

Items from Neighboring Communities

VIVIAN
(By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson and children of Paducah spent last Friday in the home of Mrs. Davidson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beatty, Mrs. A. J. Blakemore of Hereford to have visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gay Masley.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish, Mrs. W. O. Fish, Arthur and Jess Walling were Paducah visitors Friday.

Bobby Davis returned home Monday, after spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Derington, of West Rayland.

Several from this community were Crowell visitors Monday.

Mrs. S. D. Martin and daughter, Mrs. Williams, and small daughter of Crowell were visitors in our community Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. David Boren is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fish and son, Berry, and Miss Lyndall Chapman of Paducah visited in our community last Wednesday.

Mann Young, who is attending West Texas State Teacher's College at Canyon, spent the week-end with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and daughter, Mildred, Mrs. A. L. Wal-

ling and family, Mrs. Bunah Lankford and children and Miss Rosalie Fish attended the Cottle County singing convention at Valley View Sunday.

RAYLAND
(By Ora Davis)

Verde Robertson of Crowell visited relatives here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Younger of Five-in-One visited in the Trace Beazley home Sunday.

Rev. Reed filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mears and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, and family, of Margaret Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn and family of West Rayland visited Buck Clark and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Zachery and family of West Rayland visited in this community Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tole of Crowell visited his father, Bud Tole, and family last week.

Myrtle Roberts and Pete Crisp left last Tuesday for a short visit with Pete's brother, Buster Crisp, and wife of Post.

Miss Hazel Rutledge and Mrs. Luther Streit visited relatives at Austin last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cribbs entertained the young folks with a party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffie spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duffie, and family of Hardeeman County.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett and family of Thalia and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holland visited in the J. C. Davis home Sunday. Mrs. J. C. Davis returned home with Mrs. Holland for a short visit.

Aunt Molly Clark returned home Tuesday after a long visit with her nephew, N. J. Campbell, of Nacogdoches.

Mrs. Lewis Mansel and family of Five-in-One visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mansel and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lawson visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Murphy, of Oklahoma City Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Nancy Haynie and children, who will visit relatives at Lawton, Okla.

Ed and Clifford McNutt returned home last week after a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

BLACK
(By Lois Nichols)

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and family visited Mrs. Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley, of Thalia from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verge Jackson and Oletha and Streit Simmons of Medicine Mound visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simmons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sprinkle returned to their home in Corsicana after visiting Mrs. Sprinkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Horn, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Ingram and children of Clarendon visited Mrs. Ingram's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunter, Sunday.

Lillie Mae Edgin of Crowell visited Irene Nichols the past week-end.

Raspberry Allows Only 2 Hits But Paducah Wins Ball Game 5 to 0

Paducah defeated Crowell 5 to 0 in the second Red River Valley League game for both teams at Paducah Sunday afternoon despite the fact that Skeet Raspberry allowed only two hits during the entire game. Cunningham also figured in the pitchers' battle, allowing only four hits and striking out 12 men.

The Crowell infield made some sensational plays but went to pieces with opponents in scoring position. Not a run was earned by either team. Poor base running cost Crowell a few runs.

The box score:

PADUCAH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Goodwin, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ledbetter, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Godfrey, 3b	4	0	0	1	0	0
F. Bridwell, ss	4	0	0	1	2	3
Finley, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	1
Young, 2b	2	2	0	1	4	0
Garrison, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
E. Bridwell, c	3	0	0	12	2	0
Cunningham, p	3	0	0	0	2	1
Total	28	5	2	27	10	5

CROWELL	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
W. Bell, cf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Graves, 1b	4	0	0	15	0	0
Sloan, ss	3	0	1	0	3	3
Norman, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Ashford, 2b	3	0	2	1	3	0
La Rue, c	4	0	0	3	1	1
Meason, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Henry, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Roberts, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rasberry, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
xMcDaniel	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	4	24	11	5

—Hit for Henry in the 9th.

Score by innings:
Crowell 000 000 000—0 4 5
Paducah 200 011 10x—5 2 5

Summary: 2-base hits—Ashford 2; struck out—by Cunningham 12; Raspberry 3; base on balls—Raspberry 3; Cunningham 2; earned runs 0; left on bases—Crowell 8, Paducah 2; Umpires—Thomas and Lilly.

A. M. Butts, in medical practice in Holdenville, Okla.

Miss Lena Madsen Phillips is president of the National Council of Women, which is sponsoring the international congress of women to be held in July in connection with the world's fair in Chicago.

Mrs. Thomas Brocklebank, 80 years old, of London, has collected four thousand photographs of members of all the royal families of Europe.

Representative Florence P. Kahn of California is the first woman ever to be appointed to the vitally important House appropriations committee.

When Rest is Broken

Act Promptly When Bladder Irregularities Disturb Sleep

Are you bothered with bladder irregularities; burning, scanty or too frequent passage and getting up at night? Heed promptly these symptoms. They may warn of some disordered kidney or bladder condition. Users everywhere rely on Doan's Pills. Recommended for 50 years. Sold everywhere.



GREETINGS! HORSE TRADERS

We invite you to visit us any time, but especially on Trades Day. Make our store your meeting place.

Plenty of cool water to drink.

If your mule needs something for his sore leg, we have it.

FERGESON BROS. DRUGGISTS

SAVE SAFETY

Fashion Decrees High Collars in Burma



Some of the last of the giraffe-necked women of Burma have come to America to show us their styles in neckwear... via the circus route. The women of Burma encircle infant girl's neck with four or five brass bands a ring being added each year. An adult woman wears from 21 to 25 of the brass bands, the custom stretching their necks to startling lengths.

Recognizing the unusual ability of Miss Lucy Hennon, who has marketed nearly a billion bushels of grain in seven years, directors of the Ohio Equity exchange have re-elected her their secretary and manager.

Mrs. Marie Corcoran Brooder of Lake Leelanau, Mich., is the 1933 cherry pie baking champion of the United States.

Miss Myrtle V. Murray is the head of California's department of public works which expends \$35,000,000 annually.

Trades Day BARGAINS! FOR SATURDAY ALSO

89¢ SILK FLAT CREPE

All new Spring shades in all silk flat crepe. The lowest price in history for this fine silk crepe.

25¢ PRINTED BATISTE

A big new shipment of fresh, crisp, dainty printed batiste. Beautiful designs in large and small figures.

29¢ Munsingwear Rayon Hose

Rayon hose in a smooth fine quality. Will give lots of service. New spring shades ad they're Munsingwear.

10¢ CHILDREN'S ANKLETS

One lot of children's anklets in a variety of colors. And they are good at

89¢ BIG SMITH PANTS

Men! BIG SMITH grey covert pants! You can't get a better wearing pant for work.

49¢ BOYS' BLUE OVERALLS

Boys' blue overalls, sizes 6 to 16. Well made of a good quality white back blue denim.

25¢ BOYS' STRAW HATS

Ideal for Summer days!

\$1.48 MEN'S FELT HATS

Made of first quality fur felt in new shades and snap brim styles.

R. B. Edwards Co.



POISON in Your bowels!

Poisons absorbed into the system from souring waste in the bowels, cause that dull, headachy, sluggish, bilious condition; coat the tongue; foul the breath; sap energy, strength and nerve-force. A little of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will clear up trouble like that, gently, harmlessly, in a hurry. The difference it will make in your feelings over night will prove its merit to you.

Dr. Caldwell studied constipation for over forty-seven years. This long experience enabled him to make his prescription just what men, women, old people and children need to make their bowels help themselves. Its natural, mild, thorough action and its pleasant taste commend it to everyone. That's why "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin," as it is called, is the most popular laxative drug stores sell.

DR. W. B. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN A Doctor's Family Laxative

The Whiteway

—Service Station is now open and handling SINCLAIR products, also—

GOODRICH TIRES AND TUBES

—and a line of accessories, batteries and rent batteries.

Our specialty is WASHING, GREASING and POLISHING.

"WE KNOW HOW"

Come look this station over, TRADES DAY visitors—this will be your first opportunity to visit us on a Trades Day—but not your last. A visit from you will be appreciated.

SUPER-SERVICE —AT—

The Whiteway

SINCLAIR GAS AND OILS

Claude A. Adams, Prop. Phone No. 8

About Women

Miss Mayme O'Connor, station agent, of Juneau, Wis., who is finishing her 43rd year as a railroad employe, is believed to be the oldest telegraph operator in point of service on the division.

Elected to the house of representatives in the Porto Rican Legislature, at San Juan, Senora Maria Luisa Arcelay has become the first Latin-American woman legislator.

Dorothy George, a painter, and Jean Nutter Oliver, artist and author, are the first two women ever to be admitted to membership in the 78-year-old Art Club of Boston, Mass.

Miss Imogene Butts soon will become the partner of her father, Dr.

Matrimony Splash



Georgia Coleman, Olympic diving champion, has splashed into matrimony, becoming the bride of 'Ruf' Gilson, amateur golfer of Jackson Mich. She is honeymooning in Florida as shown in the photo.

Welcome to Crowell on Trades Day

GENERAL INSURANCE

LIFE, FIRE, TORNADO and HAIL
ALSO AUTOMOBILE LOANS

Will Buy Certificates of Deposit on First State Bank, Crowell, Texas.

LEO SPENCER

General Insurance and Loans
Phone No. 283 Office Postoffice Bldg.

Locals

Glossfast enamels at Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

Big bowl lamp chimneys 15c.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Pen green alfalfa hay, big bales, 35c each.—Lanier's.

Ernest Johnson, Raymond Rasher and J. C. Johnson visited in Wichita Falls Tuesday.

May 4th is Mother's Day. Remember her with a box of nice candy. Get it from Ferguson Bros.

Miss Eddie Mae Oliphant of Monday spent the week-end visiting friends in Crowell.

Rev. and Mrs. Ed Tharp of Brownfield are guests of their daughter, Mrs. D. R. Magee, and family.

Do not let Mother's Day pass without remembering her. Select the gift at Ferguson Bros.

Baltic Cream Separator, \$32.50.—Lanier's.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway visited their daughter, Mrs. Joe Welch, in Sherman last week.

Mrs. Anabel Tinsley and Miss Frankie Pennington are spending a few days in Fort Worth.

A beautiful assortment of Mother's Day cards.—Ferguson Bros.

Mrs. A. Y. Beverly left Thursday for a visit with her mother, who is ill at her home in Normangee.

Did you know that you could buy a new Chevrolet coupe or coach for less than \$600?—The Allen Co.

Cliff Davis of Wichita Falls is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Otis Ross, and family.

Mrs. Robert Beck of Lubbock is here this week visiting relatives and friends.

Highest market prices paid for poultry, cream and eggs at Ballard Produce Co.

Mrs. P. P. Cooper returned Saturday from a visit with her son, Roy, and wife who live near Wichita Falls.

Mrs. V. A. McGinnis of Ayersville has been very ill with pneumonia. She is reported to be improving. Mrs. Beulah Pate of the local hospital has been nursing her.

Rebuilt Maytags, same guarantee as on new machines. Large discount.—The Maytag Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Shults and children and Mrs. J. H. Shults of Davidson, Oklahoma, visited friends here Sunday.

Come to Crowell on Trades Day. Well assorted stock of horse collars at Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

Uncle Ben Meason returned to Crowell Tuesday from Altus, Okla., where he has been visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. R. Swindell.

Plenty of .22 shells at a price you can pay.—Lanier's.

C. B. Stone and George Meason purchased the interest of Lee Roy Statser and Earl Manard in the City Cafe this week and started its operation Wednesday.

Sprucetex double thread oil mops 60c.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Billie, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith of Foard City, underwent an operation at the local hospital Monday following an accident at Foard City. He was getting along nicely Thursday afternoon.

4 pound box Texaco cup grease 25c.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Fly-time is here. Get your screens repaired.—Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

Mrs. Bill Norman and small son of McAdoo are here this week visiting relatives.

Mrs. T. P. Duncan and Will Duncan of Wichita Falls were here Sunday visiting T. P. Duncan Jr.

16 inch 5 blade ball bearing lawnmower only \$5.95.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer and daughter, Marjorie, Mrs. E. A. Dunagan and Mrs. Jim Cates were visitors in Austin last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Dean of Texarkana are here visiting Mrs. Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gorrell, and family.

Stick on shoe soles 19c Saturday and First Monday.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Davis of Lorenzo were here last week on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. V. A. McGinnis, of the Ayersville community.

Miss Janie Sloval, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Pechacek, for the past three months, left Tuesday for Pampa. She will go from Pampa to Los Angeles, Cal.

J. R. Beverly, S. E. Scales, A. T. Schooley and C. V. Allen attended the organization meeting of the 95th District Masonic Association at Childress on Tuesday night.

We are short two black-leg vaccine guns. Parties having them borrowed, please return them.—Ferguson Bros.

Rev. W. M. Murrell, former pastor of the Methodist Church here and present presiding elder of the Abilene District, visited for a short time Monday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston.

Mrs. W. D. Howell and Mrs. Arnold Rucker were in Iowa Park on Tuesday and Wednesday to attend a meeting of the W. M. U. Association of the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Stonewall Ferguson and Mrs. Ferguson's sister, Mrs. Florence Gaither, left Friday for Chilton. Mrs. Gaither has been visiting here for several weeks.

See us for good cheap paints.—Lanier's.

Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Borchardt have returned to their home in Houston after a visit of a few days in the home of Dr. Borchardt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Borchardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm and daughter of Lubbock, Amy Gladys, arrived Saturday to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jimmie Self. Mrs. Wilhelm and Amy Gladys returned Sunday but Mr. Wilhelm remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. J. E. Harwell carried the east of Crowell's one-act play and its director to the regional tournament at Denton Saturday. Misses Dosca Hale, Ruth Patterson and Louise Ball also attended the tournament from Crowell. The group spent Saturday night in Dallas, returning to Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Borchardt, Misses Betty, Georgia, Fay Evelyn and Jean Opal Borchardt, Mrs. Lewellyn Morgan, Mrs. Floyd Borchardt, Miss Lia Lovelady, Henry Borchardt, and Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Borchardt of Houston attended a family reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Greer at Olney last Sunday.

Here's Good News

—For Trades Day shoppers who want the best food at the lowest prices. These bargains are also good on Saturday.

BRING IN YOUR EGGS

We will pay 9c per dozen in trade.

- BANANAS, Not sold alone Per Dozen 15c
- FRESH TOMATOES, per lb. 10c
- LEMONS, per dozen 18c
- LETTUCE, New crop, per head 6c
- PEACHES, New State No. 2 1/2 Can Heavy Syrup Pack, Two for 29c
- BROOMS, Good 5 Strand, each 24c
- CHERRIES, Red Ring, per gallon 49c
- APRICOTS, per gallon 39c
- PEACHES, Mermaid, per gallon 37c
- BLACK BERRIES, per gallon 39c
- COFFEE, Bright and Early 3-Meal Texas Girl, 3 lbs. 59c
- FLOUR, Snowdrift extra fancy, 48 lbs. \$1.07
- SYRUP, Golden Drip, a Betsy Brand gal. 55c
- APPLES, Sliced, per gallon 29c
- COFFEE, bulk, 2 pounds 25c
- FLOUR, Pride of Altus, Guaranteed, 48 lbs. \$1.00

SOME SUGAR FACTS

The sugar market has advanced continually for the past six weeks and is now 80 points or more higher than it was six weeks ago.

If we were selling you sugar bought on today's market, the price would be considerably higher than that which we have to offer you at the present time.

So if you want to save money on sugar, BUY FROM us NOW!—At these prices for PURE CANE SUGAR:

TEN POUNDS	25 POUNDS
55c	\$1.32

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Acting on BOTH upper and lower bowels Adlerika washes out all poisons that cause gas, nervousness and bad sleep. One dose gives relief at once.—Ferguson Bros. E-3

PIE SUPPER AT BLACK

A pie supper will be held in the Black school house on Friday night of this week. Everybody is invited to attend. Proceeds from the supper will be used to purchase song books for the newly organized Sunday School of that community and for singings.

FARM FEED

Our observation has been that the farmers who get along the best are those who plant plenty of feed each year and we believe that such will be the case again this year.

Don't Forget TRADES DAY—MONDAY!

CROWELL STATE BANK

WHY BE UNHAPPY?

Ill health causes unhappiness. Bad teeth and unhealthy gums often cause ill health. Good food can be contaminated by an unclean mouth. Practice mouth hygiene by scrubbing your teeth twice daily.

SATURDAY and TRADES DAY

Buy any one of 27 McKesson's products and we give you FREE one 25c tube I-D-L Dental Cream.

REEDER'S DRUG STORE

NEW DEAL BARGAINS

SATURDAY AND FIRST MONDAY

Waterless Cooker \$1²⁹
4-quart aluminum with inset pan and removable plate rest and only

33c Mixing Bowls
Extra Large—Ivory and green enamel and a real bargain at this price.

Water Bags 59c
Genuine Sahara, sanitary, open top, 2-gallon size and only

\$2³⁹ Bird Cage and Stand
Green and gold enamel with drawer bottom. Complete at this price.

Milk Pails 33c
LARGE, Extra Heavy 12-quart guaranteed leak-proof. Only

COME TO CROWELL
FIRST MONDAY—TRADES DAY
Visit with your neighbors and friends.
Crowell merchants are going to make it to your advantage to come. Besides you will enjoy here.

Adjustable Pliers
6-inch Forged Steel. Buy these First Monday for only

10¢

Nail Hammers
Forged Steel, regular size, every home needs one and only—

29¢

Hacksaw Frames
Adjustable to fit all length blades, complete with one blade, only 29c.

Wrench Sets
Made of high quality steel, just the set you need. Six in a clip and only—

69¢

Pipe Wrenches
14-inch Steel handle wrench and a real bargain at 69c.

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Don't Get Up Nights

Make This 25c Test
You need this easy bladder physic to drive out impurities and excess acids which cause irritation that results in leg pains, backache, burning and getting up nights. BUKETS, the bladder physic, containing buchu, juniper oil, etc. works on the bladder pleasantly and effectively, similar to castor oil on the bowels. Get a 25c box (5 grain size) from your druggist. After four days, if not relieved of getting up nights go back and get your money. You are bound to feel better after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. Locally at Reeder's Drug Store. B-35

AWAKENED WOMAN

by ELLINORE BARRY



Seventh Installment

... story so far: Joyce Ashton, a young girl, whose plumpness was a definite threat of turning her into a fat woman at middle age. Her eyes were of the curved baby type, her eyes small and gray, her mouth lipsticked into a cupid's bow of the most delicate type. She was dressed in smart clothes. The blonde's costume was of the latest cut and mode, but it was clearly wrong for her figure and she was several years older, was a brunette with sharp features, her hair marcelled hair, large green eyes and languid manners. She was smoking a cigarette and Joyce nervously lit a cigarette to bolster up her own courage. She waited for some one else to speak.

... that did you do all day yesterday? demanded the blonde one, weren't in bed, were you?" "I felt rotten," replied Joyce, "you had it coming to you! It's a against the way we're viewing the remains is."

... "forget it!" said Joyce. "It's my fault now. I hate post-mortems. So do I," agreed the dark haired girl. "You don't know what a shock it didn't, Frills? You don't know what Mait noticed about you acted half-dead."

... "But, good God!" he exclaimed violently, "you can't just calmly throw me down that way, Frills, without a reason, without a word, without an explanation of what it's all about. You sit there and say in that frozen voice 'It's all over'—you, who only Friday night planned to go away with me Wednesday, you, the only girl who..."

... did you come from, boy? Say, you're all right! How come, Frills? You've never had any time for dogs before?" He looked up at her questioningly.

... "I expect to have more from now on," replied Joyce coolly, though her heart was beating with suffocating speed. "because I shan't have you to take up so much of it."

... "Maitland looked frankly bewildered at her tone. 'But what's the big idea? Am I going to be treated to more of the upstage stuff? I don't get you—'"

... "But why, why, why? Judas, you never talked this way before."

... "Don't be so melodramatic," retorted Joyce, "and let go my wrist. You hurt me."

... "Please mail brown envelope left on my desk to me hotel Blackstone love Neil."

... "But where was Neil's desk? wondered Joyce puzzled. She glanced vaguely about the big room but she knew already there was nothing so workmanlike as a desk in it."

... "Oh, well, all right," he agreed, "but what you're saying and doing! You can't mean it, sweetheart! What's the use of going through all these noble dramatics for nothing! It's such a waste of time, when we could be so happy. Every minute when we're not together seems a waste of time to me..."

... "Joyce sat down at the desk to examine a square photograph frame more carefully. The picture, which was obviously an enlargement of a small snap. The girl was perched upon a shelf of rock, while the man stood close beside her. His right arm was around her waist, her left hand curled about his neck. Both were smiling broadly, and the girl's right hand waved an impudent greeting."

... "A new Swedish method has it possible to extract about sixty pounds of sugar from 100 pounds of wood."



"It's all over and I want you to let me alone."

Tips on Taxes

LEGISLATIVE NEWS SERVICE OF THE TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION AUSTIN

Austin—The Forty-third Legislature, now nearing the close of its regular session, will likely reduce the costs of State government from 25 to 30 per cent. Up to the present time it has created no new commissions or bureaus and levied no important new taxes. Every branch of the State government has had its budget reduced. Equally important is the passage of legislation designed to stop tax evasions, and to provide penalties that will insure more effective enforcement of special taxes, such as the cigarette and gross production taxes. The Comptroller estimates that at least \$5,000,000 in these special taxes, which has been lost through inadequate enforcement facilities, will be saved and added to State revenues.

There are two constitutional amendments pending, which if adopted, will be of far-reaching importance. One would arbitrarily limit total expenditures of the State and the other would abolish the fee system of compensating county officials and make for lowering the tremendous costs of county government, which averages much higher than State government. The first of these amendments has passed the Senate and the second has passed the House. Prospects of their submission seems good, but citizens can do a real service by urging the submission of these two amendments.

In spite of failure to adequately meet conditions in many respects, the present session of the Legislature may be counted a success, if it adheres to its present apparent purpose to levy no new taxes and cut expenses and also submits these two amendments. These amendments will open the way for permanent tax reform and provide effective safeguards against recurrence of the recent orgy of spending by all branches of government.

Appropriations for expenses of the Legislature were approximately \$500,000. This represents a reduction of about 30 per cent below the cost of the regular sessions since the pay of legislators was increased by constitutional amendment. The Senate voted to make the pay of members \$8 a day, instead of the constitutional limit of \$10. The House refused to concur and fixed salaries of House members at \$10 and Senators at \$8. It is impossible to give the total cost of the session. It may be prolonged beyond the four months and thus necessitate an additional appropriation for salaries of members and other expenses.

The effort to again bring up a sales tax bill has failed for the time being. The House committee on revenue and taxation gave an adverse report on the Kayton bill, which differed somewhat from the administration sales tax bill, killed earlier in the session. It is regarded as doubtful whether the bill has a chance being brought out on a minority report.

The income tax bill which passed the House seems to have little chance of passing the Senate.

The House took up the higher education appropriation bill last week and made drastic cuts in salaries and other items, going below the reductions already approved by the appropriations committee. This is the last of the major appropriation bills. Senate figures in the appropriations bills average higher than House figures and differences are being compromised in conference.

Despite the fact that Senate support of public schools has increased more than other costs of government and has far out-run the increases in taxable wealth and population, a demand for continued liberal support of approximately the same level as during the years of prosperity for

The Family DOCTOR

by JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

FOR THE MIDDLE-AGED

You get to thinking about what you OUGHT to weigh—I know you do, for I do it myself.

Well, figure your height in inches—you men of five feet ten. You are seventy inches high. Add 100 to the number of inches for the weight, 170, if you are middle-age or past. This rule does not apply to young adults and children.

Remember, each individual has his peculiarities, which he can by no means escape. It is just as "natural" for some men and women to be spare, as it is for others to be a little stout. I had a most refined, intelligent lady of forty-five, who had worked herself almost into a frenzy—because she held a weight of 145 steadily. Her figure was perfect; yet she was continually in anticipation of "obesity"!

The big boy of fifty, with the ponderous "bay-window," must lay the blame to himself alone. He acquired the deformity by over-eating and lack of exercise. It will take him a long time to correct the effects of his truancy, if he ever does it. But he still has room to repent of his sins—to get out of that swivel-chair—get out of doors at every opportunity—and STOP EATING TOO MUCH.

There's the rub, however. He still lingers with the lucious viands with the heavy sweetening. Well, if you'd rather have that belly, keep on as you are doing—I'm no traffic cop, to stop you for traveling on the wrong side of the road! Don't forget though, that the prevention of an evil is many times safer than a belated attempt at cure; be sure your (dietetic) sins will track you down.

public schools is being made. Since 1920 scholastic population has increased 25 per cent, taxable wealth 20 per cent and State school support 150 per cent.

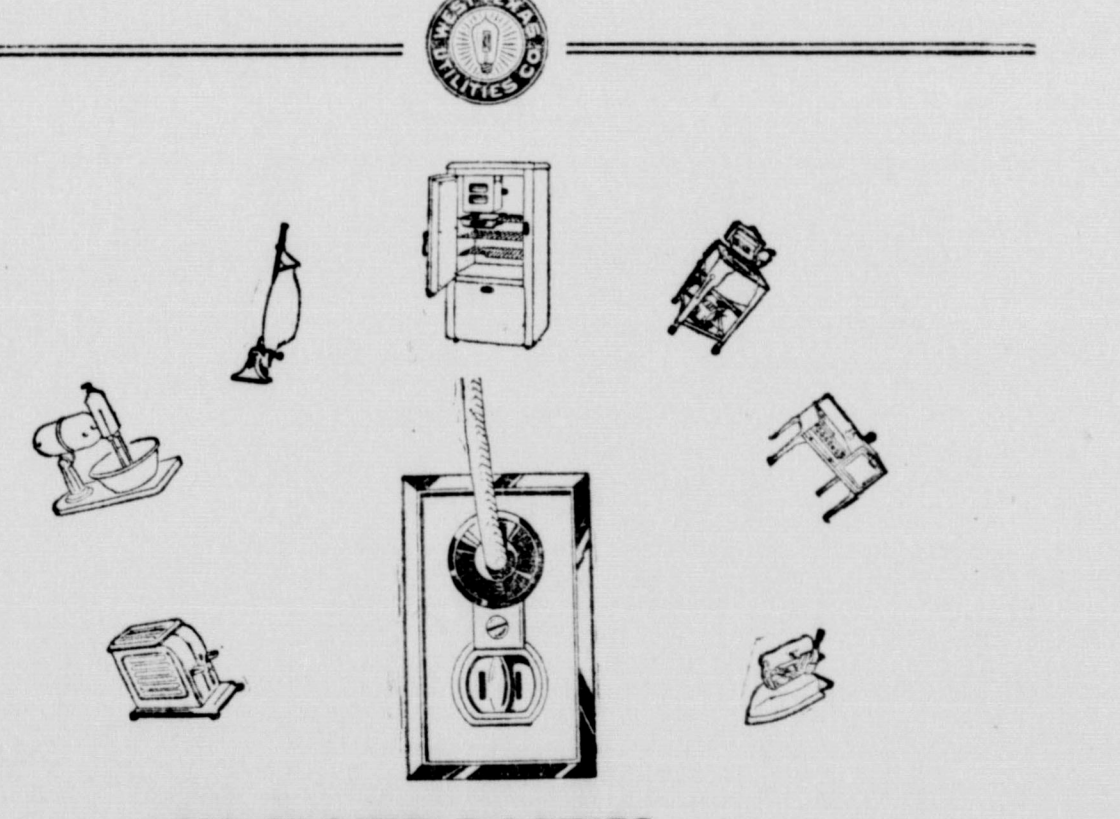
Analysis of the State budget in the light of reductions already made, and provided the Legislature does not attempt to hold the school apportionment to prosperity levels shows that legitimate needs of the government can be met without additional tax levies.

Miss Margaret Irving is believed to be England's only woman tea-taster.

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Eliminates Household Drudgery— for Only a Few Pennies a Day!

Modern "Electrical Servants" will do all your drudgerous household work . . . and actually save money for you in the bargain! Think of it, you can enjoy all the time, labor and money-saving superiorities of efficient electrical appliances . . . at a cost of only a few pennies a day! Truly, it's "penny wise and pound foolish" to do without their incomparable aid.

The Electric Range, Refrigerator, Washer, Ironer, Toaster, Water Heater, Food Mixer, Percolator, Clock, Waffle Iron, Vacuum Sweeper, Sewing Machine and Radio—to name only a few—will give you more happiness and freedom from drudgery than you could hope for. And they cost so very little to operate . . . even the largest only a few pennies a day! Take advantage of the low cost of modern electric service and benefit by the conveniences, economies and superiorities of modern "Electrical Servants."

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule . . . and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

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A. J. Page of Glencoe, Ill., has just received \$50 from a resident of India to whom he lent that sum 31 years ago.

