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## CROWELL TAKES 2 GAMES FROM WICHITA FALLS

Ketchum on the mound for the first day and the boys in shape for hitting, it was a question with the fans what this ground set aside for, a race track or a ball diamond. Both sides hit but it must have been Crowell's for hard hitting as Boyd started with a home drive in the first followed by Duke Mosley with a run and a three base hit. This a loose played game but interesting all the way through. Battery Crowell first day, Emory and Ham, for Wichita, Black and Ham, for Crowell. Matthews and Vick, Crowell 14, Wichita 10.

Second game. With Vick twirling Crowell and both teams full of playing what is called "air tight" ball, coupled up with a few grand plays, all goes to furnish the with a real exhibition game.

was a pitchers' contest between DeLamassio and Vick until the sixth when Vick got his second win pitched big league ball until the

Wichita with bunch hits, linked with error or two on Crowell's part took lead in scores, 5 to 2, until the

go around when Hay scratches goes to first, Mosley raps out a

ner to second, Hay slides under at second with Mosley safe at

Boyd taps a pop-up and retired, strikes two but the way he

ed all the fans knew he had some up his sleeve. Wichita twirler

ed him a fast in and Sloan hit all in the face for a homer, bring-

in Hay and Mosley and tying the

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Summary: Double plays, 2, Austin to Barney and to DeLaney, DeLaney to Austin. Home runs, 1, Sloan.

hits 3, Boyd, Stolen bases five hits, 2, Emory, Stolen bases Sloan, Hay and Courtney. Bases

## Election Ordered to Raise Taxes for School Purposes

## ROAD BOND ELECTION CARRIED BY NEARLY 8 TO 1

An election is being called this week for an increase of the taxes in the Crowell independent school district from 50 cents to an amount not to exceed one dollar.

This was allowed by an amendment to the constitution which was submitted last year and which carried in the last election.

The need of this is apparent to any observer. Crowell has been trying to get by for a number of years without sufficient funds with which to conduct the school and we have come to the last ditch. Crowell is not by itself in this class of towns. Practically every other one in the country is voting the tax. So this is not a local condition. The expenses of running schools have simply outgrown the available funds and since we have not made provision to meet these increasing expenses, embarrassing conditions have been forced on school boards.

There is only one of two things to do—raise the money for the school by taxation or quit trying to have a school, and when you are voting on the election submitted for your consideration that is what your vote will amount to.

We have been powerless to do anything until this amendment passed, because we had the limit of the rate, and many thought it was not practicable to raise the valuations, so the only thing that could be done was to ask for donations or put a portion of the school on the tuition plan. Every one knows what a hardship and an annoyance this has meant. The raising of the rate will have the same effect, so far as our school is concerned, as the raising of valuations and will save the undesirable feature of an increase of state tax, if the latter means were employed.

### A FISH FRY

Space and time will not admit of the mention that should be given the fish fry which Henry Gribble gave to half a hundred of his friends Wednesday evening.

It looked like Henry was taking chances when he extended the invitation before the fish were caught, but he was confident that he would get them. He and Charley Gafford and J. P. Fowler went over to Dam-site Wednesday morning and caught four sacks of fine fish. These were prepared for the skillet by the good women who were present and a bountiful feast was served at sundown at the Gribble farm home four miles southeast of Crowell. Counting the adults and children there were 50 people at the fry and every one had all the fish he wanted.

### FIRST OIL WELL IN PANHANDLE PROMISES TO BE GOOD ONE

Late reports from the Gulf well No. 2, located some 18 miles northwest of Panhandle in Carson county, is a real oil well. Sunday afternoon the first 500 barrel oil tank was filled by the two-inch pump and it is claimed that the head of oil in the well had not been lowered. The full capacity of the well is not yet known and cannot be until a larger pump is installed.

As yet, no one can accurately estimate what amount of oil this well will yield and that is not so important as the fact that a real, commercial oil well has been found and enough oil has been produced to insure the drilling of many other wells.

## Revival at Baptist Church Conducted by Pastor Closed Sunday

The two-weeks revival at the Baptist church closed with Sunday night's service. The visible results were 56 additions to the church, 28 of which came by baptism Sunday afternoon.

In addition to this is a general revival among Christians in their religious work. The two meetings, one at the Methodist church and the other one just closed at the Baptist church, set in motion a religious revival in the town and country which means a considerable strengthening of religious work here.

It is a great thing to see the hearty co-operation of all the people of Crowell in these great revivals. Creeds are forgotten, as they should be, when such seasons come, and all Christian people are one in purpose. The fact is there are evidences that this is true all the time. No doubt an excess of zeal over creeds has always tended to estrange people who have the same object in view. It is a hopeful indication that people are becoming more liberal in allowing others the same privilege they themselves assume.

### DEATH OF J. W. WHEELER

The death of J. W. Wheeler, familiarly called "Uncle Jake," occurred here Thursday of last week.

The birth family record was bedimmed when he was small and the exact year of his birth can not be verified, but as best it can be made out Uncle Jake was born Jan. 24, 1845, either in Alabama or Missouri. His brother, W. A. Wheeler, is the only living person who can give information as to the early life, and since he was small at the time the family removed from Alabama to Missouri, he can not say positively in which state "Uncle Jake" was born.

The deceased served in the confederate army for about two years in the 31st Texas Cavalry in Gen. Walker's Division, and was discharged about a year before the close of the war on account of failing health.

Mr. Wheeler's wife died some ten years ago. His only brother, W. A. Wheeler, of this place, survives.

### COTTON CONTRACTS SIGNED IN FOARD CO.

The cotton pooling campaign now being conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau throughout Texas opened this week in Foard County the last of the week, each local farm bureau taking care of its respective community. So far 404 bales have been sent in with 23 signing contract.

A summary of each community will be given in the columns of this paper each week. Every farm bureau member should read, consider, sign-up and send contract to their local secretary or president, or W. A. Cogdell, county farm bureau secretary.

### YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED

Shortly after the afternoon service at the Baptist church last Sunday Mr. Adolphus Wright and Miss Aurora Carter were married at the Baptist parsonage.

These are popularly known young people of Crowell and are highly esteemed by everybody here. Mr. Wright is in the employ of R. B. Edwards Co. as clerk. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carter and has been reared here.

They have the good wishes of their many friends in their new relation. The newly married couple are taking rooms at the home of Mrs. W. F. Carter.

### In Honor of Bro. Lindsey

Mrs. W. S. Bell and a few of her friends prepared a mutton supper at the lake on Mrs. Bell's place Wednesday evening and invited a large crowd of the old timers, a large number of whom responded. The evening was a delightful one to all those present.

Bro. Lindsey was at one time pastor of the Methodist church here and has a host of friends among the Crowell people.

J. W. Klepper and Allen Fish returned Wednesday from a 1200-mile trip in the western part of the State and New Mexico. They were well pleased with a part of the country they saw.

The Vernon Methodist church has installed a \$10,000 pipe organ.

## THE ADJUTANT GENERAL PAYS CROWELL VISIT

Last Friday Adjutant General T. D. Barton accompanied by Colonel C. W. Nimon visited the city, but were short on time and did not remain but some two hours.

They were driving through from Amarillo to Austin visiting each place enroute that has a prospective company in process of organization for the new 36th Division. He visited Captain Adams here and talked over the situation at this place with him and the general situation in Texas regarding the organization, and gave out the information that satisfactory progress was being made, in fact, much better than he expected when organization was started.

He found this company still a few men short of the required number but since that time enough men have been enlisted until we only lack five men being up to the minimum required.

General Barton expects that this company will be the first in Texas mustered into the new 36th Division, giving the company much prestige and rank.

A part of the business bringing him here was the organization of a Texas rifle team. The Texas riflemen are to meet in Austin for one week, June 27 to July 2, to shoot against several rifle teams (civilian) and at the close of the shoot the Texas team will be selected to enter the national and international shoot at Camp Perry, Ohio, later in the summer.

The local plan is for Captain Adams and eight selected riflemen to enter the State shoot. These men have been partially selected but we want to send a team down there that has a splendid chance to win. A few more good men is wanted to make this trip. Men are all that is wanted, no other support is needed.

Owing to the fact that the encampment will be held in June this year General Barton promises that this company will not be ordered to camp other than the rifle team which must be ordered to draw pay.

He also stated that the new division was going to make everything as easy for the members as it was possible, and the fact that it would make it hard on the companies in the wheat belt making an encampment in June would not be required to attend.

### SAPIRO GREETED WITH ENTHUSIASM

Dallas, Texas, May.—More than half a hundred thousand farmers have heard Aaron Sapiro, celebrated California marketing authority discuss the cotton marketing problems of the South in a series of meetings in Texas during the last 10 days.

Hundreds of others have read accounts of his speeches. Everywhere that he went he received an enthusiastic welcome verging at times upon ovation such as only heroes and great statesmen receive.

At Abilene, for example, between twenty five hundred and three thousand farmers marched through the streets of the town to three different meeting places before they found a hall large enough to accommodate the crowd. He was given a wonderful reception at Paris and at McKinney.

At Waxahachie more than 2500 farmers listened to him describe his remedy for the cotton farmers' troubles. After speaking at Tyler he went to Waco and at different points. One of the largest strictly farmer audiences that ever came together in the county gave him a hearty welcome and the farmers signified their intentions of getting behind the cotton co-operative movement.

Another big crowd greeted him at Temple and it is said that plans are under foot there to close up all the stores in town during the big day set for the final sign up of all the farmers in that end of the county. At Granger and Taylor he was also greeted by enthusiastic cotton growers.

The big planter heard him at Bryan and at Corpus Christi and the climax came at a meeting in San Antonio, May 10, to which the railroads had granted reduced rates as an accommodation to the thousands who wanted to hear him.

### Pastor Off to Convention

Pastor J. E. Billington left Monday for Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the Southern Baptist Convention which convenes in that city this week. He will be away from his work here next Sunday only.

### SMALL GRAIN CROPS WILL BE SHORT

The yield of the small grain crops can not be estimated accurately at this time, but it is a certainty that they will be short. The dry weather has held on a little too long for us to expect a normal crop. However, wheat is holding up well. The fact is it looks better now than it did a week or so ago. But this is accounted for by reason of the fact that the weather has been unusually cool. Wheat is pretty well all headed out and some of it will be ready to cut within a short time.

The little rain we had Saturday night, amounting to possibly three-fourths of an inch, will prove helpful to the wheat, but it was too limited to do very much general good.

## Large Crowd From Crowell Attend Shrine Ceremonial

The nobles from Crowell who attended the ceremonial of Masket Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., at Wichita Falls Monday were: J. W. Bell, E. Swaim, C. C. McLaughlin, Geo. Hinds, C. A. Adams, N. J. Roberts, B. W. Self, J. C. Brian, Geo. Self, A. G. Magee, J. W. Cook, T. J. Cates, Albert Schooley, Ben Whitfield, Geo. Allison, H. K. Edwards, T. P. Reeder, H. W. Burress, J. F. Long, J. L. Hunter and T. B. Klepper.

The novices who crossed the hot sands to Mecca were: Rev. J. H. Hamblen, G. F. Elliott, J. A. Stovall, of Crowell, and Garland Burns, Geo. Doty, Bee, and Charley Wisdom, and Mode Haney of Thalia. Mrs. T. P. Reeder and children, Mrs. J. A. Stovall and children, and Mrs. H. W. Burress were also in the party.

The following report of the ceremonial is taken from the Wichita Falls Record News:

One of the most impressive, if not the largest Shrine ceremonial that has been held in Northwest Texas, in which 177 novices "blistered their feet on the hot sands of the desert," featured Monday as a day which was eventful both to those entering the mysteries of the Shrine and the nobles from Masket and visitors from other temples in this section.

The ceremonial, which was the occasion for the christening of the mammoth auditorium at Call field, was given an added touch by the presentation to Potentate Walter D. Cline of an oil painting of his likeness, painted by Noble Emil Hermann of Wichita Falls, by his admiring friends of Masket Temple, which will hang in the halls of Masket Temple as a tribute to the first potentate of the Wichita Falls temple.

A. H. Britain made the presentation speech, dwelling on his sterling character as well as his work for Masket temple. The potentate, was, as several remarked, taken completely off his feet for the first time in local history and his visible emotions showed sincere appreciation for the honor which his fellow Shriners conferred upon him.

Marvin Burkett, of Graham, made good his threats to cop the ring and emerged from the novices popularity contest as winner. He and other ring candidates caused great merriment during the parade by the stunts they were required to perform.

Although the handsome ring goes to Mr. Burkett, it was only after a strenuous campaign on the part of the other candidates that he achieved this honor. Chief among the candidates who pulled original and rather different "stuff" was Rev. T. D. Witt of Petrolia, the preacher candidate, who passed out his propaganda impartially, "selling" a good many curious bystanders and Candidate Cross, of Burk Burnett, whose campaign was conducted along lines calculated to provoke risibilities.

L. L. Dixon, Ernest Wiatt and others put up a good fight but were distanced when the "home stretch" gave in view.

Every stunt that could have been thought of was employed in the parade—novices in cages, barefooted and B. V. D. clad, induced to dance by electric currents, novices washing clothes on a truck, manfully engaged in a tug-of-war against an irresistible force, that of a powerful tractor, with a couple of wagon loads of them bumping up and down as the trick wheels revolved. Paint and other facial decorations were employed with profusion in making the "soon to be" Shriners presentable.

Marching in a line that would do credit to a crack military outfit, the Masket patrol heaped glory on itself. The band, in full regalia, caused a great deal of comment during the parade.

A number of visiting Shriners were here for the ceremonial. George Stapleton, potentate of Kniva Temple of Amarillo, was in charge of a delegation of 12 which included "Bull" Durham, ceremonial director; Norman Raleigh, bag pipe soloist; Leon Lienhard, Henry Hall, M. L. Parker, Floyd Oliver, Frank Wire, R. P. George and Rev. Paul Merrill.

This was the only official delegation from any other temple in Texas and they put Amarillo on the map in more ways than one. Other temples which were represented by individual members were, Hella, Alcazar, Moshah, India and others.

Dancing in the Call field auditorium, indulged in by several hundred couples, closed the day's festivities.

## DEATH OF CHILD

Little William Finn, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Finn, died here Wednesday after about four days illness. The remains were interred in the Crowell cemetery yesterday afternoon.

## RETURNS FROM PLAINS

Mr. Jeff Fleming returned Monday from Lynn County, where he and two of his boys have been preparing for crop. Mr. Fleming bought half a section of land in that country and will make a crop of corn, cotton and wheat.

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Boyd, r. c.	4	1	1	0
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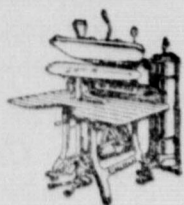
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Sudan grass seed 10c per pound at A. L. Johnson's.

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

### THALIA NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

The commercial club met at the union tabernacle Monday night.

Miss Nannie Speed spent a few days with her niece, Mrs. Early Shaw, last week.

Mrs. Fred Woodruff of Alvord is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schroeder.

Sam Ray attended the funeral of W. L. Johnson Friday afternoon at the cemetery here.

L. D. Campbell and J. C. Thompson attended W. L. Johnson's funeral here Friday afternoon.

Arthur Phillips and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rennels in the Rayland community Sunday.

Richard Hathaway and wife are spending awhile here visiting his mother and little daughter.

Miss Annie Self visited her uncle, Mark Self, here Sunday and attended church here Sunday night.

Tom Ward and family and two sisters, and his uncle and wife of Plainview attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nichols of the Black community visited her parents here Sunday. They also attended church.

There was preaching Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night at the union tabernacle by Elder J. T. Cabe of Vernon.

Quite a few attended church at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. The Baptist missionary did the preaching.

Mrs. R. B. Edwards and son, Herbert and wife, and Mrs. Clarence Self of Crowell were business visitors here Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. W. F. Reed and mother, Grandma French, of the Bell neighborhood visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Will Johnson, Tuesday of last week.

Miss Ora Pittillo and Mr. Wilhite drove to Margaret Saturday and were quietly married. They left Sunday for Oklahoma where they will make their home.

The Thalia boys played Medicine Mound on Thalia grounds, the home boys being victorious. The Odell boys came over the next day and carried off the victory.

Mr. Lutrel of Oklaunion and Lynn Walker of Fargo, attended church here Sunday. Mr. Walker assisted in the song service which was appreciated very much.

Mrs. Merrick Moore has returned from Spur where she visited relatives. She was accompanied home by her brother-in-law, Phil Ramsey, who will visit friends and relatives a few days.

Ellen, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson, celebrated her 7th birthday the 3rd. Her cousins, Ruth Banister of this city and Louis Nichols of Black were among her guests.

J. G. Thompson gave his eldest grandson, Garland Thompson, his old fiddle which he has had for the last 50 years. He does not know how old it is as it was an old fiddle when he bought it 50 years ago.

W. L. Johnson died at his home Thursday evening and was buried in the Thalia cemetery Friday afternoon. He leaves a wife and six children to mourn his loss. Bro. Henderson of Margaret conducted the funeral services.

### BEAVER NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

The Beaver school closed Friday for this term.

Audrey Johnson visited friends at Vernon last week.

Clarence Bellar returned to Vernon Friday afternoon.

Glenn Jones spent the week-end with relatives in Knox County.

Robert Byrd visited relatives in the Baker Flat community last week.

A large crowd was present at the party at Mr. Stone's Saturday night.

Miss Minnie Belle Barker spent the week-end with Mrs. Price Fowler at Crowell.

Sam Vernon and son, Roy, were visiting Mrs. A. R. Johnson and children last week.

Burford Randolph and sisters, Misses Lorena and Marie, of Jamison were at singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor spent last week with W. M. Randolph and family in the Jamison community.

Misses Lucy, Lorena and Marie Randolph of Jamison were guests of Mr. McGregor and family Sunday.

Miss Georgia Burk who has been teaching in the Beaver school returned

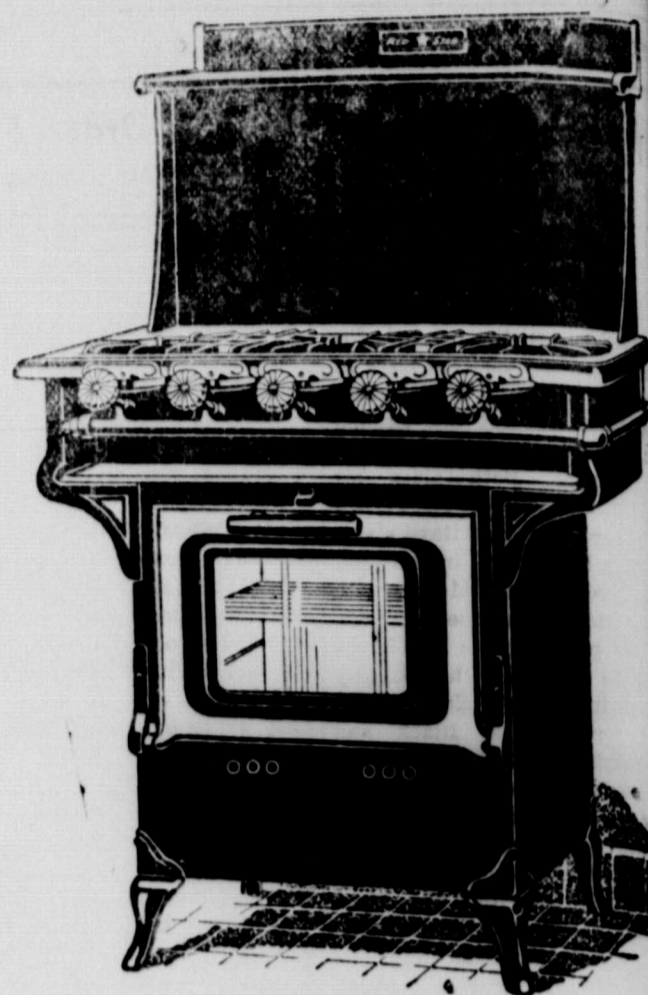
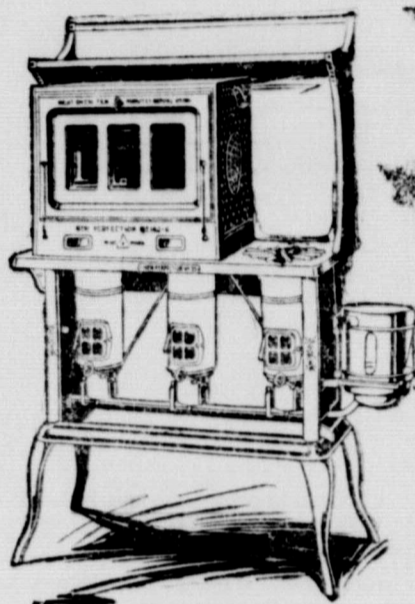
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FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

ed Friday afternoon to her home in Crowell.

Miss Elgie Bagley who was principal of the Beaver school returned to her home at Margaret Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Fowler and Mrs. A. L. Johnson of Crowell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barker Saturday afternoon.

A very good shower fell over this community Saturday night which was some help to the crops though it was not near enough.

A number of young people of this community attended the party at P. H. Johnson's in the Claytonville community Saturday night.

Charlie Glispe and family and Luther Moody of Truscott were guests of Tom Bursey and family Sunday and Sunday night.

Steve Mills, Otis McLain and Miss Beatrice McDaniel of Foard City and Miss Lela Ford of Gambleville were at singing Sunday night.

Paul Ely and Eugene Johnson visited Jay Del Johnson and Mrs. Newt Johnson at Margaret Sunday. They report Jay Del to be doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Howard of the Jamison community visited Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stone, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. L. R. Statser of Foard City visited her mother, Mrs. W. F. Draper, Monday. She was accompanied home by her little sisters, Thelma and Willie Draper, who will spend the week with her.

Grandpa and Grandma Vernon who have lived in this community a long time left last week for Taylor county where they will make their future home.

Jim and Frank Harper and Roy Barker and Misses Vera and Gladys Johnson and Minnie Belle Barker went to singing in the Claytonville community Sunday night.

The school picnic in Mr. Ford's pasture Friday was attended by a large crowd and a good everybody's dinner was spread. In the afternoon an interesting ball game was played by the Beaver and Claytonville boys. The scores being 22 and 24 in favor of the Claytonville boys.

### GAMBLEVILLE ITEMS (By Special Correspondent)

Joe Cook is on the sick list but we all hope he will soon recover.

There was singing at Mrs. J. G. McBeth's Sunday night. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ballard of Crowell spent Saturday night with Mrs. Ballard's father, J. R. Ford.

Our school will be out the 20th of this month. We all think the two months extra have been worth while.

Be sure and come to Gambleville the 20th. We are going to show you how easy it is for a boy to get fooled.

The people of Gambleville who know anything worth while to put in these items please phone and tell me about it. Short, long, short, line 11.

We were visited by a nice little shower Saturday night. There was a little hail but not enough to damage anything.

We were disappointed last Friday night, but everybody be sure and come the 20th again. Business is going to pick up and we guarantee no collections which are so common at Gambleville.

Meet me at Ferguson Bros.

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

### Trespass Notice

This is to give notice that all passing on my place is forbidden. Mrs. W. S. Bell.

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

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

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

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### ANS DENIED INTERVENTION IN RED RIVER CASE

Washington, May 2.—The Supreme court refused today to permit John Taylor, as representative of the

Eastern Immigrant Cherokees, to intervene in the Red River oil land case. Taylor claimed that large tracts of the territory in dispute was the property of his clients by reason of the 14,000,000-acre grant made by President Van Buren.

### AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent) Mesdames Hukill and Fox were on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peacock attended church at Thalia Sunday.

There was quite a crowd out to hear Bro. Boyd preach Sunday afternoon.

Several from here are attending the singing school which is in progress at Margaret.

Quite a number of friends spent a few social hours with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crews Monday night.

Rev. Henderson and family and Grandma Bond of Margaret spent Sunday with John Short and family.

Mrs. Bily Free and children came over from Chillicothe Friday to attend the funeral of her uncle, Will Johnson.

Lynn Walker of Fargo, Cecil Lutrum of Oklaunion and Miss Della Choat of the Plainview community visited Miss Fannie Shultz Sunday.

Mrs. John Davis returned from Duncan, Okla., Saturday night. Mr. Joe Eagan and family brought her over in their car and visited until Monday. Mrs. Eagan is recovering from a bad case of small pox.

W. L. Johnson died of heart trouble Thursday at 6 p. m. and was buried in the Thalia cemetery Friday. Funeral services were conducted at the grave by Bro. Henderson. Mr. Johnson was born Feb. 13, 1855 and died May 5, 1921, being 66 years, 2 months and 22 days of age. He had been a member of the Baptist church about 20 years and lived a faithful Christian until death. He leaves a wife and six children who are as follows: Three daughters, Mrs. Ella Newbrough, Mrs. Lola Joiner of Quanah, Mrs. Minnie Wayland of near Vernon, and three sons, Fernie of Quanah, and Willie and Joe who are at home. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Newbrough.

### DIXIE ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Ed Cates is having some inside work done on his house this week.

There was a large crowd enjoyed singing at the school house Sunday evening.

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The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hudson the 31st and left with them a fine boy.

Grandma Hammonds of Thalia visited her daughter, Mrs. Lee Whitman, a few days last week.

The shower Saturday night was some benefit to the garden, also to wheat which is now about headed.

Mrs. Hiram Jones and little daughter, Lucy, returned Saturday from a 3-weeks visit with relatives in Fisher county.

Our school closed Friday with picnic on the creek. A large crowd was present and a fine dinner was enjoyed by all present.

Grandpa Whitman is having a nice 4-room bungalow house erected on his farm here. Mr. Allen of Thalia is building it and it will soon be completed.

Miss Ora Pittillo, our school teacher, surprised her many friends Saturday when she and Mr. Homer Wilhite were married. Anyway, we extend them our wishes for happiness throughout their wedded life.

### Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the court house in the town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas, within the Crowell Independent School District, on the 6th day of June, 1921, to determine whether an annual ad valorem tax not to exceed one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property of said Crowell Independent School District shall be levied, assessed and collected for the maintenance of the schools therein.

J. W. Beverly has been appointed Judge, and A. G. Magee and D. L. Reavis, clerks of said election, which shall be held as nearly as may be possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State.

No person shall vote at said election unless he or she be a qualified voter under the Constitution and laws of this state and a property tax payer in said Crowell Independent School District.

Those in favor of the tax shall write on their ballot: "For Maintenance Tax." And those against the tax shall write or print on their ballot, "Against Maintenance Tax."

Said election was ordered by the board of trustees of said Crowell Independent School District by order passed on the 6th day of May, 1921, and said notice is issued pursuant to said order.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1921.

W. F. KIRKPATRICK,  
President of Board of Trustees of (Seal) Said Election.

Attest:  
R. R. MAGEE,  
Secretary of Board of Trustees of Said District.

### 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,  
(A True Copy) Secretary of State.

### Card of Thanks

The children of J. W. Wheeler and his brother, W. A. Wheeler, wish to express through the columns of the

News their hearty appreciation of the kindnesses shown by friends and neighbors during the illness and death of the father and brother. Their wish is that you may be bountifully blessed for having extended that assistance.

### B. Y. P. U. Program

Subject—Adoption into God's family.

Leader—Alton Nicholson.

Song.

Introduction—Henry Black.

Adoption—Maggie Russell.

The security of the believer—Marion Cheek.

There is no falling—Jewell Kenner.

Song.

Closing Prayer.

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# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, May 13, 1921

## NINETY-TWO YEAR OLD COWBOY STILL ABLE TO HELP ON RANCH

H. R. Barton is probably the oldest cowboy in active service in the world. He is now past his 92nd birthday and says he feels alright except that he has almost lost the use of his legs. Most of his long life has been spent in active service on the cow ranches of Texas. Even to this day he is still quite at home in the saddle and quite "handy with his line."

Mr. Barton states that he first saw Childress county in 1866, at a time when no white men lived out here. On that trip he did not tarry long, probably on account of the fact that this was Indian country strictly. Later he made another trip out here in 1870, but soon went back East, returning in 1883 to make this his permanent home. During the 80's and 90's this was a cowman's country and Mr. Barton says that the site of Childress was a well known round-up ground for many years, being known among the old cowmen as the White Flat round-up ground. For many years he worked on the O X ranch, but for the past fourteen years he has seen continuous service on the Smith ranch in the northern part of Childress County.—Childress Post.

## HENS, SOW AND COW SPELL WEALTH TO THE FARMER BOYS OF TEXAS

Snyder, May 8.—Based on present prices the increase from ten hens, one brood sow and one milch cow furnished 100 boys and girls will annually bring \$81,000, according to J. C. Hestand, livestock specialist of the department of agriculture, who was here sometime ago with former Commissioner Fred W. Davis.

The two were en route to the Plains. They declared that the Snyder country appeared to be in the pink of condition and that a little diversification would make this a remarkable agricultural section.

Green bugs are reported to be destroying the crops in portions of Palo Pinto and Erath counties. Warmer weather and rain, it is said, are the only things that can save the crops.

## HAD NO CAUSE FOR WORRY

Under the Circumstances Wash White Could Afford to Live Life of Elegant Leisure.

Senator Gronum of Dakota was analyzing a political opponent at a Dakota luncheon.

"The man is bad through and through," he said. "He's actually so bad that he mistakes badness for goodness—is proud of himself, in short."

"By Jove, he makes me think of Uncle Washington White. As Uncle Wash loafed in front of the poolroom one morning the preacher's wife stopped and said:

"Washington, why don't you go to work?"

"Old Wash White, as he puffed serenely on his corncob, answered:

"'Bekase Ah got a wife an' children toe support'—"

"'But' the preacher's wife impatiently interrupted, 'you can't support them by loafing here in front of this poolroom.'"

"'Excuse me, Miss' F'ithly,' said Wash, with dignity. 'Lemme finish mah remark. Wot Ah means toe say is that Ah's got a wife an' chillun toe support me.'—Detroit Free Press.

## New York Boys' New Game.

The game of marbles no longer holds a throne in boyville. Any New York side street where there's enough room between bluecoats and automobile traffic to play, will show you that a new game has taken its place.

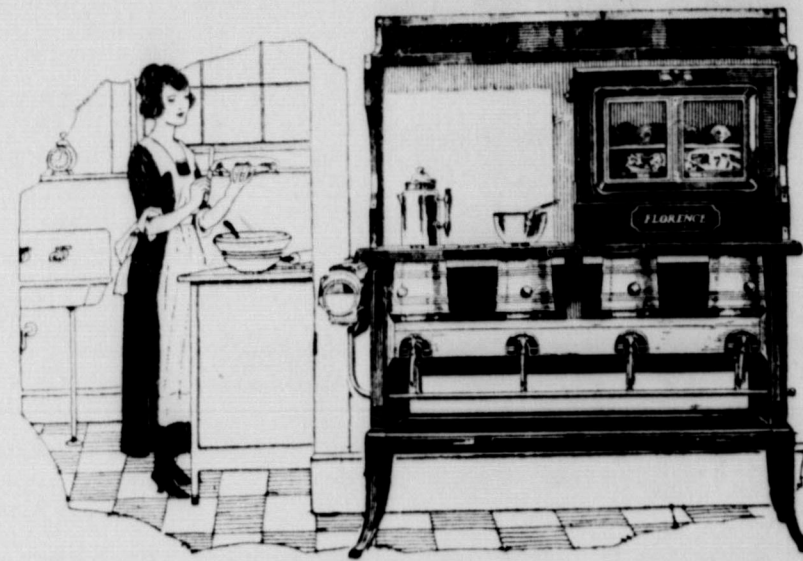
"Sidewalk checkers," the boys call 't. The new game really has the elements of both the old marble shooting days and checkers as played on a board. Checker men are used—red, black, blue—the color makes no difference. A ring is drawn with chalk and the object is to flip your checker man with enough force to knock your contenders out of the ring.

"'Hully gee!' said a future Ponzi as he gathered up his winnings on Rende street near Broadway, 'ain't I got enough lumber here to start me a paper mill?'—New York Sun.

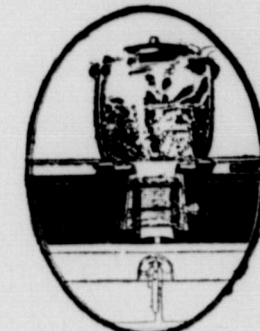
House Joint Resolution No. 11. Proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the Legislature may grant pensions to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows, who have been citizens of Texas since prior to January 1, 1910, providing that 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 (\$.07) 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 and 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 who are in indigent circumstances and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1910, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding 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 (\$.07) cents on the \$100.00 valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the pay-



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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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## Dr. Hines Clark

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You have been looking for something to save labor and expense, also save your twine bill. Let us tell you about the Harvester Thresher.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For Sale—Mountain cedar post, F. O. B. San Saba, Texas, 3 1/2 x 4, 21c; 6 1/2 x 3 1/2, 17 1/2c; 6 1-2 x 3, 12 1-2c; 6 to 6 1-2 x 2 1-2, 8c; 7 x 3 1-2 to 4, 26c; 8 x 3 1/2 to 4, 32c. Also telephone poles and house blocking. Rate to Crowell 23c per 100 pounds, car lots.—Aylor Cedar Co., San Saba, Texas. 49p

## Knox City Sanitarium

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

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

1921 model Buicks.—S. S. Bell.

All millinery, one-fourth off.—Self's.

Dr. Hines Clark is expected home today.

Chicken dinner 50c Saturday at Just-a-bite.

Florence oil cook stoves bake anything.—M. S. Henry & Co.

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

Give us your order for your header extras as soon as possible.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Jimmy Self returned Sunday afternoon from Wichita Falls accompanied by Miss Nel Melton.

Do you need any extras for your grain binder? Give us your order now.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Claude McLaughlin returned last week from Kansas City where he had gone with his wife. Mrs. McLaughlin remained in Kansas City. He reports having visited Mr. and Mrs. Grey Thompson who now live in that city.

Cadillac dresses are beautiful.—Self's.

A good dinner Sat., 14th, 50c.—Dorcas Class.

Ice cream on Sunday at the Sanitary Cafe.

Florence oil cook stoves bake anything.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Ice cream, cake, all-round dinner at Just-a-bite Sat., 14th, 50c.

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

Have you seen the Florence oil cook stove? Let us show you.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, Mrs. T. M. Beverly and Mrs. J. R. Beverly were visitors in Vernon Wednesday.

The Combined Harvester cuts and threshes all at the same time, takes only three men to put the wheat in the granary.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Stated meeting Crowell Lodge No. 840 A. F. & A. M., Monday evening, May 16, 1921, at 7:30. Work in all degrees. All members urged to be present. Visiting brethren welcome.—M. M. Hart, W. M., J. A. Stovall, Sec'y.

Sandals for the kids.—Self's.

Chicken dinner at Just-a-bite the 14.

Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.

Edison light globes.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Sperling dresses—some new ones.—Self's.

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

Shipment of the crop of potatoes has commenced at Jacksonville, Texas.

The largest pecan crop ever grown in Texas is predicted for this year.

Miss Ella Edgin visited the Thorp family at Kirkland the first of the week.

The first shipment of peaches for the season is reported from Tyler, Texas.

275 acres wheat land for rent and wheat farming implements for sale.—J. G. Coffey. 48p

J. J. Hood left Wednesday for his home at Durango, Colo., after a few weeks visit here.

Why not cut down expenses, use the Combined Harvester, either the Deering or McCormick.—J. H. Self & Sons.

For sale my place in Crowell, consisting of 5-room house, good cistern, garage and outbuildings.—A. G. Bell. 50p

R. T. Haynie and wife were here from Antelope Flat Sunday and for some days following, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell.

Memphis, Texas, is agitating the paving question and the sentiment is growing to put down at least ten blocks of modern pavement.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey are here this week from Breckenridge where Bro. Lindsey is pastor of the Methodist church, visiting their many friends.

Albert Schooley is attending the thirty-sixth annual session of the Texas Christian Missionary in Wichita Falls this week as a delegate from the Crowell Christian Church.

A social was given in the basement of the Methodist church Tuesday evening by the young men's class. A large crowd was present and was well entertained. Ice cream and cake were served.

The home talent chautauqua which was to have been given by the Methodist ladies May 19, 20, 21, has been postponed on account of it conflicting with an entertainment to be given by the Baptist ladies. Announcement will be made later regarding the date.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Roberts left last week for Wichita Falls where they will make their future home. Mr. Roberts has been engaged in the insurance business here since the first of the year and is moving to Wichita Falls where he will have a larger territory. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will be greatly missed by their friends here, and particularly will the loss of this young couple be felt by the Methodist church.

# Cadillac Dresses

Something different, something new. Our shipment of ladies, Misses and children's Cadillac dresses for summer have arrived. The styles are different and the combinations of tissues and organdies are different. Sizes from age 2 up to 44 stouts. A special display of Cadillac dresses this week in window and inside of store. Buy some of these pretty little dresses before the best are gone.

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## Self Dry Goods Co.

Shop made boots.—Self's.

Model Bakery bread now 10c a loaf.

Geo. Self is in Dallas this week on business.

To Trade—Jersey cow for piano.—Mrs. D. M. Shultz. 48

Florence oil cook stoves bake anything.—M. S. Henry & Co.

J. W. Kirby was over from Duncan, Okla., Monday, returning Monday afternoon.

Archie Williams and wife were here this week from Breckenridge visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. H. Puryear of Taylor, Texas, is here visiting her mother, Aunt Bettie Thompson, and sister, Mrs. Hines Clark.

The Combined Harvester can be operated with eight horses or a twenty tractor. Easy to operate.—J. H. Self & Sons.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey returned to their home in Breckenridge yesterday accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Allee who will make them a visit.

Ed. Hudlow and Luther Gribble were down from Tell the first of the week on a visit. They report spring crops as being very backward in that community.

"Hav-a-Laf" with Lucey, the lover of pure entertainment and the Missouri mule poet, song composer and director of platforms arranged for by the T. E. L. class, May 20th at opera house.

A letter from Geo. W. Owens at Valparaiso, Indiana, to his mother, Mrs. J. W. Owens, says that he is making good progress in the course he is taking in telegraphy and wireless. He is also taking typewriting. In compliance with his wishes the News will go to his address each week.

**Junior League Program**  
(B Division)

Subject—Naaman the Loper.

Leader—R. J. Thomas.

Scripture lesson, 2 King, 1-1.

With what loathsome disease was Naaman afflicted?—Mary Kagland.

Who was Naaman?—Margaret Thompson.

What did the captive maid tell her master, 2 Kings, 5-3.—Vergie Donaldson.

How did Elisha receive him? 5-10.—Arrie Fleeta Beidleman.

Of what is leprosy a type?—Chas. Ferguson.

Apostle's creed.—Vance Swain.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston were here Saturday night and Sunday from Quanah.

W. H. Dougherty was here from Gainesville Saturday attending to business and visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry. Mr. Henry took him to Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon in his car.

Luther Bell returned this week from Oklahoma where he has been working for a month or more. He reports poor crop prospects in the section where he has been about Clinton. Oats are a comparative failure, wheat is little better.

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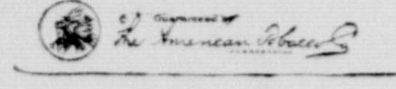
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**Senate Joint Resolution No. 4**

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 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 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 compensation above provided for, the Members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of Government which mileage shall be ten cents per mile, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct travel by land regardless of railways and water routes; and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established, and by such table the mileage of each Member shall be paid; but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after the adjourning of a regular or called session.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1924, at which election these amendments shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and make the publication required by the Constitution and laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"Official Ballot." "For the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for compensation of executive officers." "Against the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for compensation of executive officers."

"Official Ballot." "For the amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution relating to mileage and per diem of Members of the Legislature of the State of Texas." "Against the amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution relating to mileage and per diem of Members of the Legislature of the State of Texas." Those voters who favor such amendments shall erase by marking a line through the words "against the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for compensation of executive officers." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "for the amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for compensation of executive officers." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election; and

Those voters who favor such amendment relating to mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature shall erase by marking through the words "Against the amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution relating to mileage and per diem of the members of the Legislature of the State of Texas." Those who oppose such amendment relating to mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature shall erase by marking through the words "for the amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution relating to mileage and per diem of the members of the Legislature of the State of Texas." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast at such election.

Sec. 3. If the majority of the votes cast in the election herein provided for should be in favor of the amendments proposed, the maximum sum named herein shall become effective and be the compensation thereafter to be received by the officials named therein on and after the first day of January, 1924, and so remain until otherwise provided by law, and the compensation allowed shall be paid out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 4. 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 not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of these amendments and the election to be held hereunder.

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

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

**ROAD WORK ALMOST COMPLETED IN BAYLOR**

Seymour, May 3.—The last contracts on Baylor's county road building program will be completed during this month. This work was begun in 1918, and represents a total expenditure of \$425,000. Baylor has three roads, two of which are designated highways, traversing the county and crossing at Seymour, covering 122 miles of excellent roadways. These roads have been surfaced with native clay and gravel where needed and are praised by tourists as the best the county over of any in West Texas.

The Ozark Trail, paralleling the Wichita Valley Railway through the county, is finished with the exception of a few concrete culverts. This is a designated highway from Lawton, Okla., via Wichita Falls and Abilene to El Paso, and has been built under State and Federal supervision, the county having received \$90,000 aid in its construction.

Highway No. 28, following the G. T. & W. Ry. east to Fort Worth by way of Jacksboro and west through Benjamin to Plainview and Farwell, N. M., is finished through the county. The \$37,000 steel bridge across the Big Wichita River on the Vernon road has been accepted by the commissioners and it is hoped to have all culverts in on this road by May 15. The road south to Throckmorton is in fine condition.

In building these cardinal roads the commissioners are not overlooking the other roads of the county, and a general survey of the county finds practically all lateral or byroads graded and in good condition.

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**Adelphian Club**

Mrs. J. A. Stovall was hostess to the Adelphian Club at the home of Mrs. Henry Ferguson May the 7th. Preceding the business session of the meeting, Mrs. Henry, on account of ill health, tendered her resignation as president of the club. We regret very much to lose Mrs. Henry in this capacity.

For some years past she has done intensive and extensive club work, therefore, was well qualified to execute the duties of the office she held. Her secretary, Mrs. J. T. Carter, was elected to fill her place. Mrs. Carter is a very capable young woman and understands thoroughly the work of the club. We feel confident that she will carry on the work in a creditable manner. Mrs. T. E. Womack gave an interesting and enthusiastic report of the meeting of the clubs of the First District held recently at Wichita Falls. The club extension committee of this meeting reported an increase of twenty two new clubs with a membership of three thousand two hundred.

The curtain which was ordered for the auditorium at the school building has arrived. Miss Lottie Woods in behalf of the teachers and pupils thanked the members very kindly for their generous gift.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Jim Minnick at her ranch home south of town May the 13th. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.—Press Reporter.

**Government Stallion**

ED LUCE is a bay horse, fifteen hands high and weighs ten hundred and sixty pounds. He was foaled in 1911 and is by Guiding Star out of Belle Strame by imported Ben Strame.

He was bred by Mr. H. S. Peck of Gregson, Montana.

In this horse are combined the breeding of the thoroughbred with the conformation of the quarter horse, he should sire hardy, high class horses. He raced four years and ran seventy-seven races ranging from a half to three quarters of a mile and won eighteen, second thirteen times and third twelve. Making forty three times he won or was placed in seventy-seven races; run at nearly all the tracks from Mexico to Canada.

ED LUCE will be handled this season by J. H. Minnick of Foard City, Texas, and will stand for \$10.00 for each mare with usual return privilege.

eyes. This stallion is placed in the place for the purpose of increasing the supply of cavalry horses which in a few years will be badly needed. The Government has no strings on the colt, but wants to know where to look for horses when they need them.

**At the Presbyterian Church**

Rev. W. M. Baker will be here Sunday and will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church at the morning hour. It can not be stated whether or not he will preach at night. Everybody is invited to attend the service.

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### DEATH OF FORMER FOARD COUNTY TEACHER

Several Foard County people remember Miss Pearl Blalock who taught school at Foard City two or three years ago. She was principal of the school and is said to have been one of the most efficient teachers Foard City ever had. The death of this young lady is reported in the Walnut Springs Hustler of April 22.

Since she went away from this county she had married R. M. Griffin of Waxahachie, Texas. Death came Monday, April 22.

Some idea of the high esteem with which this woman was held by the people of her town is seen from the following lines from the local paper at Walnut Springs:

If we might speak in such terms as beautiful, we will say hers was the most beautiful funeral we had ever witnessed. The entire altar was covered with a profusion of flowers, given as tokens of the love of her friends, the floral offering being one of the most elaborate that we have ever seen. The music was rendered in the most impressive manner, and it bespoke of her views of the future life. Her favorite song, "Sometime We'll Understand," was sung in duet by Misses Bertie and Gertie Crow.

The Rev. T. G. Story conducted the funeral service in a most impressive manner, paying the last tribute of respect and commending her God to her loved ones for their support and comfort in this sad hour.

All that skilled physicians, trained nurses and loving hands of her own family and loyal friends could do, was done during her illness of one month, to restore her to her health, but it was God's will that she should go home to Him.

### SENTIMENT IN WEST TEXAS GROWS IN FAVOR OF SCHOOLS

According to press reports 14 school districts out of 20 in Lubbock County have petitioned for an election on the increase of tax rate not to exceed \$1.00 on the \$100 valuation of property. These are rural districts.

In these districts there are seven brick school buildings, three of which are equipped with electric lights. Four other schools have voted bonds totaling \$55,000 for the construction of new



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brick buildings and three of these are now holding a second election to increase the amount of their bonds to care for the increase in scholastic enrollment already being reported over and above the estimated growth of the schools at the time of voting the original bonds six and eight months ago. Five of the rural schools have teacherages on the school grounds and these are modern in every partic-

ular. Others are said to be planning to build homes for teachers. This means not only provision of comfortable quarters for the teachers while they are engaged in teaching in the community, but it means that such communities are in line for the most efficient teaching talent to be had.

30 Registered Hereford Kansas and Missouri bulls for sale.—J. M. Hill, Jr.

### 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 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 such 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 all 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.

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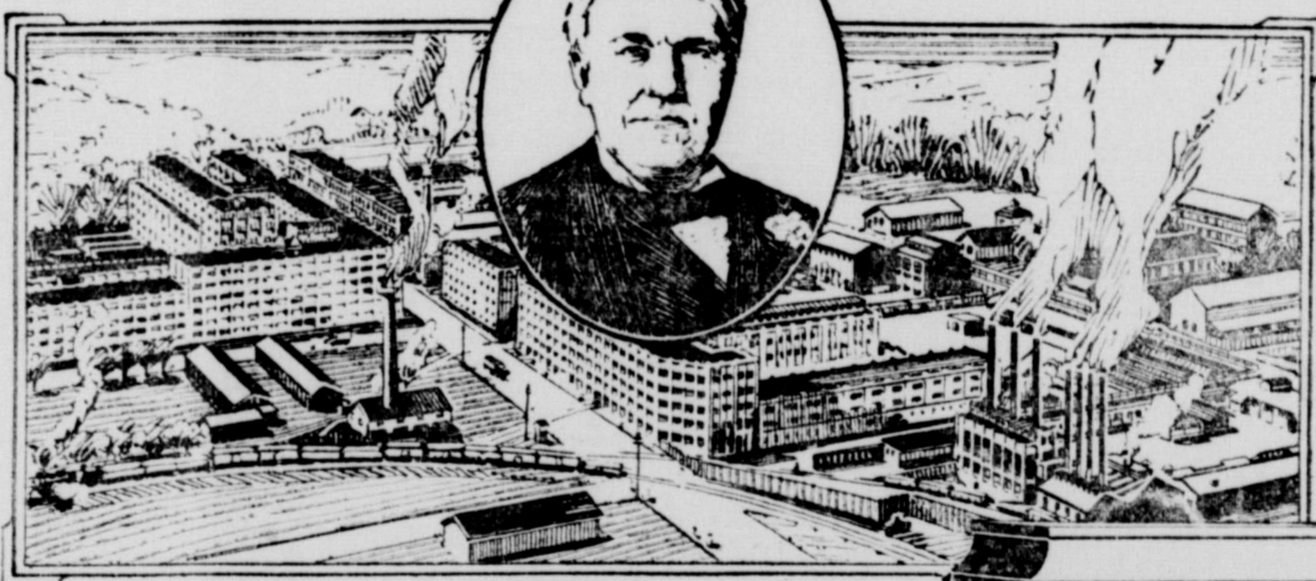
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### TO CLIMB MOUNT EVEREST

British Royal Geographical Society Said to Be Contemplating Ambitious Expedition.

Enormous interest has been aroused by the announcement that the Royal Geographical society contemplates fitting out an expedition to attempt the ascent of Mount Everest, in the Himalayas. For not only is this the highest mountain on the globe; but it is also the world's mystery mountain. Although it was discovered 70 years ago, no European has yet succeeded in getting anywhere nearer than about fifty miles to it, much less setting foot on its slopes. This is because it so happens that it is situated partly in Nepal and partly in Tibet, and the governments of both these countries object to the presence of European explorers.

Besides this the Nepal base of the giant mountain is in any case practically unapproachable, owing to the dense jungle growth, extending for a width of 60 or 70 miles all round, and into whose depths no white man may venture and live.

The proposal now is to attempt the ascent from the Tibetan side. This is doubtless possible, but whether the summit can be reached or not is another matter.

Most experts say not, and point to the fact that the duke of Abruzzi's attempt to scale Mount Godwin-Austin, Everest's mighty neighbor, and the second highest peak in the world, resulted in failure.

He ascended as far 24,000 feet, but was then obliged to turn back, owing to the difficulty of breathing, due to the extreme rarefaction of the air. Mount Everest is more than 29,000 feet high.

with glue. Some ink is made from the seed of sesame or rapeseed oil, but in any case the paste is pressed into molds. There are, of course, many grades of this ink, the lower being made from the coarser seed and glue. In 1918 the Chinese exported 127,000 pounds of this ink.—Scientific American Monthly.

Literature of the Czechs. Czech literature has voluminous and impressive accomplishments to show. Take, for example, Bohemia's three great writers of the nineteenth century, Dobrovsky, Jungmann and Palacky. Jungmann compiled a dictionary of the Czech language in 59 volumes. Palacky wrote a work of 20,000 pages on Czechic history, and Dobrovsky wrote a grammar of Czechic. The most indefatigable writer, however, was Jaroslav Vrchlicky. He translated Dante's "Divine Comedy," Ariosto's "Orlando Furioso," Calderon's "Faust," Walt Whitman, as well as works from French, Hebrew, Yiddish and Chinese. No one knows how he found the time to do it. Among the leading Czech writers of the present, Fraa Sramek, Toman Kollock, the Capek brothers and Theer rank high.—New York Evening Post.

### ANCIENT HARPS OF IRELAND

Two Instruments, Each Having a Distinct Purpose, Were in Use in Olden Times.

The ancient Irish harp was of two kinds—a small instrument used chiefly for religious purposes, first by the old Druids in their rites, and later by the Christian bishops and abbots. The other harp was large, and was used in public assemblies and in battles. The bagpipes were introduced into Ireland from Caedonia. They had the same use in the Irish armies they now have in the Highland regiments. But the Irish made, in the course of time, an improvement, using bellows to fill the chanter, instead of the mouth, and continued improving the instrument until the union-pipes of today are the result.

As to early Irish harpers and their music there is little known, but at Queen Elizabeth's court, Irish tunes were popular. Of late huge books of ancient Irish melodies have been collected and arranged. Petrie has attracted attention to this field by his thorough investigation of Irish folk music.

### India Ink Really Chinese Ink.

The intensely black inks have various sorts of finely divided carbon as their pigment, and the vehicle in most instances is some type of oil or varnish. India ink is the name often applied to what is in reality Chinese ink. The best of this variety comes from the Anhui province and is made from the lamp black produced when wood oil is slowly burned in one earthenware vessel and the soot or lamp black produced is collected on the sides of a second jar placed above the first. A paste is made with varnish and pork fat and this is then mixed

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