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Bond Election for Roads Called Wednesday, Apr. 27

Another road bond election has been called by the commissioners to be held Wednesday, April 27. The order was issued upon a petition signed by more than 200 names submitted to the commissioners last week. This is being carried in this week's paper and will run for three weeks in succession.

It is put into the paper to be read and every voter in the county should make it a point to read this and see for himself what it is. The issue is to be for \$400,000 and will be for the purpose of hard-surfacing a portion of the roads of the county. It is understood that Lee Highway is to be connected up on the east and on the west with Wilbarger and Cottle counties, making this an unbroken stretch of hard-surfaced highway. Those two counties have already voted bonds for this and other roads within their bounds and it is desired that Foard build its portion of this National highway.

It is also understood that the State and Federal Governments will put up at least 50 per cent of the money, and in all probability more. There is reason to expect that we will get two dollars for one.

Counties west of us are waiting to see what Foard is going to do in this matter. They feel that if the bonds carry here, request for aid will be more favorably considered, but should we not vote to connect, their building program might be so changed as to disturb present plans and cause connections in other directions. There is a great amount of talk about road building in West Texas and within the next few years there is going to be some mighty strong efforts made to establish trans-continental traffic in different portions of the country.

We believe Foard County will not allow this opportunity of helping to lay a stretch of trans-continental highway through its territory pass. We can not begin to conceive the certain benefits of such highway to our county.

Grain Crop in East Damaged by Green Bugs

According to the Denton Record-Chronicle, the green bugs have been damaging the small grain crops in Denton County considerably, and fear is expressed that continued warm weather will be followed by a new crop of pests.

"The green bugs," says the Chronicle, "according to a bulletin published by the A. & M. College, live an average of 23 days and for about half this time the female produces living young. As the production of young continues for about 14 days there always is an increase in the number of bugs at work upon the grain unless the temperature is high enough to allow the wasp parasite, the usual enemy of the green bug, to work. During warm dry weather the parasite is so active that there is little trouble in controlling the green bug."

VISITS TRUSCOTT

Last Sunday, Minister L. Guy Ament, pastor of the Crowell Christian church, accompanied by several of the brethren, visited the Truscott Christian church for an afternoon service. The purpose of the services was to assist the Truscott brethren in renewing their work, and towards that end the re-organization of the Sunday School was arranged for, the organization of a young people's Endeavor society planned, and preaching Sunday morning and evening once a month was provided for. On next Sunday morning the membership with the assistance of Bro. C. V. Allen of Crowell are to meet and organize their Sunday School, at which time Bro. Allen will preach for them and likewise in the evening at the usual hour.

ART CONTEST

The following were winners of prizes in the Foard County Art contest. High School Department—Foard City, Beaver, Margaret. Intermediate Department—Foard City, Beaver, Margaret. Primary Department—Foard City, Beaver, Margaret, Crowell, Gamble, Jameson.

W. J. Teaff of O'Brien is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Lanier, and family.

School Trustees Elected Saturday

The four trustees elected for the Crowell Independent School district Saturday are A. Y. Beverly, Garland Burns, H. E. Ferguson and R. L. Taylor. Taylor and Burns were re-elected and Ferguson and Beverly are new men on the board.

There were 111 votes cast in the election and the board as it now stands is as follows: A. Y. Beverly, Garland Burns, Tom Bursey, Dr. J. M. Hill, B. F. Ellis, H. E. Ferguson, R. L. Taylor.

These men have a great responsibility, especially at this time when we are trying to build a new building, and the big thing to do is for every patron of the district to give them his heartiest co-operation. If they do not make any mistakes they will be different from any people you have ever seen, but they will use every precaution to avoid such, and that they will give us a service as good as can be rendered by any group of seven men to be selected is our belief. Let us give them our confidence and support.

Heavy Vote Cast in City Election

The heaviest vote ever cast in the city election at Crowell was that of Tuesday. There were 421 votes polled.

C. T. Schlagal was elected as mayor, receiving 393. He had no opposition.

The aldermen elected were A. L. Johnson, who received 328 votes; R. D. Fox, 287; J. R. Rasor, 301; O. O. Hollingsworth's name was written on the ticket and he received 60 votes. The vote for marshal was Ed Adams, 44; R. J. Thomas, 224; Henley Good 53; P. D. Moseley, 96. Thomas was running for re-election.

Eggs and Cream Pay Grocery Bills

Lee Roy Cox of Foard City says he does not worry about how he is going to pay his grocery bill since he has been selling eggs and cream. The weekly income from that source, he says, is around \$15.00. The cream check amounts to about \$10.00 while the eggs bring four and five dollars.

This is the experience of every one who has given these reasonable attention. They find them to be paying propositions and well worth the time devoted to them.

Pool Reported in Egg Laying Contest

H. B. Pool of this city is mentioned as one of the leading poultry breeders in the National Egg Laying Contest conducted at the A. & M. College at College Station. The report for the 31 days in March shows his flock to have produced 2758 eggs.

PRE-EASTER REVIVAL MEETING

Beginning next Sunday, the 10th, and closing the 17th, a revival meeting will be held at the Crowell Methodist church. Christian people of all denominations are cordially invited to attend and co-operate. Services will be had every morning at 10 o'clock, except the Sunday mornings, which will be at 11 o'clock. The morning services during the week will last one hour only—from 10 to 11.

The one and only purpose of this revival will be to glorify God. We want to help the lost of our town and community to Christ. We desire to see the children of God lifted to a higher plane of Christian living, and our effort and prayer shall be that this may be one of the results of this meeting. If you also desire these things, attend these services and help us to reach that goal, under the blessing of our God. Your friend and brother, W. J. MAYHEW.

SPECIAL ALL-DAY EASTER SERVICE AT VIVIAN

On Easter Sunday at Vivian school house the following program will be carried out:

10:00 o'clock—Regular Sunday School services.

10:45 o'clock—Special program by school children.

11:45 o'clock—Easter Sermon by Bro. C. V. Allen.

1:00 o'clock—An old-fashioned dinner spread.

3:00 o'clock—Special sermon and singing, by Rev. Ament and singers from Crowell Christian church.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the full day's services. Come, enjoy yourself and help make the day a big success.—Contributed.

Mrs. Claude Adams is here from Austin visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberts.

Minnick Polo Tournament to Start April 23

Jim Minnick has been here several days getting things ready for the big polo tournament to start at his ranch Saturday, April 23, and to continue over May 1st.

Every one in this community remembers the interesting occasion of last spring when Mr. Minnick had his first polo tournament on the ranch. A number of teams from various points in Texas and Oklahoma were here and thousands of people here and from adjoining counties attended all or some of these games. This year promises to be an event on a still larger scale with more teams to contest for honors.

Seven teams have already entered, according to Mr. Minnick. These will include representatives from the University of Oklahoma; Wichita, Kansas; Dallas, Texas; Ponca City, Okla.; Wichita Falls; Fort Reno, Okla.; Crowell, Texas. It is expected that army teams from Fort Sill, Okla., and Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will be entered in the tournament, and also teams from Houston and Fort Worth.

This event is the only ranch polo tournament, it is said, in the United States, and the thousands of people attracted to it last year are expected to be more than duplicated this year.

Interest is daily increasing as the date of the tournament nears and visitors in great numbers from Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, and other sections of the Southwest will be present during the nine days' program, according to present indications.

Census Shows Crowell to Have 645 Scholastics

There has been some increase in the scholastics of the Crowell Independent school district since last year but we have not the figures at hand and can not get them until we have learned the scholastics of the districts to be consolidated with Crowell. But the scholastics of the Crowell district, as shown by the census just enumerated, are 645. This includes 36 colored scholastics and leaves Crowell 609 whites.

We might say that the colored scholastics of the county has been furnished us. There are 71 colored pupils of school age in Foard County. 36 of these are at Crowell, 19 at Thalia, 10 at Margaret and 6 at Rayland. The only colored school maintained in the county is the one at Crowell.

Crowell Man Sells Sheep to Childress

A deal was made recently whereby T. M. Beverly of this city turned over to the city of Childress 40 Shropshire ewes with lambs to be put in the 80-acre city park near Childress.

The deal was consummated by Luther Hunter, county agent of Childress county, and Ben Carter of the board of city development. The price paid for the sheep was \$15 per ewe and lamb, a total of \$600.

These sheep will be put in the park to graze down the weeds.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. Guy Ament, Pastor

A welcome awaits you at the services at the Christian church and a cordial invitation to all strangers and visitors to worship with us. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. Bring some one with you. Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. Be on time. Next week the Women's Missionary society has the week of prayer. On Monday and Wednesday and Friday at 4 p. m. All the ladies are invited to attend these services during the week of prayer and self denial. On Easter Sunday morning at 6:30 to 7:30 there will be a sun-rise prayer meeting. Every Christian in the community and city are invited. This will be very spiritual and helpful meeting. The Christian Endeavor will meet Sunday at 6:30 p. m. All the young people are invited.

Mrs. Frank S. Hofues of Dallas was here last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, and other relatives and friends.

To Get Shipment of Black Bass for the City Lake Here

According to a communication received by Mayor George Self from Representative Marvin Jones, Crowell will get a shipment of fish as soon as this year's output is ready for distribution. Mr. Jones has taken this matter up with the Bureau of Fisheries and has the assurance of the commissioner that this matter will be attended to, which will not be later than June, and possibly the last of May.

We would have gotten a shipment of fish earlier had it not been for high waters last summer that caused a loss to the fisheries.

There are a few bass in the lake now but not enough to insure rapid stocking of the lake, but it will not be a great while after the shipment reaches us until we shall see an abundance of fish in the lake.

Farmer Finds Sheep Very Prolific Animals

Fred Borchardt has had most remarkable success in the increase of a bunch of Shropshires on his farm this year. He had 39 ewes that now have 68 lambs.

Those who have experimented with sheep find that they are pretty good animals to have on the farm. They increase rapidly and keep pastures in good condition, since they feed on weeds, and therefore can run in the same pasture with other animals without injuring the grazing. Then, they produce splendid revenue with each annual clip. By killing out the wolves and making fences that will hold sheep, the industry ought to become a leading one in this country.

Parent-Teachers Association

The Crowell P. T. A. met Tuesday afternoon at 3:15 at the school building with splendid attendance of both parents and teachers.

A program relating to the music memory contest was given by seventh grade pupils from Miss Winnie Self's room. An outline of what the music memory work is was given by Mary Frances Self. Ida Pearl Harris gave a synopsis of the opera, "Il Trovatore" by Verdi and played the second "Miserere" from that opera with Rubinstein including facts concerning the composer himself. This record was also played. Frances Allison gave a sketch concerning "Santa Lucia" a neapolitan folk song, and Lella Ben Allee discussed "A Merry Life" by Denza, also a song from Italy. These two numbers were sung by a chorus of twelve girls. These selections are being studied in the music memory contest made possible by the Columbian Club.

In connection with the program, the pictures were shown which were recently awarded as prizes to the rooms making the highest averages in the art contest, sponsored by the Adelpian Club. These pictures are "Children of the Shell," by Murielle Spanish, and won by Miss Cryer's second grade; "The Last Supper," by Leonardo La Vinci, Italian, won by Miss Self's seventh grade, and "Peace and Plenty" by Inness, American, won by Miss Grant's freshman room.

The business meeting was held after the program. Saturday, April 23, was set for the date for a Silver Tea to be given by the P. T. A. at the home of the president, Mrs. B. W. Self. It is hoped that a state officer may be secured to speak at this time in the interest of the P. T. A. work. An arrangement committee consisting of Mrs. T. P. Reeder, Mrs. S. T. Crews and Miss Lottie Woods was appointed.

A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to represent the P. T. A. in a joint meeting with the city council and committees from other organizations of the town concerning the passing of a chicken law. Mrs. Bob Allee, Mrs. Fred Rennels and Mrs. J. C. Allen were appointed on this committee.

Miss Cryer's second grade received the prize, a Victrola record, for having the largest number of mothers present.

The next meeting of the P. T. A. will be held on Tuesday, April 19, at 3:15 at the school building. The P. T. A. is growing and is proving itself to be a live organization with the betterment of school conditions its chief purpose. All persons interested in the welfare of the community at large and the school in particular, are invited to attend its meetings.—Reporter.

Mrs. C. M. McKown and two children returned to her home at Vernon Sunday afternoon after having spent a couple of weeks here on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. R. P. Womack.

Program of Foard County C. of C.

Following is the program that has been outlined for the Chamber of Commerce for the year, also the budget committee working for the aim of the organization for a \$4,000 budget. Committee, C. V. Allen, chairman; Marion Hagston, W. E. Womack, Que Miller, Dr. H. Schindler.

The program of work follows: Agriculture—Support dairy development, promote a county fair and assist in other fairs, shows and contests within the county, promote poultry and turkey raising, encourage small tract diversified farming, promotion of farm contests.

Retail Trade Extensions—Create better contact with present trade territory, extend trade territory, promote good will and better understanding and co-operation between town and country, work for better construction, repairing, dragging and marking all roads, promotion of community visits and an annual good will trip.

Civic Improvements—Make Foard County attractive to tourists and immigrants, promote beautification of homes, streets and highways, encourage tree, shrub and flower planting, encourage vacant lot cleaning, promote a street cleaning plan, encourage street paving and sidewalk construction, encourage the removal or repair of "eye sore" structures, encourage modern, permanent and attractive buildings, promotion of "Pretty Homes Contest," Clean-up Campaign.

Publicity and Immigration—Advertise Foard County generally, furnish news items and special articles to state, sectional and local newspapers, farm and commercial publications, advertise in selected farm publications, have representatives and exhibits at State Fair and if possible at sectional fairs, have organized delegation at Wichita Falls during West Texas C. of C. convention, compile data relative to Foard County resources and use in folders, briefs, etc., for distribution, get county ready for immigration with more farm homes, subdividing of large acreages, etc.

Special Activities—Secure practical industries, secure good roads, work on hotel project, work to secure new rail lines, encourage oil development, establish Crowell as the distribution and concentration point for oil development in this section.

AYERSVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

Grandpa and Grandma Fox attended church at Thalia Sunday and took dinner with his daughter, Mrs. E. V. Cato, and family of that place. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with F. J. Jonas and family.

Jim Fuljham and wife and Mrs. Free and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Johnson.

Vernon Pyle and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Meadow of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrow attended baseball and basket ball games at Thalia Friday.

Mrs. R. C. Johnson and little daughter, Evelyn, and Mrs. C. D. Haney and infant son, and Bob Martin of Talmadge spent Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz.

Ray Jonas attended church at Black school house Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Payne of Vernon, pastor of Thalia Baptist church took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz. He went from here to Foard City to be in a meeting this week.

Mrs. Alfred Derrington and Mrs. Abston and family were in Vernon Saturday.

Dave Shultz is helping his brother, Walter, build a house in Vernon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan left Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Hickman, in Randlett, Okla., expecting to return home Monday.

Juliet Free has spent the past two weeks with Grandma Free of Black community.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrow spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chandler of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson and daughter of Talmadge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle.

Ray Pyle worked Tuesday for J. L. Shultz at Thalia.

Mrs. Stewart and children spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ely, near Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Shultz and two daughters, Irene and Robbie, of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shultz of Vernon attended church at Thalia Sunday and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion James and children spent Friday night in Vernon with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Odle and the latter accompanied them home.

BUYS POLO PONIES

C. H. Featherstone, captain of the Wichita Falls Polo team, was here Saturday and purchased two polo ponies from Shirley & Offield. His team will be in the contest for honors at the tournament on the Minnick ranch.

J. R. Hutchison Dies at Home in San Dimas, Cal.

A wire was received here Saturday morning from Clayton Hutchison, Pomona, Calif., stating that his father, J. R. Hutchison, had died at his home in San Dimas on the evening before, April 1st.

Some weeks ago Mr. Hutchison had a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered. About a year ago he recovered from a severe attack of the flu, followed by mastoid trouble, and it is thought paralysis finally grew out of that trouble.

Mr. Hutchison was one of the pioneer citizens of this section of the country. He once resided at Quannah, having been engaged in the lumber business there for some years, and later moved to Crowell where he continued in that business here until about 1909, when he sold out and went into the grocery business here. Later he sold his interests here and moved to Covina, California, in the year 1912, making that his home for some years, at the same time having ranch interests near Ontario. A few years ago he disposed of his ranch and bought a home in San Dimas where he and his wife have resided since.

Besides his wife he is survived by two sons, C. E. Hutchison, Covina, Calif., Clayton Hutchison, Pomona, Calif., and daughter, Miss Jessie Hutchison, Houston, Texas.

All the children had been at the home during the serious illness of the father until a short time before his death when Miss Jessie found it necessary to leave his bedside and return to Texas.

The body was buried at the cemetery at Covina Monday.

The death of Mr. Hutchison is a source of sorrow to his many friends in Crowell and community who knew him, and their hearts go out to the grief-stricken widow and other bereaved members of the family.

CLEAN-UP WEEK THIRD WEEK IN APRIL

The National Fire Protection Association has suggested the third week in April for a Clean-Up Campaign. The appeal is being made to every city and town in the United States and Canada to join in this movement.

After the fall and winter months accumulations of rubbish and unnecessary waste are found about every premise. These useless accumulations become a menace. They are the greatest single source from which fires start. They harbor much that is dangerous to health. Their removal, too, adds much to the beautification of the environment.

It is being suggested that the mayors and city fire marshals see to it that an organization is perfected for the carrying out of a general clean-up campaign. The chamber of commerce, or other civic organization, should be induced to take the matter in hand. All interests of the city should be enlisted in the movement.

At this time the city fire marshals should get many dangerous situations cleaned up. Boy Scouts can be had for inspections for general rubbish hazards. Public sentiment should be awakened so that it will be easier to keep things cleaned up during the year.

Clean up for safety, health, and a "city beautiful."

Very truly,
G. N. HOFTON,
State Fire Marshal.

RELIGION IN POL

Theoretically, according to constitution, no religious test is admitted as a qualification for office. Practically, we know a candidate's religion, or lack of frequently does cut a considerable figure.

For example, when James Blaine ran as the Republican candidate for the presidency in 1884 the fact that his mother was a Catholic was used against him, and when in an indiscreet moment his friend, Rev. Burchard referred to the Democrats as representing "rum, Romanism and rebellion," the tables were turned against Blaine. Cleveland carried New York and won the election.

The case of Mr. Blaine's father, Ephraim Blaine, who ran for the office of court clerk in 1842, is not so well known. He was opposed on the ground that his wife was a Catholic, and it was even charged that he was of that faith. So the elder Blaine got a certificate from the village priest, Father Murphy, which read: "This is to certify that Ephraim Blaine is not now and never was a member of the Catholic Church; and furthermore, in my opinion, he is not fit to be a member of any church." This apparent disapproval by the priest was effective, and Mr. Blaine was triumphantly elected.—Olney Enterprise.

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ANTELOPE

(By Special Correspondent)

The Sunday School picnic Saturday planned by the Baptist people for the pleasure and benefit of both Sunday Schools and the community at large was a success. Four trucks and four touring cars carried the crowd to a beautiful place on the Crowell-Quanah highway near the bridge where the program began. First there were recitations said by a number of the children and then a line formed and a kodak picture was taken of the group. Then the dinner was spread and all enjoyed the dainties prepared by loving mothers and interested friends. After dinner there was a ball game and all who wished took a part. After the ball game several numbers were played on the guitar, violin and harp and some songs were sung. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Duffey and daughter, Myrta, joined the crowd after dinner. The number present was one hundred and fifteen. Then last but not least was the "auto social" which almost every one took part in and all enjoyed. The crowd was served with pink lemonade and doughnuts. Then all started for home tired but happy.

Cap Tuggle who has been living on Walker Street at Rayland has moved across the river where he will farm. Lee Bradford of Margaret was a visitor in Rayland Monday morning. Forrest Johnson of Lockett spent Sunday night in the T. J. Coonrod home.

Mrs. Pearl Cobb and daughters visited relatives at Thalia from Friday until Sunday.

W. B. Germany and family were Vernon visitors Saturday. E. J. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. Whitten and children, George Duffey and M. L. Cribbs were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. Williams and family of Thalia have been visiting Odell Maynard and family a few days.

Those who attended the Interscholastic League meet at Vernon Friday were E. J. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley and children, Mary and Lena Coonrod, J. C. Davis and daughters, Margie and Ora, Lorraine's Glen and Mabel, Miss Elizabeth Farrington, Robert Dewey German, Delow and Bud Caldwell, Bert Abston and children, Marie, Hubert and Jim and Curtis McNabb.

Odell Maynard and sons have returned from the Plains where they have been working.

The Rayland baseball team played West Vernon Sunday afternoon. The scores were 18 to 1 in Rayland's favor. They played Thalia also, the scores being 13 to 6 in favor of Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ivy of Vernon visited relatives at Rayland Sunday.

A. C. Crisp purchased a cow and calf from Mr. Duffey of Margaret Saturday.

Luther and Bonnie Jobe spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Tom Russell, of Crowell.

Thelma Young was taken to Vernon Tuesday to have a splinter taken out of her hand. It is much better at this writing.

Mrs. T. F. Lambert and Mrs. L. W. Greenway were Crowell visitors Sunday evening.

Miss Bertha Dunson of West Rayland spent Sunday with Misses Marie and Nelma Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett Sunday afternoon.

Bryan French went to Floydada after a team of Mules, returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason attended church at Thalia Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Ben H. Roberts went to Crowell on business Saturday.

Mr. Courtney and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mansel of Rayland.

Those from this community who heard Colonel Thacker speak on good roads at Thalia Saturday night were: H. D. Lawson, G. G. Rutherford, W. J. Ayers, Tom Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutledge, J. E. Young, Lawson Farrar, A. H. Martin and family.

Several from this community attended the party at R. D. Green's of Kinchloe Saturday night.

The West Rayland school had a picnic Friday on Pease river.

Rev. E. W. Loyd, Mrs. Della German, Mrs. Laura Crisp, Mrs. Pete Gobin and Mrs. R. D. German attended the eighth annual district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of Texas at Vernon Tuesday.

Dee Roberts of Crowell was a business visitor in this community Wednesday.

R. A. Rutledge and Pete Gobin were Vernon visitors Monday.

The literary at Antelope school house Thursday night was well attended.

The Rayland and Antelope baseball teams played Thursday afternoon, the scores were 5 to 1 in Rayland's favor.

Mary Ellen Williams of Thalia spent Friday night with Ruby Maynard and attended the picnic of the Baptist Sunday school Saturday.

Miss Zelma Russell of West Rayland attended the literary at Antelope Thursday night.

Miss Florence Black spent the week-end with relatives at Crowell.

Several from this and adjoining communities attended the play at West Rayland Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Prescott and children of Elliott spent Friday night with R. R. Prescott and family.

Miss Gus Russell spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Zelma, of West Rayland.

Curtis McNabb and Hubert Abston entered the League in arithmetic at Vernon Friday. Curtis won second place and Hubert won fourth place. Evelyn Beazley and Delow Caldwell won first places in spelling.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coonrod and children, Mrs. E. W. Loyd and children visited Mrs. Dora Gregg of West Rayland Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ransom Prescott is visiting Mrs. Noble Brown of New Town this week.

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Womack Brothers

OUR 20TH YEAR IN CROWELL

John Gibson returned Thursday night from the Plains and left Monday for Archer City on business.

Jack, Carl and Vena Lawson attended the debating contests at Vernon Friday night.

Mrs. L. W. Greenway and daughter, Miss Ova Lee, and Rev. O'Kelley who have been visiting relatives at Abilene for the past week returned home Saturday.

Mr. Sutton and sons, Lois and Hubert, who have been working on the Plains, returned home Saturday.

Mr. Rains of Talmage visited in the T. J. Coonrod home Saturday night.

Ben H. Roberts received a phone message Wednesday night that his mother was very ill at Vernon. He spent every night from Wednesday night until Saturday night with her.

Robert Dewey German spent Saturday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Martha Price, of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. German visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kinchloe at Kinchloe after Sunday school Sunday.

There were eighty-eight present at the Baptist Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. Buster Kinchloe of Kinchloe spent Monday with her father, R. D. German, and family.

G. T. German, Fred Belew, Lee Fry and Mrs. T. F. Lambert were Vernon visitors Saturday.

The school trustee election was held at the Antelope school, April 2. A. T. Beazley and B. P. Abston were retained as trustees and Dewitt Edwards was elected as a new one.

The ladies at the Sunday school picnic Saturday prepared a nice box of food for each of the following ladies who were unable to attend: Mrs. Dora Gregg and Mrs. Tony Allen.

The State of Texas

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Foard County: Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Howard Duval by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive 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; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, Texas, to be held at

J. R. Beverly

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INSURANCE

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the court house thereof, in Crowell on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1927, the same being the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 1306, wherein Nettle Duval, plaintiff, and Howard Duval, defendant, and the cause of action being alleged as follows: Said petition alleging, plaintiff prays for a divorce upon the grounds of cruel treatment, and prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations and restoration of her maiden name, for cost of suit and for such other relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at my office in Crowell, Texas, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1927.

(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk, 44 District Court, Foard Co., Texas.

Albany—The Albany postoffice has made application to the department for installation of two new sections or a total of 180 new post-office boxes in order to relieve general delivery congestion.

Sherwin-Williams paints, varnishes, enamels.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

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Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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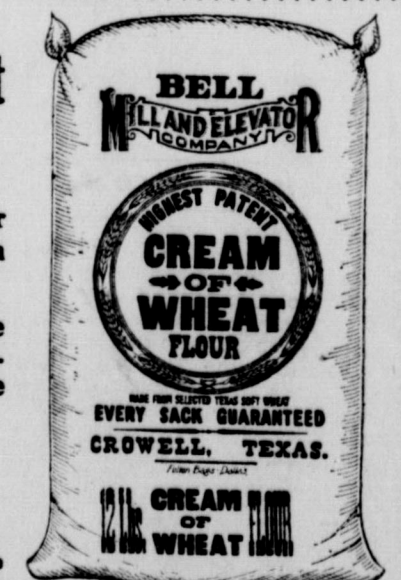
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Bridge Club Entertained

Mrs. Glenn Shults was hostess to members of the Swastika Bridge Club on Wednesday, March 16. In the games Mrs. Dow Miller won high score while consolation went to Mrs. R. J. Roberts. The hostess served a salad course to the members and Mrs. Russell Beverly as guest.—Reporter.

Lometa—The sheep raising industry is increasing materially in this section. More and better flocks than ever before are being raised. Most of the spring clip of wool has been contracted for a reasonable price and as a result, many thousands of dollars have been put into circulation here.

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

S. W. Rollins and family of Tolbert visited in the J. A. Stovall home here Saturday.

W. S. Tarver and family and Geo. Fox and family visited relatives in Davidson, Okla., Sunday.

J. A. Stovall and family visited relatives in Wichita Falls Sunday.

G. B. Burns and family of Crowell visited in the C. C. Lindsey home here Sunday.

W. H. Wood and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton of Matador visited in the T. J. Wood home here Sunday.

Also C. H. Wood and family, W. F. Wood and family, Joe Johnson, Truett Neill and wife and Miss Sherlie Short.

E. H. Roberts and daughter, Miss Jennie Lee, H. W. Gray and family, Bill Barrett, W. F. Wood, J. C. Jones, Harlie Baker, J. L. Shultz and family, Mr. Moore and Frank Wood were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Hathaway and son, Charlie, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jeffie Wood and children in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Neill are visiting relatives in Matador this week.

Mrs. C. C. Wisdom returned home Saturday from a sanitarium in Crowell. She is recovering from an operation.

Rev. Frank McNair and family of Lockett visited their daughter, Mrs. Carroll Jones, and family here Saturday.

A nice shower was given Mrs. Hugh Peoples, formerly Miss Mamie Carter, in the home of Mrs. W. S. Tarver Saturday afternoon. A large crowd attended. All report a very enjoyable time. She received many nice gifts.

Mrs. W. S. Douglas of San Angelo gave a lecture on art at the high school auditorium Friday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Mrs. M. S. Henry, Mrs. Joe Johnson and Mrs. Sam Bell of Crowell.

A large crowd attended the highway lecture at the high school auditorium here Saturday night.

Mrs. Winnie Dodson and children who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Wood, and family for several days left Thursday for Pueblo, Colo., where she will join her husband who has accepted a position there.

T. M. Haney and daughter, Miss Velma, left Thursday for Dallas to consult a physician for Miss Velma's health.

Bill Hammonds went to Wichita Falls Saturday to visit his daughter, Lois, who is in the Clinic Hospital at that place. We are glad to report her to be doing nicely after undergoing an operation several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones of the Doans community visited relatives here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Peoples of

Electra visited Mrs. Peoples' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carter, here last week-end.

Walter Shultz and family of Vernon attended church services here Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Sims who has been ill for some time is very much improved.

A large crowd attended the ball games here Friday. The boys played the Crowell team a game of baseball and were defeated, the scores being 14-9. The Black girls basketball team came over and played our girls the score being 48-6 in our girls' favor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hukle of Crowell visited her parents, George Lindsey and wife, here Sunday.

Claude Baker, C. W. Roberts, J. A. Abston, Bill and J. N. Keesee, W. J. and Arda Long, were Crowell visitors Monday.

E. W. Burrow and wife of Gamberville were business visitors here Friday.

Tom Wayland left Sunday on a business visit to Ft. Worth.

Miss Ruby French visited her grandmother near Crowell a few days last week.

Gus Neill made a business trip to Crowell Monday.

Rev. T. M. Johnston will preach at the M. E. church here Sunday and Sunday night. Every one invited to attend these services.

Melvin Ruckman and family of near Vernon attended church here Sunday and visited Mrs. Ruckman's brother, C. C. Wheeler, and family in the afternoon.

Walter Rector and wife of Rayland attended church here Sunday and visited in the Sam Tole home.

Miss Winnie Short who has been visiting relatives in Floydada the past week returned home Monday. She was accompanied by Miss Ethel Hicks who will visit with her a few days.

Mrs. G. C. Nichols of Black visited relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. Tom Abston visited Mrs. Garland Thompson in the M. L. Self home here Monday.

Mrs. Bell Thompson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abston, here last week-end.

Willie Derrington and wife of near Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Derrington, here last week-end.

Several from this place went fishing Friday.

Rev. Garner of Quannah filled his regular appointment at the Christian church here Sunday and Sunday night. Large crowds attended both services.

Rev. Garnett of Seymour preached at the Christian church a few nights last week.

Miss Bessie Tole who is teaching school near Quannah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole, here last week-end.

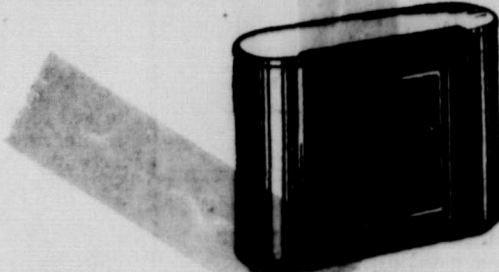
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wayland and Mrs. W. L. Johnson were shopping in Vernon Saturday.

Willie Johnson made a business trip to Abilene last week.

Jim Hammonds went to Floydada Monday on business.

Sweetwater—Work on the Bankhead Highway is being pushed to the utmost here so that the 18-mile stretch that has already had the nine inch sledge stone base put down will be completed before the real tourist season gets in full swing.

Rogers brushing lacquer.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.



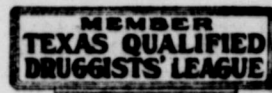
PUT ONE IN YOUR CAR

Another accident is always likely to occur at any time, and it is well worth while to be prepared to give first aid in case of minor injuries that are not serious enough to go to the doctor.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Alban R. Cox, John G. Cox, Kenneth L. Cox, Theodore F. Cox, and Dorothy A. Cox and J. W. Adams by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive 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 the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Foard County, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Crowell, on the 1st Monday in May, A. D. 1927, the same being the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1304, wherein G. M. Thacker is plaintiff, and Berliata M. Cox Davis, Fred R. Davis, Jessie Mae Cox, Laura R. Cox, Mary B. Cox, Alban R. Cox, Kenneth L. Cox, Theodore F. Cox, and Dorothy A. Cox and J. W. Adams, are defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Suit on a promissory note, executed by J. W. Adams in the sum of \$975.00 drawing 10 per cent interest from date, with the usual 10 per cent additional on the principal and interest due if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; said note bearing date of July 10th, 1924, and payable in monthly installments of \$15.00 each, said note being given by the said J. W. Adams as a part of the purchase price of lots Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16, in block No. 48, in the town of Crowell, Texas, to A. T. Fish, the grantor of said lots and payable to the said A. T. Fish or order at Crowell, Texas, in monthly installments, the first of which was due August 1st, 1924; said note being secured by a Vendor's Lien retained in a certain deed from the said Fish to the said Adams, bearing date of July 10th, 1924; that on the 22nd day of July, 1925, L. R. Cox purchased said land and premises and as part of the consideration therefor assumed the payment of said note.

That since the purchase of said land and premises the said L. R. Cox has died leaving as defendants in this suit Berliata M. Cox, his wife, now Berliata M. Cox Davis, having since married the defendant, Fred R. Davis, and the following children,

to-wit: Jessie Mae Cox, Laura R. Cox, Mary B. Cox, Alban R. Cox, John G. Cox, Kenneth L. Cox, Theodore F. Cox, and Dorothy A. Cox.

That G. M. Thacker, the plaintiff herein, is the holder of said note and brings suit to foreclose his Vendor's Lien as provided for in said note, and prays for judgment his debt, interest and attorney's fees and costs of suit; that the land be decreed sold according to law; that the sheriff, or other officer, executing said order of sale, shall place the purchaser in the possession thereof, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, he may be entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its 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, on this the 30th day of March, A. D. 1927.
(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk,
District Court, Foard Co., Texas.
Kathryn Foster, Deputy.

Vernon—A paving program which will cost the city and citizens of Vernon approximately \$175,000 has been completed here.

Keep Fit!

Good Health Requires Good Elimination

TO be well, you must keep the blood stream free from impurities. If the kidneys lag, allowing body poisons to accumulate, a toxic condition is created. One is apt to feel dull, languid, tired and aching. A nagging backache is sometimes a symptom, with drowsy headaches and dizzy spells. That the kidneys are not functioning properly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. If you have reason to suspect improper kidney functioning, try Doan's Pills—stimulant diuretic. Users praiseworthy throughout the United States your neighbor!

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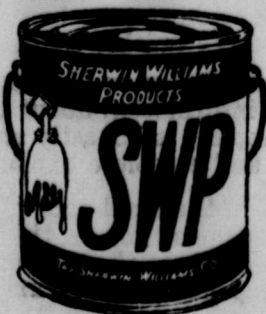
"Cheap" paint isn't cheap at all!

When you are tempted by wonderful claims, elaborate guaranties and a very low price to buy "cheap" paint, remember this:

"Cheap" paint sells at a low price because it is low in quality—poor stuff. That's the only reason a manufacturer can afford to sell at a low price.

By the gallon it costs you less. But don't let that fool you. It will cost you many times more than good old SWP on the wall—by the job and by the year—because it covers only about half the area per gallon—and lasts only about half as long.

Come in and let us tell you the truth about the high cost of "cheap" paint—why SWP House Paint is the least expensive.



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A bargain is not always a bargain because it is cheap. Often the costliest foods one can buy are those that cost less.

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Sanitary Market Que R. Miller, Prop.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, April 8, 1927

The number of Texas representatives should be cut. It isn't the many but the mentality that counts. The slogan, "Fewer and Better Representatives," might be applied to the law-making body of Texas. Cut the number, double the compensation and raise the standard of qualification and Texas will get more representation and less misrepresentation.

Matches and smoking led in the known causes of Texas fires in March, the amount being \$136,593. This ought to cause people to be cautious. "I didn't think," caused somebody to toss a cigarette stub into a trash pile. A blaze followed and property was destroyed. Maybe it was a home or a business. It is not so easy to think before the ruin comes but it is safer.

An Englishman has made an automobile that can travel at the rate of 207 miles an hour. If they keep on they will soon be trying to make a car that will get you there before you start.

The fact that the tendency in Crowell to build and own homes by the residents is the strongest evidence of faith in the future of the town and community. It means, too, that those residents are willing to share the cost of development in becoming property tax payers. Every substantial citizen who casts his lot with the people of any community as a property owner and takes his place as a contributor to its further growth is a valuable asset.

We have about come to the conclusion that all of Texas is underlaid with oil sand. Few, if any, counties are not witnessing tests and in scattered portions from one side to the other in all directions the precious liquid gold is being brought to the surface.

Missionary Society

Mrs. J. W. Klepper was leader for the Voice program March 28 at the home of Mrs. Sam Bell. About 20 ladies were present. The Bible lesson from the Book of Micah was ably commented on by Mrs. Klepper. The subject for discussion, "What are the new situations in which the native women of our mission fields find themselves today?"

Many interesting facts were presented concerning experiences of missionaries we know. Assisting Mrs. Bell in entertaining were Mesdames J. H. Lanier and W. H. Bell.

Monday, April 4, a business meeting was held at the church with President Mrs. Crews in the chair. 22 members were present, two new members and one visitor. Reports of officers show our work progressing. The social service superintendent gave an excellent report on number of visits to sick, strangers, lunches and flowers given. Our finances are in good shape. We are now raising funds to improve our parsonage. Next Monday we have our Bible study. Our lesson is 1st Samuel.—Supt. Pub.

Adelphian Club

The Adelphian Club met in regular session Wednesday, March 30, with Miss Bernice Long as hostess.

The lesson was the second in a series of studies of Ruskin, "The Kings Treasury" from Sesame and Lilies was the study for the afternoon. Mrs. John Myers led the club in an interesting discussion of this essay or lecture. The theme deals with books, their value and use. The world of books, so close to the realm of every man's every day life if he but only realized it constitutes a treasury of greater wealth than the treasury of kings. It is indeed a king's treasury since each man is a king and thus treasury is his but for the effort necessary to acquire the riches of such treasuries. The hostess served sandwiches, salad and orangeade.—Reporter.

Community Singing Program

Program for singing the 3rd Sunday in April, the 17th, which meets at the Christian church at 3 p. m. Meeting will be opened by President J. A. Wright.

Two songs led by Joe Ward. Two songs led by T. T. Gollightly. Quartet arranged by H. L. Kimsey. 2 songs led by Edward Huffman. 2 songs led by A. E. Dunagan. Violin duet by T. B. Klepper and Mrs. Alva Spencer.

The retiring program committee suggest the following names to serve as the new program committee: Lottie Woods, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. Shirley, Mrs. Burrow.

Senior Epworth League Program

Leader—Rachel Stewart. Subject—The tears of the greatest patriot.

Scripture lesson, Luke 19:41-44. Bible lights on the topics by leaguers.

Prelude—Hymn 704. Suggestions for first assistant. Leader's remarks.—Charlie Ashford.

The lowly service of a Master.—Lottie Russell.

The farewell of a friend.—Maurice Hoffman. Solo—Dee Jinks.

The challenge of Easter—Carrie M. Allee.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my appreciation of the splendid support given me in the election Tuesday. I appreciate the fact that you showed interest by coming to the polls and expressing your will in the election.

I shall do my very best to serve the people of Crowell, with partiality towards none and justice to all, as I have tried to do in the past.

Again thanking you, one and all, I am,

Yours truly,
R. J. THOMAS.

FOR HOME AND STABLE

The extraordinary Borozone treatment for flesh wounds, cuts, sores, galls, burns and scalds is just as effective in the stable as in the home. Horse flesh heals with remarkable speed under its powerful influence. The treatment is the same for animals as for humans. First wash out infectious germs with liquid Borozone, and the Borozone Powder completes the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

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RIALTO THEATRE

Mon. and Tues., April 11-12—

"THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER"

A picture that will appeal to all who care about life. This feature is about war, love, romance and peace. Don't miss seeing this picture—real, good features come only once in a while. Admission 20c and 40c.

Wednesday and Thursday—

"THE DANCER OF PARIS"

with Conway Temple and Dorothy MacKaill. Good looking clothes and a real love story.

Friday—

This will introduce the new dog star "Ranger". The dog that will win your heart's appeal. Tell us if you think he is as good as Rin Tin Tin.

Saturday, April 16th—

"THE FIGHTING PEACE MAKER"

with Jack Hoxie.

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YOU WILL APPRECIATE

LIGHTER RUNNING—eight sets of roller and ball bearings, self-aligning bearings, better lubrication, easier running sickle, elevator, reel and packer shaft.

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1 Can Texas Black Berries...50c

No. 2 Can Extra Standard Corn..12c

ICE BERG LETTUCE, 3 heads...25c

Van Camp's Catsup, large bottle 18c

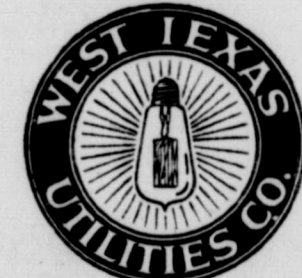
No. 2 1/2 Can New State Peaches 26c

This is only a few of the many bargains in groceries that we have to offer you, therefore we invite you to come to our store and make comparisons as to PRICES, QUALITY and SERVICE.

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Dissatisfied Customers

No business institution dealing with the general public ever existed that did not, a some time or other, have a dissatisfied customer. Human nature is pretty much the same the world over, and no man or institution has ever yet attained that pinnacle of perfection where he or it has been able to please all of the people all the time.

This company is no exception. Time rolls by, and, in the daily stress of effort to render one hundred per cent satisfactory service, occasionally something goes amiss and a dissatisfied customer appears. Either his service has not been as he thinks it should have been, or his bill is more than he thinks is justified by the service he has received.

While a dissatisfied customer is to be regretted, and always counts as a black mark against the cherished record for good will and friendly relations with the public, this company also tries to impress upon the men and women in its employ that a dissatisfied customer, wherever he makes himself known, is also an opportunity—an opportunity for closer personal contact and an opportunity to demonstrate that this company actually does practice what it preaches, that honest and efficient service rendered at a fair and equitable price is its paramount task and responsibility.

The men and women employed by this company are just ordinary human folks like all of us. And like all of us they are not infallible. They work hard at their jobs and they are trying earnestly all of the time to avoid mistakes. But mistakes do occur, and when they do the company is just as anxious as the customer who has suffered by that mistake that it be corrected, and corrected quickly and satisfactorily.

Many times, again, dissatisfaction on the part of the customer is due to misinformation or lack of information about the company and its services. And here again the company is honestly anxious to clear up the difficulty by careful, courteous and complete explanation.

If the man or the woman in the employ of this company to whom you go with your troubles does not meet you in this attitude, then that man or woman is not the kind of employee the company thought he was when it entrusted him with the responsibility of carrying out its policies and its ideals.

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Overalls \$1.00.—Self's.
Inlaid linoleum rugs.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Gibson refrigerators are all we claim.—Womack Bros.
National Mazda light bulbs.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co.

Give us your blow-out troubles. We fix them.—Ivie's Station.

For Sale—Two or three extra good milch cows, fresh.—C. E. Gafford.

Buy your Sunday dinner from the Methodist ladies at the post office Saturday.

Records—Victor, Brunswick, Vocalion, Edison and Columbia.—Womack Bros.

Second-hand Florence 4-burner oil stove for sale cheap. Also disc harrow and cultivator.—J. R. Allee. 44p

A 50, 60 or 100 pound ice capacity Gibson refrigerator will take it right through the door, no shipping.—Womack Bros.

Notice—Earl Gee is my partner in handling Watkins Products and is authorized to handle my accounts. Your business in our line will be appreciated.—M. A. Spence, Watkins Dealer.

Dollar Day.—Self's.
Try Fergeson's Pills for liver ills.

Columbia records.—M. S. Henry & Co.

32-inch gingham, 10 yards \$1.00.—Self's.

Friday, the 15th. Miss Virginia Hart at Self's.

W. A. Matthews of Vernon was here Saturday.

A complete line of fishing tackle.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Garbage cans, all sizes.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Always something new on Brunswick or Victor records.—Womack Bros.

Buy your Sunday dinner from the Methodist ladies at the post office Saturday.

Good second hand oil stoves for sale. All prices and kinds.—West Texas Utilities Co.

For Sale—Home Cafe in good location. See or write me at once, Crowell, Texas, Box 113. 42p

C. P. Lane of C. P. Lane & Co., and A. W. Weiner, both of Dallas were in Crowell the first of the week on business.

Mrs. J. S. Williamson of Fort Worth is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mitchell, and other relatives and friends.

Dollar Days.—Self's.
Work mules for sale.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Friday, Saturday, Monday, Dollar Days.—Self's.

For sale—work mules.—M. S. Henry & Co.

National Mazda light bulbs.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co.

Miss Virginia Hart in person at Self's Friday, the 15th.

It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Fergeson Bros.

Gibson refrigerators actually take the ice capacity through the door.—Womack Bros.

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No fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed in my pasture. Stay out.—Leslie McAdams. 41

Positively no fishing allowed in my tanks. Please do not ask for permission.—Mrs. W. S. Bell. 41

We have a complete line of fishing tackle on display.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

If your house needs painting, try Sherwin-Williams Paint.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

For Sale—First year Mebane cotton seed, \$1.00 per bu. Alfalfa hay \$15 per ton.—C. B. Graham, Margaret. 43p

See us for new and used furniture. Also for mattress work second to none.—Ketchersid Bros., furniture.

If you have never heard the Victor Orthophonic or Brunswick phonograph—you've missed something.—Womack Bros.

Sherwin-Williams paint is the cheapest because it is the best. Give it a trial.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Gibson refrigerators have 9 walls, the best insulation, the best materials known to experts. "Gibson" on every refrigerator.—Womack Bros.

Make your old floors and wood work look like new with Sherwin-Williams paint and varnish.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Mrs. R. A. Wells returned to her home in Dalhart last week after being here for some time on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Allee.

For Sale—My place in Crowell, consisting of four rooms and bath, underground cistern and garage, 100x150 feet southeast corner.—J. H. Cope, Quanah, Texas. 41

At the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. Guy Ament on Tuesday at 2 p. m., a Mr. Kelley and Miss Celena Reed of Vernon were married. The couple will make a bridal trip to California.

H. D. Poland and Guy Housour began the erection last week of a modern five-room house for J. E. Harwell north of W. F. Kirkpatrick's residence in the north part of town.

We failed to mention the fact last week that Mrs. Bush had returned from Wichita Falls where she had been with her daughter, Mrs. Parker Churchill. She will be here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jeff Bruce, for some time.

Mrs. R. P. Womack who has been seriously ill for more than two weeks with an attack of flu-pneumonia, is slowly recovering. Miss Cassie Dockins, the nurse, who had been looking after Mrs. Womack for more than a week, was dismissed Monday morning. It will yet be several days before Mrs. Womack will be strong enough to sit up. The attack was severe, and for one of her age to recover, as is now expected, is nothing less than remarkable.

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50 yards 9-4 sheeting, 3 yards for	\$1.00
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Mr. and Mrs. John Raso have moved into their new home recently completed in the northeast part of town.

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Rev. W. M. Murrell was here from Childress Monday going south. He stopped over a few minutes to shake hands with old friends.

Eugene Womack left Friday for his home near Dallas after having been at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. R. P. Womack, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney are having a modern house with five rooms and bath built on the west side of the N. J. Roberts block in the north part of town.

O. J. Allen of Brazos, Texas, visited his brother, C. V. Allen, here week before last. He was very favorably impressed with conditions here and expressed a desire to move to Crowell. He drove back home a Chevrolet sedan.

S. W. McLarty was here from his farm at Rayland Tuesday. He had been to Austin for a short while with his wife and son who are there for educational advantages offered by the University where the son is attending school. Mrs. McLarty is staying with the son and keeping roomers.

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The Methodist ladies will have a miscellaneous sale at the post office Saturday, April 8th.

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Mrs. W. S. Douglas of San Angelo was here last week visiting Mrs. M. S. Henry and other friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and children made a trip to Ralls Sunday to get Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Florence Ragland, who visited with them this week and will return to her home in Pilot Point today.

N. P. Fergeson returned Wednesday of last week from a visit with relatives at Sherman and Weatherford. He reports that conditions in that part of the country are not so good as they are in Foard County.

Garden tools and hose.—M. S. Henry & Co.

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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Stanton—A meeting of all Commissioners Courts and chambers of commerce of the 17 counties containing non-taxable University lands has been called to convene here April 19, by J. V. Bush, manager of the Stanton Chamber of Commerce. A delegate from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be present to help formulate a plan of procedure. The idea of the meeting is for all counties to decide just how they want to handle the situation and let the West Texas Chamber attempt to put the proposition over.

Plemons—A bond election for voting on issuing of \$1,250,000 bonds for paving or hard surfacing roads in Hutchinson County will be held here April 16.

Lampasas—Distinct pleasure at the reception they received during the Heart of Texas tour was expressed by President Arthur P. Dugan and Manager Homer D. Wade of their good will trip through the Oil Belt District. The tour was started immediately following the banner convention at Baird March 23, and the itinerary included Cross Plains, Rising Star, Cisco, Gorman, Comanche, Brownwood, Mercury, Brady, and this place at which point the trip ended. Well-attended, enthusiastic meetings greeted the West Texas officials at each town visited.

Graham—Contract has been let for construction of the road from this point to the Stephen County line.

Austin—Delegations from a number of West Texas towns met Thursday evening in the Stephen F. Austin Hotel for a preliminary conference under direction of Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to formulate a plan of procedure to be followed at the

San Angelo—San Angelo's new sewerage plant will be put into operation within the next few weeks.

Stamford—The law firm of Andrews and Coombes is to make use of the upper rooms of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce building. Judge Coombes, past mayor of Abilene, will serve, among other duties at the Stamford office, as counsel for the Swenson Cattle and Land Company. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce building was erected to care for growing needs of the organization and until such time as expansion will make necessary, the upper floor will be rented out.

Card of Thanks

We feel very, very grateful to those who helped us in any way after our misfortune of losing our barn, teams, feed, etc. To be remembered by one's friends and neighbors makes life worth living. We can not express in words the kindly feeling we have for each of you.

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DIGEST OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR BIG WICHITA LAKES AND TRIBUTARIES

This law prohibits the sale or purchase of bass, crappie, cat fish or any other fish, from any of the waters in the valley of the Big Wichita river, from the lower diversion dam in Archer County to the storage dam in Baylor county, and any of the waters impounded on said river in Archer or Baylor counties or any water in Lake Wichita in Wichita and Archer Counties, or the dam across Holiday Creek, or the waters of Lake Kemp, or diversion lake in Baylor or Archer county or the waters of irrigation canals connected with these lakes, or laterals or draining ditches thereof in Baylor, Archer, Wichita or Wilbarger counties. Penalties for dyanmiting in said waters is a fine of \$100.00 to \$1,000.00, or imprisonment not exceeding one year.

Seins except minnow seins are prohibited, and no fishing is allowed in the months of February, March and April. During the open season 10 bass is the limit for any one day, or an aggregate weight of 20 pounds, size limit not under 11 inches, crappie, white perch or calico bass, or blue gill bream, aggregate allowed in one day 20 lbs., size limit not under



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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County, of the 16th day of March, 1927, by Eunice Jackson, clerk of said court, for the sum of one thousand, five hundred twenty-eight and 20/100 dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Hardwick-Etter Company in a certain cause in said court No. 14864-B and styled Hardwick-Etter Company vs. W. C. Reeves, placed in my hands for service, I, L. D. Campbell as sheriff of Foard County, Texas, did, on the 18th day of March, 1927, levy on certain real estate, situated in Foard County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land situated lying and being in the County of Foard and State of Texas. Beginning at the southwest corner of section 16, Block 8, H. & T. C. Ry. Survey in Foard County, a stake; thence north 18 degrees, west 950 varas; then north 72 degrees, east 950 varas; thence south 18, east 950 varas; thence south 72, west 950 varas, to beginning. Containing 160 Acres of land, located about 15 miles northeast from the town of Crowell, Texas, and levied upon as the property of W. C. Reeves and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1927, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the court house door, of Foard County, in the city of Crowell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. C. Reeves.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Foard County News, a newspaper published in Foard County.

Witness my hand, this 18th day of March, 1927.
L. D. CAMPBELL, Sheriff,
Foard County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Foard County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon W. A. Page by publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive 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 the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Foard County, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Crowell, on the 1st Monday in May, A. D. 1927, the same being the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1298, wherein Boman & Company, a partnership, composed of the individual members S. J. Boman, B. W. Seif and T. F. Baker, doing business under the name of Boman & Company at Margaret, Texas, is plaintiff, and W. A. Page and J. N. Keese, are defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: A suit on a promissory note executed by the said defendants on the first day of November, 1926, payable to the said Boman & Company at Margaret, Texas, on the demand of plaintiff; said note drawing interest at the rate of ten per centum per annum from date until paid, and providing for ten per cent on the amount of interest and principal due for attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Plaintiff prays for judgment against the defendants for the amount of said note, interest and attorney's fees, for a foreclosure of an attachment lien which was issued out of this court and in connection with this cause on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1927, and was levied by the sheriff of Foard County upon certain property, a barber shop, belonging to the defendant, W. A. Page, said property being located at Thalia, Texas, Foard County, and for all costs of suit.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its 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, on this the 30th day of March A. D. 1927.
IDA REAVIS, Clerk,
District Court, Foard Co., Texas.
(Seal) KATHRYN FOSTER,
43 Deputy.

Columbian Club
The Columbian Club met Wednesday, March 30, at the home of Mrs. H. Schindler, with Mrs. J. S. Ray as hostess.

An interesting civic lesson was enjoyed. The question box revealed many suggestions for civic improvements.

The club voted to send Mrs. Que Miller as a delegate to the Seventh District convention, and Mrs. L. S. Spencer as alternate.

Delicious refreshments were served to club members present and their guests, Mesdames Dameron G. Spruill of Shamrock, and J. S. Williamson of Fort Worth, Texas, and Miss Madron Wayburn of Houston.
—Reporter.

MUSIC MEMORY NOTES

The final music memory contest will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the district court room. All teachers who have teams entering the contest will meet the director at 9:30 o'clock. Intermediate contestants should come prepared with well sharpened pencils.

A report of the results of the county contest will appear in this column next week.

The program given Thursday evening at the First Methodist church of Crowell was well attended by a seemingly appreciative audience. This is the third program of this type that has been given in connection with the annual music memory contests, and it is believed that it both creates and develops interest in the appreciation of good music.

Those sponsoring the program wish to thank the membership of the Methodist church for the use of the church auditorium; all persons, who by their gracious service with time and talent made the program possible; and all other persons, who, either by their presence or service in any form contributed to the success of the program. Thanks are also due the Columbian Club of Crowell for its support in sponsoring the music memory program.

The three remaining numbers used in the contest which have not been discussed in this column are "Miserere" and "Home to Our Mountains" from the opera "Il Trovatore" by Verdi, and "The Triumphal March" from another opera "Aida" by the same composer.

Space does not permit the giving of the stories of these operas, but they can be found in "The Victrola" book of opera or any book containing stories of operas. Verdi is perhaps one of the most popular of all Italian opera composers and Italy ranks first in the number of composers of this form of music. The music of Verdi is not so big or great

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Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boren.

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(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Free of Chillicothe spent Sunday with Mr. Free's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Free.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols of Aversville and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols visited relatives near Mangum, Okla., last Friday returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith and daughter, Thelma, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe Benniefield, at Chillicothe Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Mills and daughter, Sammie Gene, of Crowell spent Wednesday with Mrs. O. M. Gentry.

Those from Crowell attending church here Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole, Mr. and

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

On the 28th day of March, A. D. 1927, the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas, was convened

in regular session, the same being the third day of same, at the regular meeting place thereof in the court house of Crowell, Texas, with all the members of the said court present, viz: J. E. Atcheson, county judge; A. B. Wisdom, commissioner precinct No. 1; D. A. Sollis, commissioner precinct No. 2; E. V. Halbert, commissioner precinct No. 3; W. F. Thomson, commissioner precinct No. 4; Mrs. Ida Reavis, county clerk;

when there came to be considered the following petition of more than fifty of the property taxing voters of said county, to-wit:

Petition for Election upon the question of authorizing county road bonds in county that has no road district.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

To the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas:

We, the undersigned resident property taxing voters of Foard County, Texas, respectfully pray your honorable court to order an election to be held in and throughout said county to determine whether or not the bonds of said Foard County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of \$400,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum and maturing at such time or times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court of said county, not later than thirty years from their date, for the purpose of construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in said county; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Respectfully submitted this the 28th day of March, A. D. 1927.

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And it appearing affirmatively to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty resident property taxing voters of said county.

And it further appearing affirmatively to the court that the amount of bonds proposed to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said county.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas, that an election be held in and throughout said Foard County, Texas, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1927, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order to determine whether or not the bonds of said Foard County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of \$400,000.00 bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum and maturing at such time or times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court of said County, not later than thirty years from their date, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in said county, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all the taxable property of said county, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

In the event such bonds shall be authorized and issued then ad valorem taxes are to be levied annually on all taxable property within said county sufficient to pay the annual interest and provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of S. B. No. 287, Legislative Laws enacted by the 39th Legislature at its first called session in 1926.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and of this county and who are resident property tax payers in this county shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue such bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of ad valorem taxes in payment thereof," and those opposed thereto shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of ad valorem taxes in payment thereof."

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At the county court house, clerk's office, in Crowell in voting precinct No. 1, with W. W. Griffith, as presiding officer;

At county court house, county judge's office in Crowell in voting precinct No. 2, with J. H. Self as presiding officer;

At county court house, tax assessor's office in Crowell in voting precinct No. 3, with A. T. Schooley as presiding officer;

At county court house, county court room in Crowell in voting precinct No. 3, with S. S. Bell as presiding officer;

At school house building in Margaret in voting precinct No. 5, with W. A. Dunn as presiding officer;

At Thalia Garage building in Thalia in voting precinct No. 6, with Walter Johnson as presiding officer;

At Thalia Gin office building in Thalia in voting precinct No. 7, with W. S. Tarver as presiding officer;

At school house building in Foard City in voting precinct No. 8, with W. A. Barker as presiding officer;

At Black School House building in Black Community in voting precinct No. 9, with W. W. Nichols as presiding officer;

At Vivian school house building in Vivian community in voting precinct No. 10, with J. M. Marr as presiding officer;

At I. O. O. F. building in Rayland in voting precinct No. 11, with T. F. Lambert as presiding officer;

At Good Creek school house building in Good Creek community in voting precinct No. 12, with J. T. Daniels as presiding officer.

The manner of holding said election and canvassing and making returns thereof shall be governed by the general laws of this State when not in conflict with the provisions of

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hereinbefore mentioned statute.

A copy of this order shall constitute proper notice of said election and notice thereof shall be given by publication of such notice in a newspaper published in said county for three successive weeks, the first publication being three full weeks before the date of said election, notice shall be posted by the County Clerk at four public places in the county, one of which shall be at the court house door of said county.

The County Clerk of this County is hereby directed to post such notices and cause to be published as herein provided and further orders are reserved until returns of said election shall have been made to this court.

J. E. ATCHESON, County Judge, A. B. WISDOM, Com. Pct. No. 1, D. A. SOLLIS, Com. Pct. No. 2, E. V. HALBERT, Com. Pct. No. 3, W. F. THOMPSON, Com. Pct. No. 4.

ATTEST: MRS. IDA REAVIS, Co. Clerk. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

I, the undersigned clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the Commissioners' Court of said Foard County, Texas, on the 28th day of March, 1927, as the same appears of record in Volume 4, at page 453, et seq. of the Minutes of said Court.

MRS. IDA REAVIS, Ex-Officio Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Foard County, Texas.

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