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WATER SUPPLY IS THOUGHT TO BE ABUNDANT

Report of the water committee given at the chamber of commerce Friday night which indicates Crowell can get an ample supply of water. A preliminary test had been made at a well two and a half miles west of town and it was found at the rate the water enters the well it would give a supply of 400 gallons a day. This rate of flow held good with two tests. The water stood twelve or fourteen feet in the well, which was pumped out. The water was allowed to run 30 minutes and 400 gallons were then pumped. This was done the second time and the amount was again pumped out. This was sufficient in the judgment of the committee to warrant a thorough test, so an option was secured on the land where the well stands and arrangements made for the digging of a well 20 feet square. The water is said to be soft and will run almost as well as rain water. A thorough test will be made of this water and if it seems to hold a supply of water that will meet the city's needs a bond election will be asked for the raising of funds to put in a system of water works for Crowell. It is estimated that \$50,000 will be a sufficient amount to put water all over Crowell, if this well proves to be the water.

Farm Bureau News

1776 when the Declaration of Independence was signed, there were many who chose to hold aloof. Success meant independence, but failure meant death to all signers. We are, and rightly, the signers of the pact. Today we are asking the signers to sign a declaration of independence. Not of political independence but against servitude nevertheless. The merchants are organized for their benefit. The bankers are organized, the printers are organized, the bricklayers, the carpenters, the miners. The railroads have their brotherhoods. Even the hobos have their union. The farmers, the industry of all, have not a body to call their own. For shame, if you think we should go out before the barn and kick ourselves about it every time?

At last a ray of hope appears, because adversity forced it. The Farm Bureau is growing by leaps and bounds but have you joined? Are you putting all the work, worry and expense on the other fellow? Don't you know the load may get too heavy? Don't you guess those who are working for the good of all get discouraged, and at times may ask themselves what's the use. We know success is across the dark stretch. Can we reach the goal? Down in your heart are you wanting success. If you don't believe you don't deserve success. The bricklayers didn't ask your advice but their union. The banker did ask you for counsel when you were joining the union, then why ask him? Does anyone believe for one moment that individuals can do what an organized body can do? Suppose in the army every soldier were fighting for himself like the farmers have been doing, would they do anything? No, you would not.

Far be it from me to array class against class, but don't you know the standard of living among the farmers is lower than most of those who are off the farms? Organized we can help in ten thousand ways. If you are not a member would you not be ashamed to gather in the fruit of others' toil?

The Farm Bureau is the parent of, to speak, the wool growers association, the cotton marketing association, etc. Your membership fee in the Farm Bureau covers your membership fee in the others. The Farm Bureau is the consolidate whole. Our attorney, Aaron Sapiro, is now on a speaking tour of Texas. He speaks at Abilene, the nearest point, May 2 at 2 p. m. Several carloads from here should go and hear him. If you can go see Mr. Chaney once.

If you are not a member, write to W. A. COGDELL, Sec'y, Foard County Farm Bureau, for information or see your local secretary.

Many Attend North Texas Club Women's Annual Convention

Wichita Falls, April 25.—Opening this afternoon with the business session of the executive board, held at the Kemp Hotel, the twentieth annual convention of the First District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, gives promise of being one of the most largely attended, and best meetings in the history of their federation.

Mrs. Mark Henry of Crowell, the district president, is presiding. Mrs. J. T. Carter, secretary, the other district officers and Mrs. Florence C. Floore, the State president, are also in attendance.

Practically every federated club in the district will be represented at the meeting, it was brought out in the executive board meeting, and those few who will have no delegates are sending their reports, so that there will be a complete and comprehensive summary made of the achievement of club women in North Texas.

President's evening was observed tonight, the program being held in the First M. E. Church, South, the headquarters of the convention. Mrs. Paul Donald of Bowie, first vice president of the district, presided and Mrs. M. P. Bewley of Fort Worth, responded to the addresses of welcome made by Mayor W. D. Cline, Hubert M. Harrison, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Fred C. Barron, president of the City Federation, for the club women of the city.

Mrs. Moore, the State president, and Mrs. Henry, district president, were presented with bouquets of roses by the members of the Wichita Falls federation, the hostesses.

The evening program was preceded by a banquet honoring the executive board, the State officers and other distinguished visitors present. There were fifty in attendance, the banquet was held at the Kemp Hotel.

Tuesday morning the registrations of the delegation and visitors will take place. At 9:30 o'clock the business sessions will begin. Routine reports of committees will be in order for Tuesday.

Country Home Destroyed by Fire Tuesday Morning

The news of the destruction of J. P. Lilly's home near Foard City by fire Tuesday morning is a matter of regret to all the friends of the family.

It was early in the morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lilly had eaten breakfast and were at the cow lot milking, when they discovered the house on fire. It seems to have originated in the kitchen and is thought to have caught in the ceiling from the flue or stove pipe.

They barely had time to get the two children from the bed in time to save their lives. The house with all its contents was destroyed. There was no insurance and the loss is very heavy on Mr. Lilly. Just how much the loss amounts to we have not learned.

Death of Mrs. Josie Huddleston

Mrs. Josie Huddleston of Mabank, Texas, died Thursday, April 21, in this city at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Beverly. A few weeks ago Mrs. Huddleston became ill and was taken to Dallas where she was examined by physicians and her trouble was pronounced cancer of the liver, but it was thought there would be no immediate danger of death. Mrs. Beverly was with her at the time and believing the change would be good for her Mrs. Huddleston accompanied her home. On Friday, the 15th, her condition grew worse and continued so until death came on last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Huddleston was born in Kaufman County August 18, 1872, and lived near Mabank all of her life. She joined the Methodist church when young and lived a consistent christian until death. She is survived by six children who are as follows:

Mrs. J. R. Beverly of this city, Ed Perkins of Dallas, Miss Myrtle Huddleston who is teaching in the Hawaiian Islands, Carroll Huddleston of Mabank, Willis Huddleston of Dallas, and Miss Lola Huddleston who is teaching at Allen, Texas.

The remains were shipped to Mabank where funeral services were held and interment took place Sunday morning, Rev. Jackson of Allen, a former pastor, officiating.

Miss Lela Womack returned Sunday from a week's visit to Vernon.

To the Property Tax Paying Voters of Foard County

Our county judge and all four of the commissioners are desirous of your co-operation with them in the road building program which has been launched for Foard County. They want to serve you, but they feel that they can not do this as they would like to unless they are relieved of the handicap under which they have always worked in the matter of road building. So the petition for a bond election of \$150,000 for that purpose was acted upon and the election ordered, every commissioner and the county judge heartily endorsing the proposition.

Now what these commissioners want to do is to put up a system of highways over the county for the service they will be to our people. Roughly outlined the proposition is to build about 90 miles of highway in the county, 30 miles of which will be designated state roads and 60 miles laterals. The program includes 8 miles north to Pease River, 22 miles east to the Wilbarger County line, these being State highways, on which we can get 50 per cent of the cost of construction from the state. The remaining 60 miles, which constitute two thirds of the entire system outlined, are to run into the various communities of the county, the purpose being to reach as many people as is possible, or to get as close to every home as is practicable in the county. These lateral roads will connect up with the state highways and will be put up on the same plan and will be like them. So when they are completed no one in the county can be further than a few miles from a highway.

The cost of these highways will be in the neighborhood of \$2,600 per mile. These figures have been procured from Mr. Noland, the engineer, who has constructed the highway from Crowell to Wichita River south, and knows what the cost is, and these are taken as a basis. Through the eastern portion of the county he thinks the cost will be less than this, while in the rougher portions it will likely be a little more. The 30 miles of state highway figured on to the Hardeman and Wilbarger county lines will approximate \$78,000. Supposing a bridge across Pease River to cost \$40,000, half of that amount would belong to Hardeman County, which would leave Foard County responsible for \$20,000, but since the state is helping on this stretch of road and furnishes half the money our cost of a bridge would be half of \$20,000, or \$10,000, provided these figures are correct. We have allowed in this estimate \$10,000 more as the cost of a bridge across the river than Austin Bros. at Dallas estimated. They estimated it to cost \$30,000, while we here allow \$40,000. Add the cost of these sections of highway, \$78,000 to half the cost of the bridge, \$20,000 and we have \$98,000, half of which the state pays, and that leaves Foard County to put up \$49,000. Now the remainder of the bond issue of \$150,000, which will leave us a little more than \$100,000 is to be applied on lateral roads, as is stated above, into the various communities. That means that each of the four commissioners will have for road construction about \$25,000. So the communities are to get two thirds of this issue.

Again emphasis is here given that the aim of the issue is to give our county a system of roads for the service of our people. By means of the amount of money the bond election will enable the commissioners to raise for roads these can and will be put up as permanent propositions and they will then be maintained, because our maintenance fund is growing all the time and can be used in no other way. That is the automobile tax. We might say here that this fund amounted to \$3,722.84 from Feb. 1, 1920, until Feb. 1, 1921, nearly twice as much as is now necessary for the maintenance of the 32 miles of highway we already have. This fund will increase. This is mentioned to show that the matter of maintenance will not mean an additional expense, and when the laterals, or inter-county highways have been built and designated by the commissioners court of Foard County, then this automobile fund can be used for their maintenance.

Now as to the increase of taxes. The amount of money that will be necessary to pay the interest and create a sinking fund for these bonds will be \$13,250 for the first year, and of course the interest decreases with each year. But that is the maximum yearly cost. On our \$5,000,000 valuations it would take about 22 cents on the \$100 to create the \$13,250. Now, we already have a special road tax of 15 cents, and this tax creates a fund of \$9,000 a year, which is to be used for road purposes, either for building or maintenance purposes. It is not likely that all of it will have to be used for maintenance, or more than half of it, so in all probability not more than 10 cents on the hundred would be necessary to take care of the \$150,000 bond issue. In case none of the 15 cents is available to apply on this, 22 cents would be ample, which would increase taxes only a very small amount.

If there are those who have not rode over the highway from Wichita River to the Cottle County line, they are invited to take a spin over that road and see just what they are.

We believe the people on the south and west side of the county who have the benefit of the highway will vote for the bonds to help people in other portions of the county get a highway. This road was built by warrants issued against the general fund, but the roads we now propose to build will have to be financed by money raised by bonds. This is the only way we can get more roads, and what State aid we get on these must be procured before June 1, when government funds revert to Washington.

---Campaign Com. Foard Co. Chamber of Commerce.

ADJT. GENERAL BARTON TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK

The Adjutant General of Texas will pay us a visit next week. Capt. Adams received the information in a letter Tuesday from Maj. C. L. Test, instructor Texas National Guard, that Adjutant General Thomas D. Barton with Colonel C. W. Nimon would go by rail to Amarillo Monday, there get General Barton's car and make a trip back down the Denver visiting all the places where National Guard companies were contemplated, arriving here some time about the middle of the week to look over the situation.

General Barton was a Major in the 142nd infantry in France and was decorated by three different countries including the highest decoration in the United States. The hill just east of St. Etienne was named Barton's Hill because he held that hill with the 3rd battalion of the 142nd infantry against a counter attack by the enemy.

Colonel Nimon who accompanies him was Commander of Trains, same division. Both of these gentlemen have long military records, are of pleasing personality, and Captain Adams would be glad to have as many people meet them as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier and children visited in Knox City and Rochester Sunday.

Sale of Cream Grows

Since having started to handle cream on March 19th Woodard & Matthews have had a growing business with this article. The following figures will show how it has grown. The first month this firm has handled \$465.39 worth of cream, and at the present rate it will run to nearly \$1,000 a month.

March 19, 3 1/2 cans, 25 gal.	\$23.07
March 24, 2 cans, 20 gal.	\$11.14
March 25, 6 cans, 60 gal.	\$34.24
March 30, 2 cans, 20 gal.	\$9.00
April 2, 8 cans, 80 gal.	\$46.97
April 6, 3 cans, 30 gal.	\$24.75
April 9, 8 cans, 80 gal.	\$62.66
April 13, 5 cans, 50 gal.	\$35.75
April 16, 6 cans, 60 gal.	\$43.08
April 20, 9 cans, 90 gal.	\$73.95
April 23, 12 cans, 120 gal.	\$100.78
Total	\$465.39

Rev. J. H. Hamblen, Dee Roberts, Mrs. S. S. Bell, J. W. Beverly of Crowell, and Rev. Fuller, J. W. Hunt, Walter Taylor and Mr. Boyd of Margaret attended district conference of the Methodist church at Quanah Wednesday and Thursday of last week. They report a pleasant visit and royal entertainment. Dinner and supper both days were served in the basement of the church by the ladies. There were three speakers for the educational movement present.

Crowell Boys Beat Eldorado; Play Frederick Here Tomorrow

Tomorrow the Crowell ball team will cross bats with the Frederick, (Okla.) team on the home diamond. This promises to be one of the most interesting games of the season, for the reason that Frederick is known as one of the best teams in this section of the Southwest and since the Crowell boys have been carrying off nearly every victory in games they have played this season, it is expected that Frederick will have no walkover by a long shot.

Crowell has played nine games already and has won seven of them. Our boys have won against Paducah, Vernon and Eldorado. The team at Eldorado is one of the best in the country and is the only team in this section that has ever beaten Frederick. Friday of last week Crowell beat Vernon 11 to 1. Monday our boys went to Eldorado and beat that team in two games, one Monday and the other Tuesday. Monday the scores were 14 to 5, and Tuesday we won 6 to 3 in a hard fought ten-inning game, the tie lasting until the first half of the tenth, when the Crowell boys brought their scores up to 6, Eldorado 3. This ended one of the hardest fought games our boys have been in up to the present.

The engagement with Frederick Saturday will create much interest and all those who like to see a good game of ball will have that privilege.

The Chillicothe Tragedy

Three persons were killed outright last week by a Denver train at Chillicothe when the train struck the car in which the party was riding, demolishing the car and killing instantly Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mudd and wounding the son, W. S. Mudd, who died a short while after the accident. It seems that the driver of the auto did not see the train nor did the engineer see the auto until the train was right on the auto. We understand that these people were residents of Wilbarger County.

W. S. Mudd married several years ago the daughter of J. H. Emory, who once lived in this county a few miles north of town, but who now resides at Abernathy. Mr. and Mrs. Mudd will be remembered by some of the old timers.

Tuition Raised to Lengthen Crowell School Term

A very small per cent of the children have stopped going to school because it became necessary to raise tuition money for six weeks to complete the 9 months term. While the amount paid will not be sufficient arrangements have been made with the banks to carry warrants until taxes are paid in again. It is figured that some \$500 will have to be carried in this way.

Sentiment seems to favor a provision that will better care for the schools and relieve the board of the embarrassment it often finds itself in, and a matter looking to that end will be put up to the patrons in the near future.

One thing is certain, we must have more money with which to run the schools at Crowell or else we shall have to quit trying to meet affiliation requirements. There is no way out of it.

The revival that is in progress at the Baptist church is attracting large crowds. The interest is fine and the co-operation is all that could be hoped for. The preacher started in under the difficulty of hoarseness which was caused by his preaching at Thalia for a week just before the meeting started here, but he is endeavoring hard to overcome this. The singing by home talent, the choir being made up of the leading singers of the town, is as good as one ordinarily hears. The invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the meeting and share its benedictions.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kimsey, accompanied by Claude McLaughlin and Miss Willie Woods, arrived Saturday from Nevada, Mo. Mrs. Kimsey has been at Nevada for treatment for her health. The trip was a heavy strain on her, but she soon came out from under its effects and has been feeling better.

Matthews & Woodard have sold enough watermelon seed to plant 50 acres in melons this spring. This is the longest step ever taken here in the planting of melons.

WEDNESDAY WAS FOARD COUNTY'S 30TH BIRTHDAY

During the month of February, 1891, a bill was introduced and passed by the house of representatives and the senate by which Foard County was created.

Sentiment in favor of the proposition had been so impressed on the minds of the members that there was not a dissenting vote in either house. J. A. Wright, J. C. Sanders and J. H. Self were appointed as a committee to organize the county.

On April 4th this committee met at Margaret, layed out boundaries for four commissioners precincts, selected voting places and named presiding officers for an election to be held on April 27th to determine the place for the county seat and elect county officers.

The following were the voting places and the number of votes cast:

Margaret	62
Crowell	26
Thalia	86
McLarty	16
Sanrock	52
Foard City	28
Pealorville	19
Total	289

For the County Seat Crowell got 183 votes and Foard City 105. What was then called Foard City was a point two and one half miles west from the court house. So we see that this week, April 27, can be considered the anniversary of the birth of our county and town.

Now let us all get together in mind and sentiment and make May 7 an anniversary day for the birth of good roads.

AN OLD TIMER.

Disposition of Wheat Crop

According to a statement issued by the State Department of Markets and Warehouses, extensive preparations are being made to assist Texas Farmers in the disposition of the wheat crop of the plains section which will be offered the market at harvesting time. Letters have been sent out to purchasers of wheat in the principle markets of Texas and other states and answers are being received daily from both purchasers of wheat for local consumption and exporters, expressing their desire to co-operate with the marketing department in facilitating the movement of this Texas crop. As pointed out by this Department, the wheat will be handled in a modern manner. It will be delivered at elevators where the facilities for cleaning, sacking, etc. are to be had and where it will be possible to have the grain properly graded.

With the wheat growers, at the present time, facing a declining market, it is imperative that pains be taken with the proper grading and loading of wheat to be shipped so that the top market price can be secured, and complications avoided, the statement from the department points out.

State Evangelist Geo. H. Morrison of the Christian Church was in Crowell Tuesday and Wednesday arranging to have the Christian church here send one or more delegates to the State Missionary Convention at Wichita Falls, May 9th to 13th. He had visited Paducah and arranged for a delegate from that church. Leading ministers and lay members from all over the state and speakers from out of the state will be there. Reports from over the state indicate a large attendance.

T. B. Klepper of the News was a visitor in Haskell, Stamford and Monday last week-end. He had the pleasure of going over the well-equipped newspaper plant of Sam Roberts at Haskell Saturday afternoon. It is very dry in that part of this county and the prospects of a small grain crop are not very promising.

W. M. Wisdom was town Tuesday. He told us about his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Matthews losing a fine mare that he had given her a short time ago. She was of the Steeldust and Livian stock which Mr. Wisdom had had since 1874, and several times he had refused \$250 for her. It is supposed that lightning struck her.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fields returned Monday from a trip to Plainview. They report conditions here to be better than on the Plains, and came back better satisfied than before. They also visited Mr. Fields sister in Spur.



The Dirt That Sifts From Your Clothes

If you could see the common street dirt, dust and grit that sifts from your clothes when they are dusted in our special dusting machine before we clean them, you'd wonder what happens when you wear clothes that are not dry-cleaned.

Of course the dirt sifts through, onto your under apparel—and your person.

More than that, it grinds and cuts the fibres of your outer garments—they wear out faster than they should.

Both for health's sake and economy's sake, skirts, jackets, suits and coats should be dry-cleaned frequently—and of course there is the matter of good looks to be considered, too.

Have us call for your things today. We dry-clean the modern way.

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Tires Will Be Scarce

Don't hold back thinking perhaps tires will go down. REASONS—Last summer there was a tremendous over-stock of tires. One of the largest manufacturers had a 100 per cent over-stock in his warehouse; as a result the curtailment of production has been the greatest ever known. 67 Gyp tire manufacturers went broke in a few months; the larger factories are operating at less than 25 per cent of normal production. 98 per cent of motorists are using their old tires that ordinarily would have been junked long ago; warm weather is near and you know what this means; everyone will need tires. Does it look as if they will get cheaper. Don't delay, your purchase.

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BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Pearl Polk is visiting in Crowell this week.

Emory Gray visited in the Black community Sunday.

Mrs. Northcut of Bakerflat was a guest of Mrs. Bursley Sunday.

Miss Ruby Johnston spent the week-end with Miss Susie Tye in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Borchardt are entertaining a new girl in their home.

Miss Susie Randolph of Jamison visited Miss Pearl Johnson last week.

Roy Faucett and his mother of Vivian were visiting in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy and children of Bakerflat were visitors at singing Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gafford of the Claytonville community spent Sunday at Mr. Harper's.

Misses Katie Lee and Willie Clair Burks of Gambleville were at singing Sunday night.

H. W. Black and family of Claytonville were visitors of the R. M. Cain family Sunday.

W. B. Jones and family went to church at Crowell Sunday morning and Sunday night.

W. C. Golden and family of Foard City were guests of John M. Johnston and family Sunday.

Miss Emma Pendleton of Crowell was a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Jones and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Newt Johnson is staying with her son, Jay Del, at Margaret until he is able to be moved home.

Woodie Robbins and Wilson Chandler of Foard City were visitors of our Sunday School Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lorena Bevers and Edna Willingham of the Foard City community were visitors of our Sunday School Sunday.

Mrs. French Straley of Margaret was in this community Monday taking orders for the Racine Hosiery Company.

Mrs. Florence Randolph and Mrs. Henry Gribble of Crowell were visitors of Mrs. Mack McGregor Sunday afternoon.

John M. Johnston and daughters, Misses Ruby and Johnnie, went to the Christian Science lecture at Crowell Thursday night.

Misses Julia and Marcelle Gafford of Claytonville community were guests of Misses Vera and Gladys Johnston Sunday.

A very large crowd was out at singing Sunday night with a number of visitors from other communities whose names we did not learn but we hope they will come again.

Hay Clayton of Claytonville, Sam Tye and Tom Bray and Misses Susie Tye, Vera Carver and Myrtle Gollightly of Crowell were visiting in this community Sunday afternoon.

We wish to correct the mistake we made in last week's News. In stating that there would be a box supper at the school house Saturday night we should have said a pie supper. Let's all try to be present.

While motoring to Margaret Friday afternoon to play basket ball a very sad accident happened to some of the Beaver boys. They were one half mile from Margaret when turning a corner the car turned over and slid a short distance on the side. The occupants were Uncas and Paul Ely, Jay Del Johnson and Howard Bursley. Uncas Ely was the only one who escaped uninjured. Paul Ely received some minor injuries while Howard Bursley got his collar bone broken and Jay Del Johnson was very seriously hurt, getting a lower limb broken twice above the knee and was internally injured also. He will stay at Mr. T. P. Hunter's until he is able to be moved home which will be a month or six weeks. All of the boys are doing well at present and we hope they will continue to improve.

JAMISON NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Math Patton was in Crowell Saturday.

Miss Ruby Fowler was in Crowell Monday.

Perry Hunter and son, Ralph, were in Crowell Saturday.

Barn Martin and Howell Overstreet were in Crowell Saturday.

Howell Overstreet is visiting his sister, Mrs. Barn Martin.

We had church services at the school house Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Howard were in Crowell Saturday on business.

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We want our customers to know that we have a nice line of trunks, all kinds, all sizes and prices.

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Wardrobe Trunks up to	\$50.00
3-Ply Basswood, Fibre Bound Trunks, with end Clamps as well as on sides, 36-inch	\$27.75
Same Trunks, 32-inch	\$26.25
Steamer Trunks	\$18.25
Other Trunks down to	\$9.75

Do Not Fail to See Before You Buy

W. R. WOMACK

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

Miss Bessie Patton entertained the young people with a party Friday night. All report a nice time.

Miss Lucile Howard who is attending school at Crowell visited home-folks from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter, Miss Lela, attended Sunday School and church here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover of Crowell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Howard from Saturday until Sunday afternoon.

Miss Fay Alexander entertained the young folks Tuesday night with a party. There was a large crowd present and every one had a good time.

There is Sunday School at the school house every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and choir practice every Saturday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

Cliff Patton of Margaret spent the week-end with his uncle, Math Patton. Howell Overstreet, Earl Anderson and several boys from Crowell went fishing at Damsite Saturday and returned Sunday afternoon. They had fairly good luck.

Adelphian Club

The Adelphian Club met Wednesday, April 20th, with Mrs. Henry Burress. We were pleased to have Mesdames Harris and McKown as visitors, also Mrs. McGonagle as a new member.

Mrs. Sandifer stated that the curtain for the school auditorium had arrived and would be installed immediately.

After instructive current events a review of our art study was discussed which gave us the different steps art has made from the beginning down to the present time. Also the most prominent artists, sculptors and architects in the several countries.

The hostess then served a refreshing ice course.

The next meeting is the federation meeting at Mrs. H. E. Ferguson's.—Press Reporter.

DODSON'S LIVER TONE

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Calomel is quicksilver. It attacks the bones and paralyzes the liver. Your dealer sells each bottle of pleasant, harmless "Dodson's Liver Tone" under an ironclad, money-back guarantee that it will regulate the liver, stomach and bowels better than calomel, without sickening or salivating you—15 million bottles sold. 63

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Foard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of W. C. Cook, deceased, Lavinia Cook, has filed in the county court of Foard County, an application for the probate of the last Will and Testament of said W. C. Cook, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1921, the same being the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, this the 19th day of April, A. D. 1921.

MARIE HARRIS-BURRESS,
42 Clerk, Co. Court, Foard Co., Tex.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation of the kindness and sympathy of our neighbors and friends during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Sallie Webb.

BAILEY WEBB,
WILL WEBB,
MATTIE WEBB.

Registered Poland China pig—gilts 6 months old, 1 male pig, a pig, sired by Improver and Smo King dam, 30 March pigs just the members.—Ferguson Bros. and C. B. Blevins.

Trespass Notice

This is to give notice that all trespassing in any way on the land passing on my place is forbidden. Mrs. W. S. Bell.

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

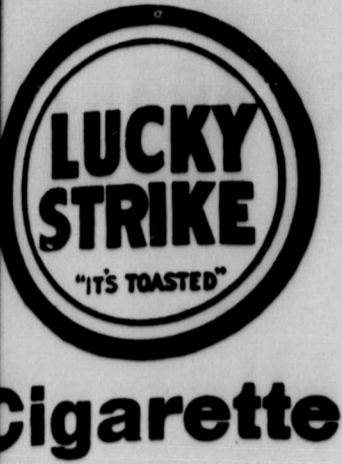
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Methodist Church Notes

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, H. A. Boaz, President of South-Methodist University at Dallas...

at the Presbyterian Church

The News is requested to announce that Rev. W. M. Baker will be at the Presbyterian church next Sunday to occupy the pulpit at the morning hour.

MARGARET MUSINGS (By Special Correspondent)

Some of our people are doing good work building roads which were much needed.

Our young men have a base ball craze and are playing every other community that dares to tackle them.

We learn that Mrs. Walter Taylor was taken sick while visiting in Vernon and Walter has gone to be with her.

The grain crop which was so promising is fast deteriorating on account of the dry winds and scarcity of moisture.

Farmers who have planted cotton and feed crops are having trouble getting the seeds to germinate. Others are waiting for rain.

I have notice from Oklahoma that I am again a granddaddy and Sam Taylor is rejoicing over the advent of a four-pound daughter. I knew when my wife left she had something on her mind.

Some of our boys went over to play Crowell but failed to have on their regulation uniform and were turned down. The boys say that they wanted an excuse for they were afraid to play them.

We need to bond the county to build special roads for racing and speeding purposes. Some parties coming to our town to play basket ball were racing on our public roads and were badly hurt. If we have any laws preventing speeding and incompetent driving they should be enforced and if not, it would be well to make some.

In regard to our bond controversy, I want it understood that I am not electioneering for or against road bonds, but I want the matter put before the people correctly and then let them vote as they please. There are no niggers in my wood pile. It is rats and what the long tailed rats leave the bob tailed ones want to destroy. In regard to Pease River. The south bank is where it is above high water mark. Pease River is a part of Red River and the courts have recently settled the south boundary there. I am surprised at the News trying to ridicule old age. He is altogether too progressive and is not as young himself as he used to be. I

would like to see how he will look when he reaches three score and ten. He insinuates that I and of course other commissioners including the judge sold our interest in the Pease River bridge for the paltry sum of \$1,000. If we did we should have a reward for we did not have any valid claim. The approach at the south bank had washed away and the bridge was in Hardeman County. I may be living in the past but I am too young to load my neighbors with taxation where they will receive no benefit and their grandchildren will have the bill to pay.

AYERSVILLE NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Pauley have purchased a home in Margaret and moved there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peacock spent Sunday with the latter's parents near Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Johnson at Thalia.

There was a large crowd at the singing at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crews' Sunday night.

J. B. Withers and wife took dinner with George Burress and wife at Margaret Sunday.

Yaney Lindsey, wife and baby of Thalia spent Saturday with Carol Lindsey and wife.

J. H. Watts and wife of Iowa Park visited relatives here from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. R. Fox attended the meeting and visited relatives at Thalia Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Gamble and family of Chillicothe visited from Saturday until Monday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble.

Revs. Billington of Crowell and Henderson of Margaret, and Mrs. Jesse Owens and baby of Thalia, spent Friday in the D. M. Shultz home.

V. A. McGinnis came in Friday from the Plains to bring Zella McGinnis and Bertie Flowers and babies who had been visiting in the McGinnis and Phillips homes up there.

Mrs. John Davis received a telegram Saturday that her sister in Dun-

can, Okla., was very sick with small-pox. Ray Pyle and wife took Mr. and Mrs. Davis to Vernon Saturday evening where Mrs. Davis was to take the train but on account of bad connections Ray Pyle took them on to Duncan that night in his car. Mrs. Pyle visited with Clarence Haney and wife in Vernon until Sunday evening.

TOO HEALTHY FOR MEDICINE

People of Tristan da Cunha Throw Supply Left by British Cruiser Into the Sea.

The island of Tristan da Cunha is described as "an unspoiled haven of rest for the weary soul, a mecca for those who long for relief from worries of life." by the chaplain of the British cruiser Dartmouth, which has just returned from a visit to that isolated spot.

"No need to worry over money there, for there is none," said the chaplain. "There are no taxes, no doctors, no lawyers, no clergymen, no policemen, not even a head man. Newspapers and mail arrive, with luck, about once every two years."

"There is not even any medicine, for the latest supply of remedies was thrown into the sea by the inhabitants, who are remarkably healthy. Epidemics are unknown."

"Tristan is a British possession in the south Atlantic, between South Africa and South America. Its snow-capped peak towers nearly 8,000 feet above sea level. It is only 21 miles in circumference. The nearest inhabited place is St. Helena, 1,200 miles away. The only habitable portion of it is a tongue of fertile land at the foot of the precipitous cliffs."

Egyptian Worship of the Sun.

The Egyptians were, early in their history (about 4000 B. C.), attracted by this flight of the sun. They evolved their religion on the thesis that life was given by the sun. It was the heat that he gave that caused all things to grow, and he gave to man warmth and comfort. So they created the god of the sun, and called him Ra-Harachte. In one of the earliest cities, built on the east side of the Nile, and a little to the north of modern Cairo, they erected his first temple. The city was called On, later named by the Greeks Heliopolis, the City of the Sun. Here the Egyptians established the priesthood of Ra, a sect that became famous for its knowledge of the occult sciences, the practice of magic, and the laws of medicine and astrology. It was with them the youthful Moses was brought up, and it was by his art he had mastered in the priesthood of On that enabled him later to put into practice his magic before Pharaoh which finally led to the liberation of the Israelites.

House Joint Resolution No. 30 Relating to the amending of Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas; abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows: Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the prison system under the supervision, management and control of such officer or officers as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law. Sec. 2. The above constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words: "For the amendment of Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words: "Against the Amendment of Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law. Sec. 4. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

S. L. STAPLES, Secretary of State.

For sale at my place 6 miles east of Crowell one extra set of iron wheels for wagon, one low wagon, one Success Sulkey plow, one double disc breaking plow, Canton make, good bright maize \$10 per ton.—A. Bird.46p

Miss Bertha Tidwell, teacher of the Forestburg school in Hardeman County, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cole.

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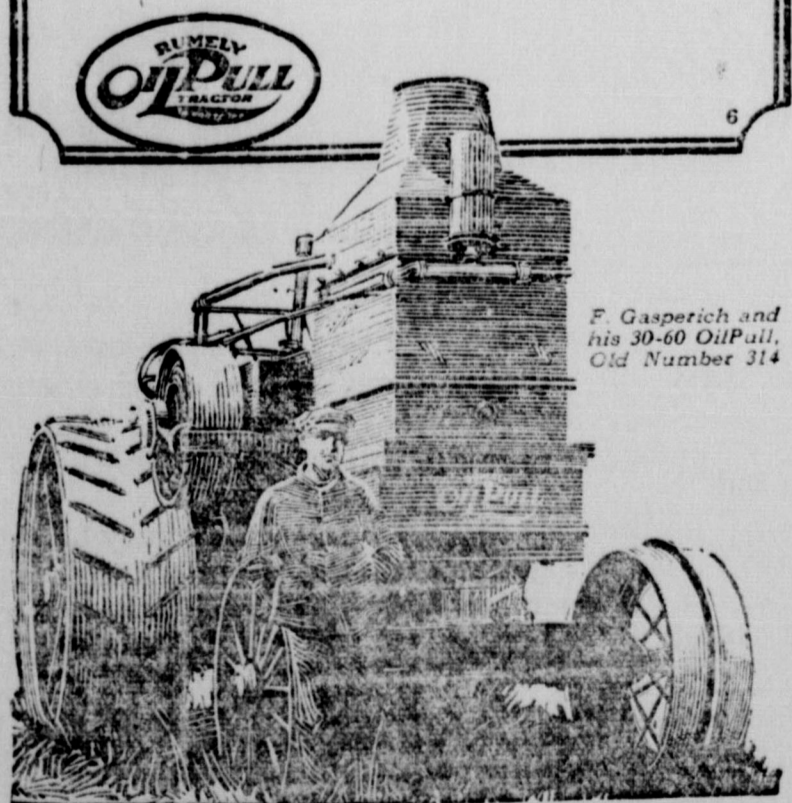
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More About the Highway

Some of our readers have indicated to the News that there is not enough definiteness as to where the highways are going to be built, provided bonds carry.

On this point no one can be definite at this time. Perhaps it is necessary to go into detail just here a little. This is the proposition as to the way highways to be designated by the state are located. The State claims the right to have some say as to where a road shall be placed, since the state puts up half the money with which to build such roads, so the state engineer for the district in which Foard County is located, comes and with the resident engineer, who is Mr. Noland, goes over all the routes that would claim consideration at all for any reason, and those men decide upon the most logical route. The three principal matters to be considered by these engineers are service to the most people, length of route, and best country over which to build with the least money. The district engineer goes to Austin and makes his report of what he and the resident engineer have done and he and the State Highway Commission go over the proposition and there the route is designated.

It is 8 miles from Crowell to Pease River and about 22 miles to the Wilbarger County line. These stretches of road, neither of which has been designated as yet, would come in as state highways and consequently would get 50 per cent of the money with which to build from the state and federal government. These would become state highways by reason of the fact that they would start somewhere and end somewhere, that is, the points of destination would be on the north highway Quanah and Crowell, and on the east Vernon and Crowell. The Government has been very liberal in granting aid for the construction of intercounty highways, but it plans a change to one of an exclusive national character, which will leave us to build our roads ourselves. This aid is still available but application for it must be made by a certain date this summer.

The two stretches of highway referred to above make about 30 miles. Mr. Noland, the engineer who has been constructing the highway south, thinks the highway east will cost approximately \$2,000 per mile. It may cost more to put up the road to the river on account of the cement work that would be necessary on culverts. Figure on that basis the 30 miles of state highway would approximate \$78,000. What the bridge would cost can not be figured at this time. That is a matter in which the state would have a voice, since it furnishes half the money. But, whatever it cost Harleman would get half from the state and Foard would get half, which would make it actually cost us one-fourth of the entire amount. All this work, it would seem, could be put up at an actual cost to the county of an amount not to exceed \$40,000 or \$50,000, leaving \$100,000 with which to construct laterals in the county.

The News has looked into this matter with the view of giving its readers as good an idea as possible relative to the whole proposition. All the remainder of the highways that the commissioners want to build is intended to make a connected system over the county as far as is possible with the view of serving the most people possible. Not a single town will be left off of a highway, and every one of them will be built up to specifications that will put them in the class of standard roads. The biggest end of this fund will go into roads leading out from the state highways and it will be up to the commissioner of each precinct to represent his constituency in this matter as best he can. The commissioners will have the entire matter of building these laterals in their hands because they represent the people who are paying for all the construction of the laterals.

Here is one of the propositions that should appeal to every man who wants a road. Instead of wasting money now and then by throwing up a little dirt here and there, it is thought best to put the roads up all over the county according to the specifications that will class them as first-class highways and then maintain them. By this means we will always have good roads. They must be maintained but first of all we must have something to maintain. Maintenance money would be just as foolishly spent on a road that is not first of all built, as building money would be spent on one that is not to be maintained. As the News pointed out in a former article, when the laterals are put up as highways and the commissioners then designate them as such, the automobile fund can be used for maintenance

purposes on these just as it can on the state highways, but not until then. So every dollar of automobile tax one pays until we get these laterals goes to maintain the highway already built, and if we vote against the bond issue we say by doing so that we are willing to help those people who now have the highway not only pay for it but to maintain it also, for our automobile tax will lie in the treasury unused if it is not all needed to help maintain that highway. To be sure it would be rather generous of us, but they are showing as much by asking the privilege of helping the other portions of the county get their share of the good roads. They want to help build them and then they want to help maintain them.

The automobile taxes for this county from February 1920, to February 1921, amounted to \$7,445.68, half of which went to the state and half retained in this county. The half that goes to the state is added to the state automobile fund and goes to aid those counties that are asking for it and are building highways according to the state's requirements. So if Foard County does not see fit to get in line for more of this state aid some other county will, and we will therefore be helping others to build their highways. It may be that half the auto tax you pay will help some road in East Texas. That is certainly true if we do not get our share of the state fund. The other half of this fund, \$3,722.84 will be applied as far as it is needed on the highway we have already built to keep it up. If we do not build more highways in the county a good part of this fund will lie idle because it will not be needed for maintenance purposes unless we build more highways to maintain. The automobile fund is growing every year, and consequently the longer we postpone the building of roads in the county the larger will be each yearly increase of that fund that can not be used except for the maintenance of highways. We can vote bonds for the building of highways with an increase of taxes amounting to about 20 cents on the hundred dollars and put highways all over the county and have this automobile fund in their maintenance. Does it not look like good business to get these while we can? The maintenance proposition is already settled.

Our Margaret correspondent has no argument to make this week against the bond election and says he is not electioneering for or against the proposition. He says he wants the folks to have the facts in regard to this matter, and therefore leaves us to infer that he will be satisfied any way the election goes, provided the people have all the facts relative to the matter and then cast their votes accordingly. If everything is not explained to the voters between now and election day it will be because time will not permit it, but enough will be said on the subject for and against to enable most voters to arrive at an honest decision as to how they should cast their votes. Personally we are strong for bonds. We have given our reasons. They are based on no hopes or expectations of any special service of personal interests. We expect to get a common share of the common benefits which a system of good roads and highways over the county will have to offer our people. We do not assume that any man has ideals of true citizenship less lofty than those we have. He can vote against good roads and be as good citizen as anybody, but in order to be that and vote for or against he must believe he is serving the best interests of the most people by so doing.

Let nobody be misled by false statements as to the bridge building matter. Only one bridge has ever been thought of in connection with the bond issue and that is a remote proposition. There are as many chances that we will not get a bridge across Pease River as there is that we will get one, and even if we should the cost to this county would certainly not exceed \$10,000 or \$15,000. Nobody knows what Harleman County will do in the matter, but let Harleman do what she will, we want roads over Foard County and that is what \$140,000 out of that \$150,000 is to be used for even if the bridge is built. As to the bridge across Wichita River, that has already been provided for out of the general fund against which warrants have been issued. So there is no certainty whatever that if the bonds carry there will be a single bridge built. But the highways will be built. That is the primary purpose of the bond issue, and 60 miles of the 90 will be put into the various communities in the county.

Is there danger of becoming too progressive? What does the word "progressive" mean? Dictionary says: moving forward; proceeding onward; advancing; opposed to retrograde. According to these definitions one would have to move too far or too fast, or maybe both, to become too progressive. In other words, he would have to break the speed limit and maybe run over somebody, and thereby subject himself to a fine, or else just get up and run clear off from everybody. We may charge younger folks as becoming too progressive, but that depends on how fast we ourselves are going and in what direction. If we are traveling in the same direction as they, we don't notice the speed. If we are standing still or going in the opposite direction, the speed appears faster than it would otherwise. This truth applied to the conditions of the present day explains the charge that some are too "progressive." Every question must advance a step, or by standing, retrograde. No man lives up to his privileges or his duty if he stands in the tracks of his father. His own happiness requires that he move forward; the highest good of his community demands it.

Some idea as to what good roads mean to a community is to be had from statements such as H. Young made to us the other day. Mr. Young lives in the Vivian community about 20 miles from Crowell and the same number of miles from Quanah. "But," said he, "I live about half as far from Crowell as from Quanah, because I have a highway to Crowell and have to travel the same old road to Quanah." He says practically every man in his part of the county will vote for the bonds on May 7.

Points in East Texas have been flooded recently with heavy rains. West Texas would like to see some rain, but rather than have to take it by spouts we prefer a shortage of water and an abundance of sunshine. Wheat will likely be cut short, but some farmers are expecting fair crops even if no more rain comes. But a good rain just now would look mighty good for the wheat.

Property tax payers will be qualified voters in the bond election, provided they hold a poll tax receipt. Those paying a poll only will not be allowed to vote.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Boss Roark on the 26th, a fine boy.

For carbon paper and blotters see the News.

House Joint Resolution No. 11
Proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Legislature may grant pensions to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows, who have been citizens of Texas since prior to January 1, 1910, providing that all soldiers, sailors and their widows eligible under the provisions hereof, shall be entitled to be placed upon the rolls and participate in the pension fund created hereunder; levying a tax of (\$.87) cents on the \$100.00 valuation of property in this State for the payment of such pension, providing that the Legislature may reduce the rate of pension for such purpose, fixing a time for the election to be held on such amendment, and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 51: The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever, provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent or disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors, who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1910, and to their widows, in indigent circumstances and who have been bona fide residents of this State since January 1, 1910, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors prior to January 1, 1910, and to indigent or disabled soldiers who under special laws of the State of Texas during the war between the states served in organization for the protection of the frontier against Indian raiders or Mexican marauders and to indigent and disabled soldiers of militia of the State of Texas who were in active service during the war between the states and to the widows of such soldiers and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1910, provided that the lines of this Section shall not apply to women born since the year 1861, and all soldiers and sailors and widows of soldiers and sailors eligible under the above conditions shall be entitled to be placed upon the pension rolls and participate in the distribution of the pension fund of this State under any existing law or laws hereafter passed by the Legislature, and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law, provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home. There is hereby levied in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas a State ad valorem tax on property of seven (\$.97) cents on the \$100.00 valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the pay-

ment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax herein levied, and provided further that the provisions of this Section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which all voters shall have printed or written on their ballots: "For amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows who have been a resident of this State since January 1, 1910," and "Against amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers and their widows."

Sec. 3. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State, and the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the general funds of this State not otherwise appropriated for expenses of publications and elections thereunder. S. L. STAPLES, Secretary of State.

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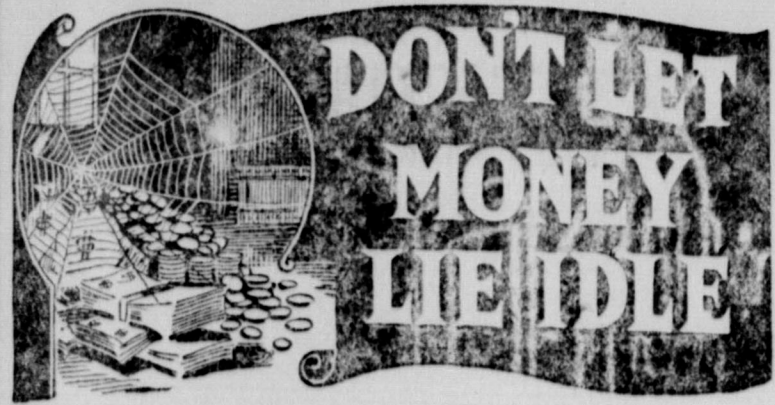
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1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.

Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Slightly used Oakland Sensible Six for sale.—S. S. Bell.

Good Jersey and Durham milk cow for sale.—Rob Wells. 47

First class sewing for ladies and children.—Mrs. H. Townsley.

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Picture show at the opera house every night beginning promptly at 7:45.

Chicken dinner at the Just-a-Bite Saturday. Eat with us.—Y. W. A.

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

Chevrolet, 1917 model, in good condition, a bargain. Will trade for cows.—Leo Spencer.

We sell genuine Ford parts. Do not allow bogus or imitation parts to go in your Ford. Spot cash.—Self Motor Co.

Buicks.—S. S. Bell.

For Sale—One header.—J. W. Bell.

Plain sewing wanted.—Mrs. W. F. Carter. 46p

Ice cream on Sunday at the Sanitary Cafe.

Use a Florence oil cook stove.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Fishing poles 40c and 50c at Self's Hardware store.

Rice sacks for sale, size 21x33 1/2 feet.—J. H. Olds.

Rev. J. H. Hamblen is in Anson on business, leaving Tuesday.

Have your binder canvass repaired early.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Maize at \$12.00 per ton at farms or \$15.00 in town.—M. S. Henry.

Phonograph to trade for a good second hand piano.—Texas Music Co.

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Maize for sale, three miles west of Thalia.—G. G. Crews. 4f

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Let us give you some real Ford service at the regular Ford price. Spot cash.—Self Motor Co.

I have some good maize for sale at my barn in town and some at different farms.—M. S. Henry.

Lost—Gold airline pin set with small ruby, between town and Russell Beverly's home.—Gladys Benson.

L. D. Harris and P. O. Williams have recently put in a meat market in the oil field at Duncan, Okla.

Mrs. G. E. Spencer left Sunday for Prairie Hill where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Dyer, for a month.

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Miss Leona Cook came down from Altus Sunday on a visit with home-folks. She is attending a business school in Altus.

John Davis and wife of Paducah were here Monday and were on their way to Mineral Wells. They stopped over with Mrs. T. N. Bell.

If a storage battery could sing, "How Dry I Am," would be its favorite. Let us water your battery and give it the proper care.—Self Motor Co.

A few pigs for sale at from \$3.50 to \$7.50 each. Registered Duroc Jerseys, \$10.00. See Luke Graham near Foard City.—J. W. Beverly.

For Sale—My place in Crowell consisting of a four-room house, two lots, cistern and other improvements, plenty of outbuildings.—H. D. Poland. 46p

B. D. Webb was in from the Thalia community Tuesday. Mr. Webb expressed himself as heartily in favor of the bond election for good roads.

L. H. Smith and family left last week for Randlett, Okla., where they will make their home. Mr. Smith is engaged in the dry goods business at that place.

Will Emory was here Saturday from Abernathy. He had been to Chillicothe to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, W. S. Mudd, who was killed by a train at that place.

Mrs. C. Ferguson, delegate, and Mrs. S. J. Ferguson of the Columbian Club of this city are attending the 20th annual convention of Texas Federated Women's Clubs in Wichita Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Donahoe of Killean, Texas, father and mother of Mrs. F. E. Overton, also Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dennis, of Shamrock, were here the first of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Overton.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR

FOR LADIES

Fit Rite brand of underwear for ladies is ideal and is all the name implies. Cumfy Cuts for ladies in vests and unions please.

FOR MEN

B. V. D.'s are the best and we have sizes from 36 to 48. Also complete line of the Keep Kools and Porin knits. Buy your summer underwear from us—we can please you.

Self Dry Goods Co.

Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.

Sudan grass seed 10c per pound at A. L. Johnson's.

Chicken dinner at the Just-a-Bite Saturday. Eat with us.—Y. W. A.

J. W. Kirby left Monday for Duncan, Okla., where he expects to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burns and children spent Sunday with relatives in Crowell.

Miss Dorothy Thompson is here from Wichita Falls for a few days visit and rest.

30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill. 4f

Just received another shipment of galvanized chicken coops.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Wood for sale at \$3.00 per load. See W. P. Ely at farm or M. S. Henry at Crowell.

Listen! Come! Ice cream and cake at the Just-a-Bite Saturday. Don't miss this treat.—Y. W. A.

C. P. Sandifer sold 148 acres of land at Rayland last week to Dr. German. The doctor sold this same land in 1919.

Insurance

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Farm, Livestock, Automobile, Cotton.

LEO SPENCER

ACCURACY, PROMPTNESS, COURTESY, ECONOMY

Above everything else our drug service is accurate.

Every prescription is filled as given, your every request met as you intended.

We solicit your drug business on merit. You will not be disappointed in a single deal made here.

ACCURACY SERVICE COURTESY

Owl Drug Store

PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

PENSLAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS

PHONE -27-



How Do You Stand with Your Bank?

As a business man, are you taking your banker into your confidence?

Confidence and co-operation are collateral traits which are necessary to the life and maintenance of all business.

Rest assured if you co-operate with us you will receive the benefit of one of the unvarying policies of this bank—that of strict secrecy as to any business problem intrusted to us.

Feel free to come in and talk with us.

THE FIRST STATE BANK OF CROWELL
M. L. HUGHSTON, Vice President SAM CREWS, Cash.

Listen! Come! Ice cream and cake at the Just-a-Bite Saturday. Don't miss this treat.—Y. W. A.

About 50 loads of wood for sale at \$3.00 per load. See W. P. Ely at farm or M. S. Henry at Crowell.

Mrs. Luther Roberts of Oklahoma City is here visiting her father, J. W. Beverly, and other relatives.

Galvanized chicken coops arrived. What you have been wanting to save the chicks from rats.—J. H. Self & Sons.

It will mean a big saving to you if you put a Header Attachment on your John Deere grain binder.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Miss Ruth Martin teacher in the Crowell high school, visited home-folks in Benjamin Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

I. W. W.—"I want water," says your storage battery. Better come in and let us give it a drink and other service it may need.—Self Motor Co.

Every person with a poll tax receipt and who pays taxes on personal property can vote in the bond election. If you only pay a poll you will not be allowed a vote.

Henry Burress, Decker Magee, Counts Ray and Lee Allan Beverly made a trip to Duncan, Okla., the first of the week, returning Tuesday. Lee Allan stopped in Wichita Falls for a few days visit.

G. B. Warren was here from Truscott Monday. Mr. Warren says wheat is looking very well, although a little rain would be welcome. The acreage in the Truscott country is much larger this year than last, says Mr. Warren.

Mrs. Mark Henry, president of the first district, Mrs. J. T. Carter, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. T. E. Womack, delegate, and Mrs. L. A. Beverly from the Adelpian Club are attending the annual convention, T. F. W. C., at Wichita Falls this week.

More Price Reductions by Harvester Company

Entire Line of Implements Now at LOWER PRICES

In view of the recent reduction in the price of steel, we now announce lower prices for our entire line of farm machines and implements not covered by reductions previously announced.

All lower prices take effect at once

The reduction in the price of steel comes after all the material for the machines and implements we will sell this year has been provided, and will therefore have no bearing on the manufacturing costs of such machines. However, it does enable the Company to buy materials at lower prices for future manufacture, and in accordance with our announced policy we now quote those prices, the Company taking the loss on machines already finished and materials on hand.

Full information regarding our lower prices on binders, mowers, and all other harvesting, haying and corn machines, tillage implements, tractors, engines, and all other I H C farm machines can be obtained from any International Dealer.

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY

CHICAGO OF AMERICA USA
[INCORPORATED]

92 Branch Houses and 15,000 Dealers in the United States

Notice of Road Bond Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Foard.
To the property taxpaying voters of Foard County, Texas:
Take notice that an election will be held on the 7th day of May, 1921, within Foard County, Texas, to determine if said county shall issue bonds and if a tax shall be levied in payment thereof, in obedience to an election order entered by the Commissioners Court on the 29th day of March, 1921,

Drs. Worrell & Jones

Graduate and Licensed Veterinarians

will be in Crowell every Saturday. Office Ferguson Drug Co. Calls other than Saturday, call Ferguson Drug Co., Vernon, Tex

Dr. Worrell, Res. phone 716

Dr. Jones, Res. phone 498

Clayton Hughes

Contractor and Builder

Anything in the way of building.

Inquire at either lumber Yard.

ASPIRIN

Name "Bayer" on Genuine



Beware! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

which is as follows:

On this the 29th day of March, 1921, the Commissioners Court of Foard County, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the court house at Crowell, Texas, all members of the court, to-wit: G. L. Burk, County Judge; C. D. Stephenson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; John L. Hunter, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; H. E. Davis, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; J. B. East, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, being present, came on to be considered the petition of J. A. Wright and 88 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Foard County, in the sum of \$150,000.00, bearing 5 1/2 per cent rate of interest, maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and

It appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Foard County; and

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Foard County; and

It is Therefore Considered and Ordered by the court that an election be held in said county on the 7th day of May, 1921, which is not less than thirty days, from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said county shall be issued in the amount of \$150,000.00 bearing 5 1/2 per cent rate of interest, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the commissioners court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from the date thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 627 to 641, inclusive of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes 1911 as amended by Section 1, Chapter 263, Acts of 1917, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident property taxpaying in this County, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in the payment thereof."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At southeast part of court house in town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, with Troy Erwin as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 1;

At southwest part of court house in town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, with B. F. Ivie as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 3;

At northwest part of court house in town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, with W. F. Thomson as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 4;

At Margaret school house in Foard County, Texas, with Walter B. Taylor as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 5;

At Chas. Hathaway building in east part of town of Thalia, Foard County, Texas, with Walter Johnson as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 6;

At Thalia school house in west part of town of Thalia, Foard County, Texas, with W. S. Tarver as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 7;

At Foard City school house in Foard County, Texas, with J. R. McDaniel as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 8;

At Black school house in Foard County, Texas, with S. W. Gentry as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 9;

At Vivian school house in Foard County, Texas, with J. B. Rasberry as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 10;

At Woodman hall in Rayland in Foard County, Texas, with R. D. German as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 11;

At Good Creek school house in Foard County, Texas, with P. M. Hinkle as presiding officer of voting precinct No. 12.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Foard County News, a newspaper published in the county, for four successive weeks before the date of said election and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in the county, one of which shall be at the court house door, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted as hereinabove directed and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this court.

Given under my hand, with the seal of the commissioners court affixed, this 29th day of March, 1921.

(Seal) G. L. BURK,
45 County Judge, Foard County, Tex.

Savages Give to Missions.
Two hundred boys from the Negs Hill tribes of Assam went to the war in France, and all were baptized into the Christian church while in the army. Upon returning home every one donated a month's pay to mission work as a thank offering for their preservation.

For Sale—One business lot between Johnson's feed store and Edgin's blacksmith shop. Inquire at Collins wagon yard.

H. D. Poland, contractor and builder, phone 223.

Program Sunday School Rally Gamble School House, Sunday

Morning, 10 o'clock

Song.
Prayer.
Song.
Talk—The Sunday School, when organized and its purpose, by H. L. Kinsey.

Song.
Talk by Mrs. R. L. Kincaid on the methods of the rural Sunday School. Children's Exercise.
Prayer.

Afternoon

Song.
Prayer.
Talk to Young People—Rev. J. H. Hamblen.

Quartet.
Talk—The good derived from Sunday School.—Rev. J. E. Billington.

Song.
Talks by Mr. Chaney and Mr. Sandifer.
Song.
Prayer.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Subject—Atonement of Christ.
Leader—Mineola Nash.
The necessity of the atonement.—Eula Barnett.

Christ the only one who could make atonement.—Eva Parker.
Made because he loves us.—Bulah Patton.

Made with the consent of the father.—Hilda Gribble.
Our part in the atonement.—Anna Lee Cannon.

Leader's ten minute talk.
Song.
Sword drill.—Miss Una Self.

Closing prayer.
Everyone bring their Bibles with them.

For Sale—Part of my household goods.—R. L. Meador, 1 mile west of Crowell.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our sincere gratitude to our friends for kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Josie Huddleston.—Her Children.

The most important proposition that has confronted our people in many years is that of bonds for the building of roads. We have the best opportunity we have ever had to put roads up right at small cost to the tax payers. The opportunity may not come again in a generation.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1
Proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this State, and permitting either the husband or the wife to pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor, and permitting the Legislature to authorize absentee voting.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said

tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that said tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting. And this provision of the Constitution shall be self-enacting without the necessity of further legislation.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in July, 1921, at which voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this State, and providing that either the husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor, and permitting the Legislature to authorize absentee voting." And all those opposed to said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, "Against the amendment to Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this State, and providing that either the husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor, and permitting the Legislature to authorize absentee voting."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution, and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

S. L. STAPLES,
(A True Copy) Secretary of State

Buy a NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

Which phonograph—one that RE-CREATES music, or one that plays nothing but the talking-machine records?

The New Edison gives you those wonderful RE-CREATIONS of music, which make you feel that you are listening to the living artist. The New Edison also plays the records of all the principal talking-machine companies.

Only the New Edison does both these things. Only the New Edison sustains the test of direct comparison with living artists,—thus proving that there is no difference between it's RE-CREATION of music and the original music.

We deliver your New Edison on a small down payment. We'll make a gentleman's agreement with you so that you can take care of the balance at your convenience. Ask about our Budget Plan.

Texas Music Co.

Crowell, Texas

SEND FOR MAIL THIS COUPON
Check which means we service you best. All are true.
What Edison like in Music (check one)
What Edison like in Talking Machine (check one)
Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____
Your Name and Address



A Great Offering Specials for Saturday Only

<p>LADIES SUITS AND DRESSES</p> <p>1 lot Coat Suits, \$45 and \$47.50 values \$29.75</p> <p>1 lot Coat Suits, \$32.50 values \$21.95</p> <p>1 lot Ladies Dresses, Georgette and Taffeta, \$30.00 values \$23.95</p> <p>1 lot \$35.00 values \$25.95</p>	<p>LADIES BLOUSES</p> <p>1 lot \$15.00 values \$10.95</p> <p>1 lot \$12.50 values \$9.95</p> <p>1 lot \$8.50 values \$6.95</p> <p>1 lot \$7.50 values \$5.95</p> <p>EXTRA SPECIAL</p> <p>1 lot Gingham, 15c grade 12 1/2c</p> <p>1 lot Gingham, 20c grade 16 1/2c</p>
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Cecil & Company, Inc.
Crowell, Texas

TEN COTTON STATES TO SELL AS UNIT

Dallas, Texas.—The American Cotton Growers' Exchange, an overhead selling agency to be made possible by a federation of the cotton growers' marketing associations being formed in ten states with a total of probably three or four million bales of cotton, has been tentatively planned by representatives of Texas, Oklahoma and eight other cotton growing states, it was announced by C. O. Moser, Executive Secretary of the Texas Farm Bureau, upon his return from a conference of representatives of these states in Oklahoma City.

The Oklahoma marketing association over-subscribed its 300,000 bale quota by more than 100,000 bales and is incorporating with 35,000 seven year members. The triumph of the Oklahoma cotton farmers in organizing to sell their cotton co-operatively on so large a scale has sent a feeling of confidence throughout the South, Mr. Moser said.

"Eight southern states are organizing associations similar to the Texas and Oklahoma associations to sign-up 200,000 bales each, and two of them are practically complete. The Texas association is already signing up thousands of bales of cotton towards its 1,000,000 bale goal. Each of the states organizing have provision in their contracts for federating with other state associations and when the plan is complete, the American Cotton Growers Exchange will be probably the largest single business in the world. We made a fight to have the headquarters of it located in Dallas, and it is very likely that we will win our contention. Branch offices will be maintained in all cotton centers and markets of the world and various other departments will be maintained for use in selling such large quantities of cotton to the best advantage on the world market."

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Growers Association is being organized under five year membership contracts, as a non-profit, non-capital stock corporation to pool cotton and sell it in even lots, according to grade and staple, to the mills in such quantities and at such times as they need it. Reasonable advance payments will be made upon the delivery of cotton, under a ruling of the Federal Reserve Board which makes the association's commercial paper eligible for re-discount.

For Sale—Jersey milch cow, fresh.—Collins wagon yard.

COFFEE

You'll search a long time before you find a better coffee than the brand we are here calling your attention to, and maybe you will not find it then. If we did not have confidence in it we certainly would not ask you to try it on our recommendation. It is in class with the best brands that can be procured and its fine flavor may be just what you have been wanting. The next time you buy a bucket of coffee, call for

Chase & Sanborn's

We believe you will like it so well that you will give us a repeat order.

Purina Chicken Feed

For chicks and grown ones.

Cream of Wheat Flour

You will make no mistake in buying the Cream of Wheat flour, made at home and of the best wheat to be had. The flour is of the same quality, first-class in every particular and is cheaper.

Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.

MANY SECTIONS OF STATE WANT TO HEAR SAPIRO

Dallas, Texas.—Telegrams have been received by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation from towns in all sections of the State, asking that Aaron Sapiro, California marketing expert, who will make a speaking tour of Texas beginning April 29, be permitted to address meetings in those sections. On account of the limited time which Mr. Sapiro will be in Texas he will be able to make no additional speeches, since engagements already have been made for every day, C. O. Moser, Executive Secretary of the

Texas Farm Bureau, said. Mr. Sapiro will make the first speech of his tour in Paris next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. From there he will go to McKinney, where he will speak Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. His other addresses are as follows: Monday, May 2 p. m., Abilene; Tuesday, Waxahachie; Wednesday, Tyler; Thursday, Waco; Friday, Taylor; Saturday, Bryan; Monday, Corpus Christi; and Tuesday at San Antonio.

TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing, hunting, wood hauling or prowling in the Worsham & Johnson pasture allowed.—W. B. Johnson. 52p

City Election Notice

Those who want their names on the ticket for the election of a city alderman to fill the unexpired term of A. Magee, must give the Mayor their names by 9 o'clock Saturday morning, April 29.
C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.

Cambridge, Mass.—Henry Morgenthau, former American Ambassador to Turkey, said in an address at the Harvard University that "it is up to the United States to take the moral leadership of the world and to lead the Near East from a condition which will halve their population and leave their civilization impaired."

Why Keep Advertising?

Advertising is more than a business tonic; it is a business necessity. That is why it is needed all the time. Of all advertising, that which carries with it the greatest waste is what is known as the once in a while kind.

Successful advertisers are the kind that keep it up persistently. They are judged successful because of the resulting success of their business.

Up until four years ago there was a certain soap that was known around the world. It had been the most persistently advertised article ever offered in the markets of the world during the previous hundred years. From the day this soap was put on the market in 1812 it was advertised in a small way, but persistently and continuously. For the last 50 years it has been one of the best advertised products in the world. Then the directors decided that because the factory was selling to capacity, advertising could be discontinued as a useless expense. In less than one year from the time the business of the firm dropped 35 per cent on volume. That soap is again being advertised and we understand it was necessary to spend \$5,000,000 in extra publicity over previous appropriations to get back to normal.

This firm was not a "flier" in advertising. Its product had been used for generations and was known in the homes of the world, but it cost its makers \$5,000,000 to learn that advertising was as necessary to it as the raw products that enter into its making. The history of merchandising is filled with stories like this, but only a few have found it possible to win back foolishly thrown away.—Editor and Publisher.

Laundry Work Wanted—We are doing laundry work for Crowell and vicinity and would appreciate your patronage.—Mrs. W. Y. Grimlan. 47p

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, dark rich red, eggs \$1.00 per 15. See, phone or write me.—Mrs. Pete Gamble, Thalia, Texas. 46p

Expert Service

Is very essential to the life of your automobile when it needs repairing or adjusting. If unreliable workmen tinker with it, it will never be "just right." Put dependence in our mechanics. We guarantee our service and take particular pains to do the right thing the right way.

We handle all kinds of automobile accessories, gas and lubricating oils.

E. SWAIM
Successor to
BURKS & SWAIM

The Crowell Barber Shop

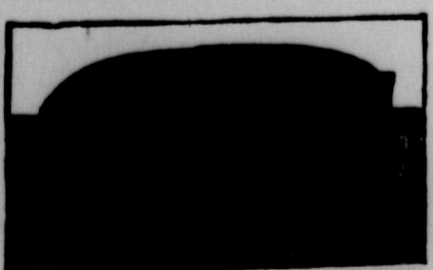
COURTEOUS AND EFFICIENT WORKMEN
Represent the Waco Steam Laundry.
Basket leaves Tuesday of each week

BRUCE & WALLACE, Proprs.

REGISTERED Big Type Poland China Hogs

For sale some fine young boars, also some gilts. If it's a good hog you want I have it.

J. E. BELL, Crowell, Texas



LET US SHOW YOU The Southern Marble and Stone Co.'s Line of Monuments

They are Texas' largest monument manufacturers and can supply you with any design or quality of either marble or granite you may want. W. O. W. monuments a specialty. All work guaranteed both as to quality and workmanship.
J. B. HENDERSON, Agent
Margaret, Texas

LUMBER

Do You Intend to Build?

If so, let us figure your bill. We have the right kind of prices. And we have a complete stock.

We also have Bois'darc fence post at

30c each

J. W. Allison Mercantile Co.

Margaret, Texas

60 Per Ct. Better Clothing Value

Our famous lines, Styleplus and I & S Bing, lead in the value giving

Clothing prices are down—and settled. New levels are established. Cloth has declined; manufacturing costs have been adjusted. All this means 60 per cent added to the buying power of your money. But in spite of these lower prices, remember that our famous brands, Styleplus and I. & S. Bing, maintain and guarantee their quality always. You can depend on our values. We ordinarily order Spring clothes in October. This season's clothes were ordered in January, when prices reached their lowest point. But let the figures talk:

Last Spring \$40.00 to \$45.00; today... **\$25.00**
 Last Spring \$50.00 to \$55.00; today... **\$30.00**
 Last Spring \$60.00 to \$65.00; today... **\$35.00**
 Last Spring \$70.00 to \$75.00; today... **\$40.00**
 Last Spring \$80.00 to \$90.00; today... **\$45.00**

The clothes we offer you now—bought at the most favorable prices, made within the last two months, styled to the minute, all-wool, finely tailored, guaranteed—and values approximately 60 per cent greater all through. Now how about the Spring suit?

1892 **R.B. Edwards Co.** 1921

Oldest and Largest

Busiest and Best

We are sorry that the Thalia items the country very important and it is reached us too late for publication this a source of regret for them to reach week. We consider the items from too late for publication.

Good Time to Build

The time should not come when we give up plans for building and making improvements on the premises, and right at this time is the best, perhaps of the whole year, when that can be done. The harvest will soon be on, then business will commence. Maybe you need to do some building before the harvest or else will not get to do it until many months afterwards. Better think about the matter while you have the time and opportunity.

Come to us with your building wants, whatever they may be.

Herring-Showers Lumber Co.

Successors to
C. T. HERRING LUMBER CO.
 R. J. ROBERTS, Manager

Hot and Cold Baths First Class Shines

The City Shaving Parlor

An Up-to-Date Shop
 In Every Particular

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Proprietor

Cotton Sold Through Markets And Warehouse Department

The State Department of Markets and Warehouses today reports its cotton sales for the past three weeks at 2,175 bales, with many cotton pools of from five hundred to a thousand bales being formed all over the state, awaiting the arrival of the classers and graders working from this Department. Due to the system of cotton marketing employed by the State Marketing Department, thousands of dollars were saved to Texas Farmers in the marketing of this cotton, most of which was sold direct to exporters and spinners' agents for the farmers who pooled the same in their co-operatively owned warehouses or in other equally accessible places. The following sales were reported: Spur, 541 bales; Byers, 620 bales; Rotan, 225 bales; Lubbock, 574 bales; Snyder, 225 bales. For sale, classification and delivery for the next week or two several thousand bales of cotton are at the present time being collected for pooling.

The two classers operating from the Department of Markets and Warehouses have been very busy since the first of the year, classing, stapling and delivering pools of cotton sold through the Marketing Division of this Department and in settling disputes over grades in cotton which had been shipped to seaport markets.

During the past week, with the co-operation of Harry D. Wilson, Commissioner of Agriculture for Louisiana a dispute involving a number of bales of cotton stored in New Orleans was amicably settled by this Department to the satisfaction of both shipper and receiver, thus removing Texas shippers from embarrassment and probable loss.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Waiter Huntley on the 24th a fine girl.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4
 A Joint Resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas amending Sections of the Constitution of the State of Texas as follows: Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4, relating to the compensation of executive officers; and Section 24, Article 3, relating to mileage and per diem of Members of the Legislature; of said State.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4, and Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. He shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary not to exceed Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture.

Section 21. There shall be a Secretary of State, who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of service of the Governor. He shall authenticate the publication of the laws and keep a fair register of all official acts and proceedings of the Governor, and shall, when required, lay the same, and all papers, minutes and vouchers relative thereto, before the Legislature, or either House thereof, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, and no more.

Section 22. The Attorney General shall hold his office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall represent the State in all suits and pleas in the Supreme Court of the State in which the State may be a party, and shall especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations, and, from time to time, in the name of the State, take such action in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power, or demanding or collecting any species of taxes, toll, freight, or wharfage, not authorized by law. He shall, whenever sufficient cause exists, seek judicial forfeiture of all such charters, unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor or other executive officers, when requested by them, and perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall receive for his services an annual salary not to exceed Seven Thousand Five Hundred (\$7,500.00) Dollars, and no more.

Section 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, shall each hold office for the term of two years, and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary not to exceed Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, and no more; reside at the Capital of the State during his continuance in office; and perform such other duties as are or may be required of him by law. They and the Secretary of State shall not receive to their own use, any fees, costs or prerequisites of office. All fees that may be payable by law for any service performed by any officer specified in this Section, or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury.

Section 24. Mileage and per diem: The Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public treasury such compensation for their services as may, from time to time, be provided by law, not exceeding Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per day for each regular session of one hundred and twenty days; and not exceeding Five (\$5.00) Dollars per day for the remainder of of such session; and provided, further, that Members of the Legislature shall receive not to exceed Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per day for each special session of the Legislature that may be called from time to time by the Governor. In addition to the com-

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