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## TO HAVE COUNTY FAIR IS PREPARE EARLY

Fairs in Foard County, it is believed, have become a fixed thing in the past. But in order to make a fair what it ought to be we must commence in time. We could expect a good county fair if we commenced two weeks before the fair, but a failure in that case, would be a failure in that case, at the time when we are planting crops. The showing we shall expect to fall will depend on the planting right now. It is that but it will depend upon the cultivation of the crops they have been planted. News just drops these points for the matter to our attention for this is the proper time to think about it. Thinking from present conditions we expect this to be one of our best years for growing farm products of all kinds. Wheat will soon be matured in all probability we shall be showing as fine sample as ever in our history. Good seasons are in the earth and the outlook for crops are splendid, so that we want to see just what our possibilities are in an agricultural line we get busy now. In this connection we would like to say, too, that we ought to be one of the years Foard County does not fail to exhibit at the State Fair. We want all we will to boost the county, talking it up, which is all well, but there is nothing that will help the homeseeker more than the display of farm products. The Panhandle country has been taking high honors in its exhibits at the State Fair the last year or two and this has had much to do with sending the flood of homeseekers to that country. These things tell the tale convincingly to the man who is looking for a new location. It means let Foard County exhibit next fall. Then let's commence now.

## W. P. Garvin Married Saturday In Colorado Springs

W. P. Garvin, pastor of the Methodist church, will return from Colorado Springs where he was married to the former Mrs. Lucile Penn Colorado Springs. The marriage place yesterday at high noon at the home of Mrs. A. Houghton, close friends, in the presence of Mr. Garvin is a very charming man and was the honoree at several of the district and county engagements last week. The engagement was announced. Mr. Garvin was presiding elder of the Vernon circuit for four years and many friends over the district are sending congratulations. He is slated at Hereford this year. The couple met last year when Rev. Mr. Garvin and Dr. and Mrs. Dickenson spent several weeks in Colorado Springs.—Vernon Record.

## Is Tornado Time for Texas

An article of particular interest in this section of the country appeared in last week's issue of the Literary Digest regarding tornadoes. As one who has already occurred in Texas (Oklahoma) it may be valuable to a few of the customs of the tornado which at times is erroneously called a cyclone. The article says that all tornadoes come from southwest to northeast with few exceptions occur in the afternoon. The months of greater activity are March, April and May with a few recorded in June; but never in August or later months. The velocity of the tornado is generally from forty-five to sixty miles per hour while the velocity of the "cone" has been estimated from 300 to 500 miles an hour. Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri lead all other states as to number.—Olney Enterprise.

## Business Starts Up on East Side

E. Flowers is the first business to erect a business building on the east side of the square. The structure is a small frame building which will house Mr. Flowers' battery business. He bought the fourth lot from the east corner from W. R. Womack. Flowers expects to be doing business at his new place soon. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Nislar and Mrs. H. Roberts and small daughter, Elaine, of Gainesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepp. Mr. and Mrs. Nislar left Monday morning for Lubbock for an extended stay with their sons, Oscar and Joe. Mrs. Roberts left Monday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. B. Bone, and husband who came to town for her. She will visit there a week before returning home.

## Robbers' Blow Safe of Post Office at Benjamin Sunday Night

According to a news dispatch in the daily papers Tuesday, robbers broke into the post office at Benjamin through the front door Sunday night. Tools with which to drill had been procured at a local blacksmith shop and the safe to the post office was blown open and robbed. It is stated that the exact amount of money taken can not be determined until an inspector checks up. It is presumed that Benjamin has no night watchman, since a man who is on the job would hardly let such things happen without trying to prevent it. Every town needs a night watchman. No place is too small for robbers to visit, and not frequently they find the small places good picking.

## County Convention Will Be Held Here Tuesday, May 6th

In another column will be found a notice by the county Democratic chairman calling a county convention for Tuesday, May 6th, the purpose of which is to elect delegates to go to the state convention in Waco May 27th. The state convention will elect delegates to go to the national convention to be held in New York City some time in June for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for president of the United States. So that the county convention is very necessary, as also are the precinct conventions tomorrow.

Each county in the state will send delegates to the convention for the purpose of electing delegates for their respective congressional districts, each district being entitled to two delegates to the national convention, then four delegates-at-large are elected by the state convention, so that Texas will have 40 delegates at the national convention.

The state convention bids fair to be an interesting occasion since there is much discussion just at this time over the matter of sending an instructed or an uninstructed delegation. The people are divided over the matter and the discussion has been warming up recently. Governor Neff favors an uninstructed delegation, while it seems that the McAdoo element in Texas favors an instructed delegation. If we understand Governor Neff, he does not oppose an uninstructed delegation under normal conditions, but he thinks it would be unwise at this time, since he does not regard either of the leading candidates for president as representing Southern Democracy, and he thinks the right man might show up at the right time and would then have a chance of being elected by an uninstructed body, while otherwise their hands would be tied.

## New Night Watchman Chosen to Succeed Kenner, Resigned

Boss Kenner has resigned the position of night watchman of Crowell and P. S. Lovelady has been chosen to succeed him. Mr. Lovelady is also given police power.

Mr. Kenner will give his attention to the farm from this time on. He has been a faithful servant of the city, having done his work well. Mr. Lovelady will not be a stranger to the duties of this work, since he has served as city marshal and is well acquainted with conditions that will demand his careful attention as watchman and night policeman.

## GOOD CREEK NOTES (By Special Correspondent)

The good rain of last week insured a good grain crop. Otho Fortner and wife entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night. W. O. McDaniel and family of Crowell were in our community Sunday afternoon. Mr. Goodwin, Tom Davis, Leroy Cox and Rural Scott were Crowell visitors Monday. Dr. Hill of Crowell was out to see Grandpa Jones Monday. He reports his condition unimproved. Mr. Chatfield who is working on the Self garage in Crowell spent the week-end with homefolks. Mrs. Walter Gray has returned to her home at Ralls, having been at the bedside of her father, Mr. Jones, for the past month. Our school will close May 9th with a picnic. We have had a very successful term taught by Misses Glynne Brian and Winnifred Rucker of Crowell. There will be a Mothers' Day program at Good Creek school house on the 11th of May. Everybody invited to come and bring well filled baskets, as there will be dinner served. Dillard Steinbaugh and wife of Eastland County arrived Saturday. Dillard returned Sunday, while Mrs. Steinbaugh will remain for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Speck, and other relatives. Her many friends are glad to know she is recovering from a very lengthy illness.

## BIG RAINS MEAN BEST WHAT CROP IN FIVE YEARS

April will end with a good rain record, according to the gauge at the First State Bank we now have a record of 2.28 inches for the month. All this has fallen within the last half of the month. Commencing with April 13th we had .75 inches, on the 25th .92 and on the 26th .61, making a total for the month of 2.28 inches.

This is not so good as it was for April last year, but in view of the fact that we had a good season up until April makes the precipitation all that is needed for the present.

Last year April gave us 3.97 inches, but it had been too dry up to that time to give that much moisture a chance to do much good. This year we had a fair rain in February amounting to .31 inches and then in March 3.69 inches, making the amount for the first three months of this year 5.68, which is more than the quarter is entitled to give us our annual rainfall of 20 inches, if it were equally apportioned with each quarter.

But the fact that as a rule our wettest months are in the fall of the year, we have a good margin with which to go through the year with the hope of making a good annual record.

The present outlook for crops could hardly be better. The ground now possesses all the moisture it could take care of and crops are not needing any rain whatever. Wheat is just about as good as was ever seen in the country. There are some few fields that have some weeds, but where the land was well prepared before sowing the crop is now pretty and even and has appearances of vigorous life. Another good rain at the right time will be all the wheat men will want. Wheat will be heading generally in a few days.

## Why Governor Neff Refused to Introduce McAdoo to Audience

Governor Neff's refusal to introduce Mr. McAdoo to a Dallas audience, when the latter was making his recent presidential campaign tour of Texas, was not an act of discourtesy on the part of the Texas Governor as so many have been led to believe, judging from the brief newspaper report of the incident. According to the Austin American's report of the affair the Hon. Tom Love, Texas member of the National Democratic Executive Committee and leader of the McAdoo forces, visited the Governor at his office in the State Capitol a few days prior to Mr. McAdoo's appearance in Dallas and proposed to the Governor that the Texas delegation to New York be instructed to vote for him (Gov. Neff) on the first ballot and then swing to Mr. McAdoo, and if this would be agreeable to the Governor he go to Dallas and introduce Mr. McAdoo to his Dallas audience. Governor Neff refused to agree to such an arrangement and that is about all there is to it. Just a refusal from the Governor to agree to Mr. Love's plan of managing the Texas delegation and no intentional discourtesy to Mr. McAdoo at all.—Panhandle Herald.

## WEST RAYLAND NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

Clyde Fox of the Box community spent Monday night with his parents. Frank Butler and wife visited relatives near Crowell Sunday and Monday. Mrs. J. M. Adkins spent last Sunday and Monday with G. W. Adkins and family at Vernon. Mrs. Owen McLarty and children are visiting relatives and friends in Crowell this week. Johnnie Cantrell and family of Floydada came in last week for a visit with relatives at Rayland. Joe Culver and wife came in Sunday from a two weeks stay with their daughter at Lamesa. Mrs. Olmstead left Monday for her home in Taylor County after a visit with her son and family. Mr. Crisp and son, Melvin, and Way Pool are visiting the family of K. B. Pool who now reside at Bay City. Mr. McKinley who has been here visiting relatives for several days left last week for his home at Lorenzo. Dr. Maine of Thalia was called to Rayland Wednesday of last week to see the little son of Berry Green and wife who was very sick. C. J. Fox and family attended church at Rayland Sunday and spent Sunday afternoon with Andrew Duffy and wife in the Box community. Mr. Fuggitt and Ruby Freidgher will leave Wednesday night for Austin where Ruby will be a contestant in the junior declamation contest.

If Uncle Sam were as slow collecting income tax as he is in collecting from his foreign debtors, none of us would need to worry about tax reductions.

J. R. Edgin and son, Tip, returned Wednesday from Fort Worth, where they had been for several weeks, the latter taking medical treatment.

## THE CHILD MUST BE CONSIDERED IN EVANGELISTIC WORK

The theme of the sermon delivered by Rev. T. C. Willett Sunday morning was "Growth with reference to the Kingdom of God."

"Christ is the only great teacher of the world compared with the other world characters of the teaching class," said the speaker, "and he is the only one that places great value upon the child and gives it its rightful place as one to be considered in the work of teaching."

Here the preacher discussed the child at length. "A child can not grow into the Kingdom of God, but it can grow in grace," he said. Coming into the kingdom means that there must be a spiritual birth and there must be a birth before there can be growth and expansion of conscious life.

Attention was given to the part the home may play in bringing the children into the kingdom. Its influence is powerful and parents can find much to do in this matter to fully discharge their responsibility. The reason we are powerless is because we do not use the power given us. Our vision is not what it should be. Our conception of truth is imperfect. We speak of religion, said the speaker as a heavenly religion, while it is all of that, it is also for this world, and in order that we may bring in the kingdom we must bring in the children. We have too long thought that people must become mature in thought before they are eligible to introduction into the kingdom, but that is a mistake, according to the position the preacher takes. Saving the children is bringing into usefulness and service their lives, while saving the adults in snatching brands from the burning and is very important but much of the life of the adult has already been mispent and their service is lost to the Kingdom. While Christ used adult life it was for foundation work.

Our work is to place and keep the children where they belong. That means that the proper estimate must be placed on the child life and a true conception of its possibilities must be had. The reason the world has not been thoroughly evangelized is because we have overlooked the child.

All that the preacher had said was leading up to the Sunday School as an institution the purpose of which is to bring into and train for the Kingdom.

## California Foot and Mouth Disease Becomes More Serious

That the foot and mouth disease now prevalent in many districts of California will ultimately be brought under control is reasonably certain, but it will not be until the loss in livestock has become very great.

Personal communications with individuals in that country confirms the press reports as to these losses. Thousands of livestock have been killed. It is said that no successful treatment has been found for the disease and where one animal in a herd contracts the disease the entire herd is killed as a measure to prevent the further spread of the disease. Thousands of cattle have been shot down. It is also reported that children have contracted the disease through the use of milk from an infected herd.

To prevent the spread of the disease stringent quarantine measures have been put into operation. A dispatch from Phoenix, Ariz., says: "Railroad passengers from California with Arizona destinations will be prohibited after next Monday from bringing any luggage except 'hand baggage' into the state and must submit to inspection and disinfection at fumigation stations under an order issued tonight by the Arizona state board of health. The order, to prevent spread of the foot and mouth disease to Arizona, instructs the carriers not to accept 'into cars of any description, baggage or personal effects consigned to Arizona from California or Lower California.' The railroads are prohibited from accepting any baggage or personal effects requiring transfer from cars within the state, except that 'commonly known as hand baggage.' Passengers bound for Arizona points will be required to detain and submit to disinfection. Passengers 'and their baggage' traveling on trains through Arizona to points outside the state will not be subjected to inspection and disinfection, but will not be permitted to leave trains while in Arizona.

## Missionary Society Will Render Program Thursday, May 8th

Preparations have been made by the Woman's Home Missionary Society for a comedy at the opera house on the evening of May 8th. Programs are being printed naming the title of the play and the characters. The same will be found in this issue of the News.

The proceeds of this play are to be applied on a pledge which the society has made on the church debt.

## Thalia Child Dies on Operating Table

One of the little 14-months old twins of Mr. and Mrs. Joe French of Thalia died on the operating table in Fort Worth Friday morning. The operation was almost concluded when death came, the giving of the ether having been discontinued. This was the third operation the child had undergone for the correction of hair-lip and was the last one it would have been necessary to have.

## Chautauqua Will Begin at Margaret on May the 12th

Dr. Nation of the Cadmean Chautauqua Company was at Margaret last week perfecting arrangements for the chautauqua which begins May 12th and lasts for four days. Margaret has been having a chautauqua for several years and a number of Crowell people have always taken advantage of some of the programs given.

## Chosen Sponsor for Mineral Wells to W. T. C. C. Convention May 13th

According to the Mineral Wells Index, Mrs. John Rider, formerly Miss Marie Gordon of this city, was elected sponsor to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at a regular meeting of the chamber of commerce of Mineral Wells, by a unanimous vote of that body. The W. T. C. C. convenes in Brownwood May 13th. The sponsor or dutchess and mail of honor will represent Mineral Wells at all social events and big pageant, according to the Index.

## Crowell High to Play Wichita Here

Coach D. S. Ramsey announced here Wednesday afternoon that the Crowell high school baseball team will play the strong Wichita High squad here on Friday and Saturday, the 2nd and 3rd.

The Wichita High nine has defeated many of the strongest teams of the state this year and the coach predicts extraordinarily good games. Among the teams that Wichita has played are Amarillo and Vernon.

Crowell played a three game series here with Wichita last year, winning one game and losing two extra inning frays. The Crowell men look forward to a sweet revenge for last year's trouncing and workout under the direction of the coach and Captain Cook has already taken on a new aspect of hard work in preparation for the coming battles with Wichita.

## All Over Texas News

Knox City has let the contract for the building of a high school building at a cost of \$32,000. It is planned to have the building ready for service by September.

Vernon's school board has cut the salaries of some of the teachers including that of the superintendent, which action has aroused quite a bit of discussion, the final result of which is the circulating of a petition asking the board to rescind its action.

The privately owned light plant at Vernon is offering current at 5 cents per kilowatt. Vernon has a municipal plant also.

The Abilene high school building was burned Friday night, the loss being \$75,000. Insurance to the amount of \$49,000 was carried.

Motor vehicle registrations at the end of March totaled 540,821 in Texas. For 1923 at the same time the registrations were 497,226. The State Highway Bulletin predicts that by the end of this year Texas will have gone into the 800,000 class.

According to figures issued by the Bureau of the Census Texas' property values have reached the sum of \$9,850,000,000. Within the last 22 years these valuations have increased more than seven billion dollars.

In Ochiltree County ice was seen Saturday morning as thick as one inch. It is said to be the latest freeze seen in that section for many years and it is feared that fruit has been injured greatly.

Paducah is going after a new water system. Crowell's system was inspected a few weeks ago by a committee from Paducah.

## Knox County Cowboy to Perform Overseas

Benjamin, Knox County, Texas, April 28.—Glen Burnett of Vera, Knox County, was in Benjamin getting necessary papers for a passport which he will use when he sails from New York about the middle of May, with Tex Austin's rodeo performers, who are going to England to stage a rodeo.

Burnett is a Benjamin boy and a nephew of the late S. B. Burnett of Fort Worth, and worked on the 6666 Ranch.

He is taking two horses with him which he will use in the relay races and steer roping. His wife, a daughter of County Treasurer G. L. Earnest, will accompany him and participate in the relay races and trick riding for women.

## Mothers' Day at Foard City Sunday

Next Sunday a Mothers' Day program will be put on at the Baptist church at Foard City and every member is urged to be present to answer to the roll call of members.

There will also be dinner on the ground and the public generally is invited to go and enjoy the day with those people.

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According to information given the News by the county agent, there is some risk in planting seed this year, especially cotton seed, unless one knows what he is planting. In one county on the Plains a test has been made by county agent and it has been found that seed that was shipped in from other places tests from nothing to 65 per cent good. That means that poor seed could be planted and in that case the germination will be poor and with ordinary planting there will be little assurance of a normal stand. The county agent thinks it is very necessary that the farmers know that their cotton seed are good, or if they are not good, they should plant more than they usually plant for a stand. Poor seed he says are almost certain with bolly cotton and if there are farmers who expect to plant cotton seed gotten from bollies they should plant a little more than they would if they had seed from good well matured cotton. A test can be made and the per cent of seed that have the possibilities of germination can in this way be determined. The test is a simple one and any farmer can make it. If any one wishes to know how to do this he should see Mr. Rennels and he will tell you a simple way to do it. It is well also to see that maize and sorghum seed are good before planting. One can judge these by merely making an examination with the eyes. There may be little danger in planting poor grain seed, but one is very likely to plant poor cotton seed.

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## Await Decision in Orient Rates Case

Washington, April 28.—No decision was given Monday by the United States Supreme Court in the case of the Orient Railroad against its connecting carriers, in the appeal from an injunctive order issued in the Federal Court at Denver preventing application of the rate divisions between the Orient and its connections ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The connecting carriers objected to making the divisions on the ground that it would result in reducing their revenues, which plea was sustained by the court at Denver, and from which the Orient appealed, joined by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The case was argued here several weeks ago.

According to Clifford Histed of Kansas City, who recently purchased the Orient Railroad at foreclosure sale, the large issue in the case is whether the Interstate Commerce commission possesses power to aid one railroad out of the revenue for a given service in conjunction with a connecting carrier, to the end that the country as a whole shall have adequate transportation service. It is the contention of the Orient that this is the intent of the transportation act of 1920.

William T. Kemper of Kansas City, who is still operating the Orient as receiver, expressed the belief Monday that a reorganization of the company probably would be completed within a year by English financial interests which were large holders of stock in the company. Mr. Kemper said he was hopeful of development along the line which would facilitate the reorganization of the property and insure it needed business.

Telegrams for Mr. Kemper on Monday told of the development of another oil well at Big Lake, Reagan County, Texas, as marking the opening of an industry that would be a valuable feeder to the property once developed.

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# Every Housekeeper

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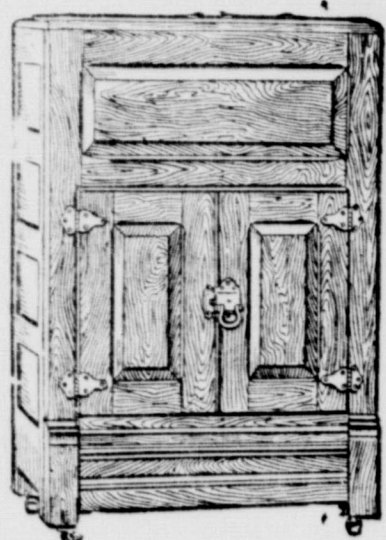
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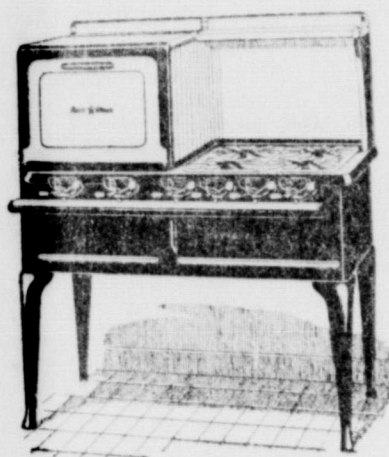
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# W. R. Womack

CROWELL, TEXAS

### ITEMS OF INTEREST OVER FOARD

#### THALIA NEWS ITEMS

(By Special Correspondent)

Luther Ward took his daughter, Miss Lena, to Crowell Monday for medical treatment.

Dr. Hines Clark of Crowell was called to the Joe French home Saturday.

R. B. Edwards of Crowell was here last Thursday looking after business.

Mrs. Fred Rennels of Crowell attended church here Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Phillips were in Vernon Monday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Teddlie.

Dr. R. E. Maine was called to see Mrs. Joe French Sunday.

A. K. Edens and family went to Vernon Saturday to take their niece, Miss Gladys French, to her home.

Mrs. H. W. Banister and sister, Mrs. T. N. Abston, went to Crowell Monday and had dental work done. Their father, J. G. Thompson, accompanied them.

Bro. T. S. Teddlie had to leave the singing here Sunday to go to Tioga where he is to sing for a meeting. A. C. Phillips is leading the song services for the remainder of the meeting.

The Truscott baseball team came over Sunday afternoon to play with the Thalia team. The score was 5 to 7 in favor of the Truscott team.

The Thalia baseball team went to Talmage Monday afternoon. The score was 14 to 11 in favor of Thalia. A very large crowd attended preaching at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mr. Grimsley and family, Joe Richter and family, Grover Phillips and wife and her mother, Mrs. John Sims, Will Wood, T. S. Teddlie, C. E. Woodriddle and J. G. Thompson visited in

Vernon Wednesday evening.

Luther Ward went to Vernon Wednesday after his daughter, Miss Lena, who has been attending the normal at Denton but had to come home on account of ill health.

T. M. Haney went to Dallas Monday. He was accompanied as far as Denton by his wife and three daughters, Misses Velma and Frankie, and Mrs. John Rasor of Crowell. They will visit their daughter and sister, Miss Ruth Haney, who is attending the C. I. A.

Quite a few from Rayland, Talmage, Ayersville and Crowell have been in attendance at the Christian meeting going on here at the tabernacle.

The following Vernon people attended church here Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ruckman and children, Mrs. T. S. Teddlie and son, Pete, and mother, Mrs. Webb, Misses Lacy Bomar, Ina Henderson and brother, Everett, Leona Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Craig and family and Mrs. Craig's mother, Mrs. W. L. Dye of Burk Burnett.

Joe French and daughter, Miss Lora Lee, took one of the little twins to Fort Worth last week for a final operation. Friday the sad news of its death reached its mother who remained at home with the rest of the family. The remains reached here Saturday morning, the funeral being conducted at the home by Rev. Johnston of Margaret, after which interment took place in the Thalia cemetery. The floral offerings were beautiful. The entire community joins in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

Bryan French of Rayland spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and attended church at the tabernacle.

Tom L. Johnson of Meadow, S. A. Davis of Lorenzo and Clara Phillips of Clarendon attended services of the Christian meeting Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Adams and son, Harry, of Crowell were here for church Sunday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble the 27th a fine baby girl whose name is Gladys Beatrice.

Eva Cato is adding two new rooms and a porch to his house this week.

Marion Kenny of Cisco came in Saturday night to visit his sister, Mrs. H. N. Thompson.

#### AYERSVILLE NEWS

(By Special Correspondent)

S. A. Davis of Lorenzo visited relatives and friends here and at Thalia from last Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Charlie Gamble of Walters, Okla., spent last Sunday night with his cousin, Will Gamble, and family.

Vernon Pyle purchased a new Ford touring car last Saturday.

Vestal Ayers and wife of Crowell were at the pie supper at the school house last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. Hunt attended a Methodist conference in Vernon Sunday.

Tom Wayland and wife and Frank Gamble and family attended the rodeo at the Triangle Ranch near Iowa Park last Saturday.

W. B. Durham and family of West Rayland spent Sunday with Mr. Harrison and family.

There was a pie supper at the Ayersville school house last Wednesday night. The proceeds were used in buying an organ for the school house.

A large crowd attended the singing at the school house Sunday afternoon. There will be singing again next Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come out and help with the singing. Some new books have been ordered.

Sim Gamble and family spent Sunday with Will Tarver and family near Thalia.

Mrs. Ed. Peacock has been sick the past week.

Miss Trudie Patton of near Crowell is quite sick with the measles at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Farrar.

The Crowell baseball boys came out and played the Gambleville boys Monday afternoon. The score stood 15 to 8 in favor of Gambleville.

J. W. Davis, wife, Ralph and little Geneva Davis spent Monday with John Bradford and wife north of Margaret.

Mrs. Will Gamble visited Mrs. Lizzie Henderson, a patient at the Crowell sanitarium, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pyle have been attending the Baptist meeting in Crowell the past week. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Homer Zeibig Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Allston and children of Thalia and the families of Will and Alfred Derrington were fishing on Mule Creek Monday afternoon.

Will Gamble, wife and son, Perry, attended the rodeo at the Triangle Ranch Thursday of last week and last Sunday.

Dave Shultz Jr. visited in the Liberty community near Quanah last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bond of Margaret spent Sunday with J. L. Short and family.

At the Christian Science Chapel Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Testimonial services Wednesday at 8:15. Subject for Sunday, May 4th, "Everlasting Punishment." The public is cordially invited to attend.

**Judge's Notice of Election**  
The State of Texas,  
County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of May, 1924, at (a) Ayersville school house in (b) Common School District No. 11 of this county to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said

district with the (c) Margaret No. 6 and Jameson No. 10, School Districts thereby forming the (d) Margaret Consolidated Common School District No. 6 of this County.

H. L. Shultz has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally quali-

fied voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For Consolidation."  
And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:  
"Against Consolidation."  
Dated this 15th day of April, 1924.  
JESSE OWENS,  
County Judge of Foard County, Texas.

## SPRING GROCERIES

The minute a new vegetable is ready for the the market we have it. And we select for our trade only the finest and most wholesome.

For we have a particular trade and it is to that trade that we cater.

If you are hard to please in Groceries, try us. Telephone orders given as much attention as though you called yourself. We deliver.

Make our store your buying place for Easter Groceries

## FOX & SON

In Ringgold Bldg.  
Will deliver in City Limits

### The Same Old Story

Every tire dealer tells you how good his tires are—rather natural, don't you think? Still there is a wide difference in the quality and service of tires.

Better Find Out More About—

GOODRICH,  
HOOD,  
SEIBERLING.

Sold exclusively by Mack's Filling Station.

## Mack's Filling Station

C. C. McLAUGHLIN, Prop., Phone 230

### 'Nothing Like Their Steaks'

Thus do our customers refer to our meat.

You'll agree with them if you patronize this meat market and get a sample of the tender, juicy steaks that we have for sale. The choice cuts we offer will long remain a pleasant memory. Delectable beef and pork roasts. The best quality bacon.

People enjoy trading here because they know quality is not sacrificed.

Bert Bain



# Picnic Time Is Here

Of course you are going to go out on an occasional picnic, maybe just a little outing for a few hours on the creek banks under the shade of the trees. That's fine, isn't it?

Everybody owes himself such brief seasons of recreation and joy. He works better next day. He is happier and he is in position to make others happier.

But when you go out on the little "jaunt" don't fail to make its joy complete by selecting from our store a picnic menu.

We have one of the completest stocks of groceries in town and will take great pleasure in helping you select that picnic lunch.

## Haney-Razor Gro. Co.

At Elliott Stand, North Side

### Dr. Hines Clark

Physician and Surgeon

Office Russell Building over Owl Drug Store

Office Tel. 27 Res. Tel. 62

Coolidge could settle a police strike in Boston, but a striking senate presents a much more formidable problem.

The country will probably celebrate "Tax-Cut Week" much more enthusiastically when taxes are cut.

Stop, look and listen is a good rule to follow in life, much less at railroad crossings.

Nothing seems to be permanent any more except changes in the tax law.

Men who never forget boys have their reward on earth.

### FOARD CITY ITEMS (By Special Correspondent)

F. R. Lefevre of Foard City went to Weinert last Saturday to attend the funeral of his brother, Vick Lefevre, who was killed by lightning Friday of last week.

Next Sunday, May the 1st, will be Baptist day in Foard City. Preaching Saturday and Sunday at 11 a. m., dinner on the ground Sunday, baptizing some time in the afternoon. Also preaching at 7:30 p. m. Everybody who will come and partake of the feast.

Rev. Russell was called to Anson, Jones County, last Wednesday to see his son whom he had not seen in many years.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Marts of Vernon visited relatives and friends in Foard City last week.

Grady McLain has bought the store building owned by his father, Hugh McLain, and is going to stock it with groceries.

Mrs. Bender was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Geo. Mills has been on the sick list with a bad cold.

Miss Alta Johnson is not doing so well since her operation.

Crops are looking fine in this part of the country.

W. O. Miles went to Crowell Monday.

E. V. Halbert went to Weinert last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Lefevre.

Mr. Hart has rented the Barney Lefevre house in Foard City and will move his family into it.

Dr. C. Macumber is in very poor health and has been for some time.

Epworth League Sunday night at 6:30.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Joy have almost recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia.

### VIVIAN ITEMS (By Special Correspondent)

Sister Pair of Altus, Okla., preached at Vivian Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

H. Young and son, Roy, and A. T. Fish made a business trip to Crowell Monday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dishman a fine girl on the 24th of April.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and children were visitors in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

T. W. Cooper and J. M. Sosebee made a business trip to Crowell Saturday morning.

E. L. Redwine is improving rapidly from a serious case of pneumonia.

Arthur Sandlin, M. H. Bishop, J. F. Torres and Mrs. M. E. Boren were in Crowell Saturday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Foster took Mrs. George Bishop to the doctor Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walling and daughter, Bernice, of near Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in our community. They

were accompanied home by Mrs. Walling's mother, Mrs. J. E. Fish.

Miss Pearl Saunders of Crowell is visiting Miss Maye King this week.

W. E. Wheeler of Crowell was in our community Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish were visitors in Crowell Tuesday.

G. J. Benham made a business trip to Crowell Tuesday morning.

Our community was visited by a good rain Friday.

Mr. Matthews of Quannah was in our community Monday and Tuesday.

### BLACK COMMUNITY NOTES (By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jonas spent last Thursday visiting Jim Simmons and family.

A nice rain struck this section of the country last Thursday night and Friday.

There was a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley Saturday night which was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Andress, G. W. Andress and Miss Minnie Douglas spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Rasberry at Vivian.

Mrs. J. M. Clifford of Vernon is here visiting relatives and friends.

The spelling match at the Black school house Friday night was called off on account of the weather.

Arthur Parker of Burk Burnett is here visiting his mother, Mrs. W. D. Stubblefield.

### Judge's Notice of Election The State of Texas, County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of May, 1924, at (a) Jameson school house in (b) Common School District No. 10 of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the (c) Margaret No. 6 and Ayersville No. 11 School Districts thereby forming the (d) Margaret Consolidated Common School District No. 6 of this county.

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Dated, this 15th day of April, 1924.

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County Judge of Foard County, Texas.

## KLENZO DENTAL CREME

For White Teeth Healthy Gums and a Clean Mouth



### Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic

A scientific preparation for the mouth, teeth, gums, throat, nose, skin and mucous surfaces, and a valuable aid in the treatment of Pyorrhea.

Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic, diluted, should be used as a mouth wash after cleaning the teeth. The cool, slightly puckering sensation will give you the feeling that something beneficial is taking place in your mouth—and it is. A daily use of Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic will promote a healthy condition of the mouth, gums and teeth.

Bad breath is the most embarrassing of all afflictions. The regular use of Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic is particularly effective in correcting this condition.

Those who suffer from bad breath are rarely conscious of it. Therefore, take no chances, use Klenzo every day.

## FERGESSON BROS.

Only at *Rexall* Stores

### Senior League Program

Leader—Mrs. Yoder.

Subject—The Chapter and the Council.

Hymn.

Scripture—Mark 10:42-45; Neh. 4:6.

Prayer.

Piano solo—Jewell Brown.

Business session—Sam Mills.

Team work—Emmabelle Hunter.

The sacrifice hit—Fanny Horn.

Keeping in trim—Katherine Clark.

Review—Song—Benediction.

Florence oil cook stoves burn less oil and give a hotter fire.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Have you ever noticed that it makes a liar angrier to be called a liar than it does an honest man?

### 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

### CONTRACT WORK

See me individually for your contract work. I shall be glad to make estimates on any kind of carpenter work you want done.

H. D. POLAND



"American Beauty" is a very fitting name for the famous flour that has stood the severest test of millions of housewives for the past several years. It makes beautiful, light, snow-flake, crisp biscuits because it is made right and made from good material.

"American Beauty" has a reputation to guard and for that reason its makers seek not only to keep up its high quality but to improve it if that ever becomes possible.

"American Beauty" is the flour that appeals to those of an appreciation for quality bread, and one of the best things is that they always find it the same.

We handle this celebrated flour. Let us put you on our list of customers who always call for "American Beauty" first.

We will buy your produce and pay you the highest market price for it.

## Matthews-Crawford Grocery Co.

# Have the Old Binder Repaired

Have you thought about it?

Harvest time is about here. Only a few more days and you will have to start the binder.

Better see right now what canvas repairing it needs and let us put it in shape for you. Bring it in and have it done now before you forget it and before the rush comes.

## Crews-Long Hardware Co.



# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, May 2, 1924

The News remembers that every drilling project it has ever boosted in this county has resulted in bringing in a dry hole and these holes in every instance have proven to be worthless, not even good for post holes and would not bring ten cents per thousand feet if put on the market. Therefore we have preferred to await developments in the case of the well now being drilled on the Hallsell ranch. We understand that a depth of several hundred feet has been reached and that indications are good for the bringing in of a well some of these days. Really we would like for the thrill of oil discovery to come with little previous noise. It is enough to say just now that the drillers are getting closer every day to where oil ought to be, which is about all any one can say.

Mr. McAdoo may be the greatest man in America and he may be eminently fitted for the presidency but it is likely that he and his friends will have a hard time convincing the people that he is. They can't get it out of their heads that he has been keeping late hours with bad company.

The self-opinionated fellow is usually too small to contain even himself, as small as he is, and so he, unrestrained, splutters before the public and gains recognition like a gnat buzzing in one's ear.

Bossism declines with the increase of intelligence and democratic principles rise to the ascendancy in matters of government. This is true from precinct to national affairs.

What has become of the old-fashioned girl in whose cheeks nature drew the crimson hue of the full-blown rose? She's before the mirror dabbing her face with paint.

The political orator who is saying today "send me to Washington that I may turn the rascals out," may next year have to be turned out himself. Who knows?

At this period of the world's history when we are having "Mothers' Day," let no one think strange because we do not have "Fathers' Day." He's had his.

And if all the women get to wearing bobbed hair they need not complain if the men go to wearing long hair. One looks about as well as the other.

The speeder may get there quicker than the other fellow but so far as we are able to ascertain they could have gotten along as well without him.

Education broadens the mind; Christianity enlarges the soul and the two lift humanity out of itself and make it a power for real service.

It is said the Mexicans place their dead in pigeon holes. Maybe they think they will sprout wings before resurrection day.

And if they don't choose a "dark" horse what kind of an animal will it likely be? Hope it's not one of the long-eared kind.

It looks like one's neighbors are getting mighty scarce when he doesn't have the opportunity of lending them something.

It has just dawned upon us why any one will oppose paving a street. It's easy enough, he can go around it.

Most soft-job hunters travel a rocky road that starts nowhere and leads only to hard experience.

"What was that?" asked little Johnny as he and his father met a high-headed fellow strutting up the street.

"Why, that was a bigot, son."

"A big goat?" I've heard of 'em before but I never saw one. Looks like the Lord was tryin' to make a man and changed his mind."

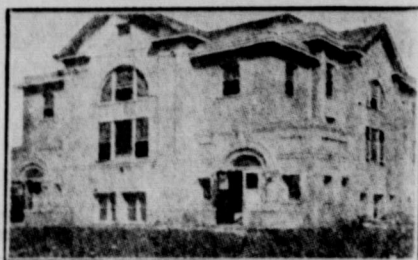
## The Same Old Story

Every company tells you how good its products are—rather natural, don't you think? Still, the fact remains, there is a wide difference in petroleum products, in prices and performance.

Pierce Oil Corp. simply says, our products are worth the money. Made honestly with a lasting purpose—to satisfy. A large and highly developed organization giving direct service and personal attention.

## Pierce Oil Corp.

GEO. HINDS, Agent  
Office Mack's Filling Station  
Day phone 230 Night phone 86



Methodist Church T. C. Willett, Pastor

### The Church with a MESSAGE and a WELCOME

11 A. M. — Services — 7:30 P. M.

### Rev. O. P. Clark Presiding Elder

will preach Sunday morning at the Methodist church.

He will hold the third quarterly conference while he is here.

No services at the evening hour on account of Baptist revival.

### MARGARET NEWS (By Special Correspondent)

The quarantine has been lifted and as soon as our sore arms are well we shall have forgotten our small pox epidemic. We are certainly glad there were so few victims.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Middlebrooks and children, Mrs. W. B. Taylor and children and Mrs. Monte Mudd motored to Vernon Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Taylor and children visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Ferebee, and attended the Woman's Missionary conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas and small daughter visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor of Chillicothe announce the arrival of Henry Alvin Taylor at their home April 26th.

Mrs. M. E. Cherry left this week for an extended visit with her mother in Bowie, Texas.

Dr. Nation, advance man for the chautauqua, was here Thursday and Friday greeting old friends and meeting new ones. He tells us the chautauqua programs this year are better than we have ever had before.

Rev. McNair of Thalia has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church here and will move his family here in the near future. We are indeed glad to have these splendid people come to our community.

Norman, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Hunter, narrowly escaped death Monday afternoon when he fell down the elevator shaft. He was almost completely scalped and badly bruised but he is recovering nicely at this writing.

Ab Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Bond and Mrs. Alvin Hysinger went to Electra Saturday to visit with Mrs. Ab Dunn who is there for surgical treatment. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Goodman and children went to Iowa Park Sunday to attend the rodeo at the Burnett ranch.

Rev. T. M. Johnston and family attended the district conference in Chillicothe Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodman and granddaughter, Loraine, and Mrs. Alvin Hysinger went to Rayland Wednesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Bill Crisp.

Mrs. S. B. Middlebrooks and son, Billy Jake, went to Chillicothe Thursday to visit in the home of J. H. Taylor and family.

We are glad to report Uncle Jake Middlebrooks convalescing after a serious illness. We hope he will soon be able to attend to business again.

### Blanket, Quilt and Pillow Special

For two weeks, from April 21st to May 1st, we make the following special prices on bedding. Have your quilts, blankets and pillows washed before storing for the summer.

Quilts	25c.
Single Blankets	15c.
Double Blankets	25c.
Pillows	25c.
Feather Beds	\$2.00.

We use soft water.—Queen Steam Laundry, phone 258.

King Tut garters are said to be the latest. We never supposed he wore 'em.

The trouble with most fish yarns is that they ravel.



**BILIOUSNESS—SICK HEADACHE.** Call for an NR Tablet, (a vegetable aperient) to tone and strengthen the organs of digestion and elimination. Improves Appetite, Relieves Constipation.



Used for over 30 years. Get a 25¢ Box.

**Chips off the Old Block**  
NR JUNIORS—Little NRs  
One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.  
SOLD BY YOUR DRUGGIST  
FERGUSON BROS.

# Better Cultivating

## Makes Better Crops

### John Deere And Oliver Cultivators

Make it easy work.

Let us supply your needs.

## M. S. Henry & Co.

### Results That Last!

Proven by Crowell People

Thousands of kidney sufferers have tried remedy after remedy with only temporary benefit. That's mighty discouraging! But one kidney remedy has earned a reputation for lasting results and there's plenty of proof right here in Crowell.

Read the experience of one who used Doan's Pills years ago and now makes his endorsement even stronger.

A. L. Johnson, prop. feed store and wagon yard, Crowell, says: "My back ached with a steady, bearing-down pain. When I stooped a sharp pain caught me and I could hardly straighten. I couldn't sleep well nights, either. Mornings, my back was sore and lame and sometimes I got so dizzy I could hardly see. I had a dull headache, too, and my kidneys acted irregularly. Doan's Pills fixed me up in fine shape." (Statement given April 8, 1919.)

On February 18, 1924, Mr. Johnson said: "Doan's Pills gave me a lasting cure."  
60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

### Judge's Notice of Election

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T. P. Hunter has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

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**Notice**  
No trespassing or hunting permitted on my pasture.—Furd Halsell, Jr.  
The newest in gingham.—Self's.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For County Judge: JESSE OWENS.
- For County and District Clerk: MRS. GRACE NORRIS.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: L. D. CAMPBELL, R. B. BELL.
- For County Treasurer: MISS EMILY PURCELL, MAYE ANDREWS.
- For Tax Assessor: G. A. MITCHELL.
- For Public Weigher Justice Prec. 1: GEORGE ALLISON, G. L. COLE, E. A. DUNAGAN, TOM JOHNSON.
- For Commissioner Precinct 3: TOM CALLAWAY.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. B. WISDOM.
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1: N. P. FERGUSON.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: W. F. THOMSON, A. T. FISH, R. N. BEATTY.
- For Representative, 114th District: G. M. BRYAN, E. L. COVEY.

Some men who marry for good or worse think they get nothing but worse.  
As a general rule, poor pianists are good cooks.

One nice thing about radium is it never has any secrets.

### FEDERAL EXTRA SERVICE TIRES



### Blue Pennant Cord

Positively the BEST tire we have ever sold. And the low price will surely please you.

Quick Service Station  
Northeast Cor. Square

# ITCH!

MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION

IF "HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch your druggist is fully authorized to return to you the purchase price.  
A Medford, Oklahoma man, among thousands who praise HUNT'S SALVE, says:  
"Some people dislike to call it the Itch, but case-dor compels me to admit I had it badly. Your Hunt's Salve, however, cured me after many other remedies had totally failed."

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) are especially compounded for the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter and other itching skin diseases, and is sold on our money-back guarantee by all reliable drug stores.  
Remember, if it fails it costs you nothing, so give it a trial at our risk.

OWL DRUG STORE





THE CHECK BOOK IS THE UNIVERSAL "PASS."

You've undoubtedly often wished you had a pass on the railroad to take trips, or a pass to the theatre to see the shows.

When you have a check book backed by an account at this bank you have the "pass" to all these things.

It's the best book in the world for convenience, for systematic orderliness, for genuine happiness. You should have a checking account.

We welcome new accounts. Call and speak to any one of our officers.

THE BANK THAT BACKS THE FARMER

**THE BANK OF CROWELL**  
(UNINCORPORATED)

CAPITAL 1,000,000 CROWELL, TEXAS

J.W. BELL, PRESIDENT  
T.A. BELL, ACTIVE V. PRES.  
S.B. BELL, CASHIER

Gingham week at Self's. Everfast gingham.—Self's. S. S. Bell was in Vernon Wednesday. National Gingham Week specials at Self's.

Get Edison lite bulbs from M. S. Henry & Co.

Make old linoleums look new. Kyanize linoleum varnish.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Gasoline that fully meets your requirements as a motor fuel at Ivie's Station. 44

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

For sale or trade for a Ford car, a Maxwell truck, A1 condition.—W. D. Wilkins, Hi-Way Garage. tf

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. Baxter Johnson and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.

I will make the season with my jack at the farm 2 1/2 miles west of Crowell. Price \$6.00 per season.—A. F. Cannon. 46p

Butter—Delivered Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at Haney-Rasor Gro. Co. Every pound guaranteed.—W. L. Ricks. tf

T. P. Reeder, A. M. Loughmiller and S. E. Scales attended the Shrine ceremonial of Moslah Temple in Ft. Worth last Friday.

Rev. T. C. Willett and wife attended the services of the annual conference of the Woman's Missionary Society at Vernon Monday.

Col. C. T. Herring of Amarillo was here the first of the week looking after his ranch interests in the west part of the county.

Mrs. C. A. Adams was called to Olustee this week on account of the serious illness of one of the children of her sister, Mrs. Harrison.

Bax Johnson is having a shingle roof put on his house this week which he recently bought from Henry Gribble. L. I. Saunders is doing the work.

If you have lost something, want to buy or sell some particular article, there is no quicker way to get it before the people of the county than by advertising it in the News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier were called to Knox City last Thursday on account of Mrs. Lanier's sister, Mrs. George Foster, undergoing an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Lanier who remained with her sister returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hughston, Mrs. J. E. Harwell, Miss Emily Purcell and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Yoder, J. W. Beverly were in Vernon Sunday to attend annual conference of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Northwest Texas Conference.

Judge Jesse Owens made a trip to Austin last week, returning Monday, to get the Thalia school bonds approved and to deliver some drouth relief warrants. An error in the printing of the bonds is expected to cause a few days delay in starting the work.

Strayed or Stolen, on the night of April 29th from Fite Crowell's farm near Foard City one bright sorrel mare with star in forehead, both fore feet have wire cut scars, about 14 hands high, age 5 years. Branded T on left thigh. Will pay liberal reward. Notify R. J. Thomas, City Marshal, Crowell, Texas.

Saturday gingham day.—Self's. Rooms for rent.—Mrs. Alice Cowan. 46p

Wood for Sale. See Marion Hughston.

For quick results use want ads in the News.

Tomato plants 50c per hundred.—Mrs. S. E. Norris. 47

Edison lite bulbs make a brighter light.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Be sure pure water goes into your battery. We have it.—Swaim's Garage.

Mrs. M. L. Hughston and Mrs. T. M. Beverly were in Vernon Tuesday shopping.

Mules for sale—I have some good mules for sale from 3 to 6 years old.—J. D. Johnson. tf

Tomato plants ready for transplanting at 50c per 100. Pepper 20c per dozen.—Mrs. Lee Ribble. 45p

Mrs. Lawrence Kimsey left Wednesday for Ft. Worth to visit her mother, Mrs. F. W. Huffman.

Bill Taylor came in Monday from Rawlins, Wyo., to visit his sisters, Mrs. Will Russell and Mrs. Carl Wishon.

Mrs. J. H. Self is leaving this week for Boulder, Colorado, where she will spend the summer, remaining until September. Her daughter, Miss Winnie, will get her A. B. degree in the state university there this spring.

Service

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April 28 to May 3

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at Self Dry Goods Co. you will find 10,000 yards of the best known brands in gingham, involving more than 100 different patterns. All new, crisp, dainty effects that will please the most fastidious.

EVERFAST GINGHAM CLOTH

Everfast gingham do not fade. All the pretty new lavenders, pinks, yellow, orchid and tans. Price per yard, 50 cents.

1,000 yards 25 cent gingham Saturday, per yard, 19 cents. 500 yards 10 cents per yard.

Come, buy your gingham from us during the National Gingham Week.

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Local and Personal

ginghams.—Self's. All for sample.—A. L. Johnson. 45p

Ever cultivators.—M. S. Henry & Co.

100 yards 25c gingham Saturday at Self's.

Hand furniture at Ringgold's city store.

Run a local want ad. in the News. Get results.

Tracking done—any place, any time.—C. J. Yoder. tf

Ever cultivators cultivate better. M. S. Henry & Co.

Every butter at 50 cents per pound. Matthews-Crawford Gro. Co. tf

For Sale—5-room house including acres of land.—W. H. Dunn, 45p

Spangled Sussex eggs for sale, 50c per setting.—Otho Green at Drug Store.

Still have Texaco lubricating oil, grease, any grade, any quantity, cheap as you can get anywhere.—F. Ivie. 44

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Mules for sale—I have some good mules for sale from 3 to 6 years old.—J. D. Johnson. tf

Tomato plants ready for transplanting at 50c per 100. Pepper 20c per dozen.—Mrs. Lee Ribble. 45p

Mrs. Lawrence Kimsey left Wednesday for Ft. Worth to visit her mother, Mrs. F. W. Huffman.

Bill Taylor came in Monday from Rawlins, Wyo., to visit his sisters, Mrs. Will Russell and Mrs. Carl Wishon.

Mrs. J. H. Self is leaving this week for Boulder, Colorado, where she will spend the summer, remaining until September. Her daughter, Miss Winnie, will get her A. B. degree in the state university there this spring.

10,000 yards gingham.—Self's. 500 yards good gingham 10c yard at Self's.

White enamel cups and saucers.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Wheat chops at \$1.90 per hundred at the Bell Grain Co.

For sale a good five-room house close in.—H. L. Kimsey.

The little brown jug keeps liquids cold or hot.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For sale or trade, small threshing machine.—S. B. Middlebrook, Margaret. 46p

Kyanize linoleum varnish keeps your linoleum looking new.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Lost—Blue raincoat between Rayland and Crowell. Leave at News office and get reward of \$1.00.

For sale 4-room house, 2 blocks of court house. Small cash payment, rest in small monthly payments.—Leo Spencer. 45

Dr. Hines Clark and W. S. J. Russell made a trip to Dallas last Friday where Mr. Russell took treatment from a specialist.

For sale cheap one second hand Overland car. For information enquire at the Collins Wagon Yard.—J. E. Collins. tf

I have taken the agency for the Texas Company and want a portion of your trade. Day phone 79, night phone 127.—Percy Ferguson. tf

Mrs. J. H. Cope and children of Quanah were here Wednesday afternoon visiting Mrs. Cope's mother, Mrs. Check, and other relatives.

For sale a John Deere binder, 6 ft., has cut only about 75 acres of wheat, in good shape.—Tom Vecera, two miles and a half southeast of Crowell. 47p

Floyd Thomas had the misfortune of falling and fracturing his right arm Wednesday afternoon. He was running at the time and fell on a wooden sidewalk at his home near the school house.

Notice

I am still in the real estate business but have been out of town for some time. Have bargains in farms, ranches and town property. Make a specialty in exchange deals, have a number of satisfied customers. What have you to trade, and what do you want? See me.—J. W. McCaskill.

Mattress Factory

We make over old ones; make new ones any size. See our ticking before you buy. We also have the quick drying auto paint, or will paint your car cheap. Located two blocks north and one west of standpipe.

Newest in gingham at Self's. For sale or trade one good second hand wagon.—W. A. Matthews.

No fishing, hunting or trespassing allowed on my place.—Mrs. T. J. Bell. 48

Buy something that lasts—white enamel cups and saucers.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Ed Banta left Sunday for San Angelo where he will have employment on the railroad. He disposed of his household goods but has not sold his home.

The News has printed a new supply of notes and mortgages and can supply you with these.

INSURANCE

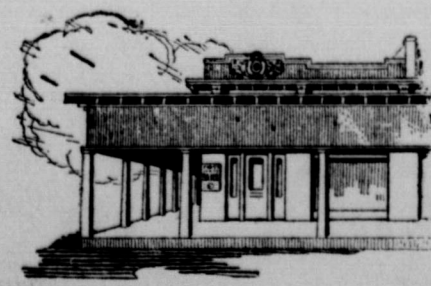
Fire, Tornado, Hail, Etc. Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin

For Personal Benefit

The worth of this Bank to you is found in the help and service it affords you in safeguarding your money and enabling you to make the best use of it; extending to you careful and considerate attention; offering you every facility and means for handling your money.

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Our customers say they find real joy in banking here. There is a generous spirit of co-operation manifested for everyone, whether they be depositors or borrowers.



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Smokers find delight in the fragrance of our tobacco and the satisfying qualities of our cigars. Pipe lovers are sure to find what they want here.

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The wholesale market offers many grades, but only the best and most reliable find their way to our store. We can convince you.

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A large variety of home remedies is always at your disposal in cases too mild to justify calling a physician. Prescriptions accurately filled.

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Pure ice cream is wholesome. When properly frozen, it is delicious. When you buy it here, it is both wholesome and delicious.

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PENSLAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS PHONE 27



What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to help his wife clean house?

Some senators want to cut Mellon off the payroll and he refuses to be sliced.

## Nothing Too Good for Our Patrons

We have just installed a WAYNE WATER SOFTENER that furnishes us 18000 gallons of water a day as soft as rainwater to wash your clothes in. This machine is of the latest make, and uses no chemicals in softening water. A special grade of mineral sand and common salt is used to keep the sand pure.

We appreciate your patronage, and are sparing no effort or expense to make the Quannah Laundry the best in the State of Texas.

We will more than welcome you as a visitor to our plant at any time.

### Quannah Steam Laundry

PHONE 256

(Note our ad for blankets, pillows, etc., this issue.)

FOR GASES, OILS AND GREASES of Highest Quality FOR TRACTORS and AUTOMOBILES

See the TEXAS COMPANY Percy Ferguson, Agent Call Me at Ferguson Bros.

## MILL PRODUCTS

of High Quality

Our reputation has been built on the merit of our products and must be maintained that way. We are not pleased unless you are.

BELL GRAIN COMPANY Phone No. 124

## GROCERIES

To Our Customers, Friends and the Public in General: We take this method of putting before the people of Crowell and surrounding country some of our regular prices on staple groceries based on the present market.

Now we would not have you get the idea that this is a Special Sale for it is not, but what we quote here are our regular prices and all we ask is that you look over this list and see if it is not just a little cheaper than you have been paying. The cash is what makes the goods go cheap.

Sweet Pea Flour, every pound fully guaranteed, 100 pounds for	\$3.60
Best cane sugar, 9 pounds for	\$1.00
Spring Garden Peas, No. 2 size, 1 dozen cans	\$1.75
A No. 1 Canned Corn, 1 dozen	\$1.75
Best Full Head Rice, 12 lbs. for	\$1.00
Best 60-70 Prunes, 10 lbs. for	\$1.00
Choice Quality Pinto Beans, 12 lbs. for	\$1.00
Penick & Ford, "Penick" Syrup, 10 lb. bucket	.75c
Louis Steel Cut Coffee, 3 lb. can	\$1.35
Bull Peaberry Steel Cut Coffee, 1 lb. package	.30c
Dairy Milk, the pure food milk, small size, 1 doz.	.85c
Good Sugar Cured Bacon, per pound	.22c
Swift's Quick Naptha Soap, 25 bars	\$1.00

We always pay the highest price for eggs and poultry. Now paying 17c per lb. for hens.

Give us a trial order. Once a customer always a satisfied customer.

We are doing business on a cash basis but customers who care to let their bills run to the first of the following month will be taken care of. Will deliver to any point in the city.

Our slogan—"Good goods, low prices, courteous treatment, and good service." Your for more business.

## Standard Gro. Co.

WILBURN AYERS, Mgr.

### FARMS MUST EARN MORE

There are several reasons why farm earnings are showing a decline partially due to economic discontent and political agitation.

Statistics show that large numbers of tenant farmers have accumulated funds out of farm earnings toward becoming farm owners, but the process is slow and one of considerable difficulty.

Desirability of farm land is not enhanced by too much academic discussion about employing family labor without wages, or underestimating the value of such labor.

All reports show that tenants or farm owners having good sized families, and largely employing family labor on the land, are more prosperous and successful than farm operators without families.

Where the tenant has no family labor from which to increase his margin of return over necessary expenditures, he carries an additional handicap in this struggle to become a farm owner.

The same general fact holds true with those who own farms but are compelled to employ all their labor at present prevailing high wages.

### CLEAN MONEY

People have a habit of calling it "filthy lucre," but really it is not so filthy, because Uncle Sam has a custom of washing his money with the precision and care that the fastidious housewife uses in doing her weekly washing.

Once upon a time the government destroyed all of the soiled and worn currency returned to the treasury for redemption, but those days are gone forever.

Now our bills get their regular baths and our money is much cleaner than it once was.

The \$1 bills, the passport of the great common people, most frequently get into the bath tub, but those of larger denomination also have to be cleansed.

The average life of a bill is fourteen months, but there are cases on record where currency issued one day has been turned back, soiled and greasy, the following day for redemption.

Soiled or clean, we'll all take all we can earn, and some take more than they earn; others take some they never earn.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

On this 14th day of April, 1924, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, being in regular session, the County Judge and all members of the court being present, there came before the court for consideration the question of the advisability of the purchase of a road tractor, and upon motion of Commissioner Tom Callaway, seconded by Commissioner J. B. Easley, the following order was adopted, to-wit:

Whereas, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County has determined the advisability and necessity for the purchase of a road tractor for use upon the public roads of said county;

Therefore, it is ordered that the County Judge give notice in the manner and form prescribed by law, that the Commissioners' Court of said Foard County will receive and open bids for the purchase of one road tractor to be supplied said county at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 12th day of May, 1924, at the County Judge's office in the courthouse of said County, which notice shall be attested by the County Clerk of said county and shall be in substantially the following form:

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Foard County up to 10 o'clock a. m., on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the purchase by said county of Foard one Fon Holt "Caterpillar" Tractor with regular equipment to be used upon the public roads of said county. A certified check of 5% of the amount of the bid shall be filed with each bid and the successful bidder shall be required to give a good and sufficient bond in the full amount of the contract price executed by some surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas. Bidders shall be required to bid on condition that such tractor or road machinery shall be demonstrated upon the roads of said county for a period of 3 days prior to the date of awarding the contract, and all bids shall be addressed to the County Judge of said county, and shall be marked "Sealed Bids," and bids not so marked shall not be considered. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JESSE OWENS, County Judge, Foard County, Texas.

ATTEST: GRACE NORRIS, County Clerk, Foard Co., Texas.

The County Clerk is directed to prepare said notice and the County Judge is directed to cause same to be published once a week for four weeks prior to the time set for letting such contract, which notice shall be published in the Foard County News, a newspaper published once a week in the City of Crowell, Texas, in said county.

JESSE OWENS, County Judge, A. B. WISDOM, Commr. Pct. 1, J. R. COFFMAN, Commr. Pct. 2, TOM CALLAWAY, Commr. Pct. 3, J. B. EASLEY, Commr. Pct. 4. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

I, Grace Norris, County Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of said County, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the Commissioners' Court of said County, on the 14th day of April, 1924, as shown of record in book 4, at page 393 et seq., of the minutes of said court.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 15th day of April, A. D. 1924.

GRACE NORRIS, (Seal) Clerk of County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas.

### County Convention Tomorrow

A county convention will be held at the court house, Tuesday, May 6th, for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention. The precinct chairmen are:

Jim Kimbell, S. M. Roberts, R. L. Kincaid, N. J. Roberts, W. T. Ross, H. W. Banister, A. Weatherall, J. W. Thompson, R. D. German. There will be a meeting of the precinct chairmen directly after the county convention and all chairmen are requested to be present.

C. P. SANDIFER, County Chairman.

### GOOD IN ALL EVIL

In nearly all evil there is some good. A very severe storm that resulted in floods in some parts of the country and heavy snows elsewhere accompanied by destruction of life and property, also is reported to have saved crops estimated in value at \$50,000,000 in the northwest by supplying needed snow for protection of wheat and assuring plenty of moisture where a drought was threatening.

And so with nearly all things that happen in life which at first appear to be unmitigated bad luck. Millions have come to realize the value of good health only by becoming ill. The loss of an inherited or an ill-gotten fortune frequently has made men out of weakling characters. A fire sweeps over a large city area causing great property loss, but in the place of the destroyed buildings there rise greater and more beautiful ones. An earthquake razed much of ancient Tokio, but a newer, richer, more modern and more comfortable Tokio is springing from the ruins.

"God moves in a mysterious way, His wonders to perform," ran the old hymn that was a favorite of our fathers.

He who can devise a way to prevent a fool and his money from parting will make a fortune.

A bore may be described as a very communicative two-legged individual who has nothing of any consequence to communicate.

We should all so drive that the manufacturers of automobile horns would have to go out of business.

Three-fourths of many a woman's life is spent in preparation and the other fourth in disappointment.

## To the Crowell Graduates of 1924

The exchange of Photographs at graduation time has rightly become a universal custom because it provides a graceful way of acknowledging friendships. In order that those who expect your photograph may not be disappointed come in early.

Best in quality, service and price.

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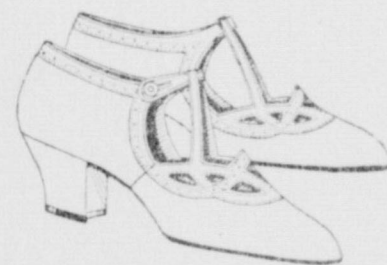
The supreme court held the Nebraska bread law invalid—probably on a barber business, bobbed hair is "for" it.

# White Footwear

It has been predicted for months that this year is to be the biggest white footwear year for many years.

Our shoe journals, as did the factories who make our shoes, advised us to prepare to meet this great demand. We did as advised. Today we have the largest stock high-grade White Kid Slippers of any house west of Ft. Worth.

Our prices range from \$1.00 to \$3.00 less than others of same quality Kid. Note styles and prices:



LOT NO. 7864

White Kid Pump of very superior quality and attractive style as pictured—white kid trim, medium Spanish heel—sizes 3 to 8, width AA to C.

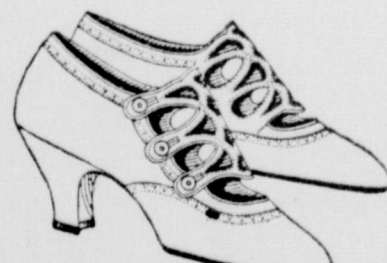
SPECIAL PRICE ..... \$9.85



LOT NO. 6518

This Pump is made of snow white Reign Skin cloth—white kid trim, box heel as pictured above.

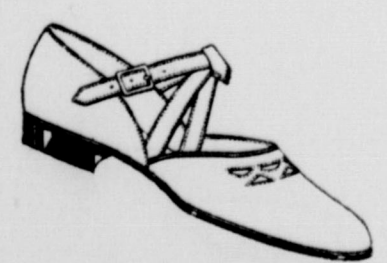
Price ..... \$7.50



LOT NO. 6478

This beautiful White kid, white kid trimmings, low Spanish heels—one of the most attractive patterns.

Special price ..... \$9.85



LOT NO. 6826

This wonderful fitting pattern comes in a very high grade of white, washable kid, white kid trim, low Spanish heel as pictured.

Price ..... \$9.85

Lot No. 6520. Same as above with box heel, price \$9.85

### SANDALS

This cut represents one of our many sandals—white, blue, ivory, patent and grey.

Misses, 12 to 2, price ..... \$3.75

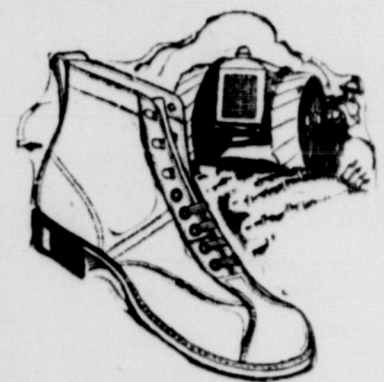
Ladies, 2 1/2 to 8, price ..... \$4.50 to \$6.50

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# A Real Sale for Cash

We are overstocked on a goodly number of items through our stock and in order to unload we are going to give our customers the benefit of our sacrifice in prices. These prices will take effect Saturday, May 3rd and close Saturday, May 17. Everything charged will carry its regular price.



### Men's Work Shoes

Stock No. 4843 Brown Calf, rubber heel, regular price \$4.45 ----- \$3.00

No. 6046 Brown Elk. Blu., rubber heel, \$3.95 ----- \$2.90

No. B424 Brown Calf, rubber heel, \$3.95 ----- \$2.90

No. 9913 Elk outing Bal. Athletic, \$2.95 ----- \$2.00

Justin Boots One-third Off.

### Men's Odd Pants

Regular Price from ---\$3.95 to \$9.85

Sale Price from ----- \$2.90 to \$8.00

The celebrated Worth Hats at a sacrifice.



### LADIES' FOOTWEAR

No. 109117 Two-strap Brown, low heel, rubber tap, \$4.95 ----- \$2.65

No. 115413 Brown Calf, two-tone, Pat. Trim., one-strap, \$4.45 ----- \$2.25

No. 108635 Black Kid, two-strap, low heel, rubber tap, \$4.45 ----- \$2.25

No. 108661 Patent, one-strap, low heel, rubber tap, \$4.45 ----- \$2.25

No. 112517 Brown Calf Oxford, low heel, rubber tap, \$4.95 ----- \$2.65

No. 108777 Brown Kid Oxford, military heel, rubber tap, \$4.95 ----- \$2.65

All colors and combinations of lasts and materials at the same reduction. Regular price ranging from \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Men's Big Buck Work Shirts, grays and blues, regular \$1.25, sale ---98c

Men's Big Buck Shirts, khaki \$1.75, sale ----- \$1.37

### Boys' Dress Shoes

No. 4843 Brown Calf, rubber heel, sizes 12 to 2, \$3.25 ----- \$2.00

No. 4843 Brown Calf, rubber heel, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$3.45 ----- \$2.40

### Ladies Spring Hats

Regular \$11.50, sale ----- \$7.50

Regular \$10.00, sale ----- \$6.50

Regular \$8.50, sale ----- \$5.50

Regular \$6.50, sale ----- \$3.50



Buckskin cheviats, regular 25c at 19c

Bonita dress ginghams, all colors and patterns, 25c grade ----- 18c

E. & W. Challies, different, 25c -- 18c

Daisy C. C. C. Brown domestic, 25c grade ----- 19c

Service L. L. Brown domestic, 15c grade ----- 12 1/2 c

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STAY ELASTIC

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Waterproofs any kind of joint. The results will please you.

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**THINGS IN GENERAL**

**Mothers' Day**

We are coming again to the observance of Mothers' Day when our thoughts turn more especially to the one whom, of all living human beings, we owe the most—the one whose love is never failing and who never knew too great a sacrifice, for the happiness and welfare of her children are concerned.

Mothers' Day is observed on the second Sunday in May, this year falling on the eleventh, when everyone who wants to do homage to motherhood will wear a bright flower for the mother living; a white flower for the mother dead. The carnation is favored over all flowers.

Mothers' Day was originated by Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, who founded the Mothers' Day International Association, and the sixty-third congress passed a resolution fixing the second Sunday in May

**DR. H. SCHINDLER**  
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Mothers' Day and making it the duty of the president to proclaim it.

The late President Wilson issued the first Mothers' Day proclamation in 1914. States also have given recognition to the day. In 1913 Nebraska designated Mothers' Day as a state flag day; in the same year Pennsylvania made Mothers' Day a state holiday and since 1912 governors of Texas have annually pardoned deserving inmates of prisons on Mothers' Day.

The original idea of Mothers' Day embraced the simultaneous observance in every part of the world of the day as an acknowledgement of the love and reverence all men and women owe to their mothers.

In addition to the wearing of flowers as tribute to their mothers, those whose mothers are living, but from whom they are separated, are urged by the promoters of the observance to visit or write them upon Mothers' Day.

Though we stress the second Sunday in May as Mothers' Day, it really should be every day in the year, for it is a background in every heart. The love felt by a mother for her children and by her children for her are things apart. They are proved by service and sacrifice, not by words. They need no special emphasis.

**Honesty in Taxes**

Everybody pays taxes.

We may not own a bit of land or a house. We may not have a penny in the bank, or even a War Savings Stamp left over from the war.

But we pay taxes just as surely as if we owned town houses, country homes and broad acres of farm land, stocks and bonds, bank accounts, mills, factories or railroads.

We all have to eat or starve to death. If the owner of the property in which the grocer has his store has to pay higher taxes, the grocer has to pay higher rent and we have to pay the grocer higher prices for our food.

We all have to sleep if we want to live. If the person who owns the house where we live has to pay higher taxes, then we have to pay higher rent, of course.

If the railroads have to pay higher taxes, they have to charge higher rates to haul everything we consume, and naturally, the increase is tacked on to the paying end—that's where the ultimate consumer hooks on.

Out of every eight dollars of our national income, one dollar goes for taxes—federal, state and local.

This means that the boy whose expenses are eight dollars a week pays one dollar in taxes in the form of prices made higher by taxation.

That same ratio prevails, regardless of the cost of living, though you may not own a dollar's worth of taxable property.

When it comes to dealing with the question of taxes, we need to be more honest with ourselves.

We need to understand that we can not continue to load on overhead and not have our pocketbooks feel it.

Governments are like individuals. The only way they can economize is to spend less money. As long as peo-

ple clamor for legislation to cure this or that fancied evil, just so long will taxes continue to be high and in some cases oppressive.

**Vicious Law Enforcement**

Nothing is doing more to discredit prohibition in this country than the violent and improper procedure of men representing the enforcement of laws or professing to do so. In several states there has grown up a great and scandalous traffic in fines under the authority of justices of the peace. Men of dubious character, many of them with criminal records, are commissioned as enforcement officers, dragging offenders into court even outside their proper jurisdiction and sharing in the big fines imposed by the justices.

No tears need be shed for genuine offenders against the dry laws. They deserve whatever punishment they get. There have been hundreds of cases, however, of men and women arrested and fined without authority and without legal or moral cause. There have been hundreds of cases, too, of citizens having their houses ransacked, their furniture broken and their families frightened and insulted when there was no liquor in the house and they had never offended against the liquor laws. Instances are on record of raids being made merely for spite. There are many instances, too, of constables or deputies taking liquor discovered in their raids and using it themselves, or selling it, or sharing it with the justices in whose names they operate.

The most populous county in Ohio is just now upset by a big scandal of this kind. The evil is found, in some form or other, in scores of cities throughout the country. If people are to respect the dry laws at all, those laws must be honestly administered, by honest and decent officials.

**Junior League Program**

Song—"Children of the Heavenly King."

Scripture reading—Acts 8:26-30.

Leader—R. J. Thomas.

Duet—Frances Campbell and Edna May Huckleberry.

Responsive reading—J. R. Eldridge and Frances Choat.

Story—Ila Lovelady.

Where did you get your bungalow? —Discussion.

League benediction.

**A. C. GAINES**  
Jeweler and Optometrist  
CROWELL, TEXAS

**"Patty Makes Things Hum"**

At Opera House, May 8  
8 P. M.

Under the Auspices of the  
**Woman's Missionary Society**

Captain Braithwaite, who wasn't so slow... Fay Beidleman.  
Captain Little, who had a little misunderstanding... D. S. Ramsey.  
Mr. Green, who played the host... Mark Henry.  
Mr. Smith, a neighbor worth while... C. P. Sandifer.  
Mrs. Green, Captain Little's sister, who entertained under difficulties... Mrs. Sam Bell.  
Patience, (Patty) who made things hum... Mrs. Geo. Self.  
Helen Braithwaite, engaged to Captain Little... Mrs. Fay Beidleman.  
Hope Dunbar, who is still hoping... Miss Verna Henson.  
Hyacinth, a loquacious colored maid... Mrs. C. P. Sandifer.

Time—World's War.  
Place—A Suburban Town.  
Reserved Seats on Sale at Ferguson Bros.

**Announcement**

I am opening up a battery station on east side of square and am prepared to do radiator welding and battery work. I shall be glad to have you come to me with work of that kind.—C. E. Flowers.

**Take Calotabs for the liver**

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

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Amalie oil may be purchased at the following stations in Crowell, Texas:

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FROM WOOL TO WEARER  
**PANTS**  
**THE SHEEP**  
IS TO PANTS WHAT STERLING IS TO SILVER  
FROM THE MILLS TO YOU  
NO MIDDLEMEN  
JUST US TWO

## Save the Suit

It's time to lay aside your coat, save that pair of trousers to the suit. **BUY EXTRA PANTS.** We have an extra large stock from which to make your selection. All sizes priced from

**\$3.50 Up to \$10.00**

1892

**R.B. Edwards Co.**

1924

**For Sale**  
One Peerless grain separator, 32-inch in good condition; one 25x40 Emerson engine in good condition; 4 iron wheel wagons, 5 sets of harness, cook shack, stove and cooking utensils and other stuff that goes with a first class threshing outfit. This outfit is for sale at a sacrifice. Will give good terms. If interested see J. W. McCaskill.

**Margaret Methodist Church**  
There will be a hearty welcome awaiting you at the Methodist church, Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. T. M. JOHNSTON.

A New York criminal lawyer talked two burglars out of \$4,000 worth of valuables he caught them taking from his home. Think how many he has talked out of the penitentiary.

The bank bandits do not seem to be suffering with spring fever.

Geese once saved Rome, and if that still holds good, we've got a chance.

The chronic grouch may be without friends, but everybody knows him.

Life's too short to spend much time quarreling.

Gossip caused a murder, but unfortunately, it wasn't the gossip who shuffled off.

**Gained Ten Pounds**  
Mrs. George S. Hunter, of Columbus, Ga., says she suffered severely with female troubles.  
"I had to go to bed and stay sometimes two weeks at a time," says Mrs. Hunter. "I could not work. My... were irregular and I got very thin. I went from 126 pounds down to less than 100. My mother had been a user of  
**CARDUI**  
The Woman's Tonic  
and she knew what a good medicine it was for this trouble, so she told me to get some and take it. I sent to the store after it and before I had taken the first bottle up I began to improve. My side hurt less and I began to mend in health. I took four bottles in all during the last ten months. Cardui acted as a fine tonic. I am well now. I have gained ten pounds and am still gaining. My sides do not trouble me at all and my... are quite regular. I know that Cardui will help others suffering from the same trouble."  
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After Every Meal  
It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.  
Wrigley's means benefit as well as pleasure.  
Sealed in its Purity Package  
**WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM**  
THE FLAVOR LASTS

**NOTICE FOR BIDS**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by Jesse Owens, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, at Crowell, Texas, up to 1 o'clock p. m., May 9th, 1924, for the paving or parts thereof of the following streets in the city of Crowell, Texas, to-wit:  
From the curb on the east side of Main street, from intersection Main and Commerce streets to intersection of Main and California streets, to center of said Main street, and from the curb on the south side of Commerce street from intersection of Commerce and Houston streets, to the center of said street, and from the curb on the north side of California street from the intersection of California and Houston streets to intersection of California and Main streets, to center of said street, and along and in front of lots 6 and 7 in block 91, in the said town of Crowell.

Said bids must be filed with the said Jesse Owens, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, not later than the date above named and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum equal to five (5%) percent of the amount of said bid.  
The Commissioners' Court will meet at the court house in the said city of Crowell, in Foard County, Texas, on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1924, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at which time the bids will be opened. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all of said bids.  
JESSE OWENS,  
County Judge, Foard Co., Texas.  
Attest:  
GRACE NORRIS,  
Clerk County Court,  
Foard County, Texas.

Thoughts of cutting the people's taxes apparently pained congress terribly.

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Say "Bayer"- Insist!  
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When you want Feed of any kind you will find it at my store. All kinds of Hay, Oats, Chops, and all kinds of Cow Feed.  
Also will pay the highest prices for Poultry and Hides—Call 159  
**A. L. JOHNSON** Crowell, Texas

**To the Voters of Justice Precinct 1**  
I wish to say to my friends that I am now employed every day so that I can not see you right at this time, but will see you before the primary in July in the interest of my candidacy for public weigher. I am still in the race and expect to see every voter.  
G. L. COLE.

**Justifying Our Existence**  
The feeling is growing that higher demands should be made of groups than are made of individuals; that when men and women live together in communities, they should justify their existence by worthy accomplishments.  
The principle which makes higher demands of groups than of individuals is recognized in our laws against conspiracy. Frequently individuals can do that which collective bodies may not do.  
Any individual may fritter away his time about as he pleases, but it is the popular verdict that when people spend their lives together, their time here on earth is wasted if they do not make an effort to improve conditions and prepare the coming generation for useful citizenship.  
There is justice in this verdict, because any community that does not grow and improve will eventually waste away and the people who are at the helm now, the citizens whose opinions are respected and whose leadership will be followed, should feel that they have a very grave responsibility.

**Co-Laborers Class**  
The Co-Laborers Class of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Roy Ricks and Mrs. H. L. Kinsey as hostesses on Thursday of last week at the church.  
With Mrs. S. P. Ferguson as leader we had an interesting lesson from the fourth chapter of Acts. After our lesson we had an enjoyable contest.  
The hostesses served a tempting ice course to class members and Mrs. George Allison. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Faye Beideman and Mrs. T. V. Rascoe Thursday, May 22.—Reporter.

We are not going to worry much so long as the senate doesn't appoint a committee to investigate the coffee-pot.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County—Greeting:  
You Are Hereby Commanded to summon Gladys Bates by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 46th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crowell, or the 1st Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1190, wherein D. B. Bates, is plaintiff, and J. L. Bates and Gladys Bates are defendants, and said petition alleging: Plaintiff represents to the court that on or about the 1st day of February, A. D. 1924, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following land and premises situated in Foard County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the east boundary line of said section No. 87, certificate No. 632, block 44, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, 575.47 varas north of its southeast corner, the northeast corner of tract of 100 acres in the name of D. B. Traweck, out of said section;  
Thence north on the east boundary line of said section, 448.53 varas to the northeast corner of this tract;  
Thence west 981 varas to the northeast corner of this tract;  
Thence south 448.53 varas to northwest corner of said 100 acre tract for the southwest corner of this tract;  
Thence east 984 varas to the place of beginning.  
That he has held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said land by deed duly registered in the county clerk's office of Foard County, Texas, for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit and is entitled to possession of said premises by virtue of the three year statute of limitation.  
That on or about the 1st day of March, 1924, defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty dollars.  
Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court, that the defendants be cited as provided by law to appear and answer this petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, for costs of suit and such other and further relief special and general, in law and equity that he may be justly entitled to.  
Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Crowell, Texas, this, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1924.  
GRACE NORRIS, Clerk,  
45 District Court, Foard Co., Texas.

When one of your hot-headed friends goes "up in the air," just remember that the air is cooler up there and that he will be down.  
When a young lady with a comfortable parlor and an automobile can't become a June bride in a year, she isn't half trying.

**It Will Pay You To Buy Your Food Here**  
Table expense can be reduced by the right kind of buying.  
We try to assist our customers in such buying, because it pays them and also us.  
As a matter of practical economy, send us your order once and you will make our store your daily marketing place.  
Let us suggest some of our famous brands of canned goods, such as White Swan, Tea Garden's, Chase & Searburn's Seal Brand Coffee, and dozens of others, all of which possess the highest merit.  
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Positively we will put White Crest, Light Crust and Aunt Jemina flour up against anything in the country. Every sack carries a guarantee that makes it absolutely good or your money back. You take no chances on any one of these brands of flour. There is none better and few as good.  
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**What About the Granary**  
Soon the thoughts of many farmers are going to be directed to the wheat harvest.  
Perhaps you had not given it much thought, but maybe you will need some repairs for your granary. Possibly you will need a new one. If so now is the best time to figure on your needs. In a few days everything will be in a rush and you will not have time then.  
Whatever you may need come in and let us know then and figure with you.  
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ACCIDENT — FIRE — LIGHTNING — TORNADO — DEATH  
After once accident, the chances are equally as great that you may have another one. If you have made the mistake of carrying no insurance, profit by it NOW.  
When the need for insurance comes, it is too late, but you can always guard against a recurrence of the same thing by making the most of the lesson you have learned.  
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Cotton Seed, June Corn Seed, Milo Maize, Feterita, Cane, (Redtop and Amber), Seed, German and Little Millet Seed, and various other kinds of seed.  
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