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County Will Receive Increase In Road Maintenance Here

According to the new contract made with the State Highway department, Foard County is expected to get an increase in the allowance for the maintenance of state highways in the county this year. It is estimated that the increase will amount to 30 per cent. This is not assured, however, but looks fairly favorable.

It should be distinctly understood that this is for the maintenance of state highways in the county. It is to be applied on the 42 miles of designated highway running from the Wilbarger County line on the east to the Cottle County line on the west and from the Knox County line on the south to Crowell. The former is for the Lee Highway and the latter for the F. F. Highway, 56 miles in all. This is under the supervision of the State Highway department in co-operation with the county judge.

So far as is known, this method of maintaining the highways has been satisfactory to the county and the state, and it is evident that the state wants to do the right thing about it since it is allowing an increase, which it considers necessary in order to keep the highways in first-class condition.

Foard County is proud of its highways and of its other roads, as for that matter, and the present system of maintenance of both is all right and so long as it continues we may not worry about the matter of maintenance. One of the best things Foard County ever did was to co-operate with the State Highway department in putting up the fine stretches of highways we have and in getting them designated as state highways. We have the best roads of any county in this part of the state and the world is coming to find it out and the tourists are coming this way.

H. E. Conklin, maintenance superintendent for seven counties, including Foard County, was here this week and in speaking of the highways of Texas said Foard County has the best maintained roads in Texas. He had made that statement before and had sent out the challenge, and so far he had never been called on it.

According to figures shown by Mr. Conklin Foard County's budget last year was \$8,765.00. We had gone over our allowance, having used \$9,251.61 on our state highways and it was that we were justified in asking for an increase in our allowance. He could not say whether it would be allowed.

This last year was the first one for the Highway Department in its work of maintenance and it had been forced to go slowly and cautiously. The department is now better able to grasp the situation and know the needs of the counties in their work of maintaining the highways. So this year should be a better one for all concerned.

Changes Being Made in Massie-Stovall Store

The Massie-Stovall Grocery store has been undergoing a change this week. The entire inside has been remodeled and they are putting in what is known as the "M" system. New and up-to-date fixtures are being installed and the customer makes his own selection of groceries.

The delivery of small orders under \$2.00 amounts will not be made, but amounts above \$2.00, it is understood, will be delivered, as usual.

Others of the Massie stores are installing this system in other towns and they claim that it works to the advantage of the customers to a very great degree.

The new arrangements will be in operation Saturday of this week.

A. C. GAINES SELLS JEWELRY BUSINESS TO L. KAMSTRA

L. Kamstra of Fort Stockton this week purchased the jewelry and watch repairing business of A. C. Gaines and is now in charge of the business. We have not learned what Mr. Gaines' future plans are.

Mr. Kamstra was local watch inspector for the Orient railroad at Fort Stockton. He was in Crowell about 25 years ago and had a small work bench in front of the drug store when "Uncle" Bob Bell, now deceased, offered him a job of feeding a threshing machine on his farm. Mr. Kamstra said he accepted the offer and gave good satisfaction as he had previously had considerable experience in feeding a threshing machine and knew what to expect.

Sewerage Bonds Carry by Overwhelming Vote

Estimates on the vote were made all the way from a bare majority to 10 to 1 in favor of bonds Tuesday while the polls were open, but these were extremes. The majority for bonds was a little more than three to one. There were 210 votes cast, 158 for and 52 against bonds.

Considering the rather cold day the vote was fairly good. Really it was heavier than was anticipated, a fact which reflects the general interest in a sewerage system.

The feeling, so far as we can learn, was good. Nobody seemed to want to put anything over and it was left up to the voters to express their choice in the matter in a purely democratic fashion. The vote was decisive enough to show that the town is well behind sewerage, which fact makes it look much better than if there had been merely a majority for bonds.

The mayor tells us that this matter will be rushed through now just as rapidly as it can be done, and it is expected to have the system in operation by the middle of the coming summer. If there is no hitch in matters this aim should be easily reached.

The News believes this is one of the best things Crowell has ever done. With water and sewerage the town has laid the foundation for growth and expansion. Without them there is no possibility of much growth.

Radio In the Town And On the Farm

Texas possesses some of the best radio broadcasting stations in the United States and stands third among States in number of radios. There are about 100,000 radio sets in Texas and it is estimated that 20,000 of the 100,000 sets are on farms.

S. M. Morris, a farmer who lives near Weir, Williamson County, Texas, owns a super-circuit three-tube set and can listen in from all the larger radio stations in the United States. His son, David J. Morris, who builds radio sets for farmer folks and town folks of Williamson County, has written a very interesting story entitled, "Radio in the Town and on the Farm," which will be published in the Magazine Section of the News Feb. 6th. Be up-to-date by always reading the Foard County News.

If you are behind with your subscription, renew now and don't miss a single issue. The News will have more good stories like this one, during 1925, and also all the live local county news that's fit to print.

Improvement in Wheat Since Last Week's Snow

Quite a number of the farmers have already said their wheat was looking up since the snow last week. Where it had almost entirely disappeared before the snow it is said it now looks fairly well. It has livened up and looks green far across the field in some instances.

The moisture was fine and is sufficient to give the wheat sustenance for weeks, possibly, without any more moisture. Of course it does not create a deep season but it has been and will continue to be for some time a help to the wheat.

Family Is Slightly Poisoned by Meat

The slight illness of members of the family of E. Swaim last Sunday is said to have been caused by eating some kind of meat. At least it is thought that the meat was the cause of the trouble. No member of the family was seriously ill but only felt a little sick. "Peck" Brown, however, who boards at the Swaim home, did not fair quite so well, for Sunday night as the services at the Methodist church were nearing their close he fell to his seat and had to be assisted in getting out of the church and to his room.

He was reported to be all right next morning and was at his work. Mr. Swaim thinks it was the meat that caused the trouble.

GAS TAX TO BE INCREASED

Austin, Jan. 26.—Increase of the present tax on gasoline from one cent a gallon to two and one half cents was favored tonight by the house committee on revenue and taxation after a public hearing. The committee reported the bill with the recommendation that it do pass.

Former Foard County Boy Gets Appointment As Intern in Hospital

J. E. Johnson, son of W. Luke Johnson of Thalia, who has been attending the State Medical College at Galveston, has been given an appointment as an interne in the John Sealy Hospital, Galveston. He is in his senior year at the State Medical College and is one of eight students receiving such appointment to the John Sealy Hospital.

There are eight hospitals and sanitariums to which students were given appointments. These are John Sealy, Galveston; Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio; Scott and White Hospital, Temple, Texas; Cleveland City Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio; Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo, Texas; Robert B. Green Memorial Hospital, San Antonio; Harris Sanitarium, Fort Worth; Houston City and County Hospital, Houston.

Friends of Young Johnson are pleased to know that he has made good in his college work and his appointment to the position above designated is a matter of interest to them here.

Hogs Are Scarce Over This Country

One of the best indications that hogs will be profitable one of these days is the fact that they are scarce.

County Agent Fred Rennels, who was in Fort Worth last week, had occasion to learn something about the shipment of hogs to that market and he found that most of the hogs now going to Fort Worth are coming from other places than Texas points. In other words, Texas is not supplying its own needs today.

It is the opinion of men who have their eyes on the swine situation that they are going to come back within the next year or so and that when they do come back swine breeding will be more profitable than heretofore.

It is very noticeable that hogs are scarce at home. The interest in swine breeding was dampened considerably a few years ago when the prices declined and consequently many quit raising hogs. Those who have some fine brood sows now will find themselves favorably situated, we judge, in the near future.

Farmer Here Ships Cotton Seed to Houston

W. Luke Johnson was here from Thalia Saturday and he informed the News that he had shipped 20 bushels of Mebane cotton seed to J. A. Blasedel, a farmer residing 30 miles south of Houston.

Mr. Blasedel was up here last summer and saw the cotton growing and was so impressed with it that he wanted some of the seed and his order has just been filled.

Taxes Are Coming in Well, Says Collector

According to a report from the tax collector's office, taxes have been coming in rapidly for the past few weeks, and Mr. Campbell anticipates that they will be well paid up when the last hour shall have arrived before a penalty is attached.

The automobile taxes have also been well paid. There have been something over 1,000 automobiles registered which is practically 80 per cent of the entire number of motor vehicles in the county.

ANOTHER COLD SPELL

The temperature went down again Monday afternoon and late in the day it began to snow but ceased in the early part of the night. A heavy wind accompanied the snow and practically all of it was swept from the higher points into small drifts.

It was one of the winter's coldest spells but not so cold as a few weeks ago.

MA WANTS HER CHICKENS

Austin, Jan. 26.—Ma Ferguson already is homesick for some of the familiar things she had back in Temple.

She wants her chickens. So tomorrow Jim is going to have some chickens shipped from Temple.

"Today I had a case of eggs sent down," he announced. "We had too many, though, and had to sell about half of them. That gave us enough to buy a little bread and butter."

Rayland Farmers Interested in Famous Rio Grande Valley

H. D. Lawson and J. H. Jordan returned Friday of last week from a prospecting trip to the "Magic" Valley and are well pleased with the country. So well pleased are they that they are willing to plant some money in that country. The fact is, Mr. Lawson bought 36½ acres of land and Mr. Jordan is figuring on a deal but has not closed it yet.

They have a wonderful story to tell of the great orange groves, the climate and beauty of the country and they think it offers fine opportunities to the investor.

Several persons from Vernon have recently gone to the valley and bought property, it is understood.

Vivian School Bonds Carried Last Sunday

The school bond election at Vivian Friday in which bonds were voted for the building of a new school house amounting to \$10,000 carried by a good margin, the vote being 44 for the bonds and 17 against the bonds, the entire vote being 61.

The foundation work of the building has already been laid and all the material is now on the ground ready for the completion of the building. This will be rushed through as rapidly as possible and it is expected that by the first of March the building will be finished and school work can again be taken up. It is planned to run the school after the new building is erected through March, April, May and June. This, with the three months already run in the fall and early winter before the destruction of the building by fire during the Holidays, will give the district a seven months school. So the children of that district will not be so badly handicapped after all.

The bond election bespeaks a high educational spirit of the people in the Vivian community and it means that they are not to be daunted by the misfortune of fire. A better school building will be built to take the place of the one destroyed.

Fire Alarm Given Late Last Monday

While the snow storm was raging about 6:30 Monday evening the fire alarm was given and it was learned that a flue in the house of Dr. J. M. Hill had set the beaver board on fire. The fire department responded but when its forces had arrived Dr. Hill had already extinguished the flames and little damage was sustained.

Rayland Couple Is Married Here Sunday

Mr. Clifford R. Cribbs and Miss Luzell Bellew, both of the eastern portion of the county, procured marriage license here Sunday and were married by County Judge Jesse Owens.

These are well known people of the Rayland country.

WHITE LEGHORNS ARE PRODUCING GOOD PROFITS

Joe L. Orr of Margaret says his 83 hens are producing about 40 eggs daily which he has been selling at 45 cents per dozen. He has the White Leghorn breed and thinks they are the best revenue producers there are.

Mr. Orr is the pioneer swine breeder of this county and still has a few fine hogs, but when the prices declined he was forced to look to other sources for making money and he chose poultry and dairying. He thinks there is more money in poultry according to the investment than anything else. He can always sell his products and has had offers of fancy prices for some of his thoroughbred White Leghorns.

MAKES LIVING ON 40 ACRES OF LAND

H. Hunt was in the News office yesterday to renew his subscription and in his conversation with us he said he had made a good living on his 40 acre farm this year. Twelve bales of cotton had been gathered from 24 acres which he rented out. He had made plenty of feed to do him and had sold \$150 worth of hogs, besides his wife had sold more than \$100 worth of chickens, eggs and dairy products. Mr. Hunt has been in Texas around 30 years and he said he was in better shape than he had ever been. He is 85 years of age.

Rev. J. M. Fuller to Act As Scout Master

Boy Scout work is to be continued under the direction of Rev. J. M. Fuller as scout master.

Rev. Fuller signified his willingness to direct the work when he met with the boys Tuesday night in the district court room.

Some months ago the scout master of the Vernon troupe came over and organized a troupe here, but it has been difficult to secure a man who could give his time to the troupe as scout master, so little progress has been made since its organization.

It is fortunate for the boys indeed that they are able to secure Rev. Fuller for this work. He had considerable experience before coming to Crowell and is thoroughly familiar with the work.

He briefly outlined some of the work of a troupe and was pledged the hearty co-operation of the dozen boys present. Several others are in the troupe as it was organized a few months ago and all of these are expected to re-organize the work and help make a live wide-awake troupe.

Tuesday night was selected as the night on which to meet and the hour will be 7 o'clock. The boys are expected to be on hand promptly at that hour.

Those present Tuesday night are: Mabrey Kimsey, Tom Reeder, Ragsdale Lanier, Weldon Cogdell, Roscoe Brown, Joe Brown, Clinton French, Price Lovelady, Charles Ferguson, Leonard Loughmiller, Charley Ashford, and two cubs, James Henry Kimsey and Leland Stovall.

This is an opportunity for the boys and those who are interested in the boy scout movement will do a good thing by giving all the aid and co-operation they can. It is a great thing for the youth. It's a good thing for a town. In reality scout work is a portion of the essential training of boys for the duties and responsibilities of life. It deals with the great fundamentals of a life of usefulness and service.

Golden Wedding Anniversary of Crowell Couple Celebrated

On January 25, 1925, the children and friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gamble gathered at their home in Crowell with well filled baskets to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, they having been married fifty years on Jan. 21, but all of the children could not be present on that date. So, they gathered Saturday morning to the number of sixty-four. There were nine children present, seven boys and two girls, nineteen grandchildren, six great grandchildren.

Mr. Gamble was born January 25, 1852. Mrs. Gamble was born November 29, 1853. They were married in the year of 1875 and lived at that time in Denton County, Texas. They moved from Denton County to Hill County and from there to Hamilton County, and in the year of 1887 moved to Foard County, making them among the oldest settlers of this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Gamble own considerable land and other property, which this grand old couple have acquired by their hard labor and good management. Both are members of the Christian church and are good Christians and good neighbors, kind and ever ready to help friend or neighbor when they can.

Mr. and Mrs. Gamble have worked hard and raised their children to be honest and upright citizens, respected by all who know them.

Those present of their children were, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble and family, Will Gamble and family, Pete Gamble and family, Jim Gamble and family of Brownfield, Texas, Mac Gamble and family, Rufus Gamble and wife, Geo. Gamble, Mrs. Carroll Lindsey, Mrs. Mollie Free and children of Chillicothe. Grandchildren present, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greening. Friends and neighbors present were, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Free, Mr. and Mrs. Ingle, Mr. and Mrs. John Greening, Mrs. Jane Teel, Mrs. Banister, Mrs. Belle Allee, W. T. Rasor, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Free of Chillicothe.

The children and grandchildren prepared the dinner that was served, but it came nearer being a feast, as we don't believe there was very much of anything good to eat that loving hands had not prepared.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gamble we wish to say, in your declining days we hope will be your best and happiest days, and may the dear Lord enable you to rejoice in a Savior's love and praise Him from whom all blessings flow.

Child Labor Bill Rejected by State Senate, 20 to 2

Austin, Jan. 26.—The senate today rejected ratification of the child labor constitutional amendment 20 to 2.

Senator Charles Murphy of Houston and Senator A. E. Wood of Granger voted in opposition to the majority.

The vote came after extended debate. Opponents of ratification termed the amendment an infringement of state's rights. Senator Murphy declared it a humanitarian measure and asked opposing senators why, if they viewed the amendment of state's rights they did not take the same stand on the universal suffrage and prohibition.

Senator Murphy pleaded with the senate not to reject it but to defer action and allow the people to vote on it. Senator Wood merely contented himself with a record vote.

The discussion was precipitated by introduction of a majority resolution favoring rejection and a minority report by Senator Murphy, in which he said that in taking his stand, "I walk with Woodrow Wilson who proposed two child labor laws to congress," and other notable men.

"Why this haste to reject ratification," Senator Murphy inquired. "In my opinion no real attention has been given to it."

Discussion touched upon party platform declarations in which Senator T. J. Holbrook of Galveston; Senator John Davis of Dallas, Senator Lloyd E. Price of Daingerfield and Senator Benjamin F. Berkeley of Alpine, delivered addresses.

In a last effort to stave off a vote, Senator Murphy moved that consideration be postponed for two weeks. It was lost, 15 to 5. Senators Thomas G. Pollard of Tyler, Jesse R. Smith of Breckenridge, H. F. Triplett of Beaumont and A. E. Wood of Granger, stood with Senator Murphy for the motion.

Senator Pollard moved that it be postponed indefinitely but the motion was lost by a yea and nay vote.

Senator Price said the question before the senate was not to determine the merits of protecting child labor; it merely, he asserted, was to consider the question of jurisdiction. "Shall the states, he said, 'retain sovereignty over their children or surrender it to the federal government.'"

The question seemed to express the attitude of amendment opponents. The vote on rejection as first announced was 19 to 2. Senator Strong, however, entered the chamber shortly after the vote was taken and recorded his vote which made the total 20.

The senate has adopted a concurrent resolution rejecting the federal child labor amendment which is yet to be acted upon by the house.

Later reports are that the lower branch of the Texas Legislature has turned the amendment down and so it is dead in Texas.

It is also reported that several northern and western states have rejected the proposed amendment and that it has suffered national defeat. The fact is, only two states, it is understood, have reported favorably on the amendment—California and Arkansas.

Band Director's Mother Is Dead

A phone message Monday from Paducah stated that the mother of Band Director Fred H. Roberts had died at Ponca, Okla., and that he had been called to that place and could not be here Tuesday night with his band but would be present with them Friday night, that is, tonight.

Mr. Roberts was called up there last week but upon his mother's improvement came over and gave the boys their lesson Friday night of last week.

New Arrangements at Owl Drug Store

For several days some changes have been taking place in the Owl Drug store. Some new flooring and sewerage pipe have been added, but the most important feature is that of an electric cooling arrangement. The new fount is provided with an automatic electric motor that pumps the heated air out and keeps the cream at freezing temperature all the time, day and night. This is something very expensive but is thoroughly modern in every particular.

May God bless you and yours.—By One That Was Present.

Country Correspondence

Thalia News Items

(By Special Correspondent)

Cecil Matthews brought his pupils of the Margaret high school over Friday night and staged the play, "The Deacon's Honeymoon," in the Thalia high school auditorium. A large crowd attended.

Several from here attended Mrs. George Key's funeral in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Eunice Williams of Vernon visited in the W. F. Wood home Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Johnson entertained a few of their friends with a party Saturday night.

W. F. Wood was a business visitor in Vernon Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Scales went to Wichita Falls Friday to visit the latter's sister, Miss Veda Oliver, who is attending school at that place. Veda and her friend, Miss Rotha Brantley, returned home with them and spent the week end.

C. B. Morris returned home Friday from Clarendon where he has been attending some business.

Bill Fruedigger, who is attending the business college at Wichita Falls, spent the week end with homefolks.

A very good musical program was rendered at the parent-teachers' as-

sociation meeting in the high school auditorium Thursday night. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Henderson of Blair, Okla., spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley, of this place.

Allen French and wife of Rayland visited in the J. G. Thompson home Sunday.

Rev. W. G. Cypert of Merkel will fill his appointment at the Christian church here next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. He will also preach at Crowell Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cottingham of Lelia Lake are here on business this week.

Mr. Maddox of Vernon was here Thursday night of last week to organize a band.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Carroll Jones Saturday, Jan. 24th.

Lee Mason and Miss Fannie Capps were married in Vernon Friday.

Lewis Selvidge, one of the teachers of the school here, was called to his home at Henrietta Monday on account of the illness of his father. T. W. Neill is teaching during his absence.

Alex Neill, Claude Roberts and Hugh Jones attended the National Guard meeting in Crowell Sunday afternoon.

Will Woods, M. C. Adkins and fam-

ily, C. B. Morris and family, Wallace Scales and family, Veda Oliver, Annie Wood, Vera Davis, Claude Roberts and Bill Barrett were Crowell visitors Saturday.

Leon Solomon and mother moved to Iowa Park Sunday where they will make their home for a short time.

Misses Mattye and Lillian Reid, Evah Jo Nettles, Anna Maye Neill and Emie Short, Leotis Roberts and Jack Wood attended the show at Vernon Saturday night.

Rev. Frank McNair and family of Margaret visited J. C. Jones and family here Sunday.

Eugene Pigg of Arizona is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimm received a telegram from their daughter, Ruth, who is attending school at Denton that she would undergo an operation in Dallas Sunday. Mrs. Grimm and son, Raymond, left immediately for that place.

T. M. Haney returned home from Dallas Monday where he has been at the bedside of his wife, who has had an operation. He reports his wife to be doing nicely.

J. R. Solomon and family visited relatives in Iowa Park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson attended church in Vernon Sunday night.

Claude Fox of Margaret visited relatives here Sunday.

West Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Tom Ward and family have moved from the Burress farm north of Thalia to the place recently vacated by Clint Edwards.

Mr. Whittcher has recently moved from the J. R. Coffman farm to near Floydada.

Morris Foster and family are moving this week to near Petersburg, Texas. Mr. Foster and family have lived here for some time and we regret to see them leave.

Cap Adkins and family spent Sunday in the Bill Anderson home near Vernon.

Hugh Heaton and family and Mrs. G. W. Adkins and small daughter visited in the Mrs. J. M. Adkins home Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Fox returned to her home Saturday after spending several days in the Andrew Duffey home in the Box community helping nurse little Junior Duffey who has been right sick.

C. J. Fox and family spent Sunday afternoon in the J. B. R. Fox home in the Ayersville community.

Eric Wheeler and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Andrew Duffy home in the Box community.

Loyd Porter and family were Crowell visitors Saturday.

Wallace Scales and family motored to Wichita Falls Friday. They were accompanied home by Miss Veda Oliver and Mrs. Rotha Brantley, who returned to Wichita Sunday and were accompanied by Bill Fruedigger.

Wallace Scales and family visited in the Sam Scales home in Crowell Saturday.

Clifford Cribbs and Lozell Belew were married last week. The community extends congratulations.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. George Key, who was in a sanitarium at Fort Worth, reached the families of John Rennels and Elmer Key Friday afternoon. They motored to Vernon Saturday and met the early train. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon, interment took place in Eastview cemetery. Mrs. Key had a host of friends, besides relatives in this community, who regret to learn of her death.

Mrs. M. C. Key and daughter, Mrs. Maudin of Alvord, who were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Key, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the homes of John Rennels and Elmer Key.

Mrs. Elmer Key and baby are on the sick list this week.

Rayland Items

(By Special Correspondent)

Little Bobbie Crisp happened to a serious accident at school last Friday when a splinter stuck in her side.

Miss Sarah Shaw who has been sick is able to be up again.

Little George Crisp who has been very sick with pneumonia is getting better.

Some of the Antelope school pupils entertained the school with a very good program Friday evening, the 23rd. A large number of visitors were present. They will have another entertainment the 6th of February. Every one invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cantrell are visiting Mrs. Cantrell's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Will Green.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crisp and children have returned from Bay City where they were visiting Mr. Crisp's sister, Mrs. Oda Pool.

Mrs. L. G. Lawhorn is sick this week.

H. D. Lawson and sons, Walter and Jack, were in Vernon Saturday on business.

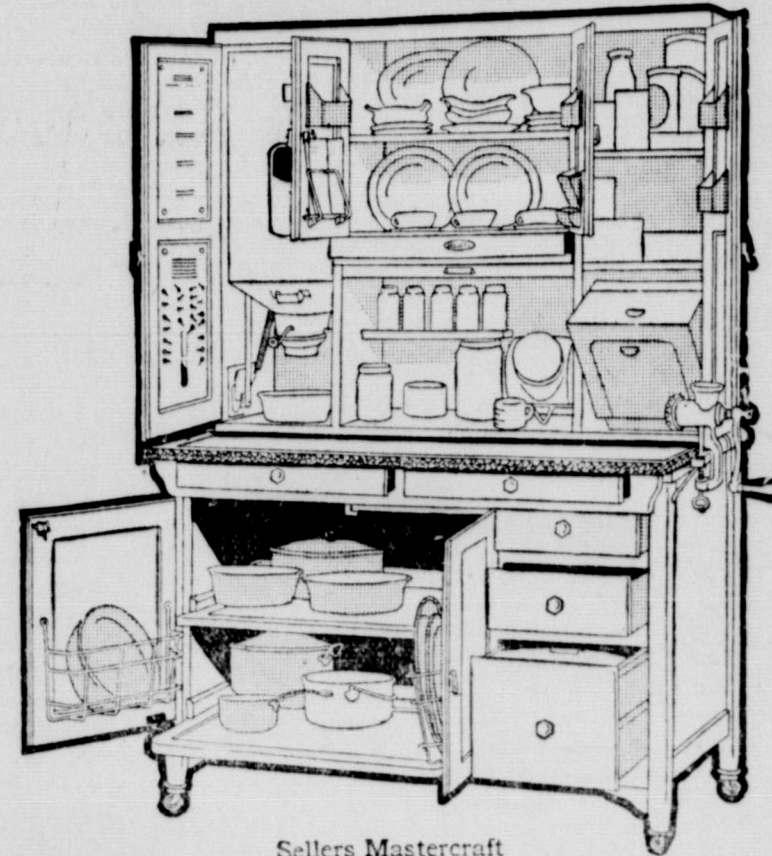
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Crisp went to Vernon Saturday and from there on to Electra to see Mrs. Crisp's sister,

FINE KITCHEN CABINETS

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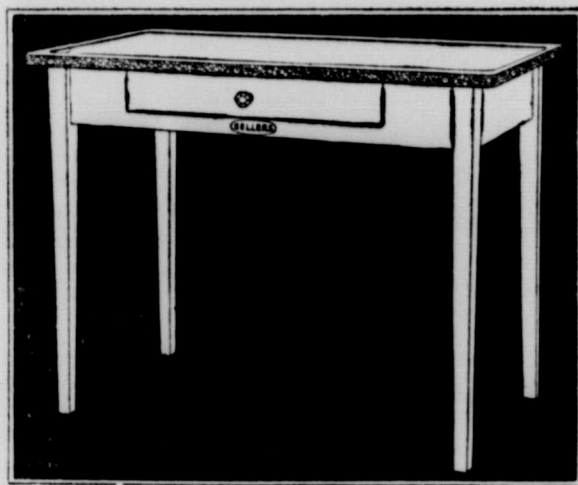
This picture represents one of the famous Sellers & Sons Mastercraft kitchen cabinets. Has all the modern conveniences that any kitchen cabinet has and is made of the very best materials throughout, oil rubbed finished varnish oak, and finest white enameled finish on the white ones and gray finish, gray enamel.

This Sellers kitchen cabinet sells every where for \$97.50 but we are giving away absolutely free a \$12.00 porcelain top kitchen table like the picture represented below.

This table is actually worth \$12.00, the kitchen cabinet is worth \$97.50, but we will sell you the kitchen cabinet for \$97.50 and make you a present of the \$12.00 table.

We also sell other fine kitchen cabinets. The Hoosier Beauty in both oak and white enamel finish, and the Border Queen in gray enameled finish. Different types but all high grade, useful and conveniently constructed cabinets, at prices from \$55.00 up to \$92.50. Other good kitchen cabinets from \$20.00 to \$40.00.

SELLERS KITCHEN TABLE



Just the thing for your kitchen to use to do all your baking preparations and on which to wash dishes, etc.

This \$12.00 table absolutely free with every White Enameled or Gray Enameled kitchen cabinet costing \$80.00 or more.

Womack Bros.

AUCTION SALE

At my home in Crowell, Saturday, January 31, at 2:00 p. m. I will sell at public auction the following:

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| Bedsteads | Bachelor stove with |
| Mattresses | drum |
| Dresser | Dishes |
| Dining table | Tubs |
| Refrigerator | Wash boiler |
| Side board | Wash boards |
| Chiffonier | Cooking vessels |
| Center table | Child's bed |
| Cabinet | Kitchen table |
| Heaters | |

Mrs. Claude A. Adams, Owner
Dave Sollis, Auctioneer

Oil, Gas, Accessories

Start the New Year right by resolving to buy your Oil, Gas and accessories here. I can give you first-class service and will appreciate your business. Come to see me.

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PRESERVE the SURFACE

ER-EKT will do it. This is a polish good for baked enamel cars, good for furniture and any kind of wood work highly polished. Made of the very best material and will not injure but leaves the surface with a luster that makes the article look like new. Its beautifying and preserving value is greater than its cost, which is modest.

Get it here.

Mack's Filling Station
B. G. DAVIS and G. W. JONES

church at Thalia and Crowell Sunday night.

Mrs. Tom Lawson is sick at this writing.

Mrs. Laura Cribbs in on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cantrell returned to their home Sunday.

Those from this community who were in Vernon Saturday are as follows: Jim Jordan and son, Bill, T. F. Lambert and son, Louis, Lee Jordan and family and Ernest Crisp.

Maize wanted by Bell Grain Company.



FERGESSON BROS.

Dollar-Day Sale

We are making some special prices on Groceries for Saturday, Jan. 31, which you will do well to take advantage of. These prices are considerably under the regular prices charged and it means a nice saving for the buyer. Note these prices:

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| 12 1/2 lbs. sugar | \$1.00 |
| 12 lbs. Pinto beans | \$1.00 |
| 22 bars goo dlaundry soap | \$1.00 |
| 11 cans Pork and Beans | \$1.00 |
| 7 No. 2 cans Tamales | \$1.00 |
| 7 cans Salmon | \$1.00 |
| 6 cans corn | \$1.00 |
| 5 lbs. Advance Peanut Butter | \$1.00 |
| 7 Post Toasties | \$1.00 |
| One-half gallon can pure honey | \$1.00 |
| 1 can 50c and 1 can 80c K. C. B. P. | \$1.00 |
| 40 lbs. spuds | \$1.00 |

Fresh shipment of vegetables Saturday morning, and many other items and bargain prices.

Come to our Store Saturday and load up. If you are in town just call our number and we will do the rest.

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We carry repair parts for farm implements and we would advise an early purchase in order to have your implements and tools in first class condition when the time for spring work arrives.

If you have any implements that are beyond repair, we would like to show you a new one to replace it. You will find the price right.

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Black Community News (By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKown of Crowell were visiting with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McKown, Sunday.

Rev. Nue of Gilliland was in this community Saturday night and Sunday to fill his regular appointment.

Miss Venetia Hall spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jonas and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley, of Thalia.

Roy Dickerson and family moved to the Adams' farm west of Crowell this week.

J. J. McCoy has purchased a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Free and Mrs. Riley Free from Chillicothe visited J. T. Free last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Free spent Sunday in the home of B. F. Whatley and family of Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scales and the former's mother of Crowell spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cooper and son, Gordon, and daughter, Marion, of Crowell spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gentry.

Jesse Brown and family moved to near Foard City this week.

Rev. Chas. Marts will preach at the school house Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody come out and hear a good sermon.

West Texas News

Lubbock—All but about \$60,000 of the \$350,000 bonus required for the building of the rail road from Lubbock west through Levelland to the New Mexico line has been raised and the remaining amount will be raised at once.

Muleshoe—Bailey County has just voted \$60,000 Court House Bonds for the purpose of building a modern county court house. Bailey County had a very prosperous crop year for her farmers and many new farms were put under cultivation during 1924.

Brady—A large deposit of mica has been found near Brady. J. L. Anderson, owner of the land has just made a contract with the Ford Mica Company of New York for a part of the production. Considerable tonnage of the mineral substance is now available.

Alpine—Much interest is now being evinced along the lower border of the Big Bend County in the Great South-

ern part of Brewster County to get a national park for the preservation of game by the joint co-operation of the State and National Governments.

This section of Texas is a natural park for wild game and would be better for that purpose than any other of the United States.

The National Government under the Clarke-McNary forestry act would provide, among other things, for national forests to be established on military reservations subject to regulations agreed upon by the Secretary of War and Secretary of Agriculture.

Best—Best a thriving town of West Texas, will have a large number of visitors at the District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held at Big Spring, February 5th.

Breckenridge — Stephens County bond issue for the sum of \$250,000 to build a new modern court house carried a few days ago by a substantial majority.

Canadian—The Canadian Chamber of Commerce will build a long distance telephone line from here to Durham, Okla., according to plans made at a recent meeting of the organization.

The new officers of the Chamber of Commerce are G. L. Anderson, president; H. S. Wilber, vice president; W. A. Miller, secretary and C. W. Allen, treasurer.

Christoval—Much interest is being shown at Christoval, one of the most attractive summer resorts in West Texas, in the construction of new residences. Christoval is the annual convention grounds of many religious denominations that hold their annual meetings. The rugged banks of the South Concho, the large and beautiful pecan trees and liveoak groves are second to none in West Texas.

Lamesa—Poultry business in Dawson County has proven to be very profitable in the last few years and many farmers who heretofore paid no attention to the business have given it much attention. Numbers of farmers are installing poultry houses, lots of other enclosures as well as many are purchasing incubators for their own use.

Tahoka—The new 110 horse power engine for the light plant is in the Sante Fe yards and will soon be installed by an expert from the factory.

The way the sale of dictionaries has increased must make the popular fiction writers green with envy.

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Notice

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

The surprising thing is that congress has not started an investigation of the poker-playing congressmen.

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No one will receive that kind of treatment at this store. It is our policy to buy the best goods on the market. Our goods are standard and we sell at a standard price.

We do not try to make our customers believe that we are selling them a fancy article for the price of an inferior brand of the same article.

You will always find a splendid assortment of fruits and vegetables at our store, sold at fair prices.

Matthews-Crawford Grocery Co.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Crowell, Texas, January 30, 1925

RAH-RAH EDUCATION

Sometimes we run across an editorial that is just about as good as we can write one ourselves and so we just reproduce it. That is what we are doing now.

There appeared in the Texas Commercial News this week an editorial with the caption "Rah-Rah Education," which we think contains some splendid truths and we are reproducing the editorial, which follows:

"Interest in higher education has been increasing rapidly in America during the past five years. To many moneyed philanthropists the interest has been more than casual; they have contributed millions of dollars to various universities for the furtherance of research work and for extending the privileges of education to more and more young men and women. But to a great number of other persons, the interest has been of a rah-rah nature, centered around football and other college sports.

"In our own Southwest the same conditions exist as in the East. Athletics are over-emphasized in too many cases. Texas University for years has been crying for money to remove the disgraceful shacks from her campus, yet the first big drive staged by alumni is not for more class room and laboratory money, but for a million-dollar athletic stadium. The great stadium is being completed this spring. At the same time another school, Rice Institute, the only one in the state that can claim financial independence, is completing a million-dollar structure for the study of chemistry. Apparently there is an incongruity somewhere.

"The instance cited is not meant to be an invidious comparison of two institutions; it is just a prominent, typical example of a condition existing all over the country. It may be said in all fairness that Texas University, too, is completing a beautiful building for the study of biology, and that Rice Institute recently signed a contract for an athletic coach at an unheard-of salary.

"Sports are not to be condemned wholly. The physical welfare of young men and women is a prerequisite to mental progress, but the difficulty seems to be that money spent on sports benefits too small a number. From a student body of 1,000 scarcely more than 100 individuals can participate in the college athletic programs. And this 100 always is the pick of the crowd, the select bunch that needs physical training least. The flat-chested, weakling boy or girl is crowded out, because gymnasium facilities are not complete enough.

"True, the university does not purport to be more than a place for mental pursuits and hence it is no business of the authorities if a student is anaemic and weak. That stand is all right if the authorities are consistent, but when they start spending great sums for what appears to be public entertainment, there is a legitimate howl.

"Football, of course, is interesting, and valuable even to the spectators. But the highly organized competition between colleges is tending to make the schools lose sight of their real purposes and aims."



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Foard City Items (By Special Correspondent)

We are glad to report that C. C. Fox is getting along fine.

Mrs. J. W. Harris of Crowell was visiting in the home of C. C. Fox last Friday.

R. M. Fox of Bunker, Texas, who has been here during the illness of his father, C. C. Fox, returned to his home Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Burdine and Mrs. Adrian Thompson who were called here on account of the illness of their father, C. C. Fox, returned to their homes at Sparanburg, Texas, Thursday.

The nurse, Mrs. D. A. Roberts, of Quanah, who has been nursing C. C. Fox returned home Tuesday.

Victoria and Kola McDaniel of Crowell spent the week end with homefolks here.

Uncle Amos Pickens moved to the Tom Sparks farm this week.

G. M. Canup and daughter, Vera, were called to Fate, Texas, on account of the death of his nephew.

Mrs. Calude Stone is visiting in the home of her mother at Murphy, Texas.

The Foard City community club met last Friday night, the 23rd, at the school building. We had a splendid talk and demonstration by Miss Lottie Woods of Crowell on the music memory contest. Every one enjoyed the compositions furnished on the phonograph by Miss Woods. Miss Ethel Ross and Judge Owens also visited the club. Judge Owens made an interesting talk. The club will meet again Friday night, Jan. 30th, at the school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bell of Crowell spent Saturday night with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel.

The Foard City basket ball girls went to Crowell last Friday to play ball.

Mrs. J. E. Daniels of Crowell visited her father, C. C. Fox, last Friday afternoon.

Tom and Claude Callaway visited their brother, Jesse Callaway, of Quanah Sunday.

Gandy McLain is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Bender was called to Fort Worth on account of the death of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills and baby visited our Sunday School Sunday.

The Baptist pastor, W. G. Tankersley, of Abilene, Texas, will fill his regular appointment Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Adelphian Club

Mrs. John Razor was hostess to the Adelphian Club January 28th at 3 o'clock. After the business, Mrs. Andrews gave a parliamentary drill.

With Miss Lottie Woods as leader, the club discussed Poe's "The Fall of the House of Usher" and "The Pit and the Pendulum." These stories were tales of gloom and horror. The word picture painting and style of writing readily shows why Edgar Allen-Poe is considered one of our best and first short story writers.

At the conclusion of the lesson the hostess served delicious refreshments. —Reporter.

Baptist Church

10:00—Sunday School. Come help W. W. Griffith, superintendent, in his effort to boost our Sunday School.

11:00 and 7:15—The pastor will preach. Subjects essential to the growth of our church. You are interested in the spiritual welfare of our town; then show your faith by your works. May we expect you? Be a helper or be helped.

B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15. If you are interested young people, come. W. A. meets Monday at 3:00.

Prayermeeting Wednesday at 7:15. We crave for the cause's sake your help.—Pastor.

Notice for Bids

Whereas, Article 2440 of the Revised Statute of Texas, requires the County Judge to publish notice, that at the February term of Commissioners' Court, next following each general election, that the Commissioners' Court of each County in the State of Texas will receive proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in such county that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of such county.

Now, therefore, I, Jesse Owens, in my official capacity as County Judge of Foard County, hereby give notice that at 10:00 A. M., February 9, 1925, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County will receive bids for County Depository of County Funds and also bids for Depository of school funds.

JESSE OWENS,
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Lasting friendships—Nadine Lefevre.
Necessity of friends—Hazel Dykes.

To what degree does our happiness depend on our friends?—Jewel Brown.

Basis of friendship, Cor. 1:1-13—William Gafford.

Duties of friendship, Epeas. 5:1-10—Louis Bell.

Characteristics of friendship, Phil. 4:8-13—Ila Lovelady.

Jesus, the great friend, John 15:12-17.—Lottie Russell.

Unity of Christian brotherhood, John 15:12-17—Theo Fergeson.

Every leaguer please be in his place promptly at 6 o'clock. We want to spend fifteen minutes in a real live song service. Those who have scripture readings will bring their Bibles and be ready to read their reference when called upon.—Reporter.

Miss Anna Hanna Resigns

Our most excellent history teacher has resigned to resume her studies for a degree. She leaves for Dallas Friday night and expects to return in August. Quanah High school has never had a more popular and efficient teacher. Patrons, faculty and students deeply regret to see her leave.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

At Presbyterian Church

There will be preaching at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock by Bro. Cypert of the Church of Christ.

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7 yards 32-inch gingham new spring patterns.—Self's.

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Local and Personal

15 new spring coats.—Self's.

35 new spring dresses in stock.—Self's.

Miss Lunora Matthews went to Vernon Sunday.

If you want milk, cream or butter, phone Ricks Dairy. tf

Men's blue bibbed overalls \$1.00.—Self's.

Men's and boys' shoes \$1.98 at Ringgold's Variety Store.

For Sale—My residence in north part of Crowell.—A. Brian. 35p

Will have car maize heads on track in few days.—T. L. Hughston Grain Co.

For all kinds of insurance see Emily Purecell. Your business will be appreciated. 33p

Will guarantee salary \$50.00 per week and furnish automobile to several men selling excellent Ford accessories. Address Salesmanager, 4256 Main, Granville, Ohio. 31p

Estray Notice—There is at my place a black horse mule, 15 hands high, no brand. Has been at my place about one month.—J. K. French, 1 mile north and half mile east of Thalia.

Overshoes at Self's.

Dollar Day Saturday at Self's.

Tip Edgin made a trip to Fort Worth this week.

For trade work horses for Ford trucks.—J. W. McCaskill.

Wolf and skunk hides bought at Ringgold's Variety Store.

When in need of coal or feed call phone 152.—Crowell Feed Store.

For Sale—Single buggy and harness cheap.—G. S. Benham, phone 18 SLS. 31p

Seed oats 80c a bushel. Free of Johnson grass.—Mrs. Leo Hlavaty, phone 236 4-rings. 31

For Sale—Will have car oats about Feb. 1. Will sell at car 56 cents per bushel.—J. W. McCaskill.

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

For Sale—A small two-room bungalow, brand new, water, lights, etc. See me at once if you want to buy.—T. M. Parker. 31

Mrs. Maggie French yesterday purchased the home of Leo Spencer north of the Baptist church. Mr. Spencer is making plans to build a new home some time in the future, however, he has set no definite time.

232 remnants Saturday.—Self's.

New spring dress goods at Self's.

For quick results use want ads in the News.

For Sale—A good 160-incubator.—Mrs. T. J. King. 32p

Phone McCaskill's feed store for Purina egg laying mash.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry returned Wednesday morning from Dallas and Plano.

Rosalie, Bernita and Anita Mae Fish of Vivian entered the Crowell school Monday.

Cleaned the piece good stock and made 232 remnants for Saturday at half price and less.—Self's.

See me for your radio supplies, bulbs, batteries, etc., or call at Mack's Filling Station for them.—C. C. McLaughlin.

Try Our New Fuel—More heat, few ashes, ignites quickly, holds fire well.—Petroleum coke, \$13.00 per ton.—J. M. Jonas. 31

Rev. J. M. Fuller, Joe W. Beverly, H. E. Ferguson and J. P. Tye attended a Methodist laymen's meeting in Chillicothe yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley of Margaret were in town Monday and for the next year will be among our large family of readers in that community.

Mrs. J. W. Skaggs and Mrs. J. C. Skaggs and daughter of Wellington, and Fred Skaggs of Denver, Colo., visited their nephews and cousins, Ed and Earl Manard, Saturday.

D. B. Foster returned Monday afternoon from a trip to Ft. Worth and Dallas. Mr. Foster said he encountered the snow storm at Henrietta which made traveling very unpleasant.

Lost—Bundle of clothes between Quanah and 10 miles southwest of Crowell, containing men's and women's wearing apparel, also baby clothes. Finder please leave at News office. Reasonable reward. 30p

Mrs. T. P. Reeder made a trip to Knox City Saturday bringing to Crowell her father, William Cantley, who has been ill for several weeks. He was placed in the Crowell sanitarium and is reported to improving.

T. T. Golightly has moved the house he has been living in for several years to the east part of town about four blocks east of the court house and has added two new rooms, new weather boarding and shingles, which makes it a very comfortable home.

More Furs Wanted—See me at Johnson's wagon yard next Saturday and until March 15th. Mr. Ringgold says he will net us Chicago and St. Louis prices. Let's try him Saturday and if he don't I will buy 'em, sack 'em and ship 'em out.—J. K. McBeath. tf

Pete Gobin and family moved yesterday to the Rayland community where Mr. Gobin will farm this year. They will live on Dr. German's farm. Mr. Gobin has been employed by W. B. Wheeler for the past year making deliveries of the products of the Texhoma Oil Co.

Service Value Quality

Let's Go Dollar-Day Sat., Jan. 31

Our first Dollar Day of this new year will be a success because we bought some special goods for the occasion at Special Prices. Everything advertised is the very best of goods and will please you. Make it a habit to make the savings on our DOLLAR DAYS.

- 7 yards 32-inch new spring patterns dress ginghams for.....\$1.00
- 400 heavy Turkish bath towels, 22 by 40 inches, for.....\$1.00
- 400 pairs good silk hose, ladies, choice for.....\$1.00
- 50 pairs men's bibbed blue denim overalls, choice for.....\$1.00
- 6 yards of that good outing, extra heavy, for.....\$1.00
- 10 yards brown domestic for.....\$1.00
- 2 yards nine-quarter bleached sheeting, good grade, for.....\$1.00
- 75 pairs boys blue bibbed overalls, choice for.....\$1.00
- 40 pairs mean's tennis shoes or slippers, sizes 7 to 11, choice.....\$1.00
- 6 pairs fine gauge hose for children for.....\$1.00
- 20 spools, 150 yards to spool, O. N. T. thread for.....\$1.00
- 25 ladies winter hats, values up to \$7.50, choice for.....\$1.00
- 25 ladies new house dresses, choice for.....\$1.00
- 20 pairs extra heavy shoe strings for.....\$1.00
- 25 corsets, values up to \$5.00, choice for.....\$1.00
- 6 pairs men's socks for.....\$1.00
- 20 men's handkerchiefs for.....\$1.00
- 25 pairs boys' unionalls, choice for.....\$1.00
- 75 yards short patterns silks, values up to \$2.50.....\$1.00
- 25 pairs children's genuine E. Z. unions, choice for.....\$1.00
- 4 yards new spring 35c curtain goods for.....\$1.00

We thank you for making our business better all the time as we have sold the first three weeks as much as we sold all during the month of January last year. We believe a better business can be built around our slogan of SERVICE, VALUE, QUALITY, ONE PRICE AND CASH ONLY. We appreciate your trade and even more your good will. Come to our DOLLAR DAY this week and make the savings. 50 new Spring dresses and coats arrived this week.

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\$5.00 corsets for \$1.00.—Self's.

New spring millinery at Self's.

For Sale—About 200 bushels pure Half and Half cotton seed. Ginned 44 per cent lint. Gin cleaned out and seed pure. \$2.00 per bushel. Also some Buff Orpington roosters of the prize-winning kind.—S. M. Tole, Crowell, Texas. 34p

A deal was closed last week whereby J. H. Lanier and John Ellis became owners of the building occupied by the postoffice. The building was bought from J. H. Olds, who took in 80 acres of land northwest of town, known as the J. W. Klepper farm.

C. C. McLaughlin returned Tuesday from a trip to Hereford near which place he owns land. He was accompanied to Amhurst by R. W. Porter.

J. A. Stovall returned last Sunday from a week's trip to California. He visited a brother near Sacramento. Mr. Stovall spent one day in Los Angeles but didn't realize that so many former Crowell people lived only a short distance from that city at the time. He said it was warm in Los Angeles.

WILL MOVE TO LAMESA
J. W. Davis, who resides on the G. D. Owens farm in the Ayersville country, is selling his livestock and farming implements today and will move to Lamesa where he and his family will make their future home.

News Will Go to Hawaii
Mrs. J. R. Beverly orders the News sent to her sister, Mrs. Tage Holtberg, Puunene, Maui Territory of Hawaii. Mrs. Holtberg who was before her marriage Miss Myrtle Huddleston, taught school in this county a number of years ago and is well known here.

Life to a woman is largely a collection of birthdays and of keeping the figures secret so far as she can.

If exercise always increased the size of a muscle, some folks would have a mouth full of tongue.

The quacks are still doing business because the chance-takers are not all dead yet.

232 remnants for Saturday.—Self's.

Good silk hose for \$1.00.—Self's.

That good outing, 6 yards \$1.00.—Self's.

Ladies hats, \$7.50 values for \$1.00.—Self's.

Better values on our Dollar Day.—Self's.

See T. L. Hughston Grain Co. for maize heads, corn and oats.

J. H. Lanier and John Ellis made a business trip to Haskell yesterday.

E. P. Bomar and son, Mance, and wife came in Tuesday from Fort Davis for a short visit here.

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

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Copper were visitors in Vernon Saturday.

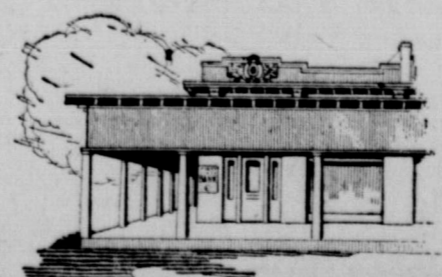
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason left yesterday for their home at Big Sandy after an extended visit with their children here. They will stop in Dallas for a week's visit with relatives.

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Impressions Made by the Passing Crowds

STILL LAND OF OPPORTUNITY

Radicals and demagogues, to get a hearing, frequently blame the capitalistic system with favoring the rich and powerful as against the poor and unfortunate. But examples can be found every day which prove that America is still the land of opportunity and that men with a purpose in life can accomplish something.

Fifty-three years ago an Irish lad of nine came to the United States with his parents. He went to the public schools and started work as an office boy. He is now president of the American Bankers Association, the world's largest financial organization. He is also president of one of the largest savings banks in this country.

Twelve years ago a Philadelphia junkman was barely eking out an existence with a boney horse and rickety wagon. His business presented an opportunity which less ingenious men did not see—the salvaging of automobiles. He didn't linger long in the junk business. He visualized the possibilities in the field of used parts and instead of attempting to repair a wrecked car or put a second-hand car in condition for re-sale, he salvaged the parts.

Today his business is that of supplying automobile parts, of which he is said to have one million varieties. He takes pride in the fact that he can supply parts for virtually every car made since 1912. His orders come from all parts of the United States—some for a single part and others by truck loads.

In addition to becoming immensely wealthy, he has performed a useful service by salvaging waste material

that would never have been restored to usefulness.

These are but two striking examples of the democracy of opportunity in America, and when someone tells you that opportunities come only to those who have accumulated money, just be reminded that resourcefulness and a willingness to work brings rewards regardless of your station in life or financial condition.

THE WORST ROAD MENACE

Speeding, narrow roads and intoxicated drivers were the three principal causes of automobile accidents last year in Indiana, and what was true of this state is largely true of every other state in the nation.

Although narrow roads and speed maniacs are a menace to motorists, they do not compare with the danger that a drunken man behind an automobile wheel represents.

He who, while intoxicated and driving a motor vehicle, causes the death of another person, should be made to pay the penalty just as any other slayer does.

Being under the influence of liquor is not extenuating circumstances. Liquor is never forced on a man against his will. He drinks it deliberately, while in full control of his faculties.

For what he does afterwards, he may not be accountable, but that is beside the point. Every man of ordinary intelligence knows that if he drinks too much, he is very apt to do things that he will later regret, and the time to avoid trouble is before, not after, imbibing too freely in strong drink.

Tarver's Mattress Factory

Mattresses, comforts and pillows made to order; old ones made new. We use machinery. Beautiful ticking. Hays house, 5th block west of Henry's Hardware.

A man can get all of the loafing that's good for him while he's asleep.

When a good thing comes along, everyone should move over and make room for it.

There might be fewer bad bargains in married life if there were less bargains in the beginning.

Vanity does not like to be perpetually jolted. Don't forget this when your wife gets a new hat.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. Stagner, 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 48th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 48th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, to be held at the court house thereof, in the City of Crowell, on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1925, the same being the 16th day of February, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1219, wherein Laura Stagner is plaintiff and J. H. Stagner is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff has been for a period of twelve months prior to the filing of this petition an actual bona-fide inhabitant of this state and has resided in Foard County for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit; that defendant's action and conduct toward her generally is of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable.

Therefore plaintiff prays the court that the defendant be cited as made and provided for by law, to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, and that her former name Laura Giddings, be restored to her, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have you 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 this 13th day of January, A. D. 1925. (Seal) GRACE NORRIS, Clerk District Court, Foard County, Texas.



New Spring Hats

A nice assortment of New Spring Hats for women and children have arrived and we can please you in the styles and price. We invite you to come to this store when you get ready to buy.

BLAW & ROSENTHAL

We keep the prices down where they belong.

Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

MOVING FORWARD

LET no day of your existence pass in which you do not proceed toward loftier thoughts and higher ideals.

Keep thinking and pressing ahead. Let neither fear nor doubt of ability retard you.

Growth, activity of mind and body are essential to the proper development of the mental and physical forces which have been given you to make it fit to do battle with and overcome the obstacles that impede your path to greater efficiency and larger achievement.

All nature calls for activity. Nothing is dormant. The winds and the tides are in constant motion. The sun and the stars are always shining, performing their part in the marvelous scheme of things, of which scientists, with their great worldly knowledge know but a snattering.

The idle pool of water becomes stagnant, but within it there is an insidious activity, producing foulness, decay, disease and death.

To be active in the right direction ought to be the chief purpose of every human being.

The habit of creative activity, when once it is formed, soon becomes tenacious as the besetting practice of indolence, with none of the latter's tendencies to tear down, demoralize and destroy.

All the world's industries, all enduring literature and art, all that contributes to happiness, all the advancements made in the thousands of wonderful fields of human endeavor, had their beginning in the minds of men and women who kept pressing toward a definitely defined object, determined in their purpose to overcome.

They could vision the sunlight through the darkest clouds.

They refused to falter in their course though often worn and hungry.

They locked arms with faith and faith never forsook them, giving them strength, cheer and courage as they pressed forward.

Trials and discouragements, of which there were many, were brushed aside, never being permitted to cool their ardor or weaken their spirit. In the final hour of their struggles they stood with joyous hearts among the victors, beckoning you to follow!

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Fast Colors

"Are those colors fast?" asked the woman at the cheap dress goods counter.

"They are the swiftest ever, madam," replied the truthful clerk. "After they once get started they run so fast you couldn't catch them with a racing automobile."

The cross word puzzle is not so much a fad as it is a disease.

Quanah-Crowell

Transfer
Leaves Crowell 4:30 P. M.
W. B. Brown

CONTRACT WORK

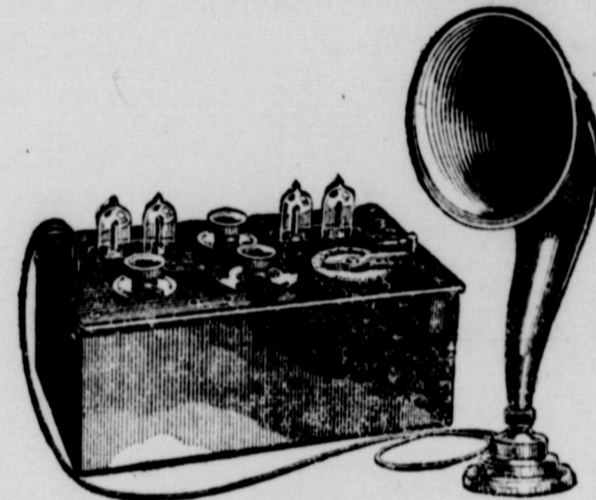
See me individually for your contract work. I shall be glad to make estimates on any kind of carpenter work you want done.
H. D. POLAND

Feed and Hay Phone 159

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



"RADIOLA IIIA"

Compact, selection and nation-wide loud speaker operation completely installed

\$112.50

L. A. BEVERLY

FEDERAL TIRES LAST

Business or pleasure may take you over many a rough road during the year. What consolation, then, to know that you have Tires on your car you're sure will "stand the gaff!"

Old age alone spells the end of Federal Tires. They'll give you more mileage than any other on the market, and they are priced right.

ROSS & DANIELS

S. H. ROSS and J. E. DANIELS
At the Quick Service Station

"with a Service That Satisfies"

PHOTOS OF QUALITY

Copying and enlarging, tinting and framing, kodaks, kodak films, kodak albums and art corners, kodak finishing with care—one day service. We go out and make school groups or any kind of view work by an appointment.

QUALITY and SERVICE STUDIO
Box 317
Crowell, Texas

TEXACO PRODUCTS

Are just a little better and cost no more. Why not get the best and eliminate all annoyances resulting from using the inferior kinds.

The Texas Company

PERCY FERGESON, Agent

An Exide Costs No More

You don't have to be lucky to get a good Exide. Long life and dependability are built into them. And yet they cost no more. Ask us to show you the Exide made especially for your car.

C. E. FLOWERS

Exide Battery Service Station, East Side Square, Crowell
Low First Cost—Lowest Last Cost

MOVED

I have moved my office to Swaim's Garage.

TEXHOMA OIL AND REFINING CO.

W. B. Wheeler, Agent
Day Phone 158 Night Phone 252

Only Two More Days of the Big Clearance Sale

The January Clearance Sale will close Saturday, according to our announcement. You have only two more days in which to buy seasonable merchandise at these special bargain prices.

Better come in before this sale is over. We have many articles yet at big money-saving values.

Crowell Dry Goods Co.

ALL WORN OUT

So Was Mrs. Sanders Who Tells Her Experience

Are you tired all the time; worn-out night and day? Does your back ache as if it would break? Do you suffer dizziness, headaches, rheumatic twinges or distressing urinary disorders. You have good cause, then, to be alarmed about your kidneys. Do as many of your townfolk recommend. Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. This Crowell case is convincing:

Mrs. L. O. Sanders, P. O. Box 53, Crowell, says: "Backache caused me more trouble than anything else. My back was so weak and painful I could just about stand up at the ironing board. Sharp, cutting twinges took me when I bent over and I became run down and worn-out. Spells of dizziness were usually accompanied by blurred sight and I felt nervous. My kidneys acted irregularly, too. Doan's Pills drove away this attack of kidney trouble."

If the legislature would repeal as many laws as it passes, then we might be able to forgive the legislators.

People who are looking for soft berths generally find them in the possession of someone who has worked for them.

The man who never forgets that high class securities pay low rates of interest is a poor customer for the "wild cat" stock salesman.

Life is a puzzle at best, and cross words only make it more difficult to solve.

Another campaign has passed and the parking problem hasn't been solved.

When a girl who can't cook gets married, the odds are in favor of the divorce court.

THE INSURANCE MYTH

At this season when fires are more frequent, due to extreme weather, we often read in the newspaper account of the fire, "fully covered by insurance," or "partially covered by insurance."

It's a myth, says a well known man who has made an extensive study of insurance. And what he says is doubtless true.

Insurance never covers the entire loss on the factory, the home or the store. It never replaces the lost job, the loss of business, the valuable records or keepsakes of the home, nor can it compensate in any way for the tragedies that may be blamed on fire.

Yet our conscience is quieted by the old phrase, "fully covered by insurance."

When inclined to grow careless about fire, just remember that if you are insured to the limit, the face of the policy will not take the place of the many valuable things that would be destroyed.

Henry Machac has returned from a visit with relatives at Temple and Shiner. He ordered the paper sent to Anton Hodanek, Shiner.

Walter Wilkins was here Thursday of last week from Paducah looking after business interests.

After a girl "comes out," she goes out, and then her mother worries because she stays out.

"Softening" is worse when it attacks the backbone than when the brain is affected.

Furs Wanted

Wolf and skunk hides bought at Ringgold's Variety Store. Will try and pay you in Crowell, Texas, as much net as you will get in Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City or Denver. Try me out with a lot. Take no chances or gamble with your furs, when you will know what you will get before you turn them loose. The other way you don't—just take what they send you.

Fellow Chicken Raisers of Foard Co. The editor of this paper is interested in more and better poultry and is willing to give us room here to tell what we are doing along this line.

We should thank him by making this space as interesting as possible. So let's everybody get busy and either write, phone or come in person and tell about that new brooder house you are building, or those fine baby chicks, perhaps you have a flock of hens laying better than the average. Keep a record and get it in this column. It might encourage some one else to buy better hens. That means good business for you.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holman are turning their attention to R. I. Reds this season. They have a nice flock of them and we expect some interesting

reports before the hatching season is over.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bell are making preparations for an early hatch of White Leghorns. They have ordered two of M. Johnson's Imperial cockerels at \$30 each. These are of his best egg laying strain; also 400 eggs from the same strain to set half the incubator. The other half will be filled with eggs from their own flock.

Mr. Rennels, county agent, is making an effort to put on a two days poultry and agricultural school next month for the benefit of everyone interested enough to attend.

Mell Houssouer reports the first chicks hatched and therefore wins the two weeks' ad in the News.

POULTRY

The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager
WILL ROGERS



Will Rogers, chief folk and scene star, and leading American humorist, announces a series of "Bull" Durham advertisements. They are worth watching for.



THE LISTENERS

ONE cold winter's morning, when the snow had been on the ground in the woods so long that all the wood folks were getting pretty hungry, little Bunny Rabbit and his brother, Nibbly, ran out of their house dressed in their warm fur coats.

The sun was warm and they did not mind the snow. Besides, they had eaten a good breakfast of stewed turnips and other things that prudent Mrs. Rabbit had canned for the winter days.

"Let's run over to old Mr. Fox's house and listen to what he and his wife are talking about," said Bunny.



Two Frightened Little Rabbits Hopped Away Under Bushes.

"They are sure to be saying something they will not want us to hear. And then we will laugh some day when we see them and call out what we have heard them saying."

"But some day they might catch us," said Nibbly. "That wouldn't be very funny if they did."

"Oh, they would not hurt us," said Bunny. "They'd rather have chicken and duck for dinner than anything else."

Now, it happened that Mr. Fox and his wife were very hungry that morning and were eating the very last of some turkey they had had the night before for dinner. "I can't get out of the woods today to get any poultry,"

Mr. Fox was telling his wife when Bunny and Nibbly crept up to the door to listen.

"Well, there is something right in the woods we could eat," replied Mrs. Fox. "I'd rather have turkey or chicken but when I am hungry I don't mind rabbit stew."

"Rabbit stew?" exclaimed Mr. Fox. "That is the very dish for a cold day like this, and I am sure I can find a few onions when I find a pair of nice rabbits."

"We can have fried rabbit, too," said Mrs. Fox. "And a baked one would not go badly. I do believe I could eat one this minute if I had it."

"So could I," said Mr. Fox, "and as soon as I finish eating this turkey bone I'll run around and get two young rabbits I know about; perhaps more, but two anyway."

"Bunny and Nibbly would be good in a stew," said Mrs. Fox, "and I will put the pot right on this minute and have it ready when you bring them back. I do hope they have eaten a lot this winter so that they will be nice and plump."

All this time the long ears of the listeners were sticking right up straight and their eyes were growing big and frightened looking, while their noses trembled so they could hardly breathe.

By the time Mrs. Fox got out the pot two frightened little rabbits hopped away under bushes and anything that would hide them and made their way home to tell what they had heard.

"I guess they will keep away from here for a while," laughed Mr. Fox as he and his wife peeked out the window at the flying little rabbits. "They will learn a lesson, too, that listeners never hear any good of themselves."

"If I had not happened to see them we might have been talking about something we would not want them to hear."

"That is right," said Mr. Fox. "And we won't have rabbit stew for dinner, after all, for this minute I am certain those youngsters are hidden so far back in their home that it would take a week to dig them out. We'll have turkey soup out of the bones left from breakfast."

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1925 CREED

I will vote at every public election, trying first to inform myself on the candidates and the questions to be voted upon.

I will try to buy stock in some local industry or utility serving my own locality, and help it to build up payrolls and values and sobriety in my home town.

I will obey the laws as they are written; it may be as offensive to my neighbor for me to dodge taxes or make booze or exceed the speed laws, as it is to me for him to rob or burn or violate my home.

I will work at my job as though I believed in it.

I will try to make my street the best street in town.

I will practice the belief that prosperity and good government and neighborly love is here now, and to stay, if I will but accept and live it.—Industrial Review.

When you see a big strong man carrying a cane, you are inclined to wonder if the trouble isn't under his hat.

An Indiana man is raising a new crop of hair and another set of teeth at 68. While there's life there's hope.

Radio programs that get you up early in the morning instead of keeping you up all night, would be more beneficial, if not popular.

The law is not what the legislatures and congress enact, so much as it is what the people decide it ought to be.

At the Christian Science Chapel Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Testimonial services Wednesday at 7:15 p. m. Subject for Sunday, Feb. 1, "Love." The public is invited.

It is fortunate for us that the Fathers didn't decide on the European plan when they founded our government.

For Sale on Easy Terms We have about 18 good work mules for sale on easy terms. See us quick if you are going to need a good team. 30 M. S. HENRY & CO.

Motorists who drive a car with one hand can scarcely be called forehanded.

If you want

the real truth about why I signed up to write a lot of pieces for these people, it's because I love animals. Have you ever studied that picture of the 'Bull' carefully? . . . have you ever seen such a kind-looking animal? I thought this:—certainly no one who cares as much about dumb creatures as they do would put out anything but the best smoking tobacco possible—so I said all right, I'll write your stuff. Honestly, the money part of it didn't have much to do with it. That is, not very much.

Seriously, though, out where I come from, unless a male member of the population has got that 'Bull' Durham tag hanging from the shirt pocket, he's liable to be arrested for indecent exposure. And, you believe me, you can't sell those western hard-boiled eggs much and keep on selling them unless it's got class.

Will Rogers

P. S. I'm going to write some more pieces that will appear in this paper. Keep looking for them.

MORE OF EVERYTHING for a lot less money. That's the net of this 'Bull' Durham proposition. More flavor—more enjoyment—and a lot more money left in the bankroll at the end of a week's smoking.

TWO BAGS for 15 cents
100 cigarettes for 15 cents



'BULL' DURHAM

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co. INCORPORATED

The legislature says it with laws and invariably is too talkative.

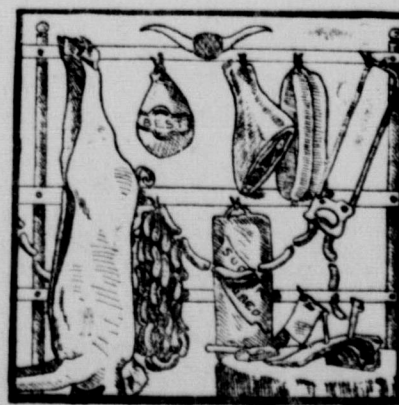
Another Great Price Reduction

Now Overland stands alone as the world's lowest priced car with Sliding Gear Transmission.

- All Steel Touring \$495
- All Steel Business Coupe . . . \$635
- All Steel Sedan \$715
- Coupe Sedan \$5.85

f. o. b. Factory

OVERLAND SALES CO.
M. C. WISDOM, Local Agent



Sanitary Market

A Good Assortment

No matter what you buy, you like to go where you can find a GOOD ASSORTMENT.

We will not disappoint you in this regard, as we have a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of everything an dean give you just what you want.

Q. R. Miller, Propr.

Kant-Fade Wash Fabrics

We have just opened our spring line of KANT-FADE wash fabrics including all the popular colors in suitings and printed crepes.

Every piece of goods carrying the famous KANT-FADE label is guaranteed against fading from any cause. We will replace the cost of the goods together with the cost of making the garment should any piece of KANT-FADE material fail to be fast color.

You run no risk in buying KANT-FADE washable fabrics. Let us show you the many new patterns just received.

1892 **R. B. Edwards Co.** 1925

Notary Public Appointments

All who desire to have their names placed on the list of Notaries of Foard County will please write me at once as I am now making up my list to hand to our Senator, and I shall be glad to complete the list within the next few days.

E. L. COVEY,
Representative, District 114.

That cruel burning inflammation is cooled and soothed by

Heiskell's Ointment

Perhaps the trouble is Eczema. Heiskell's Ointment will heal it just as effectively as it does less serious skin trouble. At your Druggist, send for a sample. Johnston, Holloway & Co., Philada.

J. R. Beverly

Conveyancing, Abstracts and Land Loans
Crowell, Texas

DON'T BE THE GOAT

Make your dollars have more cents. Patronize the City Meat Market, where your trade is always appreciated, and you can always obtain the best in meats, fresh meat and cured meats of all kinds. Located in Haney-Rasor Grocery, north side square.

CITY MEAT MARKET
In Haney-Rasor Grocery, North Side

Teaching Fire Precention in Public Schools

The State Fire Insurance Commission announces a State contest for the best Fire Prevention Poster. The contest is open to all pupils below the high school in the public schools of the State.

\$85.00 in Prizes Donated as Follows:

- First prize\$25.00
- Second prize\$15.00
- Third prize\$10.00
- Next Best Seven, each\$5.00

For further information see

Leo Spencer, Agent

BEING GOOD ON \$600 A WEEK

Harry Snodgrass, prison-made and radio-made, walked out of prison into a job paying him \$600 a week.

From an unknown penitentiary inmate known only by number, he has risen to be proclaimed "king of the ivories" by admiring radio listeners in the four corners of the United States.

His playing has merit of a sort, else it would not have won such widespread recognition. He possessed the same talent before he "held up" a candy kitchen in St. Louis and was sentenced to three years inside the bleak gray walls.

In any event, fate played him a good trick when he was caught and "sent" up for violating the law—a thing that fate seldom does under such circumstances.

Snodgrass in a farewell radio talk promised to be good. His staunch admirers who have showered him with gifts hope he will.

He may escape the law in the future, but he will find it more difficult to be good with \$600 a week than without it.

THE DAYS RIGHT AFTER

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WHEN they had come away from her and left her in her house alone.

When there was nothing more to do but cut his name upon the stone.

I thought how cruel kindness is, how selfish all our sympathy.

When they had come away from her and left her all alone to be.

When he was there, and in the house, however pale, however dumb.

When still his earthly form she had, then it was good of us to come.

But, oh, the days right after! then I think they need us even more.

Than when the shades shut out the sun and when the crepe is on the door.

Let's never get our kindness done, let's never let our comfort end, as long as sorrow needs our love, as long as trouble needs a friend. Let us remember, in the time of loss and loneliness and care, The days right after always are the hardest days of all to bear.

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The great drawback to practical jokes is that they are all too often impractical.

Stop Night Coughing This Simple Way

People who have persistent, annoying coughing spells at night, and who through loss of valuable sleep are weakening their systems and laying themselves open to dangerous infections, can stop their distressing trouble promptly by a very simple treatment. Hundreds who have hardly been able to rest at all for coughing, have gotten their full night's sleep the very first time they tried it.

The treatment is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take a teaspoonful at night before retiring and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it, without following with water. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. The result is that you usually sleep as soundly as a babe the very first night, and the entire cough condition goes in a very short time.

The prescription is highly recommended for coughs, chest colds, hoarseness and bronchitis, and is wonderful for children's coughs and spasmodic croup—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. It is on sale at all good druggists. Ask for



Have You This Habit?

By Margaret Morison

TACTLESSNESS

THE very day of Mrs. Jones' dinner party, Percy and Percy Lord heard of Edward Jones' divorce from his wife.

"Dinner is to come off just the same," said Percy, "but for heaven's sake, don't bring up the subject of Edward."

A few hours later the Lords arrived at the Jones house. "Good evening," said Percy to her hostess, "how is Edward?"

It was always like that; she always said just what she hadn't meant to say. Outside she carried it off smiling, but inside she was "full of dead men's bones."

At last they went in to the table, and Percy drew a deep breath and fixed her attention firmly on the things she must not talk about. She must not mention politics or religion in a general gathering. Then, "How shall you vote?" she heard herself asking her dinner partner; and remembered too late Percy's saying that that was the unforgivable direct question to a man. "My husband is a Republican," she hastened to add as her neighbor declared himself a Democrat.

So it went from bad to worse. The climax came when, growing more and more rattled, she took up her knife and fork to deal with fried chicken, and, before she knew it, sent her side-bone sailing down the table square at the guests two seats beyond her. "Catch it on the wing," cried that lady rescuing the escaped bird; and Percy, when everybody laughed instead of looking embarrassed, wondered why she could never turn an awkward situation into a joke.

As they left the Jones', Percy heard one man say to another, "If Percy Lord were my wife, I'd send her to a sanitarium." Percy, as was his custom, looked sad and said nothing.

But that stray remark set Percy thinking; and one day she went to see the great Doctor Williams, who was a family friend. After he had heard her out and asked several leading questions, Doctor Williams said:

"You're obsessed with the idea of what you mustn't do. Loosen up—stop struggling to avoid imagined social dangers—think of what people like instead of what they don't like—"

HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?
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The trouble with too many parents is that they seem to have lost the sense of direction when it comes to steering boys and girls. If you want to make a record, choose a field where the competition is not keen. There's being good, for example.

One good turn deserves another, providing you do not turn in the middle of the block.

A business that gets absent treatment from a winter resort is functioning under heavy odds.

Are You Planning a Home This Year?

At the beginning of the year is the time to lay your plans for the coming twelve months and if they include that home of which you have dreamed, now is the best time to prepare for spring building.

Owning a home is the aspiration of every man. He who plans well and builds well will never have any regrets.

Cicero Smith Lbr. Co.

The Best Is None Too Good

This is the motto followed at this garage. Honest workmanship must constitute its foundation. Therefore the best is none too good for our customers.

HI-WAY GARAGE
J. E. THOMPSON, Manager

INSTALLING THE "M" System

We have installed the "M" system of the cash-and-carry plan and in the future our business will be on a strictly cash basis. By doing this we are eliminating quite a bit of expense, giving the saving to our customers.

We will open Saturday morning for business under the new plan and we want every one to come and visit us. Our delivery wagon will be continued.

We hope to have a continuation of your patronage, believing that the new plan will be found to our mutual advantage.

Watch our display window.

Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.