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Registration of Motor Cars in Foard County Increased 60 Percent

According to figures given the collector's office there are now 1295 cars in the county, as against 835 a year ago, which shows an increase of more than 60 per cent. Cars have become almost indispensable, it seems, and almost every family has a car. The fact is, there are more cars in the county than families, but what we mean to say is that not many families are without one.

Following are the registrations within the last three weeks: G. L. Barrett, Ford sedan; L. G. Poole, Star touring; W. S. J. Russell, Ford touring; Tom Moore, Star touring; W. G. Chapman, Ford touring; Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Ford coupe; J. M. Speck, Ford coupe; I. M. Cates, Ford touring; A. B. French, Ford touring; H. Phillips, Ford touring; Grady Price, Ford sedan; Clarence Dixon, Ford touring; Rev. Charles Marts, Chevrolet; L. J. Todd, Star touring; Oswald Schroeder, Dodge roadster; Jack Norman, Ford touring; H. S. James, Ford touring; D. A. Calfee, Ford touring; W. B. Griffin, Overland touring; E. M. Cox, Ford touring; John S. Ray, Dodge business coupe; W. A. Dunn, Dodge touring; W. B. Blevins, Ford touring; R. O. Bass, Dodge coupe; Ben Bradford, Ford touring; G. B. Stewart, Ford coupe; C. W. Ross, Dodge touring; Ford Halsell & Son, Ford roadster; I. L. Stubblefield, Chevrolet touring; A. Y. Norman, Dodge coupe; Roy Davis, Ford touring; Clifford Polk, Ford touring; I. W. Middlebrook, Ford touring; C. T. Murphy, Ford touring; I. E. Toll, Star touring; M. B. Patton, Ford touring; George Wright, Ford touring; G. G. Mills, Ford touring; A. Pechacek, Ford touring; C. B. Pechacek, Ford touring; W. B. Johnson, Ford touring; T. P. Reeder, Ford sedan; R. F. Derrington, Ford touring; E. C. Payne, Ford touring; George Wesley, Ford touring; J. I. Malone, Ford touring; Roy Fox, Ford roadster; F. J. Jonas, Ford touring; W. L. Pechacek, Ford roadster; E. O. Truweek, Ford touring; Dave Shultz, Ford coupe; Ford Halsell & Son, Ford roadster; Clyde McKown, Ford roadster; Walter Banister, Ford touring; L. A. Andrews, Ford touring; Weatley Davis, Ford roadster; J. E. Byrd, Star touring.

W. C. Thompson Is in Dallas Taking Pasteur Treatment

W. C. Thompson went to Dallas Wednesday of last week to take the Pasteur treatment after having been bitten by a dog.

Some days ago a dog fight occurred at the Thompson filling station in which fight Thompson's dog was engaged and at that time he was bitten by one of the dogs but did not know which one it was. Later when his dog acted a little peculiar he was killed and his head was sent to Austin to be examined but there was some delay in sending the head and when it reached Austin it was too late to make an examination and determine as to whether the dog was affected with rabies. In the meantime the head of another dog which had been bitten by Thompson's dog was sent to Austin and traces of rabies were reported. Mr. Thompson then lost no time in getting to Dallas where he could take the Pasteur treatment.

South Plains Will Be Helped by Bridge

Childress, Nov. 22.—The Northfield bridge, spanning South Pease River in extreme Northwest Cottle County, five miles from the Childress County line, is nearing completion. The opening will mark the consummation of many years' effort upon the part of the local Chamber of Commerce to that end, made possible through an enactment by the last Legislature, making it legal for two or more interested counties to spend their road and bridge funds outside the limits of their respective counties in building bridges.

Childress, Cottle, Hall and Motley Counties united in the building of this bridge and the grading of four miles of impassable "breaks" road through the corner of Cottle and Hall Counties, from the Motley to the Childress County line.

The completion of this project will open an air line route from Childress via Matador, Floydada and Lubbock to the South Plains, making an ideal gateway at Childress off of Highway No. 4 from the Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas, and Highway No. 5 from downstate to the South Plains.

Foard County Teacher Makes Good at Olney

C. A. Davis, a son of J. C. Davis of this county, is superintendent of the schools at Olney, Texas, and is making good there. He is serving his third year in that school and under his management the school has won a number of credits of affiliation and a new \$40,000 high school building has been completed.

The friends of Mr. Davis are glad to know that he is making good as superintendent of the schools at Olney, and proud of the fact that he is a Foard County product.

Leave on Hunting Trip to South Plains

A party made up of A. Y. Norman, J. T. Norman, Paul Barry, I. M. Cates and F. C. Borchardt left Wednesday morning for Southwest Texas on a hunting expedition.

The party will be gone about fifteen days and will go by Rock Springs where they will be joined by Tom Hampton.

Those who have taken hunting trips to Southwest Texas say it is an ideal hunting ground in the winter. The weather is fine and there is lots of game.

Postpone Poultry Show Until a Later Date

Owing to the fact that quite a few breeders think their birds are not in condition to show, it has been decided to have the annual poultry show a few weeks later. The dates will be announced in the next issue of the paper.

We are very anxious to have the best poultry show that the county has ever had. Everyone who has some good birds should begin at once to prepare them for the show. Special effort will be made to get Walter Burton to judge the birds. Efforts will also be made to get some special prizes from breeders outside the county, which will be well worth your time and trouble in bringing your chickens to the show.

This exhibition will be held in the show room at the Self Motor Co. Let's make it a good one.

Child Is Killed When Buggy and Automobile Collide

Following the collision of an automobile and buggy Saturday night some time after dark about 3 miles south of Thalia, in which fatal injuries were sustained by the little 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thorne, the child died Sunday afternoon about 7:30.

According to information reaching the News, Mrs. Thorne and the girl, 10, and another child about 4 years of age, had been to Thalia and were returning to their home south of Thalia and they were about 3 miles out when struck. They were driving a two-horse buggy. M. G. Cottingham was going north towards Thalia and was driving a Ford car. Mr. Cottingham's lights were giving him trouble, it is said, and he was trying to adjust them while driving. Consequently he was right on the team before he saw it, and tried to swerve his car so as to avoid striking the approaching team and buggy but did not have time and struck the wheels of the buggy and took both of them off on one side. The little girl was the only one in the party sustaining injuries and she was carried back to Thalia where medical aid was given. Her injuries were found to be fracture of the skull and an operation was performed in the hope that it might give her relief and make possible her recovery but she lived only through Sunday.

It was an accident that brings sadness not only to the Thorne home but to the community and no one outside the family regrets the accident more than does Mr. Cottingham himself.

The remains were buried at Thalia Monday.

Body of Former Texas Congressman Buried at Vernon

The body of former Congressman John H. Stephens arrived at Vernon Saturday afternoon and burial took place in East Vernon Cemetery Sunday afternoon, a number of Crowell people attending.

John H. Stephens served as congressman from the 13th district of Texas from 1896 until 1916, when he was defeated by Hon. Marvin Jones who is the present incumbent.

After Mr. Stephens' service in public office was concluded he moved to Monrovia, California, where he made his home thereafter, having gone to that country for his health, and it is said his health had improved and even shortly before his death there was no alarm over his condition. He is said to have attended a picture show the night of his death and he was in good spirits and feeling well when he and his wife returned home. In the night she was awakened by noises he made and she found him in an unconscious condition and breathing very hard. A physician was called but he expired at 5 o'clock that morning, which was Thursday of last week.

Mr. Stephens distinguished himself in handling Indian affairs during the last years of his service as representative and Stephens County, Okla., was named in his honor.

He was 74 years of age at the time of his death.

Vernon Lions Win Over Pampa Harvesters

The football game played at Vernon Saturday afternoon between Vernon and Pampa for the championship of class A and B, resulted in favor of Vernon, 39 to 0.

Several Crowell people attended the game and report a very interesting game. The Vernon team seems to be made up of big strong men who have been playing for several years and easily outmatch the average team of school boys who are possibly less mature in age and who have had fewer years of experience in playing.

Services at Foard City Next Sunday

The News is advised to announce that there will be all-day services at the Methodist church at Foard City next Sunday and dinner on the ground. Everybody is invited to bring a basket filled with good things to eat, and if you do that or not you are invited to come and enjoy the day. It is expected that there will be singing in the afternoon, in addition to the preaching service in the morning.

Had Thanksgiving Dinner and Family Reunion Last Sunday

A family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown of this city was a happy event last Sunday. It was called a Thanksgiving dinner, although a few days in advance of Thanksgiving day.

The number present was 22, the entire family with all the children and grandchildren except their son, Travis, wife and little child, who are at Davis, Oklahoma.

There are six children of the Brown family and five were present, and there are 12 grandchildren, all being present but one. It was about as complete a reunion as they could expect. However, Mr. Brown thinks that during the Christmas holidays it will be possible to have the entire family present, if all are living at that time.

James F. Cheek Is Accidentally Killed

A message came Saturday from Sheridan, Wyoming, stating that J. F. Cheek had fallen from a wagon, sustaining injuries that resulted in his death a few hours later.

All the particulars are not known but his relatives here think he must have had a stroke of paralysis which caused him to fall from the wagon.

Mr. Cheek had gone from his ranch to Sheridan about 50 miles away, it is supposed on Thursday before the accident on Friday, for his daughter, Miss Marion received a letter here after his death, written on Thursday, she receiving the letter several days after the wire announcing his death.

It is supposed that he was on his way home and possibly had gone most of the distance when the accident occurred. He was found about eight o'clock p. m., Friday, Nov. 21st, and was removed to the sanitarium at Sheridan where he died at 11:15 that night. All that is known definitely about his death is that conveyed by the certificate accompanying his body, which stated that he fell from a wagon.

Mr. Cheek was born in Pontotock County, Miss., April 30, 1864. He came with his parents to Denton County, Texas, when he was a small boy about 8 years of age. When he grew to young manhood he came with a herd of cattle for Crow Wright, a West Texas ranchman, and worked for Mr. Wright several years and later for J. G. Witherspoon on his ranch. For several years he was engaged in the stock business here for himself prior to his going to Montana in 1916 where he first worked on the OW Ranch, later buying land and engaging in the cattle and farming business for himself.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church here Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the remains were placed in the Crowell cemetery.

The deceased is survived by Mrs. J. F. Cheek and two daughters, Mrs. T. S. Haney and Miss Marion Cheek, of this place, and by three sisters and one brother. These are Mrs. Catherine Durham of Port Arthur, Texas; Mrs. Agnes E. McLaughlin of Crowell; Mrs. J. M. Bell of Globe, Arizona; and J. C. Cheek of Dallas, Texas. All these relatives were present except Mrs. Bell of Globe, Ariz. Mrs. J. C. Cheek of Dallas accompanied her husband. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cope of Quanah attended the funeral.

Sheridan Paper Says Cheek Was Thrown from Wagon by Sharp Jolt

The following account of the death of J. F. Cheek from a Sheridan paper was received after the above was written and gives particulars of the accident:

James F. Cheek, rancher living near the Kendrick OW ranch, died at 11:45 o'clock Friday night at the Sheridan County Memorial hospital as the result of a fractured skull sustained three hours before when he was thrown from his wagon near the OW.

The accident occurred when Cheek, accompanied by a neighbor, Sam Collett, was crossing a ditch at the foot of Shields Hill on the O. W. road. The sharp jolt of crossing the ditch flung Cheek from the wagon seat to the ground, where he struck the right side of his head and fractured his skull. The injured man was rushed to the Sheridan County Memorial hospital but he did not regain consciousness. Collett was not injured.

The remains were shipped on 44 Saturday night by the Reed Funeral Service to Quanah, Texas, for burial.

Foard's Cotton Crop This Year Surpasses Estimates

A few months ago one would have thought a 10,000 bale crop for this county was out of the question. We have already far surpassed the 10,000 mark and all the cotton is not yet gathered.

The Government figures show that we have already ginned more than 13,000 bales and there are many fields yet white and not enough pickers to save it.

From reports over the county, especially in the eastern portion of the county many farmers are making a half bale to three quarters to the acre. Lots of the average sized farmers will gather a total of more than 100 bales. On some of the biggest farms it is said there will be 200 and 300 bales gathered.

If all the cotton now in the field is picked before time to commence preparing land for another crop we shall not be surprised to learn that the county has gone close to the 20,000 mark.

Taking into consideration the big cotton crop, the big wheat crop and the splendid feed crop, three great staples, it looks like Foard County is just a little more favored than most sections of West Texas. The fact that these three are common for this county, that is, that they are especially adapted to the soil and climatic conditions here, places Foard County in the class of sections of the state in which diversification of crops is an easy matter and one that makes it a most favored agricultural country.

Daughter of Crowell Man Weds in Houston

Miss Ruth Pool, daughter of H. B. Pool of this county, was married Monday of last week to J. W. Damon of Houston, Texas. Mr. Damon is a well-to-do real estate man of Houston and the bride was the oldest daughter of Mr. Pool and for some time has been in the employ of the Hogan & Allnoch Dry Goods Company of Houston. The young couple are now on their honeymoon in the West. They will make their home in Houston.

The bride has many friends in Crowell and Foard County who wish to extend congratulations and good wishes.

Neff Will Take State Park Tour

Austin, Texas, Nov. 22.—Another extensive tour of the State in the interest of State parks will occur the latter part of this month when Gov. Neff and the State Parks Board will inspect places extending from Oklahoma to the Mexican boundary. They will also have Gov. and Mrs. M. E. Trapp of Oklahoma in the party for awhile. Caddo Lake will be the first place, and thereafter the party will visit Texarkana, where Gov. McRae of Arkansas and a party will be met. From Texarkana the party will go through New Boston, Clarksville, Paris, Sherman and Gainesville to the Oklahoma State line, where Gov. Trapp and a party of Oklahomans interested in park work have been invited to meet with him. Sites will be inspected at each of the stops made en route, it was stated.

From the Oklahoma line the party will turn south and go to Laredo, stopping en route at Fort Worth, Waco, Austin, San Antonio and other cities. At Laredo the Governor will meet the Governors of Tamaulipas Nuevo Leon, both of whom have already accepted invitations to meet the party at Laredo. The party will return to Austin from Laredo following the conferences which will be held there with the Mexican Governors, which are scheduled for Dec. 6.

Complete itinerary and schedule of all stops, including stops for lunch at several places, will be announced later.

Ginners Report

The Government report of the cotton ginned in Foard County shows that up to November 14th, there had been ginned 13,062 bales, as compared with 3,586 at the same date last year, nearly 400 per cent more than a year ago.

This fact and also the fact that there is lots of cotton in the fields yet unpicked supports the belief that the entire crop will range around 20,000 bales when it all gathered.

Will Lay Corner Stone of Thalia School House Sunday

The laying of the corner stone of the new Thalia school house will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The ceremonies will be under the auspices of the Masonic order and L. D. Smith of Quanah will have charge of the ceremonies.

Although plans have not been perfected at this time, it is expected that some speeches will be delivered by home people and also it is planned to have some music.

It will be an interesting event for all who wish to attend and the Thalia people will be glad to have many people from other points in the county.

Education Is Theme For Sunday Sermon

The night is far spent and the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light.—Romans 13:12.

Rev. J. M. Fuller, pastor of the Methodist church, selected the above scripture as his Sunday morning text and delivered a sermon on educational needs.

Times are changing, he said. They are very much different from the days when the men of today were youths. Educational matters are different and in many respects are far better, but whether better or worse than former days, we must meet conditions as they are. In contrasting former conditions with those of the present the speaker called attention to the fact that one of the elements in the making of men and women in former days was the fact that they were when youths subjected to hardships and learned that life is not to be passed on flower beds of ease and that one ought not to want his child shielded from them. They are character builders.

There was a time, said the speaker, when one could get by with little or no education but that time has passed, and he said it was erroneous to teach children that education prepares one for an easy job, but in reality should be such as fit him for real service. The all-important question is "What kind of education must one have to meet the demands of the day?"

He defined education as the development and training of the powers and faculties that are God-given so that these may be efficient in their sphere.

Education, said the speaker, is three fold, including the development of the body, mind and soul. Each of these was taken up and discussed. Physical development is necessary that the soul and mind may have a good house in which to live, but all attention given to the body and none to either of the others is tragical. He said some schools are giving too much attention to athletics and too little to the mental and spiritual man. A school that puts athletics first is a misnomer.

In speaking of the intellectual training he said we need more practical education than we are getting. Our boys need to know soil analysis and principals underlying proper cultivation of crops in order to become the efficient and successful farmers. Special training is needed for the line of work one intends to follow. We need domestic science taught in the schools of our towns that the girls may learn how to do the practical things of life. Vocational as well as professional training is essential to the preparations of boys and girls for useful and serviceable life.

But the neglect of the spiritual portion of man is the greatest tragedy of all. And the speaker emphasized the importance of teaching the great fundamentals of the Bible and that real education does not lead to skepticism but brings one to an acknowledgment of the great truths therein contained.

\$190,000 Paducah Bonds Are Voted

Paducah, Nov. 19.—Municipal bonds totaling \$190,000 were carried almost without opposition here Tuesday. More than 275 votes were cast.

The bonds include \$125,000 for securing additional water and adding to the present system; \$40,000 for sewers, and \$25,000 for street paving. The work will be started as soon as the bonds are sold.

FURNITURE

Makes Ideal Gifts at All Seasons

Christmas is just around the corner. So while you are pondering in your mind just what to buy your loved one or ones, pay a visit to our big store and look around a little.

FOR THE YOUNG LADIES

We have
CEDAR CHESTS,
PARLOR LAMPS,
PARLOR SUITES,
BED ROOM SUITES,
ODD ROCKERS,
PHONOGRAPHS,
RADIOLA,
RUGS,
FINE TRUNK, or
WARDROBE SUIT CASE

FOR WIFE or MOTHER

LIVING ROOM SUITE,
BED ROOM SUITE,
DINING ROOM SUITE,
SELLERS K. CABINETS,
HOOSIER K. CABINETS,
CHAIRS and ROCKERS,
RED STAR OIL STOVE,
New PERFECTION oil STOVE,
NESCO PERFECT OIL STOVE,
BRUNSWICK PHONOGRAPH
BRUNSWICK Radiola
Phonograph,
EDISON PHONOGRAPH,
RUGS or LINOLEUM.

FOR YOUNG MAN

or
FOR FATHER
CHIFFOROB, TRUNKS and SUIT CASES,
BRUNSWICK—RADIOLA or PHONOGRAPH,
BIG ROOMY ROCKERS.

Furniture makes a pleasing gift and something that every one in the home can enjoy

W. R. Womack

ITEMS OF INTEREST OVER FOARD

Thalia News Items
(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Edwards were here from Crowell one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. George Doty visited in Haskell Sunday.
Mrs. Will Tarver and children were shopping here Saturday afternoon.
R. R. Birdwell visited friends here



SUNBURN TIME IS HERE
Every woman who is interested in the care of her complexion will find

NYAL FACE CREAM

With Peroxide
a compound worth knowing. Apply it before going out, and it will protect your skin against sunburn and windburn. It is a bleaching cream, greaseless and vanishing. Leaves no shine or sticky after-feeling. Helps to make the skin clear and soft. Delightfully perfumed.

OWL DRUG STORE

the latter part of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Penn and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dunlap were here a few days last week. They were en route to California.
Doyle Hopkins of Foard City spent from Saturday until Monday with friends here.
D. B. Langford, real estate man, was here in the interest of the Farwell country and city property last week.
Ernest Toie has bought a new Star tour car.
Walter Banister purchased a new Ford touring car Monday.
Misses Opal and Mabel Edens entertained a number of their friends with a party Saturday night.
Quite a few from here went to Vernon Saturday afternoon to attend the big football game.
Several men from Crowell attended the business meeting here Monday night.
Mr. McDaniel and family of Paris, Texas, is picking cotton for John Thompson Jr.
Jesse Randolph, brother of H. R. Randolph, of Knox City, and nephew, Charley Reed of Spearman, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Randolph.
Mrs. J. A. Abston and daughter, Mrs. J. G. Thompson Jr., were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.
Quite a number from here attended the funeral of J. F. Cheek at Crowell Tuesday afternoon, whose body was

shipped from Montana to Crowell for burial.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinley and Mrs. Ab Lawrence of Lorenzo came in Saturday night to visit relatives.
Quite a few of the young people enjoyed a musical at Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nichols' Sunday night.
Harley Capps who has been sick for the past month was able to attend church Sunday.
H. R. Randolph and family and Leona Thompson were shopping in Crowell Saturday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Derrington of Merkel came in last week to visit their children, the Derrington brothers. They attended church here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Champion and son of Cottonwood, Callahan County, attended church services here Sunday. They are visiting their nephew, Robert Derrington, and brothers.
There was quite a number of people here from Rayland and Talmage to attend services at the Church of Christ Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill left last Wednesday night for Dallas where Mr. Neill was a delegate to the Baptist convention in that city.
Judge Owens and Garland Burns and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haney of Crowell attended the school program here last Thursday night.
Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Mrs. N. J. Roberts and Mrs. Hughston of Crowell came down last Friday afternoon and helped organize a Parent-Teacher Association. Several members were enrolled. Mrs. Boyd was elected president, Mrs. Walter Banister, vice president, and Miss Cora Carter, secretary and treasurer. The association will meet next Friday night at the school auditorium.
Dulcia Maria Thorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thorn, who was seriously hurt Saturday night as she and her mother were returning home from town when a truck struck the buggy that they were driving throwing Mrs. Thorn and daughter out, died Sunday night. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. McNair of Margaret at the Baptist church, after which her body was placed in the newly-made grave in the Thalia cemetery. The entire community joins in sympathy for the bereaved family. The floral offerings were beautiful.

Black Community News
(By Special Correspondent)
Rev. Nue of Gilliland filled his reg-

ular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Also Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas of Crowell attended church here Sunday morning.
Clarence Carroll and wife of Vivian visited Mrs. Carroll's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Mitchell, Saturday night and Sunday.
Mrs. J. M. Clifford of Vernon spent a few days here last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. N. Powell.
Mrs. S. L. Powell of Knox County is here visiting her sons, Steve and Delmar Powell, and her daughter, Mrs. Jim Clifford, of Jameson.
Little Marion, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gentry, was quite sick last week.
Mrs. Sam Mills and small daughter, Sammie Gene, are spending this week with Mrs. Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry.
Miss Minnie Douglas had visitors from Altus, Okla., Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs. Ed Adress spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. O. M. Gentry.
Prof. H. H. Pare had business in Crowell Monday afternoon.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nauseous, salicylate tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.
One or two Calotabs at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with eating, work or pleasures. Next morning your cold has vanished and your system feels refreshed and purified. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price ten cents for the vest-pocket size; thirty-five cents for the large family package. Recommended and guaranteed by druggists. Your money back if you are not delighted.—adv.

The election is over and the parking problem wasn't solved.

A. C. GAINES
Jeweler and Optometrist
CROWELL, TEXAS

Folks born without a silver spoon in their mouth may find consolation in the fact that they might have choked to death on it.
Community improvement, like physical improvement, comes from exercise. Somebody has to do something.
It's not necessary to side-step the fellow with a chip on his shoulder, because he will be careful not to let you jostle it off.

ECZEMA!
Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDY doesn't relieve and refund on the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try the treatment at our risk.
FERGESSON BROS.
Ask about free picture at News.

Staple Groceries

We appreciate the splendid patronage the public is extending us as a new business firm in Crowell.
It is our intention to maintain a grocery establishment first class in every particular and to make you prices that are reasonable.
Our phone is at your service. Call us when you want groceries. In addition to a regular staple line of goods we are endeavoring to keep a supply of fresh vegetables for the trade.
We will appreciate your calling us for anything in our line.

SWIM & SONS
In Ringgold Bldg.
Will deliver in City Limits

Buy the Columbia Dry Cells for ignition, Radio and all general purposes for they will last longer.
We also sell the famous Red Seal Dry batteries. They are water proof and damage proof and are recommended for tractors, gas engines and automobile use.
They are guaranteed to give satisfaction for any use for which a dry battery is qualified.
Either of these batteries is just the thing to have handy and ready for use these cool mornings.
Let us sell you.
Mack's Filling Station
C. C. McLAUGHLIN, Prop., Phone 230
Gas with me. Sudden service

Thanksgiving Is Over

But the demand for good staple groceries is never over.

That being true, we are not unmindful of the fact that we must continue to handle lines of goods that will satisfy the custom.

Get our prices on flour, coffee, canned goods, etc., before you buy your groceries and we will not only satisfy you as to quality of goods but in prices also.

It is our aim to make the happy combination of quality and price and we allow you to be the judge.

Fresh vegetables in season.

Haney-Rasor Grocery

At Elliott Stand, North Side

WINTER GASOLINE

Cold weather is here and still lower temperature will prevail. Take time now to avoid feed line trouble when it's cold.

Moisture that has collected in your carburetor, feed line and gas tank all summer, is lying there waiting to freeze up.

Clean it out now—then use the only clean, clear gasoline and then your cold weather fuel troubles will be over.

MAGNOLIA STATION

DOW MILLER, Mgr.

Hunting Season

It will be only a few days until the hunting season will be here and we will be in position to meet demands for quality guns and ammunition.

If you are in the market for either it will pay you to buy the Remington make of guns and ammunition and your hunting experience should then be profitable and pleasant. In that case all will depend upon your marksmanship and skill as a gunman.

We have a full supply of both guns and ammunition.

Crews-Long Hardware Company

West Rayland News

(By Special Correspondent)

Judge Lynch and family left last Wednesday for their home at Gainesville.

Mrs. Huntley has returned from Dallas where she went to attend the funeral of her brother, J. W. Everett. Bill Anderson and family of Vernon spent Sunday in the Cap Adkins home.

C. H. Huntley left Monday for his home at Renner, Texas. He expects to return in a short time to this county to farm for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrington of Merkel are here visiting their children.

C. J. Fox and family attended church at Rayland Sunday.

Mr. Young and son, Arnold, left Monday night for Red River County in response to a message that Mr. Young's sister was not expected to live.

Jarvis Young has a new Buick car. Thelma Young is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Brown and two children of Childress is here visiting her mother and family, Mrs. Jarvis Young.

Frank Gamble who has been confined to his bed with a broken leg at the Jarvis Young home left Monday for his home in Arkansas.

Mr. Oliver and family left Sunday for their home at Brady, after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Wallace Scales.

John Coffman and wife and Mr. Parks and nephew all left Thursday for their home in Williamson County.

Items from Vivian

(By Special Correspondent)

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

Jno. P. Walling made a business trip to Dallas Thursday of last week.

H. H. Fish and son, Berny, of Paducah were in our community Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied home by Mr. Fish's mother, Mrs. J. E. Fish.

Herbert and Henry Fish of Crowell spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and son, Billie Newton, of Crowell were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Sunday afternoon.

J. P. Walling Jr. of Crowell spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walling.

Mr. and Mrs. Becket and small son, of Greenville, spent from Sunday till Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Walling and R. L. Walling passed through here Sunday en route to Clarendon.

Bro. Stovall preached here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

H. Y. Downing made a business trip to Crowell Friday.

J. E. Whitley was transacting business in Crowell Saturday.

J. W. Klepper of Crowell visited his daughter, Mrs. Allen Fish, the first part of the week, returning to Crowell Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Fish.

Mrs. Ray Whitley and small son of Electra returned to their home Sunday of last week after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Turner.

Egbert Fish and daughter, Jewel, were in Crowell Monday.

Tom Patton spent the week-end with his wife and children at Crowell.

R. S. Haskew, J. M. Marr, E. C. Reeves and J. E. Tarrant were in Crowell Monday.

S. J. Lewis, G. J. Benham and John Carter were transacting business in Crowell Monday.

H. Young and son, Roy, made a business trip to Crowell Monday.

Miss Jewel Fish of Paducah spent the first part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Grover Wilson of Ogden was in our community Monday morning.

Mrs. Egbert Fish who has been on the sick list for the last two weeks went to Paducah Sunday for medical treatment.

The Adelphian Club

The Adelphian Club met at the home of Mrs. S. O. Woods Thursday afternoon, November 20.

After a short business session, Mrs. Henry gave a very interesting report of the meeting of the State Federation of Womens Clubs, which convened in Amarillo.

The study of "The Lady of the Lake" was then resumed under the able leadership of Mrs. G. D. Self. Interesting and instructive reports on various features of Scottish History in relation to the poem were presented by Mesdames A. D. Campbell, Mark Henry and J. A. Stovall.

Plans have been formulated to have the annual club bazar December 13.

After the program and studies were completed delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The next meeting of the club will be Dec. 3, at the home of Mrs. Belle Allee with Mrs. R. R. Magee, hostess.

—Reporter.

Thalia Epworth League

For Nov. 30, 1924.

Leader—Leo Hlavaty.

Song. Prayer by leader.

Scripture lesson, Matt. 5.—Leotis Roberts.

Song by league.

We Are Thankful

—for the friendship that we feel has prompted you to favor us with the business you have in the past and as we look back over the year now nearing an end we are indeed thankful for we do feel that our business in the past is due to the friendship that you hold toward us.

We are continually striving to give you better service and your continued friendship will enable us to serve you better in the future.

Wishing you and yours a joyful Thanksgiving.

FERGESSON BROS.

The *Rexall* Store

Talk—Loralee French.

Prayer—Cecil Matthews.

Reading—John Hugh Banister.

Song: Life of David—Annie Wood.

How a league should grow.—Miss Annie Maye Neill.

Invocation.

DR. H. SCHINDLER

Dentist

Bell Building

Phone Number 82 2-Rings

To be honest simply because it pays isn't honesty at all.

Knox City Sanitarium

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

T. S. EDWARDS, Surgeon

Like Good Groceries?

Then Come to Us

We study your wants in the grocery line and know that you want good staple groceries and that you want them at reasonable prices. We try to meet your demands in both.

Then, our store is sanitarily perfect. Everything about it is clean, wholesome, reliable.

We offer you the best things to eat at the most reasonable prices possible and delivered to you in the best condition.

Fresh vegetables in season.

On that basis we solicit your trade.

Matthews-Crawford Grocery Co.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, November 28, 1924

The more automobiles there are the greater the liability of accidents. They are getting to be rather common these days and some of them are serious enough to cause thoughtful people to use their heads when driving. There are those who will continue to be thoughtless and will be held within the bounds of reason and common sense only by the laws governing driving and speeding. The officers whose duty it is to enforce these laws will have the endorsement and ought to have the co-operation of every one who wants life protected. Demands for their enforcement are becoming greater every time another car is added to the registration list.

There is much complaint over the price of turkeys. Those who have raised them say they can not afford to raise them at a price less than 20 cents per pound. Of course if high priced feed must be purchased with which to feed them possibly there is ground for the claims but during a summer like the past one when millions of grasshoppers are everywhere it looks like turkeys might be made a pretty good business proposition since these crop pests are said to furnish excellent food for the fowls. One Texas county reports a turkey revenue of \$50,000 to the farmers, which is not a small item.

We have nearly always made it possible to reduce the cost of our Thanksgiving dinner by cutting out one item. There are at least seven items necessary to complete the menu for that great occasion, turkey, cranberries, white potatoes, sweet potatoes, peas, celery and pie. It has been our custom to reduce the cost by eliminating the turkey.

The poultry show is to be postponed until sometime in January on account of the fact that not enough advertisement has been given it. It appears that this is a wise decision not only for that reason but also for the reason that everybody is filling up on the holiday spirit just now. January will be a better time.

Truth is a steady and durable foundation upon which to build life and character. Falsehood may appear to serve as a safe foundation but in time it will give away and the structure falls.

Opportunity does not discriminate. Sometimes it knocks at the door where the inmates are asleep.

According to our way of thinking very little skill is necessary in pulling a bonehead.

That fellow is a poor human specimen who can't even be thankful that he is not a turkey.

Be sure you are right and go ahead until your wife stops you.

See the News Bargain Rates
in This Issue



Always call for it by this name, and you will know you are getting THE BEST grade for your ploughs, wagons and any kind of implement.

Let us deliver you a barrel of Eupion oil.

WE DELIVER ON TIME

WE DELIVER ON TIME

Pierce Petr. Corp.

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

Registration of Motor Vehicles Breaks Record

Austin, Texas, Nov. 22.—With this week's registrations through the State Highway Department the total vehicles in Texas for the current year went over 725,000 which does not include motorcycles, trailers or tractors. There are nearly six weeks of the year left for registrations to reach the Highway Department's prediction of 800,000 motor vehicles for 1924.

The new State totals are as follows: Passenger cars 715,962, commercial cars and trucks 6,095, motor busses 3,582, trailers 2,138, tractors 119, dealers 2,969, chauffeurs 12,346, motorcycles 2,611, transfers 167,078, and visitors 427.

Senior Epworth League-Program

Subject—Opportunities for life service offered by missions.
Leader—Ella Patton.
Scripture—Acts 13:1-3; 16:9-10; Mark 6:7-13.

Song:
Short prayer by leaguers.
Address—Leader.

Discussion: Fields of Service.—
(1) Africa—Charlotte Gaines; (2) Brazil—Granville Lanier; (3) Mexico—Lebert Swaim; (4) Japan—Lola Bell; (5) China—Lottie Russell; (6) Korea—Lucile Kimsey; (7) Cuba—Mamie Lee Collins; (8) Europe.

Types of work—Evangelistic, educational, medicine, industrial and clerical workers.—Edward Huffman.

Vocal duet—"In the Garden."—Christine Campbell and Fredia Miller.
League benediction.

Mrs. Will Shaw of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Roberts, returned last week from High Falls, N. M., where she had gone to get her mother and step-father. Both are in bad health and were brought through the country in a truck. Mrs. Shaw will leave soon for her home in Buffalo.

The Standard Grocery Co. will move its stock of groceries to Rayland the first of December. W. J. Ayers, manager of the store, has bought a business building in that town where he will put the grocery stock.

S. H. Ross recently bought the James Kimbell home in the northwest part of town where he and his family now reside, moving there from his farm 1 1/2 miles northeast of town. He will continue to operate his farm.

J. J. Brown sends the News for six months to his brother, J. M. Brown, who is now at Viola, Tenn. Mr. Brown has been in the old home state for some time but expects to return to Foard County next spring.

Mrs. S. L. Powell was here Saturday, having returned from a visit with her daughter at O'Brien. Mrs. Powell is moving to Knox County, near Knox City, where she will be located indefinitely and wants the News to continue to come to her address.

Your Christmas package will not be complete without baby's picture. How about father and mother?
Quality and Service Studio

5 Hundred Thousand Acres
Now cut up in farms of 160 to 640 Acres
COTTON, CORN, WHEAT
land out of the great Capitol Reservation Lands
\$25 to \$40 per Acre
Small Down Payment, the Remainder in Ten Years at six per cent interest.
The opportunity of a life time for the tenant farmer to become owner of his farm home in Farmer County on the South Plains. Also have some good trades to offer. Write
BOB KYKER,
Sales Agent, Farwell, Tex.

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

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 effectually as it does less serious skin trouble. At your Druggist, send for a sample. Johnston, Holloway & Co., Philada.



You wouldn't let your wife carry a fifty-pound suitcase

That fifty-pound scuttle of coal—how long is your wife going to carry it?

It isn't that you wish her to carry it, but it probably never occurred to you that you can save her the strain of this load.

You know yourself what it means to lug a heavy load, especially on a hot summer day.

Give her a Florence Oil Range. It will make her kitchen cooler. It will preserve her health and youth. She will have no coal to lug or ashes to handle. And you can soon pay for the cost of a Florence out of the difference in cost between kerosene and coal.

Bring your wife in and have us demonstrate and explain to both of you the good-looking, quick-cooking Florence.



FLORENCE OIL RANGE

M. S. Henry & Co.

The House Where Service Counts

The News failed to get the item of Grady Shults going to Abilene on the 12th to attend Draughon's business college. Grady is a young man of splendid business inclination and he will make good in school and after he takes the course will make some firm a good trust-worthy man.

A. L. Sloan renews the paper for his son, Roy, who is attending the University of Oklahoma at Norman. Roy is well pleased with his work at Norman and will likely remain there after the close of the term next spring.

Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin renews the subscription of her sister, Mrs. Reid Williams, of Loveland, Colo. Mrs. McLaughlin says her sister will make a visit here during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Minnie Logan was here the latter part of last week from Lubbock visiting relatives. She and her sister, Mrs. E. F. Gibson, have recently purchased a novelty shop in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perkins of Bowie brought Mrs. C. P. Poland home recently who had been visiting them at Bowie. Mrs. Perkins is a daughter of Mrs. Poland.

Mrs. J. H. Self and daughter, Miss Winnie, Geo. Hinds and wife and B. W. Self visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Melton in Wichita Falls the latter part of last week.

Sidney W. Smith of Abilene will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and Sunday night. He is a brother of E. J. Smith of this city.

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.

The News' annual bargain days are now on. Dallas Morning News and the Foard County News one year for \$7.00. The Star-Telegram and the Foard County News one year for \$8.20. The Foard County News alone \$1.50. Don't fail to renew your papers at once. There is a great saving in each of the clubbing offers above mentioned.

Interest in mah jongg is reported to be dying out. Probably due to death of the players from overwork.

All things come to those who go out and bring them in.

The only way a woman can make a fool of a man is to get his co-operation in the enterprise.

Still water may be shallow. You can acquire a reputation for wisdom by keeping still.

A soft answer may turn away wrath, but all too often it is interpreted as ridicule.

It's a good bank that can stand the strain of a Christmas shopping season.

He who hesitates may be lost, but he is also knocked down and run over.

Penniless men ought to be thankful because they will never be banked.

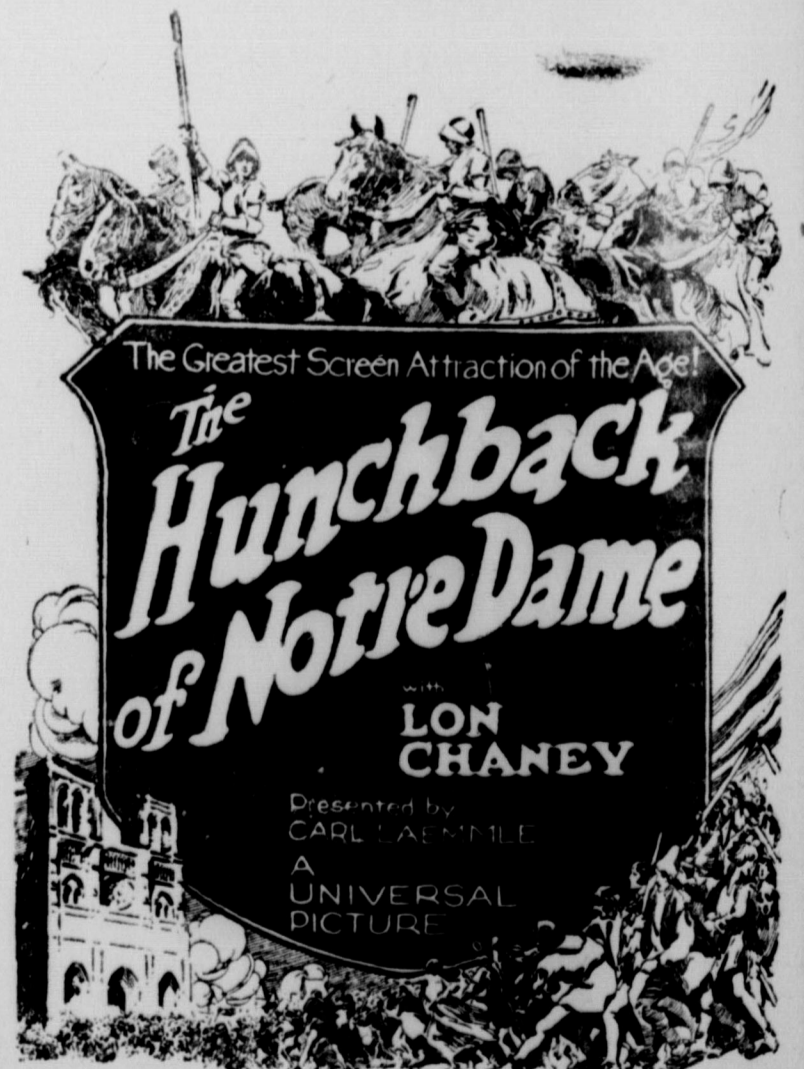


FERGESSON BROS.

For Sale—A pair of work mares, 16 1/2 hands high. Also harness and second hand wagon. If interested see J. E. Collins.

Battery work quickly done at the Exide Battery Station. Also sell Exide batteries, the best on the market.—C. E. Flowers, phone 53.

Coleman lamps are brighter.—M. S. Henry & Co.



The Greatest Screen Attraction of the Age
The Hunchback of Notre Dame
with **LON CHANEY**

Presented by CARL A. HENRIE
A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

Dec. 5th and 6th
Crowell Theatre

Smooth Sailing


On the tempestuous sea of life, it's possible only when you are fortified against the high waves of adversity with money

IN THE BANK

Your deposits in this bank will carry you along, no matter how rough the going, provided you have made a satisfactory start and have saved systematically. All will be smooth sailing for you and you will reach the harbor safely. Our many years of experience has proved this to be true. In fact, the accumulated experience of humankind has demonstrated the statement—

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J. W. BELL, PRESIDENT
T. H. BELL, ACTIVE V. PRES.
S. O. BELL, CASHIER

Local and Personal

See McCaskill for your sacks. Gabe's show is always good. Edwin Clapp shoes, the best.—Self's. Best dress values in town at \$12.85. Self's. "The Musical Mastens" are with us this year. The removal sale is now going on at Standard Gro. For better lites use Edison lite bulbs.—M. S. Henry & Co. Buy Fox and brother, Herman, are the Plains prospecting. Let us show why the Florence oil stove is better.—M. S. Henry & Co. For Sale—One span of good work mules, 16½ hands high.—M. L. Hughes. For Sale—Used cars of all kinds, range in price from \$50 to \$300.—H. W. Chevrolet Co. For Sale—White Holland full-blooded turkeys, 1½ miles north of Thalia.—Mrs. J. G. Thompson. We are making a special price on Goodrich tires. Buy good tires, as you won't have to buy so often.—Mack's Station.

For quick results use want ads in the News. 100 pairs new satin slippers this week.—Self's. The removal sale is now going on at Standard Gro. Edison lite bulbs are brighter.—M. S. Henry & Co. See Tobe Yount for apples at Johnson's Feed Store. 23p See the Standard Grocery removal sale on another page. See "Flamo," the man who knows all—at the big tent show. Tires and tubes—prices that suit.—Kenner-Davis Filling Station. When in need of coal or feed call phone 152.—Crowell Feed Store. Coleman lamps give a good lite to study by.—M. S. Henry & Co. Now is the time to get your groceries cheap at Standard Grocery's removal sale. Dependable, quick battery service done by C. E. Flowers at the Exide Battery Station. Phone 53. Let us grease your car and refill with Texaco oil, and see the difference.—Kenner-Davis Filling Station. We have the large tall Giant Bronz turkeys for sale. Choice hens \$3.50, toms \$5.00.—Mrs. J. K. McBeath, Crowell. tf

Stetson hats, the best.—Self's. Bradley sweaters, the best.—Self's. Our market trip bargains arriving daily.—Self's. See the Standard Grocery removal sale on another page. Children's coats, St. Louis buys, ages up to 12 for \$3.95.—Self's. Plains land for sale or trade. Write or see D. B. Lanford, Farwell, Tex. 22p 300 new sweaters bought as close-outs, sold to you at the saving.—Self's. The Dallas Morning News, daily and Sunday, and the Foard County News one year \$7.00. A baby boy made its appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Crawford last Friday. The Baptist ladies will have a bazar and bakery sale at the postoffice Saturday, Dec. 6th. Mrs. E. P. Bomar is here from Fort Davis visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Long, and family. Coming—"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," at Crowell Theatre next week, December 5th and 6th. The Florence oil cook stoves are safer and burn less oil. Let us show you.—M. S. Henry & Co. Cream, chickens and eggs wanted will pay the highest market price.—Matthews-Crawford Gro. Co. tf We have just received a large shipment of Goodrich tires. Can fix you up in size and price.—Mack's Station. See Miss Lucile Zuer, the Southwest's most pleasing leading lady in "Mad-Cap Molly" Monday night at the big tent. Tom Beverly Jr. is here from the Baptist College at Decatur, having come to spend Thanksgiving with homefolks. W. E. Swim, a member of the grocery firm of Swim & Sons, is at Vernon this week on account of the illness of his brother, R. E. Swim. Mrs. H. L. Kimsey and children made a trip to Vernon Saturday to visit relatives and friends and attend the ball game between Vernon and Pauls. Don't fail to see "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," the greatest screen production of the age. At Crowell Theatre Friday and Saturday, Dec. 5th and 6th. A. Brian renewed his subscription to the News Tuesday and also sent it for a year to his daughter, Mrs. Bryan O'Connell, 1213 Mill St., Wilkingsburg, Pa. Big bone broad massive Dark Cornish pullets, hens, cokerels and yearling cocks for sale. Ship on approval. Best in Texas—prize winners.—F. M. Payne, Caddo Mills, Texas 23p Forty-six quarter sections, 25 to 35 miles N. W. Plainview. \$25 to \$30 per acre, \$5 per acre cash, balance easy payments at 6%.—J. C. Thompson, Crowell, Texas. 24 For sale good five room house with five lots, city water, cistern, garage, etc., \$1500. Also a 3-room house and one lot near school house with cistern, barn and dugout, \$650. Terms on part of property.—Mrs. Harry Schlagal. 24p

Service Value Quality

COAT DAYS

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

OF THIS WEEK HAS BEEN SET ASIDE AS COAT COAT DAYS AT OUR STORE

Our Mr. Boman spent last week in St. Louis buying some of the best values to be secured in that market. Many coats were bought at half the wholesale cost and we are passing the saving on to our customers.

We have a special lot of 25 very fine coats that would retail for \$37.50, choice for \$17.85 50 children's coats bought during our St. Louis trip at a saving to you of from 35 to 50 per cent.

Also 25 ladies dresses in the very best styles and materials, formerly \$25 values, choice \$12.85

MEN'S COATS—Sure the norther is coming and overcoats will be in vogue.

A special buy of 25 overcoats in heavy materials with plaid linings, choice for \$17.85

10 sheep-lined coats, choice \$10.85

15 men's dress coats from \$22.50 suits, choice for \$7.50

We attended the big wholesale houses' sale in St. Louis and have many bargains arriving daily. Visit our store and make the saving.

Self Dry Goods Co.

One Price

Cash Only

McCaskill will buy your sacks. The latest Van Raalte silk hose.—Self's. Maize wanted by Bell Grain Company. Men's all-sheep-lined coats for \$10.85.—Self's. Service that serves at Kenner-Davis Filling Station. When you have tire trouble bring it to Kenner-Davis Filling Station. Ladies' coats formerly up to \$37.50, St. Louis buys, choice \$17.85.—Self's. Gabe Garrett's Comedians, the most talked of tent show in West Texas, coming Monday. Twenty-two car makers use Goodrich balloon cords. We sell them.—Mack's Station.

The Baptist ladies will have a bazar and bakery sale at the postoffice Saturday, Dec. 6th. We will have a Christmas bazar at the postoffice building Saturday, Dec. 13.—Adelphian Club. Coming—"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," at Crowell Theatre next week, December 5th and 6th. Flamo reads your mind—answers the questions you are thinking—calls you by name. It costs you nothing. "All the world loves a lover." See Gabe and Lucile in "Mad-Cap Molly" Monday night. Gabe's big tent will be warm. The fur season is here—a big demand and good prices. Will buy in Crowell the remainder of the season.—J. K. McBeath. tf Mr. E. E. Cadell of Antelope Flat and Miss Willie Claire Burks of Claytonville were married by E. J. Smith at his home Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson were in town Tuesday from Thalia to attend the funeral of J. F. Cheek. While here Mr. Thompson called at this office and renewed his subscriptions to the paper. For many years Mr. Thompson has taken the paper for himself and brother, M. B. Thompson, of Plano. Notice—I still handle real estate. Have bargains in Foard County farms and ranches, Crowell residence property. I have the exclusive agency in Foard County for the Yellow House ranch lands in Lamb and Hockley Counties. Let me show you my list before you buy.—J. W. McCaskill at the Crowell Feed Store. 24

Men's good overcoats for \$17.85.—Self's. Let's all go to the big tent show Monday, Dec. 1st. Goodrich Silvertown tires and tubes, best in the long run. For sale at Mack's. The Baptist ladies will have a bazar and bakery sale at the postoffice Saturday, Dec. 6th. Now is the time to get your groceries cheap at Standard Grocery's removal sale.

Notice

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

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SAM CREWS, CASHIER
G. M. THACKER, ASST. CASHIER

THE FIRST STATE BANK
CROWELL, TEXAS

Live-Wire Drug Store News

When you want anything from the Drug Store, you want the best that money can buy—not the cheapest. We know that is the reason so many people trade at our store. We do not lay much stress upon the price if the quality is there.

You will always find the very best of nationally advertised goods upon our shelves. It makes no difference what department you may visit in our store, you will always find quality merchandise and courteous salespeople, who will give you real service.

The very next time you want something from the Drug Store, stop in and we feel certain that you will be satisfied, because it is our ambition to see that our customers are satisfied before leaving the store with a purchase. Our experience has taught us that Foard County people demand QUALITY and SERVICE and that which is required to make this combination we have.

ACCURACY SERVICE COURTESY



Owl Drug Store
T. F. REIDER, MGR
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

PENSLAR AGENCY CROWELL, TEXAS PHONE 2-7

REMOVAL SALE

The Standard Grocery is going to move their stock of groceries from Crowell about the first of December, and in order to reduce our stock as much as possible we are going to offer our entire stock at a very low price.

Large size Brer Rabbit syrup only	90c
Large size Koo Koo syrup only	65c
Best potatoes, 100 lbs. only	\$2.15
One box P. & G. soap, 100 bars	\$4.50
One assortment toilet soap only	5c
Swift Quick Paptha soap, 25 bars	\$1.00
Babbitt Lye, 2 cans	25c
Merry War Lye, 3 cans	25c
35c Louis Aluminum Oats, only	50c
2-lb. Bucket Peanut Butter only	10c
One-lb. can best spaghetti only	25c
Two cans tall milk	25c
Three cans Old Dutch Cleanser only	25c
11 lbs. can sugar only	\$1.00

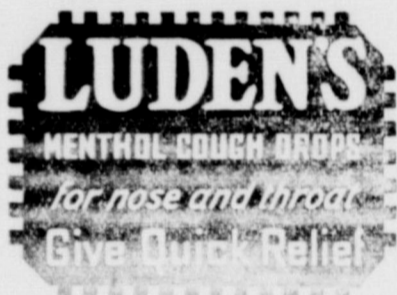
We haven't time and space to list everything but will say there will be a substantial reduction on everything in the store.

Yours for more business.

Standard Gro. Co.

WILBURN AYERS, Mgr.

Day dreams never come true without some wide-awake work.



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, Nov. 30, "Ancient and Modern necromancy, alias mesmerism and hypnotism, denounced."

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

The New Jersey man who squeezed a policeman's hand in a movie show and was sent to jail for 90 days, will probably search them for badges hereafter, when he gets affectionate.

COLUMBIAN RECEPTION

Club Celebrates Fifteenth Anniversary with Crystal Jubilee

Fifteen years ago this November, the women of Crowell organized the first study club, The Columbian. As the years have passed each with its failures and successes, we are sure there have been greater successes than failures. Today we are women of braver hearts, more experienced and more determined to follow our motto, "Happy is he who acts the Columbus to his own soul." Hence we felt it fitting that we invite the women of Crowell to enjoy our hospitality for a few hours in celebration of our fifteenth anniversary.

On Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 19, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. L. Kincaid we were happy to welcome our many friends who extended us greetings and good wishes for many other years of progress.

The large reception suite was tastefully decorated for the occasion. A color scheme of gold and white, the club colors, was carried out in the living room with white and gold chrysanthemums. Behind a screen of banked ferns a delightful program of music was rendered by Madams Alva Spencer and Adolphus Wright and Misses Bess and Thelma Thompson. The program consisted of vocal solos, piano solos, violin solos and duets. Throughout the receiving hours the harmony of well rendered, choice selections of these gifted artists mingled with happy conversation.

The membership of the club composed the house party. Guests were met by the hostess and presented to the president, Mrs. T. L. Hughston, and then were conducted to the punch bowl where Madams Marion Hughston and H. K. Edwards served them. Mrs. J. S. Ray presided over the beautiful hand-painted guest book where each was asked to register. The dining room was decorated in pink carnations, the club flower. Here sandwiches and chocolate were served by Madams Beverly, Hughston, Ferguson and Miller. The plates also held dainty crystal favors tied with gold and white ribbons and bearing the inscription "Columbian Crystal Jubilee, 1909-1924."

We hope to be worthy the many good wishes from our friends and will endeavor to make the coming years more profitable than the past.—Reporter.

People who stop to let the train pass by live to stop another day.



Men's Suits and Overcoats

If you are a young man you may be your only judge as to that overcoat or suit, but if you are married maybe it would be well to bring your wife along with you when you buy. After all she must be satisfied and she will enjoy having you look your best during the Holiday festivities.

You'll like those dressy suits and overcoats we have, made for service and always in good taste. They are conservative in style, carrying a dignity which men want for business and social gatherings.

Priced to suit you.

BLAW & ROSENTHAL

We keep the prices down where they belong.

State Department of Education

Austin, Texas, Nov. 18, 1924.

To all County and City Supts:

The Free Text-Book Law requires the Text-Book Commission, before changing any texts, to ascertain, as far as possible, whether or not text-books now in use are satisfactory. In view of the approaching meeting of the Commission, I am enclosing a blank for this information, and desire its return to this office not later than December 1, 1924.

Will you also please suggest to your teachers, if they are interested in retaining or changing any of the basal texts listed herein, that they write letters at once to the State Superintendent, giving reasons for their opinion.

In writing these letters please request them to observe the following rules:

1. Use letter size paper, 8 1/2 x 11.
2. Write on one side only.
3. Use separate sheets for each subject.
4. All letters to be mailed prior to December 1st.

Respectfully yours,
S. M. N. MARRS,

State Superintendent and Ex-Officio
Secretary Text-Book Commission.

APATHY DECREASES

The national apathy that has been growing with each succeeding general election was checked this year with a comprehensive Get-Out-the-Vote campaign that, according to unofficial returns, with many districts missing, resulted in a gain of almost four percent in the percentage of votes cast.

The crusade was carried on by scores of non-political organizations such as fraternal orders and lunch clubs, as a patriotic duty, because in a nation in which less than fifty percent of the electorate participates in the selection of a chief executive, there is danger ahead.

Demagogues have thrived better since the apathy has become so pronounced, because a lack of interest on the part of voters permits them to take advantage of ignorance and intolerance.

The campaign rolled up an increase of 3,500,000 votes which was twenty-five percent more than the increase in eligible voters over four years ago.

STOP THAT ITCHING

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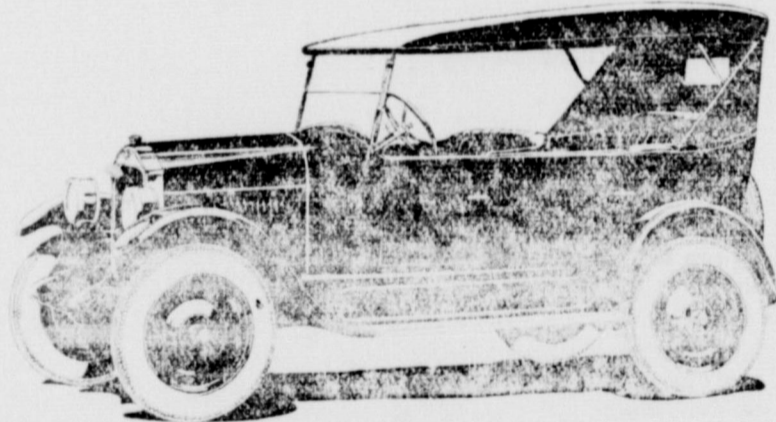
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Thalia Woman's Missionary Society

The Thalia Woman's Home Missionary Society met at the M. E. Church Monday afternoon, Nov. 17, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. C. B. Morris was leader for the afternoon. Some very interesting points about the beginning of the Missionary Society were brought out by Mrs. W. G. Chapman and Mrs. Connie Johnson. The Bible lesson for the afternoon was read and discussed after which the meeting adjourned to meet Monday afternoon, Nov. 24th at 2 o'clock—Supt. Publicity.

A surety company official says fat men are good risks. At least somebody loves a fat man.

Among the other fading illusions is the one that two can live as cheaply as one after there are a half dozen.

Eskimo parents never punish their children, but they have no place to go at night.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Foard.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Foard County, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to cause to be published in the Foard County News, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for ten consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Opal Ribble, Eula Ribble and Winfred Ribble, minors, J. N. Ribble has filed in the county court of Foard County, Texas, an application for letters of guardianship upon the person and estate of said minors, and on the 17th day of November, 1924, by order of the county judge of said Foard County, the said J. N. Ribble was appointed temporary guardian of the person and estate of said minors and at the next regular term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1924, the same being the 1st day of December, A. D. 1924, at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors, may and are cited to appear and contest said appointment, if they so desire, and if such appointment is not contested said appointment shall be made and become permanent.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court, on the 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 Crowell, Texas, this 19th day of November, 1924.

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We have about **40 Men's All-Wool Suits** to be sold at prices you cannot afford to pass by. They range in regular price from \$12.50 to \$35.00. They will be arranged so you can make your own selection. Come early and take advantage of the reduction in price.

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See our Shoe Trees in rear of Shoe Department which are always hanging full of bargains **\$1.75 and \$2.65** In our regular shoe stock we have just received several styles in the **New Tan**.



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Q. R. Miller, Propr.

MADE IN AMERICA

When you go down to the store some day between now and Christmas to buy toys for the little folks, there is only a remote chance that you will carry home any that were made outside of America.

It is not so long ago that most of the toys were made in Germany and millions of dollars of American money went to Europe, when it should have remained at home to provide capital for the employment of American labor.

The war changed all that. It shut off German imports, and if the Germans could have transported their toys to America's shores, the prejudices engendered by the war would have made their sale impossible.

Thus the American toy business was built up, and this year it will exceed \$56,000,000, which was the record established in 1923. This does not include children's carriages, wagons and sleds made and sold in America last year, which brought the total up to more than \$90,000,000.

This is a very substantial industry that should be supported by Americans as they come to the season when games and toys are purchased as gifts. It provides employment for thousands of men and women, who in turn spend their money for other American-made products and produce of the farm, which thrives best under the stimulus of a good home market.

Nobody likes to forget the election any better than the candidate who lost.

SUPPORT THE HOME PAPER

A news bureau recently sent out a list of cities and towns which were offering special inducements for industrial enterprises. Eight states were represented and in every instance those who might be interested were advised to address inquiries to the editor of the home town newspaper.

This is but one example of how the home town newspaper is always on duty; how it is constantly striving to better the community which it serves, not for any selfish purpose, but because it has the welfare of the community at heart.

The home town newspaper is the beacon light that reflects the glory of the people and the natural advantages that the town possesses. It is ever alert to opportunities for progress.

Countless numbers of towns would be a dismal failure without a newspaper. Their light would be hidden under a bushel, never to shine forth and beckon the stranger to come in.

Everyone recognizes the value of a newspaper and the unselfish work that it does in building up the community, but all too few show their appreciation in a substantial way.

With the revenue from subscriptions alone, no newspaper can live, but every person should be a subscriber and thus lend their support to an enterprise that always puts the best interests of the community before every other consideration.

From those who are first to benefit from the constant efforts of the newspaper, the merchants, should come to the financial support that is the first essential in publishing a newspaper.

This newspaper or any other newspaper can not continue to be the standard by which the community is judged without advertising patronage. Advertising must be forthcoming if the newspaper is to continue as the medium by which the community expresses itself; if it is to go on as the advance agent for the people, weekly performing a public service that no other agency is willing to or can perform.

Support the home newspaper for your own good as well as for the good of every person living in Foard County.

The year 1924 will go down in history as that of the "flyless summer," it is stated, but there are still plenty of flies in the ointment.

The Chicago florist-gunman, who was killed in his shop by three gunmen, didn't appreciate the relative value of his two occupations. He should have said it with flowers more often than he did with bullets.

An Indiana supreme court judge was elected by one vote. It was so close that he will not need a shave during his term.

Police may not be able to find robbers, but a clew is something they never have any trouble in locating.

President Coolidge will attend the international livestock show Dec. 3, but no one expects him to buy a donkey while there.

The king of Spain was the first monarch to own a private aeroplane. And he will probably be the last.

A stitch in time once saved nine, but now the runners in the silk hose are too swift.

Taking boxing lessons before seeking a quarrel is a part of wisdom.

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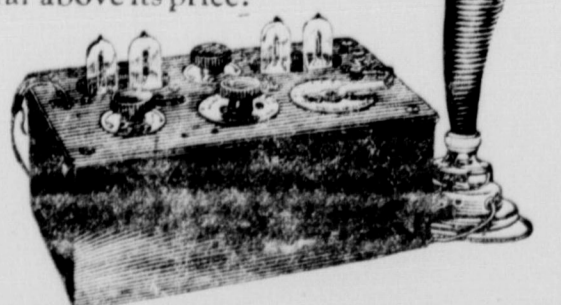
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Spelling Reform Needed

An elderly gentleman from the East was visiting his daughter in San Jose, Cal. Of course, he pronounced the name according to the spelling, until they impressed it upon him that in Spanish j has the sound of h.

By and by he started to see a son in Watsonville, on a branch line a mile or so from the junction at Pajaro, and as the cars from Pajaro to Watsonville passed directly by the son's house the old gentleman's railway ticket was for Pajaro. He looked at it in a puzzled way, then threw it down in disgust, exclaiming:

"Well, sir! They can tell me that 'J-o-e' spells 'Joey,' but they needn't tell me that 'P-a-j-a-r-o' spells 'Watsonville!'"—Kansas City Times.

Model Convict Prison

One of the most up-to-date penitentiaries in the world is to be found in Switzerland. The old idea of solitary confinement is eliminated altogether and the institution is practically self-supporting. When the level of Neuchatel lake was lowered by the drainage of Jura waters in 1878 a vast tract of marshland between the lakes of Neuchatel, Bieme and Morat was laid dry. The canton of Berne then had the idea of establishing on the uncultivated land an agricultural penitentiary colony. The colony was to make the land arable. Within 30 years an uncultivated stretch of marshland and of quagmire has been turned into a flourishing farm of 2,500 acres, solely by the work of convicts.

Public Gatherings of 1924

Describing the mobilization of pullman cars for special events, the Pullman News gives some interesting statistics. It is stated that for five months of the year 1924, June to November inclusive, there had been scheduled 118 large conventions and special gatherings. The figures run: June, 57; July, 10; August, 8; September, 20; October, 11, and November 4. For the fifth running of the American turf classic, the Kentucky derby at Louisville, May 17, 365 extra pullman cars were necessary; for the meeting of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine at Kansas City, June 2 to 5, 468 extra cars were needed; for the Republican convention, 120 extras, and for the Democrats, 200.

Program of Fifth Sunday Meeting

This meeting will be held with the Crowell Baptist Church, Nov. 28-30.

Friday, November 28

7:00—Devotion by W. A. Bell.
7:15—Sermon by J. W. Ray.

Saturday, November 29

9:00—Devotion by R. B. Cox.
9:30—Three minute reports from field by Board members.

10:00—Some by-products of 75 Million Campaign by Frank McNair.

10:30—Facing the future with our denomination.—L. A. Foster and W. W. Adams.

11:00—Our 1925 program, general explanation.—Dr. E. F. Lions.

11:45—The budget system.—R. B. Cox and W. G. Tankersley.

12:15—Dinner.

1:30—Board meeting.

2:15—Woman work.

3:45—Announcements and miscellaneous business.

7:00—Devotion, by C. F. Booth.

7:30—The deaconship, by Dr. E. F. Lions, followed by ordination of deacons. All pastors and deacons are invited to sit with us.

Sunday, November 30

10:00—Sunday School—all classes meet for study.

10:40—Address by W. N. Stokes, Building and Maintaining a Sunday School.

11:00—Sermon by W. G. Tankersley.
6:15—B. Y. P. U. Address by R. B. Cox.

7:00—Sermon by J. D. Vaughn.

Let all churches send delegates and board members are urged to be present, and bring all moneys on hand to settle last year's expense. Some churches owe small amounts. Please come prepared to settle.

Card of Thanks

To one and all who in any way expressed in words and deeds of loving kindness their sympathy in the loss of our loved one, we wish to express our sincere thanks. May God's richest blessing rest on each of you.

Mrs. Cheek and Children,
Mrs. McLaughlin and Family,
Mrs. Durham,
Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Cheek.

Under the Floor

Revival of the covering of the floor in the Westminster abbey chapter house, the meeting place of the first house of parliament, has uncovered in the old tiling found beneath a veritable treasure house of historic information concerning the England of 700 years ago. Mingled with the designs and patterns were portraits of Henry III and other notables.

With these new glimpses into the lives of almost forgotten heroes, the floor revealed interesting facts concerning the making of tile. Red clay was pressed into a mold that had the design carved on its surface. While the clay was still damp it was removed and the depressions formed by the pattern were filled with white clay. After glazing and firing the pieces were ready for the floor.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The Fortieth Lesson

Octavius Roy Cohen, the authority on negro dialect, said in Birmingham the other day:

"I once tried to teach a little Alabama colored boy to speak pure English. I'll never forget the despairing way he said to me at the end of the fortieth lesson:

"Dey aren't no 'aint you,' is dey? It's 'aren't you,' ain't it?"

Find Meteor in Africa

What is described as the most important visitor from the skies ever to fall to earth has been discovered in the North African desert. It is an enormous mass of meteoric stone, with a volume in the neighborhood of 100,000 cubic meters. M. La Croix, French geologist, who studied the meteorite, says it contains some rare metals.

Jungle Dresses Appear

What newspaper paragraphers have seen fit to call "jungle dresses" have made their appearance in Europe. They are made from silk, colored and spun so as to resemble the skins of wild animals. Leopards and tigers are the animals chiefly chosen for the mo-

Qualities That Make for Happy Marriage

If you ask half a dozen friends which quality is most likely to make for happiness in marriage you will probably receive half a dozen different replies. And all will be illuminating.

The man much occupied with business may regard common sense as supremely important. An imaginative woman will tell you that sympathy is the first essential while a less sensitive minded woman suggests good temper. The grace of cheerfulness, the beneficence of that "ordinary" kindness which, because so rare, is so extraordinary, the sunshine of a merry nature, the tender appeal of usefulness—all these qualities make for happiness in marriage.

But what is the final test? Which of all the varied characteristics of human nature is, it developed and cherished, most likely to bring enduring happiness in marriage?

The answer is to be found in an observation not of new marriages, but of those which have known years of storms, of disappointments, of disillusion, says Jane Traverser in the London Mail. In happy marriages, which might so easily have been unhappy, is it not the power of being companionable which has kept husband and wife together?

Marriages have often come to a tragic end because the man and the woman have not learned to be friends. In a marriage where the joys of companionship have been incompletely realized a disappointment in marriage as such may lead to permanent estrangement. But where there is real friendship, a happy companionship, a joy in doing things together, the desire to continue a great comradeship may prove stronger than the wish to end a disappointing marriage.

Modern women expect much more from life than their mothers expected. I am always surprised and a little envious when, reading the novels of the later Victorian days, I find how contented women were with a little happiness. They made a little joy go a long way.

The women of today might take a lesson from those unconscious heroines. If marriage as a romantic relationship has proved a disappointment, there is inspiration and refuge in the knowledge that friendship between husband and wife may be the most beautiful relationship in the world, becoming a more lasting bond than the marriage tie itself.

Bridge Needs Much Wire

At least 25,000 miles of wire will be used in the two cables for the suspension bridge now being erected over the Delaware river between Philadelphia and Camden, N. J.

How Much Would You Take for Your

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Business
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Will Take Them Without Paying You a Cent—If you are not

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We write all kinds of insurance for reliable companies that pay losses promptly.

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LEO SPENCER

Don't insist on keeping your light under a bushel because it may be wasting a perfectly good bushel.

It is not what you get, but what you expect to get that makes life worth while.

Some folks never resist temptation because they are afraid that it will never come again.

Being courteous is much more one's credit than merely being respectable.

Cream of Wheat and Light Crust Flour

We have been handling these brands of flour for a long time and everybody knows they are good brands and reasonable in price. You take no chances when you buy either of them. They carry a strong guarantee and every sack is as represented.

In our canned goods line we wish to call attention to Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand coffee. If there were anything better we would have it, for we try to stock with a coffee that is first class in character and we believe we have it. Good coffee is something that will not permit of a substitute, for poor coffee is worse than no coffee at all. Try a can of Chase & Sanborn's and you will see the difference.

Massie-Stovall Gro. Co.

Is Your Car Ready for Winter?

It should be fit for driving in cold weather. No test of an automobile's endurance is as severe as that which it undergoes in winter.

Let us tune it up and prepare it for the rigorous days ahead. Our mechanics are reliable and competent.

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It is essential that you take many factors into consideration in order to get lumber satisfaction, because you don't buy lumber every day. You buy it for a certain need and you know what you want. First you want to know that the QUALITY is there and that the PRICE is right. Satisfied as to these primary considerations, you desire to know whether you can buy exactly what you want for your particular purpose.

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AMON G. CARTER, President.

Captive Orang-Utan Showed Intelligence

An orang-utan named Dohong which was brought to the New York zoo from Borneo some years ago, astonished us by his intelligence. W. Reid Blair writes in the American Magazine. A gas pipe four feet long and two inches in diameter was wired to the bars at the front of his cage. The pipe itself could not be tilted or moved. Inside this pipe—in the very middle—a piece of banana was placed. Dohong, who was very fond of bananas, tried to get it. First he attempted to reach it with his hands, then his feet, and failed. He tried to loosen the pipe, but he couldn't do that. He was very much disturbed over his inability to get at that banana, and sat down to think it over. But no happy solution came to him—for the simple reason that, under the circumstances, there wasn't any.

Finally, without Dohong's knowledge, a stick two feet long with a hook in the end of it was concealed in the straw of his cage. Then Dohong was put back in the cage and we waited. In the course of 15 minutes Dohong accidentally came across the hooked stick. It didn't mean anything to him on the instant, but presently he was struck by a bright idea. He inserted the hooked end of the stick into the pipe, and let out came the banana on the hook! After that, when a banana was put inside the pipe, Dohong wasted no time trying to reach it with his hands, but began looking at once for the hooked stick.

This seemed to me to indicate a high order of intelligence.

Collie Certainly Was Clever Though Crooked

The dog story the other day seems to have attracted considerable attention, says a writer in the Montreal Herald, for in this morning's mail I received the following from an acquaintance:

"A friend of mine is a butcher, who some time ago noticed a big collie come into the shop, wag its tail and drop a letter at his feet. The meat man opened the note and discovered that it was an order, signed by the collie's master, for a piece of sausage. The dog was given the meat, and the amount chalked up on the master's account. This occurred several times, and finally the butcher ceased to unfold the notes, knowing what they contained.

"The dog continued his visits more or less frequently, and when the account went in there was a kick from its owner. There was something like ten pounds of sausages charged to the animal. Its master said he had only given a dozen or so orders to the dog. He happened to be in the shop the next day when his dog came in and dropped the usual piece of paper. Then it was found that 'Nero,' noticing that the butcher didn't read the order, had been picking up stray pieces of paper, folding them, and taking them to the shop, thereby assuaging his sausage hunger."

High and Low Lands

The maximum difference between the high land and the low in the United States proper is 14,477 feet. According to the official figures, Mount Whitney, the highest point, is 14,501 feet above sea level, while Death valley, the lowest point, is 275 feet below sea level. These two points, which are both in California, are less than 90 miles apart. The difference between them seems small, however, when compared with the difference between the highest and lowest point in Asia. Mount Everest rises 29,002 feet above sea level, whereas the shores of the Dead sea are 12,200 feet below it—a difference of 41,202 feet.

Interbred Chickens

The origin of the Rhode Island Red chicken was similar to that of the Buff Orpington in England. It was a local race of poultry produced by the farmers themselves without any definite breeding and from uncertain stock. It is thought by some authorities that a considerable foundation of this local Rhode Island poultry was an old smooth-legged Cochín-China stock; but that ordinary Cochíns were also largely bred is undoubted, and there is strong evidence that the Asiatic stock was considerably crossed and intermingled with Brown Leghorns.

Mother's Cook Book

When it shall be said in any country in the world, "My poor are happy—neither ignorance nor distress is to be found upon them; my jails are empty of prisoners, my streets of beggars, the aged are not in want, the taxes are not oppressive, the rational world is my friend, because I am a friend of its happiness—when these things can be said, then may that country boast of its constitution and its government.—Thomas Paine.

FOOD FOR THE FAMILY

A VERY pretty and good-flavored salad is prepared from honeydew melon. Cut the melon into sections two inches wide and remove the skin. Place on tender white leaves of lettuce or endive. On the melon arrange, alternately, sections of orange and grapefruit, or fresh pears. Garnish with fresh berries, maraschino cherries, or, lacking these, cubes of bright-colored jelly. Serve with a French dressing in which a few chopped candied cherries, a little candied pineapple, green plum or preserved strawberries, all chopped, are added.

When serving a choice luncheon to a small number try:

Stuffed Chicken Legs.
Take the legs from the chicken before cooking, remove the bones and stuff the cavity with chicken stuffing. Put into a baking dish, add chicken broth to cover; cover the dish and cook slowly until the meat is tender. Thicken the stock and serve poured over the legs.

Baked Broiled Chicken.
Cut up a fowl as for fricassee. Sift together one-half cupful of flour, one-quarter teaspoonful of salt, and pepper, one-third of a cupful of milk, a well-beaten egg; beat until smooth and dip each piece of chicken into this batter and then into dry bread crumbs. Place in a pan with one-third of a cupful of butter and cook under the gas flame until well-browned on both sides. Remove to a casserole. To two cupfuls of chicken stock add two cupfuls of water, boiling hot, and two chicken bouillon cubes, adding crumbs to the fat; pour all over the chicken and bake in a slow oven until the chicken is tender.

Grape Sponge.
Put one-half cupful of grape juice, one-half tablespoonful of gelatin, a few grains of salt, and sugar to taste, in the top of a double boiler. When the gelatin is dissolved, strain, place in a bowl in a pan of ice water, and when it begins to thicken beat with an egg beater until very light. Add one stiffly beaten egg white, mold and chill. Serve with a thin, boiled custard, or with cream.

Nellie Maxwell
1924, Western Newspaper Union

MEN YOU MAY MARRY

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a man like this proposed to you?

Symptoms: Not particularly noble looking. Rather slight and angular. He holds a position of great human and social value; he seems simple, yet he is a personage. He is great fun, looks jolly, likes to play and loves to work, never talks of work when he plays. Always ready to play when his job is over.

IN FACT

He is the eternal big, large-hearted boy.

Prescription for bride:
Keep a ton of "Pop" on hand.

His fine admixtures of work and play keep him in trim, so must you keep trimmed.

Absorb This:
THE GREATER THE SOUL THE SIMPLER THE ROLE.
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Wrens and Catbirds Had Nests Together

A very interesting and rather unusual incident, showing how neighborly birds may be, happened last spring, writes Elizabeth Frederick in Our Dumb Animals. A friend of mine has a cottage, and there is a certain vine growing close to a window, which is a favorite nesting place with birds. This year two different families, a pair of wrens and a pair of catbirds, decided to nest here, and so they set about building their homes. Strange to say, there was no quarrelling over this, but each pair minded its own business, and when their homes were finished, lo and behold! there, perched upon the edge of the good-sized nest of the catbird, was the dainty little nest of the wren.

Never were two families more sociable. Together the mothers sat on their eggs, and perhaps they chatted about different things to make the long hours of waiting less lonesome. Together the wrens and the catbirds fought the cat and bravely defended their homes, when the babies were hatched, and side by side they raised their families and taught them how to fly. Now there is nothing left but the two nests to show this unusual friendship between two bird families.

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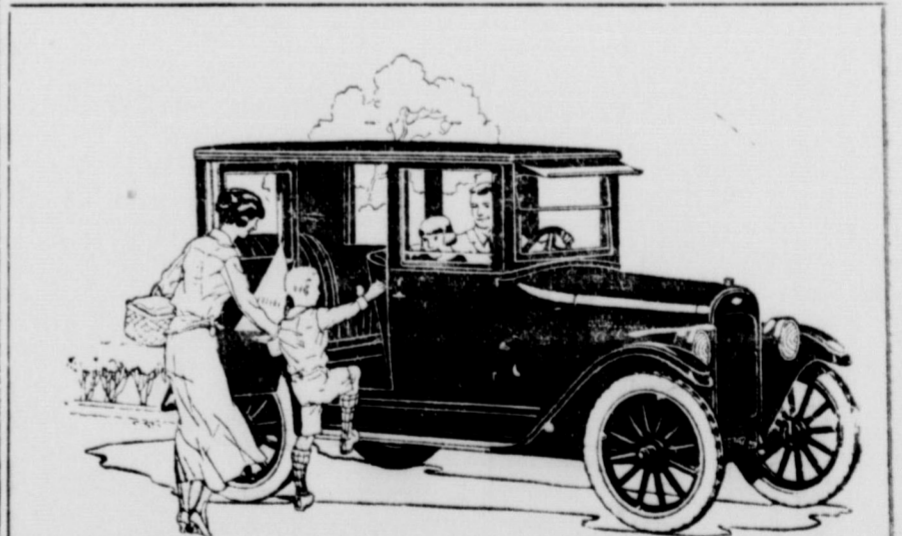
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