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FF HIGHWAY TO BE DEVELOPED FOR TOURIST TRAVEL

In the official scout car of the Automobile Club of Texas, Curtis Hancock, former chairman of the state highway committee, and Hardy Sammons, business manager of the club left Fort Worth Friday morning to begin a tour of road development over the F. F. F. highway. The development program will consist of logging, marking, mapping and advertising this highway which extends something over 650 miles from Fort Worth to Las Vegas, N. M., from which point it joins the Santa Fe Trail, affording a most direct route to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Hancock and Mr. Sammons arrived in Crowell yesterday afternoon and within a few minutes a representative bunch of the business men of town were brought together at the First State Bank where these men let go some of their enthusiasm in short talks, after which Crowell's quota for advertising, logging, marking, etc., was raised, the amount being \$147.20.

These men had nothing but praise for our part of the highway they had seen, saying it was the best they had traveled over since they left Parker County. They also said they had the distinction of having been the first to cross the Wichita bridge in an automobile, and that they were going to herald that fact abroad as they went.

Mr. Hancock, who is chairman of the state highway committee of the Automobile Club of Texas, is an acknowledged authority on good road matters and is keenly enthusiastic over the possibilities of the Three F's. The party will hold good roads meetings in all of the towns along the route, waking them up to the value of good and better roads, ironing out their little difficulties and injecting the missing links of enthusiasm.

Texas Touring State

"Texas will be a greater touring state than California when she realizes the value of improved roads," said Mr. Hancock, "and that isn't far distant as she now has a sixty-million-dollar program for this year covering about four thousand miles, while the extent of California's total mileage of high class roads is around two thousand. That greatly advertised state is selling her climate to the world—why not Texas? She has in addition to climate, undeveloped resources far beyond the calculation of man. Every known product of the soil that has made California famous can be produced somewhere in Texas. If one-tenth of the energy and money that has been spent in that famous state was used in a systematic and judicious manner for Texas, this state would have been harvesting the tourist crop that has made California so rich. Tourists have been visiting California for years and have been served the same artificial menu, they have become burned out and are now seeking new fields.

The Fort Worth, Floydada and Frisco highway, popularly known as the F. F. F., beginning at Ft. Worth, traverses the great Llano Estacado of Texas (Staked Plains), and enters New Mexico at Farwell-Texico, penetrating the interior as far as Las Vegas, through the wonderfully beautiful scenic mountain region of that state. It affords a direct cut off from the heart of Texas, giving an entirely new and shorter route to California.

F. F. F. Recently Organized

This highway was recently organized and held its first annual convention at Floydada in September. Ford Shook of Fort Worth is the highway's first president; D. W. Jones, Clovis, N. M., is secretary, John Boaswell of Plainview is publicity director.

"We were impressed with the enthusiasm shown by the large number of delegates present when we attended the first annual convention at Floydada," said Mr. Sammons, "as the attendance, from one line to the other, would have done credit to a much older organization. We expect to meet with a rousing welcome and the heartiest co-operation everywhere, for it was there that this development work was assigned to the machinery of the club.

"We are going to preach the value of good roads, roads without a missing link, the value of a marked highway, a highway that leads somewhere, and, above all, the value of spreading our publicity throughout the entire United States.

"The automobile club of Southern

All Over Texas News

The American Legion, Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions clubs of Amarillo have dispatched telegrams to Marshall Foch inviting him to visit that city.

The gasoline dealers of Dallas have agreed to close their places of business all day Sundays. The new arrangement is now in effect.

Sam Walker, a negro, killed another negro whose name was Early, Saturday afternoon at Paducah. They quarreled over a "craps" game.

W. P. Revis, a farmer of San Saba County, was burned to death in a hotel at Brownwood when the hotel was destroyed by fire one night last week.

The Northwest Texas Insane Asylum will open at Wichita Falls December 31, so it has been announced. The institution will be able to accommodate 350 patients.

Dick Hamilton, who was tried for the murder of B. F. Allison, postmaster at Charlie, drew a 15 year sentence in the penitentiary in the district court at Henrietta last week.

C. A. Williams, a pioneer merchant of Denton, claims the distinction of having cast his vote in the same precinct for sixty nine years. He came to Denton in 1852 and is not 89 years of age.

A wreck on the Santa Fe three miles from Snyder last week caused temporary disability of six men. The cause of the wreck was a heavily loaded train running at high rate of speed, the cars leaving the track.

William B. Cain, a resident of Swisher County, was burned to death recently under his car when the car overturned with him, pinning him beneath it. A wheel broke off of the car which caused the wreck, and then fire broke out.

There were nearly 7,000 births in Texas during the month of October. Of these 3,090 were white boys and 2,940 white girls. It is claimed that only about 20 per cent of the negro births were reported. According to the report there were 302 negro boys and 275 negro girls.

The 10-year-old child of Mrs. Follwill of Weatherford is thought to be the youngest person in the United States to secure a judgment, as was true in the case of this one when it was made the beneficiary in the damage suit by his mother against the Texas Employment Association for the death of her husband, caused by accident at the Acme Brick Co.

Birthday Party

Mrs. J. H. Lanier entertained last Saturday at her home with a party for her little daughter, Allyne, on her eighth birthday.

Punch was served at the door to twenty sweet-faced playmates as they came in. Reading and games were the diversion of the afternoon. Little Miss Marjorie Spencer was the honor guest and very popular.

Before going each was served to delicious ice cream in cones topped with a red cherry. Mrs. Lanier was assisted by Mrs. Speck and "Big Mama" Lanier in entertaining the children.—A Guest.

California has done more for that state than any other single factor," continued Mr. Sammons, "and their ammunition has been publicity. They are responsible for her good roads and the establishment of tourist camps all over the state. We are now working along the same proven plans for the development of Texas as an ideal tourist state. We are going to set old Texas before the eyes of the nation, putting forth her charms in all possible glory, and invite foreign capital that is looking for investment, tourists seeking a more salubrious climate than the rigorous winters of the frozen north, and the more plentiful crop of tourists that make up the ownership of America's 8,300,000 pleasure cars which travel our national highways at the rate of 800 per day. These people average \$1 per day per town as they fly by. That's \$800 per day or \$5,600 a week, hardly realized because it is cash business and possibly not to come again, but \$291,200 for the average town along advertised highways should make the tourist crop in popular demand by our live Texas towns. Let's cultivate it."

Armistice Day to Be Observed in Crowell

The American Legion with the two local military companies will assemble on the court house lawn at 10:00 a. m. today for the purpose of obeying the proclamation of the President of the United States and the Governor of Texas that all the people cease from their work for the period of two minutes in honor of our soldiers that died in the service of this country for a cause they knew was right. Let every citizen of Foard County meet with these service and ex-service men at the time and place appointed and honor those men who gave their all for their country.

President Harding's and Gov. Neff's proclamations will be read before the two minutes silence. 12 m. Washington time is 11 Crowell time. From 11 a. m. to 11:02 will be our time for silent prayer.

TEXAS COTTON CROP IS PLACED AT 1,820,000 BALES

Austin, Texas, Nov. 4.—Texas' cotton crop this year is estimated by Charles E. Baughman, Commissioner of Markets and Warehouse Department, to be 1,820,000 bales, and he forecasts that the crop for 1922 will be much the same as it is in 1921. He bases his estimate on data collected from ginneries throughout the State. The average ginning to Oct. 30 is shown to be 95 per cent. Taking the last Government ginneries report as a basis, Commissioner Baughman said that this would indicate that the cotton crop for Texas in 1921 will be 1,818,000 bales, which is somewhat smaller than the last Government report and a little larger than the report as made by the Texas Department of Agriculture, Commissioner Baughman said.

Ginneries to the number of 205 reported that there will be from a slight to as much as a 10 per cent increase in acreage for 1922; ginneries to the number of 180 reported that there would not be any increase nor decrease; 151 reported a decrease all the way to 50 per cent, and 244 reported "not able to estimate."

Virgil Floyd Thomas, a young man about 19 or 20 years of age, shot himself in the head with a 22 caliber rifle at the home of W. F. Thurman some eight miles northwest of Goree late Wednesday afternoon of last week. He lived about an hour after the fatal shot was fired.—Goree Advocate.

WALKS OFF OF BOX CAR AND FRACTURES ANKLE

That was the experience of Paul Shirley last Saturday night. It happened something like this, as it was related to a News representative:

Mr. Shirley and John Brown of Truscott had been loading out some cattle and it was necessary for them to pinch bar some cars out so that they could get to them with the stock and it was while they were doing this that Mr. Shirley happened to the accident of getting his left ankle fractured and the right one sprained. He had climbed up on top of the car to release the brakes and as he walked towards the end of the car the light of an approaching locomotive, it is thought, threw the shadow of a car that deceived him as to the length of the one he was walking. So he reached the end of the car sooner than he anticipated. The consequence was that he stepped out into space and lighted on the ground about 15 feet below.

Mr. Brown quickly put Mr. Shirley into his car and carried him to his home where Dr. Hill was called.

While the wound has been a little painful Mr. Shirley is getting along all right and will soon be out again going as usual. It was a narrow escape and he counts himself fortunate that it was no more serious than he finds it so far.

Clarendon is completing the installation of its new waterworks machinery.

Fine Weather Contrasted With That of 14 Years Ago

Our attention was called to the contrast of this fine November weather with that of November 1907, this week by T. M. Beverly. Mr. Beverly remembers the 7th day of November of that year by the light snow that fell, and the fact was made more impressive on his mind because that was his first year in Foard County. He came to this county that year, arriving in Crowell Nov. 7th, and the snow came too.

If we remember correctly the winter of 1907 was one of the most severe in the history of Foard County and following that winter, which was characterized by an abundance of snow, was a very fine crop of wheat. This is nearly always the case. However much we may prefer mild winters, they are seldom the forerunners of an abundant wheat harvest. This is not sounding a note of pessimism; we have the winter in front of us yet, but still we would find more from which to take courage if we could have some severe weather at this time and on through the winter.

District Court Proceedings

Following are the cases that were disposed of in the district court which has been in session here for the last two weeks:

Tom Bray vs. Minnie Bray, divorce granted to Bray and given custody of child.

S. W. Tole vs. C. W. Beidleman and the Bank of Crowell as guaranties judgment granted Tole.

Albert Vassar vs. Ellen Vassar Vassar granted divorce and custody of minor children.

J. E. Bray vs. Walter Simmons was continued for service.

Emma Watts vs. R. B. Watts continued.

State of Texas vs. J. M. Brewer continued by agreement.

Chenault & Wheat vs. Everett Bell judgment for foreclosure of note and mortgage for \$2,907.13.

Madison Holder et al vs. Richard Taylor, dismissed for want of prosecution.

T. M. Beverly vs. Jim Burton, judgment for plaintiff.

Baldwin & Stovall vs. Foard County, settled by agreement.

State of Texas vs. Joe Watkins and Granville A. Gaunt, continued on application of defendant.

State of Texas vs. C. M. Thomas two years in penitentiary for forgery by alteration.

State of Texas vs. Willie Blackwell two years in penitentiary for theft of personal property to value of more than \$50.00.

State of Texas vs. E. F. Russell dismissed by district attorney.

J. W. Thompson vs. Nora Mullins et al, settled by agreement.

State of Texas vs. James Morris two years in penitentiary for theft of personal property to value of more than \$50.00.

State of Texas vs. Fred Dotson judgment nisi.

State of Texas vs. Otto Dotson judgment nisi.

Says Cattle Are Thinned Out

On their trip to Southwest Texas Bell, Hunter and McMillan, saw comparatively few cattle. This is especially true from Midland to Alpine. In the country about Marathon they saw more cattle than further north, but even down that far they are scattering, but what there are seemed to be in good condition. Mr. Bell said grass was not very good in that country except in the mountains.

Coming back Mr. Bell said he took particular notice of the scarcity of cattle from Midland to Crosbyton and counted all he saw and never counted but 200. The calf crop also is the shortest he ever saw. He does not know what has caused this thinning out of cattle unless it is because of the decline in price.

W. S. J. Russell and son, Willie M. N. Kenner, Counts Ray, Allen Sanders, Grady Magee, A. C. Gaines, B. W. Self, J. L. Hunter and T. B. Klepper were in Vernon Tuesday evening attending a meeting of the Vernon Commandery, Knights Templar Masons. A banquet was served at 7 o'clock by the ladies.

Mrs. A. H. Clark and little daughter, who had been here for a month from Oklahoma City visiting relatives left Sunday for their home. They were accompanied to Chillicothe by Mrs. Thacker who visited the family of J. M. Rutherford.

TRADES DAY GETS NEW LEASE ON LIFE AFTER SHORT SLEEP

The faces of many of those who have for a long time been at home closely looking after their farm work were to be seen on the streets of Crowell Monday. It was First Monday, or Trades Day, and practically everybody had come to town to see who else was coming and to see what bargains they might be able to pick up in the way of stock or anything else that might be offered for sale. All merchants had not made special bargain offers, although most of them had made announcements in last week's News as to "season's goods," calling attention to certain merits, etc., but all of the business men seem to have been busy most of the day and Dave Sullis, public auctioneer, was especially pleased with the sales he had pulled off, and said there was quite an increase in this line over what it had been a few months ago.

With a little advertisement and a few special bargains given by all the business men of Crowell, we can make Trades Day for Crowell a real busy day for every interest in town and it will mean expansion of trade generally. Through the balance of this year the News expects to give this matter more attention than formerly. Crowell is getting to a point where it can well afford to go after the trade of a wider territory. In other words, it must extend its territory, or rather claim that which by rights belongs to it, by simply getting up and going after it. Special inducements offered by our business men in the way of merchandise will be the most potential factor in hastening the development of our trade territory and holding our own with competitive towns.

Grand Jury's Report

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Foard.

In the District Court of Foard County, Texas, October term, A. D. 1921.

To the Honorable J. A. Nabers:

We, the Grand Jury, for the October term, A. D. 1921, of the District Court of Foard County submit the following report:

We have heretofore submitted and presented four felony indictments and six misdemeanor indictments.

We desire to call attention of the butchers of the county to the fact that the laws of the State require each butcher in the county to register with the county clerk of the county, and to file a bond in the sum of \$1,000.00 with the county clerk, and to keep a record of all cattle slaughtered or butchered by them, and to report to each term of the Commissioners Court regarding the cattle butchered or slaughtered by them. It is called to our attention that the butchers of this county have failed to comply with these statutes, and we thought that it was best to give this warning so that the butchers might be advised in this particular. Failure to comply with these statutes subject the offender to a severe penalty, and we hope that this warning will be all that is necessary to carry out this law. This applies to all who buy and butcher cattle for the market or for sale.

We have finished our labors and ask that we be finally discharged.

S. S. BELL,
Foreman of Grand Jury.

Mrs. Horace Hankins of Tulsa, Ok., visited in Crowell a few days last week after the burial of the remains of her mother, Mrs. Masters, in the Thalia cemetery. The deceased was an early settler of this county, having lived with her husband near Margaret until his death, after which time she made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Hankins, in Crowell. The family has been away from Crowell for a number of years. Mrs. Hankins was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. D. J. Stutsman, also of Tulsa.

Mrs. Mussetter of Kansas City who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Ray, near Rayland, sustained injury to her back Tuesday night of last week while riding in a car with Mr. and Mrs. Ray to Thalia. A deep ditch in the road was not sighted in time to slow up enough to prevent giving the occupants a considerable jolt, but Mrs. Mussetter is the only one that received injury. She is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Special Clubbing Offer

The Bargain Day price of the Star-Telegram, Daily and Sunday, is \$6.75, that of the Daily without Sunday, \$5.60, which is \$1.10 and 80 cents cheaper, respectively, than they were a year ago. The News is going to make a reduction on the price of this moral and religious weekly, which will mean a still bigger saving to the readers of both papers. It will mean a saving to readers of the News only, but more to those taking advantage of the two. These are the best propositions that can possibly be made, and you will say so yourself. Here are the propositions: If you want the News alone for one year, you will be given until Dec. 15th, to subscribe at the \$1.50 rate. If you want the Star-Telegram, Daily and Sunday, the price will be \$7.25, only 50 cents more than the Telegram alone will cost you. The price of the Daily without the Sunday Telegram and News for \$6.35. By these rates on the two you are enabled to save at least \$4.00. Nobody could ask for better rates. No better can possibly be given at living prices.

Moreover, if you are not a reader of these or either of them, by taking advantage now you can get both until Dec. 1, 1922, which time includes the balance of November, making at least 12½ months.

Come to see us about the matter at once, or if you can not come, mail us check to cover any subscription you may want and the matter will receive our immediate attention.—THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS.



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THALIA NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mesdames Charley and Jeffie Wood were shopping in Vernon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Haney of Vernon visited his parents here Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Phillips and children visited Mrs. Pearl Cobb at Rayland Thursday.

Mrs. Jeffie Wood spent two days and nights with relatives in Vernon last week.

Mrs. Elmer Roberts and children of Crowell spent Friday with Mrs. Walter Banister.

Lee Shultz has moved his family into the house vacated by Bud Moore and family Saturday.

Walter Carr was among the visitors from this community in the Black community Sunday.

Bro. Henderson preached his farewell sermon here Sunday at 11 a. m. at the Baptist church.

Tom Johnson, teacher of the Ayersville school, visited relatives in this vicinity Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle and little daughter, Ione, of Ayersville visited relatives here Thursday.

Mrs. Belle Thorn and family of Lockett spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thorn.

Mrs. J. A. Abston spent from Monday till Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Rennels, at Crowell.

Miss Myrtle Huntley, one of our teachers, was sick Tuesday. Fannie Capps taught school in her absence.

A Halloween party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lindsey Monday night of last week. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pittillo and children and daughter, Mrs. Homer Wilhite, were Crowell visitors Saturday.

Bro. McNair of Tolbert has accepted the call of the Baptist church here. He preached his first sermon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray and baby of near Rayland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray, of this city recently.

Walter A. Johnson and Yancy Lindsey left Monday on a prospecting trip to the Plains. They went in Mr. Lindsey's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Solomon moved from the A. T. Miller farm to Mrs. Gray's place northwest of town Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Moore of this place moved to a place near Margaret Saturday. We regret very much to lose this excellent family.

Jim Newbrough, who has been spending awhile with his brother Will, left Monday for Haskell, where he expects to make his home.

John Newbrough and family of Memphis, Texas, came in Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. George Johnson, and his brother, Will Newbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson visited their daughter, Mrs. Grover Nichols, and family in the Black community from Wednesday of last week until Sunday.

Bailey Brazier of Roaring Springs is visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. T. Fish, and family.

R. S. Haskew, J. W. Tucker and Jess Cook went to Crowell Monday on business.

J. E. Fish and sons, Egbert and Oscar, were business visitors in Crowell Saturday.

S. J. Lewis, Charlie Arp and G. J. Warren were transacting business in Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Walling and Mrs. Geo. Benham of Crowell spent Monday with Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Egbert Fish and Jess Walling were transacting business with Ode Sosebee of Paducah Thursday.

Mrs. W. O. Fish and little daughter, Mildred Florence, have returned home after being in Crowell for several weeks.

Marvin Sosebee spent from Friday until Monday morning with his relatives, A. L. Walling and family, at Crowell.

For Sale or Trade—10-20 Titan tractor. Will trade for mules.—Walter Cates. 22p

VIVIAN ITEMS
(By Special Correspondent)

J. M. Marr was in Crowell Monday. A. T. Fish was transacting business in Paducah Saturday.

W. O. Fish made a business trip to Swearingen Thursday.

Lawrence Renner and Edward Jones went to Crowell Friday.

Mr. Oscar and daughter, Blanche, went to Crowell Saturday.

Charlie and R. N. Beatty went to Crowell Saturday evening.

Rev. W. T. Gray preached his introductory sermon here Sunday.

Albert and Nellie Carroll went to Claytonville Sunday to visit friends.

W. Q. Richards has bought the Jim McAdams ranch and is improving it.

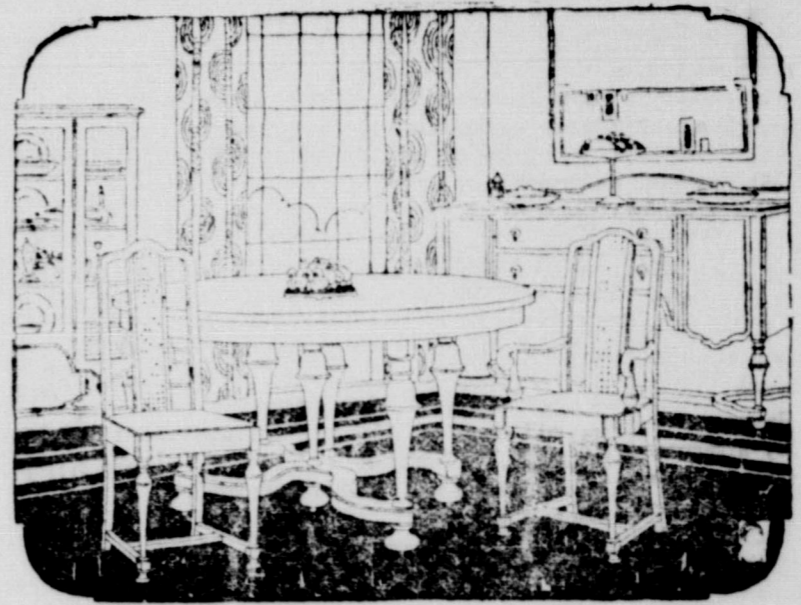
The mail carrier failed to get our items out of the mail box last week. Arthur and Jess Walling of Crowell are working for their uncle, Egbert Fish.

G. J. Benham and sons, Howard, Bruce and Wilber, went to Crowell Saturday.

Has Furniture Dropped?

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- \$92 Red Star Stoves now - \$78.00
- \$50 New Perfection Stoves now - \$43.15

Prices Will Not Be Lower Soon

W. R. WOMACK

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

Arthur Phillips has bought the garage at Rayland. He spent most of last week there getting things in shape so that his assistant can take it in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Banister and Mr. Cox were business visitors in Crowell Wednesday. Mrs. Banister visited Mrs. Frank Meason while there.

The singing school closed Friday night after a successful ten nights' session. Mr. Cox, our efficient teacher, left Saturday for Fargo, where he is to teach a class soon.

T. M. Haney left Tuesday for Dallas to remain with his daughter, Miss Leta, who has been in the Baptist Sanitarium for some weeks, until she is able to return home, which it is thought will be the latter part of the week.

Returned from Hunting Trip

J. W. Bell, J. F. McMillan and J. L. Hunter returned Saturday night from Southwest Texas where they had been on a hunting expedition. They had a fine trip and a splendid outing. The party was joined by Dr. Schindler of this place, W. B. McCormick of Snyder and Carl Thacker of Sawtell, Cal., at Marathon, some eighty miles from where E. P. Bomar lives. The parties pitched their tents high in the mountains, at least 6,000 feet above sea level where they cooked, slept and ate and from which place they went forth in the daytime to see what they could devour. They report lots of sign of deer and other wild animals but that was all.

McCormick, Schindler and Thacker are expected to come later, possibly not for two weeks. Carl will visit Crowell before returning to California.

Roads are reported rather rough going from Crowell south, so the returning party came north from Midland to the Plains country where they had a better route.

Farms in Foard and adjoining counties are attractive to my loan company. Let me make you a long term loan or re-new your old loan. Write for application blank.—John F. Robinson, 704 Ninth St., Wichita Falls, Texas. 22p

I am in the market for chickens and turkeys and will pay the highest market prices. Write me at Margaret or call by phone at Allison Mercantile Co.—J. Q. Middlebrook. 28



City Meat Market

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For Sale—Long staple Sunny South cotton seed at \$2.00 per bushel. Phone 193, Crowell, Texas.—W. E. Hammonds. 22p

AYERSVILLE NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

John Ray is building a nice barn on his farm.

Mrs. Grace Keene and little son went to Knox City Friday.

Mrs. W. L. Johnson is having two new rooms added to her home.

John Hunter and wife of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Hunt Sunday.

E. W. Burrow and family visited in Quanah Saturday night and Sunday.

Lee Shultz was at the school house Friday and Saturday nights with his picture show.

A 7-lb. baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble Sunday night.

Yaney Lindsey and wife of Thalia spent Friday night with Sim Gamble and family.

Oscar Davis and family of Monkey Run spent Sunday with John Hysinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones spent Sunday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell, in Crowell.

George Fox and son, Milburn, and nephew, Jess Fox, left Saturday for the Plains to look for a location.

Miss Bobbie Killian left Sunday for her home at Newport after a six-weeks' visit with her cousin, Charlie Blevins, and family.

J. B. R. Fox left Monday afternoon for Clovis, N. M., to visit a sister, Mrs. Josie Kinworthy, whom he had not seen in over 30 years.

Mrs. Inez Gamble and two little daughters of Chillicothe spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble.

The writer had a very pleasant visit last Thursday with her friend, Mrs. Josie Bledsoe, of Colorado, who is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Maine, at Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. R. Fox served dinner Monday to their friends and pastor, M. Bond and wife and daughter, Mrs. Kinard, and Rev. J. B. Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanchett drove out from Vernon Friday afternoon and took their daughter, Miss Ozella, and

Miss Florrie Owens home with them. Miss Florrie returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Withers entertained Rev. Henderson and family and a few friends Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ayers. Cake and cocoa were served after which a beautiful cut glass bowl was presented Rev. Henderson and family as a token of love and appreciation.

Several from here went to Thalia Sunday morning and to Margaret Sunday night to hear Rev. J. B. Henderson deliver his farewell sermons at the Baptist churches. We regret very much to lose Bro. Henderson as pastor, also his excellent family, but our best wishes go with them to their new home in Colorado.

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I will buy seed cotton at the Vaughn gin.—Robert Ford.



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Of course, as the child grows older he or she will save the pennies, nickels and dimes, and help toward the regular weekly deposit, which will lessen the drain on the parents' pocketbook. In time to come the child will be the sole depositor.

TRESPASS NOTICE

No fishing or hunting allowed in the Worsham & Johnson pasture, so please do not ask. Wood haulers will also please stay out.—W. B. Johnson. 22

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Funds making possible the employment of from 300,000 to 350,000 men for one road building season are appropriated by the Federal highway bill at present in conference and expected to pass Congress within the next few days, says Weekly News Letter from U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington. The Government is encouraging highway construction all over the United States by putting up dollar for dollar appropriated or contributed by the states, and hereafter a new system of handling the funds will be provided for, which is that of state-control of both State and local funds.

The extent of Alaskan forests can be dimly imagined when one speaks of seventy billion feet of timber, and that only in one forest—the Tongass National Forest. This is the estimate as given by a forester who visited the Alaskan country. It is further estimated that this forest alone could under proper forestry methods, supply the nation with a supply of wood pulp sufficient to yield approximately two million tons a year perpetually, or enough to manufacture one-third of the pulp products consumed in the United States.

According to Frank H. Simonds in the Dallas News war between the United States and Japan is inevitable unless outside influence changes the trend of things. He thinks Great Britain would sustain serious consequences of such a war, and realizing that fact, is therefore very much interested in a reconciliation of differences between the two countries. It is a pity but what the interests of all the leading countries were so entwined that a war between any two would be too perilous to all to be permitted.

A summary of world crop conditions as to wheat indicates a larger crop next year than this. In most of the States the lands have been well prepared and seeded and the young crop now in growing condition. Exceptions are comparatively few. In practically all the wheat growing regions of Europe, South America, South Africa and Australia the wheat acreage has been increased and the promise is now favorable.

One can hardly stand by and see our old friend, Tom Watson, jumped on and cuffed about without feeling a little resentment. He is not responsible for being in the Senate. It's the people of the great State which Tom represents who are responsible for his being out of his place when he got into the Senate. But the freaks which Georgia politics has performed leads the world.

Just as we go to press we learn that Judge J. N. Browning of Amarillo died suddenly yesterday, age 71 years. He is well known by many people of Crowell. He was a member of the Senate at the time Foard County was created, and Lieutenant Governor from 1898 to 1902.

Services at Christian Church Next Sunday, November 13th

Bible School 10 a. m., A. T. School, 11 a. m.
 Communion and sermon, 11 a. m.
 Sermon subject, "The Golden Ladder That Leads to God."
 Evening service, 7:15 p. m. Sermon subject, "The First Full Gospel Sermon."
 Prayer service and choir practice every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited to attend our services.
 J. FRANK MONTGOMERY, Minister.

Methodist Church Notice

Sunday School promptly at 10 o'clock. We are organizing and forming some new classes. Come and help us to make a great Sunday School.
 Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor.

Subject for the morning hour, "Dreams and Visions." At the evening hour, "The Conversion of a Great Sinner." A twenty minutes song service at the evening hour.
 W. M. MURRELL, Pastor.

Don't fail to see the last game of football to be played on the home gridiron today. Admission 50c before the game or 75c at the gate. Buy a ticket now and save a quarter.

Jimmie Russell returned last Friday from Henderson, located in the eastern part of the state. Jimmie brought back some ribbon cane and ribbon cane syrup.

Gets Garage and Car Burned

Bob Bell who lives on his father's place south of town had the misfortune Thursday night of last week of losing his garage, Ford car, a shot gun and Winchester by fire, the origin of which is not known. Mr. Bell was awakened by the crackling of the burning shingles on the garage about 9:30 o'clock and summoned help from town, but the fire had gained such headway that nothing could be done.

Rev. W. T. Gray came in Monday from Dallas to begin his work as minister for the Crowell Circuit of the Methodist church. His family remained in Dallas. The Crowell circuit consists of the following appointments: Vivian, Black, Foard and Truscott.

Miss Marguerite Stephens of Bryan, who had been here visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, for two weeks, left Saturday for her home. She will make a short visit with her mother in Dallas before going to Bryan.

E. L. Yarbrough was in the News office last week and ordered his paper changed to Swan, Texas, to which place he was moving. Mr. Yarbrough and family lived on the Bowden farm south of town the past year.

Mrs. J. C. Roberts of Denton has been here this week visiting in the home of her son, N. J. Roberts. She was here to attend the burial of her sister, Mrs. Masters, in the Thalin cemetery last week.

Mrs. Lee Ribble returned a week ago from Burk Burnett where she had been with her son, P. L. and wife for some time on account of sickness of her daughter-in-law. She left them getting along all right.

WILBARGER CO. MAN SEES DANGER IN IMPORTING COTTON SEED

Perhaps not everybody had thought of the danger of getting the pink boll worm into this country by importing cotton seed from infested districts but a note of warning has been sounded by L. G. Hawkins, county chairman of the United Campaign for Better Agriculture in Wilbarger County. "Unless one knows absolutely," says Mr. Hawkins, "where the cotton seed comes from, it is risky business to buy it."

The News thinks it is well to call attention to this matter since there have been agents in this country selling cotton seed of late, and to say the least of the matter it could not be a mistake to be cautious.

Speaking further on the subject, as reported in the Vernon Record, Mr. Hawkins says:

Thirteen Counties Infested

"I see in the Dallas News of last Sunday that the pink boll worm has been found in Ellis County. Seed in that vicinity was shipped to oil mills in Ellis County from New Mexico. There are thirteen counties in Texas which are infested with pink boll worms. The boll weevil has ruined the cotton crop of most of East and Central Texas.

As a result the cotton oil mills in that section are having to ship in seed from anywhere they can get it. It is possible that cotton seed from infested areas may be shipped to oil mills in many other counties.

Worm Is Distinctive

The pink boll worm is entirely different from the boll weevil. The first is a worm which is carried in the seed. The weevil is an insect which punctures squares and bolls. Not being a timbered country, we can control the boll weevil by plowing the stalks under, or uprooting and burning them, burning fence rows, burning trash, or by pasturing cotton fields.

The pink boll worm is a different thing. It eats up bolls, squares, leaves and seed. It often damages a crop 70 per cent. Be careful that you do not buy pink boll worm."

Gormand.

The word "gormand" is too frequently confused with "gourmet," of exactly opposite meaning. A gormand is defined in the dictionaries as a "glutton, a greedy person"—that is to say, a person of indistinct but undiscriminating appetite.

The word "gourmet," on the other hand, is defined as "an epicure; a dainty feeder; a connoisseur in wines or meats; a man of keen palate."
 Both words were appropriately borrowed from the French, as the French borrowed the art of cooking and eating from the Italians, who in their turn inherited it from the old Romans, the greatest eaters in history, whether as gormands or gourmets.—Chicago Journal.

MEXICAN SHOTS MAN AND BEATS WIFE IN WILBARGER COUNTY

It was reported at Crowell Monday that two women and one man had been killed by a Mexican 12 miles south of Vernon, but recent authentic reports give it that no one was killed and only two wounded. These were a man and his wife, whose names are Rudder. The man was shot in the arm and head while the wife was severely beaten over the head with a hammer. The affair as related by the Vernon Record is as follows:

Dispute Over Debt

The attack occasioned through dispute over a debt, occurred Sunday after a Mexican had concealed himself in the house while Mr. and Mrs. Rudder were busy attending to chores in the yard. According to the story told by Mr. Rudder, his wife started back into the house while he went on some errand about the place.

When Mrs. Rudder attempted to open the door, it was held by someone from within, and then suddenly jerked ajar. As she half fell into the room she was struck over the head by a two-pound hammer in the hands of the Mexican who had concealed himself behind the door. The stricken woman threw up her hands to ward off more impending blows, and as a consequence the thumb on her left hand was broken, and her fingers battered to a pulp. She has four terrible jagged wounds on the top of her head.

Shoots Rescuer

Upon hearing his wife's cries, Mr. Rudder started for the house and before he reached the door the Mexican suddenly appeared and aimed the gun at his breast. The farmer whirled and received the shot in his arm and it passed through into his side. Another shot entered the back of his head.

It was at this juncture that D. Massie, a son of Mrs. Rudder, appeared on the scene after having been in Vernon during the morning. In the meantime Mr. Rudder had slipped behind a door in the room where his wife lay stricken, and continued to out-manoeuvre the Mexican who was evidently bent on destruction.

Commanded to Tie Wounded Man

Young Massie was commanded to tie his stepfather securely in order that the gunman might shoot him with more certainty. When the youth who is about 20 years old, demurred he was informed that "not a damn soul will be left alive." He continued to edge across the room toward his step-father who instructed him to break for the door and summon help.

With a bound Massie was out in the open and running in the direction of some hunters he had met when coming to the house. The Mexican gave pursuit and is said to have fired two shots at the fleeing boy. He then returned to the house but Mr. Rudder had barricaded himself, his wife, and 15-year-old stepson in one of the rooms.

Hunters to Rescue

Meanwhile Leonard George and W. T. Butler of Vernon, who had been hunting nearby were summoned by young Massie who informed them that a Mexican was "killing Ma and Pa." The two nimrods advanced upon the house but were evidently sighted by the Mexican who suddenly vanished.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudder and son were induced to admit the rescuers, and word was immediately sent to Vernon for medical assistance and officers. A posse was then organized and, armed with a variety of weapons and on horseback and afoot, nearly 400 men commenced a search of the country. The Mexican was never sighted.

Were on Outing

According to Leonard George, who drives a service car in Vernon, and W. T. Butler, barber at Freeman's Shop, they were on an outing with their families in company with Jack Ellis and family Sunday when the shooting occurred. Mr. George owns the farm upon which Rudder lives.

Before reaching the picnic grounds Mr. George and Mr. Butler alighted from the truck and cut across the pasture in search of game while their families proceeded to the destination. D. Massie was met coming across the field toward his home.

About fifteen minutes later, according to Mr. George, he and his companions heard the shouts of the boy who came running to them and begging for a gun. The party immediately hurried to the house and found the stricken couple as related before.

Controversy Over Crop

According to Mr. Rudder, the Mexican worked a cotton crop on halves with him this season and in addition owed him \$100. The entire yield was

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THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

two bales, and the Mexican demanded payment. When reminded of his debt he refused to be pacified, and went to work for a neighboring farmer, returning at intervals to contest the issue with his former employer.

According to Rudder, his Winchester disappeared from his home last Tuesday, and it was this weapon with which he was shot. His revolver was taken Sunday before the attack occurred.

Chatee is described as being about 22 years old, smooth shaven, short a sore resembling a cancer under his left eye, and speaks very broken English.

W. F. Kirkpatrick returned Tuesday from Ennis where he was called Saturday on account of the illness and death of his mother, Mrs. W. R. Kirkpatrick, who died Saturday afternoon.

WEAK, NERVOUS, ALL RUN-DOWN

Missouri Lady Suffered Until She Tried Cardui.—Says "Result Was Surprising."—Got Along Fine, Became Normal and Healthy.

Springfield Mo.—"My back was so weak I could hardly stand up, and I would have bearing-down pains and was not well at any time," says Mrs. D. V. Williams, wife of a well-known farmer on Route 6, this place. "I kept getting headaches and having to go to bed," continues Mrs. Williams describing the troubles from which she obtained relief through the use of Cardui. "My husband, having heard of Cardui, proposed getting it for me. I saw after taking some Cardui . . . that I was improving. The result was surprising. I felt like a different person."

"Later I suffered from weakness and weak back, and felt all run-down. I did not rest well at night, I was so nervous and cross. My husband said he would get me some Cardui, which he did. It strengthened me . . . My doctor said I got along fine. I was in good healthy condition. I cannot say too much for it."
 Thousands of women have suffered as Mrs. Williams describes, until they found relief from the use of Cardui. Since it has helped so many, you should not hesitate to try Cardui if troubled with womanly ailments. For sale everywhere. E. 89

Edgar Logan returned the first of the week from Cuba, N. M., where he filed on a section of land. He is going to move to that country in the near future to make his home.

State Engineer J. G. Lott, came in yesterday at noon to inspect the Wichita bridge which was completed this week. It will probably be opened to traffic today or tomorrow.

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Buster Brown shoes—the best—Self's.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Self left Tuesday for Dallas.
See W. B. Griffin and W. J. Carter for your hog killing. tf
Get your lard cans now while we have them in stock.—J. H. Self & Sons.
For Sale—20x30 sheet iron building. Also plank seats.—J. Y. Welch, at Ardmore. tf
Football at park today, admission 5c at the gate or 50c if you buy ticket in advance.
Cleaning and pressing done with the thought of pleasing our customers. Bring your work to us.—Wright's Tailor Shop.

Shop-made boots.—Self's.
New spring slippers at Self's.
Cotton insurance.—T. N. Bell.
New sweaters this week.—Self's.
All-wool suits this week \$19.50.—Self's.
Here's your battery—"Standard."—Swaim Garage.
Lard cans, 6, 8 and 10 gallons.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Miss Minnie Logan returned home yesterday from Aspermont.
For Sale—Some nice furniture at real bargains.—Edgar Logan. 23p
If it's a Hot Blast heater you want, we have them, any size.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Good Ford touring car for sale worth the money.—Matthews-Woodard Gro. Co.
J. F. Hays was here from Wichita Falls this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. A. Beverly.
Rev. W. M. Murrell and wife made a visit to Merkel, their former home, the first of the week.

100 pairs baby shoes.—Self's.
Automobile insurance.—T. N. Bell.
100 pairs ladies house shoes.—Self's.
Slippers, 1922 spring models.—Self's.
Call Wright's Tailor Shop for your cleaning and pressing.
Guaranteed "Standard" is the battery for you.—Swaim Garage.
Two quart aluminum double boiler for only \$1.39.—M. S. Henry & Co.
For Sale—One Wyeth hot blast heater, good as new.—S. P. McLaughlin. 22p
Six, eight and ten gallon lard cans, and the price is right.—J. H. Self & Sons.
Last and best game of season today. Crowell vs. Chillicothe. Don't miss it.
Full blood single comb red hens and pullets, one dollar each.—Mrs. Orval Grimm, Thalia, Texas. 22
Will pay the highest price for your chickens, eggs and turkeys.—Matthews-Woodard Gro. Co.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Scott returned the first of the week from a month's visit in Collin County, their old home.
Mrs. J. R. Carr, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Murry Martin for two weeks left Sunday for Amarillo.
Mrs. Willis Wilson came in last Saturday from Amarillo to visit her mother, Mrs. G. W. Thompson, and other relatives.

George Crawford, wife and daughter, were here Monday and Tuesday en route from Santa Fe, N. M., to Kansas City, Mo.
When you think of cleaning and pressing think of Wright's Tailor Shop. These associated together means satisfactory results.
Strayed or stolen from my place 9 miles southwest of Crowell a Jersey cow, light yellow, with broad horns no brands. Notify J. M. Polk. 23p
"Standard," the only battery with patented Flexible Rubber Seal, preventing broken lugs, shorts circuits or other internal troubles.—Swaim's Garage.
Rev. J. H. Hamblen of Stamford was shaking hands with his many friends in Crowell last Thursday and Friday, and visiting his daughter Mrs. Roy Ricks.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hunter visited their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Spotts, near Vernon Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Hunter attended the Vernon commandery Tuesday night.
Acala Cotton Seed—I have received a shipment of Acala cotton seed and all who have spoken for them will please come and get same. First come, first served.—J. H. Olds. 24
Lost—\$30.00 in currency, a \$10.00 and a \$20.00 bill, Wednesday between Crowell Barber Shop and Parker's restaurant. Finder may leave at News office or return to me. Will pay reward of \$5.00.—Mack Ford. 22

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See the Mallory Players at school auditorium, Saturday night, Nov. 12. 22
Two dollar and fifty cent aluminum roaster for only \$1.39 at M. S. Henry & Co.
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Picture show at opera house every night. Starts promptly at 7:15. Be on time.
The highest price for chickens, eggs and turkeys at Matthews-Woodard Gro. Co.
A play of four acts, entertaining throughout, at the school auditorium, Saturday night, Nov. 12. 22
Call me at W. R. Womack's store for light hauling, jags of coal, baggage, etc.—T. T. Kuykendall. 26p
Come in and see our new white enameled Florence oil cook stove. You'll like it.—M. S. Henry & Co.
All parties knowing themselves indebted to me for the service of my bull will please settle at once.—J. E. Collins. tf
I am hauling water from the City well. Fine for domestic use. Leave order at Matthews-Woodard Gro. Co.—W. L. Baldwin. 26p
Found a black coat with pair of glasses in it. Owner get same by calling at Carter's Variety Store and paying for this ad. 22
Wool for sale on the Tom Sparks' place at \$2.00 per load, cut and trimmed ready to load. See me.—J. H. McDaniel, 2 miles west of Foard City. 22p
R. E. Gray has been here this week from Panola County, looking after his interests in connection with a land suit in court. Mr. Gray is from that portion of Texas where sweet potatoes and sugar can thrive, and incidentally he was trying to find enough buyers for some of the latter to justify a shipment.

New shipment ladies skirts.—Self's.
Quality brand aluminum, guaranteed for twenty years.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Get a Wyeth Hot Blast heater. They are the best.—J. H. Self & Sons.
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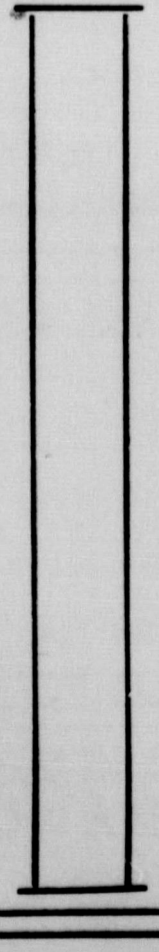
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To you who sit at that white throne where heroes are, our thoughts in gratitude ascend. Look down upon your land today and know that in each loyal heart there is a monument of love for that rare gift you gave.

With thrilled souls and bowed heads, we pause to render tribute to the sacred memory of our unknown dead.

We close November 11—Armistice Day.

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American Legion News

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 3.—Thirty-two years old and the leader of a million fighting Americans. That's the record of Hanford MacNider, of Mason City, Iowa, the new national commander of the American Legion elected here yesterday at the Legion's annual convention.

MacNider was elected by acclamation. Following his election he was carried to the platform by the Iowa delegation. He said:

"You know that the strength of the legion is in the men you represent in your posts at home, not in the national headquarters. There is where the legion is and there is where we shall try to reach. We must build this legion of ours so big, so fine, so strong, keep it so clean and straight and American that when we ask for things for the ex-service man, for the disabled man and for those who are financially disabled, our communities will say: 'If the legion is for it we are for it.' For that service and with a pledge to you of every economy and all measures possible for constructive progress, I stand at your command."

The vice commanders elected were H. Nelson Jackson, Burlington, Vt.; George L. Berry, of Tennessee; Raymond O. Brackett, of Massachusetts; John A. McCormick, Colorado; Charles M. Kendrick, California. Rev. E. A. Blackman, of Kansas, was elected national chaplain. Mrs. Lowell Hobart, of Milford, Ohio, was elected president of the Women's Auxiliary of the Legion.

New Orleans, La., was selected as the next meeting. That city has pledged \$100,000 for entertaining the Legionnaires there during the 1922 meeting next autumn.

The presence of the distinguished military commanders—Foch, Jacques Diaz, Betty and Pershing—brought the gaze of the world on the Legion's great meeting. Their addresses in the convention started the Legionnaires' enthusiasm on a rapid ascent.

At the opening session the Legion men honored their late commander Fred W. Galbraith Jr., with a memorial service. John G. Emery, the retiring commander, set off a roar of applause when he declared that the people of the United States demanded an adjustment of the economic balance between the man who went to war and the man who did not.

The Legion's growth financially and numerically was shown by the annual report read to the convention by National Adjutant Bolles. It was reported that 1050 new posts had been added during the year. Mr. Bolles outlined the Legion's campaign to assist unemployed ex-service men.

Major General Le Jeune, commander of the Marine Corps; General Robert McBride, vice commander of the G. A. R., and George L. Berry, official representative of the American Federation of Labor were speakers on the opening day.

The reception for Foch when 25,000 men in navy blue and olive drab, silhouetted by red fire, stood on the steps of Kansas City's new \$2,500,000 war memorial in Union Station plaza waving their arms, was a dazzling spectacle.

Another "high" of the three-day gathering was the annual Legion parade with endless columns of marching men, Legionnaire cow-boys from the west, Indian veterans in native costume and many attractive floats. With their former high commanders leading the parade, the Legionnaires marched with old-time zip of A. E. F. days. Governor Hyde of Missouri and a dozen governors from middle-west states were in the reviewing box and Vice President Coolidge, who as President Harding's representative had addressed the convention, was an honor guest.

"The convention has convinced me that the American Legion is an established power in the United States—a power for truth and equality," declared Marshal Foch before his departure from Kansas City.

Mothers' Club of Ayersville

The Mothers' Club of the Ayersville school entertained their husbands and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ayers Monday night, Oct. 31.

At the entrance each guest was greeted by the weird witches, who bade them write their names in the book of destiny. Spooky hangings festooned the walls and windows Pumpkin goblins hung from the chandeliers. The future of the guests was clearly foretold by the weird witches, causing much merriment. Also bobbing for apples and deep diving for pears called forth much laughter and hearty applause.

Throughout the evening music was played on the Edison and various Hal-lowe'en "stunts" pulled off. Light refreshments were served at a late hour, each guest departing, thanking their host and hostess for a delightful evening.—A Guest.

MEN ALSO FOND OF GOSSIP

Masculine Tea Hounds Have Sharp Tongues, Is Assertion Made by English Feminine Writer.

From time immemorial the word gossip has been associated with the feminine gender, writes Rosalie Nelsh in the London Standard. It is women who are supposed to take away characters, start rumors, and tear reputations into shreds. It may be true that women like talking about one another, and sometimes not over good-naturedly, but are men entirely free from the gossip habit?

What about the club? Are the subjects always serious, and do not personalities form a large part of the conversation? I know a good many club men, and I have often heard with amazement what they have said about one another.

There was a time when men were supposed not only to condemn but actually to dislike a cup of afternoon tea. Perhaps there was a time when men did not gossip, and the tea and the talk have become popular together. But what about Pepsy's diary?

Here were really some choice bits of gossip! If, however, you do not believe that men gossip nowadays, ask one in to tea—we will say a barrister, for example. Begin to praise one or two K. C.'s and some of the judges, and see what he will say about them; or ask a politician what he thinks of another politician, or a soldier what he thinks of some of the generals—you can apply this test to all the trades and professions.

SAYS LITTLE BUT DOES MUCH

Clerk of British House of Commons is a Silent Though Highly Important Official.

The clerk of the British house of commons is appointed by the prime minister with a salary of £2,000 a year. This is a much bigger salary than he received in the Eighteenth century. In those days he lived chiefly on fees and presents from members of parliament.

The clerk sits at the upper end of the table of the house, and wears a wig and gown. He has the custody of records, signs certain addresses and orders, and reads various documents in the house. He controls the staff of the house, and is responsible for many details in the management of business.

In addition, he is the speaker's principal adviser, and that is why even now speakers seldom make mistakes. He is the great authority on procedure and on all the complicated rules of the house.

This official is usually silent and unobtrusive. The exception occurs when a new speaker is elected.

His position has been described as "the highest and most important official post in the house, and one of the most respected in the civil service; its occupancy has long been a personal distinction and the recognition of eminent capacity."

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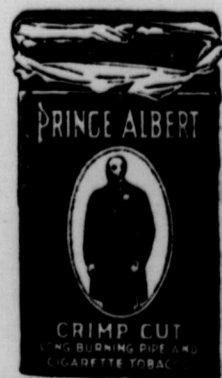
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Munday Has Destructive Fire

It comes unpleasantly near home when we hear of such destructive fires as that which occurred at Munday early Saturday morning. According to reports about half the business section was wiped out and two lives lost. Munday is a town about the size of Crowell and we can imagine what such a fire would mean to us, then get some idea what it means to our sister town. The fullest report we have seen was in the Stamford Daily American, which follows:

H. O. Henson, an oil mill employe, and Walter West, aged 16 years, were killed and several others injured in the most disastrous fire known in West Texas in years, which occurred this morning at Munday, in the southeastern part of Knox County, wiping out the entire south side of the square.

The list of dead and injured was the result of an explosion of dense smoke which occurred in the Baker-Campbell Grocery Company store just before the flames reached the building. A negro also suffered injuries which resulted in his death this morning at 11 o'clock.

Many workers were busy removing the large stock of merchandise in the Baker-Campbell Company store when the smoke became so intense that an explosion was feared and most of those engaged in removing the merchandise retired to a safe distance.

Young West, who was the son of a well known grocerman of Munday, had just left the building, and was closely followed by Henson, who was carrying a sack of flour, when the explosion blew out both ends of the building and threw the rear wall of brick on Henson. West, who was clear of the flying brick, was killed by the explosion only, and was left without a scratch on his body.

At the time the flames were discovered this morning both the Smith Tailor Shop and the Chocolate Shop were already in flames throughout and in a short time the fire had spread to the adjoining buildings and all hope was given up for any part of the block—which was the principal business block of the town.

Those establishments destroyed were:

- Baker-Campbell Company.
- Atkinson Grocery Company.
- The Chocolate Shop.
- The City Cafe.
- Wyche Barber Shop.
- Eiland Drug Company.

Campbell Furniture Company.

The Woodman Hall.
Offices of Doctors Davis and Farrington.

J. D. Keithley's Jewelry store.

Those injured were A. H. Husgins, Sydney Lyles and Jack Ladd, who suffered broken limbs and bruises.

The establishments destroyed were partially covered by insurance, the exact amount, however, is not yet available. The loss is conservatively placed at \$200,000.

Capture Armadillos

Will Gamble, wife and small son and Herman Greening and wife returned last Friday from a visit with relatives at Junction City about 350 miles south of here. While hunting down on the Llano River the gentlemen captured a pair of Armadillos which they brought home with them. This is a small animal and its body is incased in an armor of small bony plates. They burrow in the earth, seldom going abroad except at night, and, when attacked, some species can curl up into a ball, presenting the armor on all sides. Their flesh is good food. They have no teeth and are said to be disastrous to red ant beds. The Armadillos are confined to South and tropical America except one (the peba), which is found as far north as Texas.

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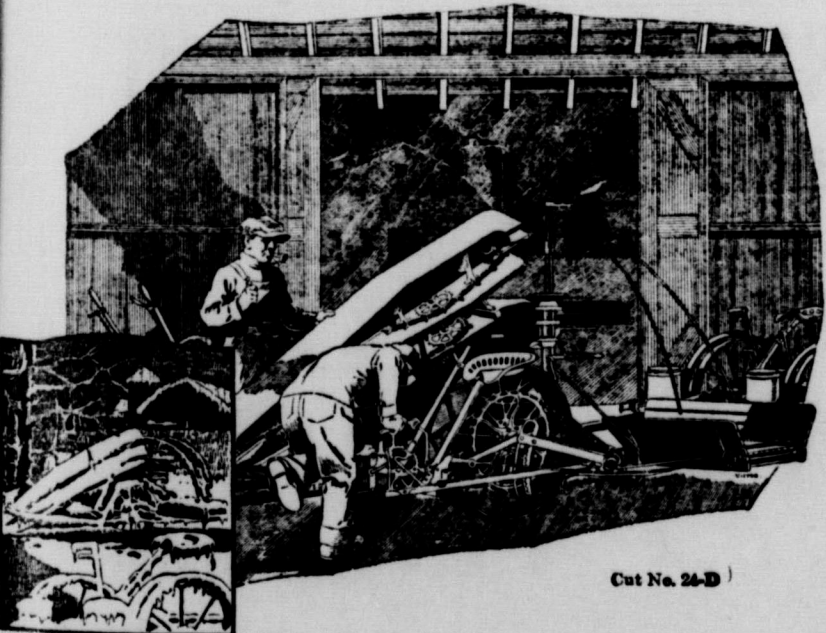
By C. N. LURIE

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

"BETWEEN" AND "AMONG."

GENERALLY speaking "between" must be employed when reference is made to two subjects, "among" when there is reference to more than two. Thus, "The money was divided between the two men," but, "The money was distributed among the four." However, it is correct sometimes to use "between" even in reference to many objects; when the relation expressed exists between one of the objects and its neighbor. Thus, "There are eighty trees in my orchard, and there is a space of ten feet between them," meaning that the space lies between one tree and the next one. In this case it would not be correct to use "among."

"Between" should never be used in referring to a single object, as in the following incorrect phrase from Dickens: "And with a gap of a whole night between every one." The number of objects that are governed by the preposition "between" is never less than two. (Copyright)



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Columbian Club

Mrs. Sam Crews was hostess to the Columbian Club Wednesday afternoon. An interesting lesson on "The Makers of Modern Opera," was enjoyed by all. Mrs. F. H. Crews gave an interesting Bible contest for diversion. Dainty refreshments were served while the club was entertained with selections on the Victrola from some of the makers of modern opera. The club will have its next meeting with Mrs. J. R. Beverly.—Reporter.

MARGARET NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Nema McGill left Monday for South Texas after a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burress of Thalia were trading and visiting here last Friday.

Mrs. Kinard of Goodnight is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bond, this week.

Uncle Johnnie Wesley left Thursday for Oklahoma to visit with relatives at El Reno and Wilburton.

Dr. and Mrs. Wrenn of Zephyr, Texas, came in last Wednesday to visit with A. R. Baker and family.

J. B. R. Fox took the train here Monday for Clovis, N. M., to visit with his sister whom he had seen for more than 25 years.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hunter motored over to Vernon Tuesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Spotts. They were accompanied from here by Mrs. Cherry.

The Baptist girls of the Crowell church gave a play at the church here Tuesday to a full house. They are to be congratulated upon the rendition of the play. Every one enjoyed it very much.

Garrett Evans and party came in from Memphis last Thursday. After making sufficient preparation they left towards the Devil's River country for an extended hunting and trapping expedition.

R. W. Pauley and son, Foy, left last week for the mountains of New Mexico on a prospecting and outing tour.

John Bradford sold lots to J. M. Doyle this week for a building site. Mr. Doyle is to begin his new home right away.

Rev. J. B. Henderson and family left Tuesday for Ordway, Colo., where they will make their future home. The community regrets very much to lose Bro. Henderson from among its citizens, but its best wishes follow him to his new location.

Friday afternoon a number of the ladies of the community pounded the Methodist pastor with a number of good things to eat. Only a few took part in it however, owing to the failure of the advertising manager to

work properly. Had he functioned properly the affair would have been much more successful, and we regret this part of it very much.

BEAVER NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. F. C. Borchardt visited Mrs. W. H. Dunagan of Crowell Monday.

Miss Vera Johnston visited Miss Susie Tye of Crowell Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lorena Bevers spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. Lilly, near Foard City.

Mrs. W. F. Draper and Mrs. A. W. Barker were shopping in Crowell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ely visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of the Black community Sunday.

The singing at C. L. Gray's was attended by a large crowd, and a good singing was rendered.

Mr. Beshires and family of Oklahoma came Friday to visit C. L. Gray and family a few days.

Misses Jeffie and Jessie Dockins Allie Clayton, Georgie Burk, and Hoy Clayton of Claytonville attended the singing Sunday night.

Misses Lorena and Eunice Randolph and their brother, Buford, of the Jamison community, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. McGregor and family.

Tom Burse and family, W. B. Jones and family, Alta Johnson and Vergie Borchardt motored to Wichita River Sunday afternoon to see the new bridge.

Ginners' Report

The ginners' report up to October 25 for Texas shows that the cotton has opened very much more rapidly than it did last year. It is known that the acreage was cut 35 to 40 per cent all over the state and of course the big amount of cotton ginned in comparison with that shown by the report at the same time a year ago could mean nothing but early opening. There has been no weather conditions to prevent the cotton from opening and the crop in this country is practically all out. The following is the report from adjoining and neighboring counties:

| | 1921 | 1920 |
|-----------|--------|-------|
| Foard | 4,515 | 3,070 |
| Cottle | 8,426 | 2,525 |
| Hardeman | 7,504 | 3,723 |
| Knox | 15,334 | 8,353 |
| Wilbarger | 14,037 | 2,874 |
| Childress | 10,369 | 3,745 |
| Hall | 12,087 | 6,707 |

For the entire state the report shows 1,738,855 now as compared with 2,596,800 bales a year ago.

The Adelphian Club

The club met in regular session on Nov. 2nd at the home of Mrs. Arnold Rucker. Fifteen members responded to roll call.

Our lesson for the afternoon, led

Hog Killing Time

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by Mrs. Andrews, was both interesting and instructive. It embraced a number of the world's greatest composers of music, and the program was interspersed with music on the phonograph by these artists. At the conclusion Mrs. Wright, accompanied by Mrs. Rucker, sang a solo. Mrs. Rucker then served a two-course luncheon, which assuredly did her credit as a culinary artist. We meet with Mrs. Couch Nov. 14.—Press Reporter.

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