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## GREAT REVIVAL CLOSED AT FOARD CITY LAST SUNDAY

### Lasted for Only One Week with 110 Conversions As Result

One of the biggest revivals ever held in Foard County closed at Foard City last Sunday night after having run for one week. Rev. John W. Newsom, a student in Simmons College at Abilene, was the preacher. He was assisted by Rev. R. B. Cox, Wilbarger-Foard Baptist Missionary.

Rev. Newsom was in town Saturday and gave a report of the meeting up to that time, and the number of conversions then were 96. The services on Sunday and Sunday night following that report brought the number up to 110.

Of these there were 75 adults and 35 children, most of whom reside in the Foard City community. Church membership of the Methodist and Baptists of Foard City are affected by the results of the meeting as follows: Baptists received 26 members, 18 by profession and 8 by letter. The Methodists received 29 members.

When asked what were the things that contributed most to the success of the revival the answer given by Rev. Cox was that it was the personal work of the Christians of Foard City. He said they were on the job and did real work. Then, too, it is said that the fact that the trustees and teachers of the Foard City school gave one hour of their time to the meeting and took the children with them.

It was a great revival for Foard City. It would have been a great one for any town or even a city.

## Sheriff Campbell Captured a Still

Sheriff L. D. Campbell went out north of town last Friday night and captured a still on the banks of Pease River east of the mouth of the Canal. He did not get the parties who were operating the still but heard them or somebody else running through the mesquites. Campbell had to go to Hardeman County and come back towards the still from Pease River, and he thinks he could be easily seen from the point where the still was located, which fact made it possible for the men running it to escape.

The sheriff destroyed about 30 jars of whiskey and brought the still to town. He thinks there are fellows who pretend to be trapping who are doing nothing else but making whiskey. If the citizens of Foard County aid the sheriff in his efforts to stop these fellows there will be less trouble making in the county. It's up to the people to assist him.

## FOARD CITY BAPTISTS CALL NEWSOM AS PASTOR

The Baptist church at Foard City called Rev. Newsom last Sunday to be the pastor of the church to give the Sunday in each month to the work. Rev. Newsom is a student at Simmons and will come from Abilene each month to serve the church. The first service will be the first Sunday in February.

Rev. Newsom closed a revival at Foard City Sunday, mention of which is given in another column of this issue, and at the close of the meeting a like offering was made amounting to \$120.60.

## Not So Good Now

If a man owes you a thousand dollars, is honest and willing, but unable to make prompt payment, you do not hesitate to grant him the necessary time in which to meet his obligation. What if that man were to insistently importune you to cancel the debt? What would you think of him? That is the position some of the countries across the water are in to-day—France in particular.

Our allies owe us eleven billions of dollars. England is making preparations to pay up as rapidly as she can, but France is eternally whining in an effort to have the debt canceled. We had a good opinion of France the days of Lafayette. It is not so good now.

## Rules and Prizes for the Poultry Show

Arrangements have been completed for the Poultry Show to be held at Crowell Feb. 5th and 6th, these dates being the 1st Monday and Tuesday.

The aim of the business men, farmers and those interested in this movement is many-fold, viz.: First, to induce those who now have flocks of thoroughbreds to grade up and improve same; second, to induce those who do not have them to become sufficiently interested to give them a thorough trial; third, to create a general interest in more and better poultry; fourth, the hope to make this the start for an annual poultry exhibit in this county; fifth, we want to have some poultry expert give us some information that will assist us in breeding, feeding, raising and handling poultry successfully.

A few rules given below, if complied with by the exhibitors, will greatly assist those in charge of the show in making it a success:

1. Those who wish to enter birds should let the secretary know how many coops will be wanted just as soon as possible.
2. All birds should be in the show room not later than 10 o'clock Monday, Feb. 5th.

Admission will not be permitted to enter or remain in the show room.

All birds must be entered in the name of the actual owner. Blanks will be furnished by the secretary or superintendent in charge.

No birds should be taken from the show room without the consent of the person in charge.

Every precaution will be observed in prevention of disease, theft or accidents, but the committee will not be responsible should such happen. An attendant will be in the room all the time, day and night, during the show.

There will be no entrance fee, anyone living in the county will be furnished coops free of charge to exhibit their birds.

Prizes will be given on every breed in the county that is exhibited.

The prizes are as follows: 1st prize will be money, 2nd and 3rd ribbons. These prizes amount to \$6.00 on each breed in the show.

Best cock	\$1.00
Best hen	\$1.00
Best cockerel	\$1.00
Best pullet	\$1.00
Best pen	\$2.00

## Turkeys

Best tom, Bronze	\$1.00
Best hen, Bronze	\$1.00
Best tom, W. Holland	\$1.00
Best hen, W. Holland	\$1.00
Best tom, Barbon Red	\$1.00
Best hen, Barbon Red	\$1.00

Coops for turkeys will not be furnished.

The term "cock" is a male bird one year old or older. A "hen" is a female bird one year old or older. A pullet is a female bird under one year old. An "old pen" is a male and four females all over one year old. "Young pen" is a male bird and four females under one year old.

We are trying to get some special prizes offered by breeders of good chickens all over the state by asking them to give a setting of eggs to the winners. These will within themselves be worth competing for. We are certain that we can get a few.

If you cannot enter a complete pen, enter some singles. We would like to have at least 500 birds in this show, and there is not a reason in the world why we shouldn't.

The Poultry Show will be held in the Magee building back of the Bank of Crowell. Those wanting coops should see Earl Teel, Crowell, secretary of the Poultry Show.

FRED RENNELS, County Agent.

## Returned from California

B. W. Self returned from California Saturday. He had a very fine trip and an enjoyable visit. He reports all Foard County people who are there as having good health and enjoying life. Bert brought back some fine samples of California fruits and nuts which he has placed in the show window of the Self Dry Goods Co. According to Mr. Self California is rapidly developing and thousands of people are going there to make their homes. He says Californians claim that every third touring car that goes there puts on a permanent California label.

## 1922 COTTON CROP HAS LEAD OVER '21

How many folks have said several times that Foard County's 1922 cotton crop would not be as large as that of 1921? Nobody thought we would make the cotton we did in 1921. That crop was a little short and everybody said the last one would prove shorter, but so far we are still disappointed, but glad of it.

The last report the News made showed that the last crop was losing and we predicted that only one or two more reports would show the 1921 crop to have the lead over 1922. It was said that the cotton opened much more rapidly than last fall, but the last report we now have which gives the amount ginned up to Jan. 1, 1923, shows that we have actually gained over 1921, and it now seems reasonably certain that we have made more cotton than we did last year.

Here is the report: To Jan. 1, 1921, we had ginned 7,716, while up to Jan. 1, 1923, we had ginned 7,851. We are going to run not far from 8,000 bales.

## FIRST MONDAY TRADES DAY NEEDS NEW PEP

Some weeks ago mention was made to the News that something should be said through the paper calling attention to the fact that we still have a First Monday Trades Day in Crowell, as it seems that some had forgotten it. The News had fallen into the practice of forgetting it too, it seems, since we had failed to say anything about it. Perhaps we had all got to thinking that First Monday could take care of itself and needed no boosting. If so, then we erred. First Monday needs much boosting. People are forgetful. Then there are competing forces here and there that tend to divert our minds from the things that once claimed our interests.

So we are here and now calling attention to the fact that we still have First Monday in Crowell, and on the first Monday in February, which comes on the 5th day of the month, it is expected that everybody will put a little more pep than usual into the occasion and make it even better than ever. This can be and should be the big get-together day for all the county. They are beginning to put on auction sale days in the smaller places, which in reality are just what First Monday in Crowell ought to be, only a bigger scale.

Come next First Monday to Crowell. In the meantime it is good to go to the auction sales in the other towns in the county. These occasions are worth many times what they cost in effort and money. And the social feature is by no means the least important phase of them.

Again we would urge everybody to come.

## A Remarkable Record

It is not every man that can say as much as J. R. Coffman relative to the rearing of a family. This is what he says: He has reared ten children and they have been so healthy all their lives that he has found it necessary to call a physician into his home but twice on account of their illness.

Mr. Coffman made this statement last week when he came in to send the News to his two boys, John, who is at Port Arthur with the Texas Company, and W. H., who is at Smackover, Ark., running a grocery establishment. Mr. Coffman has reared a family of children, all of whom have taken their places in honorable positions and are doing well. It is a matter worthy of mention that John, after completing his business course, accepted the position offered him by the Texas Co. and went to work on Tuesday following Christmas, thus denying himself the pleasure of spending the Holidays at home with relatives.

J. R. Coffman is one of our county commissioners and is giving his attention to road matters in his part of the county.

## ROAD CONVENTION IS POSTPONED

The Lee Highway convention which was arranged for Little Rock, Arkansas, January 18-20 has been postponed to February 8-10. The earlier date conflicted with the American Road Congress meeting in Chicago.

Unusual interest centers in Little Rock Convention, because of the fact that its principal object is to call attention to the fact that there is a comparatively small mileage of road to construct in order to extend the pavement of Washington, D. C., to connect with the pavements of Southern California at San Diego, and to arrange a construction program whereby the few remaining gaps can be let to contract the first date possible, thus securing by Christmas 1924 continuous pavement connecting the Atlantic with the Pacific seaboard through the South.

Lee Highway Association is the youngest among organizations working for the development of a particular road. Though it has been functioning less than three years, it has taken front rank and demonstrated the value of organization in such matters.

The arrangements for the convention are being handled by the Little Rock Chamber of Commerce with the assistance of Mr. F. W. Weaver, Field Secretary of Lee Highway Association, who is holding meetings along the line in Arkansas to arouse interest and secure delegations.

A feature of the work of the Association is that its policy is to designate but a single line. Many organizations have been weakened, and some destroyed, by designating main lines and branch lines. There is plenty for an organization to do in hastening the construction of a single road interstate in character without dividing its interests, dissipating its energies and arousing jealousy in its endeavor to serve communities along lines necessarily competitive.

Keen competition is developing between the several Lee Highway States as to which will have the honor of being the first to complete this memorial to the great Southern. The California section from San Diego to Yuma is mostly finished, construction being under way or contracts let for all except 9 miles across the sands between Yuma and Holtville, this section being planking and usable. Arizona will finish the road from Yuma to Phoenix this year. The highway is completed from Phoenix to Globe, and much of it from Globe to the New Mexico line near Duncan. The work has reached an advanced stage in New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee. The State of Virginia must look to its laurels in this competition. The State has established Lee Highway by Act of the Legislature and pledged early completion of all unfinished gaps in the 412 miles across the State, and this as Virginia's part of the national memorial to General Lee. It would be a national surprise if the State Legislature which has been called in special session February 28 should fail to pass the proposed \$12,000,000 State Highway Bond issue and thus make it possible for Virginia to be the first to finish Lee Highway across a state.

## Buggy Burned

The buggy belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hunter's children was burned at the school house sheds Monday. The children, Mabelle, Myrtle and Milton, come from the home about six miles north of town. They have been driving a horse to a buggy, and as usual on Monday they left the animal hitched at the sheds north of the school building, and in the afternoon the buggy was in some way set on fire which almost destroyed the vehicle, the body being completely burned. When it was discovered that the buggy was burning some one rushed to the scene and unhitched the horse and extinguished the fire.

It is thought that the fire was caused by a cigarette which is supposed to have been dropped when lighted, and having fallen on a quilt which the children used in wrapping themselves while on the way to school.

W. A. Matthews and W. T. Bailey made a business trip and visiting trip combined to Amarillo last week. A daughter of Mr. Bailey's returned with them for a visit.

## Pioneer Hotel Man of Quanah Died Jan. 6th

The sad news reached here Saturday night that Mike E. Kerrigan had died that day in Dallas, and that the funeral was to be held in Quanah Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock.

Mike would have been sixty-nine years old next August. He was of Irish parents though born at Ashton, England. He was still an infant when the family moved to Maine where he spent his boyhood years. Coming to Texas while still young he located in Dallas, where he was married to his present wife, who survives him, and embarked in the contracting business.

He erected a number of large buildings all over the state, coming to Quanah in 1890 to erect the \$30,000 hotel building, which later passed into his possession. For a number of years the hotel and its genial host were among the best known, and most liked in Texas.

Charitable and sympathetic, Mr. Kerrigan had friends everywhere. He was a valuable citizen, and his fellow townsmen elected him mayor for two terms, retiring with high honors. Everybody liked him, especially the children to whom he remained "Uncle Mike" long after they had grown up.

Ill health having overtaken him, which the doctors pronounced cancer of the throat, he spent the past two years in search of health, visiting the most noted specialists, but unavailing. He died after prolonged suffering, conscious and courageous to the last. —Quanah Tribune-Chief.

## Always Something to Do

Many men are out of employment today in various sections of the country because they are only willing to perform one kind of labor.

In the days of our forefathers when a man could not find employment in his chosen trade he accepted what he could get in some other line until a change for the better could be made. As a result of their thrift the army of the unemployed was only a squad.

There is always something to do in some line of business, if a person is willing to do it. But as long as able bodied men are content to sit still and wait for work to hunt them up we will have the same troubles with which we have been afflicted for many years past.

Letting others do it doesn't get us anywhere.

## THE INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE OF FOARD COUNTY

At a called session during the institute at Paducah the teachers of Foard County organized the Interscholastic League of Foard County, with the following officers: R. C. Campbell, director general; Dow W. Tate, director of athletics; James E. Dockery, director of debate; C. W. Bowls, director of essay writing. Most of the schools of the county have paid in the membership, however, there are a few that have not. I hope that those who have not will do so as soon as possible. We want to make this year's work of the organization the greatest one yet. To do this it is necessary that we teachers work together. In my opinion the league is one of the greatest school activities that we have and I think that the teachers of the county are going to get behind it stronger this year than they have ever done before.

Following is a letter from C. A. Crier, district athletic director: "Dear Friend:

Please send me the address of your county director and notify him to certify to me not later than Feb. 5th the winning team in basket-ball. Also what place does he think best for holding the district basket-ball tournament?"

I hope that this will be determined soon. I am anxious that the teachers of this county will take a greater interest in this work than they did last year, especially the declamation and debating contests. The real value of the work of the organization is inestimable.

JESSE OWENS.

L. J. Massie of Los Angeles, Cal., and A. N. Vernon of Vernon, were here the first of the week attending to business in connection with their grocery store. They were well pleased with the business the store did during the past year.

## THALIA TO HAVE COMMUNITY SALE SAT. MORNING

### A New Movement to Enliven Community Trading. Will Have Barbecue

One great man said: "Don't wait for something to turn up, but turn up something." That is the spirit which is behind the auction sale movement which has been inaugurated in Foard County. The first one was put on by Rayland two weeks ago, but it came too early for the News to boost it. While they were having their sale the News was trying to get off the press. But Thalia has taken the same thing up and will pull a community "auction" sale tomorrow, commencing at 10 A. M. Those people are reported to be making preparations for a big day at Thalia. It has been advertised that the business men of the town, in anticipation of a large crowd, will have a barbecued beef and give the hungry bunch a free dinner. Of course, everybody will be invited to the sale.

Texas people like it is a barbecue. That will draw a crowd when everything else fails. Those people at Thalia know exactly how to put on one of these things, too. They learned how 20 years ago and have not forgotten how it is done. It's a fine time for such things. The winter is ideal and the people are not so busy as they will be later. They can bring many things which they would like to sell and dispose of them, such as farming implements and machinery, livestock, household goods, or anything they want to sell, even merchandise. But that is not the only thing that will bring beneficial results to the community. There is the social feature that is very much needed. It offers an opportunity for our folks to get together and discuss matters of general interest to the people of Foard County. We all have some interests that are common.

Thalia has a live bunch of business men who are turning up things down there, as will be seen tomorrow.

## ANOTHER CITIZEN CLAIMED BY DEATH

Leopold Hlavaty was born at Fayetteville, Fayette County, Texas, August 12, 1866, and died Jan. 13, 1923.

The deceased had not been in the best of health for some months and had just gone to Quanah for an operation for the removal of an ulcer of the stomach. The operation was performed on Monday and he lived until Friday morning following when death resulted at 4:55. The remains were interred in the Crowell cemetery Sunday afternoon, a large company of people attending to pay their last respects to one of our citizens.

Mr. Hlavaty, when a mere lad, went to Lavaca County where he made his home for about 4 years, when he then went to Burleson. It was at that place where he was married to Miss Rosalie Prehoda in 1895. He removed from that country in 1898, going to Wharton County. In 1906 he and his family moved west and located in Haskell County, where they resided for 5 years and in 1911 removed to Foard County, locating on a farm near Margaret where the residence has been since.

The deceased is survived by his wife and four children, three sons and one daughter. These are: H. L., W. F., L. J. and Miss Rose Mary, all of whom reside in Foard County. The daughter is now teaching in the public schools of Vernon and the boys are all engaged in farming in this county.

## Fowell Enthusiastic

Col. Powell, promoter of the Texas-Panhandle & Gulf railroad accompanied by his wife, arrived here from Chicago last Thursday and is very busy on a tour of inspection on the proposed line. He is more enthusiastic than ever in stating that he believes the road will be built. It is expected to hold a general meeting in Thalia some time soon, at which time there will be delegates from all the various towns along the proposed route.—Thalia Herald.

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**THALIA ITEMS**

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. T. M. Haney and daughter, Leta, went to Crowell Monday and bought a Ford sedan.

Miss Grace Self has been quite sick the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and family visited her mother, Grandma French, near Crowell Sunday.

Joe French and family and Annie Wood were shopping in Vernon Friday.

Mrs. Jim Banister and son, Roy, of Kinchloe stopped here awhile Monday on their way to Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins of Rayland visited relatives here Monday.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Walter Banister's Monday night was well attended.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Grey the 8th, a fine boy.

Rev. McNair and daughter, Ava, attended the 5th Sunday meeting at Odell.

Mrs. H. L. Fisher is spending awhile at Tulla, Texas.

Hugh Cobb and family of Talmage visited Mr. and Mrs. Thorn Sunday.

J. R. Solomon and George Doty went to Iowa Park last week.

Arthur Womack has moved his family from here to the Dougherty farm.

Ben Stokes moved his family here one day last week.

George Doty and Otis Burrison have purchased new cars recently.

Little Bennett Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Phillips, has been suffering with bronchial pneumonia.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis have been real sick with catarrhal pneumonia for several days.

Citizens of this community strayed the road on Route No. 2 near Gordon

J. A. Abston returned home last week from Tennessee where he visited his aged mother.

Clarence Self of Crowell sold some lists to farmers of this community last Thursday. Claude McLaughlin delivered them Friday.

Elmer Roberts of Vernon made some sales of sewing machines here last week.

Arthur Phillips moved into the H. R. Randolph house last week.

Mr. Reeves has moved his family into the house recently vacated by Arthur Phillips.

Elder W. A. Bentley filled his appointment here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. He also preached at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Barrett and son, Bill, of Paducah returned home last Thursday after a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tarver's baby has been quite sick the past week.

B. W. Johnson and wife and baby, Hazel, and son, Lee Roy, returned to their home at Altus, Okla., Tuesday after a few days stay with his brothers and sister here.

Lat Johnson went to Altus, Okla., Tuesday to spend a few days with his brother, B. W. Johnson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bennett left Monday for their home at O'Brien after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Millard Phillips.

Mrs. M. J. Phillips has been confined to her bed for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blakemore and father, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Peacock, Mr. and Harley Capps, Mr. and Mrs. Spears of Crowell attended services at the Church of Christ here Sunday.



Of course, you want to make the new year the happiest of your entire life. Will you not take a suggestion from us?

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**WEST RAYLAND NEWS**  
(By Special Correspondent)

The children of Frank Ward and wife have been quite sick and are improving.

Miss Myrtle Hontley left Monday for Hebron, Texas, where she has a position to teach in the public school. She was accompanied by her mother who will visit relatives for an indefinite time.

H. B. Hopkins has purchased the place recently vacated by Robert Derrington. His son, Cecil Hopkins, and wife have moved to it.

Fred Reeves is slowly improving. Lura Kinchloe and wife left last week for their home near Kansas City.

Grandma Scales of Crowell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Coffman. Luther Townley was taken to Merkel, Texas, last week where he will take medical treatment.

Mr. Angles and family of Margaret spent Sunday in the Luther Townley home.

Owen McLarty of Vernon is moving his family to the Abston place recently vacated by Mr. Foster.

C. C. Parker was called home Monday on account of the illness of his wife. He was taken to Vernon by Claude Davis.

Fred Jobe has gone to Snyder, Texas, in response to a message stating that his wife was ill.

**MARGARET NEWS**  
(By Special Correspondent)

John Warren got his arm broken Sunday afternoon while trying to crank a car.

Miss Hattie Eldridge from Crowell spent the week-end with Miss Belle Hunter.

Miss Ima Storms of Vernon spent last week with Miss Emma Goodman.

Watt Emory and family of Sterling City, Maudie Mudd of Tulla and Miss Lydia Belle Ferebee of Vernon were visiting relatives here last week.

Jack Berry and family are visiting relatives here.

William Thompson and Hildon Moore from Prairieview came here to see Miss Holly Walden and Miss Mary Lee Fry last Sunday afternoon.

The home of Mrs. Hlavaty was visited by death last Friday morning when Mr. Hlavaty passed away. The deceased had lived here for a number of years. He was in the Quanah sanitarium when he died. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon and the remains were laid away in the Crowell cemetery.

The club boys of the Margaret community, and all others who are interested in the club work, will meet at the school house Friday, January 19, 1923. All boys and girls are invited and a large crowd is wanted in this school this year.

Idell Berry is visiting our school today, (Tuesday.)

The B. Y. P. U. students took their first examination in the B. Y. P. U. work last Friday night.

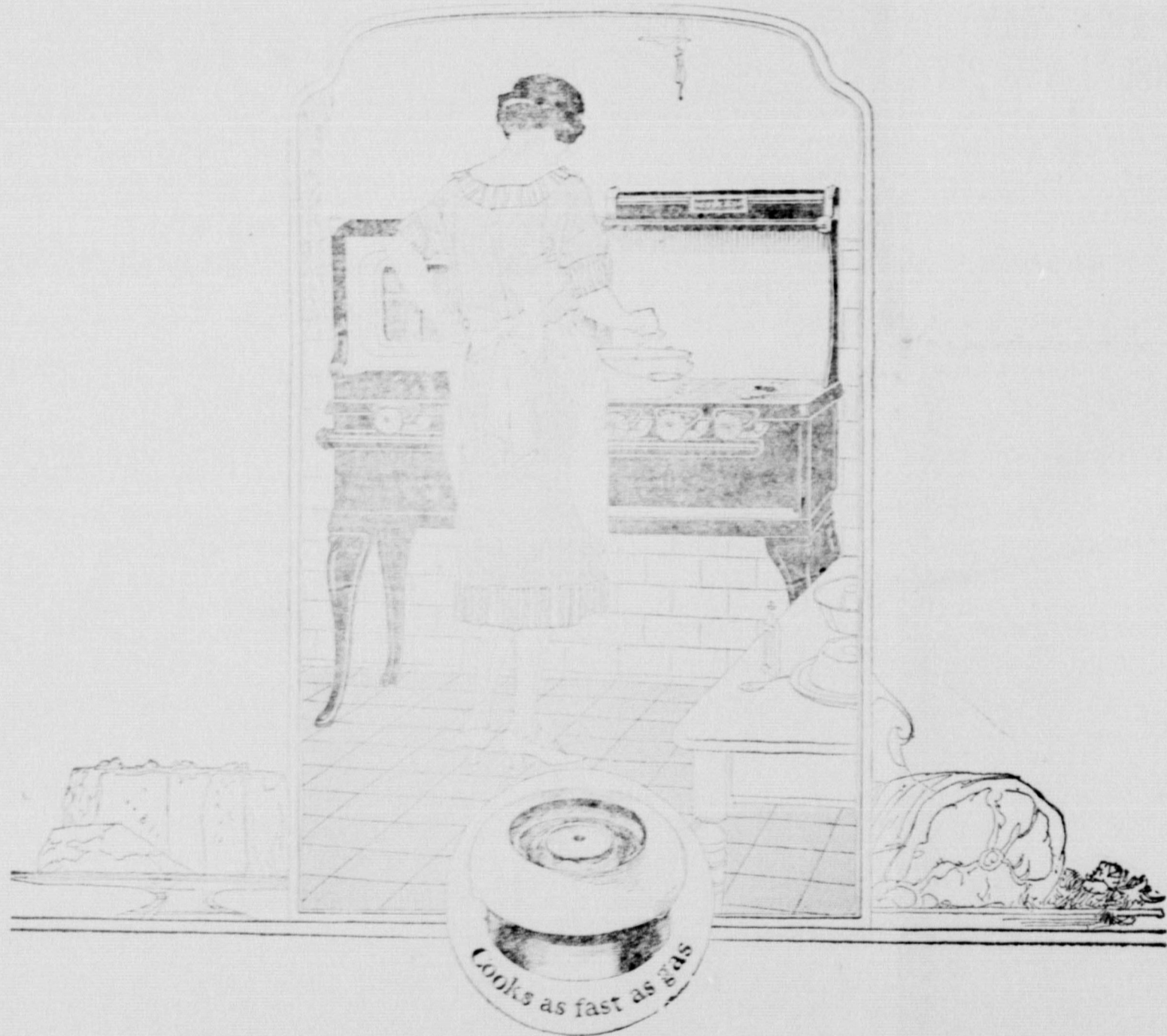
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### AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. John Davis visited Mrs. Geo. Lindsey in Thalia Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Curtis Bradford and the children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shultz have been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble visited Josh Lee and family on the Jesse Whitfield farm Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of near Talmage spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz made a business trip to Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Smith, son and daughter, and Mrs. Snodgrass of Vernon passed through here Sunday going to Margaret to attend the funeral services of Mr. Hlavaty.

The Parent-Teacher Association will have a social meeting at the Gamble school house Friday night.

The Rayland basket ball team came over and played the Ayersville team Thursday afternoon. The score stood 22 and 7 in favor of Ayersville. Ayersville played the Thalia school team at Thalia Friday afternoon. The score was 23 to 16 in Ayersville's favor.

Mrs. Summers and Mrs. Collins Hukill were soliciting money for the community Monday to help build a concrete cellar at the Baptist parsonage at Margaret.

Several from here attended the sale at Rayland last Thursday.

### FOARD CITY ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. King of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox Monday.

G. C. Rader is sick this week. Last report received from him he was worse.

Bro. Newsom visited our school Monday morning and made a talk.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fox and family of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fox and family Sunday.

Rev. Newsom of Abilene and Rev. Hightower of Crowell held a revival meeting here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Glover visited Mrs. Owen Eubank at Truscott. Mrs. Eubank returned home with them, returning to Truscott Monday afternoon.

Stock tubs, barrels, cisterns, flues and all kinds of tin and pipe work.—T. L. Hayes.

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For Sore Throats

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To Stop Coughing

Many Others at Right Prices

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- Spices—
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- Medicinal Preparations
- Toilet Articles—
- Perfumes—
- Soaps—
- Talcum Powder—
- Toilet Water—

A. GOLDFN

### Notice

No trespassing or hunting permitted in my pasture.—Furd Halsell, tt

You will save seed and get a better stand by using the John Deere and Oliver listers.—M. S. Henry & Co.

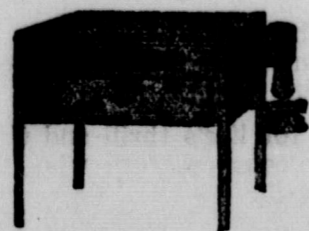
### A REAL BARGAIN

I have for sale the Collins Wagon Yard, 1 block from public square. This is a good place for mattress factory or laundry. For information apply to J. E. Collins, Crowell, Tex. tt

# Chicken Money Is Easy Money

Old Trusty incubators are famous for their large hatches of strong, healthy chicks that live and grow. They have been used for many years by the leading poultrymen of America.

The OLD TRUSTY system of HOT WATER heating prevents the drying out tendencies and provides a soft, uniform heat over every part of the egg chamber.



100 to 200 egg size in stock now

Buy your incubator early  
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# J. H. Self & Sons

### Intermediate League Program

- Subject—Life of Jonah.
- Leader—Arlene Willett.
- Scripture—Psalm 1.
- What did the Lord say unto Jonah? Jonah 1:2.—Lorena Moore.
- Why did Jonah flee from Tarsish? Jonah 1:3.—Iva Pearl Teague.
- What did the Lord send unto the sea? Jonah 1:4.—Virgie Donaldson.
- What did the Merriners do? Jonah 1:5.—Ila Mae Thompson.
- Where was Jonah? Jonah 1:6.—Hazel Dykes.
- What did Jonah say in verse 12.—Nettie Eldridge.
- What had the Lord prepared? Jonah 1:17.—Frances Choate.
- Tell of Jonah's experiences. Jonah 2.—Irene Cock.
- What was the second message to Jonah 3:3-4.—Georgia Ribble.
- Give the results. Jonah 4:1-11.—Marion Cooper.
- Special song by Lorena Moore and Ackey Avery.

### Working Us

Do not be too hasty in swallowing everything you read in the large daily newspapers of the country. If the administration that happens to be in power, or some foreign government, or some great financial combination wants to put something over on us they flood these papers with propaganda. Other people like to do your thinking for you, and often they resort to misleading propaganda in order to bring you around to their way of thinking. Beware of what you swallow, lest you be strangled in the operation.

### BIDS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY

At the regular term in February of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, sealed bids for the Depository of county funds and of school funds of said county will be received. 33 JESSE OWENS, Co. Judge.

### Court House Roof to Be Repaired

The next term of Commissioners' Court will let contract for cleaning the roof of court house and applying a thin coat of roof cement. 33 JESSE OWENS, Co. Judge.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the many expressions of kindness shown us by our friends and neighbors during the recent illness and death of husband and father. We also wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offering. We shall never forget these manifestations of your sympathy. Mrs. Leo Hlavaty and Children.  
Gasoline, kerosene, lubricating oils, Magnolia products. Phone 224.

### Knox City Sanitarium

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

# Better Food Produces Better Results

Retailers can buy any grade of foodstuffs in the wholesale markets. Most retailers buy according to the demands of the community they serve.

The people of THIS community demand GOOD stuff—therefore we buy only that which we know to be of the highest standard of merit. Inferior or "stale" foodstuffs are never sold at this store.

It requires pep to successfully cope with the world these days. Better foodstuffs supply the pep.

# Matthews-Crawford Grocery Co.

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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, January 19, 1923

All real American citizens will endorse the action of the Texas Senate in commending Governor Parker of Louisiana for his courageous fight against the masked mob in that state. The vote in the Senate on the resolution stood 18 for and 8 against. The one regrettable feature of the matter is that our own senator, Bledsoe, fought the resolution, but sooner or later he will see his mistake. This action of the Senate will wonderfully strengthen the sentiment all over the country in favor of constituted law as against the mob. The great bulk of the people of Texas are sick and tired of the cowardly river-bottom outrages that have become so frequent in the South.

France has much cause to take the position she does towards the Germans. Germany devastated her cities and ruined her fields. The per cent of the indemnity which France was to have received would barely liquidate the indebtedness of France in the form of loans. Even if it were collectable it would not begin to restore material losses, to say nothing of those irreparable losses in the impairment of her young manhood. And yet what France might hope to gain by force is not to be understood, unless it be to see that Germany does not rise again to make a repetition of history. If Germany could and would pay the indemnity Germany would then be in better condition than France.

Lieut. Governor Davidson's plan for saving the Orient is the most popular plan which has been considered yet. All interests and all forces seeking a solution of the situation will in all probability unite on the Davidson plan as a working basis, whether it is accepted in its entirety or not. The Orient railroad is regarded as an absolute necessity to the continued development of Southwest Texas, or a major portion of it. It was not a mistake to build the Orient, but it was a blow to it that it was never completed. No road in the United

States, perhaps, would be more important if it were extended to Topolobampo, Mexico. That it runs contrary to the trade arteries of the country is the most pitiable excuse yet given by any mortal man in support of the argument that the road is a mistake.

District Judge Robinson of Houston, addressing the grand jury with reference to the crime which the Ku Klux committed in flogging Mrs. R. H. Harrison, and calling upon them to run down the dastardly cowards, paid his respects to such sneaks in the following language: "They should be brought to justice. It is more important to bring the perpetrators of this crime to justice than it is to waste your time upon ordinary burglars and ordinary thieves. It makes no difference to us as citizens whether our homes are broken into by a burglar and our property stolen, if they are perpetrated by those who are subjected to damnable outrages such as has been perpetrated upon this woman." It is a serious reflection upon the citizenship of any community that will permit, much more if they harbor, the perpetrators of such crime. Yet some have done it and called those creek bottom thugs 100 per cent American.

### AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School open on the dot. How helpful it is for every teacher to be there a few minutes before ten to meet and greet their pupils as they come in. If you do not attend Sunday School elsewhere, we have a class for you and will welcome you to it.

Had another good prayer meeting last Wednesday evening. Our hearts were strangely warmed as we talked of Jesus in our homes. Our subject for next Wednesday evening is, "Resolved that Peter was a greater Soul winner than Andrew." Bro. Stega will lead the forces of the affirmative and Sister Sandifer the negative.

You will enjoy the program if you can come.

Preaching both morning and evening by the pastor next Sunday. A message and a welcome await you at the Methodist church.

T. C. WILLETT, Pastor.

### ADELPHIAN CLUB PARTY

The Adelpian Club observed gentlemen's evening Jan. 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry with Mesdames Henry, Campbell, Groves and Bell as hostesses.

A number of games of "42" were played. Following the "42" a "city" contest was used, the partners for which were found by matching sticks of candy. Mr. R. C. Campbell and Miss Una Self were awarded the prizes. After the contest readings were given by Miss Jesalie Cates and Mrs. Baxter Johnson.

An attractive refreshment course was served to about thirty-six members and guests. Among those present as guests were: Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Olds, Miss Una Self, Messrs. Alvin Hysinger and Glen Shults.—Reporter.

### CLASS ENTERTAINED

#### T. E. L. CLASS

The T. E. L. Class met in pastor's home for January meeting. On account of funeral of a beloved church member the social features were omitted and the class met at 4:30 and elected officers for this year. The new officers are: Mrs. Speck, president; Mrs. Lus Campbell, 1st vice; Mrs. J. T. Carter, 2nd vice; Mrs. Jesse Owens, 3rd vice; Mrs. L. A. Andrews, treasurer; Mrs. E. A. Dunagan, secretary; Mrs. L. D. Poland, supt. of

lace, supt. of cradle roll; Mrs. McLaughlin, reporter.

We are expecting good work from this class this year. One new member at this meeting and she was in class Sunday morning and well prepared for the lesson.

The T. E. L. Class room is always warm and comfortable and a welcome awaits you there each Sunday morning. We are growing but could do better. We now have forty-two members.—Reporter.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the kindness shown during the illness and death of our father, S. M. McGuire. The response of our neighbors to our needs was all that one could expect, and we shall never forget it.

MRS. A. L. JOHNSON,  
MRS. HENRY GRIBBLE,  
MRS. P. E. RANDOLPH.

### At the Presbyterian Church

Sunday School next Sunday at 10 o'clock. At 11 the sermon topic will be "God's Remedy for Sin," this being the third in the series on the first Epistle of John. At 7 p. m. the topic will be "Spiritual Persistency."

You are cordially invited to come and worship with us.

CHALMERS KILBOURN, Pastor.

### NOTICE

Application has been filed by John Wesley of Margaret, Foard County, Texas, with the Commissioners Court of Foard County, under chapter 103, General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the 36th Legislature at its regular session, for cancellation and annulment of town lots and sub-divisions in the unincorporated town of Margaret, Foard County, Texas, to have the same thrown back into acreage tracts as it existed before such sub-divisions were made, the description of said lots being as follows, to-wit:

Blocks 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, lots 4 to 21 inclusive in block 18, and a tract 150 feet wide on the north of said blocks, all in said town of Margaret, as shown by plat of record in the clerk's office of Foard County, Texas, in deed records, block 17, pages 282-283.

The acreage area covering said above sub-divisions is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of section No. 365, block A, H. & T. C. R. R. Co.; thence west 843 feet; thence south 40 degrees, 30', west 1585 feet to center of Central Ave.; thence south 49 degrees, 30', east 740 feet; thence north 40 degrees, 30', east 180 feet; thence north 49 degrees, 30', west 125 feet; thence north 40 degrees, 30', east 200 feet; thence south 49 degrees, 30', east 125 feet; thence north 40 degrees, 30', east 1636 feet to east line of said section 365; thence north 152 feet to the place of beginning, containing 31.47 acres.

Any person or persons interested in the above described lands are hereby commanded to appear at the regular term of the Commissioners Court of Foard County, Texas, on the 12th day of February, A. D., 1923, to protest, or show cause why said application should not be granted.

Done by order of the Commissioners Court of Foard County, Texas.

Witness my hand and seal of Commissioners Court at office in Crowell, Texas, this 29th day of December, A. D., 1922.

MARIE HARRIS BURESS,  
Clerk County Court and Ex-officio  
Clerk of the Commissioners Court

## An Incubator Calculation

- SUPPOSE** you plant one acre of land valued at \$50.00 in cotton, get a yield of 1-3 of a bale of cotton and sell it at 25c per lb., you have made a gross profit of \$41.66 2-3 on an investment of \$50 in 7 months.
- SUPPOSE** you buy two incubators with a capacity of 210 eggs each, for \$73.50, set 420 fertile eggs and hatch only 80 per cent you get 336 chickens.
- SUPPOSE** 50 of them die, leaving a flock of 286 chicks. In ten weeks the chickens should weigh 36 ounces.
- SUPPOSE** you only get 35c a chicken. You have made a gross profit of \$100.10 in thirteen weeks' time on an investment of \$73.50. This can be repeated several times during the year.

Which is the better investment?

**Remember—the Chicken Market is Always Good WHICH IS THE BETTER INVESTMENT?**

Always a strong market—never a crop failure—easy and simple—profitable.

When you buy an incubator, buy the best—BUCK EYE AND SAFETY HATCH.

Recipe for an active bank account—100 or more pure bred chickens, some cows, some sows, some grain or cotton, a garden.

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## M. S. Henry & Co.

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

## \$2,500.00 of Army Goods AUCTION SALE

We will Sell at Public Auction at 1:30 at Crowell, Texas, Tuesday, Jan. 23

The following goods, consisting of Harness, Saddles, Work Bridles, Riding Bridles, Whips, Collars, Halters, Halter Leads, Halter Chains, and all parts of harness, Army Blankets, Rain Coats, Slickers, Horse Covers, Horse Blankets, and all horse equipment used by the War Department. We have one hundred sets of work harness, bought of the U. S. Harness Co., after the Government had cancelled their contract.

This is a harness that ordinarily would cost you from \$70 to \$90 per set and is made of the best leather and hardware that could be obtained. In fact, every man who is fortunate enough to get a set of this harness will surely save from \$25 to \$35 per set.

Now is Your Time to Lay in Your Supply when You Can Buy Merchandise at 50c on the Dollar Don't forget one thing, the U. S. Government bought the best of everything regardless of the price, and every man who pays taxes helped to pay for it. Now is the time to get back some of your hard-earned money you have already paid in. REMEMBER THE DATE.

### COL. C. W. HULL

There are fifty-two weeks in 1923. That means that there are fifty-two Sundays on which you can attend church, and learn things you ought to know, and contribute a few dollars for the welfare of mankind. Fifty-two golden opportunities to do good. It's up to you.

Many young girls of today are conspicuous obstacles to matrimony—without knowing it.

When a young man's thoughts turn toward marriage they also include the providing of a home for his mate.

If the young lady has extravagant tastes, and becomes a heavy antenatal drain upon his purse, time slips by with the home increasingly far away.

Job waited seven years for Rachel. But Job was a patient man, and time was not as valuable then as it is now.

Besides, Job is mighty dead—and the mould has been broken.

Even a blind girl ought to see some things.

## ASPIRIN

Say "Bayer" and Insist!



Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for

- Colds
- Toothache
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- Pain, Pain

Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" only. Each unbroken package contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid. 186-F

Class No. 11 of the Methodist Sunday School and a few friends were delightfully entertained last Friday evening with Misses Era Higdon and Inez Sloan as hostesses. Every minute of the evening was planned for with some interesting contest or jolly, mirth provoking game. Formality was laid aside and laughter and merriment reigned. There was also a short musical program. Most deli-

ious refreshments were served after "Home, Sweet Home," had been played, the crowd dispersed, thanking the hostesses for a delightful evening.

### A Real Bargain

I have for sale the Collins Wagon Yard, 1 blocks from public square. For information apply to J. E. Collins, Crowell, Texas.

## Jesse L. Lasky

Presents

## Ethel Clayton

IN

## "Exit the Vamp"

FRIDAY

So her husband thought! She was all wife-and-mother-and home girl. A cross between an angel and a first-class servant.

As for life's thrill and tingle-well, Hubby found that in a gorgeous creature who "knew the world" and had more "pep."

Till his meek little "helpmate" learned the truth—and graduated from wife to woman!

A marriage romance that gaily steps out and visits some folks you know.

### "NORTH OF THE RIO GRANDE"

### Jack Holt and Bebe Daniels

Swinging swiftly along to the clatter of galloping hoofs—racing with a thrill beneath skies of un-ending blue—sweeping through a tangle of tempestuous emotions. Such is—"NORTH OF THE RIO GRANDE."

SHOWING SATURDAY

## CROWELL THEATRE



# WHAT YOU SAVE IS THE MEASURE OF YOUR PROGRESS

What you earn is not the sign of your success; it is what you have left at the end of the year.

What you spend is gone without further influence on your life.

What you save remains and increases to make your future happier, better, more useful.

A Bank account adds immeasurably to one's standing and success.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER

## THE BANK OF CROWELL

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CAPITAL 1000000.00 CROWELL, TEXAS

# BELL PRESIDENT  
# BELL ACTIVE V. PRES  
# BELL CASHIER

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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

For Sale—Ford coupelet.—Leo Spencer.  
Dr. Clark was in Vernon Wednesday to see J. B. Raspberry.  
Radiophone to trade for secondhand Ford car.—Murry Martin.  
Just the right heat, with an Old Trusty incubator.—J. H. Self & Sons.  
T. P. Reeder and family made a trip to Ft. Worth and Dallas this week, going Sunday and returning Wednesday.

## Insurance

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

**LEO SPENCER**

"Exit the Vamp" Friday.  
Overland car for sale.—J. E. Collins.  
Butter-kist pop corn fresh every afternoon at Russell Gro. Co.  
Mr. Clark of Moran is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Womack.  
Dodge touring car for sale or trade. Good tires.—Thomas Hughston.  
Hatch healthy, strong chicks with the Old Trusty incubator.—J. H. Self & Sons.  
Faye Beidleman has accepted a position as salesman at the R. B. Edwards Co. store.  
You will like the new improvements on the John Deere and Oliver lists.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
For Sale Cheap—3,000 composition fire proof shingles, enough for small house. See Ed Banta, or call 48.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Edwards left Wednesday morning for Mineral Wells. They were taken to Quanah by their son, Herbert.  
Bring your cream and poultry to me—will pay the highest price the market will justify.—J. M. Jonas, at the Crowell Gro. Co.

"North of the Rio Grande" Saturday.  
Butter-kist pop corn fresh every afternoon at Russell Gro. Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rutherford were here yesterday from Chillicothe.  
Mrs. L. M. Tucker left this week to visit her sons at Sayre, Okla.  
Well water or tank water at \$1.75 per tank. Phone M. T. Grey at E. G. Campsey's.  
Hatch more and stronger chickens with the Buckeye incubator.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. Murry Martin made a trip to Rotan Tuesday returning home yesterday.  
J. H. Self & Sons installed this week a large safe cabinet. A concrete foundation was laid on which to place the safe.  
Vamp! Vamp! Vamp! The girls are marching! Where? To be better wives and mothers. See this picture Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shelton and Mrs. J. R. Carr were here Sunday and Monday from Rotan visiting Mr. and Mrs. Murry Martin.  
Next Sunday, Rev. Hightower will fill his regular appointment at Foard City and will attend to the baptism of candidates for church membership.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cole spent last weekend at Forestburg in Hardeman County where they visited Mrs. Cole's sister, Mrs. Frank Aiten, and husband.  
Two rooms for rent, also want plain and nice sewing, at reasonable prices. Will appreciate your patronage.—Mrs. E. T. Kirkman, north of old Methodist church.  
I am now offering for sale a few settings of eggs from our choice pens for \$2.00 per 10 or \$1.00 for 16 off of the yard. These chickens are bred to weigh and bred to lay.—Mrs. Claude Callaway, Foard City.  
L. Noland was here from Sweetwater this week. Mr. Noland underwent a very serious operation since he left here, the outcome of which the doctors had most grave doubts, but he now seems to be well on the road to health.  
Protect your loved ones with a policy in the Ft. Worth State Mutual. Age limit—16 to 40, young peoples' class; 40 to 60, middle aged class; 60 to 65, old peoples' class. Will be glad to explain. See W. I. Awbrey, Crowell, Texas.  
M. Bond came into the News' place of business last Saturday and renewed his paper and sent a year's subscription to his son, Valmar, who lives at Karval, Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Bond spent the summer in that country. Mr. Bond said that Rev. J. B. Henderson and family who went from Margaret to Ordway, Colo., had moved back to Hamlin, Texas, from which place they came to Crowell a few years ago. The Baptists of Ordway failed to hold Rev. Henderson, after having made very strong inducements. The altitude of that country did not agree with them.

One Price

Cash Only

# Orange Day

Saturday, January 20th, will we have 800 oranges fresh from the groves in Southern California. These oranges were selected especially for this occasion and are the very best that could be had. With each two dollar purchase on Saturday we give one of these oranges. Remember our prices are always right and make arrangements to do your Saturday trading at our store.

### SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

One Lot Mrs. S. \$7.50 Shoes, new styles	\$5.00
One Lot Ladies Newest Oxfords	\$6.00 values \$4.85
One Lot Ladies Pumps, \$5 values	\$3.85
50 Pairs Ladies House Shoes	\$1.50 val \$1.00
500 Yards Best Grade Bleach Domestic	per yard 15c
500 Pair Ladies and Men's Hose	10 pair \$1.00

### See Windows for These Values

SERVICE VALUE QUALITY

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# Self Dry Goods Co.

See the sweeping drama of the great Southwest Saturday.  
Half-and-Half cotton seed for sale.—T. L. Ward, 1 1/2 miles north of Thalia.  
Buff Orpington eggs for the next 30 days \$1.00 for fifteen.—Mrs. W. W. Kinsey.  
For sale or trade, my residence, 4 rooms and bath, and improvements.—Clint White.  
That new covering attachment on the John Deere lister is just what you want.—M. S. Henry & Co.  
For sale or trade for stock cattle, good young work mules and horses.—J. W. McCaskill, phone 115.  
The Vivian Baptist church at Vivian called Rev. Frank McNair of Thalia as pastor at a meeting held there last Sunday.  
Barred Rocks—Cockerels \$2.50 and \$3.50 each. Roy McDonald strain. Also have choice pullets at \$1.50 each.—Mrs. Lee Ribble.  
Lost—Somewhere between A. Brian's residence and public square, or between town and Gamble school, a thermos bottle. Finder please call Mrs. A. Brian.  
E. T. Evans was here last Saturday from Swearingen attending to business. While here he called at the News office and renewed his paper for another year.  
W. M. Ferguson and Howard Perry and family of Rule visited the family of Otho Green Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Ferguson is the father of Mrs. Green and Mrs. Perry is a sister to Mrs. Green.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cope of Seymour spent Monday in Crowell visiting their niece, Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and family. They were returning home from a visit with their son, Johnie, and family at Quanah.  
Rev. Huckleberry of Childress preached at the Christian church last Sunday, Sunday night, also Monday night. There were seven additions to the church, the new members being baptized at the Christian church in Quanah Tuesday morning.  
The Christine Allen Missionary Society of the Methodist church will have an apron and bonnet sale at the postoffice on Saturday, Jan. 27th. In connection with this, there will also be a candy and bakery sale. Your patronage will be appreciated.

W. P. Garvin, presiding elder of the Vernon district, was here Wednesday from Vernon.  
Mrs. E. F. Hallmark went to Knox City Tuesday to visit her son, Arthur, and daughter, Mrs. Hyde.  
Raise more poultry this year. Get a Buckeye incubator and have an early hatch.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrington of Vernon visited the family of C. Q. Crawford this week.  
Mrs. Shults has gone to Elk City, Okla., to visit her mother who is very ill and not expected to live.  
You will have strong, healthy chicks that grow, hatched with an Old Trusty.—J. H. Self & Sons.

# Tell Your Ailments

## TO THE DRUGGIST

A REMEDY FOR EVERY AILMENT—that is the policy of this drug store.

But if your ailment is too far advanced far advanced for a drug store remedy we will promptly tell you to see a doctor.

You can depend upon any remedy that we sell you, as we do not handle the questionable kind.

Smokes for men and sweets for the women and children—all good.

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ACCURACY SERVICE COURTESY

## Owl Drug Store

RECEIPTS PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

PENSIAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS

## Which Is More Profitable?

30 Bales of Cotton on 90 Acres, just "scratched in," leaving, say 10 acres, for feed stuff?

Or

30 Bales of Cotton on 50 Acres, well cultivated, leaving 50 Acres for feed and table necessities?

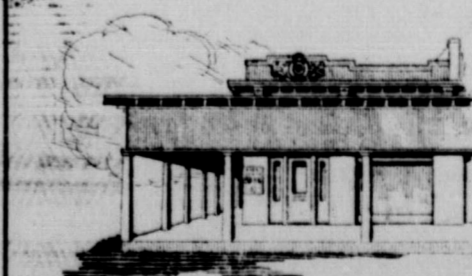
This question is immensely practical, and immensely important to Foard County farmers.

Don't take our word—statistics prove the wisdom of intense cultivation.

The First State Bank is in dead earnest in its desire to be of practical use in developing Foard County and we are ready to back this desire with the necessary funds where the proposition is reasonable.

Intense cultivation is less expensive, easier for man and beast, far more pleasant, and far more profitable.

Come in and let's work out your proposition.



M. L. HUGHSTON, ACTIVE VICE-PRES.  
SAM CREWS, CASHIER  
G. M. THACKER, ASST. CASHIER

## THE FIRST STATE BANK

CROWELL, TEXAS

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# Tomorrow Is Last Day of Sale



We are just reminding the public that Saturday, Jan. 20th, is the last day of the big sale at this store. Prices have been cut to suit your pocket book. But this sale can not last longer than tomorrow. In all probability it will be the last opportunity you will have to buy winter goods at such savings as we are offering. We have had comparatively no winter, but remember February and March are ahead of us yet, and if they do not call for winter clothing, history will fail to repeat itself.

Better come while the opportunity is yours to buy bargains.

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## The Crowell Dry Goods Co., Inc.

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothing

### The Crowell Barber Shop

COURTEOUS AND EFFICIENT WORKMEN

Represent the Waco Steam Laundry.

Basket leaves Tuesday of each week

SHIRLEY & WALLACE, Proprs.

### Never Too Late to Be Thankful

We hope that we are not too late to say to the public that the business given us during the year 1922, which was generous enough to claim our thanks, was most heartily appreciated. We hope to merit your continued patronage by rendering just the service you demand during the new year.

### TEXHOMA OIL COMPANY

W. B. WHEELER, Agent  
Phone 324 Residence Phone 252



## City Meat Market

Carries everything in the line of an up-to-date meat market, together with packing house meats such as Boiled Ham, Mince Ham, etc., except beef. Also carry Pure Hog Lard, the kind your mother used to make during hog-killing time. Come in for a fresh tender steak of beef or pork for dinner, or maybe it's pure hog sausage you want. If so the City Meat Market is the place to get it.

F. J. MEASON, Proprietor

### Scrub Vs. Standard Bred Poultry

By F. W. Kazmeier, Poultry Expert, Universal Mills, Fort Worth, Texas.

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Texas is a great poultry producing state, in fact the fifth greatest state in the Union. This is a good showing and one that we can justly be proud of. There is one thing, however, that we must actually be ashamed of and that is that Texas leads the world in the number of scrub chickens. Texas ranks fifth only from the standpoint of numbers. From the standpoint of value, Texas is so far down the line, that the statisticians refuse to rank her even in the first ten states. This is not idle talk, but actually true in every sense of the word. The average Texas hen is worth only 35 cents, while the average New York hen is worth 75 cents or more than twice as much. Why? Why? May every one ask. The only answer because Texas farmers as a rule believe in scrub chickens, scrub dogs, scrub cats, scrub everything else, including the gate if any there is to be found. Why? Why this more or less haphazard way of doing things? Why do so many people keep scrub, dukes mixture, crazy quilt or just eating chickens? We believe it rather hard to answer this question. The answer that seems to be most popular is, "Our grandfather kept scrub chickens and they were good enough for him, so why should they not fill our requirements." A most wonderful way of reasoning. A way of reasoning that only too many people indulge in. The less we think the less we want to think, and what is worse the less we can actually think.

When Columbus discovered America he discovered the cross bred and mongrel fowl. Some people have made little if any progress since that time; and what is worse, is they have no ambition to make any progress. They are not interested, and are 100 per cent dead to the world. They do not care. They do not want to think, because it is hard work. Keeping Mongrel Fowls Cannot Be

**Justified**  
Observation is a great teacher, but you must look over the fence once in a while, to see progress. That is the way to keep abreast of the times. Surely the chicken that met all the requirements 100 years ago is out of date today. The world does not stand still. It marches on to progress, and the people either keep up with it or they are hopelessly lost in the rear along the road side.

#### Unprogressiveness and Mongrel Chickens

We have visited many farms in all parts of the state and have been fortunate enough to be blessed with two good eyes. What did we see? We found mongrel or scrub chickens reigning supreme on most farms. We found a number of farms stocked with standard-bred fowls. Did we notice any difference between the farm where the mongrels are the thing and the farm where the standard-bred and pure bred were in style? Here is what we found and the way we generally found it: We are now approaching a farm where mongrel stock is the keynote. About a half a mile away we can hear the growling and snarling of about a half a dozen cur dogs. As we approach a little closer we can see them chasing everything on the place, chickens, hogs, mules, horses and sheep. The scrub dogs appear to be boss on the farm. The gate is off the hinges and hanging so it is impossible to open it. The grass has never been cut in the front yard or anywhere else near or far away from the house or barn. The weeds nod at you over the highest fences as though to say good morning and appear to be about the only thing extending a welcome to you. Coming a little closer, the dogs become more fierce and until you find it difficult to carry on a conversation if you should feel like it. The fact is you feel more like whispering if you want to tell the truth. Finally the owner appears on the scene as peacemaker among the number of mongrel dogs all snarling and barking. A few moments of suspense. You ask the owner about the chickens and at once he indicates to you what a great man he is and what a little man you are to be bothering him about something so little as a chicken. With a shrug of the shoulders, you are informed that the man of the farm has other important things to look after besides a few little chickens. The answer. Oh! I don't know. My wife looks after the chickens, ask her. I am too busy to be fooling with chickens, etc., etc. We finally locate the flock of mongrel chickens, all sizes, all ages, all colors and all types. We find them roosting in trees or any other place they can find. No hen house or home for them. The food consists of free range and a little corn thrown out in a hurry about twice a week. These conditions are not exaggerated, but a true description of actual existing conditions. Is it any wonder that such chickens do not produce much and are given a valuation of only 35c each?

#### Progressiveness and Standard-bred Chickens

How much difference, when you visit a farmer that believes in and keeps standard-bred fowls. You visit his place and you find a pure bred dog of some breed, not a half dozen curs. You see things in general more progressive, gates on their hinges and often the buildings painted and kept in repair. The farmer meets you, ready to show you the flock of standard-bred chickens and is proud to do so. He is not ashamed of the flock. He knows how many there are, how old they are and the good egg-production they are capable of. He takes the eggs to town and drives up main street and enters the store by the front door. Every time he goes to town he takes some eggs

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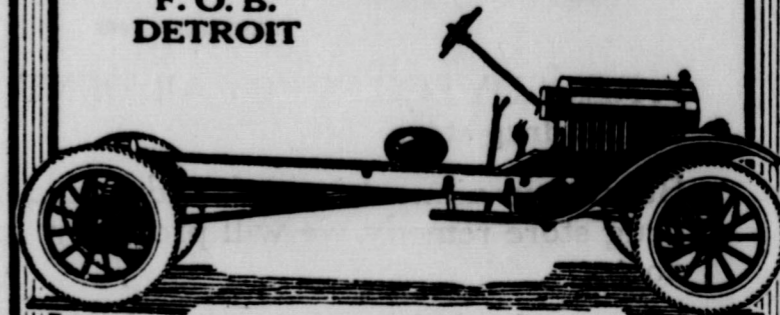


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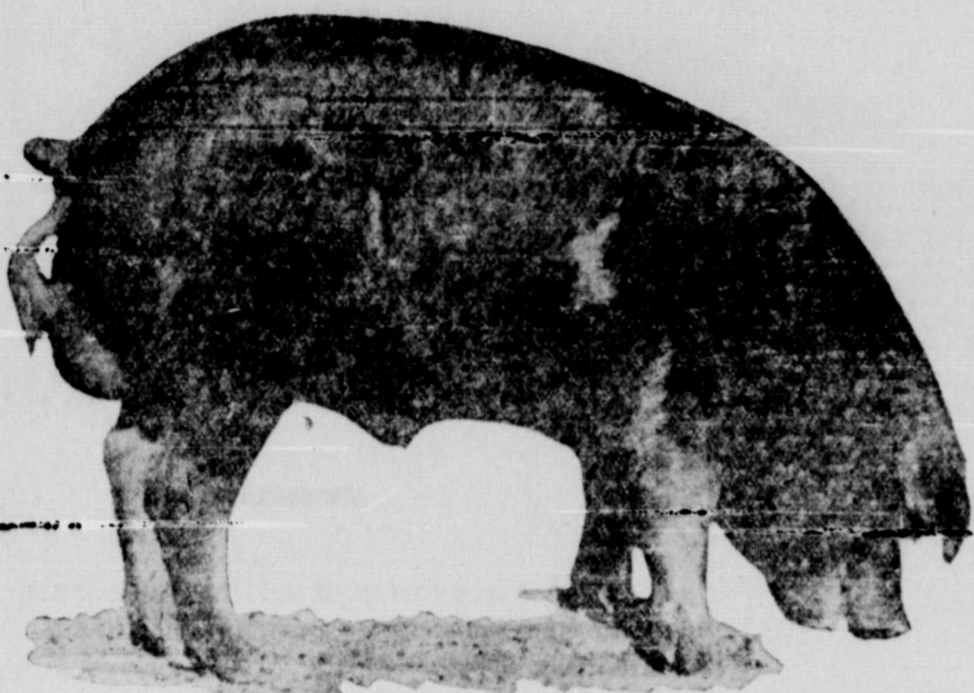
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### Sweet Clover Is a Success in West Texas

The following is an article dealing with the adaptability of Sweet Clover to West Texas counties, especially along the Ft. Worth & Denver railroad, and also by men of our own counties that have tried it out. The information from the other counties was gathered by M. Bruce Oats, agricultural agent for the Denver road.

Mr. Oats says in his report regarding the kinds of soil, seeding, etc.: "Sweet Clover grows on any kind of soil, grows where alfalfa will not grow, withstands more dry weather than alfalfa, equals alfalfa in feeding value, and oftentimes furnishes more grazing value, and is safer grazing because it does not bloat cattle. It furnishes earlier grazing than any other crop, alfalfa included, and lasts until frost. Sweet Clover will pasture two cows or horses per acre for five months' time on an average. This is the experience of 30 farmers who have tried it. Thirty farmers have pastured cattle on Sweet Clover, twenty-two have pastured horses or mules on it, and 22 have pastured hogs. This disproves the old belief that stock will not eat it. Seed should be sown at the rate of about 15 lbs. per acre. The cost of the seed is from 10 to 15 cents per lb."

It is Mr. Oats' opinion that with three years Sweet Clover will be as generally grown as Sudan Grass.

Mr. Oats states further in his findings "relative" to securing a stand: "In previous years some men here had difficulty in getting a stand but they have learned new how to do it. The essentials in getting a good stand are, first, a firm seed bed, and second, early seeding. January and February rather than late March, April and May. It is not a good idea to sow on freshly plowed land, or wait too late in the spring to sow. On nine farms we found that clover had been sowed without any preparation on land that has been in maize, kaffir, etc. This of course was a firm seed bed and a reasonably good seed bed was secured, about 86 per cent perfect. On land of this kind the seed was sown and then harrowed with a tooth harrow."

Below are a few of the men in Foard County who have tried Sweet Clover on a small scale and the experience they have had: Dr. Kincaid tried the Sweet Clover by sowing some seed in his pasture. He states regarding his experience: "I took several pounds of seed and sowed in trenches made by running a disc harrow through the native grass. I then turned and plowed with the harrow and covered slightly. This proved better than some that was planted on cultivated land, as clover requires a firm seed

bed. I have sowed some along the creek and in draws and this seems to do very well and makes a rapid, vigorous growth."

A. Brian also tried some clover and his experience was that of practically every one else, that his best clover and stand were on a firm seed bed.

W. A. Chatfield, Foard City, sowed some seed in his garden by hand, without any special preparation, and secured a good stand and made a very vigorous growth. He also planted some in his pasture that did well.

L. F. Weber of the Vivian community, has some Sweet Clover that has been growing for the past three years and has done very well, but his stand was not the best.

One of the worst drawbacks that has been encountered was getting a perfect stand. Where anything like a good stand has been secured it has done well and stood the drought remarkably well. Inoculation of the seed would perhaps help in getting it started off to growing. The inoculation bacteria can be secured at

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There are several in the county that are getting seed for the purpose of giving it a test. If it would do well it would help us to solve our pasture problem.

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#### NOTICE

Sheriff's Sale  
THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the honorable district court of Wilbarger County, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1922, by the clerk thereof, in the case of the First State Bank of Crowell, a corporation, versus Frank Simpson and P. S. Skipworth, No. 3190, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in February, A. D. 1923, it being the 6th day of said month, before the court house door of said Foard County, in the town of Crowell, the following described property, to-wit:

The southeast one-fourth of section nineteen (19) in block eight (8), H. & T. C. Ry. Co.'s surveys in Wilbarger and Foard Counties, Texas, levied on as the property of Frank Simpson to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$4,145.27 in favor of the First State Bank of Crowell, a corporation, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of December, A. D. 1922.

L. D. CAMPBELL, Sheriff.

Radiophone to trade for secondhand Ford car.—Murry Martin.

#### NOTICE

Application has been filed by W. E. Taylor of Margaret, Foard County, Texas, with the Commissioners Court of Foard County, under chapter 103, General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the 36th Legislature at its regular session, for cancellation and annulment of town lots and sub-divisions in the unincorporated town of Margaret, Foard County, Texas, to have the same thrown back into acreage tracts as it existed before such sub-divisions were made, the description of said lots being as follows, to-wit:

Blocks 33, 34, 35, 36, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and lots 1 to 10 inclusive in block 30, all in said town of Margaret, as shown by plat of record in the clerk's office of Foard County, Texas, in deed records, book 17, pages 282-283.

The acreage area covering said above sub-divisions is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning 64 feet south of the N. W. corner of section No. 365, block A, H. & T. C. R. Co. survey; thence south 49 degrees, 30', east along the center of Central Avenue of said town of Margaret, 1325 feet; thence south 40 degrees, 30', east 330 feet; thence south 40 degrees, 30', west 170 feet; thence north 49 degrees, 30', west 100 feet; thence south 40 degrees, 30', west 230 feet; thence south 40 degrees, 30', west 360 feet; thence north 49 degrees, 30', west 80 feet to section line; thence north 1917 feet to the place of beginning, containing 25.78 acres.

Any person or persons interested in the above described lands are hereby commanded to appear at the regular term of the Commissioners Court of Foard County, Texas, on the 12th day of February, A. D., 1923, to protest, or show cause why said application should not be granted.

Done by order of the Commissioners Witness my hand and seal of Commissioners Court at office in Crowell, Texas, this 29th day of December, A. D. 1922.

MARIE HARRIS BURRESS, Clerk County Court and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court 30 of Foard County, Texas.

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Blocks 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 47, and a tract 150 feet wide on the north of said blocks, all in said town of Margaret, as shown by plat of record in the clerk's office of Foard County, Texas, in deed records, book No. 17, pages 282-283.

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Any person or persons interested in the above described lands are hereby commanded to appear at the regular term of the Commissioners Court of Foard County, Texas, on the 12th day of February, A. D., 1923, to protest, or show cause why said application should not be granted.

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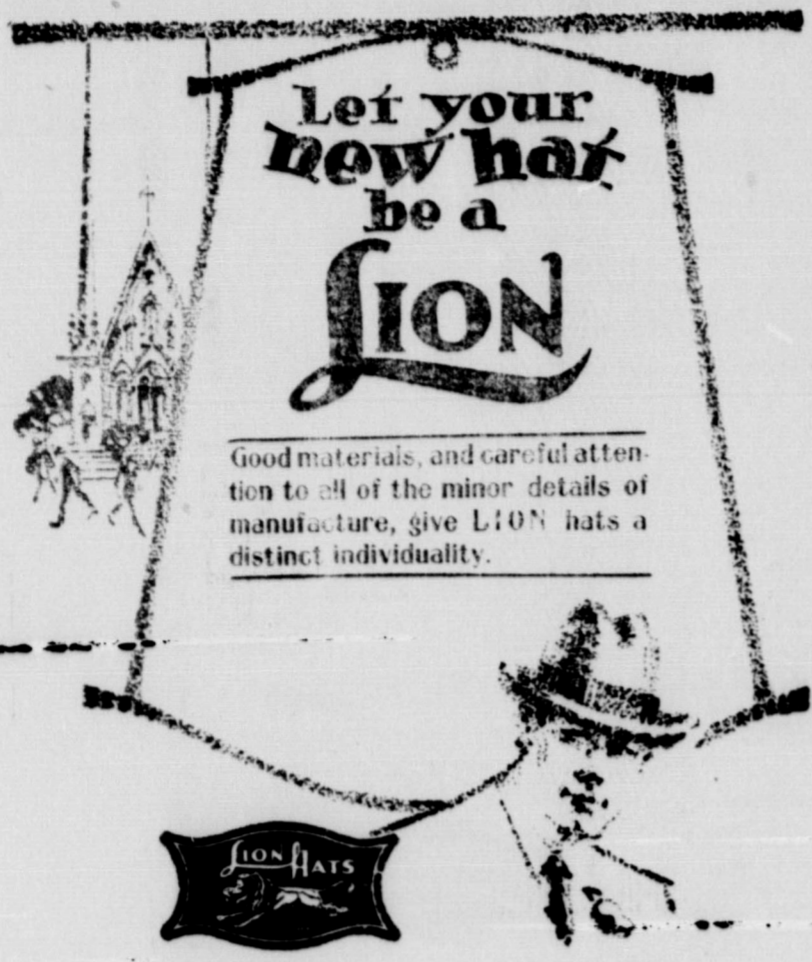
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### Scrub Vs. Standard Bred Poultry

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 or chickens to sell. The grocery store and the dry goods store owe him.  
 The banker does not see him coming, excepting to make a deposit. The children are better fed and clothed. The home has more labor saving conveniences, more music, books and other little things that make life worth while. The living conditions on a farm where they believe in and keep standard-bred poultry, is a great improvement over those found on a farm where the owner does not believe in standard-bred fowls, but is a believer of mongrel chickens.  
**Scrub Chickens Responsible for Low Price Eggs**  
 Many people complain about the price of eggs at certain seasons of the year. They never stop to think as to the cause. The cause of low prices can be traced directly to the fact that the biggest portion of Texas market eggs are produced by mongrels. They are all colors, ages and sizes. Some large, some small, some dirty, some fresh, mixed as to color and size.

It is impossible to grade them intelligently. These eggs are bringing all and more than they are worth.  
 Before we can hope to realize a better marketing system and get more for our eggs, we must stir up more interest in standard-bred poultry. The Texas Farm Bureau would find it a discouraging job to undertake to market eggs from the Texas scrub or mongrel fowls. The Petaluma section, which is noted for its marketing system, and where they ship eggs over 2,000 miles to New York City, and top the market, they have standard-bred chickens exclusively. They would not think of shipping the eggs of several thousand mongrel hens for 2,000 miles and then top the market. The mongrel must be eliminated before we can have a successful marketing system of any kind.

If the mongrel fowls are superior why don't the breeders of same advertise them for sale. If they are so good you should be willing to let your neighbors have some of them. Why don't we find them advertised in the leading poultry papers and farm papers. We have yet to see our first advertisement of mongrel fowls.

If mongrel fowls are as good as standard-bred fowls, why do not the people that make a living from chickens keep them in large flocks? The reason is they could not make a living keeping mongrel fowls.  
 If mongrel fowls are good layers, why do not some of you enter them in the egg-laying contests? To the best of our knowledge not a single pen of mongrel fowls has ever been entered in an egg-laying contest. There is a reason, and a good one, they are such inferior layers their owners are afraid to take a chance on them.

If mongrel fowls are so great and beautiful and such good stock, why don't some of the people keeping them enter them in some of our poultry shows. There is a reason, they would not get to first base in any show in Texas. The poorest judge would recognize their inferiority and discard them. They have no chance of winning a prize either in an exhibition or in an egg-laying contest.

Why is it a fact that the owner of a flock of mongrel fowls is ashamed of them? Why is it a fact that the owner of a flock of standard-bred fowls is proud of them and delights in showing them? There are two good reasons for these questions, so well known that we do not have to give them.  
**Replace Mongrels with Standard Bred Fowls**

In view of the fact that it is very easy to get a start with standard-bred fowls, and at only a small expense these exist no good reasons for keeping mongrel chickens, excepting these, namely, haphazardness and indifference.



**J. B. RASBERRY VERY ILL**  
 J. B. Rasberry with some other citizens of the county started to Dallas Monday to see about purchasing machinery for a gin. They reached Vernon and Mr. Rasberry became violently ill. He was rushed to a sanitarium and a physician summoned. At first it was thought that he might be able later to continue the trip to Dallas but his condition became worse instead of better, and he is now reported to be in a very critical condition. His trouble is reported to be ulcer of the bowels.

**Senior League Program**  
 Leader—Anna Lee Cannon.  
 Subject—Psalms of life.  
 Song, Prayer—Rev. Willett.  
 Our Psalm of life—Pearl Saunders.  
 What the righteous man does not do.—Lois Buckley.  
 What the righteous delights in.—Henry Ferguson.  
 How to delight in the law of the Lord.—Jewel Kenner.  
 Song, League benediction.  
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**COLUMBIAN CLUB**  
 Mrs. Brian was hostess to the Columbian Club Wednesday, Jan. 10th. This being election day the membership was unusually well represented. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Mrs. M. O'Connell, president; Mrs. C. A. Adams, vice president; Mrs. Thos. Huchston, secretary; Mrs. Marion Hughston, treasurer; Mrs. C. R. Ferguson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. S. J. Ferguson, librarian. After the business session Mrs. J. R. Beverly conducted a very interesting and instructive parliamentary drill.  
 The hostess served a delicious refreshment plate, being assisted by Misses Jennie Belle Ray and Annie Sanders.—Reporter.

**Queer Feelings**  
 "Some time ago, I was very irregular," writes Mrs. Cora Robie, of Pikeville, Ky. "I suffered a great deal, and knew I must do something for this condition. I suffered mostly with my back and a weakness in my limbs. I would have dreadful headaches. I had hot flashes and very queer feelings, and oh, how my head hurt! I read of **CARDUI** The Woman's Tonic and of others, who seemed to have the same troubles I had, being benefited, so I began to use it. I found it most beneficial. I took several bottles . . . and was made so much better I didn't have any more trouble of this kind. It regulated me."  
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**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY**  
 The Woman's Missionary Society met in regular session in the basement of the church Monday, January 15, 3 P. M.

We finished the study of the Epistles and the next lesson, Monday Jan. 22, will be the last book of the Bible, Revelations. Each member is urged to be present with a well studied lesson. As we finish this year's study of the Bible and look carefully over it we find that it has been a great help to us and that we know more and better the teachings of the good book which leads us to a broader and better life of usefulness for our Savior.

Mesdames J. J. Brown, Tom Ferguson and Jim Bell will entertain for the benefit of the society with a silver tea at the church Friday afternoon, Jan. 26. Everyone come.

The ladies will have a bonnet and apron sale in a few weeks. Look for ad later.

A helpful letter was read from Miss Christine Allen, telling of her trip, location, work and happiness. She requested the prayers of the people of Crowell and insisted that we not sympathize with her in that benighted land unless it would be because she could not do more. We are especially proud of this splendid Christian character and example of our Lord's work. Don't forget to pray for her daily.—Reporter.

**SUNBEAM PROGRAM**  
 Topic—A great prayer meeting.  
 Song—Led by Belle Locke.  
 Opening prayer by Mrs. Billington.  
 Our New Year verse.—Geraldine Carter.

Regular business of band, welcome new members, roll call, reports and other business.

Memory verse, Matt. 9:38 by W. C. Green.

Story—"A house of prayer that changed the world."—Ophelia Digges.  
 Expression period.

A prayer meeting that made a king walk under his umbrella by Recie Womack.

The harvest and the reapers by Louise Pyle and Staton Adams.  
 Prayer before offering.  
 Gathering love gifts. Closing prayer.  
 Song—"God Will Take Care of Me," while marching out.  
 —Mrs. Billington.