, Seigal, and son, Clarence and wife, spent Sunday with Mrs. Clarence Carroll's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Mitchell, in the Black community.

Mrs. Egbert Fish and daughter, Jewel, were shopping in Crowell last Friday.

Henpecked husbands should have courage. Statistics show they outlive their tormentors.

What has become of the old-fashioned woman who was so proud of her sewing machine?

Many men intoxicated with their own words recall to mind the fate of the toad that tried to swell up until it was as big as the fox.

Once upon a time there was a moving picture desert scene that was taken on a desert.

No matter how big a fool a man may make of himself he always has a few admirers.

"Everyone Has Someone. But I Have Only You." is the title of a new song hit. The girl to whom that is sung will doubtless feel flattered.

The Test of the Kitchen Is in the Cooking

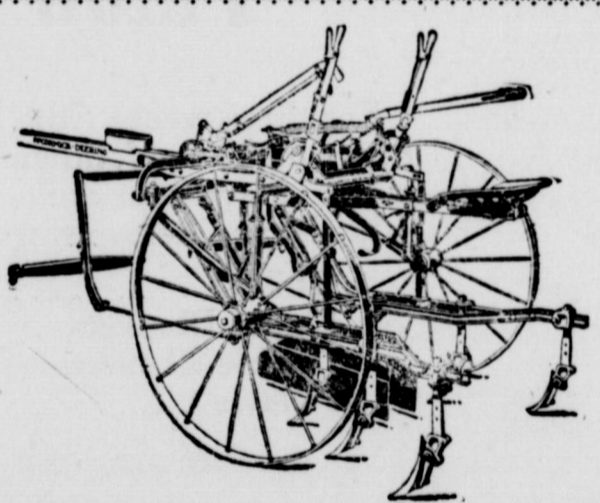
But no cook can meet the test without the proper means and materials.

If the fine flavor is not in what you are preparing, the best cook can not make it tasty. Your food products must be right if palatable, nourishing and appetizing dishes are to be made.

We have foods of pleasing flavor. You can follow the most delicate and choice line of cooking when you buy of us

AND OUR PRICES ARE NO HIGHER

Fox & Thompson Grocery



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Styles and Equipment for Every Kind of Row Crop

Right here in our store is an interesting display of McCormick-Deering Cultivators in styles and with proper equipment for cultivating all row crops grown locally. We can satisfy you perfectly, whether you want the very newest labor-saving two-row or a single-row rider or walker.

We heartily recommend the McCormick Deering two-row for all farmers with 20 acres or more

to cultivate. It has all of the mechanical refinements of our single-row cultivators, with the added advantage of permitting one man to accomplish 90 percent more each working day. It's a three-horse profit maker.

Drop in at our store and see our full line of McCormick-Deering Cultivators. We'll gladly point out their advantages to you.

Crews=Long Hardware Co.

Pointed Paragraphs

Will someone explain why, when a legislator loses his seat, he also loses his standing.

People who work are happy; the wretched are those who have nothing to do.

Airplanes cost more than automobiles and it costs more to keep them up, too.

Never forget that starting something you can't finish is bound to have an end.

Most information from information bureaus only serve to add to your perplexities.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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Crowell, Texas, April 24, 1925

An actual count has been made for two days of the tourist travel over Lee Highway through Crowell. The average for two days, just common days, nothing extra to cause travel through Crowell, is more than 200 cars. If we assume that there were four persons to the car on an average, it would mean that 800 people are passing over this highway daily. At that rate approximately 300,000 people from outside Foard County pass through here annually. Of course, we are making no allowance for winter weather, which would show a shortage, but at the same time we are not allowing for the increased travel in mid summer, which will offset the winter shortage. Now, when the highway is hard-surfaced and when weather conditions will cease to be an item considered by the tourist, the traffic will not only be maintained at its present rate, but will be doubled and thrilled and quadrupled. These people are always leaving money where they go. Travel is expensive and most people who are on the road do not consider the cost of what they must buy. So they are free with their money. Many thousands of dollars would be left in Foard County by tourists annually if we had Lee Highway concreted across the county. Since money is the life blood of business and its benefits extend to all, the people of this county as a whole would realize returns from their investment immediately. Again, supposing that it costs each car 5 cents to travel each mile, including all expenses, which is putting it at low figures, it would mean \$400 daily on 200 cars traveling 40 miles across the county, or \$146,000 a year. Suppose 20 per cent of that is profit. It would amount to about \$25,000 a year, little less than enough to create the sinking fund and pay the interest on \$400,000 worth of bonds. That is figuring on the present rate of traffic. Really hard surfaced roads will pay for themselves.

A protest has been sent by the Methodist ladies of Panhandle, Texas, to the Governor against her abuse of the pardoning power. These women do not think society is bettered by the turning loose of criminals over the state to the tune of four a day. Of course, there are two things to consider in this matter, one the protection of society, the other the rights of the convict. Punishment has as one of its aims the reformation of the criminal, but there is great danger that many pardoned criminals will return before they have been reformed. The abuse of this power by the chief executive together with the failure of the courts to always mete out deserved punishment to law violators nearly always looks favorable enough to give reasonable hope of escape. Consequently we have much crime. One of the best things in the world to keep down crime is a strict enforcement of law. It is not enforced when the pardoning power comes in to nullify law. Ma had a great opportunity but she is abusing it. She came into power on an advancing tide of popularity but she will go out on a receding one.

If it develops that Foard County can get about a million dollars from the State for road building, provided we will put up nearly half that amount, it would not hurt much since the wheat crop is a failure. The fact is, it would be worth more to the county than a big wheat crop, because that money would be turned loose among men who would spend it right here at home. By refreshing of the memory we see that our dirt highways were built during a dry season and that \$150,000 or more came in pretty nicely to help out.

People can do almost anything they wish to do. Too many of us want to do nothing, and that's what we do. We can build a town, streets, sidewalks, business houses, homes, and then we can create live organizations for the civic, moral and religious welfare of our people, if we wish to, or we can sit down and wait for something to come along and get us. Whatever we want to do, that we can do and that we do.

A good rain fell Wednesday night, following a two-days hard wind from the southeast, and while it comes too late to benefit the wheat, except summer-fallowing sowing, it will be quite a help to the row crop growers. The drought is not yet broken sufficiently to give a feeling of assurance as to crops but we are confidently looking for more rain to follow.

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Four Teams to Play in League Formed Sunday

A Sunday baseball league with teams representing four towns was formed at Chillicothe Sunday afternoon at a meeting held by those backing the movement. Vernon, Chillicothe, Quanah and Crowell will be represented by teams in the league, it is announced.

W. N. Stokes, superintendent of the First Baptist Sunday School of this city, one of the prime movers in the undertaking, was elected president of the league. He will be assisted in the management of the league affairs by an executive committee of four, one member from each town. The government of the organization will be vested in this committee. R. M. Fielder is executive committeeman from Vernon, S. J. Bailey of Quanah, and Frank Graham is member from Chillicothe. The Crowell members of the executive board has not been chosen. M. C. Culberston, it is announced, will be manager of the Vernon team and a captain will be chosen by the members later.

A schedule calling for two games each week for each team has been prepared and the playing season will last over a period of ten weeks. Each team will play one game at home and one away from home each week, according to the schedule. Games will be played on Tuesdays and Fridays and the season will open on Tuesday, May 5, with Chillicothe playing in Vernon and Crowell playing in Quanah.

Games will be called at 5 p. m. and will run the regulation nine innings unless darkness interferes. Two umpires will be appointed for each game one from each town represented in that day's game. No professionalism will be allowed and any player who participates in any baseball game on Sunday will be expelled from the league. Another requirement of the players is that he must attend some Sunday School of the town on whose team he proposes to play at least 75 per cent of the time.

All Sunday Schools in each town will sponsor the team, and purely local matters in the organization of the different teams will be handled by a committee representing all Sunday Schools in the town.—Vernon Record.

Odd Fellows to Have Anniversary Program

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will have an anniversary program commemorating the 106th anniversary of Odd Fellows on Monday night, April 27, at the Odd Fellows hall over Owl Drug Store at 8 p. m. All visiting Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served after the program.

Program

Band—Rucker Crowell Band.
Song—Opening Ode, Lodge.
Prayer.
Anniversary proclamation.
History of Odd Fellows.—W. W. Griffith.
Violin duet—T. B. Klepper and Mrs. Alva Spencer; accompanist, Miss Inez Sloan.
Speech—Miss Lois Jo Rohrk.
Reading—Miss Hazel Dykes.
Orchestra—A. L. Rucker, director.
Speech—Miss Mojorie Schooley.
Saxophone duet—Tom Reeder and Marion Crowell.
Reading—Mrs. French.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Adolphus Wright; accompanist, Mrs. Alva Spencer.
Speech—Miss Mojorie Spencer.
Orchestra—A. L. Rucker, director.
Rebekahs—Mrs. Bertha A. Ross, Vernon, Texas.
Odd Fellowship—Rev. Lancaster, Chillicothe, Texas.
Song—Closing Ode, Lodge.
Band—Rucker Crowell Band.

Former Crowell Boy Dies at Dallas April 18

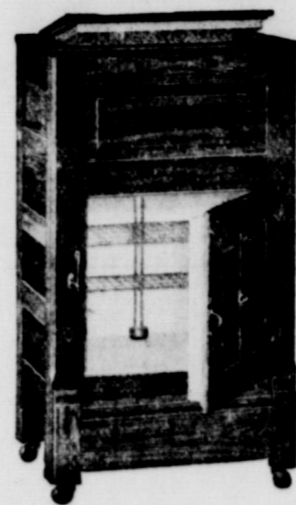
According to information reaching the News, Harry K. Moore, died last Sunday morning in a Dallas sanitarium and the funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Harry was born and reared in Foard County, the son of C. M. Moore, having gone from here to Dallas several years ago and has served that city as a fireman for the past nine or ten years. He is well known here and has many friends who will regret to learn of his death. He visited in the home of his brother, Frank, in this city about one year ago.

Parent-Teacher Association
The parent-teacher association met April 14, 1925. The meeting opened with a song after which the president took charge. The primary department reported spending \$37.25 for books and maps. The intermediate department reported as having purchased a Victrola, records and three

Hot Weather Calls for Refrigerators

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For three weeks from April 20th to May 11th, we make the following special prices on bedding. Have your quilts and blankets thoroughly cleaned before storing.

Quilts	25c
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Double Blankets	25c
Pillows	25c

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We also render you tire and garage service second best to none and endeavor to merit your patronage.

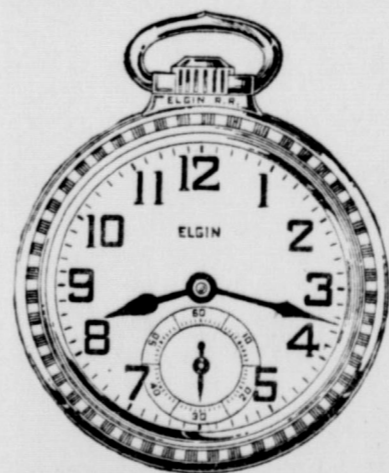
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Safety in Savings

The Money That's Ahead of You Is Uncertain, But—

Money saved you can count absolutely on that.

Too many of us take the attitude that we guess we will manage to get along somehow if we lose our jobs, or if business fails, or if sickness or misfortune comes.

The truth is, the most of us would have a mighty sorry time.

But the man with money put by KNOWS he is ready to meet the worst that can come.

Local and Personal

Nofade shirts.—Self's.

Cleaning and pressing done by the City Tailors.

Five minute crank case service at Beverly Service Station.

Dodge traveling car for sale or trade.—W. L. Vandagriff. 46

Give us your blow-out troubles. We fix them.—Ivie's Station.

First class sewing, all work guaranteed.—Mrs. A. L. Lopze. 43

Miss Lizzie Sloan returned Wednesday of last week from Dallas.

Shumate hair clippers, razors, straps and hones.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For all kinds of insurance see Emily Purcell. Office above Owl Drug Store.

We represent the International Suits Co. and want to take your order for a nice suit.—City Tailors.

We are equipped in every way for tire repairing. Come in and see our plant.—Beverly Service Station.

G. W. Johnson and family were here a few days last week from Canyon visiting the Banister and Johnson families.

Best serge pants at Self's.

Ladies rest room.—Swaim's Garage.

New flannel Bell Bottom pants.—Self's.

Guaranteed electric irons \$4.50.—M. S. Henry & Co.

If you want bran and shorts call Swim & Sons. They deliver.

Yes, we grease cars but not the cushions.—Beverly Service Station.

Complete line of those good refrigerators and ice boxes at Womack Bros.

We handle Goodyear lawn hose in 25 and 50 foot lengths.—Swaim's Garage.

Tin and pipe work. Some tanks already made up.—T. L. Hayes at Hayes Hotel.

Mrs. Adaline Chastain is here from Gracemont, Okla., visiting her mother, Mrs. Gribble.

Fresh vegetables and fresh meat will be delivered with your groceries.—Swim & Sons.

Our iceless refrigerators keep your milk and foods fresh on the hottest days.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For sale, or trade for good milch cow, a good coal or wood range.—Otho Green, Owl Drug Store.

Sizes 28 to 52 waist pants.—Self's.

Northland refrigerators.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Flash lights, batteries and bulbs.—Swaim's Garage.

Pep up your Ford with Pennant 4D oils.—Pierce Pet. Corp., Geo. Hinds, agent.

We have the celebrated Water Spar (colored and clear) varnish and enamels.—Womack Bros.

A few razors left. We will give you six bits for that old razor on a new one.—M. S. Henry & Co.

J. W. McCaskill and mother and J. W. Klepper and W. T. Rasor made a trip to Vernon Tuesday afternoon.

Sacked hulls, mixed cow feed, cotton seed meal, white and red oats, straight bran and mill-run at Bell Grain Co. tf

O. O. Hollingsworth and Webster Mitchell made a trip to Ringling, Okla., last Saturday afternoon returning Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Moody, who has been critically ill since April 4th, following the birth of a baby boy is reported to be improving slowly.

Wall paper! Wall paper. A good stock on hand all times, and few sample books to select from, special orders.—Womack Bros.

For Sale—Good young work mule, two-row planter, sulky plow, section harrow, an old lister and cultivator.—T. D. Roberts, phone 185. 43

S. D. and J. E. Tye and families of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tye, of this place from the 15th to 22nd, returning Wednesday.

Mrs. George Allison returned home Monday from Brenham, where she had been with her sister who was ill with an attack of pneumonia. Her sister was out of danger.

W. H. Hill was here from Plainview Monday looking after some stock which he left at Foard City when he moved away a few months ago. Mr. Hill owns land in Floyd County but has it rented and is making his home at Plainview.

L. N. Johnson and wife were here this week from Tell visiting Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Gribble, who has been seriously ill for some days but who is reported to be improving at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson returned home Monday.

E. L. Caraway of Sherman arrived Tuesday and will work with Mr. Vandagriff in the painting and paper hanging trade. These two men worked together in North Texas. Mr. Caraway did not bring his family but probably will do so later.

Folks We carry a big stock of oil stoves and two kinds gasoline burners. Here they are: Red Star, no wicks, no rings, just cast iron—uses kerosene or gasoline; The New Perfection, asbestos wicks; Kerogas, short drum, wick; and our latest find, Albert Lea Kitchen Kook, airpressure gasoline.—Womack Bros.

Service Value Quality

EXTRA EXTRA EXTRA PANTS

It is never economy at any time to wear your suit trousers because when the trousers to your suit is gone nine times out of ten you can't get a match for your coat.

Lay aside your suit trousers, do it today and buy one of those new extra trousers down at our store. Of course we have the bell bottom and the regulars, so that we may be able to please all. Then we have the sizes from 28 to 52 waist, priced from \$2.50 to \$10.00.

EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA! SHIRTS

The winter months you use your worn shirts but it is to hot now for the coat and as a rule the old shirt don't look the best after a full winter's wear. Our store is full of the NOFADE shirts and in the new kind with the collars on them.

See our window display.

Self Dry Goods Co.

One Price Cash Only

Extra! Extra! Extra pants.—Self's.

We'll get fresh meat for you.—Swim & Sons.

Dynamite caps and fuses at Ringgold's Variety Store.

I have a nice stock of graduation goods at hand.—L. Kamstra.

For Sale—Four or five tons of good, bright maize.—H. B. Pool, Crowell, Texas. 42p

Construction work was begun Monday morning on the 9-room, two-story brick veneer residence of M. S. Henry.

Charley Thompson Jr., an eight-lb. baby boy arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thompson Tuesday morning.

When you think of refrigerators, think of the house that has sold more than all others for 15 years.—Womack Bros.

All kinds of field seed for sale at Crowell Feed Store.

When in need of coal or feed call phone 152.—Crowell Feed Store.

John Rasor of Marietta, Okla., is here visiting his uncle, W. T. Rasor.

The wonder lubricant for Fords—Pennant 4D. Call for it.—Geo. Hinds, agent.

Dink Woods and wife were here Sunday from Paducah visiting Dee Roberts and wife.

Mrs. T. L. Hughston attended the annual conference of the Northwest Texas Missionary Societies which convened in Memphis from Saturday till Tuesday of this week.

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Joe Thompson renders satisfactory garage service at Ivie's Station.

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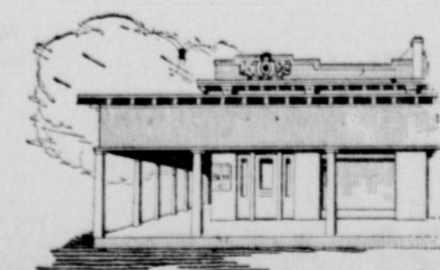
The Challenge refrigerators and ice boxes are the good kind.—Womack Bros.



From the hen. Watch how carefully she protects her chicks. None go astray if she can prevent it.

So it should be with you and your money. The temptations to let your dollars go astray for things that gain you nothing—are too plentiful. And your dollars are too hard earned to let them slip through your fingers without results.

Those spare dollars are your "chicks." If they're to be of any use in the future—it would be best that you protect them by depositing them in this bank.



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Mattresses, comforts and pillows made to order; old ones made new. We use machinery. Beautiful ticking. John Ford piece south of stock pens.

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Class No. 1--All Hats from \$3 to \$4 at **\$1.50**
 Class No. 2--All Hats from \$5 to \$6 at **\$2.50**
 Class No. 3--All Hats from \$8 to \$17 at **\$6.00**

Commenced Friday Morning, April 17

Crowell D. G. Co.

Crowell Music Memory Contest

The local tryout in the music memory contest was held in the Crowell school Friday afternoon, April 17. There were in all 66 contestants from the intermediate and primary departments. There were four teams of 4 members each from the intermediate department, and 19 individual contestants. The primary department had five teams of 4 members each and 11 individual contestants. The intermediate pupils were graded on the recognition of the composition, name of the composer and the spelling and punctuation of both. The primary children were graded on the recognition of the composition and the name of the composer. Fifteen of the twenty one compositions which had been studied were used.

The winning team in the intermediate department was that from grade 5B.

The winning primary team was from the third grade with a score of 100. The individuals making a score of 100 were as follows: Intermediate—Elizabeth Kincaid, Zada Howell, Elizabeth Locke, Belle Locke, Opal Bordofske, Dorothy Coffey, Lella Ben Allee, Evelyn Sloan, Lilla Mae Hudson, Elsie Fay Roark. Primary—Fay Anderson, Jack Henderson, Eloise Saunders, Mary Eva Meason, Louis Brown, Frances Couch, Edna May Huckleberry, Melvin Joy, Louise Nicholson, Ralph Wofford, Sue Gorrill, Milton Magee.

The majority of the grades were highly satisfactory, a number of the contestants missing the 100 score by only a small per cent.

The team prize for the intermediate department which will go to the 5B room is a picture, "The Pot of Basil" by Alexander. The primary team prize which goes to the third grade room is also a picture, "Dignity and Imprudence" Landseer.

All individuals scoring 100 will receive a small pin bearing the inscription "M. M. C. 25." These prizes are from the Columbian Club and Mrs. R. L. Kincaid.

The music memory work has met with interested response on the part of both teachers and pupils. The immediate results while gratifying, have still room for improvement. Yet they are better than last year. The list of compositions studied and the number of pupils taking part were on the whole larger than in the first contest.

The greater results of the music memory work cannot be tabulated as they are a matter of music appreciation rather than grades and per cents.

It is to be hoped that next year the music memory contest will be recognized as an established phase of the year's work and even better work and more lasting results may be realized.

The teachers and pupils wish to extend their thanks and appreciation to Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and to the Columbian Club for their substantial aid in putting into our hands phonographs, records and prizes as well as moral support of the project in our local school.

Mr. Munyon's Present

Ben Marsh of the Farmers' National council, ardent advocate of government ownership of the railroads, said recently:

"Our politicians love us dearly before the election, but after the election we—well, we get a shock like Mr. Munyon's."

"Mr. Munyon's wife came to him a little time before Christmas and said: 'George, dear, I'm sorry, but you'll have to give me a \$200 check to buy our presents with. I've cut the list down to the bone, but prices are so high, and the list is still so long—'

"It's a tall order, \$200," said Mr. Munyon, gloomily. "Look here, suppose you don't give me any presents at all this Christmas?"

"Oh, George, I could never agree to that."

"Yes, yes, you must. Times are mighty hard."

"Well, if you insist, George, I consent, just for this once."

"Good!" And Mr. Munyon sighed with relief. "Now go through your list again and tell me how big a check you need."

"Mrs. Munyon went through the list a second time very carefully, while Mr. Munyon waited with a hopeful smile."

"There," she said at last. "There, George! You need only to give me a check for \$100.50 now."

Restore Ancient Windows

In the year 1326 seven windows, the handwork of the old masters, were presented to Tewkesbury abbey, in Gloucestershire, England, by Eleanor de Clare, wife of Hugh le Despenser. They have long been regarded as among the most treasured possessions of the abbey. Time naturally has had its way with the leadwork, and the glass itself has been damaged and disarranged, but happily not beyond repair. Steps are being taken to have them restored as nearly as possible to their original beauty. The abbey contains in all some really magnificent painted glass and monuments of considerable interest in every corner. The abbey itself had its origin in the Twelfth century.

GETS HAND BADLY CUT ON BROKEN WINDOW PANE

Mrs. Roy Ricks happened to the accident a few days ago of getting one of her hands badly cut when she was raising a window and in some way her hand slipped, crashing through the thin glass. The flesh was badly lacerated and it was necessary for the surgeon to take four stitches in dressing the wound.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking each and everyone that were so good and kind to us in the loss of our home. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Johnson.

Drygoods are better than in 1924, commercial reports state. But the connoisseurs still living tell us that the wet goods are getting worse every day.

Fewer golden weddings and more golden wedding anniversaries might be a big help to the country.

The first broadcaster was the self-made man.

A man of vision need not necessarily be a visionary.

We are likely to think that times are worse than they used to be when they are only different.

Ever notice that after a man gets rich, he's never satisfied until he tries his hand raising blooded stock.

The places in the pictures that bore you have some value—they give the fellow in front a chance to get his seat and sit down.



Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap), fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

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Our roasts are the kind that make the mouth water. Everyone is perfectly cut and when cooked, is delicious and juicy.

The meat you buy here is always fresh, no matter what kind or cut, and any housewife will be proud to serve it with any meal.

If you are not already buying your meat here, we welcome an opportunity to prove to you that what we sell always measures up to the highest standards.

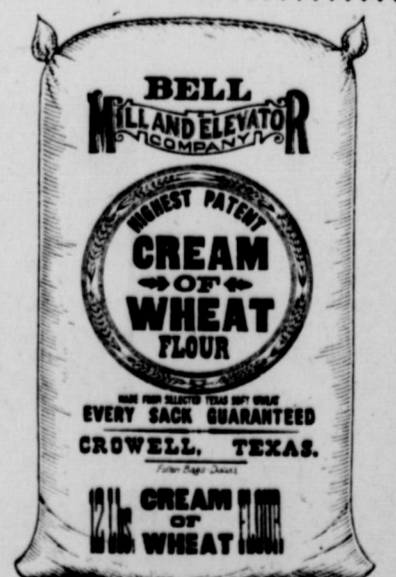
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CREAM OF WHEAT Flour a Home Product made from the very best wheat to be had.

You are to be the judge when you have tried it. Every sack guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF FOARD CO.:

Gas on Stomach Made Mrs. Cook Nervous

In hauling your rubbish off from Crowell, your house or your farm, please don't dump same into the bar pits along the highways. It fills up the ditches and causes the road to wash away. This is a notice to warn the public and it must be observed. County Commissioners of Foard Co.

How to make the lawn mower last another season is almost as big a problem as how to get through the summer without buying a new set of tires.

"For years I had gas on the stomach and was nervous. Adlerika has done more good than anything." (Signed) Lela Cook. ONE spoonful Adlerika removes GAS and often brings surprising relief to the stomach. Stomachs that fall, bloated feeling. Don't waste time with pills or tablets but let Adlerika give your bowels a REAL cleansing, bringing out matter you never thought was in your system! — Fergeson Bros., druggists. J-4.

Judge's Notice of Election THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1925, at Foard City school house in Common School District No. 13, of this county to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Baker Flat Common School District No. 16, thereby forming the Foard City Consolidated Common School District No. 13 of this county. Claude Stone has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and county and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforesaid districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against Consolidation."

Dated the 21st day of April, 1925. JESSE OWENS, County Judge, Foard County, Texas.

Judge's Notice of Election THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1925, at Baker Flat school house in Common School District No. 16 of this county to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Foard City Common School District No. 13, thereby forming the Foard City Common School District No. 13, of this county.

J. M. Hendrix has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners' court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election. All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and county and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforesaid school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words

"For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against Consolidation."

Dated the 21st day of April, 1925. JESSE OWENS, County Judge, Foard County, Texas.

A highbrow seldom ever got that way by wining the perspiration off his forehead.

Feed and Hay Phone 159

When you want Feed of any kind you will find it at my store. All kinds of Hay, Oats, Chops, and all kinds of Cow Feed.

Also will pay the highest prices for Poultry and Hides—Call 159

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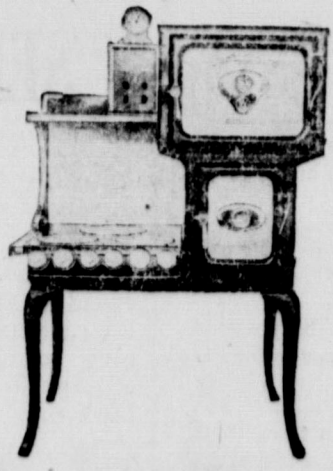
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The latest fad is "Goodbye kitchen—see you at six o'clock" and carefree day for you with a well cooked dinner waiting in the Westinghouse Electric Range when you return.

While motoring, shopping, or at Bridge you might even like to say to your friend, "My dinner is beginning to cook this very minute."

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The Texas Company
PERCY FERGESON, Agent

Notice by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Foard.

In County Court.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Foard County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Foard County News, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for ten consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the estate of W. F. Reed, deceased:
N. F. Pittillo has filed in the county court of Foard County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said W. F. Reed, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary of the estate of W. F. Reed, deceased, which said proceeding will be heard by said

court on the 1st day of June, 1925, at the court house of said county, in Crowell, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said proceeding, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Crowell, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1925.
44 GRACE NORRIS, Clerk,
County Court, Foard Co., Texas.

Mortality records show that there are still a few men who prefer a kick in the glass to two in the pasture.

Most of the time weather is a whether proposition.

BURNETT'S TRIANGLE RANCH RODEO WILL BE STAGED APR. 30TH—MAY 1ST, 2ND, 3RD

Iowa Park, Texas, April 22.—Aside from the regular calf roping contest of Tom L. Burnett's Triangle Ranch Rodeo which will be staged here April 30, May 1, 2, 3, Breezy Cox of Globe, Ariz., and Herbert Myers of Okmulgee, Okla., will be matched in a special calf roping contest for a \$1,000 side purse.

Many noted cowboys and cowgirls have already arrived for the rodeo among them Mabel Strickland, Rose Smith, Bea Kirnan, Florence Hughes, Ruth Roach, Mike Hastings, Chester Bers, Bob Calen, Rube Roberts, Fox Hastings, and many other experts of the saddle and lariat.

Beeves have been slaughtered and 8,000 pounds of choice young beef has been placed in cold storage for the big free barbecue which will take place at noon the opening day.

Floyd Randolph of Ardmore, Okla., Bill Kinkham of Cheyene, Wyo., and Ward Farmer of Fort Worth have been selected to judge the work of the contestants in bronco busting, wild steer riding, bulldogging and other contests and award the \$6,000 in cash prizes which has been hung up for the winners.

MUSIC MEMORY NOTES

The final music memory contest will be held Saturday morning, April 18th, at 10 o'clock in the district court room. All contestants come prepared for the contests. All intermediates must bring pencils or pen and ink. All parents and other interested persons are invited to be present. Fifteen selections selected from the twenty-one numbers used will be played. A Brunswick phonograph furnished by Womack Bros. will be the machine used.

The winners will be announced in this column next week.

The program given at the Methodist church on Friday night, April 10th, was received with appreciation by a large and interested audience.

The interest shown in this program both by those whose help made it possible and by the community as a whole is very gratifying to those who are in charge of the music memory work. We hope that this is but the first of many similar programs which will be given and enjoyed in the future. We wish to thank all persons who by individual or concerted efforts in any way aided the presenting of the program. Appreciation is due the membership of the Columbian Club for the programs and decorations, and the membership of the Methodist church for the use of the auditorium of that church.

It takes a genius of a high order for a man to spend his life in the ministry and finish with any money.

One of the biggest questions in life is to figure out what becomes of the increase in pay, when you get it.

There is a big difference between a minute man and a last minute man.

Individual Races Seldom Wiped Out by Enemies

The latest census of the Indians in the United States shows they are doing far better than holding their own. There is sound reason for believing there are more than twice as many of the aborigines living than were in existence when the whites began to descend upon the continent.

A government publication put out by the Union of South Africa makes the statement that the white population there is not maintaining its ratio with the increase of the negroes. Falling additions from abroad, says this paper, the prospect of keeping a white civilization in South Africa must fade. The whites may even be forced to abandon the country altogether.

History makes it clear that conquered peoples are seldom really conquered. If they have been in a region a long time they have become far more fitted to the environment than the newcomers. They reproduce faster, as a rule, and suffer less from local diseases. They stick close to their original homes, whereas invaders are often restless and given to moving on. The Saxon type in Britain is said to be a disappearing type before the dark-haired stock that first peopled the islands. The northern barbarians who conquered Italy and Spain have been submerged by the Latin races. Rumanians think of themselves as Latin because that country was a Roman outpost, but the Rumanian stock is a Slav stock now.

The Indians, few as they are in comparison with other races, may possibly outlive several of the elements of our present population. Their big chance would come when some violent disturbance forced a struggle for survival with nature in the raw and rough.

Greatest Grain Ports

Duluth, in Minnesota, and Superior, in Wisconsin, which lie 1,500 miles inland, are practically ocean ports for the shipment of wheat in unbroken bulk to Liverpool, 5,000 miles distant, by reason of the Welland and Erie canals. Both cities are in connection with New York by water for the unbroken shipment of barges containing the equivalent of 75 freight cars.

Situated at the very gateway to the rich wheat country of the Northwest, Duluth and Superior have seen the shipment of grain increase by leaps and bounds. The first shipment from Superior was one of 49,000 bushels in 1870. Since that shipment 16 elevators, having a storage capacity of more than 18,000,000 bushels, have been built on the water front of this one city. The Great Northern elevator system alone possesses a storage capacity of almost 8,000,000 bushels. A single plant of this system handles 6,000,000 bushels and can receive, clean and reship 400 cars in a working day of 10 hours. To completely fill all of Superior's elevators once the equivalent of 600 trainloads of wheat is required. When the first grain shipment was made from Superior a boat carrying 1,000 tons was a large vessel. Today boats plying to that port carry 14,000 tons.

Radio for Insomnia

Sir Bruce Bruce-Porter, chief surgeon of the Third London General hospital, is already known as an enthusiast on the use of radio for the treatment of patients' mental troubles.

He is quoted recently as saying that not only were patients in the hospital aided appreciably in getting to a state of normal health by the music brought in by radio sets, but also, together with Sir Henry Hadow, that many cases of insomnia and of highly nervous condition had been calmed and eased by the use of radio.

He maintains that radio in the hospitals would be one of the most practical advances that the medical science today could take, according to press reports.

Soup or Coffee?

Officials of a New York broadcast studio sent this story to editors: During the broadcast of a hotel orchestra, a waiter dropped a loaded tray. The next day the station received a special delivery letter containing the following earnest query:

"Was it soup or coffee that splashed when the tray was dropped? We stand two to one in my family that it was a distinctive coffee splash, with only my wife holding out for soup."—Collier's Weekly.

Siphon Water to Capital

An automobile could be driven through the world's largest siphon, which is nearing completion on the outskirts of Washington, says Popular Science Monthly. It is to be used for the Great Fall conduit which will supply water to the national capital, and is expected to be ready for operation in May. This single siphon is sufficient in a stretch of 20 miles of piping, to give the water momentum enough to reach its destination.

High Price for Race Horse

Eighty-five thousand dollars for a race horse, the highest price ever paid publicly for a horse in Australia, is the sum for which Heroic, the winner of last year's Caulfield Guineas, has changed hands. Heroic is bred from an English sire, Valats, and as a two-year-old was the largest stake winner on the Australian turf.

Certainly

Howard—I'm too tired to take you to the theater tonight, love.

Mrs. Howard—But, John, after I've played bridge hard all the afternoon I think I'm entitled to a little fun in the evening.—Judge.

Johnny Barnes



Maybe you've seen real action at some time or other. Ever try to wave a red flag in front of a bull? . . . or talk French in a German beer garden? . . . These things are as peaceful as a convent compared to "The Speed Spook." As Al Jolson says, "You ain't seen nothing" till you've feasted your eyes on this spectacle.

REMEMBER "Burn 'Em Up Barnes," "Luck," "Sure Fire Flint," "Little Johnny Jones," and "Conductor 1492."

SPEED SPOOK is the Fastest 7-Reel Special this Dynamic Star has ever made!

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Something New and Different
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Black Face Comedians
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Girls, Girls, Girls

Matinee 3 p. m. Saturday Evening

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As others have done, you can do. Home ownership is largely the matter of making a decision, and then working to that end.

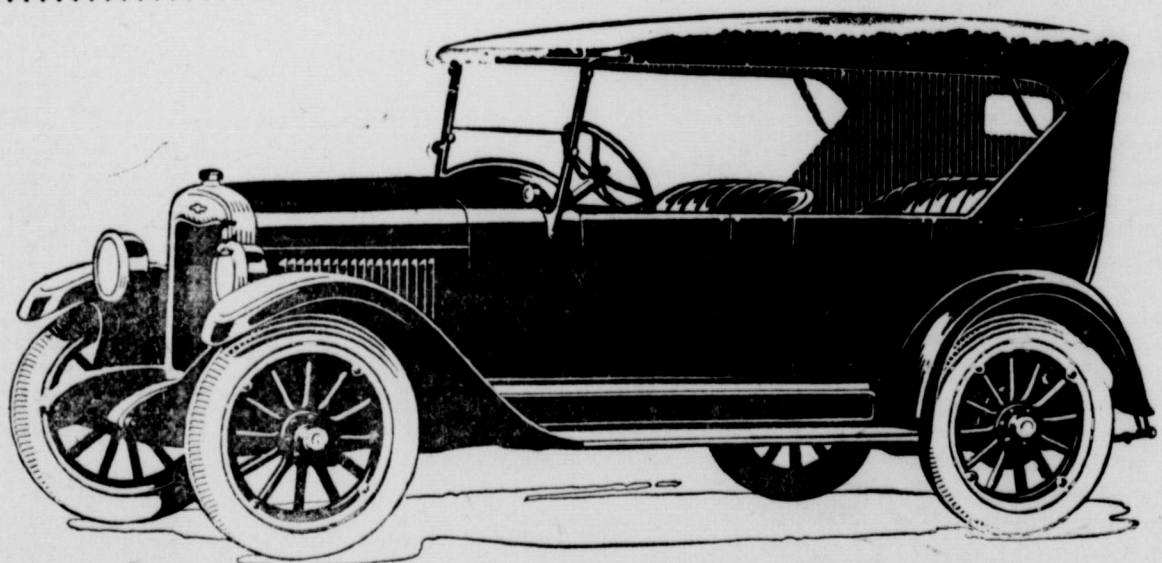
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—That's where we come in. We can supply you with materials required in the construction of a modern dwelling house, whether you specify brick, lumber or stucco.

A complete line of builders' hardware is also to be found here, giving you the convenience of buying at one place.

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This cut represents the New Chevrolet touring car. It has many new features, making it far superior to the older models, and yet the price puts it within the reach of the man who wants an all-service car of durability. Not only is it that but it possesses those splendid features that put it in the class of stylish cars.

It is beautiful, durable, low in cost of transportation and low in purchase price. Thus it possesses a combination of those things that make it the practical car for the practical man.

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1925

New Fire Fighting Force Is Organized

Officers were recently elected for the new fire organization. These are Roy Ricks, chief; Thomas Hughston, assistant chief; Edgar Kimsey, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the organization are: Roy Ricks, Thomas Hughston, Q. R. Miller, Maurice Kenner, Percy Ferguson, Decker Magee, A. Y. Beverly, Lawrence Kimsey, Earnest Flowers, Glen Shults, John Razor, Doyle Kenner.

Each member is to be paid \$1.00 when present to assist in fighting a fire. This money is to be raised by programs to be put on from time to time and in order to help the cause the public is asked to lend their cooperation to that end.

The work has been departmentized and each member will know just what he is expected to do.

In order that people may not be a hindrance to the fire fighters people are asked to not run over the fire hose nor get in the way of the truck. There is a law relative to this matter and it will have to be enforced if necessary.

The organization will meet monthly. It is well to say that where a fire is handled the boys will appreciate any donation made by the owner of the property saved. This will be a wonderful help in keeping the treasury replenished.

Crowell is making a good record and in order to continue it the public can be a great help by co-operating with the organization in any way it can.

Mission Study

The Mission Study Class of the M. E. Church has held two meetings this month. The first program was on the chapter dealing with child labor and in connection with it Mrs. Clark discussed the child labor laws of Texas. But as much as we believe in child labor laws statistics show that from fifty to sixty per cent of the children who leave school for work do so for reasons other than poverty. The last program was on children and schools and in the study of it many interesting thoughts on our public schools were discussed. Although the principle of free universal education was embodied in the colonial laws of Massachusetts and Connecticut it was not until nearly the middle of the 19th century that schools, supported by taxation and controlled by the states, were generally established. The failure of the school to provide what the child needs is a chief cause of dissatisfaction. The great majority of pupils are eliminated from school at 14 years of age prior to having reached the 7th grade. Many leave school before reaching the grades in which standards of citizenship are emphasized. Ten states have no educational requirements whatever for children who leave school at 14 to go to work. Fourteen states require only the ability to read and write. Three states require the completion of the 4th grade; eight the fifth grade; eight the sixth grade, and six states the elementary school course, but with exceptions and exemptions allowed. Is it any wonder, considering the number of children who immediately avail themselves of the legal opportunity to leave school, that our illiteracy rate is so high that we are often called "a nation of sixth graders?" Mrs. Johnson discussed a chapter from the book, "Land of all nations," which dealt with the religious attitude of Syria and what she contributed to the United States. The members present felt like they had spent their time worth while and they had a vision of public school life that they had never realized the necessity for in the past. —Reporter.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Subject—Evangelism and church building evangelism.—Hallie Mae Johnson.

What this department does.—Ophelia Stephens.

Beginning of church building fund.—Mildred Nicholson.

Importance of a gift fund.—Ola Carter.

What hope for the homeless church? —Annie Lee Long.

Help the weak bear their burdens.—Vernett Clapp.

For Sale

Bart Fox estate consisting of one 8-room house in West Crowell, in block 110, four 50-foot lots. Price \$1500, \$500 cash, balance terms. South one-half of block 109, price \$200, and other lots very cheap. 640 acres of land in New Mexico, bargain. Residence lots in Northeast Vernon.

Have a large list of residence property, farm and ranch lands, oil leases. Come in and tell me what you are in the market for.—J. W. McCaskill. 43

It doesn't pay to trust the fellow who will cheat himself playing solitaire.

The serge pant that wears.—Self's.

No person ever climbed to the top without first building the ladder long enough to reach it.

Efficiency experts are fellows who spend a day showing you how you can save five minutes.

Extra! Extra! Extra! 350 pairs extra pants.—Self's.

The spoken word may be powerful, but it generally has to bow before the name on the dotted line.

You can't expect a man to be truthful all the time—he has to speak of himself once in a while.

Before organizing anything, first be certain that you yourself are organized.

Good picked cotton seed, Mebane Triumph, \$1.00 per bushel at my place.—W. B. Griffin. tf

Plenty of shirts.—Self's.

"SERVICE"

This is a word having a broad meaning, and Federal Extra Service Tires really give extra service, more mileage, less trouble, satisfaction.

We Sell 'Em.

Beverly Filling Station

Grocery Specials

We feel like we are in a position to save the people of this community money on their groceries. We can do this because of the fact that we have a large, complete stock, we sell on a small margin of profit with quick turnover, little expense and no bad accounts. As an example of our prices we will sell next Saturday:—

- Spuds, per peck 35c
- 4 pound package raisins . . . 41c
- 1 package Mother's Oats . . . 27c
- 1 3lb can White Swan coffee 1.75
- 5 small cans milk 25c

We invite you to look over the prices on all merchandise and be convinced that you can save money here.



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150 COWBOYS AND COWGIRLS 150
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\$6,000.00 IN CASH PRIZES \$6,000.00

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Notice

No trespassing or hunting permitted in my pasture.—Furd Halsell. tf

Houdini, world's greatest lock strategist, takes no exercise. And he scarcely needs any if he does all the press agents claim for him.

DOGS RELY LITTLE ON THE EYESIGHT

Seem to Be Guided Only by Sense of Smell.

Many hunters believe that a good old-fashioned "hound dog" is capable of following a trail ten or twelve hours old. But the definite recorded information is scant indeed. It would be interesting to know just how long after a trail was made a dog is able to follow it with accuracy. Also, we should all like to know to which groups or classes of smells dogs are most sensitive.

You may have observed that a dog never pays any attention to a portrait of another dog, or of his master. Even his own reflection in a mirror may leave him unmoved. Most of his power of sight seems to go to waste. Dogs have for generations dwelt in a world of smell. With us, seeing is believing. But with dogs, smelling is believing. I suppose nearly every dog owner has noticed that if his dog gets separated from him on the street and becomes slightly excited or bewildered he might as well be blind. He seems to depend on his eyes and can look right at his master without seeing him. He must identify his master by scent. Many dogs are quick at catching a ball and are accurate in grabbing at small prey such as rats or mice that try to dodge them; but there is a mass of experimental and other evidence to show that a dog's eyesight is not keen at perceiving small objects not previously brought to his attention. Indeed, there is evidence that the average dog makes much less use of his eyes than is popularly supposed.

Does a dog sitting on the kitchen steps ever happen to look across the back yard and see a bone that has been thrown out for him? No, he probably doesn't find the bone until he happens to go near enough to smell it. But if another dog runs across the yard, he sees that, because it is too conspicuous even for his untrained eyes to miss.

Dr. John B. Watson, formerly chief psychologist at Johns Hopkins university, brought up a litter of puppies with several kept in a dark room until three or four months old. These practically sightless dogs got along just as well as the others. They were able to find their way about, open doors, and sense directions the same as any average puppy. One even learned to jump a rope! The point is that they didn't miss the lack of eyesight, because they wouldn't have used their eyes much anyhow.—Fred C. Kelly in Collier's Weekly.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer returned yesterday from Fort Worth where Mr. Spencer attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas branch of the National League of Postmasters. Galveston was chosen as the convention city and May 26-27 fixed as the dates for the state meeting by the executive committee.

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In fact, courteous treatment and attention are part of our stock in trade.

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Q. R. Miller, Propr.

Wind Storms Are Coming

Although windstorms may occur at any time, records show that they are particularly likely to come during the spring and summer months. It is impossible to tell where or when a devastating storm will strike and it pays to be prepared. Remember that windstorm insurance adds but a relatively small amount to your regular fire insurance premium.

Don't take chances!

Don't wait for the storm!

Call this agency and order a tornado policy.

Will buy or sell first lien notes.

Leo Spencer, Agent

Uneasy Tight Feeling

"I used Theford's Black-Draught first for constipation," said Mrs. C. E. Buntin, of R. F. D. 5, Starkville, Miss. "I would feel dull, stupid, and have severe headaches, even feverish. I had an uneasy, tight feeling in my stomach. I read quite a bit about

BLACK-DRAUGHT Liver Medicine

I began using it and soon my bowels acted regularly and I was greatly relieved. I used it every once in a while for about 18 years. About two years ago I found I was having indigestion, a tight smothering in my chest, then severe pain, especially after eating sweets. I commenced taking just a pinch of Black-Draught after meals, and by doing this I could eat anything. "I gave Black-Draught to my children for colds and headaches. I can certainly recommend it." Black-Draught is used, with satisfaction, by millions. Get Theford's.

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Your Last Name

IS IT HACKETT?

HACKETT is found in England as well as in this country and as an English surname it is undoubtedly a corruption of Harcourt, a French town. Thus the first to be called Hackett in England may have been a resident of Harcourt, France.

But the founder of the Hackett family here was not of English or French origin. He was native of Holland and came to this country over a hundred and twenty-five years ago. He married a daughter of Rev. Abraham Keteltas, a New York clergyman. Their son was James Henry Hackett, born in New York in 1800. After graduating from Columbia college he married Katherine Sugg, an actress, and for several years led a successful career as a merchant. Financial reverses came, however, and at his wife's suggestion he went on the stage. Both he and Mrs. Hackett acted successfully for many years. Their son was James Keteltas Hackett, born in 1830, whose middle name was that of his paternal grandmother.

Button—One very good authority says that this is a form of Bouton, meaning boot. Others say that the surname Bouton is derived through mispronunciation from Burton or Buterton, places in England.

Bowles—This name, it is agreed, is derived from Bouelles, a place in Normandy. One of the early members of the family wrote his name Hugh de Boeles.

Champness—This name, which has the variation Champneys, found in this country and England, is derived from Champagne and indicated one who came from that section of France. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)



HIS LITTLE JOKE
Fly (in back ground): You seem to be stuck.
Fly in front: I am. I thought this was a well, and I'm stuck the drinks.

Star Parasite Remover

A wonderful poultry remedy; contains sulphur scientifically compounded with other health-building ingredients; is a good tonic and blood purifier, improves health, prevents disease and keeps fowls free of all destructive insects. No trouble. A few drops of drinking water as directed does the work or money back.—Ferguson Bros.

PUT BEAUTY ABOVE RULE AND REASON

In All Ages Fashion's Law Has Been Supreme.

Every once in a while somebody says the nation is on the skids because women pass a few hours a week (or a month) in a beauty shop. That's old stuff. So old that the ancient Greeks, if they could return, would laugh about it. For, 2,300 years ago, Greek women passed a large part of the day improving their "Spartan-like natural beauty," contributes L. P. Eichel to Collier's Magazine.

Greek women, it is true, were home women. Custom decreed that they should have many home duties and few opportunities to meet strange men. They "fixed up," nevertheless. The rich Greek woman went farther than the average wealthy American woman. She had a slave or two to rub fragrant oils into her body following a bath. The hair was pomaded and perhaps dyed, the face rouged, the eyebrows were dyed with black paint.

Greek comic writers and poets vainly tried to stop the "beautifying." They told how unbecoming it was to a civilized people to have black streams pouring from the eyes, color running down to the neck from the cheeks and the hair becoming green through contact with white lead on the forehead.

France was represented as "going to the dogs" in 1782 by Mercier, a writer of that period.

Mercier satirized false mustaches affected by men, as well as powdered wigs; and the curls in tiers and the scent of essences and amber powder on women.

The indignant writer asserted the powder (flour) used in Paris in a single day on 2,000 heads would have fed "10,000 unfortunate persons." At that time, he said, there were 1,200 hairdressers under patent of the king in Paris, employing 6,000 boy helpers. In addition, there were 2,000 chamberlains following the same occupation in the homes of the rich, and 6,000 lackeys "with hardly any other occupation." Besides, persons were employed manufacturing hair papers, curling irons and razors.

Mercier could see no other outcome but the ruination of all of Europe, as France was setting styles, and this particular style took people away from homes and business to barber shops. And, worst of all (according to Mercier), the atmosphere of the barber shops was one of gossip, and—his whippersnappers and hairdressers were a "race of liars."

On the Way to Bermuda

A liner plowed her way Bermuda-ward over a blue, smooth sea. Here and there sailers, with pots of paint and huge brushes, painted cows, stanchions, rails, everything they could reach.

Suddenly, dropping his brush, one of the sailors rushed to a man in a black suit.

"Oh, sir," he cried distressfully, "you've sat down on fresh white paint."

Like a rocket the man leaped to his feet, curled himself round and stared at the seat of his trousers.

"But I've got a bottle of benzine in my bunk," said the sailor. "I'll run and get it. I'll have your clothes all right in a jiffy."

Soon the clothes were all right, and the man, ere he stroiled jauntily off (a little wet and smelly, perhaps), gave the sailor a quarter.

"That's the third time today, Bill," the sailor said to his mate. "I tell you, what with all this paintin', us Jackies does nearly as good on tips as the stewards."

"That's right," said Bill. "I made two simoleons myself yesterday with me little bottle of benzine."

Tea Soup

Father William E. Cashin, who has resigned as chaplain of Sing Sing prison after 12 years' service, said at a reception in New York:

"The cooking is one of many things that have improved at Sing Sing. The cooking there in the past was—well, it was like the story.

"This story is about a prison cook who made tea in a kettle and then made soup in the same kettle without first washing it out.

"When the cook discovered his mistake, he said, as he ladled the soup into the prisoners' plates:

"By the way, fellows, if ye find tea leaves in yer soup ye'll know it's thyme."

Sweet Names

A kindergarten teacher in the Dwyer school, the Detroit News says, was trying to teach the names of various animals to her young charges and was using cut-out illustrations as an aid.

"Now this is a deer," said the teacher, as she held up a picture. Shortly after she held up the various pictures and asked the pupils to give their names. When the picture of the deer was pointed out and its name asked, one child raised her hand and said, "It is a darling."

Easy Money

First Boob—Bet you I can tell what you're thinking about.

Second Boob—Bet you can't. Now, what have you got to say?

First Boob—Nothing.

Second Boob—You win.—Life.

Tinkering With Nature

Another thing that is very good for the complexion is to let it alone.—Duluth Herald.

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Bell and Zeke Bell are Plaintiffs, and, Williams Richardson, his heirs and legal representatives; Lawrence Jones and wife, Jane Jones, their heirs and legal representatives; W. H. Cundiff, his heirs and legal representatives; A. M. Carter, his heirs and legal representatives; J. J. Woodson, his heirs and legal representatives; A. A. DeBerry, his heirs and legal representatives; A. M. Jackson, his heirs and legal representatives; J. Y. Smith, his heirs and legal representatives; E. W. Herndon, his heirs and legal representatives; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, their heirs and legal representatives; J. P. Carmak, his heirs and legal representatives; P. S. Witherspoon, his heirs and legal representatives; C. L. Hemming, his heirs and legal representatives; C. C. Hemming, his heirs and legal representatives; C. C. Porter, his heirs and legal representatives; J. J. Fisher, his heirs and legal representatives; John C. Harrison, his heirs and legal representatives; A. W. 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That on or about the 1st day of March, 1925, plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Foard County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: Beginning at the N. W. Cor. of the Anselan Prewett survey; thence E. 537 vrs.; thence S. 950 vrs.; thence E. 1363 vrs.; then S. 950 vrs.; thence W. 1900 vrs.; thence N. 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning, that on or about the 1st day of March, 1925, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds the same from the possession of plaintiff. That plaintiff has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under color of title of said above described land and premises for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit. That plaintiff and those whose estate it has, claims the same under deeds duly registered, has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said land and premises above described, cultivating the same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for more than five years before the filing of this suit. That plaintiff and those under whom it claims, is claiming to have a good and perfect right and title to the above described land and premises; that and those under whom it claims has had and held peaceable and adverse possession of same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years prior to the filing of this suit.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court, that the defendants be cited to appear and answer in this behalf, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that it may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not but have you before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, on this the first day of April, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) GRACE NORRIS, Clerk, 43 District Court, Foard Co., Texas.

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they are ready to verify. That plaintiffs further plead in their behalf and say that they should have possession of the herein described land and premises, because they say that they and those under whom they are claiming, claim the same under deeds registered, have had peaceful, continuous and adverse possession of the lands and tenements herein described, and have been enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of more than five years before the commencement of this suit, and this they are ready to verify.

Alleging further plaintiffs allege that they have had and held peaceably the lands described herein, and adverse possession of same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and this they are ready to verify.

Plaintiffs pray judgment of the court, that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, that plaintiffs have judgment for title and possession of said above described land and premises, and cost of suit, etc.

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The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



Another 'Bull' Durham advertisement by Will Rogers, Ziegfeld Folies and screen star, and leading American humorist. More coming. Watch for them.

Those Two Boys Chauncey and Will

I just saw a nice write up and Chauncey Depew's picture in all the papers where he told of his first watch which was an Elgin. Said I kept it for years and somebody stole it on a New York Central train. (That's what he gets for riding on his own Railroad.) What does he need a watch for anyway, time means nothing to him. He was in The Folies the other day, and I introduced him and made him make a speech, he said, "I have been entertaining audiences for 91 years and have never found it necessary to use a Lariat yet". The old rascal hung one on me.

Now the moral of his story as I could gather it is don't have an Elgin Watch, somebody will steal it. So my story is carry 'Bull' Durham, they may borrow it, but nobody will steal it.

Now after looking at this I don't know whether it is an ad for Elgin Watches, Chauncey Depew, The Folies or 'Bull' Durham.

Well, they are all good.

Will Rogers

P. S. I'm going to write some more pieces that will appear in this paper. Keep looking for them.

MORE OF EVERYTHING for a lot less money. That's the net of this 'Bull' Durham proposition. More flavor—more enjoyment—and a lot more money left in the bankroll at the end of a week's smoking.

TWO BAGS for 15 cents
100 cigarettes for 15 cents



'BULL' DURHAM

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co. INCORPORATED
111 Fifth Avenue, New York City

CONTRACT WORK

See me individually for your contract work. I shall be glad to make estimates on any kind of carpenter work you want done.

H. D. POLAND

Bess Anne Hats
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THE KANSAS CITY, MEXICO & ORIENT COMPANY serves the public as a necessity and must be sustained in rendering the service that is demanded by the people.

The MOTOR TRUCK and the AUTO SERVICE CARS are undependable conveniences, burdened with no obligations similar to that of the railroad.

The interest of the people and that of the railroad is mutual, and the public should recognize the necessity of that measure of patronage of the railroad that would entitle them to the service that they demand.

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A Sweet Breath at all times!

THE FLAVOR LASTS

After eating or smoking Wrigley's freshens the mouth and sweetens the breath. Nerves are soothed, throat is refreshed and digestion aided. So easy to carry the little pack!

WRIGLEYS
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DR. H. SCHINDLER
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That cruel burning inflammation is cooled and soothed by
Heiskell's Ointment
Perhaps the trouble is Eczema. Heiskell's Ointment will heal it just as effectively as it does less serious skin trouble. At your Druggist, send for a sample. Johnston, Holloway & Co., Philada.

ECZEMA!
Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

FERGUSON BROS.

Lady Frances Hats
Crowell Dry Goods Co.

Tigress Ready to Fight Against Odds for Cubs

According to an authority on big game, a tigress is an excellent mother. He says:
I once saw a tigress with two small cubs, about the size of fox hounds, come out of some heavy brush cover, which was being beaten by three or four elephants. The two cubs trotted on ahead, and in order to cover their retreat, the tigress twice charged the line of elephants, roaring loudly.
The cubs would probably have died if I had shot the mother, so I let her go. I thought she deserved this for her bravery.

There were not many tigers about in this particular neighborhood, but strictly speaking it was probably most improper to spare her life, as game was scarce in that locality and this tigress would therefore have probably educated her cubs in the art of cattle killing. A tigress with growing cubs is far more destructive than a tiger or tigress alone, or as a pair.

The tiger cub at birth is very small—in fact, not much bigger than a large rat. Three or four cubs is the usual number, but as a rule only two of a litter grow up. I have once seen four almost full-grown cubs and the tigress all together. The cubs stay with the mother until they are nearly full grown. I have shot them in company with their mother when the male cubs measured eight feet four inches in length, and the females about seven feet six inches. The average length of a full-grown male tiger is about nine feet six inches and of the female, about one foot less. A tiger over ten feet is an exceptionally large one. Ten feet four inches was the length of the biggest I ever shot, and the largest tigress I ever saw was nine feet two inches.

Ordinarily a tiger will kill only sufficient animals for his own needs, and, assuming that his kills are not removed by the natives or devoured by vultures, two kills weekly are quite enough for him. A big male tiger is quite a noble-looking animal.

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT Liver Medicine
(Vegetable)

Insurance	Fees	C. O. D.	Fees	Third Class	Rates	Money Order	Fees
Value \$0.1 to \$5.00	5c	Amount \$0.1 to \$10.00	12c	1 or 2 oz.	1 1/2c	Amount \$0.01 to \$2.50	5c
Value \$5.01 to \$25.00	8c	Amount \$10.01 to \$50.00	15c	3 or 4 oz.	3c	Amount \$2.51 to \$5.00	7c
Value \$25.01 to \$50.00	10c	Amount \$50.01 to \$100.00	25c	5 or 6 oz.	4 1/2c	Amount \$5.01 to \$10.00	10c
Value \$50.01 to \$100.00	25c			7 or 8 oz.	6c	Amount \$10.01 to \$20.00	12c
						Amount \$20.01 to \$40.00	15c
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Many and Varied Are Sources of Happiness

A quaint and well-loved philosopher asserted his belief that one must get happiness out of one's work or never know what happiness is. The dictum remains unchallenged, as such things usually do; yet this philosopher's wisdom was the product of his limitations and was inspired by the poverty of his experience.

Observe, by way of refutation, the man who burns powder. An autumn day finds him afield, striding through stubble in the wake of a brown-eyed dog. The air is crisp and sweet; the distant hills are blue; the sky above is without a cloud. The dog becomes a statue; there is a whirl of wings; the two barrels of gun roar in quick succession. This isn't work, but no fabled king ever was happier than this bronzed hunter.

Observe the man on his hands and knees. He is a bear. He grows. He advances with great stealth. Behind a chair a small boy crouches, affecting terror. There is a rush, a very bedlam of ferocious growls, and then ecstatic squeals as the capture is completed. An undignified business, perhaps; but not work. Yet who could be happier than this man who romps with his son?

Observe the woman in the chair, interminably rocking, interminably knitting. The rocking and the knitting are not work; they are but accompaniments to the serious business of life. The serious business is talking—interminably talking—about people and their frailties. The dear woman enjoys the sound of her voice; enjoys the appreciative silence of her audiences. The world holds none who are happier than she.

Observe the sober folks who sit in pews. Their faces are lighted by a peace that passes understanding. They have found happiness.
Observe the young woman on the street, rouged, powdered, freshly bobbed, garbed from head to toe as fashion decrees. She pauses at a shop window to inspect her image. There is nothing on her mind except her precious self. She is a dream and she knows it. And in all the world there is no bliss so flawless and so complete as hers.

Happiness, in short, is for those who have the capacity for it.

Skunks and Their Habits

W. Kenneth Cuyler, of the zoology department of the University of Texas having completely lost his sense of smell, has taken advantage of this unusual condition and hunted and studied skunks for many years. He finds they are easily tamed and make fine mousetraps. Besides mice, they eat all sorts of things, from roots, berries and insects to birds and eggs, and sometimes rival the possum in their ability to rob the chicken roost. The musk which efficiently defends the skunk from most people is manufactured by two egg-shaped glands with contractile walls which can force out jets in any direction, even directly over the head of the skunk. These jets break up into a fine spray and can reach an object as distant as 20 feet. Mr. Cuyler says skunks are usually loath to waste their musk and therefore do not discharge it promiscuously, but only when cornered and irritated. For removing skunk odor, Mr. Cuyler suggests washing in gasoline or ammonia water, or in water containing a few drops of carbolic acid and oil of wintergreen. A much more effective method, which he regularly uses, is to hold face and hands or clothing for a few minutes in the thick, heavy smoke produced by placing green juniper branches on a good fire.

One of War's Martyrs

Freed from living death, Trooper T. W. Rolfe, known the world over as "The Man in the Bath," has died at Randwick Military Hospital, Sydney, Australia. Rolfe was literally flayed alive by German poison gas. His was a case unique in medical history, for he was condemned to pass the rest of his days at Randwick in a bath of tepid water, constantly circulating to keep off surface poisons. "Well, anyway, a bloke can't get much worse," was his smiling comment to the visitors he loved to see. Rolfe became a world figure of sympathy through the publicity his case received, and he had correspondents in Alaska, North China, North and South Africa, Scotland, and various parts of the United States.

Gasoline—I now have a modern and up-to-date gasoline pump installed and would like to have part of the gasoline business in this territory.—Ringgold's Variety Store.

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Value \$50.01 to \$100.00	25c			7 or 8 oz.	6c	Amount \$10.01 to \$20.00	12c
						Amount \$20.01 to \$40.00	15c
						Amount \$40.01 to \$60.00	18c
						Amount \$60.01 to \$80.00	20c
						Amount \$80.01 to \$100.00	22c

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Grave of Noted Chief?

An ancient Indian grave believed to hold the remains of Chief Am-puh, the Plute Indian leader after whom the city of Nampa, Idaho, was named, has been found by R. W. Limbert, whose explorations in the country now known as the Craters of the Moon national monument contributed greatly to national recognition of that territory, says a dispatch from Pocatello, Idaho.
While hunting in the desert close to the Nevada line recently, Mr. Limbert said he found a flat rock upon which there was carved an arrow. Following the general direction of the arrow he found other rocks with similar carvings. The end of the line of arrow rocks was a huge mound of stones with a flat one resting horizontally on top.
The flat rock was engraved crudely with the figure of an Indian with abnormally large feet and hands; around the figure was a circle, the death sign of the Plutes.
The dead chief is reputed to have had enormously large feet and hands and it is a tradition that one of his feet was six inches wide and eighteen inches long. The attempt of the carver to show the large hands and feet leads Limbert to believe that it is the grave of Chief Nam-puh.

Give Up Horseshoe Making

Manufacturing horseshoes is no longer profitable, the United States Steel corporation finds, automobiles having so thoroughly displaced the horse in America. Announcement has been made that the American Steel and Wire company, one of the larger subsidiaries of the Steel corporation, has sold the machinery, stock and good will of its horseshoe department to the Phoenix Horseshoe company of Chicago. The demand for horseshoes, it was said, had dwindled to such an extent that the company found it could devote the space required by its horseshoe plant to better advantage by manufacturing products more generally in demand.

Origin of Football

However ancient their origins most of our popular games date back only to the athletic revival of the Nineteenth century. As an instance, football. Not till the foundation of the football association in 1863 and the Rugby Football union in 1871 can the two games we know today be said to have taken legal shape. During the Seventeenth century, probably owing to the Puritan movement, football declined in town and country.

Electricity in Homes

Electricity is now used in half the homes of the United States. From figures for January 1, 1925, it is estimated that the total population of the country is 113,800,000 people and the total number of homes 29,299,889. Also on this date there were 13,252,685 homes wired for electric service. Thus 56.4 per cent of the homes of the nation are now able to enjoy the comfort and convenience of electricity.

Disconcerting

Helen—Won't you go with me to our literary improvement class tomorrow?
Madge—Well, dearie, to be frank with you, I'm just dying to go, but I'm frightened to death someone will ask me a rhetorical question.—Life.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Foard County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Augustus J. Butts, W. T. Blythe, Mrs. W. T. Blythe, Charles E. Henderson, A. W. Melton, Edward Butts, James T. Butts, W. F. Henderson, Mrs. Emma Henderson, J. K. Milam, Walter Jordan, Della Jordan, R. C. Johnson and Romina Johnson, their heirs and legal representatives, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Foard County, Texas, on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1925, the same being the 4th day of May, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1227, wherein The Crawford Land Company and L. H. Williams, are plaintiffs, and Augustus J. Butts, W. T. Blythe, Mrs. W. T. Blythe, Charles E. Henderson, A. W. Melton, Edward Butts, James T. Butts, W. F. Henderson, Mrs. Emma Henderson, J. K. Milam, Walter Jordan, Della Jordan, R. C. Johnson and Romina Johnson, their heirs and legal representatives, are defendants, and a brief state-

ment of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

That plaintiffs were on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1925, lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Foard County, Texas, holding and claiming same in fee simple, to-wit:

Beginning at the N. W. cor. of a 640 acre survey in the name of A. Prewett; thence S. 1900 varas, the S. W. Cor. said Prewett survey; thence W. 1150 varas, a stake in prairie; thence N. 1900 varas, a stake; thence E. 1150 varas to place of beginning.

That on or about the 1st day of January, 1925, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from plaintiffs the possession thereof; that plaintiffs have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession for more than five years, by deeds duly registered, using and enjoying the same, paying all taxes due thereon; that they and those under whom they claim have a good and perfect right and title to said land and have held peaceable and adverse possession of same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years prior to the filing of this suit.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court, that the defendants be cited to appear and answer in this behalf, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that it

Herein fail not but have you before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, on this the first day of April, A. D. 1925
(Seal) GRACE NORRIS, Clerk.
43 District Court, Foard Co., Texas.

If any one in the county who needs eye glasses will call or write me at Crowell I will call at your home and fit them.—A. C. Gaines.

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