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and Embraced in Pease-Red River Valley

The reader may like to know more about the Pease-Red River Valley, so we are giving an article written by Mack Boswell, president of the Pease-Red River Valley Association. It is full of information. Read it:

The "Pease-Red River Valley" is a section of Texas representing nine counties, Wilbarger, Foard, Hardeman, Cottle, Motley, Childress, Hall, and Collinsworth, that have recently organized into the Pease-Red River Valley Association for the purpose of advancing the interests of this section co-operatively through cooperative efforts as a unit along with individual advertising of the various counties embraced in this district.

The fact that this fertile river valley section had never had a name common to all counties in it, that it enjoyed unusual agricultural features, that all counties in it had the same general characteristics, and that the advantages could be secured through cooperative efforts as a unit, prompted the organization of an association sponsored by commercial secretaries and county agents, with the hearty endorsement of the interests represented by them.

Following a preliminary meeting which the organization was planned at Quanah, a conference was held at Childress on December 16th with commercial secretaries and county agents representing all parts of the district present, at which time officers were elected and preliminary plans were arranged for the work of the organization. The counties represented were those decided upon at a previous meeting in Quanah at which it was pointed out that all had the same general characteristics in their agricultural resources and climate and that all of the section as a whole, enjoyed advantages superior to those of other sections.

Officers elected at the Childress meeting were: Mack Boswell of Childress, president; George A. Sager of Memphis, vice president; and Jerry Debenport of Childress, secretary-treasurer. At this meeting, Paducah is chosen as the next meeting place where a definite name for the section would be decided upon as a number of suggestions for a name were made. Childress and in order that care be given to the selection, it is decided to wait until the next meeting before a selection was to be made for this special district.

At the meeting in Paducah on January 19th "Pease-Red River Valley" is decided upon as the name to definitely represent this section. Other suggestions were made but after careful consideration it was unanimously decided to let the world know at "Pease-Red River Valley" represented one of the country's best and safest farming sections.

This section of Texas is truly one of the outstanding river valley sections to be found and that fact counted for the acceptance of the name. By calling it Pease-Red River valley, its exact geographical location is designated as these two rivers and their various branches embrace every part of the district. A geographical name is permanent. A child learns in his first geography book at "river valley" signifies a fertile farming section. More beautiful and short names were considered but none other section could use the same names and after careful study it was decided that none had the permanent characteristics and a national significance that "Pease-Red River Valley" had. The Green River was a favorite, but even that name is claimed by several East Texas counties.

Every one of the nine counties in this district is served by the Pease-Red River or their forks and some both. The Wichita is still another major river in this district, starting in Motley County, it traverses Cottle and is southern boundary for Foard and joins South Wichita River where both run into Lake Kemp, one of the world's largest artificial lakes which is located 23 miles southeast of Crowell. Creeks and branch rivers run from the major rivers in various directions over the district so as to make it really a river valley section of West Texas. One look at a map of this section is convincing of that fact. With a record averaging approximately one-half bale of cotton to the

Foard Farmers Are Buying Own Terracing Levels

Terracing has gained such popularity in Foard County that a number of leading farmers are purchasing their own terracing levels according to County Agent Rennels. The requests to the county agent for the terracing of land have been so great since the first of the year that it is impossible for one man to handle all of this work and for that reason a number of levels are being bought by various farmers over the county and a large number of these can be worked at one time under his supervision. The operation of these levels is simple and can be learned quickly by any farmer.

A number of farmers are making plans to buy levels upon a cooperative basis. By having these levels in the various communities a great amount of terracing work can be supervised by the county agent at one time and much greater benefits will be derived by most of the farmers for otherwise Mr. Rennels would have to spend too much time on just a few farms.

Farmers that have already bought levels are, C. E. Gafford of the Jameson Community; John Marr and R. S. Haskew in the Vivian community and several others are planning to order levels this week. Many other uses can be had with these levels, such as, construction of tank dams, leveling the foundation of buildings, garden irrigation and many other uses on the farm. The cost is comparatively small, ranging from \$20 to \$25, and in most any case the instrument pays for itself with one operation.

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Large Number of Farmers Attended the Demonstration

The power machinery demonstration given by M. S. Henry & Company Saturday was attended by some twenty like one hundred farmers. This shows that there is quite an interest in power farming in Foard County. The demonstration will be beneficial to all who in any way are interested.

acre all over this section, Pease-Red River Valley is without a doubt one of the heaviest cotton producing districts in the South. Figures from the U. S. Census of Agriculture for 1920 and 1925 for the crop years of 1919 and 1924, are a fair index for the per acre production for a ten-year period, as this official census is taken only every five years. The average per acre yield of each county in the Pease-Red River Valley is practically the same and the entire group are as near alike in agricultural production as can be found in so large an area.

In 1919, 194,117 bales of cotton were produced from 273,954 acres in the 9 counties of Pease-Red River Valley for an average of fifty-two hundredths bales per acre. These two years are the only ones for which official figures are available since cotton has become a major crop in this district, and are a fair index for ten years per acre production. For the past two years, most of the counties in the Pease-Red River Valley estimate their cotton production to average considerably better than one-half bale to the acre. It can be truthfully said that this district with a land area almost as great as that of Massachusetts, averages year in and year out, one-half bale of cotton to the acre, a record believed unequalled anywhere for so large an area.

The total area of Pease-Red River Valley is 7,875 square miles or 5,038,840 acres, which is more than the combined area of Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island; and 300 square miles greater than the land area of New Jersey. The value of agricultural crops, with production reported for 1924 in the U. S. Census of Agriculture for these 9 counties was \$45,124,548.00. This district is by no means a one-crop country and prides itself on the great number of crops profitably grown here. Grain sorghums, corn, wheat, alfalfa, sweet clover, forage crops, truck products and numerous others are grown throughout this district each year in large quantities. Dairying is becoming a major industry all over the Pease-Red River Valley and more pure bred dairy cattle were imported to these counties in 1924 than in any other year in the history of this section. Poultry raising has always been

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Some Schools Are Expected to Become Standard

Four requirements are necessary for a school to become a standard school. It must have flag pole, sanitary closets, first grade teacher, and the term must be eight months.

Mr. Atcheson, county superintendent ex-officio, plans to visit the schools and score them this week. Then the state inspector will be here within a short while, possibly within two weeks, to approve or disapprove what has been done and give proper credit to the schools in this particular.

Mr. Atcheson thinks most of the rural schools will find it very hard this year to comply with every essential but thinks they can work up to it in time. He is expecting at least three of the schools over the county to score the number of points necessary to give them recognition as standard schools.

Speaking of the schools, Mr. Atcheson says, one thing to be noted is that there is not a single school in the county with only one teacher. They all have at least two teachers and most of them more than two. This means that better work is being done than could possibly be done where there is only one teacher to a school. Another thing he says to be noted is that all the schools of the county are crowded, and he expects the next school census to show a very large increase over that taken last spring. It is encouraging, too, he says to find that in practically all schools a higher appreciation of the worth of school equipment is appreciated, as is evidenced by the fact that this is taken care of.

Altogether he is pleased with the work of the public schools and hopes to see the progress continued that has already been made, and to that end is ready and anxious to lend his help in every way possible.

It should be remembered that this is the first year any effort has been made at standardizing, and should there be only a few comply with the requirements, it only goes to show that it can be done, and within the next year it is hoped that many others will meet these and raise their standards.

Program Submitted for Association Thursday Evening

The News announced last week that there was to be an association of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs here Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. This is to be in the district court room, the drill to be on the street by the visiting Rebekahs as the first part of the program. O. O. Hollingsworth will be master of ceremonies.

- PROGRAM**
- 7 o'clock—Drill by visiting Rebekahs drill team.
 - 7:30—Invocation by Rev. C. V. Allen.
 - Address of welcome—Mayor C. T. Schlaegal.
 - Response—Mrs. Bertha Ross of Vernon.
 - Music—By Orchestra.
 - Vocal solo—Mrs. Adolphus Wright.
 - Violin solo—Mrs. Alva Spencer.
 - Reading—Miss Bernice Bailey.
 - Piano solo—Miss Frances Clark.
 - Reading—Mrs. Maggie French.
 - Music by orchestra.
 - Roll call of officers.
 - Reading of minutes of previous meeting.
 - Application for membership.
 - Balloting upon applications for membership.
 - Reports from lodges.
 - Selection of next meeting place.
 - Refreshments.

Margaret Man in Race for Sheriff

Ed Dunn of Margaret authorizes the News to present his name as candidate for the office of sheriff and tax collector.

Mr. Dunn is a comparatively young man, 27 years of age, and has been reared in Foard County. He never asked for a public office. He offers his candidacy subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Dunn expects to make a personal campaign and wants to see every voter in the county. He will appreciate any favorable consideration you may give him.

Five Thousand Dollars of Church Debt Is Raised

It was announced by M. S. Henry, member of the board of trustees of the Methodist church, last Sunday morning that a campaign was being made for funds with which to reduce the \$15,000 debt on the Methodist church building, and that it appeared that \$5,000 of the amount was then in sight. Mr. Henry, Dr. Hines Clark, J. W. Bell and H. E. Ferguson are the men who have had the matter in hand, and one of these men stated to the News Monday that the amount had been secured and that the \$15,000 debt would be reduced to \$10,000.

Most of these men, or all of them, made liberal contributions themselves, in addition to what they had already done, and smaller amounts were secured from a number of others, bringing it up to the amount aimed at.

It is a matter of interest to the membership of the church and to all our people in Crowell that this has been made possible. The debt has been on the church for several years and the interest has not been a small item. It is planned to liquidate the entire debt as early as conditions will permit.

The church was completed in 1920, in the last of the four years of Rev. J. H. Hamblen's services as pastor, the entire cost of the building being around \$75,000, and is one of the most substantial and beautiful edifices of worship in this part of the country.

HONOR ROLL

- Pupils in the Grammar grades who have neither been tardy nor absent:
- Miss Lottie Woods' room—Horace Erwin, George Ferguson, Camille Graves, Maxine Thompson.
 - Miss Sloan's room—Ruby Earls, Helen Lawson, Fern Pearce, Helen Parker, Arvol Bigham, John Lewis Gray, Clarence Martin, Estes Munger.
 - Miss Cryer's room—Mary Frances Allen, Dwight Barry, Goldie Brisco, Sylvia Brisco, Lorene Byrd, Eddie Campbell, Dorothy Erwin, Mary Elizabeth Hughston, Louis Owens, W. T. Statser, Ray Thomas.
 - Miss White's room—Henry Brisco, Margaret Johnston, Louise Lawson, Ruby Reeves, Theodore Lawson, Quantia Schlaegal.
 - Miss Self's room—Merrell Allee, J. C. Allen, J. W. Connell, James Eaton, Banks Campbell, Hubert Carter, Frances Couch, Pauline Donaldson, Allen Jinks, Louise Nicholson, Jo Roark, Iras Thompson, Peggy Thompson, Frances Woods.
 - Miss Shaw's room—Lillie Mae Edgin, Freddie Hazel Adams, Bernice Collins, Berl Lovelady.
 - Miss Self's room—Dan Hines Clark, Dick Emery, Otis Gafford, Addie Brisco, Lois Nichols, Elouise Saunders, Lenora Thompson, Genelle Pate, Joyce Pate.
 - Mr. Todd's room—Gerald Knox, Leslie Thomas, Bill Dunagan, J. M. Crowell, Roy Francis, Floyd Mapp, Herbert Rettig, Bonnie Cogdell, Josephine Griffith, Fern McCaskill, Floy Wozencraft.
- Pupils in the Grammar grades who made 90 per cent or more:
- Evom Lee Cauton, Camille Graves, Dwight Barry, Tom Ray Roberts, Florence Miller, J. C. Ross, Mary Frances Allen, Mary Elizabeth Hughston, Margaret Earls, Louis Rettig, John Cogdell, Effie Griffin, Estelle Whorton, Bernice Poland, Lora Whately, Harold Barry, Burke Bell, Fred Allan Beverly, Edward Brisco, Milton Magee, Nancy Lewis, Mary Edna Bursey, Merrill Allee, J. C. Allen, J. W. Connell, James Eaton, Banks Campbell, Hubert Haston, Sam Crews, Jr., Mary Byrl Bell, Peggy Cooper, Ruth Ferguson, Myrthall Ketchersid, Edith Frances, Irene McCaskill, Dorothy Pauline McKown, Geraldine Mayfield, Ruth Sellers, Lillian Gene Bell, Lewis Brown, Edgar Jinks, Dee Adams, Frances Couch, Sue Gorrill, Marjorie Schooley, Stanley Womack, Rudell Russell, Mattie Belle Greening, Jeff Bell, Mary Frances Greening, Leslie Thomas.

Had the First and Wants Last

Frank Meason handed the News \$3.00 Tuesday, one a renewal subscription for himself and the other for his father, J. R. Meason, Big Sandy, Texas. Frank said when he was at his father's home in December when Mr. and Mrs. Meason celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, that his father said he got the first issue of the Foard Co. News ever printed and that he wanted to get the last one before he died—that is to say he wants the paper to be coming to his address when he dies.

For many years Mr. Meason was a resident of Foard County and he and his wife are always interested in what is developing in this county. It is a pleasure to the News to have among its readers these old timers who look to the paper for the news from Crowell and Foard County.

More Than 98 Per Cent of Taxes Collected

It is too early after the close of the tax collection period for the News to give an exact report of the per cent collected, but Sheriff L. D. Campbell assures us that it is more than 98 per cent. Early yesterday morning Mr. Campbell phoned us that he had figured that 97 and three-tenths per cent had been collected when the books closed on January 31, then after some checks had arrived on the mail he phoned again and stated that it would go beyond 98 per cent, and that he could not give it exact at that time.

This is the best collection of state and county taxes in the history of Foard County. If we remember correctly about 97 per cent has been the maximum until this year.

Collection of school taxes, according to G. A. Mitchell, collector, has been about 95 per cent.

The polls paid in the county amounted to 1887 out of about 2000.

FACES FORGERY CHARGE

J. E. Hale is in jail charged with check forgery.

According to the report coming to the News Hale appeared at the Reeder Drug Company Friday evening about 6:30 and presented a check drawn in the amount of \$38.50 bearing the signature of R. E. Knuckles, James Doolen of the Reeder Drug Co. took the check, thinking it was good but had only \$15.00 in cash to spare. He told Hale that he had only that amount and could let him have it until the balance was available. This was agreeable to Hale, who took the \$15.00 and went away. Within a few minutes Mr. Reeder came into the store and when the check was shown him he recognized that the signature was not that of the man it was supposed to have been drawn on, the name on the check being R. E. Knuckles, while it undoubtedly was aimed for R. E. Nichols, the pipe welder on the gas line, for whom Hale had been working.

The sheriff was notified of the matter and soon got on trail of Hale and picked him up between Crowell and Wichita Falls.

Failing to make bond, Hale is now in jail awaiting trial on a charge of forgery at the February term of district court.

Miss Margaret Curtis for County Treasurer

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Miss Margaret Curtis places her announcement before the people for county treasurer.

Miss Curtis has been reared in Foard County, having spent her time here since she was a mere child. She has splendid business qualifications, having taken a high school education afterwards completing a stenographic and bookkeeping course, and for the last four years has been in the employ of Crews-Long Hardware Company of this city.

Miss Curtis will appreciate your support of her candidacy. She expects to meet as many of the voters of the county as possible between this and the primary.

MARRIED SUNDAY

Mr. W. A. Hardy of Vernon and Miss Thyra Belle Campsey, youngest daughter of E. G. Campsey, were married at the Methodist parsonage Sunday morning, Rev. W. R. McCarter, officiating.

The young couple will make their home in Vernon.

West Texas Utilities Building Big Power Plant Near Quanah

Ablene, Jan. 31.—Contract for the erection of a building to house the first unit of what ultimately will be the largest electric power generating plant planned to date by the West Texas Utilities Company has been awarded to Robert E. McKee.

The plant, which will have an ultimate generating capacity of 60,000 horsepower, will be erected on the north shore of Lake Pauline, five miles southeast of Quanah. Construction of the building will begin February 1st at which time a three-mile spur track from the main line of the Fort Worth and Denver railway will have been completed. The building will be finished by July 15.

The unit to be erected this year is the first of three planned by the West Texas Utilities Company for the Lake Pauline site. The first unit will increase the company's capacity fifty per cent, raising it to 60,000 horsepower.

The building to house the first unit will cost about \$250,000, including structural steel which will be furnished by Mosher Steel and Machinery Company of Dallas. When all units are completed the investment will be in excess of \$5,000,000. All machinery will be installed and the plant in operation by September 1, under present plans.

Construction of the spur track to serve the Lake Pauline plant has been going forward rapidly for two months, contract having been awarded early in December to R. V. Stroup Company. The track will be completed February 1st and available for shipments of materials to be used in erecting the plant. Moore & Moore of Chillicothe will furnish 4,000 yards of ballast to be used on the track.

A subcontract for a half mile of flume work, which will require the excavation of 46,000 cubic yards of earth, has been awarded to J. Lee Vilbig and Company of Dallas. The Vilbig company also will make the excavation on the site to be occupied by the plant. R. V. Stroup Company will replace rip-rap and repair the Lake Pauline dam, holding the contract for 4,000 yards of rip-rap and 5,000 cubic yards of earth.

The building to house the first unit will be of concrete, brick and steel, with red-face brick used on the exterior and white stone for trimming. It will measure 125 by 150 feet and will equal in a six-story building in height.

The plant will be three quarters of a mile west of the dam and will be situated on the north shore. Most of the machinery has been purchased, including a 20,000 horsepower General Electric turbine and three 1,000 horsepower Stirling, Babcock and Wilcox boilers. The turbine is of the latest design and will operate on

Crowell Defeats Vernon and Paducah

Paducah and Vernon have been defeated by the Crowell high school basketball team within the past week. Paducah bowed down before the Wildcats last Friday by a score of 36 to 9 in a game before a large crowd in the high school gymnasium. Spears and Todd of Crowell were the outstanding players of the game.

Vernon met defeat Monday night by a score of 16 to 10 in a very exciting and fast game. Vernon made only two points in the first half which ended 5 to 2. The second half was featured by fast playing and some roughness on both teams. Spears and Norman of Crowell featured the game with their offensive work.

Thomson in Race for Re-Election

Precinct No. 4 has another candidate for commissioner in the person of W. F. Thomson, who stands for re-election to the office he now holds. Mr. Thomson has served the people of his district with faithfulness, conscientious of the responsibilities that have been his, and now in offering himself for re-election he is willing for you to be guided by the record he has made as public official.

He will appreciate your consideration of his candidacy and your support at the polls.

RIALTO THEATRE

Monday—Tuesday—
 Red Grange in
 "RACING ROMEOS"
 Auto Racing, Thrills

Wednesday—
 "RICH BUT HONEST"
 with J. Farrell McDonald
 and Nancy Nash

Thursday—
 "KOSHER KITTY KELLY"
 with Viola Dana, Nat Carr

Friday—
 "DOWN THE STRETCH"
 Another race horse fea-
 ture with Marian Nixon

Saturday—
 Hoot Gibson in
 "PRAIRIE KING"

Don't forget that Ben
 Hur will show here on Feb.
 13, 14, 15! Remember the
 date!

BEN HUR



Feb. 13, 14, 15

RIALTO THEATRE

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. T. M. Johnston of Crosbyton visited friends here Thursday night and Wednesday.

J. R. Solomon and Charlie Hathaway were business visitors in Lubbock Wednesday of last week.

Fred Brown, Johnnie Lee Tarver and Sybal Keese have been ill the past week.

Lesley Hammonds and family visited relatives in Wichita Falls last week-end.

The ladies of the Baptist W. M. S. entertained the ladies of the Methodist society with a "mum" party at the home of Mrs. W. J. Long here Friday afternoon. A large crowd was present and report a very jolly time.

Raymond Edens returned to his home in Olney Saturday. He was accompanied by his brother, Mack, who visited there Saturday night and returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Wood and children, Clifton and Agnes, of Crowell visited in the W. F. Wood home here Sunday evening.

Homer Doty and family of Crowell visited in the George Doty home here Sunday afternoon and night.

The Thalia high school boys' basketball team and the "all star" town team, played two very good games with the Paducah teams on the latter's court Monday night of this week. Scores for the school teams were 28 to 5 and the town boys' score was 16 to 20, both games being in favor of the Thalia boys.

W. H. Henry and family of Fargo visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

R. C. Huntley and wife, W. S. Tarver and W. F. and Frank Wood were Crowell visitors Thursday of last week.

Bill Coffman of Houston visited in the G. W. Scales home here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hlavaty visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger near Margaret Saturday night.

Luther Ward and son, Walter, visited Miss Lena Ward in San Angelo a few days last week.

Work has begun on the new Christian church in the south part of town here.

Mr. Lonnie Johnson of Tahoka has the contract for the new building which will be a stucco.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson of Crowell visited relatives here Sunday and attended church services at the Christian church.

Rev. Reed of Lockett preached for the Baptist people at the high school

auditorium here Sunday and Sunday night. The Baptist church has been torn down for the purpose of a new building.

Ted Solomon and family of Crowell visited in the George Doty home here Sunday.

Mrs. W. S. Tarver entertained the Junior B. Y. P. U. members at her home here Saturday night. The little folks report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones of Fargo visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Four very good games of basketball were played at the new gymnasium here Tuesday night. The Crowell Juniors and Senior girls' teams and the Chillicothe Senior boys and girls teams. The Thalia teams were victorious in all the games except the junior girls.

Vernon visitors from here Tuesday were: J. A. Abston, Raymond Doty, Mrs. G. A. Neill, Mrs. G. B. Neill and son, Mrs. Ed Self and children, G. A. Lindsey, Claude Baker and Mrs. Truett Neill.

Jack Edens moved his family from Olney to the J. G. Thompson farm here Monday.

Miss Anna Maye Neill visited Miss Lois Rutledge in Vernon Saturday night and Sunday.

RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. J. O. Haynes of Vernon preached at the Methodist church Sunday night. A large crowd attended the service.

Mrs. G. T. German and Mrs. Martha Price attended the associational B. Y. P. U. meeting at Oklaunion Sunday.

Henry Kubeck and daughter, Margaret, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Joe Mynar, of Margaret.

H. D. Lawson and family visited Miss Thelma Lawson at the Crowell hospital Saturday.

Jackson Duffie and Trace Bradshaw of near Quanah were business visitors here Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. George Cribbs underwent an operation at a Vernon hospital Friday.

Mrs. Ben Roberts spent Thursday night with Mrs. May Gunn who is ill at King's Hospital in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Allen left Friday for Abilene, taking their baby for medical treatment.

Mrs. Lou Bloom of Parsley Hill is visiting Pete Gobin and family.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German, Mrs. M. E. Bushon, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. German and Miss Eva Lee Cravey were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Kinchloe of Kinchloe Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Farrington spent the week end with homefolks at Chillicothe.

Mrs. T. J. Coonrod is ill with the "flu."

C. Schoppa and Louis Schoppa and family left Saturday for Snyder, Texas, to visit relatives.

Mrs. L. W. Greenway returned home Friday from Vernon where she had been at the bedside of her husband at King's Hospital for the past two weeks.

Herman Funk and family of Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Funk.

Charlie Johnson and Ross Funk spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends at Oklaunion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley made a business trip to Crowell Friday.

Mrs. Josephine Beazley came Monday for an extended visit with her son, A. T. Beazley, and family.

Mrs. May Gunn who underwent an operation at King's Hospital in Vernon is improving.

Rev. E. W. Loyd accompanied his brother on a business trip to Altus and Tipton, Okla., Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Miss Thelma Lawson underwent an operation at Crowell hospital Thursday afternoon.

Other Allen and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terry of Kinchloe Sunday.

Miss Irene Newman who has been spending the week with her uncle, A. T. Beazley, and family returned to her home at Friona Saturday.

Iona Campbell is very ill.

Mrs. Jane Armstrong of Doans and Mrs. S. H. Allen visited Tony Allen and family Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Rutledge is staying with her children, Quincy Lee and Hazel, who are ill with the measles in Vernon.

Pearl Davis is working in Mrs. W. J. Ayers' cafe while Mrs. Ayers is visiting her daughter at Flomot.

Harvey Loyd of Dallas was the dinner guest of his brother, Rev. E. W. Loyd, and family Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Ayers went to Flomot Sunday for a three weeks' visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Ross.

L. D. Campbell of Crowell was a business visitor in this community Thursday.

Dr. Hines Clark of Crowell was called Tuesday evening to see Miss Thelma Lawson who is ill.

Tom Beazley and family of Parsley Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Beazley Wednesday.

J. S. Gibson of Brownfield spent Sunday night with Rev. E. W. Loyd and family.

Mrs. M. E. Bushon of Childress is spending the week with Dr. R. D. German and family.

Mrs. Ethel Bloom of Rock Crossing is visiting Pete Gobin and family.

Mrs. Inez Trice is ill at the home of L. W. Greenway.

Miss Lorene Cobb of Thalia spent Sunday in the T. J. Coonrod home.

WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett moved Saturday to Cap Adkins farm.

Miss Marie Clark is spending a few days with Mrs. Coach at Thalia.

Horace Young made a business trip to Childress Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan French moved to Thalia Monday.

Elijah Young has been very ill with tonsillitis. He went to Vernon for medical treatment Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen McLarty visited Mrs. Dora Gregg who is ill Sunday afternoon.

COMPLETE OVEN HEAT CONTROL

IS FOUND ON OUR BETTER GAS RANGES

We have just as good stoves without this heat control device but the complete oven heat control is so simple and so efficient and such an aid in all your oven work we recommend the purchase of a range with the complete oven heat control.

THIS STOVE HAS THE HEAT CONTROL
 which absolutely controls the oven heat



Let Us
 Assure
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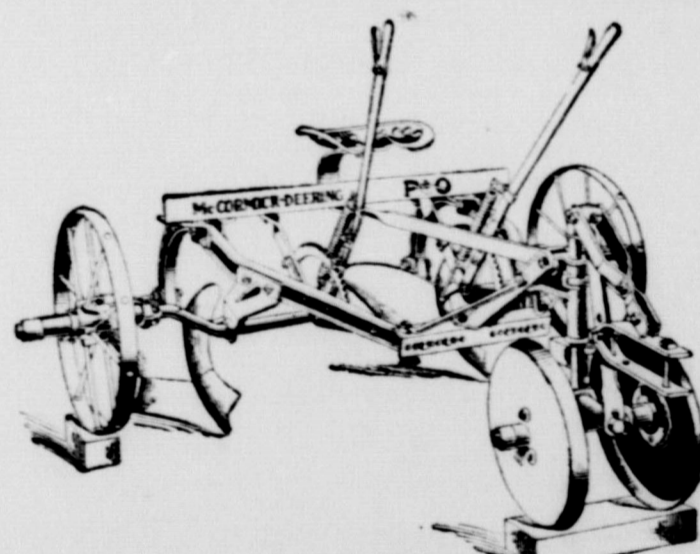
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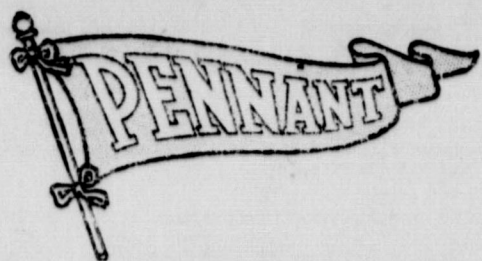
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NOTICE

Acting under the supervision of a biological survey the W. T. Waggoner Estate will on or about February 1, 1928, begin distributing poisoned baits over all of their lands for the purpose of destroying wolves, coyotes, skunks, wildcats and other predatory animals and will continue the distribution of these baits until 10,000 have been exposed. These baits will be exposed in all parts of the pasture and the owners of live-

stock, dogs and animals of all kinds are requested to take notice.
W. T. WAGGONER ESTATE.

We have a large supply of gas ranges and heaters on the floor. Come in and see them.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co.

No trespassing—Positively no fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind will be allowed on the Halsell ranch.—Furd Halsell and Son.

"Ben-Hur" is coming Feb 13-14-15.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Colorado—An unusually strong program of prominent speakers will take part at the West Central District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce here February 29th.

Midland—Oil, cattle, cotton and potash are the quadruplets of the Midland family which make for prosperity in this section.

Graham—Gain of gross receipts at the local postoffice for 1927 over 1926 was above \$1200, with receipts for December 1927, making a better showing than for the entire year.

Comanche—A series of four community club meetings was held here the week of January 17 by T. C. Richardson, field editor of the Farm and Ranch.

Artesia, N. M.—Aid in building a connected system of highways leading into Artesia was one of the chief works of the local chamber of commerce in 1927.

Merkel—The 1928 district convention season of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will close here next December. There will be an average of one district convention for each month, in 1928.

Olney—Location of a county agent here is one 1928 aim of the Olney Chamber of Commerce of which M. Gruger is secretary.

Sweetwater—Manager Sam H. Bothwell, formerly of Longview, first city manager of Sweetwater, will receive a salary of \$5,000.

Almorgora, N. M.—Otero and Lincoln counties shipped 46,651 head of cattle in 1927.

Canadian—With \$1,500,000 on deposit in local banks, Canadian is richest per capita places in the Panhandle.

Crosbyton—The Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce is helping farmers in its territory to get their milk cows tested.

Cisco—Dairying is assuming an important place in agricultural life here under direction of the dairying committee of the chamber of commerce.

Eden—A 12,096 egg capacity electric hatchery is now open here.

Ballinger—The Big Three Produce Company of Abilene has opened a branch plant here, handling fresh fruits and vegetables.

Albany—Photostat copies of the paper now known as the Albany News and published here by Col. Dick McCarty are to be made by the University of Texas. The copies are from the Frontier Echo as published at Jacksboro from 1875 to 1880, and later moved to Albany.

Fort Worth—The special committee appointed at W. T. C. C. Executive Board meeting January 18 will report on the water rights question here the second week in February, preparatory to submitting its recommendations for referendum vote of the directorate. Material for consideration of the committee can be placed before them by writing to the Stamford headquarters.

Slaton—Slaton building and public improvements in 1927 reached \$730,000.


ATTENTION!

The Pastors' Association is fostering a Sunday school campaign for 100 per cent Sunday school homes in Crowell. Next Sunday this move is really begin. Will you help by giving your home as such and seek to make it that way. Cards will be given to the home that will join in this noble work, with the names of the pastor and Sunday school superintendent signed. Let the homes of the various churches join heartily and make the move mean much for our town and community. By order of the Pastor's Association.
L. GUY AMENT, Secretary.

We have a large supply of gas ranges and heaters on the floor. Come in and see them.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Barland Burns and two children of Munday were here Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. N. A. Crowell, and other relatives and friends.

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GAMBLEVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

Vernon Pyle and family were in Quanah Sunday visiting Mrs. Homer Zeibig who has been operated on at the Quanah Hospital. She is a sister of Mrs. Pyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Free of Black community and Mrs. Mollie Free and children spent Sunday in Chillicothe. Carl Davis and family have moved from the Grover Phillips place where they had lived for the past three years to the Bird place near Crowell where they will live the coming year.

Charlie Hall and family of Black, B. F. Whatley and family of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas of Crowell and Hugh Simmons of Amherst visited F. J. Jonas and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shultz and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz attended church at Thalia Sunday and took dinner with R. C. Johnson and family of Talmage.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrow visited Leonard Pyle and family of Vernon Thursday. They met Mr. and Mrs. Chandler there also.

Mr. Cole of Lorenzo has moved his family to the V. A. McGinnis place.

Wilburn Wright and family have moved to the Smith place formerly occupied by Alfred Derrington and family.

Henry Johnson and family of Elmer, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. T. D. Edwards and family Saturday night and Sunday.

E. W. Burrow and wife were in Quanah Sunday afternoon attending the dedicatory ceremonies of the Odd Fellows new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cato, of Thalia.


National Mazda 32 volt light bulbs.—Crews-Long Hdwe. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

VIVIAN P. T. A. ASSN.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Vivian school met in regular session Wednesday night, January 18th. An interesting program was carried out. It was decided to start a campaign for new members. Those present were divided and a captain appointed over each group. They are now busy enlisting new members. The defeated side will entertain the winning side at the close of the month.

On Feb. 15th the following program will be rendered at the school building:

- Song—"America."
- Prayer.
- Roll call—Answer with memory gem.
- Poem—"February Birthdays. —Merl Walling.
- James Russell Lowell—Mrs Cooper.
- Reading—Viola Bransom.
- St. Valentine—Mr. Benham.
- Reading—Ruth Rasberry.
- Thomas Edison—Wayne Dishman.
- Reading—
- George Washington—Mrs. Haskew.
- Song, by primary children.
- Abraham Lincoln—Mrs. Aaron Nelson.
- Reading—Alice Bowley.
- Henry Longfellow—Mrs. Redwine.
- Reading—Katie Jackson.



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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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

Crowell, Texas, February 3, 1928

The Childress Index and the Quanah Tribune-Chief advise us that there is some probability that the State Highway Commission will not grant aid on Lee Highway in Foard and Cottle until these two counties get busy and build north and south highways first. Now, don't that just beat everything? Here we are done gone and voted bonds and now paying taxes on them! But what we don't understand is what in the world the commission wanted to slip over to Quanah and Childress and spill the beans to those fellows and never say a thing to us about it.

They are going to prove that Edward Hickman is insane because his mother had a breakdown while she lived in Arkansas; because his daddy left home when the boy was a child; because his grandfather was crazy; and because Edward himself lost an oratorical contest in high school. Such flimsy arguments might be used in practically every criminal case tried in our courts and if they had weight with most juries the insanity route around deserved punishment would be a scene of conjection.

Supply and demand of cotton will always have some bearing on the price. The manipulators will continue to operate, too, boosting or busting prices, but they can operate when cotton is 10 cents or when it is 30 cents per pound. The farmer will get beyond the reach of the speculator only when he runs his farm in such way as to be in position when his cotton is ginned to put it in the shed. How to do that is the farmer's problem.

Boys and girls should not be too anxious to get through school at an early age. The desire to get through ought to be profitably spent in school all through the twenties, and even longer. Once in a while we see where one in middle age or even in old age, realizing the need of college training, enters school, as in the case of an Arkansas grandmother 65 years of age.

It will be a brave and courageous thing for a man to disregard party alignment in the coming national campaign and vote his sentiments on what is likely to be the issue of supreme importance. The female vote will be more likely than the male vote to express its real sentiment, and if so, it will be a factor in the election.

Purchasers of registered Jersey calves last spring are beginning to realize the first fruits of their investment in the increase of their numbers. It is yet too early for profits, but these will come later. Within a few years from now these fine Jerseys should be a source of splendid revenue to their owners.

It is no very great worry of ours that every few days somebody in a distant portion of the country drops a loaded gun and his body or that of some other receives the fatal wound of an accidental discharge, but it is surprising that people are so careless. The point of a loaded gun is too dangerous to look into.

Practically 1900 suffragists are armed with poll tax receipts in Foard County. This is the strongest voting strength we have ever mustered, and it is an indication that the people are interested in political affairs of county, state and nation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For County Judge: J. E. ATCHESON, R. D. OSWALT.
- For County and District Clerk: IDA REAVIS.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: QUE R. MILLER, R. J. THOMAS, A. W. LILLY, ED DUNN.
- For Tax Assessor: CLAUDE CALLAWAY.
- For County Treasurer: MISS EMILY PURCELL, MISS EVA BLAKEMORE, MISS MARGARET CURTIS.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. E. WISDOM.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. C. HYSINGER.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: T. F. WELCH, E. V. HALBERT.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: T. S. PATTON, W. F. THOMSON.
- For Public Weigher: GEORGE ALLISON, A. T. SCHOOLEY, C. Q. CRAWFORD, A. F. McMILLAN.

FREE POWER FARMING SCHOOL

The Advance Rumley Thresher Co. will hold one of its 10th annual power farming schools at Electra, Texas, Feb. 8th and 9th. A Rumley course of instruction is for every farmer who wants to learn the "ins" and "outs" of power farming. These schools are endorsed by the various county agricultural agents and every farmer interested in power farming is urged to attend. advt.

Thalia Methodist Missionary Society

The Thalia Methodist Missionary society met in a social at the home of Mrs. Will Chapman. The following program was rendered: Leader, Mrs. Stovall; Scripture lesson, Mark 1:1-20; song, "Blessed Assurance"; preparation for the new day, Mrs. Stovall; prayer by Mrs. John Morris; gifts of the Seven Sabbath of years, Mrs. C. B. Morris; how the missionary woman of China raises funds, Mrs. T. H. Matthews; prayer by Mrs. A. C. Stalcup. After the program and business session the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Wood Roberts, served a delicious plate lunch to the following: Mesdames Stovall, M. C. Adkins, Lindsey, Gray, Roberts, McKinley, C. B. Morris, Stalcup, Les Hammonds, Chas. Woods, J. R. Morris, T. H. Matthews and Miss Minnie Wood.—Reporter.

HUSBANDS ENTERTAINED BY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

The ladies of the Afternoon Bridge Club entertained their husbands with an informal bridge party at the home of Mrs. H. Schindler last Tuesday. Five tables of bridge were arranged. Mrs. Otis Nicholson and Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth won the high score prizes. The guest list included Mrs. F. Oliver and children, Edna and Benadene, of Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Miller and daughter, Florine, and Mr. William Waybourn.—Reporter.

Swastika Bridge Club Entertained

The Swastika Bridge Club met with Mrs. Earl Norman at the lovely home of Mrs. R. L. Kincaid on last Thursday. The guests present were: Mrs. Bryan O'Connell, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and Mrs. Edelle Legge, of Vernon. Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth won high score and Mrs. M. M. Hart, Jr., won second high. Delightful refreshments were served. The club will meet with Mrs. M. O'Connell next week.—Reporter.

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(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. True of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Free Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boren spent Sunday with Mr. Boren's mother of the Vivian community. Mrs. J. A. White spent Monday with her son, Jack, and wife of near Quanah. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Address visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. C. Hays of Crowell Sunday afternoon. Quite a lot of moving going on in our community. O. M. Gentry moved last week to the Russell farm near Crowell. J. T. Free moved to the place vacated by Mr. Gentry. Mr. McFarland to the Gamble farm and Mrs. Lizzie Henderson and her son, Louie, to her home vacated by Mr. McFarland. Mrs. W. W. Nichols was shopping in Crowell Saturday.

CROWELL GIRLS DEFEATED

On Monday afternoon of this week the Margaret basketball girls came to Crowell. Emma Bradford was high scorer with a total of 8 points. 4 of these were made by fouls. Betty Borchardt made four free pitches. The final score was 12 to 4 in favor of Margaret. Tuesday night the Crowell girls went to Thalia and after a rough game lost by the score of 23 to 16.

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Let us help you start on the success road by opening an account NOW.

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Local and Personal

Latest records.—M. S. Henry & Co.

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Full blood Buff Orpington eggs for setting. See Mrs. J. T. King. 34

Have Bachelor stove for sale, good as new.—Mrs. W. R. Tuttle, phone 52.

For Sale—A 260-egg incubator, used one time.—O. O. Hollingsworth.

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We have lots of second hand stoves, all kinds, all prices.—Ketchersid Bros., furniture and stoves. 32p

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rucker and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spencer made a trip to Lake Kemp Sunday.

Lost—Light tan mesh bag containing keys and other articles. I especially want keys—Pauline Haynes 32p

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Safety hatch incubators.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Gas fitting—the right kind.—O. O. Hollingsworth, phone 270. 32p

For Sale—Second hand safe, \$150.00.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale—One team of good, young work mules.—W. C. Wisdom, Foard City, Texas. 32p

Joe H. Earls, expert watch and clock repairing. All work guaranteed. At Reeder Drug Store. 32p

Certified dwarf maize and kafir seed for sale, raised on Plains.—Johnnie Gamble, Crowell, route 2. 32

William Wayburn was called to Ryan, Okla., Saturday night on account of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Martha Fisher.

We have the agency for the Mistletoe Cream Co. and will appreciate your trade.—Ketchersid Bros., (The Second Hand Store.)

The Detroit Jewel began baking better when grandmother was a baby. Bakes still better for her "grand babies."—M. S. Henry & Co.

Toulon Middlebrook has returned to his home at Margaret from Electra where he has been going to school. He will not go back on account of his father's health, but will finish the term at Crowell.

R. P. Rhea, cotton buyer of Monday, was in town Tuesday. Mr. Ray said to a News representative that he had been all over West Texas and conditions at Crowell and trade territory are the best he has seen according to size.

Miss Velma Pierce, Loyd Corder and Vergie Gordon of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with Miss Maribon Cooper. They were accompanied home by Miss Elizabeth Minnick who returned to her home after visiting with friends for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Churchill were over from Wichita Falls Sunday visiting the family of Jeff Bruce, Mrs. Bush, mother of Mrs. Churchill, returned with them to Wichita Falls where she will visit with them for a while and will then visit at Nocona and Oklahoma City.

The News received this week the renewal of Herman Halsall of Sanderson, Texas. Herman is regular reader of the News and has been since he left here many years ago. He states they have had a very mild winter down there this year and prospects for the cattle men are good.

Rev. T. M. Johnston of Crosbyton was here for a short time Thursday afternoon of last week. While here he called at the News office and renewed his paper for another year. Bro. Johnston was pastor of the Margaret and Thalia Methodist churches for four years and has many friends in this county who are always glad to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch and two children visited relatives in Vernon Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. E. Cole, one of the early settlers of this county. She returned to Vernon Tuesday accompanied by W. O. Haney of Vernon who came after her.

James Doolen and wife left Wednesday for Quanah where Mr. Doolen will be with the Murry Drug Store as pharmacist and part owner of the business. He has been with the Reeder Drug Co. of this city for the last eighteen months and is a young man well liked by all who became acquainted with him. The going from Crowell of Mr. and Mrs. Doolen is a matter of regret to the people here.

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New hats and shoes arriving daily.
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Pure Red oats for sale, delivered at Crowell at 75 cents per bushel.—J. J. Brown.

Gilliam McLarty and family were here Monday from Hydro, Okla., visiting friends and relatives. They had come down to Vernon to visit his brother, C. A. McLarty, and decided to come on to Crowell. Mrs. C. A. McLarty accompanied them to Crowell. Mr. McLarty sold his farm near town eight years ago and moved to Oklahoma. He still owns his property in Alabama but has rented a farm in Oklahoma where he will farm this year.

Hardeman Now Has Us Beat on Roads

For several years Foard County had much better roads than Hardeman County, but it is doubtful if it can be said now. Certainly it cannot be said of the road between Crowell and Quanah. A few years ago when we would go to Quanah we always dreaded to get off Pease River bridge and strike the breaks, but now it is a delight to roll over the smooth road Hardeman County has put up through the breaks and on into Quanah.

There are very few places where it becomes necessary to check one's speed to pass over a bridge or a rocky point on the road. Hardeman County is to be congratulated on putting this road up in such fine shape. It is supposed that the State is doing the work, but Hardeman must have used some means of getting action on the State, and if so, Foard County should find out what that means is and use it here.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

The third regular meeting of the Club for the year 1928 met Wed., Feb. 1st, with Mrs. S. J. Ferguson as hostess.

The lesson "A trip through the West Indies" was very ably conducted by our leader, Mrs. J. S. Ray. She was assisted by Mrs. Kincaid and Mrs. O'Connell. These islands are especially interesting to the citizens of the U. S. because of the fact that those known as the "Virgin Islands" have been purchased by our government, and on this day our "ambassador of Peace," Charles Lindbergh, was being entertained on the largest of the group, Isle of St. Thomas.

At each meeting the club has a round table, bringing out and discussing the recent news as given in our current magazine, "World News." After the program a delicious refreshment plate was served to twenty members and Mrs. L. Guy Ament, as a guest.—Reporter.

Christian Science Services
Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, February 5, "Spirit."
Sunday School 9:30. Wednesday evening service 8:00.
The public is cordially invited.

Complete stock of poultry supplies.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Buff Orpington eggs from purebred stock, bred to lay, \$1.00 for 15.—Mrs. W. W. Kimesy 32p

Electric wiring, fixtures and repairing. Estimates furnished Phone 64.—Claude C. McLaughlin.

Mrs. Allen Sanders and daughter, Reid, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burress for a few days in Seymour this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Oliver and two daughters, Benedine and Adena, of Denison were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Que Miller, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Oliver being sisters.

Try Ferguson's P.M.s for liver ills.

Have you a radio? Let me tell you about an Atwater Kent radio. Phone 64.—Claude C. McLaughlin.

Misses Lottie Russell and Gusta Davis and two young lady friends of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with homefolks in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Counts Ray and two children and Sidney Collins of Breckenridge spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in Crowell. Mr. Ray has recently been given the management of a new drug store in Breckenridge owned by the firm he has been with for several years and Sidney has accepted a position in the store as pharmacist.

BABY CHICK SEASON HERE

We have got two of them heavy producing Single Comb White Leghorn egg factories filled with real busy and peppy egg machines, mated throughout with pedigreed high egg record males. We are now booking orders for baby chicks and hatching eggs at following prices:

Factory No. 1. Setting of 15 eggs \$1.50; 100 eggs \$9.00; 100 baby chicks \$20.00.
Factory No. 2. Setting of 15 eggs \$1.00; 100 eggs \$6.00; 100 baby chicks \$15.00.

20 percent cash deposit now holds your delivery date of chicks for any week you desire after February 9th, balance payable just before delivery. Plenty of hatching eggs now. Place orders early and don't be disappointed later.

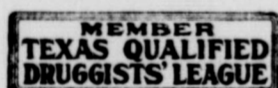
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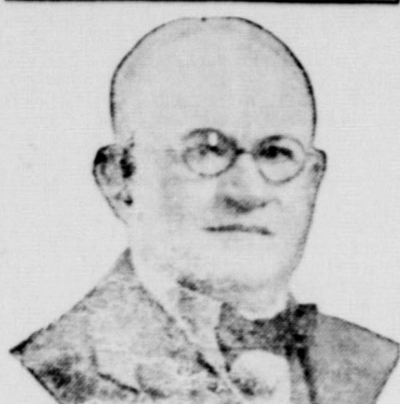
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Mr. Marshall Moore, Shamrock, Tex., writes: "My doctor failed to find my trouble, but Dr. Rountree found it at once and his treatment cured me."

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Write Dr. Rountree Laboratories, Austin, Texas, for Questionnaire and Free Diagnosis.

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W. D. COUFAL, Agent
Crowell and Thalia

Fluvana—One hundred twenty cars of livestock, 12 cars of threshed grain (maize), three cars of maize heads, forty-five cars of cotton seed, and five cars of wheat were shipped from here in 1927.

BEAUTIFUL OIL PAINTINGS

Arthur Edson Forbes, one of America's foremost rapid landscape artists, who has traveled all over the United States in pursuit of his work of painting pictures with Valentine's colors in oil, is drawing good crowds at M. S. Henry & Company's store where he paints very pretty pictures with great speed and skill. Mr. Forbes is capable of painting 25 pictures in a day, so he disposes of them very reasonably. A painting 12x24 with a beautiful frame only \$2.95. Many are being bought by those who admire Mr. Forbes' work. He reproduces any pictures that may be brought to him, and many of his paintings are reproductions of famous paintings. He invites the public to call and inspect his work. He is also a teacher and guarantees he can teach any one to paint a picture in five lessons.

Free picture given away at 4:30 Saturday, Feb. 4th.

Mr. Forbes will remain in Crowell all this and next week.

ADELPHIAN CLUB

Mrs. Henry Ferguson was hostess to the Adelpian Club on Wednesday, January 25.

Mrs. R. D. Oswalt led an interesting lesson on "The Age of Innocence" by Edith Wharton. Mrs. Wharton is probably the most outstanding woman novelist of the United States. "The Age of Innocence" depicts New York society in the seventies. It gives a clear-cut picture of the social life of a group regulated by rigid conventions based on form and family. Mrs. Wharton, herself, has written of a stratum of life with which she is intimately familiar, and of a phase in the development of American life which was a part of her early environment.

The club voted to wire headquarters of the National Federation of Women's Club at Washington its disapproval of the recent action of that body in asking for the resignation of Mrs. J. U. Fields of Haskell as State Biennial chairman.

A refreshment course was served by the hostess.—Reporter.

BUNK

Little by little the facts are leaking out why the work of paving Lee Highway from Vernon westward is not being done. Foard, Cottle and Motley counties have not provided for a north and south concrete highway and for that reason it is doubtful if the State Highway Commission will set aside funds for hard-surfacing until the north and south roads in Cottle and Foard are provided for by bond issues.—Childress Index.

Now, wouldn't that kill you? Who would have thought it? Bunk, the very essence of bunk emanating from the office of the Childress Index. As a matter of fact every one here knows that the route through Wilbarger and Foard has never been decided upon and of course no road building will start until that is done. The engineers are yet at work trying to make a location of the route that will be best for all concerned. Cottle, we understand, has made a tentative survey. It is a big project and all the counties having voted bonds for Lee Highway find that they must work together in making the connections at county lines. This will have to be agreed upon first of all.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

L. Guy Ament, Pastor

As we enter the campaign for the enlargement of our view and outlook it means spiritual growth, salvation for the unsaved and exalting and magnifying of our Lord. So as we are seeking to make our homes one hundred per cent Sunday school homes, it means not only saving the soul but saving the life as well. We are especially asking and urging every member to attend the services regularly. Don't make excuses, just attend the church services. Preaching next Sunday both morning and evening. Please note that our Sunday evening services will be at 7:30 o'clock. Next Monday the Missionary Society meets at Mrs. Kincaid's home. Mrs. Long is leader. Next Wednesday night at 7:30 prayer service and study.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Foard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Lawrence Rader by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Foard County, to be held at the court house, thereof, in Crowell, Texas, on the 22nd Monday in February, A. D. 1928, the same being the 18th day of February, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1327, wherein Maggie Rader Glover, John L. Glover, Della Rader Glover, J. M. Fox, Addie Belle Rader Fox, C. C. Lyons, Bertha Rader Lyons, J. C. Lyons, Bertha Rader Campbell, C. B. Campbell and Oma Rader Harris, are plaintiffs, and Owen Rader, U. C. Rader and Lawrence Rader, are defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiffs' cause of action, being as follows:

That Maggie Rader Glover, Della Rader Glover, Addie Rader Fox, Fannie Belle Rader Lyons, Bertha Rader Campbell, Oma Rader Harris, U. C. Rader and Lawrence Rader, are all the children and heirs at law of Powell Rader, deceased, and his wife, Narcissus Rader, deceased; that the said Powell Rader and his wife, Narcissus Rader, are both deceased; that more than four years has expired since their deaths prior to the filing of this suit; that no administration is pending upon the estate of either of them; that no will of either of them has ever been duly probated; that at the time of their deaths, the said Powell Rader and his wife, Narcissus Rader, were seized and possessed of community property; that the children and heirs at law hereinbefore named are the owners of such community property, and of all other property of which they or either of them died seized and possessed; that the children and heirs at law as above named of the said Powell Rader, deceased, and Narcissus Rader, deceased, are the owners of a certain one hundred sixty acres of land situated in Foard County, Texas, and being the southeast one-fourth of section No. 2, in said Foard County, located by virtue of certificate 1-15, issued to Seals, Norris and Seals, surveyors for the Common School funds; that the said children, heirs and heirs at law as named above each own an undivided 1/8 thereof; that the defendant, Owen Rader, is in the actual possession of said above described land, and is asserting and claiming an adverse interest therein, diverse to the interest of plaintiffs; that Owen Rader has no valid or lawful claim to any portion of said 160 acre tract of land.

Plaintiffs allege herein by way of trespass to try title, as against the defendant, Owen Rader, and say they are the owners of the tract of land hereinbefore described, owning and holding the same by a good and sufficient title in fee, and that on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1927, they were such owners of said land, and were in possession thereof, and that on or about the date last above alleged the defendant, Owen Rader, unlawfully and forcibly entered into the possession of said tract of land, and dispossessed the plaintiffs therefrom and continuously since that date, and is now withholding the possession thereof from plaintiffs, to plaintiffs' damage in the sum of sixteen thousand dollars.

That plaintiffs are entitled to judgment against the defendant, Owen Rader, for the title and possession of said land, and for their damages, and for partition of all of said land between the joint owners thereof.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that the defendants and each of them be cited to appear and answer this petition as the law directs, and that upon final trial hereof the plaintiffs have judgment against the defendant, Owen Rader, for title and possession as herein above alleged, and for their damages, and that they have judgment against each and all of the defendants for a partition of the said one hundred sixty (160) acres of land among the joint owners thereof as herein alleged, and that the plaintiffs have and recover all costs, and that they have such other and further relief as in law and equity, they may show themselves entitled to, for all of which they will ever pray.

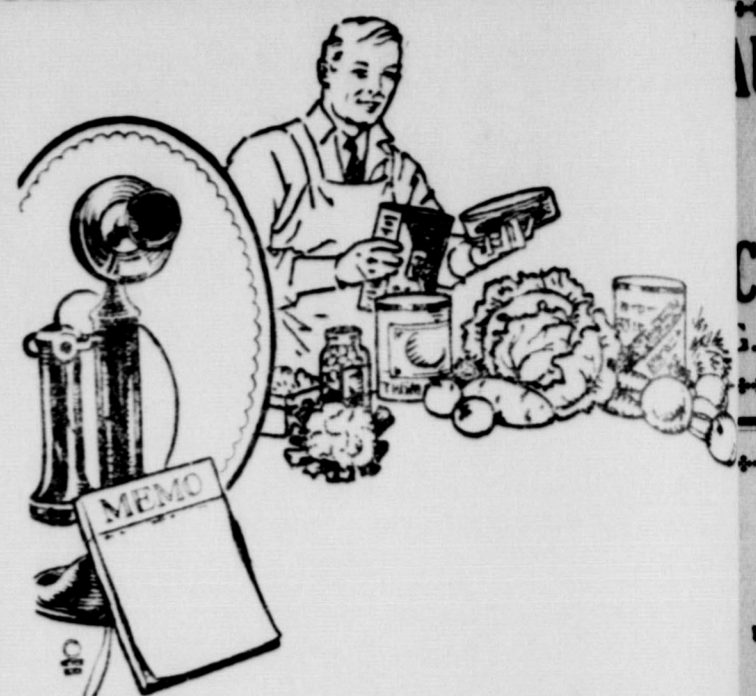
Herein fail not, and have you then and there before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, on this 10th day of January, A. D. 1928.

(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk, 32 District Court, Foard Co., Tex. By A. G. MAGEE, Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any constable of Foard County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W. L. Power by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 46th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the said 46th Judicial District; to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Foard County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house in Crowell, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in February, 1928, same being the 13th day of February, 1928, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition, filed in said court on the 2nd day of January, 1928, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff and The Crowell Realty Co., a corporation, having as its secretary, J. A. Stovall, and W. L. Power, J. Frank Potts, and



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J. A. Stovall, their heirs and legal representatives, are defendants. File No. of said suit being No. 1332.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand as set out in said petition being an action to recover of the defendants the sum of One Hundred Eleven and 57/100 dollars as delinquent taxes due plaintiff for the years 1908, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1926, 1927, including interest, penalties and costs, that have accrued thereon, said taxes, interest, penalties and costs being due upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. 18, (Eighteen) in block No. 79, (Seventy-nine), situated in the original town of Crowell, Foard County, Texas.

And plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of its lien against said property, to satisfy taxes, interest, penalties and costs; for an order of sale, writ of possession, all costs of suit, and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear in plaintiff's original petition now in file in this office.

Herein fail not, and have you then and there before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Crowell, Texas, in the County of Foard, this 7th day of January, A. D. 1928.

(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk, 32 District Court, Foard Co., Tex. By A. G. MAGEE, Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Foard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Thomas M. Beverly, deceased, Mrs. Hallie Beverly has filed in the County Court of Foard County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Thomas M. Beverly, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1928, the same being the 5th day of March, A. D. 1928, at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1928.

(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk, County Court, Foard Co., Texas. By A. G. MAGEE, Deputy. 33p

Junior League Program

Leader—Berl Lovelady.
Subject—"Take Time to Be Holy."
Scripture reading, Luke 11:9-13.
Quiet home reading—Examples of prayer.
I Paul and Silas, Acts 16:25-29.—Leslie Thomas.
II Christ, Luke 22:39-44.—Peggy Thompson.
III Key verse—Ray Thomas.
Tuning in.—Ruth Ferguson.
Opening the prison doors.—Catherine Ferguson.
League benediction.

New Perfection stoves, ovens, wicks.—Crows-Long Co., Crowell and Thalia.

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Bill Der Soy

People with out without room can get board from us

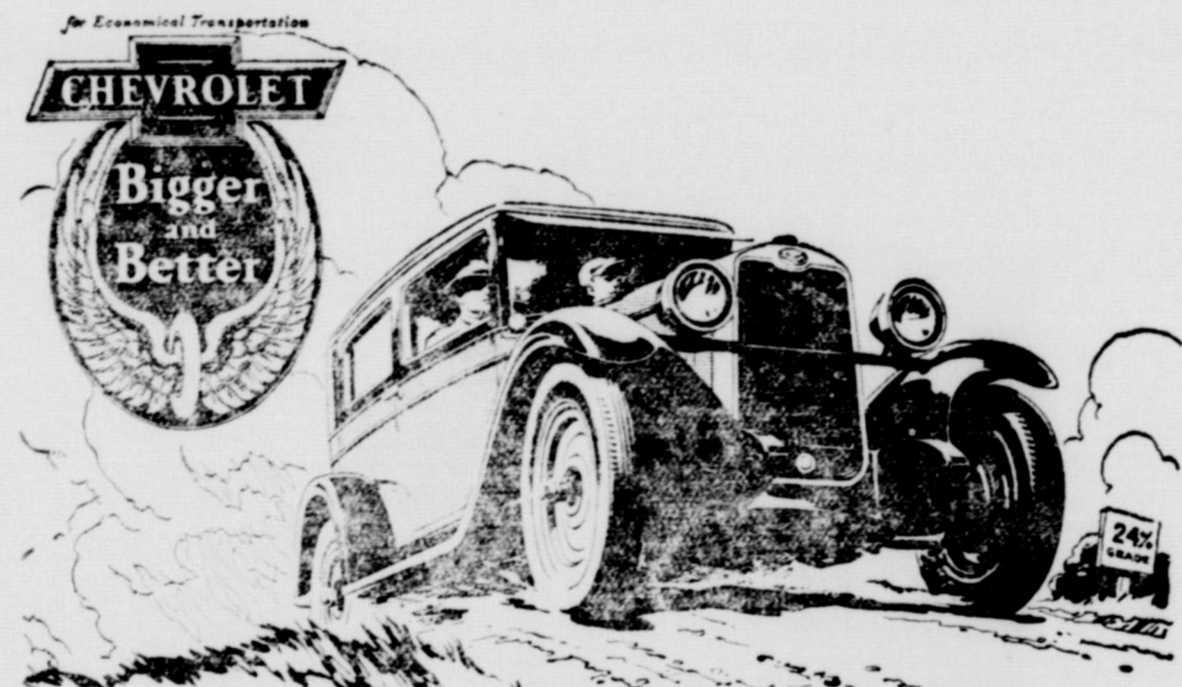


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- The Sport Cabriolet \$665
- The Imperial Landau \$715
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February 13--14--15

Taking Off a Hatch of Baby Chicks

By F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas

In previous articles we have discussed the care of breeding stock, care and selection of eggs-for-hatching so we are now ready to take up the care of the baby chick when moved from the incubator to the brooder.

Baby chicks should not be left in the incubator very long after they are hatched. Eggs that are set on Monday will begin hatching twenty days later and by Monday should all be hatched and on Tuesday or the morning of the 22nd day, should be moved to the brooder house or placed in baby chick shipping boxes.

Do Not Feed Until 72 Hours Old

The information has been pretty well distributed that chicks should not be fed until they are 72 hours old. When the eggs are set on Monday, this means their first feed is not given until Thursday morning. They may be given water or milk to drink some time Wednesday. The important point we wish to make here, is that the chicks must be handled in such a way, that during the period they are not given anything to eat, they won't go to work and fill up on sand, straw, or on any other litter that may be used. Chicks at that age will eat anything they can swallow. Where sand is used on the floor for litter, they frequently eat great quantities of sand, which of course is very injurious. Where fine cut straw or hay is used they sometimes eat great quantities of this litter. This is of course, very bad and causes a great mortality. It is necessary to handle the chicks so they cannot eat any of above named indigestible material.

Keep Chicks in Dark Place
Chicks should be kept in a dark place when moved out of incubator,

IT WON'T BE LONG NOW!



What suspense this has been - waiting, waiting, waiting. But now the time is very close - only a few short days.

The Advance-Rumely Power Farming Schools are more elaborate, more instructive, more interesting than ever before and you can't afford to miss one session.

You can attend this year without loss of time away from home. This is because the schools are coming close to you and it costs you nothing - only your time.

Take advantage of this opportunity. You will regret it if you don't.

A school will be held at

Electra, Texas, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 8-9

T. V. RASCOE

Saturday, Feb. 4

Closes Bargain Day Rates



This is to jog your memory more than anything that you have but one more day in which to buy the News for a \$1.50 a year. Some few have not set their subscription up and we should like for them to do so while the rate is on.

If you should come in and want the paper after Saturday, Feb. 4th, it will cost \$2.00. You can yet save 50 cents by taking advantage of the offer we have been making for the last two months. But don't come Monday expecting the rates to be on. They will have been withdrawn and every one who buys the paper will pay the regular rate.

Don't forget Better attend to the matter while you think of it. Write a check and mail it today and we will give you credit at the bargain rates.

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up to the time they are given their first feed. If you use a regular brooder house, we recommend you darken the windows and all other openings, so the house will be so dark the chicks cannot see well enough to eat anything. At this period the baby chicks need quiet, rest and sleep. Dark quarters are more apt to bring these about than lighted quarters. We take special pains to keep it so dark in the brooder house, that the chicks will not eat any litter. You can readily see, in ordinarily lighted quarters, the little chicks will do something, they will be continually picking at each other, picking at and swallowing litter and sand.

Storing in Chick Shipping Boxes

Many chick raisers have learned about the importance of keeping chicks in dark quarters until they are 72 hours old, therefore many of those not in position to provide dark brooder houses, place the chicks in ordinary baby chick shipping boxes until they are old enough to be given the first feed. In doing this care must be exercised to ventilate the chick boxes properly and to stack them in such a way they will not get too cold and too hot. It takes considerable experience in packing chicks in these boxes successfully. It is well to examine them occasionally to make sure they are comfortable.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Foard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Mary McCuller by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Foard County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crowell, on the second Monday in February, A. D. 1928, the same being the 13th day of February, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1337, wherein E. T. McCuller is plaintiff, and Mary McCuller, defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiff sues for a divorce, and said petition alleging, plaintiff prays for a divorce upon the grounds of cruel and harsh treatment toward plaintiff, and upon the grounds of adultery, and pray for costs of suit, etc.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, on this the 11th day of January, A. D. 1928.

(Seal) IDA REAVIS, Clerk.
32 Dist. Court, Foard Co., Texas.

For Sale—3-horse, 3-phase motor.
—H. D. Poland.

TEXON TALES

One good thing about the dry weather it will keep down the mud slinging some in the coming political campaigns, maybe.

We saw a strange looking dog last week, maybe it was Bill Norman's.

If Claude Mac wants to tell us about his radio, he gotta write us.

Womack, Lee Allen or any one else can write radio letters also.

We regret we are unable to help supply a cream station up there but we are not allowed to keeps cows here.

Of course we sympathize with Mr. Lanier but we would like to know for sure if he got hurt going into or out of his cellar.

J. W. Bell and Judge Myers both visited Valentine recently but neither took advantage of the opportunity of coming by to say hello to Texon, so we are very mad.

We will close this installment with our latest and best shory story, entitled—"It Pays to Advertise."

A film was advertised as sad, and women's hearts thereby made glad as gathered in at even-tide from all surrounding countryside to view the sad, pathetic tale, the show was scheduled to unveil. But without notice 'twas rearranged, to a comedy, the show was changed but none of the girls knew of that and thru the comedy there they sat with heavy hearts. They silently wept while all the men, they snored and slept.

(It is suggested onions be rubbed over the eyes at intervals while reading.)

Yours till shoe trees bear fruit.
THE TEXON TATTLER.

Senior League Program

Jesus the center of all our young people's work.

Leader—Althea Saunders.

Hymns.

Scripture, John 15:1-8.

Prayer.

Scripture, John 12:32.—Charlie Ashford.

Scripture comment, John 12:20-32

—Marion Cooper.

Jesus and worship—Rachel Stewart.

Jesus and world conquest.—Frances Clark.

Talk on the lesson.—Mrs. McCarter.

League benediction.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program

Subject—Offerings We May Make to Jesus.

Introduction—Leader.

Leader—Mrs. E. C. King.

The joy of the generous heart.—Miss Hawkins.

Story of our text—Ruth Mack.

Lessons for our daily lives—Martha Schlagal.

Give out of gratitude—Weldon Cogdell.

Be a cheerful giver—Allison Self.

Be sure and come. We meet at 6:30.—Reporter.

"42" PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Beauchamp entertained last Friday evening with a progressive "42" party honoring Miss Elizabeth Minnick of Wichita Falls and Miss Gracie Moore. Refreshments consisting of chicken sandwiches, olives, angel food cake and hot chocolate were served to: Misses Elizabeth Minnick, Gracie Moore, Marion Cooper, Ha Lovelady, Ella and Irene Patton, May King, Eula Mae Moore and Messrs. Mike Brown, Charlie Ashford, Haskell Norman, Steve Brown, William and Frank Cates, Clyde Herbert King and the host and hostess.—Contributed.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express the deepest gratitude of our hearts to relatives, friends and the faithful doctors for the manifestation of their love and kindness toward us in the sad loss of our dear husband, father and brother.

We also wish to express our thanks for the beautiful floral offering.

Mrs. H. E. Hays and Children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. C. Hays.

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Eight of the 9 counties in Pease-Red River Valley are planning to exhibit co-operatively with agricultural displays at fairs next fall, that is, while exhibiting as individual counties, space is to be secured where all will be together and plans worked out accordingly. The Dallas Fair has already promised excellent space for the Pease-Red River Valley Association.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Chillicothe on February 22nd at which time further work and plans for the association will be outlined. The Chillicothe meeting has prospects of being the largest yet held by the organization.

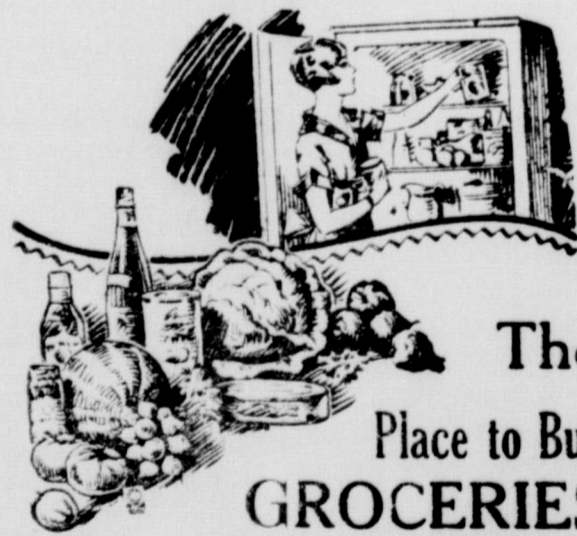
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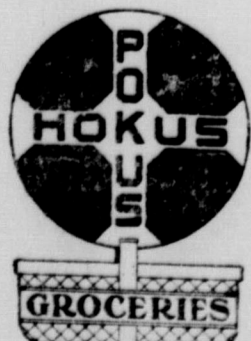


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Robert E. McKee is one of the leading contractors of the Southwest, maintaining offices in Abilene, El Paso and Los Angeles. Among the important projects he has supervised within the last two years are the ten-story Hilton Hotel completed at Abilene last September and the eight-story Mims store and office building at Abilene, now nearing completion.

Wide experience has been obtained by Mr. McKee in construction of electric generating and other industrial plants. He erected two plants for the Sante Fe System at Grand Canyon and Bakersfield, Ariz., both of which were similar in size to the first unit of the Lake Pauline project. He also constructed what is reputed to be among the largest railway shops in the United States at San Bernardino, Calif., for the Sante Fe System.

C. E. Jones of Los Angeles, an engineer of wide experience in constructing similar plants will supervise the construction work at Lake Pauline for Mr. McKee.

Lake Pauline impounds 1,750,000,000 gallons of water and covers 610 acres of land. It was acquired by the West Texas Utilities Company from the estate of the late William Marsh Rice, founder of Rice Institute at Houston and builder of the Lake Pauline dam. The company also has purchased 400 acres of land adjoining the lake which is being landscaped for development and beautification.

The reservoir was built by Mr. Rice for irrigation purposes in which he was intensely interested. In recent years, however, the irrigation project has been abandoned and the lake used for recreational purposes. By converting the water supply into electric energy the West Texas Utilities Company will be harnessing a resource that otherwise would be going to waste.

The Lake Pauline site was chosen because it is practically the center of the territory and of the load required by the "north end" properties of the West Texas Utilities Company. Gas fuel and water sufficient to care for the company's needs are available there, the reservoir being served by a large watershed while gas is produced in large quantities in all directions, including the fields in the Panhandle, at Burkburnett and Elec-

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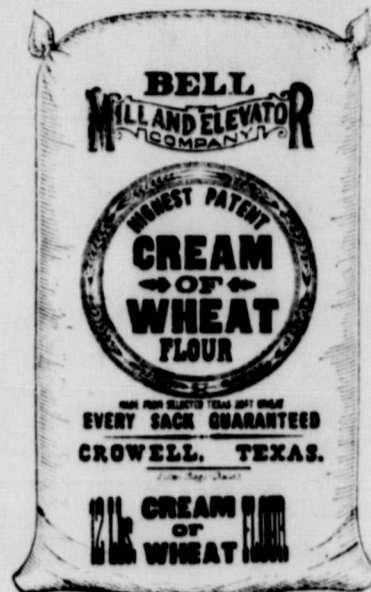
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Almost phenomenal growth has been experienced by the company since it came into existence less than seven years ago. At that time its territory included only Abilene and six small towns nearby. During the seven years it has expanded to one of the major electric light and power systems of the Southwest, its light and power service extending to the McCamey and Yates oil fields, 250 miles to the southwest, and to Clarendon,

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It will be well for you to wait and watch for further announcements.

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