

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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RECENT TEXAS LAWS AFFECTING HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND THE BARBER SHOPS

Some of the laws passed by the 37th legislature of Texas effecting eating places, meat markets and barber shops are the following:

It shall be unlawful for a person operating a hotel, cafe, restaurant, bakery, meat market, public dairy, in Texas to employ or keep in his employment any one affected by an infectious or contagious disease.

He shall be required to have medical examination made of all employees at intervals of time not to exceed six months, and thereafter discharge any who may be infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease. It shall be unlawful for the manager of any of the businesses above named to employ a person who is not at the time of the employment certificate from a reputable physician attesting the bearer's freedom from such disease or diseases.

Food must be conveyed to the public in dishes thoroughly sterilized, no dishes having cracks that would render sterilization questionable being allowed.

The law relating to bakeries specifies that the building in which the business is conducted shall be kept clean, properly lighted, drained and ventilated. All openings shall be kept properly screened. Working rooms are to be at all times separate from sleeping or living rooms. No one will be allowed to sit or lie upon benches, troughs, or shelves intended for the dough or bakery products. No animals or fowls shall be kept or allowed in any bakery. Those working in a bakery shall be required to thoroughly wash their hands and arms before beginning the work of preparing, mixing or handling the ingredients used in baking, and tobacco is not to be used in any form in any room where bakery products are manufactured, wrapped or prepared for sale.

Barber Shops
First, every owner or manager of a barber shop must register his full name and location in a book to be kept in the office of the Texas State Board of Health.
It shall be unlawful for the owner or manager of a barber shop to knowingly permit any person suffering from a communicable skin disease to act as a barber in said shop. Tools, appliances and other equipments shall be kept in a cleanly condition. All combs, hair brushes and hair dusters are to be washed thoroughly at least once each day. All razors, shaving brushes, razors, shears, scissors, clippers and tweezers are to be sterilized at least once after each time used, boiling water or aqueous solution of carbolic acid being specified for this purpose. No towel shall be used the second time until boiled and laundered. Every barber must clean his hands before serving each customer. The same piece of alum must not be used on more than one person to stop the flow of blood. The head rest must always be covered with fresh towel with each customer.

Give Picnic in Honor of Guests
The honored guests at a moonlight picnic given Monday night on Raggedy Creek by Misses Lela Womack and Hilda Logan were Miss Ruby Branson of Fort Stockton and Misses Leota and Ruby Hutchins of Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Womack acted as chaperones.

Some thirty of the young people of town were in the party, and the boys furnished the drinks and the girls the nuts of the occasion.

Upon the return to Crowell the party was taken to Gabe's confectionery and treated to ice cream cones.

The News' failure to mention in last week's issue the visit of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gafford of Sulphur Springs with relatives here was an oversight. We are always glad to have them visit Foard County. Mr. Gafford makes it a point to always visit the News and his visits are welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Gafford made Foard County their home for many years and it seems that they still belong to us. They have chosen Sulphur Springs, however, as their permanent home. They intended to go to see their children in various parts of the country, but the heavy rains interfered with their plans and Mr. Gafford said they would not get to go to Dickens.

Items of Interest Concerning Crowell Public School

The superintendent's annual report for the Crowell Public School has been made and sent to the State Department of Education.

The following are some of the items that might be of interest to the public:

Total enrollment in the elementary grades, boys 200, girls 203, total boys and girls, 403. High school boys, 38, girls 80, total for high school, 118. Total for entire school, boys 238, girls, 283, grand total 521.

The average attendance for the entire school was 418.4 per day. The total number promoted was 375.

The average annual cost of instruction per pupil (based on teachers' salaries) was \$29.41.

The average annual salary for the teachers of the elementary grades was \$765.00; high school teachers \$1080; average of elementary and high school teachers, \$850.00.

FOARD CO. BOY WRITES FROM WEST INDIES

A number of our readers know Elbert Goble whose home was once in the Margaret country and who for some time had employment in the oil fields in Oklahoma and about Wichita Falls. Goble is a brother of Mrs. H. T. Kenner. He went from Wichita Falls to Trinidad, the southernmost island of the West Indies near South America where he has employment in the drilling of three wild cat oil wells. He writes an interesting letter to Mr. and Mrs. Kenner, which we here reproduce:

"I arrived here on May 28. Have just been looking around since getting acquainted with the country. Mr. Cole, the big man with the company, (although he is an Englishman) seems to be a very nice fellow. He came in to see me when I arrived and told me that the derricks were being constructed and that I could go to work in a couple of weeks. Of course, it is going to be bad lying around here that long, but I guess I can stand it as long as they can pay me for it.

"I had a fine trip over. Came on the S. S. Parina and had lots of fun. We stopped off for a day at Grenada, one of the French Islands, and I'm telling you that we people have never seen anything beautiful until we see some of these South Sea Islands.

"I am located now on the island of Trinidad. It is about 70 miles long and 50 miles wide and 20 miles off the coast of Venezuela, South America. The first day I was here I took an automobile (a Buick from the States) and drove around through the country and surely saw some things that were worth seeing. The trees and fruit alone are worth coming over here to see. Around the rig where we are going to drill are coconuts, bananas, oranges and everything else you can think of and monkeys and parrots galore. There is what they call the straight palm which grows up about 50 feet and not a limb on it except at the top, and the bark looks like it had been painted by hand. It is so beautiful, and there is also another palm like the one the palm leaf fans come off of."

At this point the writing of the letter was interrupted by a telephone call from an Englishman who invited Goble to dine with him and after a lapse of 24 hours the letter was finished with the following paragraphs:

"The weather is pretty warm here. The thermometer registers about 70 degrees all the time. The nights are a little cooler and a fellow can sleep fine. There is a difference of only about ten degrees in winter and summer. It has rained every day since I have been here, and they say that through June, July, August and September it will rain every day."

The writer tells of a big dance given in which there were French, Spanish and Portuguese girls, and while he could not talk to them he could keep step to the music with them.

"You ought to see me," says Goble "wearing one of these big tropical hats and a white duck suit and riding around in one of these buses pulled by a negro. There is some class to the way a white man lives here. Every morning when I go out of my room there is a negro outside waiting for me and all day long he stays right with me, and if I want to know about anything or want him to do anything he is willing and ready. At night I give him a shilling and he goes on his way.

"How is the young Mr. Kenner these days? I have tried for three days to find something to send him through the mail and yesterday afternoon I found a little silver cup and had it

TEXAS' ALLOTMENT OF FEDERAL AID FOR ROAD BUILDING IS SECURE

According to press reports all the counties of Texas which complied with the ruling that contracts on this year's projects be let before June 30, will get Government aid.

Road work all over the state is reported to be progressing rapidly. The work generally has been satisfactory to the Bureau of Public Roads of the Department of Agriculture.

Since the Federal plan went into effect, it is said, in 1919 there has been available for road construction in Texas \$10,500,000 with an additional \$6,000,000 to be available in 1922, the last year under the present plan. During that time 1,000 miles of road have been completed in the State with 3,000 now under construction. Plans and specifications have been approved for an additional 1,000 miles.

Bond issues aggregating \$90,000,000 have been voted during the period by the counties, of which not more than approximately 50 per cent has been used because of the counties' inability to sell bonds except at sacrifice prices. About the same amount of Federal aid funds available have been expended. At the present time no counties of the State are voting bonds.

While 1922 is the last of the five years for which Federal aid was provided under the present plan, there are now two bills pending in Congress, it is said, one of which provides for an appropriation of \$100,000,000 per annum for road construction for a period of four years. Under this bill the Texas allotment would be \$6,000,000 a year for four years, or a considerable increase over the allotment under the present plan.

The purpose of the Government in providing Federal aid allotments to the states was mainly for the improvement of the mail routes, but the department is getting away from the original idea and embracing in the scope of the work the through travel roads of the country.

The above information comes from F. M. Johnson, senior highway engineer of the Bureau of Public Roads at Austin, who was recently in conference with Capt. J. D. Fountleroy, district engineer.

A Tribute to Dr. Gambrell

In the Dallas News of the 20 Rev. George S. Wyatt of Canyon, Texas, pays Dr. Gambrell the following tribute:

Please allow me space for this short article. I have just heard of the death of the Rev. Dr. J. B. Gambrell. I know him well after he entered the University of Mississippi. I was in school with him for practically four years. Notwithstanding the fact that he was a Baptist and I a Methodist, yet you could not get from honoring and loving Dr. Gambrell. He exhibited the same many characteristics that have made his life great throughout his long years. I have followed him through the papers throughout his marvelous record and have always found him true to his convictions. At an early beginning of the fight he announced himself a prohibitionist of the first water and fought for it on all the ground, it mattered not how bitter and uncouth the attacks of the enemy. He was always pronounced on every moral issue; you could always know where to find Dr. Gambrell. He has filled his place in the church he has served so many years well. His children and those who knew him will rise up and call him blessed. He has gone, but you know where to find him. We will hope to meet again after the war is over in that realm of eternal glory in our precious Father's home, where we will meet to part no more.

GEORGE S. WYATT, Canyon, Texas.

mailed to him. I don't know how much it will cost you to get it out of the mail. I tried to pay it here but could not. The best I can find out the duty will be about ten per cent of the value. I am sorry I could not send him an automobile, or buy this island for him or something, but either one of them would be too hard to send through the mail.

Tell Boulton, Tim and John hello for me and give Ruth and Mr. Kenner and everybody else my regards.

"Lovingly to all,
"ELBERT"

Saunders Home Burned at Early Hour Monday

The home of L. I. Saunders in the northern portion of town was destroyed by fire about 7 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Saunders was at Truscott doing carpenter work on a grain elevator at the time. Mrs. Saunders and the oldest girl had arisen from the night's sleep and were going about the early morning work. Mrs. Saunders was milking the cows while the girl had gone to the hen house for some eggs, and it was while both were away from the house that fire broke out and when it was first discovered one entire side of the house was wrapped in flames. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an explosion of the oil stove which had been lighted.

Help could not reach the scene of the fire until it was too late to save even any of the contents of the home, only a few garments having been saved. Practically everything was destroyed. The car, which was in the garage near the house, was thought of in time to be pushed out through the flames without being injured. The smaller children who had not awakened from sleep, just had time to get out of the burning house without dressing when aroused.

The loss to Mr. Saunders amounts to something like \$2,000 and comes as a heavy one. He carried no insurance.

Mr. Saunders said he intended to rebuild at the same place.

A liberal purse was made up by the good people of the town to help supply the immediate needs of the family.

The Work of the County Agent

From observation and experience one is forced to the conclusion that the county agent is almost indispensable to the farming interests of a county. It seems to be so regarded all over the country generally, for more counties are employing agents every year. But his usefulness will be increased if the farmers will call on him more frequently. Speaking along this line the Farm & Ranch has this to say:

"The county agent receives his compensation from the Government. The Federal and State Governments contribute and every property owner pays his part. Therefore he is a public servant, but unlike many who draw their pay from the public treasury, he is always willing to earn what he gets and a great deal more. Being a public servant, there is no reason why he should not be of service to every farmer in his jurisdiction, and if he is not more than likely it is the farmers' fault and not the agent's.

"The work of the county agent in the Southwest has justified his hire. Not only has he imparted much valuable information and instruction in better farming methods, but he has brought about co-operation among producers in the marketing of their products, and developed community interests, the value of which is beyond estimation. The farm agent may not always be right, but the average man in the field is sincere and also competent. His efforts should receive a greater tribute of appreciation from those whom he stands ready to help and a greater reward from the paymaster."

G. A. Mitchell is working up a good trade in the sale of the new invisible belts which he is selling. The fact that they are giving thorough satisfaction to those who have purchased is the best recommendation for them. They answer the purpose both of the ordinary belt and suspender and give even better service than either. They are designed especially for use in rendering one comfortable during the long summer months.

The severest floods in the history of the town, is the report that comes from Clarendon, giving account of the cloud burst there Saturday night. The greatest damage was done in the vicinity of Lelia Lake. 1800 feet of the Fort Worth & Denver road were washed out, which has been the cause of a holdup in traffic.

Rev. J. Frank Montgomery has purchased the Henry Ferguson place on Main street and he and his family will occupy the place about the 1st of August. Mr. Yoder is at present occupying the place but intends to build within a short time.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson spent several days in Chillicothe this week attending to business and visiting old friends in that city. She was taken over in a car Sunday afternoon by her son, Baxter, who returned the following morning.

3 1-2 UNITS ADDITIONAL AFFILIATION FOR CROWELL HIGH SCHOOL

Report from the State Department of Education has been received concerning additional affiliation for Crowell High School.

The additional units of credits granted are: Modern History one unit, Biology one unit, Solid Geometry one-half unit, Commercial Arithmetic one-half unit, Physiology and Hygiene one-half unit.

This is very gratifying to the school board and the High School faculty. It no doubt will be of much satisfaction to those students who have entered the colleges and normals as it means that they will be relieved of taking the entrance examinations.

The three and one-half additional units received this year brings our school to a standing of fifteen and one-half units.

The requirements for full admission to the colleges and universities are fifteen units. However, the satisfaction does not lie wholly in meeting the college requirements. A very small per cent of our boys and girls attend the colleges and universities. Hence the public free school should be and is a complete institution within itself. The free school is where the great majority of our boys and girls get their training and preparation for life's work. Since these schools perform such an important service to society it is very necessary that they should be uniform, efficient and thorough. It is to this end that all our schools are classified and affiliated.

It is by such a system that we many know that the students of Crowell High School are receiving instruction recognized as being efficient and thorough. This is the only way by which the public can gauge the standard of work being done in the school.

Crowell High School now ranks with the best schools in this part of the State. The work done here will be accepted in any high school or university in the State. This is indeed encouraging.

The people of the community, through the recent tax election, have expressed their desire for the best school obtainable. The fact that the people have expressed themselves so overwhelmingly in favor of a good school lends encouragement and zeal to the continued improvement of our school. With the united support of the people we can accomplish almost anything we desire. With this thought in mind we are working and planning for the very best school that we can secure for next year.

Comparison of Grocery Prices Now and One Year Ago

For the information of carpenters, day laborers, thresher men and all classes of people one of our readers has gathered the following facts in regard to the prices of living which he submitted without comment.

One year ago 100 lbs. of sugar cost \$30. Today any one of the grocery stores in Crowell will sell for a little less than \$30, one hundred lbs. of sugar and will include in the bill the following additional items: 100 lbs. of flour, 25 lbs. of oatmeal, 4 lbs. average coffee, 12 cans tomatoes, 12 cans corn, 1 package crackers, 12 lbs. rice, 16 lbs. beans, 12 cans peaches, 12 cans hominy and 12 cans pork and beans.

Young Ladies of Town Entertained with Barbecue

On last Thursday afternoon T. M. Beverly, B. W. Self and L. G. Andrews prepared a barbecue for about 25 young ladies of Crowell at Mr. Beverly's sheep ranch north of town, Mr. Beverly furnishing two lambs for the occasion. The crowd was taken out to the ranch in a truck late in the afternoon and they report a splendid barbecue and a good time.

The decrease in the price of road building is reflected by the contract for a lot of construction in Collin County by the commissioners recently. The contract price is \$1,600 per mile, nearly have that of work which is yet under construction. Also the price of moving dirt is 14 cents per foot as against 30 cents in work already going on. The stretch of 30 mile, nearly half that of work which about the same as 15 miles would have cost a short time ago.

Citizens and Banks of County Endorse Cotton Pooling Plan

The campaign for signatures of farmers for co-operation in the pooling plan of marketing cotton is meeting the endorsement of not only the farmers of the county but of many others. The success which the campaign has met with is the best proof of the fact that the farmers endorse it. The president tells us that some 80 per cent of the necessary number have signed. This was the figures given the News on Monday, and the work is continuing with confidence on the part of the campaigners that the required number of bales will be gotten, which is 6,600.

The News has always believed that the people of Foard County are friendly to whatever is for the best interests of the farmers. This is shown by the fact that a large number of citizens, business men of the different towns of the county, have attached their names to an endorsement of the pooling plan, which we are here publishing:

Mr. Chaney received a telegram Wednesday stating that Jones County had signed up for 30,000 bales and was the first county in the State to go over the top. He had hoped to see Foard County first, but still thinks there is a chance of being second.

We the undersigned bankers and business men of Foard County have examined the Farm Bureau plan of marketing cotton and take great pleasure in adding our endorsement to that of the Bankers Association and we heartily recommend it to our friends and customers.

Signed: G. A. Mitchell, W. T. Gorrill, T. L. Hayes, J. R. Edgin, H. L. Kimsey, T. B. Klepper, Leo Spencer, W. A. Woodard, W. C. McKown, R. J. Roberts, G. F. Allison, M. O'Connell, Roy Wright, T. M. Parker, T. F. Hill, D. R. Magee, J. R. Eldridge, H. W. Burress, J. H. Lanier, Chas. Loyd, D. Wallace, J. H. Olds, E. Swain, J. C. Beverly, Robert Cole, T. P. Reeder, C. T. Schazal, A. C. Gaines, A. R. Sanders, H. Sneek, J. M. Hill, L. G. Andrews, G. D. Self, Claude A. Adams, Secretary of C. C. L. D. Campbell, Sheriff, E. F. Sears, G. L. Burk, county judge, T. E. Womack, E. J. Smith, W. R. Womack, J. E. Billington, Q. R. Miller, Ferguson Bros., Eggleston's Cash and Carry Grocery, J. W. Ellis, J. H. Self, M. S. Henry, J. B. Gray.

Margaret, T. F. Goodman, Geo. W. Burress, C. F. Stephens, Thalia Edwards, Burns & Co., G. A. Shultz, A. C. Phillips, G. C. Phillips.

Dear Sir: We have examined the Federal Farm Bureau plan for co-operative marketing of cotton, and if properly managed and amply financed, we believe it a good plan and we recommend same to our customers for their consideration.

The Bank of Crowell, T. N. Bell, Vice Pres. The First State Bank of Crowell, M. L. Hughton, Vice Pres.

Wheat Makes Fair Test

Threshing has been in progress this week as the weather would permit, and according to the elevator men wheat is testing fairly well, 58 to 60. Only a little of the latter test having come in.

The continued rains have done much to cut down the grade of the wheat. Had the weather remained fair as it was at the beginning of the harvest the sample would have been fine.

Some of the Kanred wheat has come in and has proven itself superior to the common grades. It is testing 60.

Clubs Get Commercial Libraries

County Agent P. D. Chaney tells us that there are two communities in the county where the club members are procuring Agricultural Libraries. These communities are the Good Creek and Antelope.

Ed McDaniel is president of the club at Good Creek and A. J. Haney, Jr., is president of the Antelope club. The clubs include all the various agricultural clubs in these communities.

The libraries are made up of volumes sent free of charge from the Texas A. & M. College and from the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., as well as bulletins of various kinds on agriculture, its history and so on. The members of the clubs prize these libraries very highly.

McLennan County plans a road bond issue of five and a half million dollars. That county is said to have already as good roads generally as can be found in Texas.

Keep Your Engagement

Trust Us to Hurry

It does seem tragic to discover at the last moment that one's party dress is badly soiled, or that one's best suit bears traces of that last stag dinner.

But if there are a few hours left, KEEP YOUR ENGAGEMENT—and trust us to hurry if it means the saving of a bad situation.

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F. J. MEASON, Proprietor

MARGARET NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Geo. A. Munroe arrived in our community from Anson Tuesday.

Roy Ayers made a trip to Crowell Monday to attend the Masonic lodge.

Mrs. Kirkman of Crowell is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Graham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burress visited with Mrs. Burress' parents in Crowell Sunday.

E. W. Self and family and C. P. Sandifer of Crowell were in Margaret Monday.

Temple Davis of Ft. Worth is visiting with his grandfather, H. Hunt, this week.

Mrs. Boyd of San Angelo visited with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Thomas, this week.

Mrs. P. D. Chaney of Crowell was visiting in the home of her parents Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryson are the proud parents of a girl and boy who arrived Wednesday.

Miss Ola Carter of Crowell was a visitor with Miss Edith Graham the latter part of last week.

Dee Roberts was in our midst Friday. Mr. Roberts says the insurance business in Wichita Falls is good.

J. D. Mahoney and family of Quanah were visiting relatives in Margaret from Sunday to Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Will Blevins has been on the sick list this week, but we are glad to report that her condition is much improved now.

Walter Banister, Mode Haney and Assistant County Agent Fred Rennels were here Tuesday in the interest of the Cotton Growers' Association.

Jno. L. Hunter, Jr., had the misfortune to have been slightly injured by a car driven by Dennis Russell Tuesday night after the movies. He sustained several cuts and bruises as the result of the accident.

Wheat is being brought to our elevators from every direction this week. The crop seems to have been much better than any had expected. Some of the farmers are reporting a yield as high as 25 bushels to the acre.

There was an ice cream supper given at the Baptist church Friday night for the benefit of the singing school which has closed. Mr. Dunagan, the proficient teacher, is to be congratulated on the progress of his class under the difficulties incurred by the weather and harvest work.

THALIA NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Fannie Shultz and mother returned home Saturday.

There was a senior party at Bob Huntley's Saturday night.

There was a junior party at Erick Wheeler's Saturday night.

Winnie Crowell of Crowell is visiting her uncle, Garland Burns.

There was preaching at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. Jeffie Wood was called in to nurse Mrs. Fred Rennels during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood and family of Wichita are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Fannie Sparks and two sisters of Oklahoma are visiting friends here this week.

The highway from Crowell to Vernon through Thalia was being surveyed last week.

Mrs. Maggie Killene of Petersburg and Mrs. Ab Lawrence of Lorenzo have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble and children visited her mother, Mrs. Williams, near Wolfstown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Maynard of Rayland visited her brother, Gordon Davis, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were called to Crowell Thursday on account of the operation of their nephew, Otho Lee Dykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman and their children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence at Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols of the Jamison community spent several days with her mother, Mrs. J. G. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Davis and children of Ayersville attended church here Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Johnson.

Mrs. J. A. Abston was called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Renzels, in the Plainview community, Wednesday of last week.

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- Victor & Victor Duplex Window Shades
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- White Sewing Machine—None its equal
- Simmons Iron and Steel Beds
- Banta Wood Beds, Sidway Baby Carriages
- Hub Nufolds
- Sheboygan Chairs

W. R. WOMACK

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

Mesdames Brown, Cato, Long, Randolph, Davis, Grey, Johnson, French, Abston, Chapman, Banister Huntley and Adkins have visited Mrs. J. G. Thompson who is very sick.

Fred Brown, Knoxie Burress and Leta Haney were in Crowell Saturday

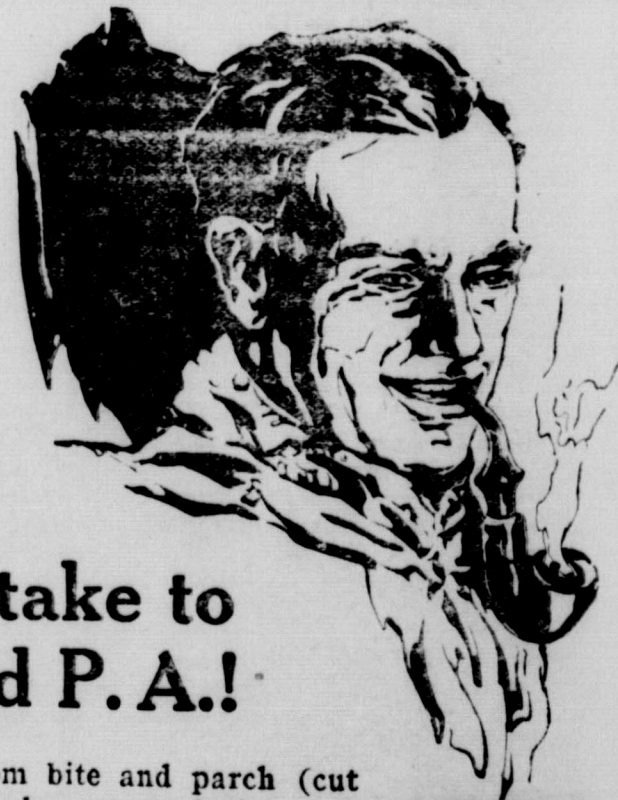
afternoon. Wright Randolph and Sylvan Haney returned with them to spend Saturday night and Sunday with homefolks here.

The North Texas State Normal's enrollment of students is the largest in its history, being now more than 2,500.

Registered Poland China pigs—30 gilts 6 months old, 1 male pig, a real pig, sired by Improver and Smooth King dam, 30 March pigs just the size for club pigs, terms made to club members.—Ferguson Bros. and Charlie Blevins.

Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.

Me-o-my, how you'll take to a pipe—and P. A.!

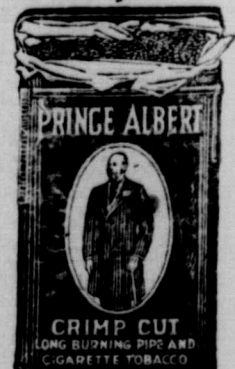


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BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Almost everybody is through cutting grain and threshing has started.

Mrs. Marvin Howard of Crowell is visiting relatives in this community.

The Misses Randolph of Jamison were guests of Miss Pearl Johnson Sunday.

Miss Marie Randolph of Jamison spent last week with her sister, Mrs. M. D. McGregor.

Miss Ruby Johnston visited Miss Edna Willingham in the Foard City community last week.

As everybody is very busy with their crops and harvesting we did not gather much news this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Clayton and Mr. Miles from Mitchell County visited in this community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Grimes and Mrs. Meddie Gray from near Crowell were guests in the A. W. Barker home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stone entertained a large crowd of young people Saturday night with a party which was greatly enjoyed.

We have had several rains during the last two weeks which were a great benefit to the row crops while they damaged the grain to a certain extent.

Mrs. W. C. Golden and little son, W. C. Jr., and daughter, Miss Edna Willingham, of the Foard City community were visitors in this community Tuesday.

Mrs. Ciley and Mrs. G. F. Elliott and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Crowell were visitors of Mrs. John M. Johnston and daughter, Miss Johnnie, Saturday afternoon.

Grandpa Stanley and granddaughters, Misses Boulah May and Mattie Willingham, of the Foard City community were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polk Saturday night and Sunday.

Monday morning we noticed a black cloud in the north which reached from the east to the west and we looked for a big rain, but to our surprise we got only an "old time" West Texas shower, the wind and sand blowing very little.

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AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. William Blevins has been quite ill the past few days.

Mrs. Jones spent Friday night with relatives at Crowell.

Ernest Flowers and wife of Crowell were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. George Donovan of Margaret is visiting Mrs. E. W. Burrow this week.

Elmer Phillips and wife spent Sunday with Ted Solomon and wife at Thalia.

Will Gamble and wife and Mrs. Morgan were Vernon visitors Wednesday.

John Davis and family visited in the Johnson home near Talmage Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Moore of Thalia spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peacock visited her parents near Foard City a few days last week.

There was singing at the school house Sunday afternoon led by Messrs. Hood and Johnson of Rayland.

Miss Jewel Davis left Friday for a lengthy visit with relatives in Duncan and other points in Oklahoma.

Will Gamble and family and Mrs. Morgan and son, spent Sunday with Herman Greening and wife west of Crowell.

Tom Wayland and wife and Willie Johnson took Mrs. W. L. Johnson to Quanah Saturday where she will visit her children for a while.

Greek Davis and family visited in the Luke Johnson and John Thompson homes near Thalia Sunday. Mrs. Thompson has been very low but is better at this writing.

Mrs. D. M. Shultz and Miss Fannie returned from Grapevine Friday night where they attended the funeral of their mother and grandmother. Mrs. McCallister's death was caused by a very sad accident. She was 83 years old, very tottery and in trying to walk across the room fell and broke her hip and collar bone. She lived only two days after the accident.

A cloudburst at Dodsonville Monday of last week caused considerable damage. It washed out about 100 feet of the track of the M. K. & T. Railroad, and a carload of hogs were drowned.

Masonic Lodge Elects Officers

Officers for Crowell Lodge, No. 849, A. F. & A. M., were elected Monday night as follows: S. E. Scales, worshipful master; Q. R. Miller, senior warden; A. R. Sanders, junior warden; Leo Spencer, treasurer; J. A. Stovall, secretary; M. N. Kenner, tyler. Officers appointed: Henry Burress, senior deacon; Counts Ray, junior deacon; T. P. Reeder, senior steward; A. Y. Beverly, junior steward.

According to the Wellington Leader Wheat in Collingsworth County is making from 15 to 30 bushels to the acre.

When in need of oil of any kind see me or phone 162.—Texhoma Oil & Refining Co., W. B. Wheeler, agent. tf

No fishing and no wood cutting in Wishon's pasture. 3

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.
Big Ben clocks \$3.75 at Gaines.
Wheat bought every day.—Self's.
Portraits that please.—Sink's Studio.
Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.
J. W. Westbrook was here Wednesday from Truscott.
Cotton chopping hoes, 8, 9 and 10 inch.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Mrs. Alton Andrews spent the week with relatives at Benjamin.
Picture show at the opera house every night beginning promptly at 7:45.
If you want cool water get one of these water bags from M. S. Henry & Co.
For Sale—Practically new Emerson cultivator and godelvil at a bargain.—Henry Ross.
Miss Mabel Pittillo has returned home from the Southern Methodist University at Dallas.
Miss Alice McLarty was here Wednesday afternoon on her return trip from Merkel to her home in Vernon.

Shoe bargains.—Self's.
Porch swings, \$6.50 to \$12.50.—W. R. Womack.
For Rent—One furnished room for two. Call 249.
Cuff buttons half price at Gaines' jewelry store.
Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
\$1.00 scarf pin for 50c.—A. C. Gaines, jeweler.
We have the cook stove you need for your cook shack.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Miss Lurlyne Cunningham of Big Lake is here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. McGonagle.
Dr. O. W. Wilson, ear, eye, nose and throat specialist of Wichita Falls, will be in Crowell July 1st and 2nd.
For Sale—1500 bushels of corn and 40 tons of maize at my place 2 miles northeast of Thalia.—A. T. Miller. 5p
Mrs. Grace Allman of the Allman Auto Supply Co. of Vernon was in Crowell attending to business Monday.
The Columbian Club reports the shipment of 130 pounds of old clothes to New York June 13th for the Near East Relief.

Shop made boots.—Self's.
Kodak finishing.—Sink's Studio.
Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
Let us fit up your threshing outfit.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Header and pitch forks in stock now.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Sturdy's watch chains, guaranteed for life.—A. C. Gaines, jeweler.
Mrs. H. Schindler is spending the week in Vernon visiting relatives.
30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill. 1f
A few genuine leather belts, \$2.00 belts for \$1.00.—A. C. Gaines, jeweler.
Three furnished rooms to let for light house keeping. Call at Sink's Studio. 2
If you need a cot we have it. If you need a lantern we have it.—M. S. Henry & Co.
One registered highbred Jersey bull. \$5.00 cash at time of service.—Collins Wagon Yard. 1f
Mrs. J. F. Witherspoon of Guthrie is here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. B. F. Whitfield, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benedict of Knox City spent the week end with Mrs. Benedict's brother, J. H. Lanier, and family of this place.
Mrs. W. H. Bray of Sweetwater and Miss Lena Greenwade of Rochester, came in Tuesday afternoon for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Paul Fields.
M. S. Henry went to Quanah Monday morning to take his brother, Tully Henry, and wife, of El Paso, who had been visiting here for several days.
Charley Alger, who is employed in a drug store at Vernon, is here this week spending his vacation with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Stovall, and friends in the city.
Wanted—Salesmen for 6,000 mile guaranteed tires. Salary \$100.00 weekly with extra commissions.—Cowan Tire & Rubber Co., Box 784, Chicago, Illinois. 2p
W. C. Perry of Dallas was in Crowell several days this week meeting his old friends. He and Mrs. Perry are visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. N. Vernon, at Vernon.
Foard County is again showing up good in the production of wheat. Geo. Little living 6 miles south of town is now threshing and is making above 25 bushels to the acre.
For Sale—A span of good work horses weighing 1,000 lbs. and better, two milch cows, full blood Jersey heifer, 200 young chickens, all at reasonable prices.—Gilliam McLarty. 1f
J. H. Self orders the News sent to his wife who is spending the summer at Boulder, Colo., with her daughters, Misses Una and Winnie. The young ladies are attending the State University.
Mrs. D. L. Lester and son, Gholston, and daughters, Lacie and Lela, came up Wednesday from Hamlin to visit her son, Parker Churchill, and wife. Mrs. Lester says her husband is in Eldorado, Ark., and is in very poor health. She and the children expect to visit him in July.

Kirschbaum Suits

It always pays to buy the best in men's clothing. We have Kirschbaum suits that have been worn by some of our customers for five years and they are still wearing them.

A new shipment of the famous Kirschbaum blue serge has just arrived in the regulars, slims and stouts. We have sizes from 35 to 48 and assorted colors and patterns.

Remember Kirschbaum suits are each and every one positively all wool, well made and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Let your next suit be a Kirschbaum.

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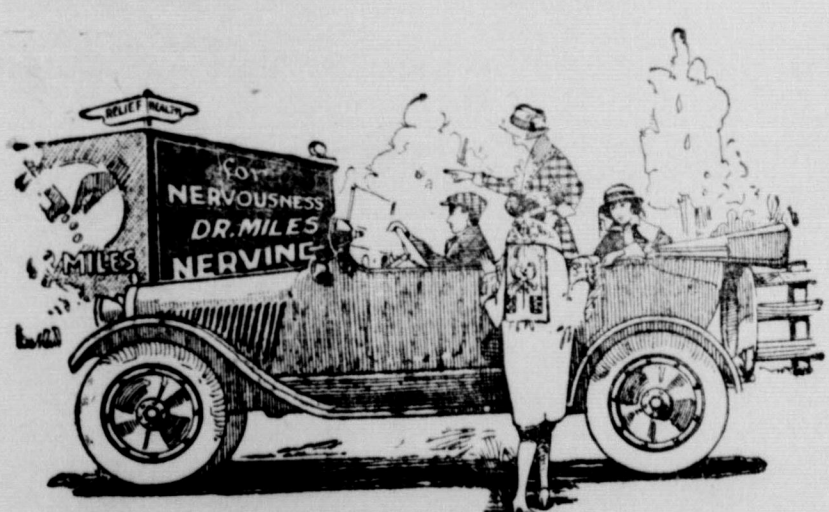
Phone 36 about your wheat.
Header forks—J. H. Self & Sons.
Ice cream on Sunday at the Sanitary Cafe.
The three tine pitch forks at Self's hardware store.
The kind of pitchfork you want at M. S. Henry & Co.
Sole Proof varnishes for all purposes.—W. R. Womack.
Highest market price every day for wheat.—Allison Grain Co.
Mrs. T. M. Beverly and son, Tom, left Monday for McKinney on a visit.
Great reduction on scarf pins and cuff buttons at A. C. Gaines jewelry store.
We have a few tons of good bright maize to sell at \$16.00 per ton.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Misses Lozel and Elizabeth Kincaid are visiting their grandfather, W. H. Stephens, in Vernon.
Archie Williams and wife came in Tuesday from Breckenridge for a visit of a few days with relatives.
Opal Henson was operated on last Thursday for appendicitis. He is reported to be getting along well.
Roy Perkins and little son, Sam Thomas, of Aspermont, are here this week visiting Mr. Perkins' sister, Mrs. Frank Hill.
Mrs. Fannie Thacker and daughter, Miss Lora, returned Tuesday from Benjamin where they visited the daughter and sister, Mrs. Propps.
Miss Minnie Logan left Sunday for Aspermont on her vacation to visit her sister, Mrs. Flurry Gibson. Miss Letha Davis is taking her place at Self Dry Goods store.
The Baptist ladies will not have a barbecue on the 4th as advertised in last week's issue because of the one to be given by the American Legion Post on that date.
E. L. Pendleton of the Pendleton Music Store of Vernon and Bob Justin are here this week in the interest of the Victrola which Mr. Pendleton handles in his music store.
A. Weatherall has finished threshing his wheat crop on the John Williamson place near Foard City and Mr. Williamson reports an average yield of 15 bushels per acre.
Mrs. S. H. Puryear, who had been here for several weeks visiting her mother and sister, Aunt Bettie Thompson and Mrs. Hines Clark, left Monday for her home in Taylor. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Frances Clark, who recently returned from the C. I. A. at Denton.

Have you signed the co-operative cotton contract. 2p
A lawn mower is what you need now. We have them.—M. S. Henry & Co.
I have one Wylis Knight car for sale or trade. Will take cattle or house.—I. M. Cates. 2
Joe Harris is here from Duncan, Okla., looking after the threshing of his wheat crop.
One 4 year old Jersey cow with heifer calf two months old. Price \$75.00.—M. S. Henry & Co.

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Unless it is more than simply an institution for paying dividends to stockholders; unless it is imbued with a real spirit of public service and a desire to be a CONSTRUCTIVE and UP-BUILDING FORCE in the community, then it is falling far short of what a bank should be.

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Over the prices you can get elsewhere, over the prices you may pay later, we will save you money on building material today.

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PHONE 123

SERVICE FIRST QUALITY ALWAYS

eral, \$7,500; Treasurer, Comptroller, Land Commissioner and Secretary of State, each \$5,000, and no more, but the Legislature could pay them less. That proposed raise in those salaries is too small to increase the tax rate because when compared with the total taxable values of the State, printed above, it will be seen that the pro rata part of one who pays tax on \$1,000 worth of property would be only one-half of a cent, or five cents on \$10,000 worth.

Aid to Confederates

If this proposed amendment to increase the amount of pensions for Confederate soldiers and their widows should be adopted, the tax rate would be increased from 5 to 7 cents on the \$100 worth of property. Soon these worthy people will pass away. Then this tax will not be collected. The question is, are we willing to increase their comforts a little while they live among us?

Mileage and Per Diem

This amendment proposes to reduce the mileage or traveling expense of legislators to one-half of what it is now; also proposes to pay them not to exceed \$10 a day for a session of 120 days and \$5 a day thereafter. The Legislature could pay them less. They now get \$5 a day for 60 days and \$2 a day thereafter. They can neither complete necessary legislation within the 60 days nor pay their expenses with \$2 a day. The records of the Comptroller's Office show that the Legislature could, under this amendment, have a regular session of 120 days at \$5 per day (their pay in 1866) for \$19,501.81 less expense to the taxpayers than the one regular and four special sessions cost during the past two years. So much time is lost in organizing and adjourning these short sessions that it is believed more bad bills could be killed and the good bills

made better in one regular session of 120 days than is now done in so many short expensive sessions. It is clear the tax rate would not have to be increased. This would mean a better condition for legislation without any increase in the tax rate, and everybody agrees Texas needs it.

Only Citizens to Vote

Under the present Constitution foreigners are authorized to vote as soon as they declare their intention to become citizens. If this proposed amendment should be adopted they must be authorized to vote.

Also, at present, all voters in towns more than ten thousand people must get their poll tax receipt in person. If this proposed amendment should be adopted either the husband or wife could pay the poll tax and get the receipt for the other regardless of residence.

Also, if this proposed amendment should be adopted, the Legislature could authorize a person to vote in a general election without being present just as is now permitted, under the absentee voting law, in primary elections.

People who crave smoking in this life shouldn't object to it in the next.

Now that the price of eggs is down it is possible for more of them to go down.

In the end people who get something for nothing often pay for more than they get.

Rich men often become voluble over their first dollar, but preserve a discreet silence regarding their last.

Still, there is some satisfaction in spending one's last dollar. It affords an opportunity to begin all over again.

A metropolitan newspaper points out that women have been experimenting in dress since the days of Mother Eve, always seeking something more becoming, more practical and sanitary, and something that affords greater freedom of movement.

The present short skirt is the result of these centuries of experimenting and perpetual evolution.

Everything new attracts attention and comment, until it is accepted as custom. Then it is regarded as right and becomes merely an incident of the day.

Let the women and their short skirts alone. They are sane, sensible and sanitary.

Men who are sticklers for long skirts should don themselves and parade to their hearts' content.

No one will object.

"Justice is blind," we proudly declare. We might also add that it is often deaf and dumb.

A consignment of lumber was recently shipped from a western state to Chicago, valued at \$300. The freight charges are said to have been \$800. Think!

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Anything in the way of building.
Inquire at either lumber Yard.

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Theford's Black-Draught Highly Recommended by a Tennessee Grocer for Troubles Resulting from Torpid Liver.

East Nashville, Tenn.—The efficiency of Theford's Black-Draught, the genuine, herb, liver medicine, is vouched for by Mr. W. N. Parsons, a grocer of this city. "It is without doubt the best liver medicine, and I don't believe I could get along without it. I take it for sour stomach, headache, bad liver, indigestion, and all other troubles that are the result of a torpid liver."

"I have known and used it for years, and can and do highly recommend it to every one. I won't go to bed without it in the house. It will do all it claims to do. I can't say enough for it."

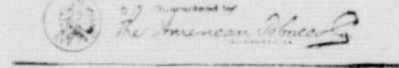
Many other men and women throughout the country have found Black-Draught just as Mr. Parsons describes—valuable in regulating the liver to its normal functions, and in cleansing the bowels of impurities.

Theford's Black-Draught liver medicine is the original and only genuine. Accept no imitations or substitutes. Always ask for Theford's.

Some people modestly disclaim any claims to greatness, but they become mightily peeved if you agree with them.



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To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.
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ABOUT TEXAS AND FIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Election, 4th Saturday in July, 1921
TEXAS: Area, 267,072 square miles, each mile 640 acres.

GROWTH SINCE 1866: Population 1866, 711,399; in 1920 4,668,228, increased 61.2 times. School children, 1866 about 210,000; in 1920, 1,271,157, increased 6 times. Foundation laid for public free school fund in 1866. Value in 1920, \$71,892,959.93. State gave for free education of each child in 1866, nothing; in 1920, \$14.50. Taxable values, 1866, \$170,005,545; in 1920, \$3,320,838,714, increased 19 1/2 times.

LEGISLATURE: 31 Senators, presided over by the Lieutenant Governor; he is called the President of the Senate; 142 Representatives; they elect one of their members presiding officer; he is called the Speaker; all get equal pay.

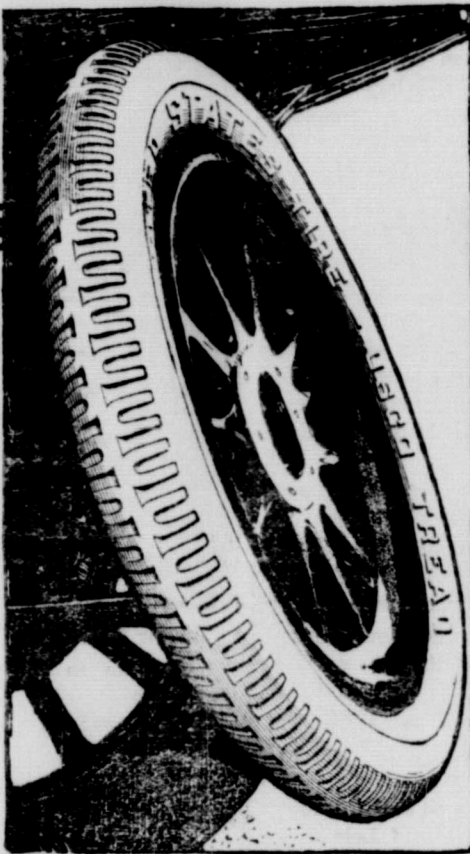
The "Explanation of Amendments" printed below will not appear on the "Official Ballot" July 23rd.

Amendment to Abolish Board of Prison Commissioners

This amendment proposes to abolish the offices of the three Penitentiary Commissioners. It is believed a management can be provided that will be more efficient and less expensive than is the present system. A change may save taxes.

Amendment to Provide Compensation to Executive Officers

Salaries now paid the "Executive Officers" are: Governor, \$4,000; Attorney General, \$4,000; Treasurer, Comptroller and Land Commissioner, each, \$2,500; Secretary of State, \$2,000. They were fixed under the Constitution of 1866—55 years ago—when living expenses, duties and responsibilities of the officers were much less than now. About every salaried person but these has had a raise in pay since then. Under this proposed amendment the Legislature could pay these Executive Officers not to exceed: Governor, \$4,000; Attorney Gen-



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EVERY once in a while you hear a motorist say as he kicks a rear tire with an admiring foot, "there's a lucky tire!" Give him a chance and he'll tell you all about it. And then you'll find that what he calls "luck" is simply his first experience with a *quality standard tire*.

It all comes to *this*—buy a U. S. Tire anywhere in this country and you get definite, predictable value for your money no matter *what weight car* you drive.

The man who has been guessing his way through "overstocks," "discontinued lines," "job lots" and the like, will find it refreshing to talk with the local U. S. Tire dealer who is *concentrating* on a full, completely sized line of U. S. Tires.

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Don't Overlook the Extra Specials for Saturday Only

One lot Dress Gingham (fancy plaids)
15c value 12½c

One lot Dress Gingham, (fancy plaids)
20c value 15c

One lot Ladies Black Kid Oxfords, Military
Heel, size 3 to 7½, all widths, \$7.50 val \$4.95

One lot Ladies Black Kid Oxfords, Military
Heel, size 3 to 7½, all widths, \$10 value \$6.95

One lot Men's Work Shoes, sizes 6 to 11,
\$3.50 value \$2.95

One lot Men's Tennis Oxfords, large sizes 79c

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As the Editor Sees It

Have you a child in your home? Naturally its daily welfare is among your first thoughts. But daily welfare is not sufficient. There is a tomorrow—a future—that must be considered.

A child of today will not always be a child. Some day it will be a man, or a woman, carrying the burdens that maturity entails.

Children should be prepared for the morrow before the morrow is here.

The mind that knows only the things of today soon reverts to those of yesterday.

It has no future. It exists upon the present and dwells upon the past. Its vision is limited to the things it has seen and to those that are set before it. It is capable of functioning, but not of progressing. It is the mind of the person who is content to take life as it comes, with little opportunity for improvement and less effort toward advancement.

The daily welfare of a child is one of great concern, but the shaping of the mind for the future is of infinitely more importance.

Unlimited sums for pleasure! Nothing for humanity! Ingratitude for services well performed!

Thousands of rich men will pay great sums for the privilege of seeing the fight between Carpentier and Dempsey.

Hordes of people who can ill afford the price of admission will also view the battle of the pugilistic giants.

But there are thousands of others who will not see the "mill"—who could not if they would. They are men who have fought in a greater battle, with nobler impulses, and for a more worthy cause. They are the sick and the crippled veterans of the world war— young men who crossed the seas and gave of their blood and their manhood in the cause of home and country.

These helpless heroes are herded in over crowded hospitals or farmed out to other institutions where neither the comfort or the food is what it should be.

Will these battered and emaciated service men think of the coming fight in their isolation and neglect?

They will!

They will wonder why millions of dollars can be spent on a single prize fight by men who sidestep the expenditure of a few dimes on those who fought in a nobler cause. They have reason to wonder.

Is Your Appetite Poor? Are You Short on Pep?

Eat foodstuffs that satisfy, that give you that "enough" feeling, that stimulate your pep and make you feel like "doing things."

Poor foodstuffs won't do these things. They may fill you up, but they do not satisfy—the nutriment is not there—the pep is not forthcoming—a sluggish feeling in time is the result.

You always buy "food with pep" from us. We sell no other kind.

By the way, we are still making those attractive prices on high-grade canned goods that we made last week.

Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.

Now that Babe Ruth has been sentenced to a day in jail for speeding he should demand an increase in salary. The publicity will swell the gate receipts.

A government officer has invented a gas that is more deadly than anything else known, and a new shell that will pierce any armor is among the federal secrets. But neither of them has made the least dent in congress.

Uncle Sam favors world disarmament and the rest of the world favors the disarmament of Uncle Sam.

Dr. Hines Clark

Physician and Surgeon

Office Russell Building over Owl Drug Store

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who came to our assistance Monday morning when our home was wrapped in flames. Although this came without herald and so fast that human efforts were powerless to save very much of our belongings from destruction, we appreciate the comings, which showed your wish to be of service. Everything was done that could be to save even some of the contents of the building, but the fire had gone too far. We shall never forget your interest in us as thus manifested. Also we thank you for the donations made to supply our immediate needs. L. I. SAUNDERS AND FAMILY.

BIDS FOR CONTRACT FOR BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals addressed to County Commissioners Court of Foard and Knox Counties for the improvement of certain highways between Foard and Knox Counties will be received at the office of the County Judge, at Crowell, Texas, until 12 o'clock a. m., July 11, 1921, and there publicly opened and read.

Description of work to be done: Creosoted timber pile trestle, length 800 feet, consisting of two 34 feet steel beam spans and 43-17 feet panels, timber roadway 16 feet.

Detailed plans and specifications of the work may be seen for examination, and information may be obtained at the office of the County Engineer of Foard County, at Crowell, Texas, and at the office of the State Highway Department, State Office Building, Austin, Texas.

A certified, or cashiers check, for One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars made payable to the order of G. L. Burk, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, must accompany each proposal, as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with requirements of the specifications. The right is reserved by the party of the first part to reject any and all proposals or to waive all technicalities.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked, "Bids for the construction of the 800 feet timber and pile trestle over Wichita River between Foard and Knox Counties."

All bids will be retained and will not be returned to the bidders. G. L. BURK, County Judge, Foard County, Tex.

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Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

When a man chews tobacco his wife chews the rag.

Some people have a habit of never seeing their next door neighbors. They are blind.

The number of abandoned cork screws in rubbish heaps bears mute testimony to the existence of prohibition—in spots.

Milwaukee has put one over on the other enterprising cities of the U. S. A. It has a girl bandit.

Beverly & Beverly

Lands, Loans and Abstracts

Crowell, Texas

Knox City Sanitarium

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

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We are in the Feed and Coal business and solicit your trade in Field Seeds, Feed and the best Colorado coal. THE CASH STORE.

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I am prepared to handle all of your fat hogs and cattle, and will pay the highest market price. Phone, see me in person. We write

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Neither can you save dollars unless you spend your dimes and pennies wisely.

The money you spend in this store is returned to you in 100 per cent value, 100 per cent service, 100 per cent satisfaction, plus the savings you make when buying here. Take your grocery slip home with you and in the evening after supper sit down and figure out just how much you saved by trading with us, and getting your own choice, instead of sending away for it.

Try it, it's fascinating and healthful exercise for your pocketbook. Others have found it profitable.

J. W. Allison Mercantile Co.

Margaret, Texas

Final Clean-Up Sale Of Millinery

Our millinery department will be closed during the month of July while our trimmer is on vacation and in market. We must therefore close out every hat in the department by July 1st, regardless of cost.

To that end we offer the three following attractive price groups.

Group 1 Consists of hats up to \$7.50 for \$1.00	Group 2 Hats formerly valued up to \$10 for \$2.50	Group 3 Includes all hats over \$10, some formerly priced up to \$22.50, for \$3.50
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Perhaps you have become tired of your Spring or summer hat—then why not have a new one for a change that will last out the rest of the season? A "One Dollar Bill" will buy it, or if you like something a little better, \$2.50 or \$3.50 is such a small matter for a nice new hat.

Better take our tip and be on hand bright and early Saturday morning, June 18th. The hats wont last long at these prices. We open at six o'clock.

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NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the City of Crowell, on the 28th day of July, 1921, to determine whether the bonds of said City of Crowell shall be issued to the amount of \$100,000.00, payable forty years from their date, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, said bonds to be paid serially in from one to forty years, for the purpose of purchasing and constructing water works within the limits of said City of Crowell, and whether there shall be annually levied, assessed and collected on all taxable property with said City of Crowell, for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding, a tax sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity. Joe W. Beverly has been appointed manager of said election, which shall be held as nearly as possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State.

No person shall vote at said election unless he be a qualified voter under the constitution and laws of this State, and property tax payer in said City of Crowell.

Those in favor of the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax shall write or print on their ballot, "For the Bonds and the Tax," and those against the issuance of the bonds and the tax shall write or print on their ballot, "Against the Bonds and the Tax." Said election was ordered by the City Council of the City of Crowell at a regular meeting of said council by order passed on the 21st day of June, 1921, and this notice is issued pursuant to said order.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1921.
 C. T. SCHLAGAL,
 Attest: Mayor of the City of Crowell.
 CLAUDE A. ADAMS,
 City Secretary.
 (Seal)

The local legion post will have a barbecue and reunion July 4th. Look for complete program next week. Let every one help make this the biggest barbecue ever held in Foard County. Look for the circulars and program in the News.

Donley County is making progress in pig club work. It is reported that there are 7 boy pig clubs in the county and more than 90 purebred pigs, most of them being Poland Chinas.

Smith and Cherokee counties' tomato crop is estimated at 300 cars this season. Already 500 cars have been shipped.

Great men are privileged to sweat with impunity. Others are content to do so with their mouths.

All men know a few things, but no one knows less than the other. Follow.

COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

P. D. Chaney, Co. Agt., Fred Roads, Asst.
 U. S. Dep. Ag. and A. & M. Co-operation

I feel sure that this column should prove of interest as well as a great deal of benefit to all who read, not because the county agent writes the articles contained herein from time to time, but because we are going to secure everything from the U. S. Department of Agriculture and A. & M. College of Texas co-operating, also from bulletins issued by each.

Before we go further, we wish to thank the editors of the Foard County News for the splendid and hearty co-operation they have given us while here as representatives of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and A. & M., also the expression from the farmers themselves that they too appreciate the co-operation of our county paper and that they feel that the editors are in full sympathy with their problems. If you are not a subscriber of your home paper you should be, if not to any other in the state.

We will have articles relative to cattle, hogs, chickens insects of the farm, and many other timely subjects. So watch each week the county agents' column and if you like a particular article, cut it out for future reference, and take these things up with one or both of us.

The benefits to be derived from the county agents efforts depends on you a great deal. How can we serve you if you fail to let us know your wants? We can serve collective bodies much more effectively, so if you have not joined the Farm Bureau, do so at once. You will never regret the step.

Remember this column in each issue of the paper. Remember our service is at your command, also our office, your office.

Decency to the Fore

American decency may be slow to act, but it moves swiftly when it does make a start.

A case in kind is before us. The mayor of one of our great cities was elected by the better element of the voting population. Much was expected from him.

But like many another, he fell among the Philistines, and for the sake of future power he forsook the friends who elevated him, combined with another element, and plunged the city into the depths of political trickery and profligate extravagance. The gang soon acquired full sway and swept the mayor into office again and to a more reckless squandering of the people's money.

Then decency in his party revolted, combined with the opposite party in a fifty-fifty arrangement, and buried him under the ruins of the most smashing defeat that has been recorded at an election in recent years.

The lesson is simple, but illuminating and valuable to all lovers of righteousness in municipal affairs.

Political parties and their leaders should be taught that they must nominate men who have been tried and are known to be true if they would win at an election.

The welfare of a municipality is greater than that of any party within its borders.

The prosperity of all of the people is more to be desired than that of a machine composed of politicians and their henchmen.

The survival of decency is necessary to prevent a reign of debauchery.

When officials forget their duty to the people it is time for the people to remember the duty they owe to themselves.

An equitable combination that promises beneficial results is preferable to a hidebound adherence to party that offers only profligacy, debauchery and distress.

A way has at last been found to kill the beast.

Its hide will be tanned from time to time in other communities.

We agree with the Bible that it is better to give than to receive—especially if it is a punch on the jaw.

Some men achieve distinction by "spilling the beans"—others by gathering them in.

Some henpecked husbands are not henpecked at all. It resembles the work of a hawk.

Funny perhaps, but every time we buy a loaf of bread we have to "cough up the dough."

For Sale—Five registered Hereford bull yearlings, ready for service.—J. E. Bell.

The cheer of giving is often determined by the cost of the gift.

Some people never stop to count the cost. It is easier not to pay.

The poorest man living is rich if he owns a clear conscience.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hays are here this week from Wichita Falls.

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Vernon, Texas Crowell, Texas

Wichita County has voted bonds for completing its road building program of \$3,000,000.

It is not easy for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven. They never want to die.

The 1-year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morrison of Canadian met death while the mother was playing with the baby, tossing it in her arms, when the little one threw its head against the back of a chair, breaking its neck.