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## Supervisor Makes Report of High School at Crowell

Dr. J. M. Hill, president of the Crowell school board, recently received a report from the Department of Education on the findings of the supervisor who recently visited the school here. The report is a splendid one, approving much and making some suggestions. It follows:

1. Crowell has a modern school plant newly equipped throughout, an excellent corps of teachers and enthusiastic pupils with the teacher-pupil distribution the most uniform observed by the supervisor.
2. A well balanced course of study that meets the needs of the community. However, a commercial department is needed and can be added at a small cost. This department will enable students to get this kind of training at home and at minimum cost to the community, while at the same time placing Crowell schools on a par with the best schools of the State.
3. Latin III credit should be withdrawn, as it has not been taught for two consecutive years.
4. Doors should be placed upon grade teachers room lockers so as to safeguard their records and libraries.
5. A projectoscope should be purchased for the biology laboratory or add three more compound microscopes. The projectoscope is favored because it will cost less and at the same time can be used to give extension lectures in other subjects. These lectures are available for transportation from the University of Texas and other sources.
6. The following item truly reflects the progressive interests that are making Crowell take proper place as a leading community.
  1. Two new trucks, or busses.
  2. Addition of two teachers.
  3. \$600.00 worth of new laboratory equipment.
  4. Addition of a Home Economic Department.
  5. \$125.00 addition to High School Library.
  6. Two new subjects added to course of study.
  7. A new basketball indoor gymnasium.
  8. Installation of steam heat.
  9. Ward school building remodelled.
  10. A new phonograph and records for music memory.
7. An active P. T. A. whose outstanding accomplishment has been the presentation of a \$1300.00 curtain for the new auditorium. They have contributed to the efficiency and welfare of the school in many other ways and are to be highly commended for their effort.
8. The supervisor wishes to express appreciation for the many courtesies extended by Superintendent Graves and faculty.

## CROWELL FEDERATION PROGRAM

The following program for the County Federation of Clubs will be rendered Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the district court room.

Opening song.

Selection of county flower.

Paper—Landscape gardening, its relation to the house and neighborhood.—Mrs. Sam Bell.

Talk—How the vegetable garden can reduce the grocery bill.—Mrs. Hubert Brown.

Paper—Worthwhile flowers and how to group them.—Mrs. Que Miller.

Round table—The vegetable I can grow best.

## ASK ME ANOTHER

- (Answer on Page 8)
1. What is Crowell's altitude?
  2. (a) When was Foard County created and from what territory was it formed? (b) For whom was the county named?
  3. (a) When was Crowell organized? (b) Who were the organizers and for whom was the town named?
  4. When did the Orient Railroad reach Crowell?
  5. In what year was Crowell incorporated?
  6. What is the area of Foard County? Of Crowell?
  7. What is the present population of Foard County? Of Crowell?
  8. What was the population on Foard County farms in 1925?
  9. What is the average annual rainfall for Foard County?
  10. What is the average date of the last frost?

## April the 29th Is Date Set for Revival Meeting

Sunday, April 29th, has been decided upon as the date for the beginning of the revival at the Methodist church, which will run for two weeks.

It was thought people generally would not be so busy at that time as at most other periods in the year, and for that reason that was the date set.

Rev. R. L. Flowers and wife, evangelists of Dallas, will conduct the revival. Rev. Flowers is said to be one of the outstanding revivalists of the Methodist church and has had great success at his meetings where the local co-operation has been had. Mrs. Flowers is also a great worker and works especially with the women.

A brother of Rev. Flowers will also accompany the party, he himself being a Sunday School worker.

Plans are being made for a great revival and nothing less will be expected.

## Hotel Proposition Being Considered

Possibility of a modern hotel for Crowell loomed up again Tuesday when a number of our citizens got together to consider a proposition made by C. I. Kugler of Amarillo, who proposes to build the hotel if Crowell will donate the site.

Property on the southeast part of the block north of the West Texas Utilities Company was decided upon as the most suitable place that could be bought and a committee was selected to get an option on that property, awaiting preparing of plans by Mr. Kugler which will require ten or fifteen days.

Mr. Kugler proposes to build a modern hotel of 40 to 50 guest rooms provided Crowell will give the site, and should the deal go through he will start the building within a short while. When his plan for the building has been submitted we shall have something definite to present to the people of the city who will make donations to the fund for the purchase of the ground.

This seems to be about the most feasible proposition we may expect relative to securing a hotel and it is believed that the people will be willing to help get the building.

## Crowell Will Lose Two of Its Pastors

Last Sunday closed the year's work for Rev. L. Guy Ament, pastor of the Christian church, and he will go to his ranch near Roy, N. M., where his services will continue with the church he organized there 20 years ago. He will devote a large portion of his time to his ranch.

Bro. Ament and his good wife have endeared themselves to the people here in such way as that they regret their leaving. This is not only true with their own congregation, but with the people of Crowell, regardless of denominational affiliation. They expect to leave next Tuesday.

The other pastor we are to lose from the regular service of the church is Rev. E. L. Mayfield, who has served the Baptist church for a little more than a year as its pastor. He has resigned to take the work as county missionary of the Wilbarger-Foard Association, to which position he was elected by the workers' council of that organization. His work begins the first of April.

Bro. Mayfield is a man of real worth. He is a good preacher and a fine citizen. He and his excellent family have many warm friends here who regret that he has severed his activities with the church.

## Basketball Boys Entertained by Basketball Girls

On Thursday evening, February 23, the senior basketball boys were honored by an informal party in the gymnasium by the senior basketball girls.

The diversion of the evening included progressive bunco, ring games and piano and phonograph music. At a late hour delicious refreshments of hot chocolate and pie were served.

All the boys declared the girls to be real hostesses.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short's is reported to be seriously ill with pneumonia.

## Crowell Gets 15 Per Cent Fire Credit

The fruits of a good fire record is reflected in the fact that the Fire Insurance Commission at Austin has granted Crowell a 15 per cent credit.

This means that we still hold the place we have had for the last year. It does not mean that insurance will come cheaper than it has been, but it means that it will be no higher, and that is worth much more than we are inclined to give credit. Had we made a bad record during the year we would have had to pay higher rates this year.

Now as we are starting into a new year it would be well for each individual to give this matter a little consideration. It is well to do this before we get careless and are forced to consider after we have sustained losses. Should we lose our present standing we would have to pay several hundred dollars more insurance, so it is up to us to hold our present good record. The fire record of any town is due to the individual interest of the people. If it is bad, the individuals are largely responsible. If it is good, the individuals are also responsible. It is generally conceded that carelessness is the cause of most fires. That being the case, the way to prevent fires is to cease to be careless. That is the logical conclusion. If each individual would take into consideration the fact that when one has a fire loss, he is not the only one to lose, but that the whole town loses, it should have the effect to make each more careful about fires. An that is a fact. A fire in the extreme southern portion of the town may not cause direct loss to those residing in the extreme northern portion, but it may help to make a bad record for the city, and the loss sustained by each one paying insurance shows up when credits are issued by the Fire Insurance Commission at the end of the year.

This matter is brought to the attention of our people in the hope that it will be helpful to us in maintaining our splendid record.

## Tax Assessor Is Making His Rounds

Tax Assessor Claude Callaway commenced his work of assessing the taxes out of his office on February 10th. This work is supposed to begin January the first and Mr. Callaway did accommodate non-residents who appeared at his office and wanted to render their taxes in January, but he has been making calls only since February 10th.

Mr. Callaway took into consideration the disinclination of people to render their taxes before they had paid for the previous year, and he figured that it would be time saved to wait until we had gotten over paying and were ready to render for another year without postponing the matter when the assessor might call. Then, too, he knows that he will have ample time in which to make the assessments before the last of April, the time limit for the work.

Mr. Callaway has not gone far enough in the work yet to make any statement at all as to how the valuations are going to compare with those of 1927.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gentry of near Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. Gentry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Mrs. Mollie Free and children of Gambleville and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock of Fargo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Free Saturday night.

Dr. Clark of Crowell was called Tuesday to see Mrs. J. A. White who is ill with the flu.

Mrs. J. A. Smith visited the Priest family at Margaret Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Ogden spent Sunday with Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Hayden Ford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of near Quanah spent Sunday week with Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford were in Chillicothe last Monday.

Miss Idura White spent Sunday week with the Priest family of Margaret.

Homer White and family of Margaret moved last week to his father's farm where he will farm this year.

Earl Manard of near Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with William and George Andress.

Mrs. Ed Andress went to Wichita Falls Wednesday for medical treatment.

## School Auditorium Well Filled Last Friday Evening

As an expression of public interest in the Crowell schools a large audience was seated in the new high school building last Friday evening to attend the short program prepared for the occasion.

This was the first public gathering to be had in the new auditorium since the completion of the building a short time ago and there was written on every face an expression of delight over the fact that the long needed building is now a reality.

Prof. Graves delivered a short talk on the importance of high school education, pointing out the fact that at this day of keen competition in all lines of endeavor a high school education at least is essential to success in life.

Mrs. B. W. Self spoke of the part the P. T. A. has taken in providing the beautiful curtains for the stage, which would be a credit to a school building in any city in the State. Appreciation was shown for the hearty co-operation of the public in general in making it possible to have these fine curtains.

B. F. Ellis represented the school board with a few remarks relative to the work that has been done that has made the building of this fine school structure a possibility. He showed that it was the result of an educational campaign conducted for the benefit of Crowell and the near-by school precincts which joined with Crowell in consolidation, making it possible to build and create school facilities that would take care of the needs of the consolidated districts. He was pleased to know that this had been done not by putting anything over anybody, but by a growing sentiment in favor of it, and that as a result, all are pleased with the new arrangements. It is the school of all who have in any way made its building possible.

Pupils of the school contributed interesting numbers to the program, such as a reading by Dwight Barry, a number by the primary orchestra, song by the school glee club and a play rendered by the seniors.

Several numbers were rendered by the Crowell orchestra.

## THALIA SCHOOL NEWS

(By the Sixth Grade)

The Thalia basketball boys went to the district meet at Childress last Thursday. They were beaten in the final game Saturday night by Estelline.

Mr. Vines gave a splendid lecture in chapel last Wednesday morning.

A play will be given in the school auditorium Friday night by the basketball girls and boys. The name of the play is "Valley Farm."

Miss Marguerite Mayfield visited her parents in Crowell last week end.

The State Inspector visited the Thalia school last week.

The seventh grade has charge of the chapel program this week. They have a rather short program consisting of two numbers. Four girls, Melba Phillips, Evangeline Smith, Christine Pigg and Thelma Barrett will put on a play entitled, "Preparing for a Test." Lois Laubenthal will give a reading of the title of which is "The Little Boy's Lament."

Several members of our class are entering the music memory and spelling contests.

The P. T. A. will meet tonight in the school auditorium.

## INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE DIRECTORS MET SATURDAY

The directors of the Interscholastic League met in a business session Saturday, the 24th, and discussed important problems concerning the work of the League. A number of the schools of the county were represented at this meeting either by the presence of a director or a teacher of the school.

Among those present there were: Misses Lottie Woods, Barbara Cryer, Pearl Ward, Inez Sloan, Thelma Shaw, May King, Fern Nicholson, Pauline Haynes, Mrs. Susie Stephens, M. W. McConnell, Supt. I. T. Graves, G. H. Jackson and Walker Todd.

Mrs. J. R. Flesher and daughter, Mrs. T. D. Roberts, are expected to return home from Childress where the former has been taking medical treatment.

## Foard Is Third to Get in Report from Collector

A letter from the Comptroller's office at Austin states that Foard County was third county in the State to get in report from the tax collector's office after the taxes were collected in January. The counties being ahead of Foard are Kennedy and Kimble. The former is close to Austin, while the latter is in the extreme southern part of the State and Foard in the northwestern portion.

The report was mailed from the sheriff's office at Crowell on January 3rd and reached the comptroller's office on the 6th.

A letter of congratulation was received by the collector for the speedy work done in getting this report to that office.

## Good Report Made of Thalia Schools

The supervisor from the Department of Education that visited the Thalia schools recently submits a splendid report as follows:

1. Thalia schools are housed in an adequate brick building and are, in the main, meeting all the requirements for classification and it is recommended that classification as a four year high be tendered when evidence of the following minor improvements have been presented to the Department by May 1, 1928.

a. Running water in the laboratory.

b. 50 seats provided for study hall purposes (as discussed with superintendent.)

c. Some \$50.00 in selected temporary drama, poetry, biography and fiction. (The present value of library exceeds the minimum requirements but many of the books are of little actual use.)

2. The school is in good condition and an excellent spirit obtains and the coming year should bring continued progress. The plot of land just north of the buildings should be secured before values rise. The school will have to stage another building campaign soon and when this is done thought should be given to provisions of Home Economics for the girls and Vocational Agriculture for the boys. The school must lead the way to the development of the community.

3. Some splendid work was observed and careful consideration of material to be exhibited is recommended. Credit in English, History, Algebra and General Science will be sought.

4. The school is fortunate in having the support of an active P. T. A. They have done much and will do more to make the school a success.

## Declaimers Contest Held at Gambleville

Fourteen declaimers were entered in the school contest conducted at the Gambleville school Friday night before a good crowd. A very interesting program was conducted in connection with the declamation contest by various classes of the school, Miss May King and Miss Vergie Borchardt, teachers of the Gambleville school, had charge of the contest and program.

Ray Huckabee won first place in the sub-junior boys' declamation and Wilson Starnes, second. Pauline Boyd, Prebble Bailey, and Evelyn Sollis were the first, second and third place winners, respectively, in the sub-junior girls' contest. In the junior boys' class, Woodrow Holman won first and Elton Carroll, second. Mildred Ruff and Zeather Huckabee were first and second place winners, respectively, in the junior girls' contest. Ruby Ruff won first and Audrey Starnes won second in the senior girls' class.

Rred Rennels, Mack Boswell and Mrs. Gamble acted as judges.

## Will Not Put on Polo Tournament

Jim Minnick was here from Norman, Okla., this week. He stated in answer to a question as to whether he would put on a polo tournament this spring, that he does not now plan to do so. His reasons for it is that his stock are all in Oklahoma and to bring them here for a tournament would be too expensive.

Mr. Minnick has just recovered from a wound on his face sustained by a fall of a horse he was riding in a polo game about three weeks ago at Abilene.

## Burial of Body of Erbert Diggs Here Sunday Afternoon

The funeral of Erbert Diggs, 9-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Diggs, was held at the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. E. L. Mayfield, pastor, assisted by Rev. W. R. McCarter of the Methodist church and Rev. L. Guy Ament of the Christian church.

The deceased was born April 23, 1919, and died Saturday morning, February 25, in the sanitarium at Quanah, following the fifth operation within the last four months.

It was in the early portion of November that the child was taken to Quanah for an operation and while he was at the sanitarium in that city for some weeks four operations were performed. It was thought that he was on the road to recovery and was brought home. Seemingly he had been doing nicely until Thursday of last week when his trouble seemed to return. He was again taken to Quanah and underwent an operation Friday morning, death following Saturday morning at 5 o'clock.

Out-of-town people to attend the funeral services were H. E. Diggs, grandfather of the child, from Mt. Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hurt of Vernon; friends of the family; M. L. Bird and son, Woodrow, also friends from Vernon; and the special nurse who took care of the child at Quanah sanitarium, Miss Steed, and two other nurses, Miss Huff and Miss Palmer, also of Quanah.

A large company of friends of Crowell and community was present at the services to pay their last respects to this fine boy and the family. A very beautiful and profuse floral offering was made by relatives and friends.

The people of the entire community were interested in the recovery of the child who had made a most heroic fight for his life against the greatest odds. He realized, however, that the chances were against him when he went on the table the last time.

The sorrow-stricken family have the deepest sympathy of all their friends.

## Vernon Library and Books Burn

Vernon, Texas, Feb. 27.—Fire of undetermined origin early Monday morning practically destroyed the Carnegie Library in Vernon, with an estimated loss of \$25,000. The blaze was discovered about 6:30 o'clock and it raged for three hours before firemen brought it under control.

The building and books were insured for a total of \$13,000. Less than 500 books were saved.

The fire started in the furnace-room of the two-story structure and had spread to every part of the second floor by the time firemen were on the ground. In spite of the efforts of the firefighters, the blaze continued to spread on the lower floor, reaching the Chamber of Commerce offices and the office of the county agricultural and home demonstration agents. Many records of these departments were lost.

More than 6,000 books were lost in the blaze and practically all of the library equipment, some very valuable, according to Miss Lillian Newton, librarian.

## BUILDING PAINT SHOP GETS HAIR SINGED

A 25 by 40 foot frame building is going up on property belonging to Henry Ross south of J. H. Olds' feed store to be occupied by Dayton Clapp, painter, and Ray Johnson, furniture repair man.

The building will be a frame structure covered with sheet iron.

## Merrill Allee Gets Hair Singed

Merrill Allee was slightly burned in the face and had his eyebrows and hair singed one day last week when he lighted a match and threw it into a hot stove where he had poured some coal oil. Gas had formed and the lighted match caused an explosion. No serious damage was done.

A large number of Crowell people are taking advantage of attending grand opera in Wichita Falls this week. Several went down Wednesday evening and again Thursday others attended.

## Rialto Theatre Program for March

March 2nd—"CABARET," with Gilda Gray.  
3rd—Sat. afternoon—"One Glorious Scrap," Fred Humes.  
3rd—Saturday night, TOM MIX in "Tumbling River."

5-6, Mon.-Tues. Clara Bow in "IT." Clara's best picture 20-40  
7th—Wed., "Fair Co-Ed, Marian Davies, a College Romance.  
8th—Thur., "THREE MILES UP," with Al Wilson.  
9th—"13TH JUROR," with Frances X. Bushman.  
10th—Sat. afternoon, "Riding Renegade," with Bob Steele.  
10th—Sat. night, "Zane Gray's "Mysterious Rider" with Jack Holt.

12th-13th—Mon.-Tues., "CAPTAIN SALVATION," with Marceline Day.  
14th—Wed., "DEARIE" with IRENE RICH.  
15th—Thur., "ADAM AND EVIL," Lew Cody and Aileen Pringle.  
16th—Friday, "ROLLED STOCKINGS," with James Hall and Nancy Phillips.  
17th—Sat. afternoon, "LITTLE BUCKAROO," with Buzz Barton.  
17th—Sat. night, "CALL OF THE HEART," with "Dynamite," a dog.

19th-20th—Mon.-Tues., "ANNIE LAURA," Lillian Gish and Norman Kerry.  
21st—Wed., "SHANGHAIED," with Ralph Ince and Special Cast.  
22nd—Thur., "ROUGH HOUSE ROSIE," a Paramount with CLARA BOW.  
23rd—Friday, "HIGH SCHOOL HERO" with Sally Pitts, Stuart.  
24th—Sat. afternoon, "DEAD MAN'S CURVE" with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.  
24th—Sat. night, "FOREIGN DEVILS," with Tim McCoy.

26th-27th—A real special announced as the best feature picture for the year of 1927. Don't miss these good ones!  
SEE "BEAU GESTE," a special cast and a Paramount Feature, with Fox News and Crazy Cat Comedy, Adm. 25-50.  
28th—Wed., "BREED OF COURAGE," with "RANGER," another police dog.  
29th—Thurs., "GREAT MAIL ROBBERY," with Von Eltz and a special cast.  
30th—Friday, "WHAT HAPPENED TO FATHER," with Warner Oland.  
31st—Sat. afternoon, "DESERT DUST," with Ted Wells.  
31st—Sat. night, HOOT GIBSON in "PAINTED PONIES."

This ends our program for the month of March. Be sure and bring in the children when we send them a birthday card, which we will start doing the first day of March. You can refer to this list and see the title of the picture that will be shown on the children's birthdays. Help us boost for a Greater Movie Season, and we will show the best.

### RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Bertha Dunson went to Childcothe Tuesday to spend the week with relatives.

Maurice Farrar is very ill. Mrs. Laura Crisp spent Tuesday with Mrs. Gus Neill of Thalia.

The Antelope boys and girls went to West Rayland Wednesday afternoon and played basket ball. The scores were 6 to 8 in West Rayland boys favor and 4 to 14 in favor of West Rayland girls.

Mrs. Martha Price visited Mrs. Arnold of Vernon Saturday night.

Holmes Coonrod is very ill with influenza and complications.

Robbie Lee, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Russell, is ill with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Powell and baby, Billie Joe, of Abilene, visited her mother, Mrs. Martha Price, and children from Monday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulse Buchanan and daughter, Vernie, visited her parents at South Vernon all field Sunday.

Rev. E. W. Loyd began a 10-day revival meeting at Highland church Friday night.

Mrs. G. C. Barnes who has been very ill for the past week is improving.

Mrs. Buster Kinchloe and Miss Tincey Kinchloe visited Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German Sunday afternoon.

Miss Eva Lee Cravey is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Andy Davis, of Frederick, Okla.

Little Willard Loyd has been ill the past week.

Rev. W. V. O'Kelly of Vernon filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Thornton and cousin, Miss Gussie Jirves, of Wichita Falls spent Friday and Saturday with their mother and aunt, Mrs. W. F. Green, and family.

Miss Eva Lee Cravey returned home Sunday from Frederick, Okla., where she has been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Boland of Lawton, Okla., is visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German.

Mr. and Mrs. Jirves and family of Iowa Park and Mrs. Eva Gunt of Electra and Mrs. Poulk and family of Vernon visited W. F. Green and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Petty and children spent Sunday with J. E. Smith and family of Crowell.

Mr. Rhodes underwent an operation at Garland Hospital in Vernon Sunday.

Dr. Clark of Crowell was called Friday to see Holmes Coonrod who was critically ill with pneumonia. He is improving.

Among those who are ill in this community are, Mrs. J. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petty, Hortense Barnes, Judie Dewberry and Mrs. Louis Schoppa. They have been very ill for the past week with influenza and complications.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keesee of Thalia visited T. J. Coonrod and family Wednesday evening.

Jesse Privett made a business trip to Floydada Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kinchloe of Kinchloe spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German.

Berry Green of Crowell spent Sunday with his parents, W. F. Green, and family.

Miss Loree Davis who has been ill with the flu is improving.

W. J. Ayers visited his daughter, Mrs. R. O. Ross of Flomot, who is ill, during the week end.

John Cantrell of Floydada visited W. F. Green and family the past week.

Miss Blendine Schoppa of Lockett is staying with Mrs. Louis Schoppa, who is ill, with influenza.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Rayland Baptist church was delightfully entertained with a fruit supper Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young. Those present were Misses Vera Corzine, Eula Mae Gregg, Alma Capeheart, Nelma and Marie Lambert, Ruby Key, Lillian Wheelis, Myrta Flynn, Christine Prescott, Hazel Rutledge, Lorraine Attaway, Ruby Simmons, Gracye and Bonnie Crisp; Messrs. Pete and Jesse Gregg, Ross Corzine, Quitman and Bill Box, Virgil Lyons, Burl Capeheart, Quincy Rutledge, Curtis McNabb, J. D. Simmons, Buster Crisp and Thomas Curry.

John Cantrell of Floydada spent Thursday night with Joe Jordan and family.

Rev. E. W. Loyd made a business trip to Hardeman County Thursday.

A. C. Crisp purchased a Pontiac sedan. He went to Childress after it Tuesday. He was accompanied by A. T. Beazley.

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. T. Edwards. Those present were, Mrs. Eva Beazley, Mrs. R. D. German, Laura Crisp, Mrs. E. W. Loyd. The society will meet with Mrs. Dora Gregg Thursday afternoon, March 1st. The lesson will be the 12th and 13th chapters of Acts.

Dr. R. E. Maine of Thalia was called Thursday night to see Raymond Bailey who is ill with influenza and complications.

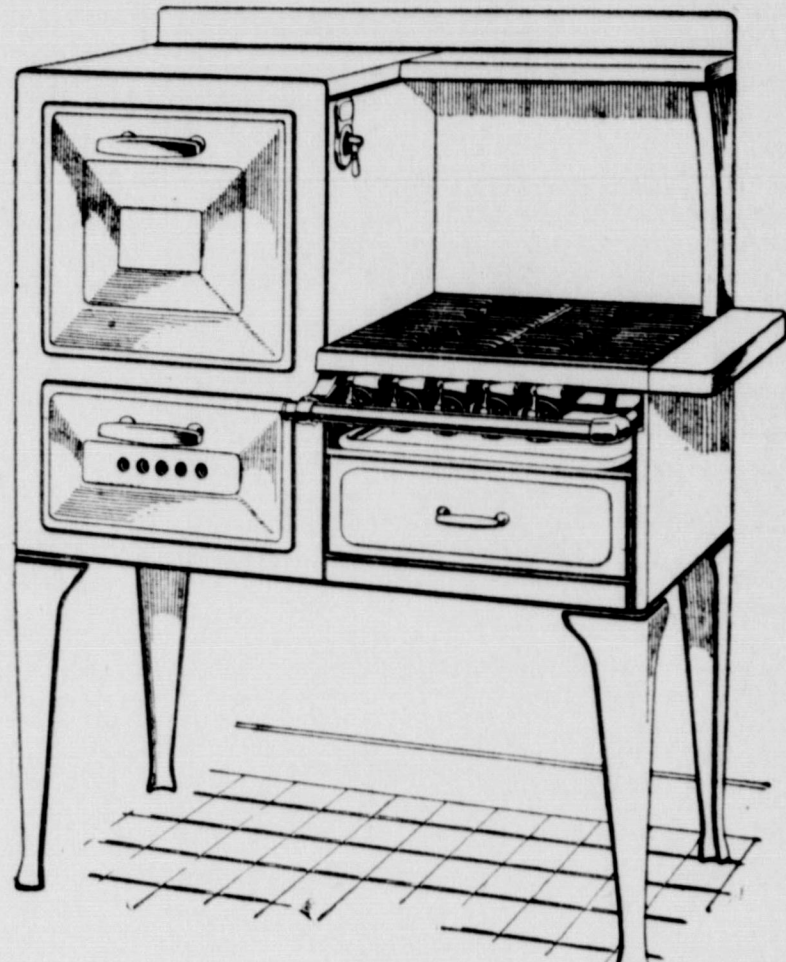
Miss Lucille Barnes of Vernon spent Wednesday and Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Cliff Barnes.

Mrs. E. W. Crisp has been ill for the past week.

Dr. R. E. Maine of Thalia was called Saturday morning to see Mr. Rhodes who is seriously ill.

Rev. W. V. O'Kelly of Vernon visited H. D. Lawson and family during the week end.

Dr. W. R. Moore of Vernon was called Tuesday to see Mrs. G. C. Barnes who is ill.



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### WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Derrington entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night. Those present were, Misses Velma and Louise Ladd, Bonnie and Gracye Crisp, Alma Capeheart, Eula Mae Gregg, Josie Martin, Messrs. Larkin Ladd, Paschell Below, Woodrow Dunson, Homer Cribbs, Loyd Whitten, Bill Box, Loyd Causey, Horace and Jerry Young, Quitman Box, Buster Crisp, Pete and Jesse Gregg, Homer and Ira Martin, Earl and Weldon Capeheart, Troy McNabb and Otto Droigts.

Dr. R. E. Maine of Thalia was called Saturday to see Wade Corrine who is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Zackery of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with E. V. Courtney and family.

Mrs. Luther Jobe spent last week with Mrs. Marlow of Dixie community.

Tom Ward took his wife to Vernon Friday for medical treatment.

Dr. Clark of Crowell was called Saturday to see Thelma Young who is ill. She is improving.

Dr. Maine of Thalia attended the basketball game at West Rayland Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Edith Kate Prescott became suddenly ill and fainted while at school Wednesday. Dr. R. E. Maine was called. She is slowly improving.

Trace Beazley visited Mrs. M. E. Bushon and other relatives at Childress Tuesday.

Bill Barrett and wife left for Amarillo Wednesday to visit his brother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cribbs, Ernest Cribbs and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Flesher of Fargo.

Mrs. George Adkins and daughter, Tommie, of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Adkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Scales and children attended the basketball tournament at Childress Saturday.

A. C. Crisp took Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gregg to Vernon Sunday. Mrs. Gregg went to King's Hospital for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen McLarty visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Garrett Sunday.

Dr. R. E. Maine of Thalia was called Monday to see Junior Farrar who is very ill with scarlet fever.

Buck Clark is putting out an orchard this week.

Mr. Zoczek and daughter and Miss Marie Clark were Vernon visitors Friday.

Mrs. E. W. Loyd and Mrs. McDearmon of Rayland visited Mrs. Dora Gregg Sunday afternoon.

L. D. Mansel and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Buck Clark and family.

Mrs. Joe Jordan who has been very ill is improving.

### THALIA HI SCHOOL GLEANINGS

(High School English Department)

After several weeks of absence, we will try again to entertain the readers with the "doings" of our department.

On February 10, we had a very interesting lesson in the tenth and eleventh grades. On Monday Mrs. Lynch announced that we would have an old newspaper review, and that every one bring to class the oldest paper that they might have in their possession.

The oldest produced was a copy of The Ulster County Gazette, published January 4, 1800, which gave an account of the funeral of Gen. George Washington, named the pallbearers, mentioned the fact that many persons for miles around attended.

The next oldest being a copy of the Dallas Semi-Weekly News, published Sept. 17, 1901, which gave details of the assassination of President McKinley, and the electrocution of the assassin, Leon Czolgosz.

Another, The Evening Journal, April 6, 1917, whose head lines state, The U. S. Now Actually in War, and Texas May See Fighting on the Border, and many more as interesting, but space forbids further discussion, however, we failed to mention one other important item in The Ulster County Gazette, which would be very much out of place in this day and time, and it was this, an advertisement offering several negro slaves for sale to the highest bidder.

The above review was enjoyed by the entire class, and all did their best at writing a theme on, "Delving into the Past."

The next thing that has happened

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## If Your Car Spoke to You

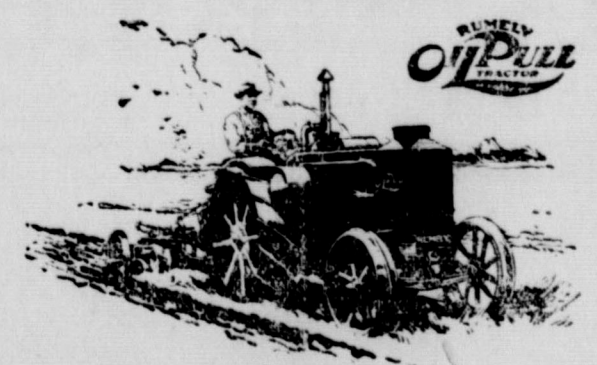
It would doubtless tell you a story of neglect and improper care—of useless waste.

Many automobiles are run constantly with little or no attention and then when they finally give out, there is a big repair bill or the car is junked.

A little personal attention now and then at my shop may save you many a big bill. Bring it to me when anything goes wrong and let me correct the trouble, whatever it may be. I can save you money and will do you a job that will last.

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With the "more powerful" OilPull you enjoy other important savings, too. You save on fuel. You save on upkeep. You save on depreciation.

We will gladly give you all the facts about the OilPull. Come in at your first opportunity. Learn how you, too, can make more money with the bigger, more powerful OilPull.

**T. V. Rascoe, Agent**

to put new zeal into our department, was the coming of El Sombrero, the Spanish club of the Crowell High school, who rendered a very interesting program, which was immensely enjoyed by all present. Las Estrellas hope to be able to return the visit at an early date, with a program equally as interesting.

We are sorry to report the absence of several of our class members on account of illness. We hope that they will be able to be back in their places at an early date.

Mr. Carter was wearing a smile from ear to ear today, and upon investigation, it was learned that he had received a very important letter from the State Department of Education, which stated that our school had been classified as a first class four year high school, and in addition, the inspector had recommended that we be granted about eight credits of affiliation. Now, can you wonder at such a big smile?

The seniors are planning several activities for the next few weeks, one being the staging of the senior play, which we hope to be very successful.

Through the kindness of the P. T. A., we have received from the State University a case of books containing fifty volumes of very interesting reading matter, which is open to the public. This case belongs to the travelling library of the University. We appreciate this very much, for we were in need of many books that we could not afford to buy just at present.

We are very proud of our P. T. A. It has done many good things for us this term. We only hope that success favors it all along the line in future.

Slim Oliver was wearing a very long face the past week. Ask him why.

Miss Ruby Lynch of Colorado City was a visitor in our department Monday.

Miss Grimm's class will entertain in chapel next Wednesday morning. All who will are invited to come.

### ADELPHIAN CLUB

Mrs. Eska Brown was hostess to the Adelpian Club Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 22, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Johnson. After the regular business was held, Mrs. L. A. Andrews led the lesson, a study of John Galsworthy's novel, "The Patrician."

This is a novel setting forth English aristocratic family life with its impregnable attribute of family solidarity. It represents two individuals, a man and a woman, in revolt against existing circumstances, yet powerless to escape being the victims of those circumstances, the strongest of which was the aristocratic idea of family solidarity.

The hostess served cherry pie, whipped cream and coffee. Small cards bearing a picture of the cherry tree and hatchet were plate favors. Mrs. Lon Cottingham was guest for the afternoon.—Reporter.

**THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS**

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Crowell, Texas, March 2, 1928

**SWASTIKA CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. O'CONNELL**

The Swastika Bridge Club was entertained on February 13th by Mrs. M. O'Connell at her Crowell home. Practically the entire membership of the club was present in anticipation of the happy occasion which is always guaranteed by an unequalled hostess. In addition to the club members the following guests were present: Mrs. T. V. Rascoe, Mrs. O. R. Boman, Mrs. B. O'Connell and Miss Mary Sam Crews.

All decorations and table favors were in the Valentine spirit, and high score prizes were beautiful heart-shaped boxes of encoeliates. High score was won by Miss Mary Sam Crews, while Mrs. M. M. Hart, Jr., received the prize for second highest score.—Reporter.

W. H. Kendall, wholesale representative of Ferguson Motors Co., of Dallas, distributors of the Hudson

and Essex cars, was here Wednesday on business with T. D. Roberts of Crowell and Wood Roberts of Thalia, who have recently secured the agency for these cars in Foard County.

**HUSBANDS ENTERTAINED BY SWASTIKA CLUB**

The Swastika Bridge Club entertained the husbands of the members at the beautiful new home of Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth on the evening of February 20th.

A very pleasant evening was spent by all present since the play was lively and progressive throughout the games. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Nicholson won high score prizes.

In addition to the regular club members and their husbands, there were present the following guests: Mrs. T. B. Richmond, Mrs. Hill and Mr. Pressley.

At the conclusion of the evening's games a delightful course of refreshments were served.—Reporter.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- For County Judge: J. E. ATCHESON, R. D. OSWALT.
- For County and District Clerk: IDA REAVIS.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: QUE R. MILLER, R. J. THOMAS, A. W. LILLY, ED DUNN.
- For Tax Assessor: CLAUDE CALLAWAY.
- For County Treasurer: MISS EMILY PURCELL, MISS EVA BLAKEMORE, MISS MARGARET CURTIS.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. E. WISDOM.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. C. HYSINGER, O. O. HOLLINGSWORTH, J. H. FREUDIGER.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: T. F. WELCH, E. V. HALBERT.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: T. S. PATTON, W. F. THOMSON, J. H. CARTER.
- For Public Weigher: GEORGE ALLISON, A. T. SCHOOLEY, C. Q. CRAWFORD, A. F. McMILLAN, DAVE SOLLIS, W. W. NICHOLS.

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Every Chevrolet zone sales office does an annual volume of business of from \$15,000,000 to \$30,000,000. (Advt.)

**GAMBLEVILLE**

(By Special Correspondent)

There are several cases of scarlet fever in our community.

J. M. E. Johnson of Elmer, Okla., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. D. Edwards, and family. He intends to stay a month with them.

Dave Shultz is able to be up again after a two weeks illness of ear trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Neill and daughter, Anna Maye, and son, John T., all of Thalia spent Sunday visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Ed Self and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble and son, Sim V., visited Mr. and Mrs. Yance Lindsey Sunday of near Thalia.

Jesse Crank and family of Rayland visited the C. E. Stewart family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Huckabee are the proud parents of a new baby born recently.

Several graded roads are being put up in this community.

S. I. Shultz of Vernon is doing some work for D. M. Shultz this week.

C. E. Stewart, Jim Fuljam and Will Hudgins bought some maize from A. L. Johnson of Crowell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble's children have been quite sick with scarlet fever, but are improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato, of Thalia Sunday.

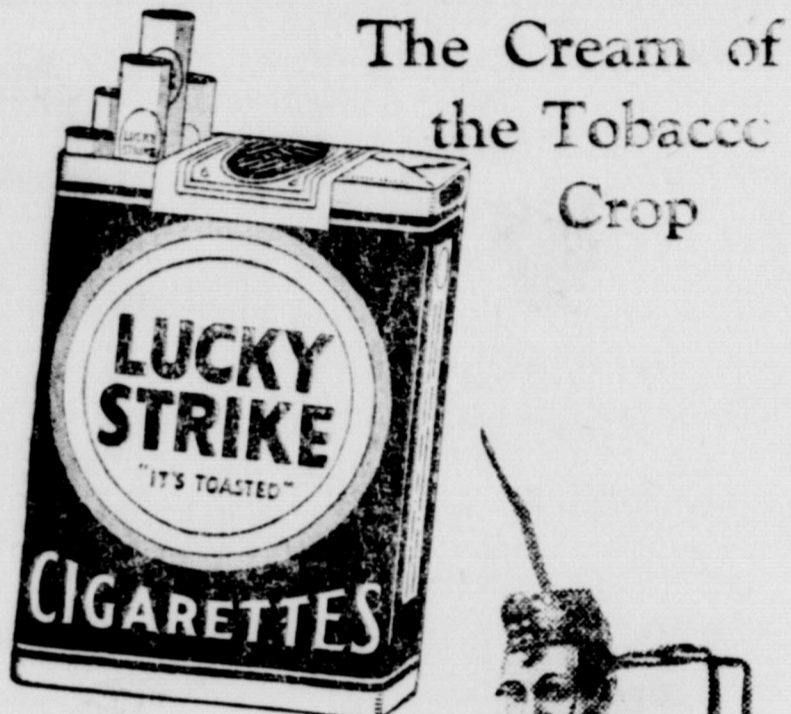
Mack Gamble and family visited relatives in Thalia Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson and children spent a part of the afternoon Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz. Mrs. Johnson had had some dental work done at Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Short and children spent Sunday afternoon with the former's sister, Mrs. George Fox and family of Thalia.

W. M. Shultz who is working in and near Crowell spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hill and two children of Strong City, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz Saturday night and Sunday of last week. Mrs. Hill is a niece of Mr. Shultz.



"Hoot, Mon, Luckies dinna hurt my throat or wind," says Sir Harry Lauder, famous Scotch Comedian

"I've smoked Luckies for years and all this time I've been active in my work which demands a clear voice for singing and good wind for dancing. It's always a bra bricht moonlicht nicht with Luckies—Hoot, Mon, they dinna hurt my wind or throat."

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- Buckeye No 101 automatic control cap. 500 chicks \$26.50
- Gravity oil flow control brooder, cap. 500 chicks \$12.50

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**Thalia M. E. Missionary Society**  
The M. E. Missionary Society of Thalia met in a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Hiram Gray. The Bible discussion period was conducted by Mrs. Will Chapman, prayer by Mrs. Frank Matthews.

Missionary topic, the old and the new version of missionary service.—Miss Minnie Wood. Woman's rights in Brazil by Mrs. T. H. Matthews. A very interesting talk was given on the life work of Mrs. Juliana Hayes by Mrs. M. C. Adkins. Several songs were enjoyed throughout the program. Closing prayer by Mrs. Wood Roberts.

The hostess served a delicious plate of peaches topped with whipped cream, lunch, consisting of sandwiches, to a number of members, also some pickles, cake, hot chocolate and guests.—Reporter.

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When you pay by check you put an automatic check on your expenditures. You are much more inclined to think twice before you spend. No one goes about carelessly cashing checks right and left, yet if you will watch those who do not pay by check you will see how readily they scatter and even waste their money.

So a checking account is a savings account.

## The Bank of Crowell

### Local and Personal

"It"—Monday and Tuesday.

Walk-Overs for \$8.00.—Self's.

Phonographs \$15.—M. S. Henry & Co.

See Clara Bow in "It," Monday and Tuesday.

Complete line of poultry supplies.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Queen incubators and brooders— all kinds.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Gordon Bell returned Tuesday from a visit with his wife at Kerrville. He reports Mrs. Bell's health as improving rapidly and thinks she will be able to come home soon.

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If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general no-account feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver, stomach and bowels is Herbine. It acts powerfully on the liver, strengthens digestion, purifies the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy, vim and cheerfulness. Price 60c. Sold by Fergeson Bros. and Reeder Drug Co.

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The latest records at M. S. Henry & Co.

Cello Glass, \$1.50 square yard.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Radios, tested batteries and tubes for all modern sets.—Womack Bros.

New Perfection oil stoves and accessories.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

'Preference' gas range—companion to "White Star"—see the picture this week.—Womack Bros.

We have lots of second hand stoves, all kinds, all prices.—Ketchersid Bros., furniture and stoves. tf.

Electric wiring, fixtures and repairing.—Estimates furnished. Phone 64.—Claude C. McLaughlin.

Mrs. B. F. Whitfield was here Monday from Stamford on business, returning to Stamford Tuesday.

300 feet picket yard fence with bois d'arc posts practically at your own price. See B. F. Ringgold. 26

Paul Bishop is building a 4-room house with bath and other modern conveniences. It will soon be completed.

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For Sale—3-horse, 3-phase motor.—H. D. Poland. tf

Few good Buff Orpington cockerels for sale.—Mrs. W. W. Kimsey. 36p

Detroit Jewel—The cook book is on the wheel.—M. S. Henry & Co.

You will find all kinds of bulk garden seed at Johnson's Feed Store. 26

'White Star' gas range—the easiest gas stove to keep clean.—Womack Bros.

Lost—Chrysler tire cover. Finder please return to News office.—T. B. Klepper.

Favorite and Vesta gas ranges, all sizes and colors.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Mrs. M. S. Henry who has been critically ill for several weeks is reported to be improving.

National Mazda light bulbs, 115 and 32 volts.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Joe H. Earls, expert watch and clock repairing. All work guaranteed. At Reeder Drug Store. tf

For sale at bargain an Essex coach in good condition with good General cord tires.—Crowell Service Station.

No trespassing—Positively no fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind will be allowed on the Halsell ranch.—Furd Halsell and Son. tf

We represent the Miss Vernon Steam Laundry. Basket leaves Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Phone 41.—Bruce Barber Shop. tf

T. V. Rascoe is placing an ad with the News this week advertising his Rumley make of farm tractors and combines. He got in a car of machinery this week.

Mrs. J. F. Carmichael of Odell was here Tuesday night visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, and a guest at the Columbian Club in Mrs. Kincaid's home Tuesday evening.

The News is agent for the Remington Portable typewriter. We have a portable in stock and would be glad to demonstrate it to anyone who is interested in buying a portable.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Stevens of Vernon were here Tuesday evening to attend the Columbian Club party at the Columbian Club party in Mrs. Kincaid's home Tuesday evening.

Friends of Mrs. Maggie French are pleased to know that she is at home after having undergone an operation in Dallas and is able to be at her post again at Blaw & Rosenthal's.

Mrs. G. W. Wallen who has been sick for the last three weeks is able to be up. Her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Rector, who has been with her, returned to her home at San Angelo Sunday. Mr. Rector came up a week ago and spent two nights with them.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Womack is being remodeled and enlarged and the old roof being replaced with a new one.

We have the agency for the Mistletoe Cream Co. and will appreciate your trade.—Ketchersid Bros., (The Second Hand Store.)

Mrs. E. L. Redwine of the Vivian community underwent an operation at the Crowell sanitarium Wednesday and is reported to be doing well.

Mrs. W. W. Hyde and daughter, Mrs. Agnes Montandon, of Knox City were here recently visiting Mrs. B. F. Hallmark, and other relatives.

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Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday, March 4, with Sunday School beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., followed by morning worship at 11. The pastor will bring a message at the morning service on "Stewardship." The service for the evening will begin at 7:30 at which time a message on "Power" will be brought. You are cordially invited to attend any and all of the services. Everyone welcome.

L. H. SMITH, Pastor.

### Junior League Program

Subject—Bible Facts.

Leader—Pauline Donaldson.

Scripture reading, Jeremiah 7:1-5.

Prayer.

How many books are there in the Bible?—Sam Crews.

Give the first verse of the 12th chapter of Ecclesiastes.—John Robert Thurman.

Who was the first transgressor?—Burl Lovelady.

Repeat John 3:16.—Ruth Fergeson.

League benediction.

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**Woman's Missionary Society**  
With Mesdames Baxter Johnson, Joe Johnson and J. H. Lanier as hostesses, the Missionary Society of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. Baxter Johnson Feb. 27th in a social meeting.

Mrs. J. W. Klepper led the devotional after which a very earnest prayer was offered by Sister McCarter. Mrs. Bob Thomas and Mrs. Henry Ferguson gave the history of the lives and some of their experiences of two beautiful characters in the early missionary work. Mrs. T. L. Hughston told us of the new and old versions of missionary service. Mrs. George Self in her talk, reminded us of the fact that Christianity is being sent back to where it was first begun and what it has meant to the world.

With a well rendered program and twenty-nine members present, two of whom were new, together with the interest in the work shown by each one, especially by the chairmen of the different circles, made all of us happy and we felt it was good to have been there. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.—Reporter.

**Card of Thanks**

We fail to find words to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who tried in so many ways to comfort us in our great sorrow in the loss of our darling little Erbert. We thank every one who did anything, the good doctor and nurses who tried so hard to cure our little boy, and also for the beautiful floral offering. May God bless every one of you. Again we thank you. Mr. and Mrs. John Diggs and Family, H. E. Diggs, F. E. Diggs and Family, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Loughmiller and Family.

**Epworth League Program**

Leader—Dorothy Florence Hinds. Subject—Love your enemies. Scripture lesson, Luke 6:27-35. Prayer. Comments on lesson—Ella Patton. Testimonies from Epworthians. (a) Rachael Stewart. (b) Ches. Asmford. (c) Mary Gafford. (d) Marie Jinks. (e) Marion Cooper. (f) Jewel Brown. Talk by Mrs. Klepper—"How We May Love Our Enemies."

**COMMISSIONERS COURT PROCEEDINGS**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Be it remembered that on the 27th day of February, A. D. 1928, there came on and was held a regular called session of the February term of the commissioners' court of Foard County, Texas, at the court house in Crowell, with the following officers and members present, to-wit:

J. E. Atcheson, county judge, presiding; A. B. Wisdom, commissioner precinct No. 1; D. A. Solis, commissioner precinct No. 2; E. V. Halbert, commissioner precinct No. 3; W. F. Thomson, commissioner precinct No. 4; and Mrs. Ida Reavis, clerk of the county court and ex-officio clerk of the commissioners' court. The following business was transacted and orders passed:

A meeting was held with a representative of the Berger Manufacturing Company and also with a representative of the Russell Grader Company.

A petition of A. Brian, Georgia Pittillo, J. T. Cates and M. L. Cribbs, was received asking for a second class road, by agreement, commencing at the northeast corner section No. 334, block "A", H. & T. C. Ry. Co., and continuing south along the east line of said section and ending at the southeast corner section No. 334 and northeast corner section No. 335, block "A", H. & T. C. Ry. Co., in precinct No. 1, the whole distance being one mile.

This being an agreed road and all the land holders interested signed said petition, the court ordered the road opened and to pay the assessed value for an easement on all the land thus taken for road purposes. So ordered by the court.

Moved by Wisdom and seconded by Thomson, that the court have the school funds audited by a special auditor, beginning January 1, 1923, and ending August 31, 1926, as we have a special audit covering the time from September 1, 1926, to December 31, 1926. Although the court must find authority to pay for same, as it seems to the court that since the State has a complete audit of same and the funds are under the supervision of County Board of Trustees. The court has never been against an audit of not a single thing pertaining to any financial interest of the taxpayers. The court has hesitated in making this audit, questioning the advisability of same. Since the grand jury of the February term of the district court of Foard County, Texas, has demanded, we are more than anxious to have same and this motion is to have the school accounts of Foard County, Texas, audited beginning January 1, 1923, and ending August 31, 1926, with a previous audit extends the time to January 1 to December 31, 1926.

Motion put and the following voted yes: Wisdom, Solis, Halbert and Thomson.

Motion carried and so ordered by the court.

There being no further business the court adjourned.

J. E. ATCHESON, County Judge.

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**NOTICE**

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We now have two splendid buildings and the equipment is up to date. The school board has shown good judgment in the erection of the new building and repairing of the old. They have also gone to considerable expense in transporting the children living at a distance to and from school. The faculty seems to be doing its utmost in behalf of the school for both the pupils and public.

Would it not praiseworthy for all persons interested, (if we are not interested we should be), to put forth their best endeavor to make the school a success.

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Yours for progress,  
G. A. MITCHELL,  
Tax Collector.

**Crowell Man Sent to Federal Court**

Homer Cauthan was arrested by the officers here Sunday morning charged with bootlegging and was sent to the Federal court at Austin for trial.

This is the first time Cauthan has been sent to the Federal court, but was arrested once here for making whiskey and paid his fine.

**B. Y. P. U. Program**  
Devotional meeting—The cleansing blood of Christ.  
Leader—Miss Ball.  
The theme, here and in heaven—Sustie Johnson.  
Divine help our only hope.—E. C. King.  
Salvation, the gift of God's love—Mr. McBurnett.  
The atonement—Lee Black.  
Christ died in our place.—Valton Wallace.  
Conversion, a distinct experience.—Ruth Sparks.

Every one is urged to come. Be there at 6:30.—Reporter.

**Senior Epworth League Social**

On Feb. 27, the Senior Epworth League enjoyed a social in the basement of the church.

The program consisted of "stunts" by the boys and girls. The first was a fake radio program given by the boys. This furnished amusement for all. The girls gave a one-act play featuring a scene in 1948, in which the life of the Leaguers were portrayed. The boys were severely "roasted" but they were good sports and took the joke well. Refreshments were served to about twenty-five Leaguers and a number of visitors.—Contributed.

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COLUMBIAN CLUB

Mrs. L. S. Spencer was hostess to the Columbian Club Wednesday afternoon, February 15. Roll call was responded to with items concerning Mexico. Lesson for the afternoon was Mexico today. Leader, Mrs. W. R. Womack. Interesting sketches on the lesson given by Miss Mary Sam Crews. Mrs. R. L. Kincaid gave interesting sketches from the "The World News."

Refreshments were served during the social hour to the club members and Mmes. W. W. Griffith and J. H. Lanier.—Reporter.

WILL GIVE "TACKY" PARTY

The local Parent-Teachers Association will have a "tacky party" in the school gymnasium on Tuesday, Mar. fifth at 7:30 o'clock.

Everybody is invited to come and a fine will be imposed on all those who do not dress in accordance with the spirit of the party—tacky, in other words. A prize will be given the tackiest man, the tackiest woman, the tackiest boy and the tackiest girl. Competent judges will give the decisions.

There will be various stunts, games and athletic events which will be both amusing and highly entertaining. A good time and lots of fun is promised everyone who will come.

This is to be chiefly a social meeting.—Reporter.

THEATRE PARTY

The basketball boys and girls were entertained last week by Mr. Bird, Miss Anthony and Mr. Black. After the picture show refreshments were served at Nick's. All of the players were present except two. All reported a very nice time.—Reporter.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Stamford—Vote of the Executive Board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on the report of the Special Water Rights Committee made February 13 stood 50 for adoption of recommendations, none opposed, February 25.

Electra—Within the next two weeks, Electra will have as its newest institution the American Business College, Incorporated.

Odesa—Formal opening of Odesa's new Texas and Pacific Railway Station is scheduled for March 15.

Valera—Valera formed its first chamber of commerce here recently under direction of the Coleman Chamber Commerce.

Las Cruces, N. M.—Irrigation and reclamation will be major phases of the Western Regional Conference to be held here March 15-17 by delegates from 11 western states.

Coleman—Coleman is busy with preparation for the Mid-Texas District Teachers Association, which will meet here March 16-17.

Floydada—Floydada served 500 guests at its annual chamber of commerce banquet with a cost of less than \$100; all products were of Floyd County.

El Paso—H. L. Birney, president of the Broadway of America Association, and regional directors in this state, will attend the conference to be held in Memphis, Tenn., April 20 and 21.

Hamlin—Bowen Pope, Hamlin editor, has been awarded \$50 in gold as prize for writing the best article on the town of Lamesa. The Lamesa Chamber of Commerce sponsored the contest.

Abilene—All West Texas is beautifying and cleaning up following out a program announced by President Haynie and Manager Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Bledsoe—Having successfully secured a druggist through service of the W. T. C. of C., Bledsoe is now seeking a physician through aid of the regional organization.

Wichita Falls—Wichita Falls dedicated its new \$750,000 Memorial Auditorium February 29 and March 1 with two evenings of grand opera.

Cleburne—Correct industrial census of this city has been completed through cooperation of the local chamber of commerce with the Federal Department of Commerce.

Fort Worth—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is asking all its affiliated towns to cooperate in an all-year-round fire prevention program.

Hale Center—Work is nearing completion on a new one-story brick building here.

Megargel—A modern business house is under construction here, next door to the Megargel news office.

Lamesa—Attention of West Texans is now turned to the South Plains convention of the W. T. C. of C. to be held here in the spring, since the first meet was closed at Colorado, February 29.

MUSIC MEMORY NOTES

"The world's a very happy place Where every child should dance and sing."

Music and happiness go hand in hand. The one suggests the other. The happiest people are singing people. The capacity for music appreciation is present with a normal human being, and only needs to be developed and directed to become a factor of happiness and satisfaction to the individual. Music is a human heritage. To deprive an individual of opportunity to share in this heritage either in the matter of expression or enjoyment is to deprive him of one of the most enlightening pleasures life offers. The attitude of "all for music and music for all" should be the attitude underlying the work of the music memory contest. The aim is not merely to give the child a chance to win something, or to count as points for the school, but to bring the child in contact with good music in order that his native capacity for the enjoyment and appreciation of music may be developed. The contest idea, as has been stated and restated in this column is merely a means to an end.

"Minuet in G" by Paderewski is not unfamiliar to many of those who have been connected with the music memory work before, this being the second time it has appeared on the list of selections to be studied. It is written in the style of the ancient court dance.

There is a story that it was written to convince a friend that living composers were able to create music comparable to the old masters. The result was wholly convincing.

There are two decided themes appearing one after the other. The trio, or middle section, was a somewhat slower melody and is followed by the first theme which passes into the coda which elaborately ends the piece.

Ignace Paderewski was born in Podolia, Poland, in 1850. He is probably the best known living composer and pianist.

"The Anvil Chorus" is one of the popular numbers taken from Giuseppe Verdi's (Vair dee) well known opera, "Il Trovatore."

It is sung at the opening of the second act, in which the scene shows a gypsy camp in the Biscay Mountains. The men begin their work at day break. They sing as they hammer on their anvils. They lead into a swinging melody, rhythmic with the clang of the anvils.

Verdi was the founder of the modern school of Italian opera, and many of the more familiar operatic compositions are his creations. "Aida" is one of his greatest dramatic musical offerings.—Director, Music Memory Contest.

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Wink—The Higgins Hotel, formerly of Tulsa, Winkler County, has been moved to this place.

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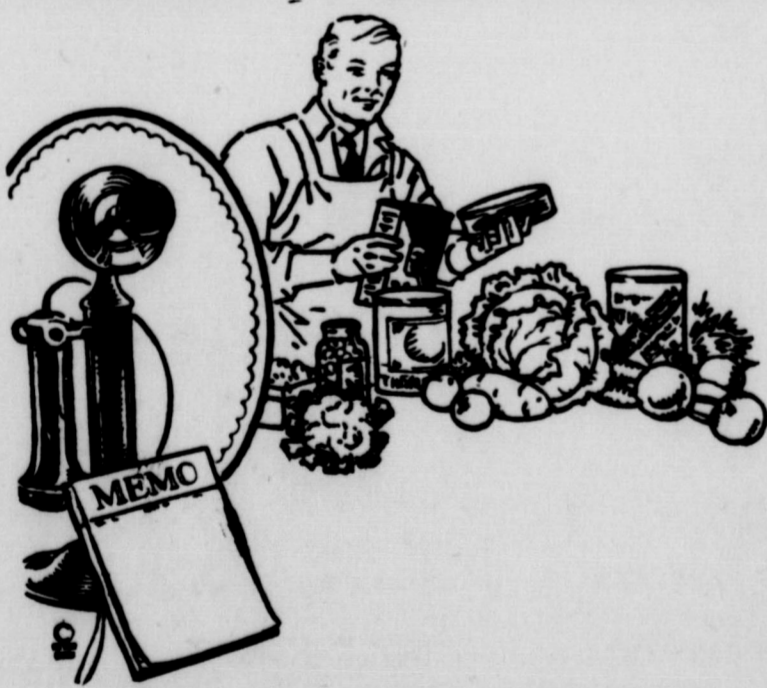
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Feeding and Care of Baby Chicks

(By F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas)

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Daily Routine

Early in the morning, about six o'clock, examine the heater, replenish fuel supply and make sure the chicks are comfortable. Raise the hover, remove all litter, dirt and droppings and replace with fresh material. Note the chicks closely, kill weaklings or sick ones. Examine the feed hoppers and be sure they contain a supply of feed. The feed hoppers should never be allowed to go dry for even a few minutes. If the chicks crowd around the feed hoppers, provide more hoppers. Keep hoppers clean. At eight, examine all water dishes, clean all drinking vessels and refill with fresh water. If you are feeding milk provide a new supply of milk in clean containers at this time. If possible keep sour milk or buttermilk before the chicks all the time. Feeding milk spasmodically is not as satisfactory as keeping it before them all the time. It is best to feed all milk sour, and in containers not made out of galvanized iron. Milk is a wonderful drink for baby chicks and growing chicks. At noon or twelve o'clock we make another trip around to all the houses, if the sun shines and the windows or shutters have not already been opened all the way back, we do so, because we want the direct sunshine to strike the chicks. We again examine the heater in case of kerosene burners, in hot weather, especially the burner needs watching to keep flame from creeping up to high and causing trouble. Also examine feed troughs and water vessels. Use your eyes, look for dirt and trouble, but don't stop there, remove it. About the middle of the afternoon another round is made to all the houses, feed hoppers and drinking vessels are cleaned and replenished. Note the heater, flame, etc. At six o'clock the windows or shutters are lowered, to keep inside of house comfortable. The hover is examined to be sure it is capable of keeping chicks warm for the night. At this time also burner and wick are cleaned and fuel tank is refilled. Keep everything in and about the burner, clean, free from dirt, dust or kerosene. Two things cause fires, one is to turn burner up too high and the other is to keep burner dirty and kerosene spilled all around the burner. At nine o'clock we make another trip, we glance at the burner, note size

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Answers to Questions

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- (a) Feb. 12, 1891 from Hardeman County principally and from small parts of Cottle and Knox Counties. (b) For Major Robt. L. Foard, lawyer of Columbus, Texas.
- (a) In 1891, beginning when Crowell was elected county seat on April 27th, 1891. (b) Organizers were: Geo. T. Crowell, M. F. Thacker, J. G. Witherspoon, and Homer Paek, all of Foard County and C. A. Andrews of Sherman, Texas. Crowell was named for Geo. T. Crowell.
- In 1908.
- Crowell was incorporated in 1909.
- Foard County's area is 450,345 acres or 704 square miles. Crowell's incorporated area is approximately two square miles.
- Foard County's present population is 8,150 (estimated). Crowell's present population is 2,200 (estimated).
- Foard's farm population in 1925 was 4,193 (U. S. Agriculture Census).
- Average date of last frost is March 25th.

Several from Crowell attended the meeting of the Pease-Red River Valley Association at Chillicothe Wednesday. A thing of importance done was the changing of the name from that of Pease-Red River Valley Association to Upper-Red River Valley Association. It is too late to give a full writeup of the meeting. We may possibly have something later.

Some street work done here within the last week has helped the streets wonderfully and is something that every one appreciates.

T. D. Bull, who is here from Sulphur, Okla., visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wiley Jonas, stated to a News man that he was 83 years old yesterday. He says he is well and hearty, but says he soon tires out when he attempts to walk any distance.

"Sea Desert"

In the south Pacific ocean has just been discovered the most desolate spot in the world. According to Dr. Austin H. Clark, who helped chart it for the Smithsonian institution, the place is devoid of any kind of life, either in the surface waves or at the bottom, says Popular Science Monthly. No region on land is comparable with its lifelessness.

Ear bones of whales and teeth of sharks on the red clay bottom are the only remains of sea monsters that strayed into the "sea desert" and perished.

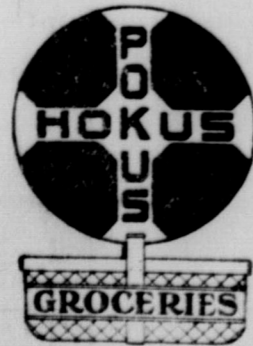
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