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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ORGANIZED

Large Crowd Assembled in County Court Room Tuesday Evening 8 p. m.

Evidence of general interest in the organization of a County Chamber of Commerce was abundant in the presence of about 60 of our citizens at county court room Tuesday night. Henry was elected as temporary chairman and Albert Magee as secretary.

The matter of outlining a permanent organization was left with a committee appointed by the chairman as follows: Judge G. W. Walthall, Claude Adams, T. N. Bell, T. P. Reeder, H. L. Kimsey. This committee Wednesday night and prepared following report to be submitted at meeting Friday night:

The name of the organization shall be the Foard County Chamber of Commerce. It shall have a president, secretary, an executive committee consisting of five members, and the service of these officers and committee shall extend over a period of one year. Minor committees are named for quarterly service. Regular meetings of the body shall be held the second Tuesday night in each month, and call meetings to be held when as may be necessary.

The proposition of financing the organization was discussed at length and the final decision was arrived at. Liberal donations would be solicited by the membership committee that the membership fee should be \$1.00 and monthly dues \$2.50, this and the first month's dues payable in advance, and of course, the monthly dues payable in advance thereafter.

Memberships are solicited and membership fee is \$1.00 and monthly dues \$1.00. The fees and dues are placed at a small sum in order that the membership might be made as large as possible. The organization is to be a county affair and every citizen in the county will be given the opportunity of identifying himself with a movement that aims to benefit the county.

As a committee on membership and finances the following were appointed: J. R. Beverly, Decker Marshall, Dr. Schindler, S. C. Auld and S. C. Crews.

A committee was also appointed to study the proposition ascertaining relative to the building of a hospital. This committee consists of the following: J. W. Beverly, W. S. J. Hill and C. R. Ferguson. While this is a matter regarded as properly coming under the consideration of an organized and active Chamber of Commerce it was thought timely to discuss the matter up now because of pressing need of such accommodations. The opinion by some that water need could not be pointed out and that if we are to go to work on the outside capital in our county we must first provide ample accommodations for visitors who are to be induced to come. Our present hotels are doing the best they can under the circumstances.

While attempting to blow out a stump, my fuse not going off at a time I thought to be time enough, I started to it and got close enough when it did go off to get dirt, rock, etc., blown into my face injuring my eyes to such an extent it is necessary for me to remain in the dark room and take treatment for my eyes for some time. Otherwise I am not hurt much.

So, I want to solicit the support of the people of precinct No. 1, through the News at present, for the office of County Commissioner until I am able to get around in person, and will do the best that's in me to serve the people in that capacity.

We are having our share of the wind in Ohio also. In one place not far from here some children were blown away and not found the last report we had from them.

Thanking you for any favors and hoping to be back before long, I am,
Yours truly,
C. D. STEPHENSON.

CECIL BUILDING SELLS AGAIN
A deal was made and put into effect last week whereby the Cecil building passes from the possession of Mrs. Agnes E. McLaughlin into the possession of W. S. J. Russell. This is one of the most desirable pieces of property in Crowell and this is the second time it has changed hands within the last three months.

Improvements at Vulcanizing Plant

A. Beverly & Company have recently made some marked improvements in their plant, such as the installing of an electric steam tube vulcanizer and also the purchase of a new Tire changer for dismounting and remounting all sizes of light side tires. This last named machine is a fine thing and saves the time as well as much labor. These boys are giving the people a good service and deserve a good patronage, and they are getting it, as for that matter. The News likes to commend anyone or firm that tries to give the public a class service.

COLD WEATHER KILLS FRUIT IN THIS COUNTY

Saturday night was one of the coldest spells we have had this winter. Water froze to considerable thickness and pipes are reported to have burst.

It is almost certain that all the fruit in the country has been killed. So far no one has reported where fruit has escaped but all say their orchards are black from the freeze. That means that if we can any fruit this summer it will have to be shipped in from other points.

It is not thought other crops are injured. While wheat is considerably advanced it does not seem to have been injured, but if such weather should be repeated very soon it is liable to injure wheat. We are not expecting any more cold weather, however, this spring. It is very rare that such cold spells come at this season of the year.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

The Dallas News announces that by reason of the newspaper shortage that publication will restrict space of its advertisers, curtail the size of the papers and condense news and other features until the situation can be relieved.

According to figures compiled the voting strength in Texas is one million. This number includes women voters and exemptions.

The machinery of the United States government is getting to be something enormous, as one may see by the fact that since the beginning of the war its employees have been increased 200,000.

Texas is also great in production of pecans. Fifty acres in Marion County yielded a profit of \$5,000 this season.

It is said extortionate rents in New York City will render homeless 75,000 families by May 1, unless relief comes.

Destructive storms and tornadoes are reported in Illinois and Georgia last week.

Cotton recently dropped nearly \$15 per bale. That would not be so bad if gingham would also decline about 15 cents per yard, but so far there has been no such decline in that much needed goods.

Ferguson Bros. Install Simplex Ice Machine

The installing of a Simplex ice machine was completed at the drug store of Ferguson Bros. this week. This plant will be a great convenience in taking care of ice cream and keeping their refrigerators cool, as well as creating a great saving in the ice bill.

TO THE PUBLIC

My intention was to start for Foard County soon after Easter, but owing to an accident, which by a miracle was not serious, I will not be able to come for some time.

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ORIENT AGREES TO PUSH EXTENSION

San Angelo, Texas, April 3.—Citizens' railway committees, representing Sutton, Schleicher and Tom Green Counties, conferring here this afternoon with directors of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway Company of Texas, satisfied themselves from statements made by the directors that everything possible is being done to assure the early commencement and prompt completion of the Del Rio extension, at least as far as Sonora. Also that since the passage of the Esch-Cummins bill, financial arrangements will be completed within a short time enabling the Orient to at once begin construction.

A. J. Cleary, trainmaster for the Texas division of the Orient with headquarters here, was appointed by General Manager Albert De Bernardi of Wichita, Kan., as acting superintendent to succeed Nicholas J. O'Brien, who died suddenly last Sunday morning while in church at Wichita.

In annual session this morning, the stockholders of the Texas Orient re-elected all former directors with the exception of K. Z. Miller of Kansas City and Thomas Best of Medicine Lodge, Kan., whose positions were filled by Albert De Bernardi and H. S. Garrett of San Angelo, general attorney for the system.

President W. T. Kemper of Kansas City and all other former officers were re-elected.

A Good Wheat Crop Promised This Year

With an oil boom headed for Foard County and another good wheat crop almost certain and good row crops to follow, Foard County has nothing to worry about.

Of course, the wheat crop is not going to be anything like as large as it was last year, but there will be a large quantity made if nothing happens to the crop. We have not the acreage we had last year by a big margin. It is estimated from 40 to 65 per cent of that of 1919. We have talked to a number of farmers and those best acquainted with the wheat situation think we have about 60 per cent of the acreage we had last year. Since that crop was nearly twice that of any preceding year, we may say our 1920 crop will be about normal in acreage. So that means with a fair yield a normal crop. The wheat is not quite so rank as last spring, but it is none the worse because of that fact.

Oats are reported not so good, and from reports in some places the cold weather has injured them.

The farmers are getting ready for a big cotton crop this year.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

District court met March 29th and adjourned April 6th. The following report is as to the disposal of cases:

State of Texas vs. J. D. Leeper, dismissed on motion of District Attorney and released from all further prosecution.

Mack F. Delk vs. Mrs. Julia E. Bell et al, continued by agreement.

Ora Hunter vs. H. A. Hunter, dismissed without prejudice.

Joseph E. Kerkes vs. Baldwin & Stovall, continued by plaintiff.

S. M. Tole vs. C. W. Beidleman, continued by agreement.

State of Texas vs. Clyde Langston, continued by the State.

State of Texas vs. Hillard Griffin, continued on application of defendant.

State of Texas vs. Hillard Griffin and Clyde Langston, continued by agreement.

First State Bank of Crowell vs. R. L. Kincaid and Self Motor Co., judgment granted to R. L. Kincaid.

State of Texas vs. Leslie Sanders, found guilty with term of six years in state penitentiary.

Worsham and Johnson vs. Foard County Copper Co. et al, motion granted to continue term of receivership until next term of court.

State of Texas vs. J. D. Stovall, continued by agreement.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

In another column will be found the name of Miss Lena Raser as candidate for the office of County Treasurer. Miss Raser has lived in Crowell for several years and has been employed in the public schools of the county for about ten years, being at this time a teacher in the Crowell High School. She has thorough qualifications for the office she asks at the hands of the voters of the county. Her announcement appears elsewhere over her signature.

FIRST MONDAY SEES BIG CROWD IN TOWN

The old time Trades Day has quickly returned. A little advertising along that line pays. Two weeks ago the News carried a quarter-page advertisement insisting on people coming out on the First Monday and to bring whatever they might have to sell. A good large crowd of farmers was here and quite a lot of stuff was sold, such things as household goods, farming implements and stock. Dave Sollis, the auctioneer, is well on to his job. He has been at it before. Got his experience up in Oklahoma, so he says, and Dave does the job up to perfection.

This is what we have needed for some time. It infuses interest into our people and brings them together in a way that is very profitable, and now that we have it going again let us keep it going. A little later the business men will come to recognize First Monday as a special Trades Day and they too, will put more into it and it will be mutually profitable to the farmers and the business men. It should and will be carried on with a spirit of co-operation and it will not be long until we will be attracting visitors from neighboring counties. It's up to us to get people to come to Foard County and a good live trades day is one of the best means of doing it.

White Leghorn Hens Pay Grocery Bill

Seventy hens pay grocery bill. That's pretty good, without considering the size of the grocery bill. But according to his own statements that is the revenue produced by R. E. Sparks' 70 White Leghorns. But he did not impart this information for free advertising. He thinks we do enough free advertising, and too much as for that matter. We are glad to use such instances of success in any line of endeavor to stimulate others. There was a time when some people thought in order to get by one had to have half a dozen sections of grazing land and it stocked with long horns, or if he ever did become so foolish as to quit the cattle business and try farming he had to put not less than three or four hundred acres in wheat. There are still some big cattle raisers and more big wheat growers than ever in Foard County, but people have gotten out of some of the ruts, and one of them is that there is nothing here for the specialist.

Men are proving more and more that thoroughbred hogs, cattle and poultry are at home to a highly profitable degree in this county where these are given special attention. And that will be true a hundred years after Foard County's big ranches have been forgotten and when the underlying oil pool has yielded millions of wealth and ceased to attract men in the mad money making rush. There are opportunities for all of us here.

WITH OUR READERS

When R. W. Self was up from Burk Burnett last week he decided he wanted to hear from Crowell through the News and so he ordered it sent to him at that place.

S. P. McLaughlin continues the News to his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Kimsey, Sterling City, Texas.

G. W. Sikes orders the News for himself at Margaret and also sends it to his brother, W. S. Sikes, Grosvenor, Texas.

T. B. Haney of Vernon, Route 4, comes in with renewal. Also does A. H. Martin of the same route.

T. B. Cone of Wellsville, Kansas, wants the News to keep coming to his address. Mr. Cone is one of the several in distant states interested in Foard County, and he with the others is going to see this county come to the front one of these days.

E. M. Haney of Vernon comes in as is new subscriber. We are informed that Mr. Haney is a candidate for the diamond ring which Moslah Temple will give to the most popular candidate at its Spring Ceremonial at Fort Worth, May 1st. As Mr. Haney was born and reared in this county, we are sure the Shriners will do all they can for him.

Fred Hrabal of route 1 ordered the News for his son, Henry Hrabal, last week. Mr. Hrabal owns a good farm north of town and is enthusiastic over the approaching oil boom. He says, however, that he has no lands for lease.

J. C. Davis was here from near Thalia Thursday renewed the News to be

\$1,000 WORTH OF STUFF SOLD AT AUCTION

About \$1,000 worth of stuff changed hands Monday, having been sold at auction. This is to be one of the features of Trades Day and will be kept up. The stuff sold consisted of some household goods, implements, harness and some stock.

This was only the beginning of what is thought will prove to be very beneficial to the people of the county in placing such things as they may want to dispose of.

FOR TREASURER

In this week's issue of the News appears my announcement as a candidate for Treasurer of Foard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary next July.

I have been reared in Foard County, as many know, and for the past nine years have been teaching in the schools of this county, for the past two years as principal in the High School Department of the Crowell school.

In soliciting your support I ask that you give me a fair and impartial consideration, looking to the best interests of our county, which is the common interest of all, and should I be elected I promise my very best services. Hoping to be able to meet each personally and more fully present my claims, I am,
Yours respectfully,
LENA B. RASOR.

A FINE TEAM OF MULES

E. M. Cates owns one of the best teams of mules in the county. It would be hard to prove to him that there is another team as good, weight and quality considered. They are 17 hands high and one weighs 1280 and the other one 1480. The lighter one is two years younger than the heavier one and within another year they will be almost the same weight. Not many years ago if a team like that could have been found \$500 would have been a big price for them, but \$800 is only a fair price now. That is lots of money for a team but such mules are worth three times as much as little mules.

There never was a greater demand than now for good stock of all kinds, and such stock will always command its worth. Better mules, better cows, better hogs, better horses, and better types of all kinds of stock is the need of the country. The tractor will never entirely displace high-grade horses and mules and nothing can take the place of other kinds of domestic animals.

Power Machine for Shoe Repair Work

J. H. Self & Sons, in order to better care for their shoe repair business have recently installed a Landis shoe repair machine. This enables Mr. Miller, the repair man, to do better and more efficient work.

sent to his brother-in-law, T. L. Culver, Gordonville, Texas. Mr. Davis thinks we will have an oil boom some time in Foard County but like many others he believes we must take care of our own interests. Others will not do it for us.

From distant corners of the earth comes subscriptions for the News, which fact indicates that people far and wide are becoming interested in this county. Last week we received a subscription from A. L. Hilderbrand, Fresno, Cal.

J. D. Johnson has been sending the News to his son-in-law, W. B. Harrison, Graemont, Okla., and renews for another year. W. B. once made his home in this county but somehow wandered away. But lots of folks made that mistake. In the course of time they always come back.

George Canup enters upon his second year with the News with this week's renewal. Mr. Canup came from Roysie City, but he is a thorough westerner now.

O. E. Connell was here from Jones County last week to get his farming implements. Mr. Connell has bought a farm in that county and is moving to it. He says, however, that he would like to come back to Foard County. He will read about conditions here through the columns of the News.

We did not know until Saturday that B. J. Glover was a tar heel. Yes, he came from the old North State a little less than a hundred years ago and he has a brother back there, J. M. Glover, to whom he starts the News (Continued on page 4)

FOARD COUNT INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET

Literary Events Held Friday Evening. Athletics Postponed Till Today

For the first time in several years the boys and girls of Foard County met to take part in the various contests as arranged by the University of Texas.

As most every one knows these contests include both literary and athletic activities. The contests in the literary department was held Friday evening in the Crowell public school auditorium. A large crowd was present to witness these events. This manifest interest displayed by both parents and pupils is to be commended. School life should be enlivened by such occasions. It is the plan of those in charge to make this an annual affair.

The junior declamation for boys and girls was first on the program. In the boys contest Frank Maine of Thalia won first place. Herbert Huffaker of Foard City won second place. In the girls contest three tied for first place. In the final contest Velma Haney of Thalia won first place, and Francis Hill of Crowell won second place.

In the senior contest in declamation Truett Neal of Thalia won first, and Orrin Auld of Crowell won second.

In the girls senior declamation Jewel Davis of Thalia won first, and Obeira Hamblen of Crowell won second.

In the debate Annice Sanders and Connie Wood of Crowell defeated Tom Johnson and Roy Aubrey of Thalia. The winners were on the negative side of the question, "Resolve That the Government Should Own and Operate the Railroads."

Senior spelling, Leo Hlavaty of Margaret first, John Coffman of Rayland second.

Junior spelling, Cleo Wood of Crowell first, Opal Cato of Thalia second.

On account of the sand storm the athletic events were postponed until Friday afternoon, April 9th. A few of the athletic events were run off. However, a report will be made later when all the events have been held.

The summary of points as they stand now for the three leading teams are: Crowell 103, Thalia 75 and Margaret 20.

Come Friday afternoon and see the athletic events. There will be no admission charges.

REVIVAL MEETING AT METHODIST CHURCH

A series of services have been in progress at the Methodist church this week conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hamblen, and those who have attended these services report splendid interest and good attendance. The length of time to be devoted to these services will be about ten days. One service in the morning at 10:30 and one at 8 p. m.

J. M. JONAS FOR COMMISSIONER

J. M. Jonas offers himself for re-election as commissioner of precinct No. 4. Mr. Jonas is serving his first term and comes out for re-election after the strongest solicitation of people in his precinct.

Mr. Jonas has made a faithful servant of his people in this capacity, notwithstanding the fact that there have been many obstacles in the way, and it is only in the hope that he may have the opportunity of rendering even more efficient service in the future that he runs for the office again. He is keenly sensible of the sacrifices the duties of the office require at his hands because he has had that experience.

But Mr. Jonas is not complaining. He only asks that if he is solicited to run and is elected the people support him in his very best efforts to serve them.

W. R. Vaughan Is Overhauling Gin

W. R. Vaughan is here this week overhauling his gin and putting it in shape for the next cotton crop. When he finishes this work he says the gin will be practically new. The Vaughan Gin was not operated this season but Mr. Vaughan expects to be right on the dot to do business as soon as the next season opens.

C. C. Hart of Miles was here Saturday having come up to bring his two boys whom he leaves at the home of his father-in-law, W. M. Wisdom, at Thalia where they will attend school.

Stock Up with Our New Spring Shirts



Now is the time to supply yourself. All the new colors are here; the patterns are beautiful. See the wonderful new silk shirts. Take a look at our window.

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PLENTY of shirts, sizes and patterns

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WHISKERS

Young man, if you are not going to wear a full beard—Russian style—then for the sake of your appearance keep neatly shaved. Neither your sweetheart nor your employer prefers to see you with a mess of sprouts on your chin half the time. Self-respect begets the respect of others.

CROWELL BARBER SHOP

Bruce & Wallace, Proprietors

The Model Bakery

Offers the trade its products, first-class in every particular and solicits patronage on merit alone.

Q. R. Miller, Prop.

At Tysinger stand North Side

The News \$2; Dallas News included \$2.75

THALIA ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Dr. Hines Clark of Crowell was in Thalia Friday.

Mrs. Sam Tole and son, Ernest, were shopping in Crowell Monday.

Miss Fannie Shultz spent Thursday night with homefolks.

Miss Emma Maine spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Lena Morris.

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

Otto and Ewald Schroeder and Fred Woodruff motored to Vernon Monday.

John Thompson Jr., has accepted a position with Long Bros. drug store.

Mrs. Harley Capps of Crowell spent the week-end with her parents here.

Bill Short is suffering with a very sore foot caused by stepping on a nail.

Mr. Zipp is gathering maize on the halves for John Thompson this week.

Rudolph Coffal has returned home from a prospecting trip to New Mexico.

Frank Lambert of Rayland passed through here Monday en route to Crowell.

Luke Johnson was a juror in the district court at Crowell several days last week.

Claud Abston and Dewitt Edwards of Rayland spent a while in this city Thursday.

Will Pigg and family spent a few hours with his sister, Mrs. Fannie Johnson Monday.

Cap Adkins and family spent Wednesday with her brother, Bob Huntley, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adkinson and baby and Mrs. Durr of Talmage were in town Tuesday.

Mr. Denton has moved his family from the Whitfield place west of town to Crowell.

Mrs. Walter Banister went to Crowell Tuesday of last week and had some dental work done.

There was a party at Miss Fannie Wisdom's Thursday night which was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Flora Bradford is spending a while with her brother, Curtis, and family at Parsley Hill.

Jessie Davis who was recently discharged from the army visited friends here one day last week.

Jim Banister and family attended the literary and declamation exercises at Crowell Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffal Sr., have for their guest their daughter, Mrs. B. Weise, of Cisco, Texas.

Dave Huntley was visiting relatives and shaking hands with old friends here a few days last week.

Messrs. Doty, Walter Long, Mode Haney and Walter Banister were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

T. F. Davis and Bud Tole of Rayland and John Thompson of Thalia were in Crowell on First Monday.

Ewald Schroeder took his car full of Rayland's young people to the literary contest in Crowell Friday night.

Grandpa McDaniel returned home Monday from a few weeks' visit with his son in the Good Creek community.

Annie Mae Neill spent Friday night with Leona Thompson and went with her to the track meet at Crowell Saturday.

Elder Bankhead of Merkel will preach at the Church of Christ Friday and Saturday nights, Sunday and Sunday night.

Ben Bradford and little daughter, Estelene, came home from Fort Worth last Tuesday where Estelene underwent an operation.

Mr. Dougherty of Gainesville came in Saturday to visit W. M., A. B., D. M. and C. C. Wisdom, and was looking after business here.

There has been several car loads of men down to see the new oil well near Vernon this week, hence the oil excitement is running high.

John Bradford Sr., Lat Johnson, Garland Burns, E. V. Cato, Ed Cates, Mr. Wethers and Mr. Taylor took in First Monday in Crowell.

Hiram Grey is hauling sand and gravel to put down the foundation of his new home he is preparing to build on the south side of his farm.

Mrs. Orval Grimm has for her guest this week her mother, Grandma Williams, as she is lovingly called by her many friends, of Wolftown.

Ernest Tole came home Friday from Oklahoma where he has been for several months to be at the bedside of his father, Sam Tole, who is sick.

Willie Barrett of Paducah visited his sister, Mrs. Gordon Davis. He and Gordon motored to Vernon and back Thursday afternoon and he returned home Friday.

Truitt Neill and Jewell Davis won first honors in the senior declamation contest at Crowell Friday night. Frank Maine and Velma Haney won the honors in the junior contest.

W. M. Wisdom is entertaining his son-in-law, C. C. Hart, and two little sons of Miles, Texas. Mrs. Hart died recently and the little boys will make their home here with their grandfather for a while.

I suppose we are due Millard Phillips an apology in stating in the items some weeks ago that he had taken unto himself a wife. We did not intend to misrepresent things, but we merely got the names confused. We trust no such mistake will occur again.

L. C. Johnson and family of Tahoka spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. J. G. Thompson. They attended Sunday School and took dinner with his brother, Luke, and family Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Johnson's father, Clayton Holder. They left Sunday afternoon to visit their daughter, Mrs. Beulah Lytle, and family near Vernon.



HOME DREAMS

Dreams of a home of your own are always accompanied by dreams of the furnishings thereof.

When you have selected the home, to be sure of the quality and durability of the furnishings, as well as the pleasure of selecting them, you should come to us.

DURABLE FURNITURE—WELL SELECTED AND PRICED RIGHT

We have just unloaded a "BIC" car of Kitchen Cabinets, Iron Beds and Springs and some very pretty Bed Room Suits in Ivory and Satin Walnut.

We are offering to you for the first time the well-known, high-grade HER-RICK REFRIGERATORS. They were bought last fall at prices prevailing then. We can save you money on any refrigerator you buy from us.

We sell the famous White Sewing Machine. Every one a good one. We sell the Leeds Phonograph, Trunks, Suitcases, Wallpaper, and do picture framing.

We sell Sewing Machine Needles, Bobbins and Shuttles.

We sell the sturdy "All American" 1 1/2 ton truck.

W. R. WOMACK

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SPRING FEVER

Following Colds, Grip or Flu, Thin, Watery or Poisoned Blood

(By DR. VALENTINE MOTT.)

At this time of year most people suffer from what we term "spring fever" because of a stagnant condition of the blood, because of the toxins (poisons) stored up within the body during the long winter. We eat too much meat, with little or no green vegetables.

Bloodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and lips, who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the spring-time of the year, should try the refreshing tonic powers of a good alterative and blood purifier. Such a tonic as druggists have sold for fifty years, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form. Made without alcohol from wild roots and barks.

SAN MARCIAL, N. MEX.—"I suffered for two years with frequent headache and pain in my left side and the small of my back. I was despondent and so nervous the least racket would upset me. I wrote to the Specialists at the Invalids' Hotel, and was advised to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and the Anurie Tablets. I did so and immediately began to get better. My symptoms disappeared and in two months' time my health was regained. I took six bottles of each medicine and a few of the 'Pleasant Pellets' for regulating my bowels. I am now in perfect health and enjoying life. "I cannot say too much in praise of these medicines and the kind and courteous attention given me."—Miss MAMIE COYSLAND.

Renew your lease on life with Sat-O tonic.—Ferguson Bros.

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Physician and Surgeon

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Beverly & Beverly

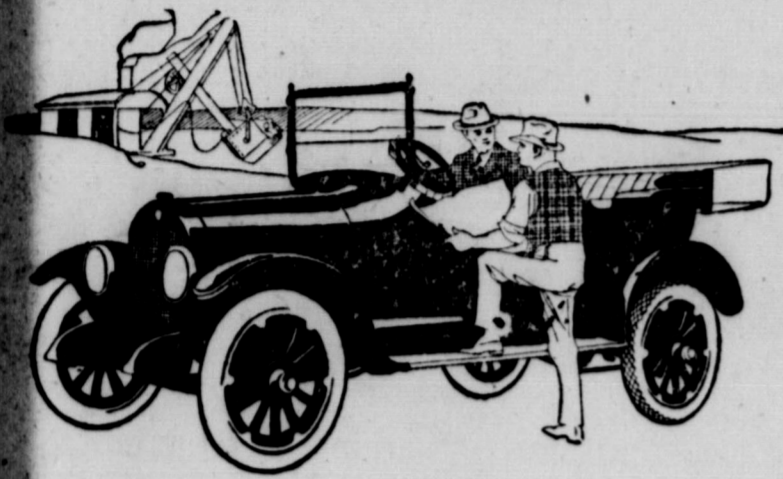
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Crowell, Texas

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No car on the market is of more simple or accessible construction than the Dort. This not only makes the car long-lived, but over a period of time, saves you no inconsiderable sum in time and money.



E. SWAIM, Agent, Crowell, Tex.

DORT MOTOR CAR COMPANY
Flint, Mich.

If sand will make any one healthy the people of this community should undoubtedly be healthy, for the severe sand storms we have had the past week have certainly been something to contend with.

BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)
F. C. Borchardt lost a good horse with colic Monday night.

Lonnie Johnston was visiting home-folks Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Ruby Johnston was visiting Miss Lucy Golden Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Willie Clare Burks of the Jamison community spent the week-end in this community.

Miss Mattie Lee Meason of Crowell was visiting in this community the latter part of last week.

The singing at the home of C. L. Gray Sunday night was well attended and very much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodard called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Johnston Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambros Golden were visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Golden, Sunday afternoon.

John Randolph of Jamison was among the crowd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Draper at the Easter hunt.

Miss Eunice Randolph who has been attending school at Foard City has returned to her home in the Jamison community.

Since the land has gotten dry enough from the nice rain last Wednesday the farmers are very busy planting feed, such as corn, maize, etc.

Quite a number of people from this community were in Crowell Saturday though we understand that they were prouder to get home that they were to go.

The Easter hunt at the homes of Messrs. Draper and McLain Sunday were each attended by large crowds and are reported to have been very enjoyable.

VIVIAN ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. R. N. Beaty was shopping in Crowell Monday.

Miss Molly Turner went to Crowell Friday and Saturday.

Tom Johnson made a business trip to Crowell Saturday.

Willie Young went to Crowell Saturday returning Sunday.

J. E. Fish and son, Oscar, and wife went to Crowell Tuesday.

Miss Dula Bowley spent the week-end with friends in Crowell.

Miss Mina Walling visited friends in Crowell from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Skidmore made a business trip to Crowell Saturday.

PLAINVIEW POINTERS

(By Special Correspondent)

B. Pool was a business visitor in Dallas last week.

Little Nell Clark has been on the list this week.

Clark Clark, Bob Adkins and Robert Langton were visitors in Crowell Saturday.

Ward and wife have moved to place recently vacated by Claude Adams.

Huntley is spending the week

at Thalia helping Bob and wife entertain their new boy.

Grandma Scales spent last Wednesday in Crowell visiting in the home of her son's family.

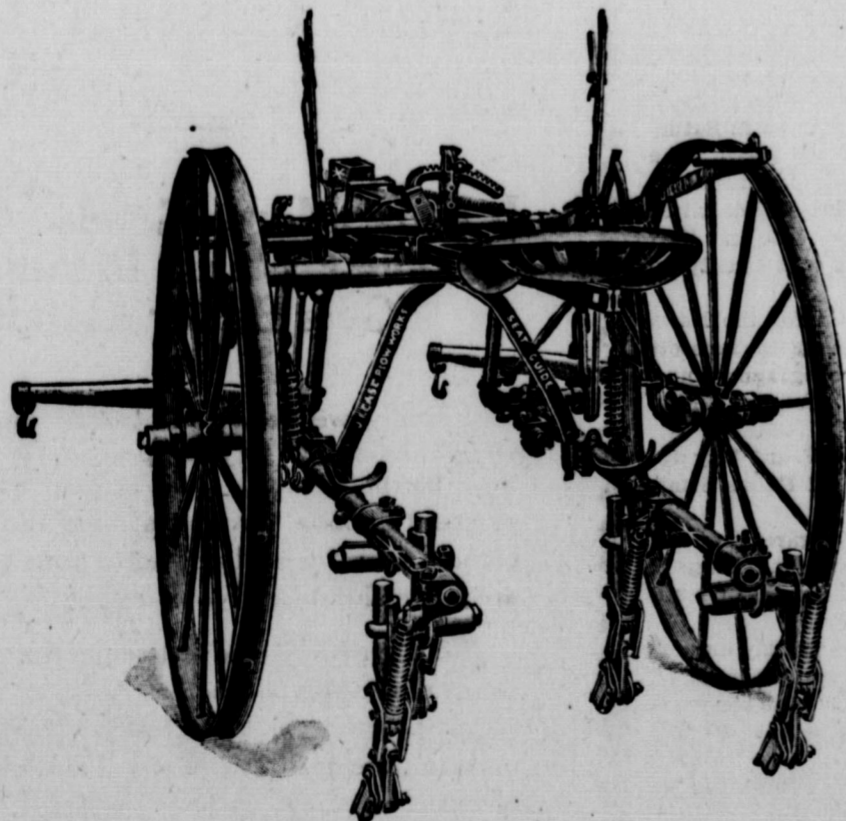
Dr. Clark of Crowell was called to see Mrs. Wyatt who lives on the Will Morris place, Saturday.

Alf Haggerman's brother from Chicago is here spending a few days with he and his family.

Mrs. Will Wade returned Tuesday from a three months' stay with her parents in Denton County.

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Easy Action--Makes Cultivating a Pleasure



Simple, well balance and easy to operate. Come in and let us show the new features of this Cultivator.

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CROWELL, TEXAS

O-Sa-To [Indian] Laxative Tonic

A Beneficial Remedy for Chills, Fever and Constipation

It takes the place of Calomel without any restrictions whatever. It clears the complexion and gives renewed energy to the entire system. It will not make you sick, gripe or nauseate you in the slightest way. It tones up the liver and kidneys and the entire system. It replaces that drowsy feeling with confident energy.

O-Sa-To (Indian) Laxative Tonic Gives Immediate Results It will work a quantity of bile from your system that is poison to your liver and kidneys.

Relieves a bad headache, La Grippe, fever, colds or coughs, all disorders of the stomach, prevents Spanish Influenza, if taken in time, relieves bladder and kidney trouble, relieves rheumatism, giving quick relief from pain.

Fergeson Brothers

The Rexall Store

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish went to Crowell Saturday returning Sunday. Addie Carroll and Jewel Fish of Crowell attended the literary Thursday night.

Miss Gussie Orutt spent a few hours with her father in Crowell last Saturday.

Mrs. Hi Frazier and children of Merkel are visiting Jackson Frazier and family.

Guy Easley accompanied by Elbridge Bishop made a trip to Kansas City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walling and family attended the Track Meet in Crowell Saturday.

Bert Davidson and wife of Paducah spent Saturday and Sunday with R. L. Davidson and family.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter, Miss Mina, and Miss Molly Turner spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. L. Raspberry.

J. B. Raspberry underwent an operation in Chickasha, Okla., last week. We hope he will get along alright and will soon be home again.

Among those who attended the Track Meet in Crowell Saturday were, J. E. Whatley and family, Herbert and Henry Fish and George and Howard Benham.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give It When Feverish, Cross, Bilious,
for Bad Breath or Sour
Stomach

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt. 55

A wise observer thinks that the trouble with Germany is a bad case of imperial sore head.

A female fly will lay eight million eggs in a summer. This ought to furnish poultry raisers an idea.

Foreign governments owe the United States more than \$230,000,000 in unpaid interest. This is a pretty mess!

The new census is expected to show, for the first time, that there are more city dwellers in the nation than farmers.

DR. H. SCHINDLER
Dentist
Bell Building
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"DIAMOND DYE" OLD GARMENTS LIKE NEW

Any woman can dye faded, shabby wearing apparel, whether wool, silk, cotton, linen or mixed goods to any color, just like new, by following simple directions in each package of "Diamond Dyes."

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, OWNERS AND PUBLISHERS

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

Crowell, Texas, April 9, 1920

ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS

The mayor and the Chamber of Commerce of Vernon are trying to prevail upon the citizens of the town to hold prices of rooms down to figures that will be reasonable. They recommend \$2 for a bed for one night and \$30 to \$50 for a room per month is not unreasonable and that prices very much above that would be regarded as profiteering, and in case of profiteering the names of parties so doing will be published. It's not a bad step.

"One Man," says the Quanah Tribune-Chief, "bought 80 acres paying \$35 for same, thinking to get as close as possible to the Sigler well with a cheap acreage, but on hunting up his map found that he was just 20 miles away." If he got land 20 miles west he is fortunate, for he is in what will some day be the big oil field—Foard County.

Dr. J. E. Dodson of Vernon has entered suit against Lloyd Sigler and associates for the possession of 4,480 acres of leases, including site of the new well, and for damages amounting to \$5,000,000,000. Dodson claims that he was dispossessed of the leases and that he is the rightful owner of them.

The business men of Quanah have started to raise \$50,000 as a fund with which to build a bridge across Red River. \$11,000 was raised at a meeting held in Quanah last week.

The Quanah Tribune-Chief says the recent storm played havoc in the oil field of Hardeman County, blowing three derricks down.

The Methodist church at Vernon has bought a pipe organ to be installed sometime this year at a cost of \$8,000.

Mrs. H. S. Smith of near Hamlin committed suicide last week by drinking carbolic acid.

A SINGLE MORAL STANDARD

The double moral standard condemns a fallen woman but visits no stigma upon the man equally as guilty.

With the acquisition of political power upon the part of women generally steps will be taken to end such an injustice. If immorality is wrong,

both men and women guilty should be punished; and the time is coming when that will be done.

Addressing the Nebraska constitutional convention Wm. Jennings Bryan said: "I would like to see Nebraska write into her constitution the single standard of morality. No segregation of sin, no licensing of vice, the penalties for immorality enforced impartially against both sexes. How dare we longer discriminate against woman and give to an immoral man the respectability that we deny to her."

The same thought is abroad in the land. A New York judge has insisted that in future immoral cases men must be arrested and arraigned on equal terms with the women arrested. The injustice and falsity of our judiciary in this respect can be realized when we find women convicted always for a crime and the man going free both are partners in crime.

North Dakota has gone even further. A law has been passed which confers upon a child born out of wedlock the name of the father, and makes the child the legal heir of the father as well as the mother. Such legislation as this, and such law enforcement as Judge Wadhams in New York, referred to in the above paragraph, will go a long way towards correcting the double standard now in common acceptance.

BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES

The staggering British tax-payer is asked this year to put up \$525,000,000 for the army of the empire. In addition is the expense of the Royal Air Force and the Navy. Empire building is costly.

In 1913 only \$140,000,000 was appropriated and allowing for increased prices the sum asked for this year is enormous. Of course, it is not a normal year, as extensive military operations are under lease in Mesopotamia, Egypt, Turkey and other places in the Middle East.

The end of the war finds England spending large sums for military purpose. Having her foot in, as it is said, she can not untangle herself easily. One good result of the war has been the democratizing of her army. Future officers will come, in part, from the ranks. The experience of the war has killed the foolish superstition that British troops would not follow officers drawn from their own

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Tax Assessor:
L. G. ANDREWS

For County Treasurer:
EMILY PURCELL
LENA RASOR

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
E. P. BOMAR
L. D. CAMPBELL

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
C. D. STEPHENSON

For County and District Clerk:
MARIE HARRIS.

For County Judge:
G. L. BURK.
ROBERT COLE.

For Public Weigher:
C. W. THOMPSON

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4
J. M. JONAS

social class. In the most strenuous part of the late war nine-tenths of the British officers came from the ranks.

Another good point in the British establishment is the abandonment of conscription. By April 30 not a single conscript will remain within the British army. "This is a good record, and one not equalled by any great power in Europe.

WOMAN WITH DRESS

AFLAME, BLOCKED BY GATE; BURNS FATAL
Quanah, Texas, April 4.—While Mrs. W. R. Hurst was burning trash in her yard, her clothing caught on fire. Unable to put out the flames with her hands, she tried to reach the house to get something to smother the flames but was unable to get a gate open in time to save herself from being fatally burned.

NEW HOG RANCH TO BE OPENED AT CHILDRESS

Childress, Texas, April 4.—A new hog ranch is to be operated on the edge of the city by the firm of Lewis Brothers & Cunningham.

The hog ranch will be on the Kirkland road, just south of town and comprises fifty-seven acres.

Childress will send a delegation to the Bankhead Association meeting at Hot Springs, Ark., on April 16 and 17. Mayor J. W. Mitchell expects to take a party, if the weather permits, in his car.

KILL THE BLUE BUGS

and all blood-sucking insects by feeding Martin's wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Guaranteed by Ferguson Bros.



Little Money Makers of the Earth

The field for Poultry Raising hasn't been scratched yet, for never has there been such a demand for chickens as right now. Then why shouldn't every farmer get a share of the profits?

Nature's incubator—the setting hen—is too slow to meet the present world-wide demands for poultry. On the other hand, a good incubator, properly managed, turns out a multitude of strong, healthy chicks and is as important about the modern farm as a planter, cultivator or a Ford car.

If you haven't time to tend to it, buy one for Mother and the Girls and let them get a little of the immense profits in Poultry Raising.

The SAFETY HATCH Incubator which we handle is one of the very best makes on the market; easy to operate and sure to give satisfaction.

This is the best season of the year for artificial hatching. Come in at once and talk it over with us.

M. S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

WITH OUR READERS

(Continued from page 1) with this issue. By the way B. J. lost a good horse here Saturday by falling and breaking his neck. He said the horse was tied and surged back on the rope.

C. L. Lenard of Foard City renews for another year. Mr. Lenard was one of the record cotton growers last year, making nearly a bale to the acre on part of his crop and with fair seasons we may expect him to make another record this year.

The News acknowledges receipt of \$2.00 for subscription from Mrs. S. S. Skidmore whose husband is foreman of the Pope ranch now owned by W. Q. Richards. Mrs. Skidmore is a new reader of the News.

Earl Steele of the Steele Bros. ranch on South Beaver was in Saturday and renewed for the News. The Steele boys are not old timers in Foard County but they are identified with the county's interests and Earl says while he is in Foard County he wants the News.

Jim Clifford renews for the News and changes his address to Truscott where he will sell phonographs, being associated with W. C. McKown of this place.

F. C. Borchardt of Foard City renews for the News and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

L. C. Jones of Margaret watches the label on his paper and keeps it paid in advance. He renewed for another year this week.

J. M. Jonas was in Monday and ordered the News sent to his son, J. W. Jonas, Sulphur, Okla. Some ten years ago J. W. was a resident of this county.

T. L. Hayes had not forgotten his time on the News but had neglected taking advantage of the cheaper rate. He does not complain at the price but evidently thinks it is worth it or he would not have advanced a year.

Renewals on April 1, are just as thankfully received as if they came any other day. These were received on that day: J. H. Carter, R. J. Thomas, J. C. Self, M. J. Davis, Boss Roark, T. J. Cates, L. G. Andrews, J. E. Collins, all of Crowell. Besides the following renewals for distant readers were received: J. W. Beverly for his son-in-law, Luther Roberts, Oklahoma City; E. P. Bomar for himself and for H. H. Murray, Carbon, Texas; J. W. Allison for his son, Horman, Covina, Cal., and for his brother, B. F. Allison, at Charlie, Texas.

GLYCERINE MIXTURE PREVENTS APPENDICITIS

Simple glycerine, buckhorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka, removes all foul, accumulated poisonous matter from BOTH upper and lower bowel and prevents appendicitis. Relieves ANY CASE gas on stomach or constipation. The INSTANT pleasant action of Adler-i-ka surprises both doctors and patients. A business man

reports great benefit in a long standing case of indigestion and sour stomach.

V6 FERGUSON BROS., Druzz

Sink's Studio will be open usually and we will be ready to give the finest of photos. Come to see us.—D. P. Sink & Son.

Cash Counts Here

It Gets More Goods. Try a Dollar, Watch It Pull. It Gets Better Goods

Frankly, we want your trade. And, frankly, we are making it to your personal interest to give us that trade. If a strong combination of quality goods, prompt service and reasonableness in price will appeal to your good judgment, we should get your trade.

Cold type in an advertisement is not nearly so convincing as an actual test in making a purchase from us. Therefore we invite you to make a purchase test. We will rest our chances of future business on your verdict.

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None better

Edwards & Allison
The People's Cash Grocery Store

Edwards, Burns & Co.

Announcing a Special Display of

Millinery and Ladies Ready-to-Wear

In order to meet the growing demands of our trade and to serve our many friends and customers who have been unable to visit the large stores this spring, we have made arrangements to have on display at our Thalia store, Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, a complete line of Millinery and Ready-to-Wear. This is not a sale of old stock but an exhibition of brand new merchandise from Dallas and Eastern markets, which we are offering at the lowest possible prices. This sale will be in charge of a competent milliner, thereby assuring our trade of the highest service and authoritative styles.

Hats popularly priced at \$5, \$7.50, \$10 and \$12 will prevail.	
Ladies Tailored Suits at	\$25 and \$60
New Spring Coats at	\$35 to \$50
Light Voile Dresses at	\$9.75
Georgettes and Taffeta Dresses at	\$16 to \$35
Special Lot of Children's Hats at	\$2.50

A profound desire to give better service and offer the best merchandise obtainable has prompted us to arrange for this special display. We therefore urge that you take advantage of the opportunity and inspect the many values we are offering.

Remember the Date, Friday and Sat., Apr. 16, 17

Edwards, Burns & Co.
Thalia, Texas

Home Industries

Are you getting your full share of the wonderful chances offered by the industries of this, your home town?

Every man who saves will sooner or later have an opportunity to invest in something that will help him to future independence.

Decide now to bank a certain part of your income so that when your chance comes you'll be ready.

We are always glad to help you—ask us.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Model 4 Overland—the new one.—W. Self.

New and second hand Fords for sale.—Henry Gribble.

Chevrolets delivered \$835.—Leo Spencer.

Get one of those Universal electric fans at Self Hdw. Store.

Good 5-room residence in north town for sale.—S. S. Bell.

For Sale—Dorf white maize for seed in the head, \$2.00 per hundred.—Henry Hays.

Postmaster Leo Spencer was in Vernon Monday. He says the town was full of Crowell people.

Get your Spring bonnets and aprons from the Junior Leaguers, Saturday, April 10th, at Postoffice.

J. M. Rutherford, of San Angelo, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Orient, was here Wednesday.

The ladies of the Methodist church raised about \$100 on the chicken dinner served at the Sanitary Cafe last Friday. Supper was also served.

For quality work come to Sink's Studio.

Wanted a few horses to pasture on grass.—J. G. Coffey.

Mebane cotton seed for sale, selected quality. See J. W. Allison.

We are now prepared to sew soles on your shoes.—J. H. Self & Sons.

W. C. McKown bought the E. F. Gibson house on north Main street this week.

For Sale—Maize in the head and choice cotton seed for planting.—Mrs. B. F. Whitfield.

Lon Aiken, one of the proprietors of the Sanitary Cafe, spent the week-end with his family in Quanah.

J. S. Ray returned Tuesday from a visit with his daughters, Jennie Belle and Martha Louise, at Milford, Texas.

C. P. Sandifer bought 200 acres of land from E. W. Hoffman and wife of Altus, Okla. The land is situated about 9 miles southwest of Crowell.

My jack, Black Tom, will make the season at the same old stand. Terms, \$6.00 cash when service is rendered and \$6.00 when colt comes.—J. N. Bryson.

Fire Insurance.—B. W. Self.

We will give you best service at Sink's Studio.

B. W. Wallace motored to Quanah Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Ferguson returned Wednesday from Houston.

For Sale—McCormick binder.—Lee Roy Cox, phone 248 2 rings.

Dodge touring car for sale. See Claude Barry at Bell Grain Co.

T. P. Reeder and Henry Burres were visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

Screen wire all widths, in black and galvanized.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For Sale—A fresh Jersey milk cow.—Fred Riethmayer, phone 244, 3 rings.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sink spent the week-end with Mrs. Sink's mother in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. H. Davis were here the first of the week from Paducah visiting relatives.

For Sale—A small Overland car worth \$1,000. Will take as part pay a used Ford.—Louis Kempf.

For Sale—Twenty tons of bright maize, \$25.00 per ton in crib.—A. B. Wisdom, 1½ mi. south of Thalia.

Dr. O. W. Wilson, of Wichita Falls, ear, eye, nose and throat specialist, will be in Crowell, April 9th and 10th.

Gordon Gribble of Dallas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gribble, and many friends.

For Sale—A slightly used 3½ Webber wagon, with a fourteen foot bed, standard tread, wide tires.—Self Motor Co.

Our Landis shoe machine has arrived and we are now prepared to take care of your shoe work.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Mrs. Robt. Cole left last Friday for Ft. Worth where she will make a visit with her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Vandersall.

R. B. Edwards and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Self, went to Dallas last Friday to visit Mrs. Edwards who is in the sanitarium there.

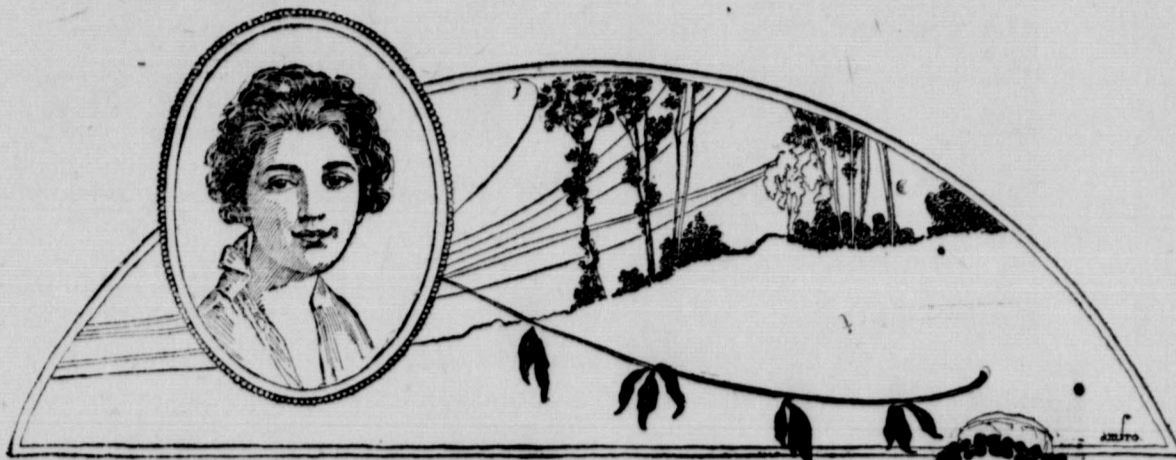
New hats, new suits, new dresses and everything, Friday and Saturday, April the 16th and 17th at Edwards, Burns & Co., Thalia, Texas.

For Sale—Cornish Indian Game and Rhode Island Red eggs for setting at \$2.00 per setting for fifteen eggs. Reasonable hatch guaranteed.—J. G. Ford.

My jack is available for service at my farm one mile south of Thalia. Terms, \$12.50 insured. Will not be responsible for accidents should any occur.—W. G. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Edgin and Mrs. Edgin's brother, Adolphus Wright, left Tuesday morning for Benton, Arkansas, where they will visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

W. J. Sparks and family returned this week from near Fort Worth where they have been making their home for some months. Mrs. Sparks' health failed in that country and they thought best to return to Foard County, where her health had always been the very best. Will says he was getting along fine down there and was getting fixed to make good money.



Betty Wales Dresses

TOUCHED WITH GOLD

A basque blouse with embroidered georgette collar; a skirt double frilled top and bottom, with gold thread to give touches of richness, faintly describes the beauty of this BETTY WALES frock of navy "puppy skin" taffeta. Many other stunning models await your inspection here.

SELF DRY GOODS CO.

NO OTHER STORE IN THE CITY SELLS BETTY WALES DRESSES.

Sizes: Misses, 14 to 20
Women, 34 to 44



Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Renew your lease on life with O-Sat-O tonic.—Ferguson Bros.

Refrigerators, from \$25.00 up to \$37.50 at Self's Hardware Store.

We have a complete stock of screen wire all widths.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Wanted—Tongue trucks to Deering binder.—Lee Roy Cox, phone 248, 2 rings.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Eubank of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. Eubank's father, Mr. Lefevre, at Foard City.

John Roberts was here Tuesday night from Ft. Worth. John is working for an oil firm in Ft. Worth.

For all light hauling, express, baggage, etc., call Bruce & Wallace barber shop, phone 199.—T. T. Kuykendall.

For Sale—A slightly used 3½ Webber wagon, with a fourteen foot bed, standard tread, wide tires.—Self Motor Co.

Rhode Island Reds that are red. Good layers, large. Come and see them. Eggs \$1.00 per setting.—Mrs. Pete Gamble.

A special display of millinery and ladies ready-to-wear at Thalia Friday and Saturday, April 16th and 17th.—Edwards, Burns & Co.

Fine high linting cotton seed for sale at \$2.00 per bushel. Also some Mebane at \$1.75 per bushel.—H. W. Banister, Thalia, Texas.

W. F. Snody of Benjamin was here Thursday and Friday investing in Foard County oil leases. He thinks we will be in the next rush.

House carpenter work and repair work on houses wanted. Also do bridge work of all kinds, steel, wood and iron.—A. M. Loughmiller.

For Sale—Some Jersey milk cows, 2, 3 and 4 years old, and some pigs. One half mile south of stock pens on the Baker Flat road.—Mell Gover.

200 bushels of cotton seed for sale at my barn 1½ miles north of Foard City at \$7.00 per hundred. They are pure Mebane seed planted last year. Call at my office or see Luke Graham at the farm.—J. W. Beverly.

Williamson Halsell Frazier Co., one of the largest grocery jobbers west of the Mississippi River, in order to more thoroughly cover the territory as far south as Sweetwater is putting one of their men, Mr. Brown, a good citizen in the town of Crowell. Mr. Brown and wife will be here Sunday to take up their permanent abode in Crowell, and we gladly welcome them as citizens of Crowell.

Baled wheat, baled oats and Mebane cotton seed for sale at the Collins wagon yard. Also a span of young broke mules.

For Sale—New Ford Sedan, with electric lighting and starting equipment, demountable rims and tire carrier.—Self Motor Co.

Any one caught hauling wood or trespassing in any way on the Hall-sell ranch will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—B. J. Glover, Foreman.

Will sell you paints direct from factory at reasonable prices. Office at City Meat Market.—J. R. Meason, State Manager of Steelcote Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Mo.

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Insurance

I write Fire, Tornado, Hail, Farm, Stock, etc., in the Hartford, St. Paul and Republic.

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Quench Your Thirst at Our Fount

The time of the year is now here when a cool drink makes a fellow feel a great deal better, especially when he is fatigued. You will find the very drink you want at our fount, which is kept sanitary and inviting.

TRY A TONIC

One's system becomes all run down oftentimes during the winter months and when spring comes one feels stupid and lacks the pep he used to have. We have tonics that are highly recommended for "Spring Fever" and other spring ailments.

Prescription work a specialty. We are at your service day or night.

The Owl Drug Store

T. P. REEDER, Proprietor

BANK BY MAIL

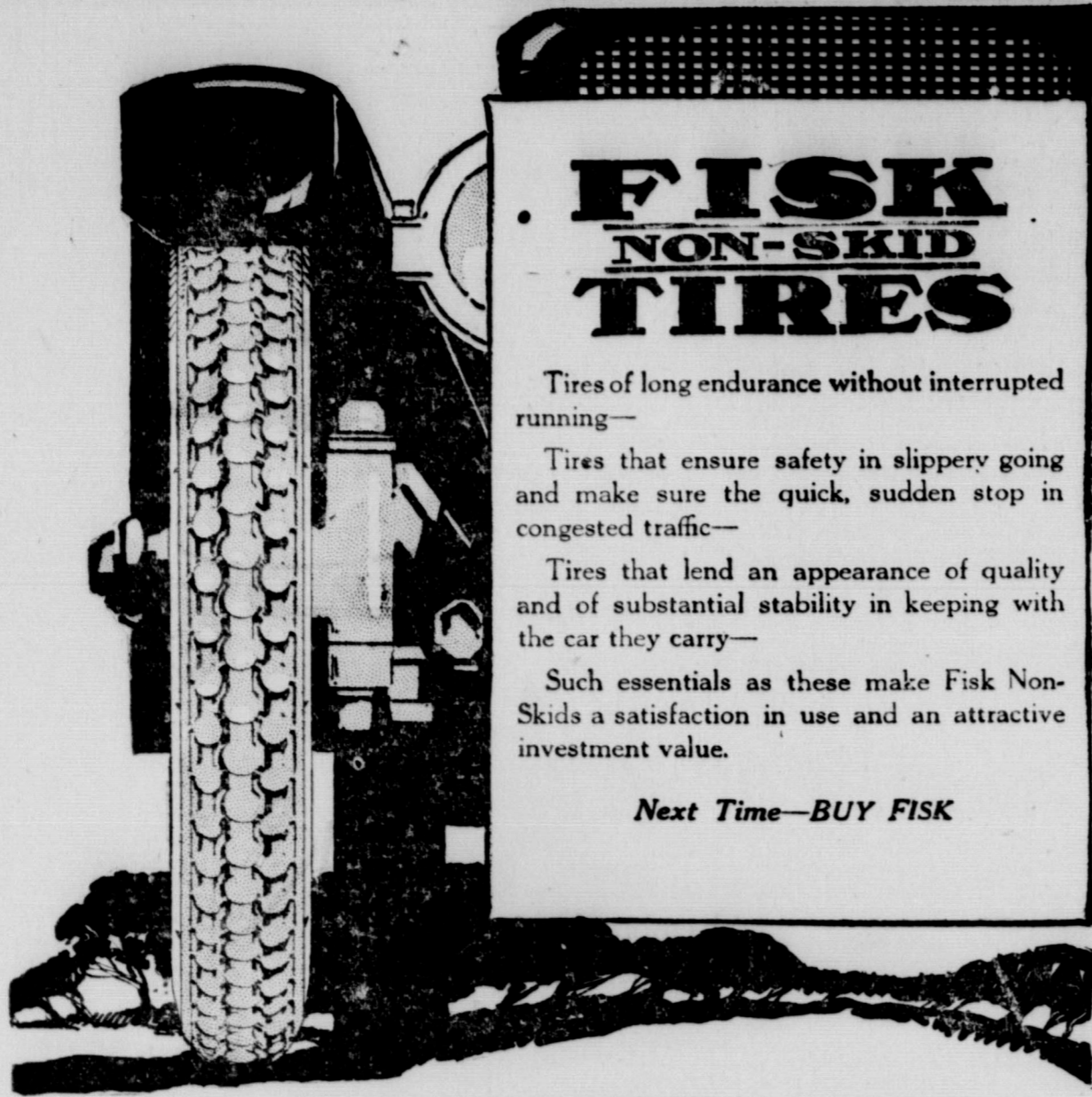
For the convenience of those who live considerable distance from us we wish to say that we shall be glad to have you bank with us by mail.

Many of our out of town patrons take advantage of this method and it has proven very satisfactory to them. Simply write a short note advising us just what you want, and we shall comply with any conservative request.

All our modern facilities are at your command.

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL Guaranty Fund Bank

J. W. Allison, President, J. H. Self, Vice Pres.
M. L. Hughston, Cashier, Sam Crews, Asst. Cashier



FISK NON-SKID TIRES

Tires of long endurance without interrupted running—

Tires that ensure safety in slippery going and make sure the quick, sudden stop in congested traffic—

Tires that lend an appearance of quality and of substantial stability in keeping with the car they carry—

Such essentials as these make Fisk Non-Skids a satisfaction in use and an attractive investment value.

Next Time—BUY FISK

SELF MOTOR COMPANY

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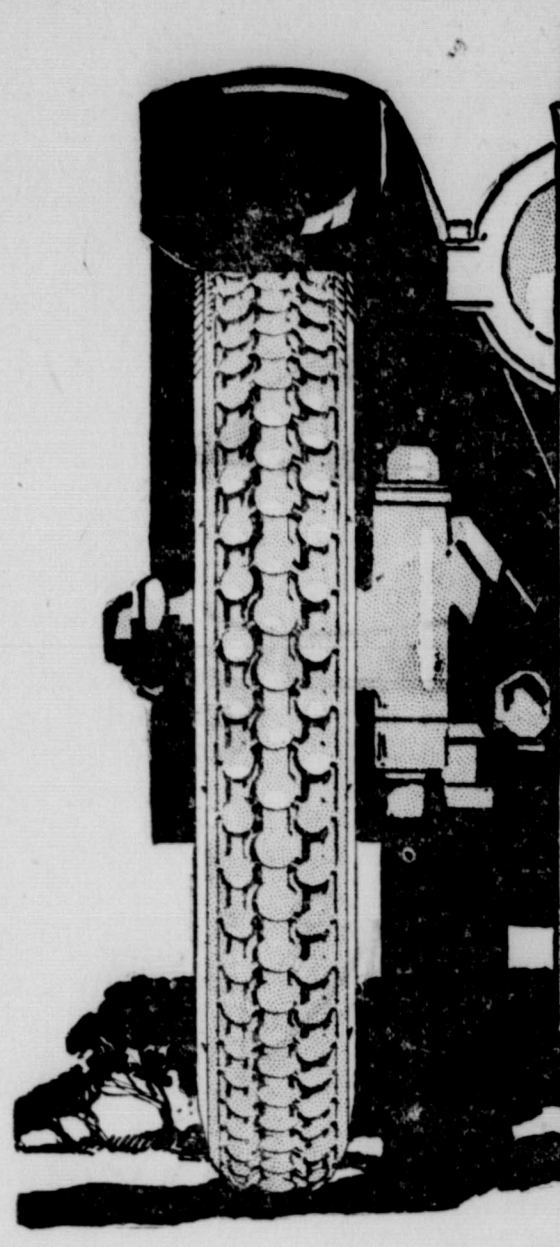


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One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle. I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui." Try Cardui today.



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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met in regular business meeting at 3 o'clock April 5th. Subject—Training for Life Service. Report of officers showed that they were all doing excellent work and working in harmony. The superintendent of children's work, Miss Purcell, informed us she was going to have a bonnet and apron sale next Saturday, April 10th. And ladies, the year is fast passing and we trust that all with gladdened hearts by material prosperity, for we believe each woman realizes more fully than ever before that the word missions is fraught with a larger meaning today than ever before. No longer is it considered an enterprise of such small proportions that it can be carried on by penny contributions, and unbusiness-like methods.

We fell encouraged to have as members Mesdames Jim Brown and Bell.

Our mission study leader reported meeting in the month of March with Mrs. Bird. Our study of Mexico gave us a new insight of what our church was doing in the field that lies so close to our own door, which it seems we had overlooked.

Our next lesson will be "Making Christ Known in Brazil," which will be in the home of Mrs. Sandifer, April 26th.

The report of the young women's society by Mrs. Henry was encouraging. Much could be said of this organization but we wait for further developments.

There being no further business we were dismissed by prayer. I wish to give to all this bit of verse dedicated to the Northwest Texas Conference: Forward in your work for God, Women of the West.

Forward while the day light shines, He will give you rest.

Place your talents one and all, On the Altar, till, With your wealth, your strength, your life, You can do His will.

Heed His call for workers While harvest fields are white Till you hear: "It is enough" Work with all your might.

Yea, go into all the world, E'en to lands abhorred. Tell the story of the Cross And the Risen Lord.

Honor to you for labor's part, And for hearts so true; But your work is just begun, And until the victory's won There is work for you.

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Thanking our many friends and the public for the liberal patronage in the past we solicit your continued favors for Sink's Studio.

D. P. SINK, PAUL B. SINK, March 22nd, 1920

For Sale or Trade—5-passenger Overland car, model 85, in good order, new casings. See me for a bargain.—M. M. Hart.

For Sale—New Ford Sedan, with electric lighting and starting equipment, demountable rims and tire carrier.—Self Motor Co.

Horses, mules and cattle bought, sold and exchanged. Also buy hides. P. & O. planter for sale. When you want to trade see me.—P. O. Williams, phone 226.

I have one of the best jacks in the county, 15 hands high. This jack must be sold this spring, as I am going to move out of the state. Phone or write T. C. Hampton.

For Sale—Single Comb, White Leghorn eggs, \$1.50 per setting. These chickens came from the Trinity Valley Poultry Farm, Dallas, Texas, and are pure bred.—J. R. Lewter, Ross farm near Foard Cty.

Mrs. T. F. Hill received a telegram from W. B. McCormick at Moody, Texas, last Thursday stating that Mrs. McCormick's mother, Mrs. Gipe, had died that morning. Mrs. McCormick's many friends in Crowell sympathize with her in her deep bereavement.

Specially in Winter.

"I see you have a great many antebellum homes about here," remarked the visitor.

"So we have," replied the Southerner planter. "Most of them are falling into ruins, though."

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