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Governor Signed Bill to Validate

CROWELL SCHOOL BOARD NOW READY TO CONTINUE PROGRAM

There should be nothing in the way of the Crowell school board's continuing its building program. The objection to the legal phase of the consolidation matter, as given by the attorney general, has been removed by the Legislature and received the Governor's signature a few days ago.

So the board is awaiting further steps by the bond purchasers and contractors. In all probability the matter will be adjusted within a few days so that actual progress will be seen looking to the commencement of construction on the new building.

The thing that has delayed the proposition was that the attorney general would not approve the consolidation on the grounds that one of the districts voting in the election went against consolidation and he held that it was not legal. It was thought that the quickest way out was to have the Legislature validate the election, which was done while the body was in special session.

The delay means a hardship on the school, as it was hoped that a new building would be erected early this fall at least. As it is, the building can not be ready for use for some months and the only thing that can be done is to wait with patience.

We hope to be able to say within a short time that the material is being placed on the ground and that the work is soon to begin.

HASKELL GIVES MEXICAN VIEWS

FORMER OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR SAYS OUTLOOK OF REPUBLIC BRIGHT

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 18.—C. N. Haskell, the first Governor of Oklahoma, just returned from Mexico, who is in this city, had the following to say with reference to conditions in Mexico:

"My observations concerning Mexico, submitted herewith, are arrived at after one year's careful study and observation and are not based upon an intimate acquaintanceship with many prominent officials, as I thought it better to judge the Government by its works and their effect on the mass of the people.

"In educating the masses in common schools of Mexico, wonderful progress has been made. There are now over 2,000 common schools in operation and many more being rapidly established. In former days common schools received little or no attention and the education of the masses was neglected. Today even the President attends the school celebrations and, on important national holidays, I have seen more than 20,000 school children in a single exercise, all singing together in perfect harmony and making a most beautiful display, one that can not be excelled in any country. Gymnasiums and swimming pools are provided for the public and there are numerous district agricultural and mechanical schools now in operation and doing good work.

Says Law is Enforced

"In Mexico City, with nearly 1,000,000 population, I believe the best law enforcement and order is maintained of any city I know. Their chief of police, I believe, is the most efficient officer whose work I have observed. On national holidays I have traversed crowded streets for hours, where possibly 50,000 people, men, women and children, were crowding the streets, without seeing a single drunken person and without hearing any boisterous or quarrelsome talk.

"Mexico has occasional bandits or holdups just as we have in our own big cities here in the United States, but the law is more promptly and efficiently enforced and with less delay in Mexico.

"Mexico is constantly improving industrially and in time will show great evidence of this. I believe that Mexico is as fair in its privileges to foreigners as we are here in the United States and in some respects more so. Mexico in education and home ownership is pursuing practically the same policy that our own country has prospered under.

"The so-called religious controversy is exactly what Thomas Jefferson contended for when laying the found-

Record Crop Is Indicated By the Government Report

Washington, D. C., Oct. 8.—According to the condition report of the Department of Agriculture released here today, as of Oct. 1, this year's cotton crop will be the largest ever grown, totalling 16,627,000 bales, as compared with the previous record crop of 16,135,000 bales produced in 1914. The report today shows a gain of 817,000 bales since the previous forecast in the middle of September.

Cotton of this year's crop ginned prior to Oct. 1 totalled 5,639,284 running bales, counting 162,041 round bales as half bales and including linters, compared with 7,126,248 bales, including 98,059 round bales, to that date last year, the census bureau announced today.

The condition on Sept. 16 was 59.5 per cent, indicating a crop of 15,810,000 bales. Last year's production was 16,103,679 bales. The indicated yield per acre is now placed at 168.4 pounds, compared with 160.0 pounds a fortnight ago and 167.2 pounds the final yield last year.

Texas condition was reported as 59 per cent and indicated yield of 5,350,000; ginnings 2,048,705.

Following the report today the market suffered another severe decline in price going into new low levels for the season.

Aged Man Dies from Paralysis Stroke

H. P. Whitman, aged 79 years, 8 months and 7 days, died at his home near Thalia Tuesday after a stroke of paralysis about a week ago.

Mr. Whitman was born in Alabama and came to Texas when but a child. The home was made in East Texas until about 19 years ago when he and his family came to this country where they have made their home since.

Mr. Whitman was married to Miss Mary Stodghill in East Texas after having reached young manhood. He is survived by his wife and four children. The children are, Mrs. C. C. Fowler, Vernon; J. B. Whitman, Wichita Falls; Lee Whitman, Thalia; Mrs. Emma Duncan of Thalia who resided with the aged father and mother, Mrs. Duncan's husband being dead.

Funeral services were held at Thalia Wednesday afternoon after which interment took place in the Crowell cemetery at 4 o'clock p. m.

Takes Prizes on Buffs at State Fair

Jim Cates entered some of his Buff Orpington chickens at the State Fair at Dallas and took first on old pen, 3rd on cock and 3rd on hen.

Considering the keen competition one has in showing at the State Fair of Texas, we consider that Mr. Cates did mighty well with his chickens.

He has been devoting his best efforts to Buff Orpingtons for the last few years and has taken prizes at a number of poultry shows over this part of the country.

SCHOOLS APPLY FOR AID

The following schools of the county have applied for state aid: Margaret, Foard City, Vivian, Claytonville, Beaver, Ayersville, Rayland.

dition of our United States Government. Mexico is taking the stand Jefferson took.

Will Have Auto Highways

"I believe there will be in time good automobile roads communicating with the United States at various border points which will be vastly beneficial to both countries, but especially to Mexico. Mexico will receive a large contribution of new wealth that large numbers of tourists bring in their travels and by this means, too, great masses of the peoples of the two sister Republics will be brought together, thus establishing mutual good will and confidence and greatly increasing the trade of both countries.

"I sincerely hope that our newspapers and our few people who recklessly criticize Mexico will realize that Mexico is a free Republic entitled to maintain its own government and, appreciating the good work now going forward in Mexico, will compliment Mexico as she deserves to be in many instances, instead of indulging in reckless criticism as is now so frequent and unjustifiable."

Kincaid's Name Is to Be on Ticket

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES THAT CORRECTION CAN BE MADE

When the Secretary of State sent the certificates of names for the making of the general election ticket recently it was discovered that R. L. Kincaid's name was not on the ticket but that Mr. Covey's name was there instead. Dr. Kincaid defeated Mr. Covey by about 200 votes in the race for representative of Foard, Hardeeman, King and Knox counties, but the Secretary of State had certified Mr. Covey's name. How it happened that she certified his name is not known, since it would seem that she would have no right to certify any name in the absence of the information needed for such certification.

It developed that official information was not given before October 1st. But the matter was taken up by Dr. Kincaid and his friends here and a ruling from the attorney general's department in Saturday's papers said that this correction could be made after October 1st. This has been done and the Secretary of State has certified Dr. R. L. Kincaid's name. It was not fault of Dr. Kincaid and it was not right that he should be effected and the attorney general so ruled. His name will appear in its proper place on the ticket.

The Dallas News to Offer Bargain

We are in receipt of a letter from The Dallas News, stating that its Third Annual Reduced Rates Offer will be announced not later than December 1st. Once a year, The Dallas News offers its readers an opportunity to make a substantial saving on yearly subscriptions. This is a sort of Christmas present from The Dallas News to its readers.

Last year and the year before, practically all of the old subscribers availed themselves of this opportunity, and thousands of new readers were added.

Among other things, The News stated that it maintains the highest priced news-gathering organization in the Southwest. Its ten leased wires, aided by an army of regular and special correspondents, bring the news from all parts of America and the remote corners of foreign lands.

This news, concerning the big State newspaper, which has meant so much to the growth of Texas, will be of interest to the entire reading public.

Much Extension Work in Sight

Chester Upton, vice president of the Upton Gas Co., was in town Wednesday and told the writer that his company is going to connect our outlying districts as soon as possible.

We expect to take in towns like Crowell and Paducah before long, and have their eye on the possible development of a gas field west of Crowell.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

THALIA WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. Matilda A. Hedrick, mother-in-law of Prof. J. R. Carter of Thalia, died Monday at the age of 68 years.

Funeral services were held at the Crowell Baptist church Tuesday, Rev. Payne conducting the services, after which the body was placed in the Crowell cemetery.

The aged lady had been making her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carter, having recently come from Iowa Park. Mr. Carter is superintendent of the Thalia schools.

OIL STOVE EXPLODES

The News overlooked the fact of Mrs. Viola Locke's fire last week. It was during breakfast time Friday morning and her stove suddenly became enveloped in a flame of fire.

The glass tank containing the oil seems to have burst and allowed a flow of oil and before she knew it the stove and the wall were on fire.

The fire department responded to the call and the stove was dragged outside of the house and the flames running up the wall put out. Little harm was done except to the stove, which was practically ruined by dragging outside.

M. E. Church Will Have Good Report

THIS HAS BEEN ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL YEARS IN HISTORY

It was revealed at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist church held here Sunday that this has been a very successful year and when Rev. W. J. Mayhew goes to the Annual Conference at Childress next month he will have the best report to carry with him that has ever been made in the history of the church.

The work in general has been very gratifying. Forward steps have been taken in nearly every department of the church work. A minute report will be published later covering the finances, the increase in membership, the Sunday School work and all the auxiliaries. This can not be done just yet because the year's work has not closed, but present conditions justify the statements above made and the membership will have cause to feel proud of what the church has done by the time the annual conference meets.

HELP PROMISED TO COTTON MEN

Washington, Oct. 18.—Co-operation of the President's cotton committee was promised representatives of the Memphis cotton conference by Chairman Eugene Meyer during a conference in which the South's problem arising from the record cotton production was discussed.

"We arrived at no definite conclusions," B. W. Kilgore, chairman of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange, said. "We think, however, we will work out a solution. The cotton committee has given us full co-operation in working out the problem."

Mr. Kilgore, who was accompanied by Oscar Johnston of Memphis, said the problem has settled down to two main factors, first, orderly marketing of the crop over a longer period of time than usual and, second, reducing next year's acreage by 25 per cent.

"If the farmers can be kept in a position to hold their cotton until a price of 15c a pound is obtained they will break even," Kilgore said. He estimated it would be necessary that this year's crop be marketed over a period of eighteen or twenty-four months rather than the customary six or ten months.

"The South is in good shape and able to meet its problem," Mr. Meyer said after the conference. "The problem is one of co-ordinating existing organizations to permit the orderly marketing of the crop. We have reached no definite plan because no magical scheme is going to aid us. It is a problem of co-ordination."

Mr. Kilgore and Mr. Johnston, who seemed optimistic over the outlook after the conference, said they would continue their discussions with Federal representatives in the next few days.

HOUSTON COUNTY FINDS IT CAN BE DONE

Houston County has been reading the exhortations about the necessity of holding the cotton crop, but Houston County isn't much concerned about it now. There will be no wild scramble to get up meetings to address somebody not there and preach to him the need of his doing something about it. Houston County has already done it, apparently. Houston County will finance the holding of the entire Houston County crop.

It sounds rather simple. We are told that the Crockett Chamber of Commerce will see that the entire 15,000 is something to do. So the held to a favorable time for sale. The people of Houston County couldn't do anything about holding 4,000,000 bales. Four million bales is something to talk about, but 15,000 is something to do. So the Crockett Chamber of Commerce did it, the news accounts say.

It is frequently that way. The problem in the aggregate seems stupendous. But, individually attacked, the elements are within our powers. Houston County is not sending delegates to talk. Houston County is already holding her cotton. It is difficult to see how she can lose much by that. On the contrary, gain is likely.—Dallas News.

Find Body of Boy Who Tries to Swim Red River Recently

The body of Roy Barker, 21, Friendship, Okla., who has been missing since Tuesday night when he started to swim the north fork of Red River near Tipton, was found by a searching party Sunday morning near Hess, two miles south of the point where he entered the river. The body had been washed ashore, according to the youth's father, Frank Barker, of Vernon.

The body was badly decomposed, and burial was made in Altus Sunday afternoon.

Discovery of the body ended a search in which some 2,000 persons had participated during the five days which the youth was missing. Barker attempted to swim the river Tuesday night in an effort to reach home after the bridge had been made impassable by high water. He telephoned the family with whom he was living to have dry clothing ready for him and made his attempt. Only a few feet of water separated him from safety when he went down, according to a friend who witnessed the attempt.

Young Barker's immediate family relatives include his father, Frank Barker of Vernon, step-mother, and a sister, Miss Marie Barker of Hess, Okla.—Vernon Record.

Vernon Man, 47, Found Dying; Gun Nearby

Vernon, Oct. 18.—J. H. Cook, 47, a former resident of Vernon and Wilbarger County for many years, was found dying with a bullet wound in his head late Sunday afternoon near the Fort Worth and Denver stockyards in North Vernon. He died within a few minutes after he was found.

Justice of the Peace W. D. Hollars, acting as coroner, held that Cook died of self-inflicted wounds. A .38 caliber revolver was found near the body with an empty shell in its chamber. A small suit case containing clothing and other effects also was found near the body.

Cook and his family had recently returned to Vernon from Amherst, where they had been living the last two years, and were staying temporarily at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Claude Waggoner. He left the Waggoner residence shortly after breakfast Sunday morning, saying that he was going to see about a house.

News of the Public Schools of County

MOST OF THEM HAVE STARTED, SOME SUSPENDED FOR COTTON PICKING

The News did not get the items of all the public schools of the county starting, some of them opened the second week in September, some recently. Cotton picking has interfered with the progress of some and they suspended for a time on that account.

Thalia school opened a week ago Monday with J. R. Carter as superintendent, and Miss Reid in the primary department, Mrs. Brown in the second and third grades, Miss Russell substituting for Mrs. Young in the fourth and fifth grades. The school opened with a good showing but had to suspend the first week for cotton picking.

Vivian started two weeks ago but also stopped for cotton picking. This school has four teachers, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Raure, and Misses Cora and Claudie Carter compose the teaching force.

Foard City opened two weeks ago with Henley Goode as superintendent and Mrs. Leta Russell, Mrs. R. E. Sparks, Mrs. Earnest King and Mrs. Travis Davis as the faculty. The school is running.

Ayersville started two weeks ago with Robt. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. John Nichols as teachers.

Black opened Monday of this week with Mrs. O. D. Beauchamp as principal and Mrs. Gleyenn Norman as assistant.

Four Corner has been running a couple of weeks with Mrs. A. G. Bell as teacher.

Gambleville started the second week in September. Miss Laura Wilson is principal and Miss Vergie Borchardt is assistant.

Rayland school suspended for a period on account of the cotton situation.

Voters Urged to Go to Nov. Polls

HEAVY VOTE WILL MEAN A GAIN OF PRESTIGE AND POWER

The county chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee has received a communication from the State Executive Committee calling attention to some facts which are grounds for urging a heavy vote in the general election. These are pointed out as follows:

"In 1928 we will have two Democratic State Conventions, one to select delegates to the National Convention, and the other the regular State Convention. The number of votes that each county will have in these conventions will depend on the number of votes cast in the county on Nov. 2nd for Dan Moody, the Democratic nominee for Governor. The larger the Democratic vote is on Nov. 2nd, the larger the vote of your county will be in the State Convention.

"The general election should not be looked upon as a perfunctory affair. All the nominees of the party should be elected by big majorities. If we poll a large vote it will give the Democratic party of Texas more power in the National affairs of the party. If we expect Texas to hold her name as the 'Banner Democratic State' we should send a solid delegation of Democratic Congressmen to Washington. The indications are that the Democrats will control the next House of Representatives, and if they do, chairmanship of ten of the most important committees will go to Texas members. If we succeed in these things it will give Texas a high place in the National Convention in 1928."

San Antonio Pastor Will Hold Meeting at Baptist Church

According to information given us a series of meetings will begin at the Baptist church in Crowell beginning Thursday evening, October 28, the preaching to be done by Rev. E. C. McDonald of San Antonio. Rev. McDonald is an able preacher and is well known in Crowell. Every body is invited to attend these services.

Crowell Wins from Chillicothe, 38 to 0

Crowell again came out victor in a football game played on the Crowell grounds Monday, beating Chillicothe 38 to 0. Lawson made more total gain than any other player, 99 yards. Ashford came second with 68 yards. Crowell made fourteen first downs while Chillicothe made none. There was only one serious injury and that to a Chillicothe boy who re-broke his collar bone. Chillicothe's line could not hold the Crowell team and almost every time the Crowell backfield broke through for a good gain, while Chillicothe's backfield could not get by the Crowell line. This was Crowell's third game this year and she hasn't been scored on yet, while in all three games she has made a total of 67 points. Crowell plays Monday at Munday Friday, Oct. 22nd, and will appreciate your support.

Crowell line-up:

Left end, Haskell Norman; left tackle, Weldon Cogdell; left guard, Rob Cook; center, Vance Swaim; right guard, Harry Moore; right tackle, J. T. Carter; right end, Howell Hallmark; quarterback, Raymond Burrow; left half, Elmer Lawson; right half, Teddy Burrow; full back, James Ashford. Substitutes—second quarter, Cogdell for Moore; third quarter, Long for Moore, Bell for Cook for T. Burrow; fourth quarter, Burrow for Bell, Moore for Long.

Chillicothe's line-up: Left end, Davis; left tackle, Craig; left guard, E. Collins; center, Word; right guard, Crowder; right tackle, Kilgore; right end, Stewart; quarter, Stevens; left half, Hansard; right half, Seely; full back, Nuckles. Substitutes—Second quarter, White for Seely, Taylor for Collins; fourth quarter, E. Collins for Word.

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CITY TAILORS

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. R. C. Payne of Vernon preached at the Baptist church here Sunday and Sunday night.

John Keesee and family of Vernon and Mrs. W. C. Gardener and daughter, Merle, visited in the J. N. Keesee home here Sunday.

Tom Russell and family and Misses Lottie and Grace Russell and Ruby French of Crowell visited J. K. French and family here Sunday.

Royce Cato and Bill Hlavaty attended the Dallas Fair last week.

G. W. Seales and M. C. Adkins were business visitors in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. Elkins and Mrs. Eunice Williams and daughter of Vernon, visited in the W. F. Wood home here Sunday.

Mrs. George Doty and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Solomon visited Homer Doty and family in Vernon Friday.

A. Oliver and W. C. Gardener were business visitors in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts and Claude Roberts and wife of Vernon visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

J. A. Stovall was a business visitor in Benjamin Monday.

Mr. Whitman, better known as "Grandpa Whitman," who has been seriously ill this week died Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Lee Roberts is visiting relatives in Vernon this week.

Miss Anna Maye Neill who is teaching school at Talmage visited her parents here last week-end.

A play entitled "A Poor Married Man," will be staged at the high school auditorium Saturday night, October 23rd. Every one invited to come. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school.

Mrs. Connie Johnston visited Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols near Ayersville Sunday.

Mrs. Hendrix, Mrs. J. C. Carter's mother, died at the Carter home here Monday. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Tuesday, Rev. Payne of Vernon conducted the funeral services. The body was laid to rest in the Crowell cemetery.

Jim W. Huntley of Vernon and Mrs. Mollie Bankston of Winters were married here Sunday by Elmer Roberts. They left immediately for their home in Vernon.

AYERSVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

J. L. Short is the owner of a new Ford sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bourland of Vernon spent Monday night with the latter's sister, Mrs. V. A. McGinnis.

Grandma Fox has not been very well for the past few days.

Little Bobbie Lee Stewart has been ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fox and baby of Thalia spent from Thursday till Saturday with J. L. Short and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. McGinnis left Tuesday afternoon for the coast. They spent Tuesday night in Crowell.

Vernon Pyle and family spent Saturday in Vernon visiting Mrs. D. W. Pyle and Leonard, his brother, and family.

Bro. Smith, the Presbyterian pastor of Crowell, will preach at Gamble school house every third Sunday instead of Bro. Taylor who has resigned.

E. W. Burrow was in Vernon Monday.

Sherman Nichols and wife spent Sunday with the F. J. Jonas family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ely and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Crank spent Sunday with C. E. Stewart and family.

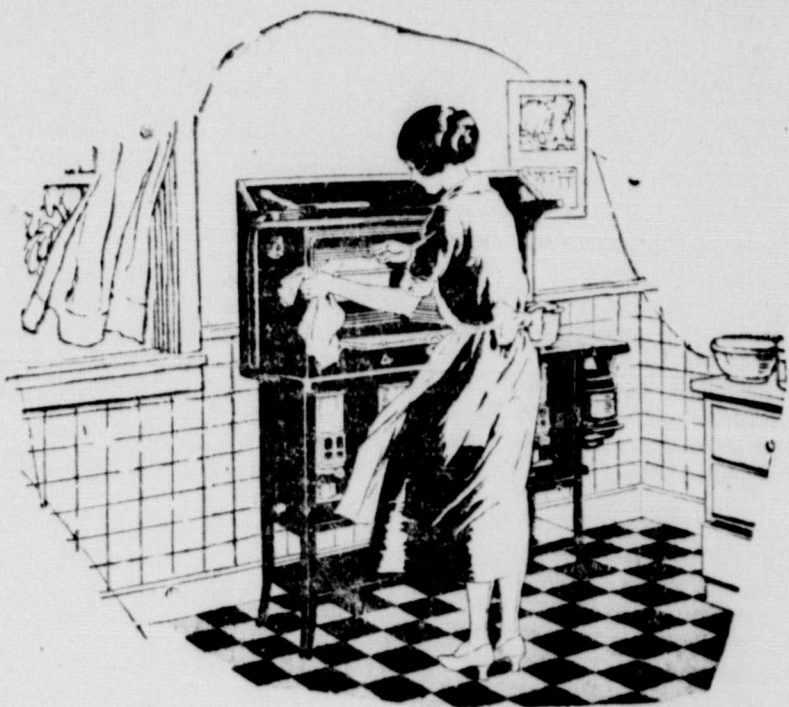
The Ayersville school has closed for cotton picking.

V. A. McGinnis and wife returned from the Plains Sunday. They report a lot of the land flooded with

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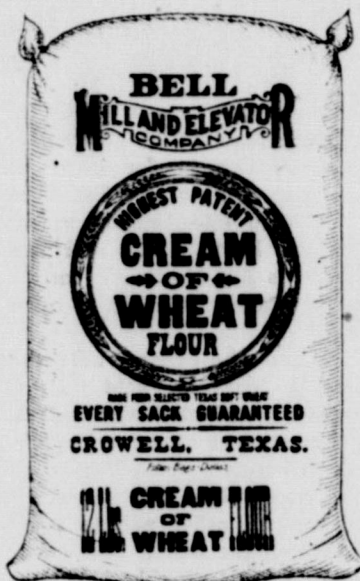
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Mr. and Mrs. Will Tarver and children visited Grandpa and Grandma Fox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler of Vernon visited in the Burrow home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz and Mrs. Dave Shultz were in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Royce Cato spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Dave Shultz. He had just returned from a trip to Dallas as a club member.

RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Ralph Gregg who has been ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haynes visited Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Clines of Vernon Sunday.

Miss Jewel Brown of Crowell visited Miss Vena Lawson Sunday.

Arthur Lawrence and sister, Minnie, who have been visiting friends and relatives here returned to their home at Lufkin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crager had as their guests Sunday, Rev. O. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ivy of Vernon, Marshall Guthrie and Eva, Emma Lee, Ola, Wesley and Pauline Haynes.

Miss Katherine Haynes spent Sunday with Vena Lawson.

Miss Jewel Brown of Crowell, Vena Lawson and Katherine Haynes visited in the T. F. Lambert home Sunday afternoon.

Among the Vernon visitors Saturday were, H. D. Lawson, Jep Haynes, Sam Robertson, Marshall and Clyde Guthrie, Walter Jobe, Cleve Carmichael and Cecil and Clara Hopkins.

The box supper at the Methodist church was well attended and Miss Alma Bowers of Vernon and Nelma Lambert of Rayland were run for the prettiest girls. Miss Lambert got the most votes. \$60.00 were made which will go for the piano.

Duge Lawson made a business trip to Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Courtney visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Mansell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ayers Sunday.

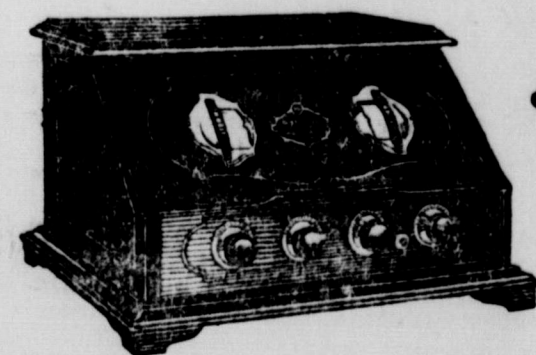
Carl Mears is ill this week.

Marie Gunn of Vernon visited her grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Mears, Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Williams is very ill with pneumonia.

Troy and Bitty McNabb visited Misses Katherine Lee Haynes Saturday night.

Jack Lawson of Crowell spent the week-end with homefolks.



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SANITARY METHODS

HOME BAKERY

BLACK

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Beauchamp of Crowell visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shirley and children of Jameson visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Shirley's brother, W. W. Nichols and wife.

Grandman Boman returned to her home at Margaret Tuesday afternoon after spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Nichols.

J. A. Smith and Grover Nichols of Jameson left Friday night for East Texas in search of cotton pickers.

Mrs. J. A. Smith and son, Cecil, and daughter, Thelma, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Quanah visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe Benniefield.

WEST TEXAS NEWS

(By West Texas C. of C.)

Post—Garza County carried away first honors for West Texas and the South Plains this week in having its agricultural exhibit adjudged the finest agricultural display of all state entries at the Dallas Fair. The display was arranged by George (Scotty) Samson, Garza County Agricultural Agent, and featured small grains and grain sorghums. Garza's grain sorghums scored 193 points out of the possible 200, forage feeds 47 out of 50, and alfalfa 72 out of 75 points. The same exhibits took first honors at Lubbock and Abilene. Randall and Hartley counties drew second and third honors to Garza. The biggest demonstration in the history of Post was given on the return of George Samson from Dallas, over 1200 people with the band meeting him upon his arrival.

Amarillo—Amarillo and Wichita Falls are running neck and neck in their West Texas Chamber of Commerce membership drive contest, with Wichita leading slightly. Both have around 500 memberships but Amarillo expects to forge ahead when all her pledges are taken up.

Quanah—An impediment to Quanah's progress in the opinion of its citizens has been removed with the opening of the Pease River bridge as a free bridge. No more tolls will be collected for passage over it.

Stamford—Despite the continued rains in this section, the community

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relieve pain, colds, headaches and neuralgia pains promptly. They are made from TRUE Aspirin, disinte-

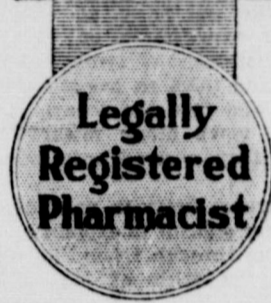


grate quickly and, therefore, give almost immediate benefit. Buy them in this big economical bottle of 100—and save money.

100 Tablets

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MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE



Ferguson Brothers

The Rexall Store

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fair which opened here Thursday is drawing good crowds. A concert by the Stamford Fireman's band, official band of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, started the festivities in the municipal auditorium where the exhibits are located. Some 25 merchants, manufacturers and communities have displays there.

Levelland—A new unit, consisting of engine and dynamo, will be installed here immediately by the Texas Utilities Company, doubling the capacity of the local power plant.

Amarillo—Contract has been let by the Texas Gas Company for the construction of its line from the Panhandle gas fields to the South Plains. Cities already under franchise are Lubbock, Slaton, Plainview, Floydada, Lockney and Tulla. Distributing systems are to be located at Canyon, Abernathy, Happy, Kress, Hale Center and other points.

Stamford—West Texas advertised as the "Land of Opportunity" has recently gotten publicity over 10 states of the Union. The medium through which the section was brought to mind of New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Kansas, and all parts of Texas was the Wortham Shows. The Wortham Shows, which are one of the largest carnival attraction organizations in the states, hold large memberships with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and as a means of expressing their loyalty to that great regional organization, and to further the interest of their native state and favored section, they carry over their office wagon large signs telling the world about West Texas. The Wortham Shows are having a two weeks run in Stamford now in connection with the first annual community fair held here, having come direct from Wichita Falls where they had an engagement in connection with the Oklahoma Texas Fair.

Stamford—West Texas and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which serves the empire region have been honored by the Southern Steamship Company who has named its

newest steamer the "S. S. West Texas." It is the expressed desire of the company's officials that the craft will be a floating monument to the world's greatest regional chamber and the territory in whose interest it works.

FREE TICKET

As we advertised last week we give a 10c ticket with every \$1.00 cash purchase until Saturday, October 23. They are then applicable on merchandise in our corner window.—M. S. Henry & Co.

A picture of Gene Tunney's home shows several trees in the yard, but Gene is not up one of them.

No man ever lives to be as old as he feels when he puts on his first pair of long trousers.

Self preservation is an animal instinct and mankind seems to be possessed of a liberal portion of it.

Uneasy lies the head that engages in crooked politics to get elected to office.

Some automobile drivers are contented because they never worry about anything ahead of them.

The worst difficulty about swallowing your words is that you never have time to masticate them.

The man whose energies don't take the form of talk usually accomplishes more.



C. G. BUNCH, D. C., Phc.

Chiropractor

At Mrs. J. J. Brown's Residence

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Crowell, Texas

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Winter Is Here!

If You Need A Heating Stove

Come in and Let Us Show You

LARGE VARIETY

These Stoves Range in Price from

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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

KIMSEY & KLEPPER, Owners and Publishers

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

Crowell, Texas, October 22, 1926

If the principle of raising better stock is good why is the principle of raising better farm products not good? It is to be observed now that good cotton is bringing a better price than the inferior grades. For some years we have believed that it would be a good thing to decide on the best variety of cotton and standardize the product in this county. It ought to be an easy matter to select a variety that has been proven. There will be a premium on Foard County cotton when this is done and buyers find out that we have it, for they are always hunting good cotton.

Progress in oil developments in Foard County has been fairly good during this year. The indications are good for the development of some good wells in the western portion of the county within the next year or two. We are told that other tests will be made but possibly not until another winter has passed. Really we look for next spring to see greater activity than ever.

It has been very strikingly portrayed by one cartoonist that old King Cotton is one kind who needs a dictator. We do not think so. All the king needs to do is to exercise a little common sense. Like other kings, he is getting too big, and what he needs to do is to reduce by dancing to the music of the records as they are played on the phonograph of time.

Tunney says he will not marry until he quits boxing, then if a girl comes along and smiles he may marry. Our prediction is that scores of them will be smiling at him long before he quits the ring and that crushing defeat of his career will be just before he surrenders to one of those smiling damsels.

The last week has been favorable to cotton picking and every man who could be pressed into service in harvesting the crop has been given a job. Cotton has been coming in rapidly for the last several days and the gins have been going at full capacity, making all night runs.

Some people find fault with the radio because of the static but our objections to the radio is the installments.

When Marie, queen of Rumania, comes to Crowell we hope she will let on like she didn't come just to see us.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

THE CHANGING TIMES

THAT which was thought to be good and of inestimable value only yesterday, is frequently found unworthy of acceptance today.

In the changing times, today is apt to prove in some particular that yesterday was a blockhead.

Not however in the things whose fundamentals were based on righteousness, but in matters and substances which would not stand the wear and tear of application.

Yesterday is but a reminiscence, much like a blanching billet-doux, carefully tied with ribbon and laid away to fade and mellow in an oft forgotten hiding place.

In most cases it takes only a light wind to blow us from our anchorage of yesterday and carry us a little farther down stream.

The golden sunlight of today, the colorful flowers, the song birds, and possibly new acquaintances, change the whole trend of our life, unfolding like the blooms under new conditions.

Nor are we the same beings we were yesterday.

Being influenced by present material surroundings, rather than by the Voice of Nature, the great things we had planned to do only twenty-four hours ago, in some way or another do not quite harmonize with the times.

For reasons which we are unable to explain, they seem just a little bit old-fashioned and slightly faded.

The modern cuts, the strange lights and the scuffer weaken our resolutions and hold us back.

We wonder whether it was so always; whether our father and mother had similar experiences, or whether they were possessed of stronger wills which enabled them to overcome the yesterdays and face the todays resolutely and move along toward the goal until they arrived safe within its borders.

The difference between us and our parents is not difficult to explain.

They clung through trials and difficulties to the faith of old, while we under the spell of the changing times, defiantly disregard divine teachings and depend entirely on the frail strength of our own, seldom thinking of lifting our faces to the glorious heavens or asking for needed support and guidance.

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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says another law we need right away is one providing for more parking space in the shopping district.

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PICTURE DIDN'T COME

The disappointment to our customers on Wednesday and Thursday nights was unavoidable in that the "Keeper of the Bess" was not shown. Another picture was sent us, but this will be shown on November 3rd and 4th. We regret the disappointment very much and hope that it will not occur again.

HOME THEATRE.

DR. H. T. STILL
Osteopathic Physician.

son of the Founder of Osteopathy, has opened an office for general practice in Suite 1, over Woolbright's Drug Store, Quanah, Texas.

Hours 9-12; 1-5. Evenings by appointment.

PREVENTS INFECTION

The greatest discovery in flesh healing is the marvelous Borosone, a preparation that comes in liquid and powder form. It is a combination treatment that not only purifies the wound of germs that cause infection but it heals the flesh with extraordinary speed. Bad wounds or cuts which take weeks to heal with the ordinary liniments mend quickly under the powerful influence of this wonderful remedy. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

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Let Us Hand You This Bag of Money
—It Represents the Big Saving in Fuel You Can Make With Cole's Hot Blast in Your Home

OUR GUARANTEE

1. We guarantee a saving of one third in fuel over any lower draft stove of the same size, with soft coal lighter or slack.
2. We guarantee Cole's Hot Blast to use less hard coal for heating a given space than any base burner made with same size fire pot.
3. We guarantee that the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning with the fuel put in the stove the evening before.
4. We guarantee that the stove will hold fire with soft coal or hard coal from Saturday evening to Monday morning.
5. We guarantee a uniform heat day and night with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.
6. We guarantee every stove to remain absolutely air-tight as long as used.
7. We guarantee the feed door to be smoke and dust proof.
8. We guarantee the anti-puffing draft to prevent puffing.

The above guarantee is made with the understanding that the stove be operated according to directions, and connected up with a good flue.

Cole's Original Hot Blast Cat Shows No. 12c No. 116

Call at our store for stove mats, polish, pipe or any sheet metal repair work your stove may need.

M. S. Henry & Company



OIL CALLS THE KILOWAT

The estimated monthly production of oil in the field embracing the counties of Shackelford and Callahan, and the northern portion of Coleman and Brown counties, is 800,000 barrels.

Thirty-five per cent of this production, or approximately 280,000 barrels, is pumped by electricity furnished over the lines of this company. There are 750 wells in this field equipped with electrically driven pumps. And in addition electricity is driving numerous pipe line pumping stations, machinery in gasoline plants, carbon black plants, and gas compressor stations, is driving two drilling rigs at this time and is furnishing light throughout the field.

Here is a striking example of the diverse usage of electricity in industry—and that, too, in an industry where fuel (one of the major items of expense in power production) extremely cheap. In a field where unlimited quantities of natural gas are available at virtually no expense, electricity, produced at generating stations many miles away, comes in to compete on an equal footing and holds it own.

No source of power known to industry is so convenient, so flexible, so safe, so sure, so economical as electricity. The preeminence of American industry is predicated on this modern miracle. Electric power is essential to its continued growth and prosperity.

That is why this company knows that it must, without fail, always be ready to furnish to the territory it serves electric energy in unlimited quantities and at reasonable rates. It must do this if it is to fulfill its duty in furthering the growth of the industries of West Texas. And it IS doing that.

West Texas Utilities Company

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When you remodel your house, be sure you use Sheetrock. It gives you the safety, privacy and comfort that good walls must provide... solid, durable walls that take any decoration and preserve it. We'll supply you and instruct you fully.

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THE PENNIES THAT COUNT

It's the pennies here and the nickels there that count up. By the time you have bought a few items in our store we will have saved you quite a bit.

You Can Safely Order by Phone

We can give you exactly the same service whether you come in person or order by phone. A large per cent of our customers seldom come in person. This is the best evidence that our phone service is satisfactory.

Come to our store for the best values in Groceries.

HUGHSTON GROCERY CO.

Phones 172 and 238

ANOTHER GOOD REASON FOR SAVING

The patter of tiny feet! Tiny finger prints on the chairs and walls! Our babies, the things on earth!

But they are expensive. To provide for their coming—to give them a better chance than we had—this is our welcome duty.

And the one surest way to discharge that duty is to open an account here at the Bank of Crowell.

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Local and Personal

Hogs for Sale—Roy E. Steele. 18p
Full stock radio batteries at L. A. Beverly & Co.
Let us show you our heaters.—M. S. Henry & Co.
L. K. Johnson of Vernon was in town yesterday.
Nice shipment rugs, trunks, hats, suit cases.—Womack Bros.
Call us for plumbing and sheet metal work.—M. S. Henry & Co.
New Perfection oil heaters more in please. We have 'em.—Womack Bros.
It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.
I have a car of nice apples stored in the south basement of the Ringgold building. When you need apples see me on the Ringgold south end.—E. J. Smith. 17

Notice our bargain window.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Bulk chocolate, high grade, at Nicholson Bros. 18
Notice the small rugs in our window.—M. S. Henry & Co.
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ferguson returned Sunday from Dallas.
Try a New Perfection oil heater. You will like it.—Womack Bros.
Light lunch at Nicholson Bros. Toasted sandwiches, hot chocolate and coffee.
It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.
New Perfection stoves and accessories.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell—Thalia.
Hear the RCA Radiola No. 20, 5-tube dry battery, operated now at Ferguson Bros.—Womack Bros.
Remington shot guns and shells are better. Come in and let us show you.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

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TEXAS QUALIFIED
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AN EVERY DAY REMARK "I Have Such a Cold"

The time of year is here when colds have set in, but there is little excuse for having a cold. People are beginning to learn that there are remedies for colds. You can find such remedies at this store and if you will come to us when that cold begins it is not improbable that we can suggest a remedy that will save you from a hard attack and maybe prevent something worse.

We have some of the best remedies known and you will be wise to nip it before it gets a hold on you.

REEDER DRUG COMPANY
Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

Hogs for Sale—Roy E. Steele. 18p
Try Ferguson's Pills for liver ills.
We service your radio every way.—L. A. Beverly & Co.

If your stove needs relining, see us.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Wicks for all kinds of New Perfection oil stoves.—Womack Bros.

Bachelor stoves and drums.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eldridge returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Plano.

Remington No. 4 nitro-express heavy shells for ducks.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell—Thalia.

Feed your hens Purina Hen Chowder and get more eggs. You will find it at Johnson's feed store. 17

Too warm to have big fire—too cool to have none. Solve it, try a New Perfection oil heater.—Womack Bros.

Wood for Sale—\$6.00 a cord in pole, \$6.50 sawed into stove wood. Leave orders at Dr. Hines Clark's office.

New Perfection oil cook stoves are the same price everywhere. Any dealer can sell them. You are protected. Buy here.—Womack Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reeder and son, Glendon, made a trip to Dallas the first of the week where Mr. Reeder bought Holiday goods for the Reeder Drug Co.

Dr. C. Macumber of Clovis, N. M., is here looking after business. The doctor formerly lived at Foard City and has residence property there he is trying to dispose of.

Heatrolas—Parlor Circulating Air stoves are a proven success. Investigate them—\$65.00 to \$135.00. Easily heats entire house with even temperature.—Womack Bros.

For Sale at a Bargain—One No. 160 National Base Burner (stove); one 24-inch hammered brass grate, burned only short while last winter.—Ben F. Griffin, Chillicothe, Tex. 17

Mrs. G. W. Walthall of this place and Mrs. Tildon Gafford of Wichita Falls left Tuesday for St. Joseph, Mo., where they will attend an association of the Christian Science Society.

Why not investigate the Heatrola, or, Parlor Circulating Moist Air Heater? One stove for entire house. Fuel for only one stove at cost of operation for ordinary stove.—Womack Bros.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Clayton Hutchinson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hutchison of San Dimas, Calif., to Miss Grace Jean Meller at Chino, Calif., on Oct. 18th.

R. W. Self, who had been here for several weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Self, and other relatives and friends, left Monday for Los Angeles, Cal. He will stop for a short time in Amarillo.

John Ellis left Tuesday for Mayo Brothers at Rochester, Minn., where he will undergo a physical examination to determine the advisability of an operation. He has been taking treatment for the improvement of his health looking to an operation.

Prof. R. A. Palm was called to Iowa Park Monday on account of the serious illness of his mother. He returned Tuesday, his mother being much improved. Gordon Bell held Mr. Palm's place in the school while he was away.

Announcements were received here this week from Gainesville telling of the arrival of a 9-pound boy, Robert Milton, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell R. Wyatt on Oct. 14, 1926. Mrs. Wyatt before marriage was Miss Charlie Ribble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ribble of Crowell.

G. C. Summers of Fort Worth, a former resident of Crowell, was in town yesterday. Mr. Summers is traveling for The Western Paint & Roofing Co., of Fort Worth and was on his way to the Plains. Some months ago he and his wife returned from Los Angeles where they had lived for several years.

Rev. S. A. Taylor and his adopted daughter, Miss Mattie, left Sunday afternoon for Vernon where they took the train for their former home in Alabama. Mrs. Taylor and the two children had been gone back to Alabama for some weeks since the news came of the death of her brother. Rev. Taylor resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church here.

Mrs. J. R. Beverly returned the first of the week from Amarillo where she and her sister, Mrs. Tage Holtberg, visited their brother, Willis Huddleston, and family. Mrs. Holtberg left Amarillo Monday on her journey back to her home in the Hawaiian Islands. She will sail from San Francisco Oct. 27, and will arrive at home about Nov. 2nd.

SERVICE VALUE QUALITY



330 — \$1.00 Laundry Bag
340 — 85c Nightie Each
331 — 50c Duster Bag

ROYAL SOCIETY EMBROIDERY PACKAGE OUTFITS



299 — 75c Blue
342 — \$1.15 Pink

SELF DRY GOODS COMPANY

ONE PRICE CASH ONLY

Hot coffee and chocolate at Nicholson Bros.

We enjoy showing you our furniture.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Horace Lovelady was here from Vernon Tuesday on business.

Have you seen the new Roy-o-Voc B Batteries?—L. A. Beverly & Co. Come in and see our heating stoves.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

The Amrad—5-tube genuine Neutrodyne, wet A, dry B and C, with beautiful cabinet, built-in speaker, \$132.50.—Womack Bros.

Mrs. Robert Byrd and small son, Archie, of the B. J. Smith ranch spent last week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. G. A. Rogers.

Radio sets made by best radio manufacturers—RCA and Crosley, at prices you will want to pay. We guarantee service.—Womack Bros.

Mrs. J. M. Teel left last Saturday for Vernon where she will visit relatives a few days before going to Fort Worth to visit her grandson, Earl Teel, and family.

Mrs. J. C. Thompson and two daughters, Mrs. Harry J. Fast and Mrs. Raymond Bell and baby, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Cotner in Hollis, Okla., last week.

Miss Mattie Belle Choat Wednesday ordered the News nine months to be sent to her at Ropesville where she will teach this winter. She will leave for that place in about a week.

MRS. TOM LAWSON DEAD

Mrs. Tom Lawson died Wednesday at her home at Rayland and was buried at Thalia yesterday. She is survived by her husband and two small children.

For some years the family resided in Crowell and Mrs. Lawson had many friends here who regret her death. She is said to have been in declining health for several years.

BUILDING SIDEWALKS

Another stretch of sidewalks will be built. The material is now being placed on the ground from George Allison's place around the Baptist church. The connection will be made at J. H. Self's residence.

Radio Sets—the famous Radiola line, the Crosley line (known as the Ford of radio). Let us give you free demonstration.—Womack Bros.

New Perfection heaters and wicks.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Radio season is here. Let us demonstrate a set in your home.—L. A. Beverly & Co.

Sherwin-Williams paint, varnish, lacquer and enamels.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell—Thalia.

Mrs. Harry J. Fast of Dallas was here a few days this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson.

Crosley Radio No. R. F. L. 75, "wet" A battery, dry B and C, complete \$135.00. Same without cabinet \$115.00.—Womack Bros.

Victor Orthophonic phonographs and records. Hear them.—Womack Bros.

Tents for cotton pickers. Priced right.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell—Thalia.

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Fire, Tornado, Hail, Life, Health, Accident, Plate Glass, Cotton.

LEO SPENCER

"Some are known by their deeds, others by their mortgages."



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In the ideal banking relation there must be mutual trust, mutual interest, mutual endeavor—genuine sincerity and earnestness.

Our bank holds itself constantly in a receptive attitude! we are eager to discuss matters that are vital to the interests of our customers.

Furthermore, we are able and willing to enter heartily into the proposition if it seems good.



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Don't Turn Back Because the Show Has Started—We will show it over for you.

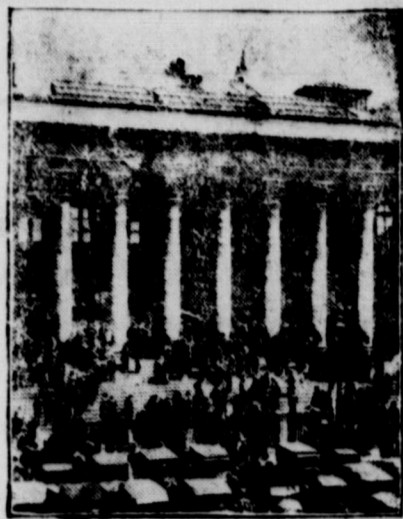
15c AND 30c ALL WEEK

Monday and Tuesday—
"SO THIS IS PARIS" Ernst Lebitack's production with Monte Blue and Patsy Ruth Miller. 2 reels Mustang Comedy.

Wednesday and Thursday—
"HIS PEOPLE" with Rudolph Schiedkraut, the greatest heart picture in years. "Crazy Cat Comedy." Everybody likes cats.

Friday Night and Saturday Afternoon Matinee—
Rex Beach's mighty novel of Yukon days, "THE BARRIER," with Norman Kerry and Lionell Barrymore. Lots of real action.

Saturday Night—
Richard Talmadge in the "FIGHTING DEMON." A rollicking comedy from start to finish.



THE FRENCH FRANC "GETTING BETTER"!

Two days after the fall of the Briand-Caillaux Government in France, the franc fell more than 25 points, and during that crisis went the lowest it has ever been known to go. With the instating of a new cabinet by Poincare, the French money is coming slowly back into its own. There was much excitement at the Bourse—the Paris stock exchange—when the market quotations went down, and this photo shows crowds and motors outside the Bourse in Paris, during the days of financial excitement.

Eel Only Fish Which Seeks Prey in Packs

Among fishermen the pike is called "the tiger of the stream" because of its daring and ferocity and in the havoc it plays among the lesser denizens of the under-water world.

But, as in the jungle, the wolf pack is responsible for more killings than is the solitary tiger, so the depredations of the wolves of the stream, the eels, are ten times greater, although perhaps less visible than the spectacular dashes of the pike, says the London Mail.

Eels are practically omnivorous and will eat anything—fish, flesh, fowl or insect. Nothing from a dainty spinner to a dead dog or cat comes amiss to these ravagers of the stream. They wage relentless war on all other species of fish, devouring their spawn and hunting the small fry from their hiding places under stones and weeds.

Eels are the only species of fish which actually hunt their prey in company. The pike, perch and trout are all predaceous, but in hunting they work singly. But eels, like wolves, although hunting individually where the smaller prey is concerned, do not hesitate to band together and attack victims for which they would be no match in single combat.

Hebrews Among Early Settlers in America

Father Lejeune of Kamloops, a pioneer missionary in British Columbia and probably the foremost linguist of native Indian dialects, has reported to the government of Canada that words of Hebrew origin are found in most languages of the province. He writes, says Pierre Van Paassen, in the Atlanta Constitution, that among the Tschilapheans there were such customs as the burnt offering of food and fasting from sunset to sunset in times of stress. The priest has come to the conclusion that Hebrews lived in America as early as between the years 1100 and 1200 A. D. He advises that an exhaustive study should be made "before old men and women of Indian tribes who are today in a position to recount the customs and beliefs of the aboriginal peoples of British Columbia have passed away." And he advances the theory that following establishment of a Jewish community at Kaitung, China, Chinese expeditions brought Jewish traders to the Pacific coast of North America.

Self-made failures also belong in the list of self-made men.

A probe: Something that is welcomed by everyone when it is inevitable.

Patronize home industry. No good American should go to Mexico to get robbed.

Dense traffic is bad enough, but a dense driver is worse.

Overdoing?

Hurry, Worry and Overwork Bring Heavy Strain.

MODERN life throws a heavy burden on our bodily machinery. The eliminative organs, especially the kidneys, are apt to become sluggish. Retention of excess uric acid and other poisonous waste often gives rise to a dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backaches and headaches. That the kidneys are not functioning perfectly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. More and more people are learning to assist their kidneys by the occasional use of Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS
60c
Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys
Foster-McClellan Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N. Y.

SCHOOL CRITICISM

The grown person who may be inclined to criticize the public schools reflect that any criticism that is uttered without giving due consideration to the facts is unjust.

There are those who are unduly critical of the schools of this age. They seem possessed with the idea that the schools have advanced too far and that they have not given enough attention to the fundamentals—at least the things that were regarded as fundamental in their days.

An inspection of what the pupils of today are doing is a revelation to one who has been out of school for a decade or two. It will be discovered that method of teaching have undergone radical changes; that children are given practical knowledge that the schools of an earlier day did not provide; that they are taught to keep in touch with the world outside and to be prepared for the competition that comes with maturity.

Many have been too quick to condemn the schools for the actions of one pupil or a small group of pupils. They frequently judge the system by one of its products without any comprehensive study of what the schools are doing and attempting to do.

It's not doing justice to the schools to conclude that athletics or some other activity are given too much prominence without first determining what all the activities are and what their relative importance are, from the school standpoint.

Always park beside a new and shiny car. It will back out without touching yours.

It doesn't take much time for Dad to dress up. All he needs is a clothes brush.

You'll have to admit that short skirts and bobbed hair are just as sensible as balloon pants.

Every autumn, everywhere, nature holds its own beauty contest.

The number of automobiles sold is increasing, much to the disgust of the shoe men.

Egotists are so full of their own opinions that they never have room for any others.

Bargains Galore At The FAMOUS

- Men's Hose 5c pair
- Ginghams 8c yard
- Blankets and Comforts..... \$1.99
- Blue Shirts 66c
- Ladies Fall Dresses..... \$4.88
- Boys' Long Pants Suits..... \$5.99
- Lumber Jacks for Men and Boys. \$1.99

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All kinds of heavy and light hauling done for the general public. Call us for all your hauling.

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The FOARD COUNTY NEWS

Early Newspapers Met

Opposition of Church

The first newspaper was produced when written accounts of the imperial armies of Rome were sent to the generals in command in all parts of the provinces.

In 1666 the first official news sheets were published in Venice. They were written by hand and exhibited in public places. People paid the small coin of a gazetta to read them. Hence the name. The church opposed the enterprise, and Pope Gregory even prosecuted the editors.

The oldest form of newspaper in England was in the beginning of the reign of James II—the so-called News-Letters, written by hand, and sent by post to subscribers in the country. In 1706 the first daily paper, the Daily Courant, was issued.

The oldest of the London daily papers, the Morning Chronicle, appeared in 1769. The Morning Post is the oldest of existing morning papers. Founded in 1772, it was followed about 1788 by the first daily evening paper, the Star.

The Times first appeared in 1788 as a continuation of the Daily Universal Register. Its originator and owner, Mr. John Walter, succeeded in 1814 in printing the Times by steam.

In 1840 the Daily News was founded, with the help of Charles Dickens. It was the first paper to lower its price from 6 pence to 2 pence, (12 to 6 cents).

Midnight Sun to Be

Seen Only in Summer

The midnight sun is visible within the Arctic circle at and near mid-summer. The sun is then observed to skirt the horizon without dipping below it. This results from the inclination of the earth's axis to the plane of its orbit. The elevation of the pole at any given spot is equal to the latitude of that spot; and the sun's polar distance on midsummer day being 23½ degrees, the sun can barely graze the horizon. Still further north the midnight sun is observed for some days before and after midsummer; and at the pole itself a day of six months begins at the spring equinox, the sun circling at first round the rim of the horizon, then in gradually more elevated circles parallel to it. At the North Cape, latitude 78½ degrees north, the midnight sun is visible from May 12 to July 29. At no place in England has the sun been visible at midnight.

Apples Are Best

Two beliefs have been dispelled by a statement made by a doctor in a recent lecture.

We used to believe that the only way to preserve a child's teeth was to encourage it to use a tooth brush vigorously. Some of us also imagined that, while apples were good for health, it was unwise to eat them last thing at night.

Now, however, this doctor tells us that a piece of apple after each meal and at night is better than any tooth-brush. It will certainly be more popular in the nursery. But the doctor's further advice—that children between five and ten should visit the dentist once every three months—may not commend itself quite so much to the toddlers.

Jenner Highly Honored

Jenner, the celebrated physician who made vaccination popular and insisted on the efficacy of fighting small-pox in this way, suddenly found the doors of royalty open to him late in the Eighteenth century when his method was held to be proved sufficiently valuable to attract the interest of the populace. So great was his reputed success in saving the lives of thousands after he had demonstrated vaccination that he became a very famous man and not only was received by royalty in all European countries but received a large grant of money from the British parliament.—Montreal Family Herald.

Led Move for Freedom

The first step toward making the British house of commons a really independent and powerful legislative body was taken at the instigation of Sir Edward Coke, who was born February 1, 1602.

It was this eminent lawyer who led the commons in the decisive action of entering on the Journal of the house the immortal petition of 1621, insisting on the freedom of parliamentary discussion and the liberty of speech of every member.

Cities' Water Consumption

Rome uses more water than any other city in the world, according to figures cited by London Tri-Bits. But this does not mean, necessarily, that Romans are cleaner or thirstier than others. It is pointed out. The high consumption is due partly to the fact that Rome has 480 public fountains.

The consumption of water per capita in Rome is 110 gallons a day. New York is second with 84½ gallons. London consumes 85½ gallons and Paris uses 78 gallons.

He Was Willing

We had just finished luncheon on one of the spring cleaning days. I was tired after a long day doing housework. I said to friend husband, "Dear, won't you please go in the parlor and straighten things out?"

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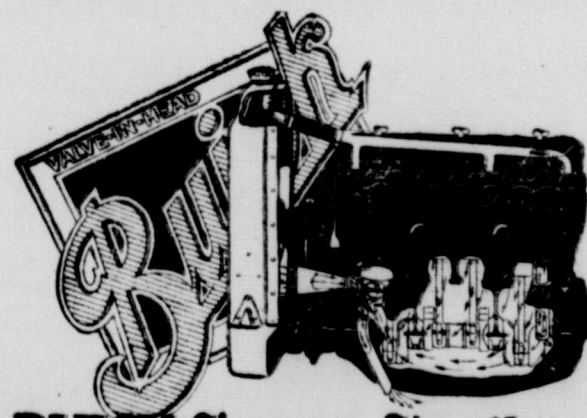
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In the Kitchen with 6 Famous Cooks

A MEATLESS MEAL, "FIT FOR COMPANY"

(Ed. Note: This is one of a special series of articles contributed by 6 Famous Cooks. Their recipes are selected, cut them out and paste them in your cook book.)

At the Battle Creek College of Home Economics they specialize in planning and preparing well-balanced meals which are both attractive to the eye and nutritious to eat.

Miss Margaret Allen Hall, dietitian and nutrition expert of the college, has prepared for our readers a "company" menu which is particularly palatable, even though it is absolutely meatless. Preparations are given for the serving of ten.

Eggs a la King
Glazed sweet potatoes
Fruit Salad a la Creme
Baked Potatoes
Directions for each dish follow.

Eggs a la King
8 tablespoons butter
4 tablespoons minced sweet pepper
4 cups (one quart) milk
8 tablespoons flour
2 eggs (medium) (fresh or canned)
12 hard boiled eggs, cut in halves
2 teaspoons salt

Melt butter, add pepper and mushrooms, and cook until soft. Stir in flour and add milk. Stir until thickened. Add seasoning and eggs. Heat very hot and serve on rounds of toast or pour into a baking dish, sprinkle with buttered crumbs and brown in a oven.

Glazed Sweet Potatoes
12 medium-sized sweet potatoes
1 1/2 cups sugar
3/4 cup water
2 tablespoons butter

Peel the sweet potatoes, in salted water for ten minutes, remove the skin and cut in halves lengthwise. Arrange in a buttered pan. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar and water for three minutes. Add the butter. Brush potatoes with syrup and bake until soft, heat up with remaining syrup. Serve in a hot covered dish.

Rital Tomatoes
Slice bread in usual manner shape with three-inch biscuit cutter and toast. Slice ripe tomatoes, place a slice on toast, sprinkle with salt, grated cheese or cottage cheese and onion, and finely chopped pepper. Bake in hot oven until tomatoes are cooked and slightly browned.

Fruit Salad a la Creme
2 large bananas
1 pint sliced pineapple
1 pound (two) of Malaga grapes
1 cup Cream Salad Dressing

Drain the pineapple and cut into small pieces. Peel the grapes, cut into halves and remove the seeds. Peel the bananas, scrape off the fuzzy portions and dice. Mix with the Cream Salad Dressing and serve on a plate garnished with lettuce, or place a spoonful of fruit on the lettuce leaf with a smaller spoonful of the dressing.

Cream Salad Dressing
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons flour
1 cup cream
1 cup lemon juice
1 egg yolk
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
2 cups whipped cream

Melt the butter in a double boiler, stir in the flour and the cream (scor milk being preferable). Stir until

it begins to thicken. Beat the egg-yolks, add to them the salt, sugar and lemon juice, and turn into the thickened cream. Cook in a double boiler about five minutes, or until the eggs begin to thicken. Cook and fold in the whipped cream.

Butterscotch Pie

Plain Pastry:
2 cups flour
1/2 cup fat
1 teaspoon salt
Ice water

Mix salt with flour. Cut fat into four with two knives. Add just enough ice water to hold mixture together without making it stiff. Roll lightly from center outward. This is sufficient pastry for double crusts of one large pie, or two pastry shells.

Butterscotch Filling (for two pies)
4 egg yolks
4 cups dark brown sugar
1 cup milk
1 cup flour
1/2 cup butter
2 teaspoons vanilla extract

Beat yolks of eggs in inside of double boiler, add sugar and butter. Mix flour with sugar, and add to milk mixture. Cook until thickened. Remove from fire and cool. Fill cooked pastry shells. Cover with whipped cream or meringue.

Make a meringue with the four egg whites beaten until stiff, fold in four tablespoons powdered sugar, pile irregularly on top of the pie and bake in moderate oven until brown.

A meatless meal, yes. But who would ever miss the meat?

(Be sure to read next week's special cook-articles.)

Why Long Chimneys?

Many women wonder why oil stoves with long chimneys are superior to those with short ones. It is because the long chimneys insure perfect combustion. In other words, every drop of oil is completely burned before the heat reaches the cooking. There is no chance for soot or odor.

Short chimney stoves as a rule focus the heat in one point—the very center of the burner. Long chimney stoves focus the heat on the bottom of the kettle, but diffuse it over the entire kettle bottom. That's why food cooked on long chimney stoves is better done.

"Lost Continent" Again

Though the myth of the lost continent has long since been thought exploded, a recent article in a Dutch periodical reviving the story and adds that after all it may have existed. Scientists also are discussing it. Books are written to prove it once existed and new-found shallows in the Gulf of Gascony start speculations once again. Once the lost continent was a matter of faith, and men took the word of the Egyptian priest who told Solon it was larger than all Libya and Asia, and lay beyond the Pillars of Hercules, near the true sea. It sank, said the Egyptian, after an earthquake that shook its golden cities for a day and a night, "whereupon that sea is now impassable on account of the slime and mud which has been left."—E. V. R. in Atlantic Constitution.

Long Sleep for Long Life

How much sleep should a business man have if he wishes to keep fit and live to a good old age?

The question is answered by Dr. A. T. Nankivell, the medical officer of Plymouth, England, who says that eight to ten hours is necessary.

He points out that although we crowd into our days three times as much as our grandparents did, we take only the same amount of rest and sleep.

The strain of modern life is considerable, says Doctor Nankivell, and a man who has had a strenuous day should rest and sleep his eight to ten hours if he wishes to keep his youth and arterial elasticity.

Matter Easily Settled

Mr. Wombat (who, in the absence of his wife, has called in Sherlock Holmes to consult him)—Mr. Holmes, I wish your invaluable aid in deciding which present I shall get for my wife for her birthday—an electric range, or a full-length mirror.

Sherlock (after quick inspection of the kitchen and bedroom)—The mirror will please her best. I observe that the floor in your wife's boudoir shows more evidence of wear than that in the kitchen.

Insects Wait for Weather

Observations made by a British scientist have led to the belief that if the weather is bad the small egg moth can postpone its own birthday for days, months or years. The record of this type is ordinarily due to open in February but if the weather is inclement the birth is usually postponed sometimes for twelve months. Moths have been known to emerge successfully after being imprisoned eleven years.

Hadn't Brought Bill

A young woman entered a milliner's shop with a young man and paid a small deposit on a hat, which she promised to call for in a few days. However, it was several weeks later when she returned. The assistant having forgotten the transaction, asked if she had brought her bill.

"Oh, no," she replied. "You see, we're married now, and we can't afford train fares for two."

SICKLY, FEVERISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

Adelphian Club

The Adelphian Club met with Mrs. C. P. Sandifer on Wednesday, Oct. 13th.

During the business session the name of Mrs. Fred Rennels was changed from the active to the associate membership list. This action was taken at the request of Mrs. Rennels who is moving to Vernon. The club voted to pay the expenses of a nurse sent by the State Department of Public Health to be in Foard County for one month for the purpose of giving the children of the county free medical inspection and health training work. Information from the State Health Department states that a nurse will be available for this work in the county in the near future.

A donation of \$3.00 was made to the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Fund and will be given through the State Federation.

The club expressed its intention of again sponsoring the art contest in the local school. This has come to be one of its annual projects.

Mention was made of a bill-board which will be placed on the sidewalk

in the business section of town on which will appear the announcements of the lyceum numbers from time to time.

The executive board announced that the second Saturday in December has been set as the time for the club's annual Christmas bazaar, candy and bakery sale.


Mrs. George Self was elected delegate and Mrs. Henry Ferguson alternate to the State Federation meeting to be held in Dallas Nov. 8-11.

Mrs. Joe Johnson gave a review of chapters VII and VIII of "The Business of Being a Club Woman," by Alice Ames Winters. These chapters dealt with committee and ways and means of financing club organizations.

"Noon" from Ippa Passes by Robert Browning was the lesson for the afternoon. In this part, Pippa, through her happy, artless singing, causes a young artist to come to the realization that life and love are above art, which had hitherto been his ideal.

An ice course was served by the hostess.—Reporter.

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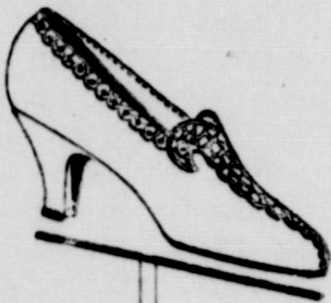
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Reading.—Hazel Dykes.

Most everyone has a pet law he wants enforced and there are plenty of laws to go around.

You can't blame the woman who makes the bread and butter for not voting. One man is enough to support.

There is some complaint of men growing more effeminate. However, after seeing a good football game, you'll feel differently about it.

A king, a queen, a princess and a couple of princes are planning American tours. That's almost a full house.

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, it is said, but all play and no work makes him even worse.

It may take a crook to catch a crook, but sometimes the aid of a few honest men is necessary.

The hardest job about preaching anything is practicing it.

CUPIDITY

Cupidity is defined by the dictionary as an eager or inordinate desire, especially for wealth—greed of gain. One might think from the word itself that it had some reference to the little god of love, but its only possible application in this connection is with regard to that love which is the root of all evil; namely, the love of money.

Cupidity leads people to tread devious and questionable paths and sometimes with an ingenuity that is astonishing. Getting something for nothing has a tremendous appeal to most people.

If it were not for the cupidity in us, bucket-shops, sellers of fake stocks and practically all swindlers would have to go out of business. It is our inordinate desire to get something for nothing—to ride free—that makes us fall easy victims to their machinations.

It is cupidity in a man that makes him look fixedly out of the street car window and take on an attitude of having been there a long time when the conductor comes by collecting fares. He is getting a ride free. Perhaps he doesn't realize that he is at the same time deliberately stealing a few pennies.

The trouble about cupidity is that it is an incipient disease. It marks the beginning of a breakdown of moral fibre, and unless checked and rebuked, it may land one in the penitentiary.

Three-fourths of our explosives are used in mining operations, it is reported, and the other one-fourth is consumed in campaigns.

The best thing about the Chinese civil war is that it is as far from the United States as anything can be and still be on earth.

The best test of a town is not the measure of support given highbrow entertainments, but its ability to support a losing team.

New beauty champion of America has long hair, indicating some of the judges were hair tonic salesmen instead of fashion designers.

Some call them the unfair sex, but really now, is that quite fair?

Some men achieve greatness and others prefer to stay home and care for the children while their wives go to the clubs.

Scientist proposes to measure the heat of Mars, and if successful might try the experiment on another region that is supposed to be super-heated.

Speaking of the average man, there are times when it seems that he is considerably below it.

The queen of Roumania is offered \$25,000 to appear in the movies for one day. If the theory that the king can do no wrong, is correct, then the queen is entitled to the same reservations.

Gold coins have fewer germs than paper money, but the average person will carry either willingly.

Divorce court records indicate too often the marriage ties are slip-knots.

Pains disappeared

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in Every Particular
C. T. SCHLAGAL, Prop.

COMPLAINERS
Successful men in any line of endeavor do not complain. They keep plugging away and failure only makes them work harder.
Some men will fail in a business enterprise through continually lamenting that business is bad. In time they will convince all their customers it is and they will go elsewhere to trade.
Some farmers can work twelve hours a day on a good piece of land and make a failure of it because they see nothing and think nothing but failure. Other farmers can work under similar conditions, and by using their heads make their work profitable.
The successful man studies conditions and analyzes suggestions and makes improvements as rapidly as it is possible for him to do so. His returns are in proportion to the activities of his brain.
The failure is slow to change. He doesn't take stock in new fangled ideas. What was good enough for his father is good enough for him. And that is all he gets.
When put to practical use, brains merely carried around and never exercised, they are little better than a burden.

HELPING THE HELPLESS
The News family was taking a little drive one night last week and happened to drop off in a big mud hole that left all four of our car wheels off the ground and was unable to move. There was also a dignified looking gentleman in a big car about 200 yards ahead of us that was also stuck. We worked with him better than two hours getting him out and naturally expected a little help from him, but nay, he drove on holding a lap dog on his knees, leaving us to fight our own battle. However, Mr. C. M. Lancaster, of Kernes, Texas, and a man from Paducah came to our assistance, and we managed to get out about midnight.—Motley County News.
The Motley County News editor did right, therefore his conscience ought to be clear. One always feels good after he has helped somebody even though he does not manifest appreciation of the help. In a case of this kind one ought to feel awfully good because of the opportunity of helping somebody that needed help very much. For any time one finds a man bogged down with a lap dog to take care of that fellow sure does need help.

GINNERS' REPORT
The following is the ginnners' report up to October 1, for Foard and adjoining counties:

Baylor	1026	1925
Cattle	2065	1101
Foard	1445	411
Hardeman	1427	746
Knox	2203	702
Wilbarger	3485	4449
	5192	2627

The total for the state was 2,044,944 this year as against 1,882,850 at the same time a year ago.

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J. C. THOMPSON, Sec.-Treas.
Crowell, Texas
Territory—Foard, Knox, King and Wilbarger Counties.

Columbian Club
On Wednesday, October 13, at the home of Mrs. T. L. Hughston, the Columbians enjoyed an annual indoor picnic. Early in the morning members, associate members and a few guests assembled, each bringing a bowl of appetizing food. By the noon hour the table was groaning under its load of delicious viands. Dinner was served buffet style and heartily enjoyed.

After dinner we worked on articles for the Christmas Gift Shop and indulged in pleasant conversation and games. Among the features of entertainment furnished was a delightful description of "Ye old Time Parlor" by Mrs. N. J. Roberts, and a pleasing game, "Coo-Coo," furnished by the hostess.

This was the fifth year we have held an all-day meeting and we number them among our most pleasant and profitable club functions.

Guests for the occasion were Madams Fannie Thacker and W. J. Mayhew.

Our next meeting will be October 27 with Mrs. Leo Spencer—Reporter.

WILL DRESS TURKEYS
Billy Frank, an experienced poultry man, is here from Abilene and will be here throughout the fall season handling poultry with A. L. Johnson. They will specialize in shipping dressed turkeys and will therefore be in position to make the best offer for poultry that can be made.

Mr. Frank is making an announcement through the paper this week. You will find this in another column of the paper.

Boll Weevil Increasing
The cotton boll weevil, one of the worst enemies of American agriculture, threatens to be unusually numerous this year, according to United States Department of Agriculture scouts sent out against the armies of insect pests. Both in the older cotton regions of the South and in the Arizona fields the overwintering insects have been found in considerable numbers. At Tallulah, La., an examination of Spanish moss, in which the weevils usually take shelter for the winter, disclosed 280 of them to a ton of moss, as compared with 16 a ton in 1924, 299 a ton in 1925 and 137 in 1917.

Too Elaborate
The head of the house had telephoned that he would bring home a guest to luncheon—a guest whom his wife realized he would delight to honor. Preparations were made accordingly.

Unfortunately, six-year-old Gladys came in a trifle late. She swept the table with an all-embracing glance. "Hum!" she muttered audibly, as she climbed into her chair, "Is this lunch?"

"Why, of course, it's luncheon, Gladys," said her mother, with a repressive gesture.

But Gladys was not to be stayed. "Well," she replied, "maybe it is; but it looks exactly like Sunday dinner."

If a widower spruces up, all the neighbor women wonder who she is.

Wood for sale. See J. F. Long, Crowell.

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White-Richardson
Miss Josie Ruth, the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Richardson, was married Thursday evening to Mr. Jack White of Crowell at the Baptist parsonage—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

Christian Church Notes
Rev. C. V. Allen will preach at 11 a. m. on next Sunday, the subject, "Youth and the Church." He will also preach at Vivian at 8 p. m. There will be no evening service.
A. R. CAUDLE, Pastor
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