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TEXAS CLIMBS TO HIGHER RANK IN SHOOTING MATCH

Major Claude Adams, president of the Texas State Rifle Association and captain of the Texas Rifle Team for 1922 and 1923, returned Sunday from the International Matches held at Camp Perry, Ohio, September 1st to 10th.

There were 77 teams entered in the international matches and Texas placed in 14th place, beating out 63 teams.

The remarkable thing connected with the Texas team," says Major Adams, "is that it was the only southern team that was in any class. We have in the National and International matches three classes—Class A, B, C, consisting of ten teams each. The Texas team shoots below 30th place in class A. Every other southern team except Texas was below 30th place, and was therefore classified as a no-class team."

Major Adams says the attendance was far greater and competition keener than ever before at this the greatest and best shooting event the world has ever seen.

Texas was a no-class team in 1921, shooting in 35th place. Major Adams was a shooting member of this team.

Adams was captain in 1922 when Texas shot in 18th place with 47 entries, and again this year with 77 entries.

Texas has taken a place in this contest that every Texan will be proud of and congratulations are due the boys who have put her there.

Mutual Benevolent Association Places Order for Printing

The News is in receipt of a nice order for printing for the Crowell Mutual Benevolent Association, and fearing that some may wonder what that association is we are herewith giving a brief item relative to it.

Its president is C. T. Schlagal and its secretary is J. P. Tye.

Mutual insurance is its aim, and since mutual insurance has passed its experimental stage and become a permanent fixture, it may be said that the Crowell Mutual Benevolent Association is a permanent fixture.

This association was organized in 1908, and has paid every claim since that time. It is thoroughly organized, having besides a president and secretary, as above mentioned, a vice-president and a board of directors.

There are two classes of members known as Class One and Class Two. The two classes are co-operative. In case of death in Class No. One, each member in both classes is assessed \$1.10. In case of death in Class Two, each member in Class No. Two is assessed \$2.20 and each member in Class No. One is assessed \$1.10.

Membership fee is \$3.00 in Class Two and \$2.00 in Class One. Each member is assessed an amount of \$1.00 annually for expenses.

The value of the policy is based on the number of members in the association, each member in both classes being assessed in case of a death in either. The entire amount not to exceed \$1,000 and \$1,500 in Class One and Two respectively.

This form of insurance has many favorable features.

Married Sunday Afternoon

Mr. Travis Hayes and Miss Olive Hanks, two popular young people of Crowell were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mills Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Rev. Charles Marts, the circuit Methodist preacher, officiated.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hanks of the Good Creek community and has been a telephone operator for the Haskell Telephone Company since graduating from the Crowell high school in 1922. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hayes and also graduated from the Crowell high school in 1922. He is now employed as mechanic by the Self Motor Co.

The marriage of these young people is the culmination of a romance which began during school days.

The happy young couple have the congratulations and best wishes of the entire community.

The Style Show Was Great Success

The only thing that interfered with the style show Friday night was the threatening cloud but even with that most of the people remained until the entire program was completed.

It was a well arranged affair. The three dry goods and clothing firms, the Crowell Dry Goods Co., R. B. Edwards Company and Self Dry Goods Company cooperated in the exhibit of their fall clothing and to say that the showing was a very creditable one is very true. The models had been very carefully selected and the display of goods showed that the buyers had made good selections.

There is no need for any one going away from Crowell to buy winter clothing. This can be bought right at home and is as good and just as nice as can be procured anywhere. The local merchants have exercised great care in stocking up with goods that will meet the desires and needs of our people and they should have the patronage of the home buyers.

Music was rendered by the Crowell orchestra with some special music by D. L. Reavis.

Sunday's Rain Brings Season for Wheat Sowing

Most of the day Sunday witnessed the downfall of a steady rain, which comes as great benefit to the wheat farmer especially. And it seems to have been pretty general over the county. It was not so heavy, however, in the eastern portion as at Crowell. The precipitation here amounted to 1.35 inches.

Most of the wheat land in the county was ready for the rains and the farmers were anxiously waiting in the hope that they could sow their wheat with the assurance that it would come up. There will be no doubt about this now. Land that was well prepared has a good store of moisture and is ready for sowing.

The rain will also help late feed, some of which promises to be extra good. A few of the farmers have recently exhibited feed that was planted in July which promises an abundant yield. One of them is Pete Campbell. He brought into the News office Saturday a few stalks of sorghum about ten feet high that was planted July 4. It will make real good feed. Many crops of early feed that suckered out after it was cut will yield splendid feed.

Cash Prize Winners for Last Saturday

The cash prizes being offered weekly by the business men of Crowell are producing very gratifying results. Everybody comes to town on Saturday to see who gets a prize.

Those winning a \$5.00 prize last Saturday were as follows: Dave Shultz, 11542. Earnest Crisp, 10489. Jack Ballard, 9871. Mrs. Estelle Dawkins, 11327. George Benham, 14590. Charles Loyd, 12591. George Watson, 10371. Mrs. C. C. Lindsey, 3251.

Undergoes Operation

Lillie May Edgin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tip Edgin, underwent an operation Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock for appendicitis. She had been playing and was in good spirits most of the day and had gone with her father to Margaret that day, but complained after having returned that her side hurt. When she began to have fever the doctor was called and it was learned that she had an attack of appendicitis. She is now recovering nicely.

Baby Girl Born

A new baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeibig Wednesday night.

Little Misses Frances and Lu Inda Puckett, who are remembered as Mrs. H. Speck's nieces, left Lubbock last Friday morning for San Francisco, Cal., going alone over the Santa Fe. They reached their destination safely Sunday. Many of the Crowell people remember the little girls who were residing with Mr. and Mrs. Speck while they were in Crowell until recently.

FARMERS FIND RHODE ISLANDS THE BEST BREED

The selection of a breed of chickens is a matter of taste. While one farmer succeeds better with Barred Rocks another will do better with Buff Orpingtons, and another with Leghorns, and still another with Rhode Island Reds.

But when all is said about the various breeds of chickens the fact remains that the Rhode Island Reds are among the most popular breeds in the world. They grow off rapidly and attain a good large size. They are good layers and seem to be one of the most popular breeds for the farm.

E. V. Halbert of Foard County owns one of the best flocks of Reds in Foard County. He has not a large flock because he has not had time to accumulate many since starting with this breed last spring. He did the right thing by purchasing a high priced male bird from one of the leading breeding farms of East Texas and his present flock shows for itself what that means.

Rob Cooper, just northeast of town, is also the proud possessor of a large flock of purebred Rhode Island Reds. His come from stock selected from various pens over the state. They are large and bear the marks of high and careful breeding.

Messrs. Halbert and Cooper are not willing that anybody surpass them in the quality of stock and so they and W. A. Matthews went to Willbarger County Tuesday to examine some prize winning pens with the view of making some additions to their flocks here, in case they found anything that compared with their own, the aim being to improve and keep up the high standard of their own breed. It is expected that both of these men will have something to exhibit in the next county poultry show that will show decided improvements in the quality of this breed.

Valuations of Foard County Show Decrease

Foard County's tax rolls for 1923, just completed, show a total valuation of \$4,987,415, a decrease of \$161,001 under last year's roll.

This year's valuations are divided as follows: Resident tax payers, \$3,783,320; non-residents, \$835,820; unrendered property, \$282,875; railroads, telegraph and telephone properties, \$34,510; and banks, \$26,450; property which has not heretofore been assessed, or what is termed back years' rolls, \$24,440.

The total amount of taxes to be paid on property in Foard County this year will be \$132,792.58 for state, county, road, school and polls. Of this amount \$40,208.41 will go to the state; \$47,792.57 will go into the funds used for the general needs of the county; \$7,461.73 will go into the road funds and \$37,329.87 will go to school districts in the county.

Will Serve Sentence For Cold Checking

Lennis Nichols, 16, pled guilty in the county court Tuesday to cold checking and his fine was assessed at \$15 and 15 days in the county jail.

Successful Meeting at Truscott

Our meeting at Truscott closed Monday night with seventeen additions to the church, twelve of them being by conversion, and five being relocations. The church was materially strengthened, and face the future with much encouragement. Money was raised to call a minister and some one will soon be on the job for the Master at Truscott. The fellowship was delightful, and this means much to any community. Basket dinner on the grounds was the intended program for last Sunday, but the rain interfered and it was "supper on the grounds" instead, and my, what a supper it was. Delightfully satisfactory and typically Dixie is enough for me to say. May it be our pleasure to enjoy many like occasions.

P. R. HUCKLEBERRY, Evangelist 2nd Dist. Texas Missions.

At last the secret is out and we know why some extraordinarily intelligent women never marry. They are not asked.

CROWELL TIGERS WALLOP KNOX CITY WILDCATS

The local high school foot ball team defeated the high school team of Knox City last Friday afternoon by a score of 25 to 0.

Although a little warm for foot ball, the season started off with much zipp and pep, enlivened as the members of the team were by the efficient coaching and strenuous workout which they have had during the past few weeks.

A number of local fans accompanied the team to Knox City in motors. The Knox City team showed wonderfully good sportsmanship, and no small amount of skill and ability. However, they were outclassed by the Crowell boys in speed, although the Crowell team has no weight to spare.

Time after time the weight of the Knox City team was thrown against the invincible Crowell line. In spite of the fact that the opposing team members must have weighed 10 pounds more to the man than the Crowell team, not a gain could they make through the line.

Especially was the work of Wood and Ashford super excellent. Ashford's weight at center more than once turned the tide in favor of his team, while Wood with his brother linesmen was stable as the Rock of Gibraltar, allowing no one to get through the line.

The efforts of Knox City's back field was somewhat hampered by the efficiency of Carter, Rader, Cook and Glover. While the Knox City linesmen were making futile efforts to get through Crowell's line, one of the brilliant back field men would be after the opposition for a loss.

Carter carried the ball for all four touchdowns which the locals made. During the second quarter he intercepted a forward pass, running more than thirty yards for a touchdown.

Cook's heady work at quarter was a great assistance to the team's victory. Working his plays with uncanny skill, he baffled the opposing team again and again, and usually a bewildered and sheepish looking opponent was left gazing after the man who just went by with the ball.

On the whole the team showed fine prospects for a successful season. Too much can not be said for Mr. Ramsey's coach work. He found Rader and developed him into a man who shows prospects of being one of the team's best. He also developed Roy Barry and Gray, two men who show excellent form, and who had never played football before.

We shall expect a great season from this team, as forecast by last Friday's victory.

The lineup: Cook, qb; Rader, fb; Carter, lhb; Glover, rhb; Norman, e; Wood, lt; Burrow, t; Awbrey, l; Barry, l; Smith, Grey.

Says He Will Make Third of Bale to Acre

Joe L. Orr, pioneer Poland China man of Foard County, does not contemplate having an auction sale of fine hogs this year. General interest in that business must revive before it becomes profitable again. However, Mr. Orr will keep some choice specimens of those fine hogs for another day. Just now he is devoting his time principally to cotton. With 60 or 70 acres promising a third of a bale to the acre and with some good Jersey cows and purebred hens he expects to get by without much worry.

Mr. Orr says the web worms that have been doing some damage over the country have been very kind to him, in that they have passed him up, leaving little trace of their having been here.

Ana Lee Cannon Entertained with Dinner at Gainesville

An eight o'clock dinner served in three courses was enjoyed Tuesday evening when Miss Ruth Blake entertained a few friends complimentary to Miss Ana Lee Cannon of Crowell. The occasion was very informal and was given at the home of the hostess on North Taylor street.

Those present were: Misses Mary Martin, Maude Garner, Julia Hogan, Verna Bounds, the honoree and hostess.—Gainesville Daily Register.

Will Have Bramah Cattle at Rodeo

According to information furnished by the managers of the fair there will be about 50 head of rodeo Bramah cattle at the rodeo today and tomorrow. By special effort these have been procured for this occasion.

Bramah cattle are very wild and are especially suited to wild west riding, such as will make the hairs of one's head stand on end. This will be a feature of the rodeo that is certain to draw hundreds to Crowell on these two days.

The men who are managing the rodeo have spent much time and effort to make this a success and since wide publicity has been given it hundreds of people are expected to be here during these two days.

More Than \$100 Was Realized From Box Supper

From the sale of boxes Monday night at the opera house there was realized a sum of \$102, all together. The school children and many of the teachers had prepared boxes to be auctioned the purpose of which was to procure funds with which to provide the school grounds with playing equipment for their recreation and amusement during the recess periods.

Dave Sollis acted as auctioneer and handled the job in his usual splendid and interesting manner. Many of the boxes sold for \$1.20 and \$2.00, some brought as high as \$2.50. Bidding was rapid and boxes were soon disposed of.

After the sale of the boxes votes were taken on the prettiest girl and the ugliest man in the house. Several nominations were made for each. Miss Jesalie Cates was winner in the contest for beauty and Tom P. Reeder won in the contest for ugliness.

The junior orchestra, composed of the violin and piano pupils of Mrs. Alva Spencer and those taking instruction on the horn under Arnold Rucker, rendered some splendid pieces of music.

Crowell Plays Paducah Saturday

Under the efficient work of Prof. Ramsey as coach, the Crowell football team has already started out on a series of games with the promise of a very fine record. They won the first game last Saturday at Knox City with that team, the result being 25 to nothing in favor of our boys. They will meet the Paducah boys next Saturday afternoon at Crowell.

Everybody can well afford to give our boys all the encouragement they can and help them to win over the Paducah team. It means a great deal for the people at home to show their interest in these games.

The boys have started out with a good beginning and let us help them to keep it that way.

REVIVAL MEETING CLOSED LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

The revival which had been in progress for eleven days in open air north of the Masonic building, conducted by the Church of Christ forces, led by E. H. Garner of Hall County as evangelist, closed Sunday night with three additions to the church. Good preaching and splendid attendance is the report for the entire series of meetings.

Intermediate League Program

Subject—Esther's plea before the King.

Leader—Ila Lovelady.

Scripture lesson, Esther 3:11-15.

Why was Mordecai so cast down? Esther 4:1.—Arlene Willett.

What did Esther request to know? Esther 4:5.—Ila May Thompson.

What message did Mordecai? Esther 4:7-8.—Frances Choate.

Of what did Esther remind the people? Esther 4:11.—Carrie Maurice Allee.

What message was sent to Mordecai? Esther 4:16.—Hazel Dykes.

What happened on the 3rd day? Esther 5:1-4.—Vergie Donaldson.

Foreign dispatches state that Japan has felt about 1,200 earthquake shocks since the great disaster. But shucks, that's nothing. In high society some of our American families pull off that many in a week.

CATTLE MAN FINDS WESTERN MARKET FAIRLY GOOD ONE

J. W. Bell returned from his ranch at Valentine Tuesday from which he had just shipped three cars of cattle to the Los Angeles market.

Mr. Bell thinks well of that market but says it is not to be compared with Kansas City in volume. He regards Los Angeles, however, as a good market and says cattle brings a little better price there than in Kansas City. Another thing in favor of shipping from Southwest Texas to the West is the fact that no change in transportation is necessary from the time cattle are loaded on the cars until they reach their destination. So that stuff will reach Los Angeles in much better condition than it will when shipped over lines on which changes and delays are unavoidable.

A great amount of livestock is now going from the Panhandle of Texas, especially hogs, according to Mr. Bell. Texas, New Mexico and Arizona are the leading sources of supply for California markets.

Mr. Bell was in California only two days and saw few of the Foard County people there, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thacker.

Two Brothers Plead Guilty to Cotton Stealing Charge

Heman and Sam Millwee, claiming to be of Canton, Okla., pled guilty to a charge of stealing cotton from Cap Morris near Thalia, in the county court here Tuesday.

Suspicion was aroused when the two boys, near 20 years of age, appeared at the Rayland Gin and tried to sell 500 pounds of cotton, which they had with them on a car. They told that they had raised the cotton near Crowell and that they had just received a message from their mother at Terrell stating that she was very sick and wanted them to come home.

The cotton was not purchased but the sheriff was notified of the matter, and when the boys reached Thalia they were taken charge of by Constable Hugh Thompson.

Their fine was assessed at \$15 and 15 days in jail.

Hog Market Is Still Very Low

Sam Russell shipped a car of hogs to the Fort Worth market last week and says that the price is still very poor, ranging from 3 1/2 to 8 cents a pound.

He advises one to fatten and make meat of large hogs, for which there is no demand at all on the markets.

Mr. Russell expects to make another shipment next week.

JUNIOR CLASS REPORT

The junior class of 1923 held its first official meeting of the year on October 1. John Carter was elected president. John is a football player and made four touchdowns in the game with Knox City last Friday. Bill Norman was elected as vice president. He is a good player on the football team. Annie Lee Long was elected secretary and treasurer. Annie Lee is a very popular young lady in the class. As sergeant-at-arms, Lewis Rader was elected. This is his first year to be in Crowell high, but he has become very popular with all the pupils. Marion Check was elected press reporter. Thelma Thompson, Ola Carter, Bill Norman and Grady Shults were elected as social committee and Annie Lee Long, Bevie Jewell Ringgold, Mildred Cordell and Fred Kimsey were appointed to select the class colors, flower and motto.

The class has thirty-three members this year and we intend to make it the best junior class ever organized in Crowell high.—Class Reporter.

A Good Example

Ferguson Bros. donated \$5.00 to the school for the purpose of buying equipment for the play ground. This is a good example for others to follow and would be very much appreciated.

Crowell had no trains yesterday. The southbound failed to reach here on account of a washout between Odell and Altus. The northbound turned back at Benjamin.



The thought of food not properly cared for is even worse than food improperly cooked.

Of course you want that wonderful satisfaction of knowing that your groceries, fruits and vegetables are

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selected by experts—kept under sanitary conditions and delivered to you free from the least dust, dirt and taint.

This is the satisfaction we give.

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Bring us your work.

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WEST RAYLAND NEWS
(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Luther Jobe and baby of Crowell are spending the week in the Dave Jobe home.

Jesse Truelove of Burkburnett visited in the John Adkins and Dave Jobe homes last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell of Munday are visiting the latter's aunt, Mrs. Herbert McKinley, and family.

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner is very ill. Mrs. Gardner was before her marriage Miss Vera Keese.

Mr. Edwards and family of Palo Pinto County came in last week to help his brother, Clint Edwards, pick cotton.

To-NIGHT Tomorrow Alright

NR JUNIORS—Little NRs

One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.

SOLD BY YOUR DRUGGIST

FERGESON BROS.

Wallace Scales and Bill Arp made a business trip to Truscott Monday. On account of cotton picking the school has closed for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Groves and two sons spent from Sunday until Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Jarvis Young, and family. They were en route to their home at Lubbock after a visit of two months with relatives in Arkansas.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY



By J. L. MARTIN

One of Bill Dooley's kids has been blowing a bark whistle ever since he heard a fellow blow a bagpipe in Taterhill a few days ago. Bill says that the boy can make noises on the whistle already that sound more like a tune than any noise he heard the fellow make on the bagpipe.

BAGPIPE: Origin and purpose unknown. It is classed with musical instruments, but was probably originally used as a lung tester. It is composed of a bag into which are fastened a number of hollow reeds. By blowing into the bag, the air passing out through the reeds produces sounds which some persons declare resemble notes in music. Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 97.

THALIA ITEMS
(By Special Correspondent)

Ben Stokes has moved into his new house which has just been completed.

Quite a few from here attended First Monday Trades Day at Crowell.

Miss Grace Self has been very sick. She is suffering with an abscess in her head.

Charley Jordan moved his family from the Frank Pittillo farm to Crowell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims and sister, Miss Faye Randolph, were shopping in Vernon Monday.

Two of Mr and Mrs. Dick Swan's children are reported very sick from effects of the measles.

Reed, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson, has been suffering with the croup for several days.

Garland Burns has sold his interest in the Edwards, Burns store at this place to Mr. Harbin of Arlington.

A large per cent of the people of this community attended the Style Show at Crowell last Friday night.

There was no preaching Sunday at 11 o'clock owing to the rain, but Bro. Milholland filled his pulpit at the evening hour.

Pete Gamble and family have moved into their new home which has just been completed.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Chism who live in the Rayland community was buried in the Thalia cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Ted Solomon has moved the house he bought, recently vacated by Ben Stokes, closer to the gin and has moved his family into it.

Will Huggins moved his family from his farm to the place that Mr. Jordan moved from Monday and will pick cotton for Mr. Pittillo.

Bro. Thomas E. Milholland of Vernon will lecture here Oct. 11th on the birth of the Bible and the land of Abraham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wood entertained the young people Saturday night with a party. They report a splendid time.

Mrs. G. A. Neill and daughters, Miss Annie Mae, and Mrs. Ed Self and baby, spent Monday with Mrs. T. A. Johnson and Mrs. G. B. Neill north of town.

An election was held here Friday on the question of consolidating common school district No. 3 with district No. 2 for high school purposes which carried.

A. C. Phillips and family, Walter Banister and wife, Tom Abston and wife, John Thompson Jr. and wife and sister, Leona, Luke Johnson and wife and Bro. Milholland attended church at Crowell Saturday night.

Mrs. Hugh Thompson and little girls returned home Monday from Erick, Okla., where they visited Mrs. Thompson's sister for the past three weeks. Her health is greatly improved.

AYERSVILLE NEWS
(By Special Correspondent)

Grandpa Ewing is still very low.

Ray Pyle attended court in Crowell Monday.

R. Huskey has purchased a farm from Millard Phillips.

R. Huskey has purchased a new Ford touring car.

Cotton pickers are in great demand in this part of the country.

Charlie Blevins went to Vernon Tuesday in search of cotton pickers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gamble of Crowell spent Monday with their son, Sim, and family.

Arthir Bell and family of Margaret spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Greek Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz were shopping in Vernon Thursday.

Sim Gamble was taken sick very suddenly last Friday and was in a critical condition for a few days. He is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble joined Mr. and Mrs. Yancy Lindsey and several others at Thalia Saturday and all spent the day together on Wichita dam.

Walter Johnson and wife of Thalia and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Durham attended the bedside of the ladies' father, Sim Gamble, from Saturday until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle took their

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W. R. WOMACK
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKER

little daughter, Iona, to an oculist in Vernon last Thursday and had a wheat beard removed from her eye, which had been giving her trouble for some time.

J. W. Davis, Miss Jewell and Ralph Davis went to Chillicothe Monday to have some shoes made for Ralph who is still wearing the steel brace on his limb. They went from there to Quanah to have Miss Jewell's eyes fitted with glasses.

MARGARET NEWS
(By Special Correspondent)

Curtis Priest purchased a Ford in Crowell Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Ross returned from Wichita Falls Sunday.

J. T. Fletcher went to Crowell Monday to visit relatives.

Mrs. M. O'Connell of Crowell was visiting relatives in Margaret Tuesday.

Mrs. Alf Bond of Electra is here this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Dunn.

L. Y. Jameson and family of Whiteflat visited with relatives Saturday and Sunday.

J. Q. Middlebrook and J. H. Beaty Forded to Wichita Falls Tuesday returning Wednesday.

Garret Evans left for Dallas Sunday, being ordered there by the government physicians for an examination.

Mr. Hall, our section foreman, is exchanging places with the Benjamin foreman. Mr. Hall left for Benjamin Monday.

Temp. Fletcher left Saturday for the oil fields of Holiday. He was called back a week earlier than he had expected.

Lee Wright is able to be up again after being in bed with a broken leg since July 4th. He was injured in an accident at Lake Pauline.

The school gave a pie supper last Friday night for the benefit of athletics and besides having a good social time, a neat sum of money was raised.

Mrs. O. A. Grayden returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Arkansas. Her father returned with her and will remain here for a visit.

J. L. Orr and W. A. Dunn made a trip to Fort Worth last Friday returning Monday. They were in search of cotton pickers and were successful in getting the number they needed.

Senior Epworth League

Subject—Psalms of Life—X, A Problem Psalm.

Song service. Prayer.

Scripture—Ps. LXXIII, 1-18; Luke XIII, 1-5.

The righteous and the wicked in disaster, Genesis XVIII, 22-33.—Mrs. Horn.

Injustice made to work out good. Genesis I, 15-25.—Freda Miller.

Faith triumphant in adversity, Job XIX, 23-29.—Catherine Clark.

The truest insight into God's meaning in suffering, Isaiah LIII, 4-12.—Jewell Brown.

Light on dark clouds from the future life, 2 Corinthians IX, 16-18.—Mamie Lee Collins.

Suffering in the fellowship of Jesus, 1 Peter IV, 1-6.—Margaret Russell.

Talk by Bro. Willett.

Song. Business session. Benediction.

Have You Tried Our Flour?

Customers of the celebrated Marechal Neil Flour have been increasing regularly since we introduced this high-class flour, which fact is evidence o fits merits.

If you have not tried it you do not know what you are missing. That is the only way you will ever have first-hand knowledge of its superior quality.

Phone us your order, or better, come and let's talk the matter of groceries face to face. We want your patronage and will do you right in everything in the grocery line.

Ask about the free Kitchen Cabinet we are going to give away soon. If you are trading here you may get this excellent cabinet.

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IT IS A PROFIT WHEN YOU EAT THE RIGHT KIND OF FOOD

THIS STORE specializes in foodstuffs of quality, sold at popular prices. It aims to give its customers the maximum for their money at all times. It aims to give complete satisfaction with every purchase.

If you are not a customer we ask you to test the value of the goods we sell by placing a few orders with us. We are always able to convince those who give us a trial.

Miller & Bain

I Wonder

Matty—"I wonder if Professor Kidder meant anything by it."

Charlie—"By what?"

Matty—"He advertised a lecture on 'Fools,' and when I bought a ticket it was marked, 'Admit One.'"

If your job is a soft snap make it a hard one. Less people will be waiting to grab it away from you.

Habit is so strong with some people they can tell a lie without knowing it.

Never consider a man a fool just because he acts the part. For how else could he keep in the modern swim?

Some men get it in the neck when as a matter of fact they should merely receive it on the spot where the boot is supposed to land.

Some people are beginning to insist that the more a fellow knows the less he gets paid for it.

The fellow who knows how to do everything seldom has much to do.

District Court Proceedings

Be it remembered that a regular term of the District Court of Foard County, Texas, was begun and holden at the courthouse in Crowell on the 5th Monday after the 3rd Monday in August, A. D. 1923, the same being the 24th day of September, A. D. 1923, with Hon. James V. Leak, Judge of the 46th Judicial District of Texas, present and presiding, and present J. A. Storey, District Attorney, L. D. Campbell, Sheriff, and Grace Norris, District Clerk, and the following orders and judgments were made and rendered, to-wit:

On this the 24th day of September, A. D. 1923, the following named persons who had been duly selected and summoned as grand jurors for the September term 1923 of the District Court of Foard County appeared in open court and having been sworn and tested by the court as to their qualifications were duly sworn and empaneled as the grand jurors for the September term of this court to-wit: H. D. Lawson, H. W. Bannister, E. W. Burrow, Claude Callaway, W. L. Dishman, S. S. Bell, W. R. Fergeson, J. L. Glover, P. M. Hinkle, C. F. Hunter, W. B. Jones, J. M. Marr, and after being charged by the court who appointed H. W. Bannister foreman thereof, the said above mentioned grand jurors retired to take up their duty as the grand jury for the Sept. term, 1923, of this court.

The following were appointed bailiffs and were duly sworn as such by the court, to-wit: Door bailiff, W. F. Thomson; riding bailiff, Henry Earl Thomson.

A. N. Vernon vs. W. L. Ricks, motion granted to quash citation.

G. W. Burress vs. L. J. Massie.

Ellie Bell et vir vs. C. M. McKown, dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Furd Halsell vs. Thos. L. Puckett et al, judgment.

Furd Halsell vs. James C. Brown et al, judgment.

Furd Halsell vs. George House et al, judgment.

Furd Halsell vs. Charles Lockhart et al, judgment.

E. Swain vs. J. C. Coe et al, judgment by default for amount and relief sought.

B. J. Smith vs. Bennie V. Smith, judgment.

The State of Texas vs. Joe Watkins and Granville Gaunt, continued by agreement.

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The State of Texas vs. C. R. Watson, continued by agreement.

The State of Texas vs. Arthur Odom, four years suspended sentence.

The State of Texas vs. W. K. Cain, jury verdict of not guilty.

The State of Texas vs. W. K. Cain, hung jury or mistrial.

The State of Texas vs. Rufus Connell and Willie Sparks, transferred to Hardeman County, set for Oct. 17, 1923.

more careful of your English. If I should move it would be a positive sign that I was alive."

All Serene

The Florida beach and blue sea looked inviting to the tourist from the North, but before venturing out to swim he thought to make sure.

"You're certain there are no alligators here?" he inquired of the guide.

"Nossuh," declared that functionary, grinning broadly. "Aint no 'gators hyah."

Reassured, the tourist started out. As the water lapped about his chest he

called back:

"What makes you so sure there aren't any alligators?"

"Dey's got too much sense," bellowed the guide. "De sharks done skeered dem all away."

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HUMOR

Yes

"A man would be crazy to go to a place like that," said the guide, pointing to an insane asylum.

Lost, but Found

The ferryman, while plying over a water which was only slightly agitated was asked by a timid lady in his boat whether any persons were ever lost in that river.

"Oh, no," said he, "we always find 'em again next day."

Dropping

"How's the riding school going old man?"

"Rotten! Pupils falling off every day."

Speed Maniac

"Waiter," said a customer after waiting fifteen minutes for his soup, "have you ever been to the zoo?"

"No sir."

"Well, you ought to go. You would enjoy seeing the turtles whizz past."

By-product

Experience is what you get while you are looking for something else.

Taking No Chances

Mother—"I wouldn't whip him this time, Robert. Wait till he does it again."

Father—"But suppose he doesn't do it again?"

Able to Walk

Man—"Is New York the next stop?"

Porter—"Yes, sah, brush you off, sah?"

Man—"No, I'll get off myself."

Accuracy

Desperado—"Halt! If you move, you're dead."

Student—"My man, you should be



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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS
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Entered at the Post Office at Crowell, Texas, as second class matter.
Crowell, Texas, October 5, 1923

According to statistics issued by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce for the present year, California leads all the states in the number of automobiles in proportion to population. The National Highway Association uses this as a basis for the argument that good roads and automobiles go together. Where the roads are good automobiles are a necessity. Where the roads are poor they are an expensive luxury, because their upkeep is prohibitive. Good roads call for automobiles and automobiles call for good roads.

The report cards for the first month of school were carried to the parents this week for their examination. They will show lower grades than have heretofore been indicated but it means simply that closer grading is being done by the teachers. It means that more study and harder work must be done by the pupils to carry their courses of study. It means that the standard of the school is to be raised and maintained. There can be no reasonable objections to this plan, for otherwise subjects would be half-mastered, which is worth little, if anything.

It is to be hoped that Texas will never have the political disturbance Oklahoma has just been experiencing. It looks as if the state is certain to kick Walton out, which will be a good move, for he has proven himself to be a would-be dictator. His fight against the mobs at first seemed to deserve commendation of the law-abiding element, but he was wrong when he designated all his opponents as mob sympathizers. Walton himself would assume authority that is not his, which is evidence that he possesses the spirit of the mob element. It is up to the real citizens of the State to put down that spirit regardless of the mask it wears.

Attention is called to the grand jury's report in this issue of the News. It is noteworthy that they find crime on the decrease in the county. They say in the report that this reflects the "efficiency of our peace officers and other officials." The News wishes to call attention to the fact that this has been done without the assistance (?) of any mobs that have hypocritically claimed credit for having brought about similar conditions in other portions of the country. Our peace officers have been attentive to their duty and in a measure the citizens of the county have supported them. And that is what it takes to have a decent country in which to live.

PITY THE PUSSYFOOTER.

Cowardice seems to be about the most common trait in human nature—not physical cowardice, but what is far worse, mental cowardice. Most of us are afraid of facts. Many of us are afraid to look a question squarely in the face and answer it according to the simplest rules of common sense and reason, because, forsooth, we are afraid that our opinion will be ridiculed.

The average politician is afraid to speak his honest convictions on a debated question, lest he arouse opposition and criticism. The average business man is afraid to express an opinion on anything from weather to politics, lest he give offense to some present or potential customer. The average church member is afraid to acknowledge his professed beliefs for fear some nonentity will laugh. The average preacher deals in platitudes and rhetorical nothings for fear that he will offend some one.

Of course, every now and then, we find a man who has the ability to reach a conclusion and the courage to express an opinion. We find occasional business men, politicians and preachers who are not afraid to face facts and have no fears for the opinions of those who may differ with them. They appeal to intelligence and reason, and are willing to undergo the opposition of ignorance and prejudice. Men of this type are leaders. They are not crucified and buried in unmarked graves as some of us who are weaker fancy is the common fate of those who think clearly and speak plainly.

No pussyfooter from the time of Abraham on down to Woodrow Wilson ever accomplished anything worth while or enjoyed the confidence and respect of any considerable number of people. No pussyfooter ever achieved a success worth mentioning. The world builds monuments and gives its patronage and audience to men of courage. It is the cowards and pussyfooters who are forgotten before their bodies return to the clay from which it came.—Vernon Record.

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**THE PERIL OF
EDISON-FORD'S
MONEY SCHEME**

Would Create More Paper Money
Than Russia's Trillions But
Add No Real Wealth.

SOME DANGEROUS FALLACIES

Would Remove Safe Restraint of Gold
Basis and Open Way to Endless
Issues of Paper Money.

How the United States would be swamped, under a greater volume of worthless paper money than has ruined Germany and Russia, by the Edison-Ford commodity currency plan is pointed out in the present article, concluding the reviews, prepared by the American Bankers Association, of the recent exposure of the folly of the whole scheme by William T. Foster, Director of the Pollack Foundation for Economic Research. Mr. Foster says:

"The supply of money," says Mr. Ford, "is inadequate. There is more wealth than there is money to move it." He draws a vivid picture of the golden dam to the stream of prosperity. From a hundred quarters comes the demand for the government to speed up the printing presses, in order to crush the money monopoly, reduce interest rates, and make it easier for everybody to get money. "Inflating the currency, however, though it enables people to get more units of currency, does not enable them to obtain more purchasing power, and it does not reduce interest rates. In all her history Germany never had so much money or as high interest rates as in 1922. Money, unlike other forms of wealth, is not easier to obtain simply because the total supply is increased. On the contrary, increasing the supply of money ordinarily increases the demand for money, and interest rates depend not on supply but on the relation between supply and demand.

A Dangerous Fallacy

"We are assured, however, that the Ford-Edison plan provides money for the farmer at virtually no expense to the government or to anyone else. All the government has to do is to print the money. What could be simpler? Here we come to the most dangerous fallacy in the whole project. It is dangerous because of the universal desire to get something for nothing.

"Here is the gist of the matter: Money will buy whatever is produced, not a particle more by any trick of alchemy, or legislation, or finance. The Russians, having multiplied their money 257,000 times, cannot buy as much with it as before. When we print more money there are no more goods for money to buy; not a single additional plow, or hat, or potato. "Some of those who get the newly printed money can buy more goods than before; all other people can buy fewer goods than before, because their money has fallen off in purchasing power. Since there are no more plows, and hats, and potatoes, and so on, to distribute, if some people get more, others must get less.

"Inflation under the Edison plan is limited mainly because, on account of its indefensible discrimination, most groups of producers of goods and services are not allowed to participate. If all groups were included, as in fairness and in politics they would have to be eventually, the possibilities of inflation would be vast.

The Deadly Spiral

"The total income of the United States is now in excess of fifty billions of dollars. The total money in circulation, including bank deposits subject to check, is not far from twenty-five billions. It follows that the annual production, if used as a basis for new issues on the Edison plan, could at once greatly increase the volume of money in circulation. Every addition to the monetary supply would tend to raise prices. The higher prices became, the higher would be the loan value of a given volume of goods since the size of the loans is based on value and not volume. The greater, therefore, would be the volume of new money that could be issued on the basis of a given annual production. Prices would become still higher; and so on up an endless spiral.

"Even in Russia, where financial printing presses hold the world's record for volume, where new issues of two hundred trillions of rubles per month stagger the imagination, the people complain that there is not enough money to do business with. Without the arbitrary restraint of the gold basis, and with Muscle Shoals inflationists, and sundry other kinds of inflationists constantly pressing their claims upon Congress, it is not at all certain that the United States, once well on the road to financial chaos, would in the end be outrun by Russia."

BANKS HELP CLUB WORK

Yakima County Banks in the State of Washington have loaned \$8,670 to boy and girl club members. Yakima County has twenty-nine pig club members, twenty-four poultry club members and forty-three dairy club members. Dairy club members are all using pure-bred stock, local breeders and bankers co-operating with them to the fullest extent.

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Woman's Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society met in regular business session Monday afternoon at the church. Each officer gave an excellent report. Though the days have been long and warm the faithful women have continued in their Master's work. The social service work is proving a very interesting part of the business program, for who does not enjoy hearing the report of visits, flowers and lunches to the sick, also the visits to the stranger among us. If you do not feel that you are especially fitted for any other work you may be asked to do in the church, then do social service work for there is not one who cannot in some way help and cheer the needy, sick and lonely.

Mrs. T. L. Hughston, who has been our president, is moving to Clarendon, so she gave in her resignation which was accepted and Mrs. M. S. Henry was elected to fill the unexpired term. Mrs. Hughston has been faithful and always ready where duty demanded, and we know that the Lord's work is a joy to her. Now the cooler days have come and let's all be willing workers that we may be led to victory for Christ's sake.—Reporter.

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Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking those who were so kind to us during the illness of our son and brother while he was in the Crowell sanitarium. Especially do we thank the doctors and Mrs. Howard and numerous others who ministered to us so kindly. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dockins and Children.

It is reported that Dempsey and Firpo will battle again as soon as enough time has elapsed to enable fight fans to accumulate another price of admission.

At the Christian Science Chapel

Services are held at the Christian Science Chapel every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Subject for Sunday, October 7, "Unreality." The public is cordially invited to attend.

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For Rent—Furnished or partly furnished house.—W. F. Kirkpatrick. 15

Stock tubs, barrels, cisterns, flues and all kinds of tin and pipe work.—T. L. Hayes. 15

Buff Orpington pullets for sale at \$2.00 each delivered at Crowell.—Mrs. W. W. Kimsey. 15p

The All-Metal Steam washer boils as it cleans. Let us show you.—M. S. Henry & Co.

J. W. Golston of Quanah, manager of the Pease and Red river toll bridges, was here Monday.

Cream, chickens and eggs wanted, will pay the highest market price.—Matthews-Crawford Gro. Co. 15

A new boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crowell of Wichita Falls Oct. 2, former residents of Crowell.

For Sale—Jersey cow with young calf. Can be seen at Johnson's wagon yard.—J. W. Beverly or Luke Graham. 15p

For sale Blue Stem soft wheat and Kanred hard wheat for seed, at \$1.15 per bushel.—Sim Gamble, Crowell, Texas, Route 2. 15p

A good big crowd of people were in Crowell Monday, the occasion being First Monday Trades Day. Quite a lot of trading was in evidence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKown and small daughter, Dorothy Pauline, returned this week from Robstown, Texas. Mr. McKown will go back next week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cope of Seymour passed through Crowell last week en route to Quanah to visit their son, J. H., who had undergone an operation for appendicitis.

E. O. Traweck reported that during the hail storm in the Foard City community last week hailstones as large as hen eggs fell. The cotton was damaged considerably.

C. L. Poland and wife of San Angelo and Mrs. Rosa Perkins of Bowie visited their sister, Mrs. Ed Banta, who has been sick for some weeks, and also their mother, Mrs. Poland.

J. A. Canup of Rockwall, who had been visiting his son, Geo. Canup, in the Foard City community, left Wednesday of last week for Amarillo to visit his daughter, Mrs. Wayland Speer, before returning home.

Joe Welch of Sherman, who spent six weeks here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Welch, and other relatives, returned home last week. Mr. Welch is employed in Sherman by a wholesale machinery concern.

Russell Bryson reports that his father, J. N. Bryson, of Snyder, Okla., lost his home by fire Sept. 22nd. The loss was \$4,000 with but little insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Bryson are former residents of this county and their friends here will regret to learn of the loss of their home.

T. L. Hughston of Clarendon spent the week end here, returning to Clarendon Tuesday. Mr. Hughston reports a severe hail storm in the Lelia Lake country last week which entirely destroyed the cotton where it struck. The hailstones were extremely large and very destructive.

J. H. Cope of Quanah who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week is getting along well.

U. C. and O. M. Rader returned last Friday from a trip to Rochester. They brought with them a stalk of volunteer cotton which bears 169 bolls.

Miss Evalyn Stanley of Dallas is here visiting her uncle, F. J. Meason. She is the daughter of Mrs. O. L. Stanley who was formerly Miss Nellie Meason of this city.

George Burress has been here this week from Lufkin where he has been disposing of a bankrupt stock of goods. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Auld and son, Orrin, are there also. George will return soon.

B. J. Smith is here from his ranch near Colorado Springs and will remain over through the entire week. He says conditions are good and that the cattle industry is fair. Grass is fine and the price is not bad.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks and son, Roy, and wife, were called to Electra last Saturday on account of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Austin Wiggins, being ill. At this time Mrs. Wiggins is reported to be improving.

R. P. Womack returned from Vernon Monday where he had gone Saturday. His daughter, Miss Lela, intended to go after him Sunday but on account of the rain she could not go and Mr. Womack was forced to find a way back. According to Mr. Womack Mrs. Clarence McKown and three of the children have been sick but all seem to be improving. Mrs. Womack is still with them.

Service Value Quality

October 5 and 6

Friday and Saturday of this week we expect to have two of the biggest days in the history of Crowell. We have made every effort to have a good Rodeo, Fair, and on Friday, October 5th, we have a free barbecue to which you are especially invited. We have secured plenty of meat, expect to have it well barbecued, and we want you to come and enjoy it with us.

We have some special features in our store for Friday and Saturday in the way of special bargains and we invite you to come and see them. Each and every item is a good one, and a substantial saving can be made by purchasing Friday and Saturday. You are always welcome at our store and we are continually trying to have something in the way of merchandise that will interest you and save you money.

Attend the Fair, Rodeo and Barbecue have a good time and while in Crowell secure some of our special bargains.

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- 10 pairs men's, children's or ladies black or brown hose.....\$1.00
- 25 men's 290 gauge all-wool blue or brown serge suits, regular \$35.00 values. We invite comparison.....\$25.00
- Lot M 518 all-leather brown kid, straight last shoe for men, dandy value for.....\$5.00
- 50 pairs boy's blue bibed overalls, 2 pairs for.....\$1.00
- 25 boys all-wool knee pants suits, values up to \$10.00, choice for.....\$7.50
- 15 ladies suits, newest styles, values up to \$24.50, must be seen to be appreciated, choice for.....\$19.50
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Mrs. H. C. Kilgore left Tuesday for her home in Nocona.

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Get a sack of Marechal Neil Flour at Fox & Sons. Every sack guaranteed. It's good stuff.

Judge Robt. Cole of Vernon was attending to business in the district court here this week.

Mrs. Frank Hill has recently accepted a position as toll operator with the Haskell Telephone Co.

Ralls Richardson was here from Spearman, Texas, Wednesday visiting his uncle, Dr. Hines Clark, and family.

For Sale—Three good saddle horses, ages 6 to 7 years old. Price \$125.00 for the three.—G. D. Adams, Quanah, Texas.

Rev. J. E. Billington left Monday in his car for Waco to take his daughter, Miss Mary, who will enter the Baylor University.

Blank notes for sale at News office.

Cars washed and greased.—Quick Service Station. 15

Millard Meason was here Wednesday from Big Sandy.

For sale a good Jersey milch cow with young calf.—Tom King. 15p

The Heatrola will heat every room in your house.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale—Two dozen Buff Orpington roosters, \$1.25 each.—Joe French. 15p

A child can easily operate the all-metal steam washing machine.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Kodak finishing handled with care. One day service. Price of prints 3, 4, and 5 cents.—Sink Studio. 15

For Sale—White Leghorn pullets at my place, \$1.00 each. Also a few Cornish for \$2.50 each.—Millard Phillips. 18p

Mrs. Robert Leonard of Memphis, Tenn., came in Monday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Ferguson.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison and children and Miss Campbell of Paducah were here to attend the Style Show last Friday night.

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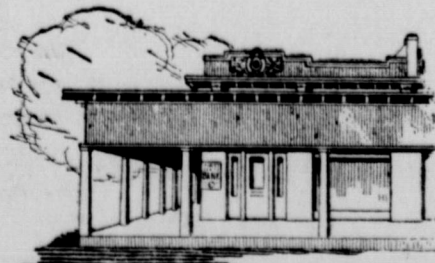
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Nations are merely collections of individuals banded together for their own protection.

As long as their nationals fight among themselves it must be expected that nations will fight each other.

Just when many people were hoping that the league of nations would eventually be able to function to some practical purpose we are confronted with the spectacle of Italy defying the league and taking forcible possession of Greek territory.

We in America are not concerned with the merits of the controversy between Italy and Greece, but we are vitally concerned with the effect upon this country if we are dragged into another general European conflagration.

Italy and Greece may adjust the present difficulty, or they may fight it out.

In either event, it is our business to keep hands off.

Some claim that we should interfere in European affairs because we owe a duty to civilization. But what if civilization declines to be served?

Europe today is just a great conglomeration of grasping, self-seeking, jealous, intriguing and backbiting nations, awaiting only an opportunity to devour each other.

The last war, which should have taught them a lesson, did not improve matters in the slightest degree. If anything, it made them worse.

Civilization should be preserved and advanced, but that can be accomplished only when honor and a spirit of fairness return to the nations that

are destroying it.

Until then our duty to ourselves demands that we keep out of the engulfing mess.

The man who shoves his hand into a lion's mouth must expect to have it chewed off.

We have no hands to lose.

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SHRINERS CARE FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN



View of the Famous Moslah Temple Mosque on Lake Worth Insert, H. T. Pangburn, Potentate

One of the most beautiful scenic spots in America is the site on which stands the famous Mosque of the Moslah Shrine. Like a gigantic guard on a high bluff overlooking beautiful Lake Worth, this proud edifice rears its head to the skies as a signal to Shriners throughout the entire Southland to come to the Moslah playground and enjoy a day or a week of rest and recreation. The bluffs on the shore line of Lake Worth where the Mosque is situated rise almost perpendicularly 100 feet or more from the water's edge and are thickly thatched and carpeted with trees, shrubs and foliage, affording a setting of beauty unsurpassed.

Indeed it is doubtful if there is another Shrine feature in the whole United States that affords as much real enjoyment to Shriners and their friends as the Mosque at Lake Worth and the continued and rapid increase of its popularity shows that visitors are passing the word along of the royal entertainment afforded by Nobles of the Moslah Shrine to Fort Worth visitors.

An Imposing Structure

The Mosque itself is a most imposing and beautiful structure, designed along semi-Arabic lines; massive, yet graceful in contour; commodious and luxurious in interior fittings and decorations it is truly "a thing of beauty and a joy forever." Ample sleeping and dining accommodations are afforded for 100 guests at a time. Large open air sleeping porches; cool cafe where good home-like service is given; a great home-like living room in which comfort is maintained; a large music room and a ball room in which the largest dance floor in the Southwest affords ample room for 1,000 couples are some of the features of this ideal Shriners' week end retreat. To those who know the Moslah Mosque the vacation problem possesses no difficulties; for a day, a week or a month may be most enjoyably spent among these delightful environs.

Recreation Features

Fishing, bathing, boating, tennis, motoring, hiking and dancing are sports the Mosque affords outdoor enthusiasts, while beautiful broad piazzas and great comfortable living room offer quiet and rest to those of more sedentary habits; but while a popular idea exists and to a great extent justly so, that the Shrine is the playground of Masonry still those who have trekked across the burning sands and donned the emblematic fez wisely mix the serious problems of life with their fun, and, while enjoying the many pleasures afforded by this branch of Masonry the Shriners are thinking of those unfortunates in the world whose outlook on life gives them little to hope for.

Care for Crippled Children

One of the grandest philanthropic

and humanitarian works ever attempted has been inaugurated by the Shriners throughout the jurisdictions in North America. This work consists of the caring for crippled children and it is to the great credit of the Nobles of North America that such a splendid work has been undertaken. The plan has not only been inaugurated, but is well under way and already two of these hospitals have been completed and are performing their works of mercy. The results already accomplished in the two hospitals now in operation will furnish a foretaste of the tremendous benefits which are to flow from this movement when its dozen or more hospitals are in full operation and the trustees state that they believe results will surpass the most sanguine expectations of the most enthusiastic Nobles as the benefit to the nation in the way of rescued wrecks of humanity converted into health producing instrumentalities, dawns upon the realization of those who see beyond the immediate effect upon the individual.

Hospitals are being allocated to points where the largest practical service can be rendered and the work of completion is being rushed with all possible speed.

Building Twelve Additions

All told, twelve hospitals have been decided upon and the points at which these official Shrine hospitals for crippled children, which are being built and are to be supported through the assessment of every Shriner in North America at the rate of \$2.00 per man; are to be located are: St. Louis, Montreal, Portland, San Francisco, Shreveport, Minneapolis, St. Paul (twin cities), Chicago, Rocky Mountain district, Virginia, Pennsylvania and the New England states, while one mobile unit is maintained which is now operating in Hawaii. Some of these hospitals are now under construction, some are yet to be started, but the Shreveport and the Twin Cities hospitals are completed. The Twin Cities' Hospital having been dedicated April 14, 1923, and up to May 1, 1923, reports that 35 boys and 28 girls have been received as hospital patients; 33 operations performed, 16 with casts and one a major operation. This hospital was completed at a cost of over \$320,000.00. The Shreveport Hospital at a cost of \$295,000.00, was dedicated April 20, 1923, and up to this time there have been more than 300 patients examined and about 150 accepted for treatment while more than 60 have been discharged as cured or permanently improved.

It is such great works as these that endear the heart to the wonderful systems of fraternal organizations of the country and prove that "brotherly love" is still the golden rule that rules the world.

needs the weight of their influence to whirl it at a healthy speed.

Too many of the little fellows are weeping, he thinks, while too many of the big ones are looking on.

And lastly, he thinks, the community needs the united efforts of big, little, old and young.

He is too modest to publish his views himself.

We are briefly airing them for him.

When a man is defeated for office it is pardonable for him to question the intelligence of the voters, but he should never annex a grouch.

Yes, we'd like to take a flyer and invest a nickel in German francs, but it not for the fact that we have sufficient space for storage.

Booze running is a dangerous pastime. If a runner isn't mobbed the thirsty he courts death every time he takes a drink.

The wiser the man the greater the fool when a pretty girl has him in tow.

The safest way for a young fellow to ask the old man for his daughter is to hit when he is wearing slippers.

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As Another Sees Us

A friend talked to us for an hour the other day about conditions in this town—as he sees them.

He is a man with an open mind, a quiet student of community affairs, and sees men, women and conditions as they are.

Perhaps to a certain extent he is a moralizer, but in his moralizing he puts his finger on the spot.

He mentioned numerous highly respected citizens who are in the prominent class, but whose prominence seldom impels them to do anything exceptional for community betterment.

In contrast to them he mentioned others who are more humble in their mode of life, yet who are energetic and determined workers for the public weal.

He deplores the lack of co-operation, the petty jealousies, the religious bickerings, and the growing formation of close corporations and social cliques.

He sees in this town the good that comes to our community accomplished by the efforts of a few, working re-

gardless of factional differences while the many are complacent, or indifferent, or willing to have others do the work for them.

He sees, also, a community that should be well up toward the head of its class, yet in reality one that is just drifting along—good, but not as good as it should be; not bad, but decidedly worse than it should be.

And why are conditions as they are? He summarizes thusly:

There are not enough Georges in our midst—not enough people who are willing to forget self for a moment and do something for others.

The town, he says, is full of brains, but those brains are devoted almost exclusively to the advancement of personal interests and pleasures.

He concedes the right of any person to achieve the distinction of becoming a "prominent citizen," but that prominence, he thinks, carries its penalty in the way of proportionate community obligations.

He hopes to see our prominent citizens emerge from their comfortable retirement and put their shoulders again to the community wheel. It

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Too Much and Not Enough

We have too much politics and not enough politicians in this country--we have many followers and not enough leaders.

From coast to coast and from Canada to the gulf we see our political machinery in the hands of a few, controlled by professionals who make use of every known trick in order to prevent the great mass of voters from expressing their free and unhampered will at the polls.

In many cases they regard the public as sheep, expected to follow the bell wether wherever he goes. If you can turn enough tricks for the bell wether you may swallow a political plum as your reward. If not, you will be permitted to vote--as the bell wether suggests. No tricks, no plums. Every voter should be a politician.

a leader. He should study political conditions and insist upon the placing of our best men in public office.

A good Republican is better than a poor Democrat, and a good Democrat is preferable to a poor Republican.

Yellow dogs should not be elected merely because they wear the party collar.

We can't quite understand why Sir Thomas Lipton is so keen to win that American cup. The darned thing is quite empty.

It's patriotic when aimed at the other fellow--persecution when you are the mark.

The fellow who goes back on his friends can never understand why he has so few.

Things to Think About

Some one in this town is tacitly accepted as our foremost booster. He has that reputation because he has earned it in the past, and still continues to boost.

He has a habit of doing things, of accomplishing results, of working for the community while others are content to reap the benefits of what he does.

Whoever he may be, there are others who are jealous of him, who are ready to belittle him, possibly to jab him in the back--because the work that he does is in such contrast to the nothing that they do.

He has his faults, of course, but when the rest of us are without faults it will be time for us to criticize his.

Who is our foremost booster?

Who is the most charitable woman in town. But perhaps you are the one. Anyway, she has a tender heart that is full of compassion, that aches for others in trouble or distress.

If she hears a "story" about some other woman she is not too hasty in swallowing the details and reaching out for more. She gives the other woman the benefit of the doubt, and she hopes that it is not true, or at least that it is exaggerated.

She believes in bringing up her children to be true and honorable, sweet and gentle--quite in contrast to the jazzy training that is transforming so many boys and girls into hardened cynics with an extensive knowledge of worldly ways.

She is always doing something good, and looking around for something else to do.

She's here among us--she's one of us--but who is she?

And, unfortunately, we have the greatest chronic kicker, whoever and wherever he may be.

Nothing pleases him except that which he does or proposes himself, and there isn't much that he does. He prefers kicking to doing.

If fifty of our foremost citizens, representing all shades of political and religious beliefs, were to unanimously agree that a certain thing should be done the kicker would find fault with it. It would be wrong because others considered it right.

The kicker seldom considers a question upon its merits. In fact, he

doesn't do much of any considering at all.

He just winds up his kicker, starts it to moving, and never allows it to stop.

He will go out of this world as he came in, kicking--and but few will kick over his departure.

Have a little of the consideration that he does not possess, and don't name him.

Have we such an attraction as the "worst gossip" in town? Or have we any gossips at all?

Of course you are not expected to name her, because you have troubles enough.

But we're not saying anything more about gossips, because there is nothing left that has not already been said.

Out of their own mouths they are named, labeled, and set aside in a class by themselves.

If Christ lived in this town today what would he do?

He would muzzle the kicker, convert the gossip, ginger up the do-nothings, encourage thrift and enterprise, promote community harmony, commend the booster, cast out the destroyer, and abolish jazz.

But Christ doesn't live here, and it's left for you and others to do the work.

IS IT RHEUMATISM?

Aren't You Really On the Wrong Track?

A good share of so-called rheumatism is caused by weak kidneys. When the kidneys fail to clear the blood of uric acid, the acid irritates the delicate nerves. Torturing pains dart through the affected part whenever it is moved. By strengthening the kidneys, Doan's Kidney Pills have proven their worth in thousands of so-called rheumatic cases, lumbago, sciatica, gravel, and urinary disorders. Doan's are well-known in Crowell and warmly recommended by Crowell people. Read this Crowell case:

J. K. Woods, machinist, says: "Lumbago and rheumatic pains had me in bad shape. Nights my back hurt so I could hardly turn and I couldn't sleep. My back ached and pained all the time and was so sore and lame it hurt. My back and shoulders were lame and stiff, and when I stooped to pick up anything a knife-like pain caught me. Three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills put me in fine shape." 60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Grand Jury Report

Crowell, Texas, Sept. 25, 1923.

To Hon. James V. Leak, Judge 46th Judicial District.

Dear Sir:

We herewith submit six felony indictments which constitute our findings for this term.

We have diligently inquired into all violations of the law called to our attention and it is our judgment that violations of the law are greatly on decrease. We note a total absence of misdemeanor matters and this reflects the efficiency of our peace officers and other officials.

We have concluded our labors and beg that we be discharged.

Respectfully submitted,
H. W. BANISTER, Foreman,
Sept. Term A. D. 1923, Foard County Grand Jury.

Columbian Annual Indoor Picnic

The members of the Columbian Club were most happily entertained Wednesday, Sept. 26, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Kincaid. The occasion being the annual indoor picnic.

Sunflowers were utilized throughout the spacious rooms for decoration, in order to carry out the picnic scheme.

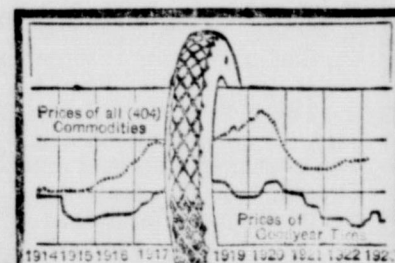
The guests, numbering about thirty, began to arrive at eleven o'clock each bringing some favorite dish. When the hour for dinner was announced the guests were ushered into the dining room where from a table laden with every palatable imaginable, they were served cafeteria style.

Working on articles for the gift-shoppe proved the means of whiling away the merry hours. In the afternoon the hostess read a delightful story contest on authors. Much enthusiasm was evinced in supplying

the missing names.

Those invited to participate in this enjoyable affair other than the club members were Mmes. Furd Halsell and Glen Halsell of Fort Worth and Frank Berna of Houston.--Reporter.

Some people think twice before acting, and then forget to act.



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IN THE MEANTIME

Cotton gathering almost completed. 74,110 bales ginned up to August 25. Broom corn and corn also great yield. Truck is one of our best crops. Canning factories, dairies and creameries, some here, others coming.

AS EFFECTING MARKETING

Dredge is now working at Point Isabel for Deep Water. Mexico has been recognized! Our market will be extended Greatly.

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Our specialty is re-selling where people have over-bought, or where for other reasons they want to sell. There are opportunities here now that will not be here three months from now. If we can serve you, call on the News, or address

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Inactive Liver

"I have had trouble with an inactive liver," wrote Mrs. S. Nichols, of 4412 Spencer St., Houston, Texas. "When I would get constipated, I would feel a light, dizzy feeling in my head. To get up in the morning with a lightness in the head and a trembly feeling is often a sign that the stomach is out of order. For this I took *Theford's Black-Draught*, and without a doubt can say I have never found its equal in any liver medicine. It not only cleans the liver, but leaves you in such a good condition. I have used it a long time, when food does not seem to set well, or the stomach is a little sour."

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THE GREAT SCOURGE OF HALF TRUTHS

By JOHN OAKWOOD

A soapboxer pointed at a great factory. "Who built that factory? Workmen!" he yelled. "Who run the machines? Workmen! Who get the profits? Capitalists!"

The soapboxer told a half truth that amounted to a whole lie. His listeners did not know that that particular factory, typical of thousands of others, was a complete refutation of the lie—if only the other half of the truth were told.

It is true the factory was Capitalized—for a million dollars. The net profits gave annual dividends of 6 per cent, or \$60,000, to the stockholders. All that was true.

But it was also true that the million dollar capital was divided up into ten thousand shares of \$100 each. The ownership of these shares was distributed among about one thousand people. Several hundred of them were workmen in the factory. They were saving out of their weekly wages and buying shares on the installment plan. They were Capitalists.

It was likewise true that shares were also owned by workmen in other factories, by clerical workers and by small merchants. A good many were also owned by widows and orphans whose modest estates had been wisely invested for them by their bankers. They were Capitalists.

It was also true that the factory corporation had issued a million dollars in bonds to raise funds to buy the material and pay the wages of workmen to build the factory. These bonds were owned as investments not only by persons of wealth but also by many people of moderate means who had saved out of their wages and salaries. They were Capitalists.

And it was also true that out of the receipts of the factory, before a cent was taken to pay interest on the bonds, before a penny was used to pay dividends on the stock, a good many dollars were taken to pay wages to the workmen.

The workmen were Capitalists too. They were investing their strength and their talents and their skill in the factory—they were getting their dividends out of its earnings as well as the stockholders and bondholders.

NO BOON IN CHEAP MONEY

One thing that has to be given up is the idea that cheap money is always good for business. Farmers want cheap money, business men want cheap money, stock speculators want cheap money, the U. S. Treasury wants to float government loans on cheap money, socialists, anarchists and old-line greenbackers want very, very cheap money. Everybody feels that when the money rate is shoved up it is an arbitrary damper on prosperity.

But we cannot have both a low rate on money and a stable level of prices. We can have one or the other—not both together for any length of time. A low rate of money means an inflated price level. A stable price level means a fluctuating rate of discount. That is, the public must learn to look at the price level instead of the bank reserves, as their measure of expectation for a rise or fall of the value of money.

Now this fact makes me feel that a mistake is made if we do not fully explain to the public the power already exercised by the bank rate and the Federal Reserve Board and Reserve banks. Our bankers and economists see the bad use that is likely to be made of political control of banking and currency and they try to make the people believe that so intricate a question must be left to experts.

As a matter of fact our present methods encourage the very thing we wish to avoid. We let everybody believe that low rates on money are necessary for prosperity and then when bank reserves run low on account of the effects of this belief, we are suddenly compelled to jump the rates to protect the reserves. We get both a cycle of prices and a cycle of bank rates, whereas, if the public understood that the rise of bank rates should not wait until bank reserves are low, but the rates should be advanced several months ahead for the very purpose of preventing a fictitious prosperity with its inflated price level, then the public might be satisfied to support the administrative regulations which raise the rates at a time when there seems to be no need of doing it.—John R. Commons, University of Wisconsin.

Honors for Club Members

The annual convention, Wisconsin Bankers Association, presented diplomas to fifteen boys and five girls successfully completing four years club work, the first time any state bankers association has taken such action.

ATTENTION, PLEASE!

Services at the Christian Church Sunday, October 7th, as follows:

Bible school 10:00 a. m., communion 11:00 a. m.; preaching 11:20 a. m.; preaching 7:30 p. m.

We earnestly request a full attendance of the entire membership, and respectfully invite every one that might have an interest in these services. We hope to be able to arrange for the winter's work at least, and will need the counsel and advice of the entire membership. Let nothing keep you away from these services. The morning subject will be "Doing our best," and the text is found in Mark 14:8.

We will preach at Vivian in the afternoon at 3:00 p. m. The evening topic will be "Have we been deceived?"

Friends, how nice it would be if our attendance were 100 per cent next Sunday. If you are there it will be perfect. Can we count on you? Do your best and bring a friend with you.

P. R. HUCKLEBERAY, Pastor.

Pebbles Picked Up in Passing

To be fair and just, why should we criticize European nations for settling their disputes by going to war? It's no more than we are doing as individuals right here at home.

A certain class of people decide that they want more pay for their services. Their employers refuse to grant the demand. Then there is a strike—the commercial weapon of warfare—and the fight is on.

Property is destroyed, business suffers, stomachs become empty, sometimes lives are sacrificed, because both sides would rather fight than to submit to unprejudiced arbitration.

There's no league of nations in the American business world, for the amicable settlement of disputes or differences. Instead, there is continual warfare of a devastating kind.

We live in a mighty big glass house over on this side of the water, and the softer we sing the sweeter it will sound.

One unfortunate result of the gathering war clouds is the fact that they are sending a lot of American millionaires and social climbers scurrying home from Europe. They don't want to get caught where they may have to toddle along in a ration bread line.

It's a beastly shame, that's what it is! They were getting along swimmingly while basking in the radiance of royalties and the elect of the old world. Then, too, we ordinary mortals at home were beginning to thoroughly enjoy their absence.

Those millionaire barnacles are worth money to Europe. They are only an annoyance to us.

Banish the war clouds!

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160 acres sandy land farm, 2 1/2 miles north, 1/2 mile west of Amistad, good three room house, well and mill in yard, garage, three small chicken houses, shed, garden fenced, poultry wire, place fenced and crossed fenced. 25 acres good feed crop with place, at \$12.00 per acre, \$400 down and balance 4 years time at 6 per cent interest.—L. F. Roberts, Amistad, N. M.

Worry never removes trouble.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY



By J. L. MARTIN

Ace Doolittle, who has always maintained that he has a legacy coming to him from England, is now so thoroughly convinced that he will get it, he didn't dig his potatoes and even let the hogs eat all of his hickory nuts and acorns.

LEGACY: A popular form of day-dreaming in which the dreamer sees himself about to come into possession of an estate in some foreign country. Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 585.

Ford Reductions

We expect to announce Reductions in Ford Cars next week. Watch for these and take advantage of them.

Make our place of business your headquarters during the Fair

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Taken up on the 1st day of October one sorrel bald-faced horse, about 15 hands and 1 inch tall, about 6 years old, unbranded. One black horse about 14 1/2 hands high, has wire cuts on both feet, about 9 years old and unbranded.

R. J. THOMAS, City Marshal.

"Mussolini has taken Italy, but Italy has not married the whole Mussolini family." That was the unique remark of a brother of the Italian dictator, made in France, when asked why he was not filling a soft berth at home. But of course, he is not an American politician.

Sleepers Made Happy!!

Beds! Beds!! New ones, or old ones made new for \$3.50 at Tarr's Mattress Factory located west of Johnson's Wagon Yard. Will be here until November 1, if business justifies.

Notice

No trespassing or hunting permitted in my pasture.—Furd Halseid.

No good dancer ever steps on the same lady's toe twice in an evening.

And still, calling it "bootleg" is rough on the boots.

Be Sure of the Paint You Buy

Paint, like everything else, is to be found in many grades. Often the customer does not know the quality he is getting until it sticks, or cracks and begins to peel off. We sell only good paint.

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is the kind that gives satisfaction.

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