



# Frigidaire

## is the powerful automatic refrigerator

Every Frigidaire, of whatever size, is equipped with a cooling unit powerful enough, sturdy enough, and big enough to keep food cold and fresh and to freeze ice quickly, at all times, and under all conditions. This means dependability, especially when outside temperatures are excessively high and you need refrigeration most.

The combination of many factors have made Frigidaire the choice of more buyers than all other electric refrigerators combined.

- Frigidaire is economical in the use of current
- Frigidaire is adaptable to every home and commercial use
- Frigidaire household cabinets are artistically beautiful
- Frigidaire is quiet
- Frigidaire food shelves are at a convenient, comfortable height
- Frigidaire is a Product of General Motors
- Frigidaire is low in price

# FRIGIDAIRE

PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

West Texas Utilities Co.

### ON THE FARM

By the County Agent

#### J. A. Moore to Visit Foard County

J. A. Moore, Supt. Agricultural Department State Fair of Texas, will visit Foard County for two days. Mr. Moore is a practical farmer of Dallas County, who has applied business methods to his farming operations and made a success. Many will recall seeing articles in the farm papers giving an account of Mr. Moore's method of farming, and especially his method of keeping books on his farm work. Mr. Moore will speak at Margaret Wednesday night, July 25th at 8:30; at Thalia Thursday 3:30 p. m., July 26. He is visiting Foard County in the interest of the Agriculture Department of the Dallas State Fair, however, his address will be devoted to practical farm work that will be of interest to every farmer in the county.

Upon special invitation of those interested, Mr. Moore has kindly consented to spend some time in visiting our county. Be sure and hear him.

#### A. & M. College Short Course

The Annual Farmers' Short Course will be held at Texas A. & M. College from July 30th to August 4th. This is an annual educational affair which offers an opportunity for a profitable and enjoyable vacation. All phases of farm and ranch work will be discussed by the leading authorities in the U. S.

Last year there were over 3,000 men, women, boys and girls in attendance which was quite an increase over former years, and according to information from those in charge, this year promises another record of attendance.

The railroads of Texas are making exceptionally low rates on round trip fares. Rooms may be secured in the college dormitories at \$1.50 per week. Meals will be served at the mess hall and the entire cost for the week will be \$5.00.

#### Bind Weed Eradication

A few weeks ago some information was given in this column regarding killing of bind weed with salt. Up until recently this was the best known remedy, however, recently the Agricultural Experiment Station of Manhattan, Kansas, has discovered that Sodium Chlorate is as effective and cheaper. It has another advantage over salt in that it does not injure the land. Salt will exterminate the weed but it also kills the land for several years. Sodium Chlorate is somewhat slower than salt. It is recommended to apply as a spray. Commercial Sodium Chlorate is a crystalline substance very similar in appearance to ground rock salt. 100 pounds of the crystals dissolved in 100 gallons of water is supposed to produce a solution of sufficient strength to kill the weeds on an acre of land. It usually takes three applications of the spray.

#### Stamped Eggs

Unless eggs are infertile, gathered often and kept in a cool place, they spoil very quickly during this hot weather. There are a number who are stamping their eggs. This stamp says "guaranteed fresh and infertile." When a consumer buys eggs that are stamped there is no doubt that they are good. He should be willing to pay a premium for quality eggs. Many eggs that are not stamped are perhaps just as good and as fresh. The stamp is a guarantee.

People who lead the procession have a habit of not looking back.

The old fashioned, corn fed girl didn't have as fine hose as her modern sister, but she had more to put into the stockings she did have.

#### AMERICAN MACHINERY

More than \$53,000,000 worth of industrial machinery was shipped to Europe in 1927, representing an increase of 29 per cent of such exports during the year. Evidently Yankee inventions are in high favor in the Old World, as our out-going ships are filled with machinery to be set up in foreign manufacturing establishments.

Our trade with Latin America has also moved upward, and it amounted to \$56,557,009 in 1927, which was a gain of more than two and one-half million dollars over the previous year. Cuba moved from ninth place to the fourth best customer of the United States last year.

BEFORE YOU START ON THAT PICNIC, FISHING TRIP, SUNDAY VACATION JOURNEY

Fill your tank to the top with

## That Good Gulf Gas

The added power and pep, the smooth performance, the quick acceleration which your motor will have will make your trip much more enjoyable.

Drive in before your start—then give it a thorough test.

### JOHNSON SERVICE STATION

## CHOICE MEAT CUTS

It goes without saying that the family will enjoy immensely a tender roast of beef or pork for dinner. Well browned, dripping with good gravy. Of course, their appetites will be on edge. They will compliment your cooking and our shop for the good meat.

Get your boiled or baked ham here for picnic lunch, sliced to make the most delicious sandwiches.

### BERT BAIN

At Haney-Razor Grocery

## FLOORS THAT ADD TO THE FURNISHINGS

A great many people do not realize the value of good floors in the house. Nothing attracts attention more quickly and no floors last so long as

### Hardwood Flooring

Hardwood flooring of select oak is considered the perfect flooring recognized the world over for its beauty, durability, economy and adaptability to fine finish.

Let us show you in actual figures the economy and desirability of hardwood floors.

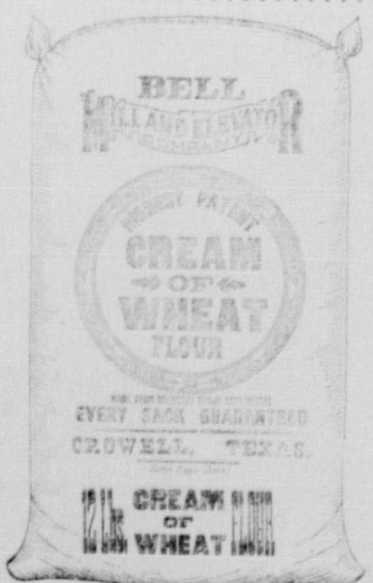
Wm. Cameron & Company

## A Home Product

CREAM OF WHEAT Flour a Home Product made from the very best wheat to be had.

Also shorts, bran, ground oats, wheat screenings, corn chops, corn, cotton seed meal, spd. hulls, mixed cow feed, oats.

BELL GRAIN CO.



#### A SIGN CLOSES A BANK

A little sign placed on the door of a bank in a small Indiana city, has caused that bank to be closed, showing again how easy people may be influenced by wild reports that take circulation without foundation or thinking.

Last October this bank observed Discovery Day, and the usual sign, "Bank Closed" was hung on the door. A farmer came into town, saw the sign, and went away broadcasting to his neighbors that the bank had closed. He probably never had heard of Discovery Day.

A run was made on the bank, and was apparently checked before a collapse resulted. However, the people still had in their minds the report of the bank closing, and they gradually lost confidence in the bank until months afterwards when it was actually forced to quit business.

The banking commission in Indiana, using this bank as an example, has called attention to all banks that on holidays, they should not merely hang the sign, "Bank Closed," but should mention the holiday. Many banks, at the close of a day's business, pull down the shade that says, "Bank Closed," and in order to prevent any wild reports, banks are urged in Indiana to include on those shades their banking hours, which is a good example for all states to follow.

The ordinary thinking person should stop and consider what might happen if they are responsible for placing in circulation such reports. They should remember that after all, a group of people is most easily swayed and can be influenced into a panic without much hesitation.

On Monday mornings when the list of fatalities of Sunday motorists is published, the press doesn't say how many of them were on their way to church when they were killed.

## INSURANCE

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

An Economical Transportation



# Before you buy—know what Chevrolet offers at these low prices!

Before you buy your next automobile—see the Bigger and Better Chevrolet!

Here are the beauty and safety of bodies by Fisher! Here is the spirited, thrilling performance of an improved valve-in-head motor! Here are the comfort, roadability and safety of a 107-inch wheelbase, long, semi-

elliptic shock-absorber springs, and big non-locking 4-wheel brakes!

Yet this sensational car is offered at amazing low prices—a dollar-for-dollar value that has brought to Chevrolet the greatest popularity in Chevrolet history. Come in today for a demonstration!

The COACH \$585

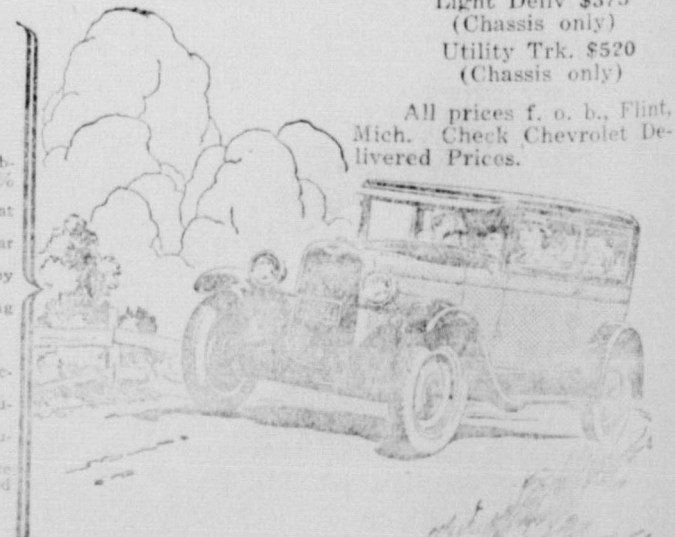
The Touring \$495  
The Coupe \$595  
The 4-Door Sedan \$675  
The Convertible Sport Cabriolet \$695  
The Imperial Landau \$715

Light Delivery \$375 (Chassis only)  
Utility Trk. \$520 (Chassis only)

All prices f. o. b., Flint, Mich. Check Chevrolet Delivered Prices.

Quality Features that made Chevrolet Famous

- Improved valve-in-head motor
- 107-inch wheelbase
- Non-locking 4-wheel brakes
- Thermostat control cooling system
- Harrison honeycomb radiator
- Inver-strut constant clearance pistons
- Mushroom-type valve tappets
- 3-to-1 laminated camshaft gears
- Compensating breathing system
- Two-part exhaust
- Inductively heated instrument panel
- Bull housing worm and gear steering
- Semi-elliptic shock absorber springs—64% of wheelbase
- Safety gasoline tank at rear
- One-piece steel rear axle housing
- Streamline bodies by Fisher
- Theft-proof steering and ignition lock
- AC oil filter
- AC air cleaner
- Single-plate dry disc clutch
- Stewart-Warner vacuum fuel pump
- Delco-Bony distributor
- Fisher "V" composite windshield on closed models
- Steel disc wheels
- Gasoline gauge



Removal of War Tax Lowers Delivered Prices!

## ALLEN CHEVROLET COMPANY

QUALITY AT LOW COST

**America's Most Colorful Character Comes to Life!**

HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

Fred Thomson as "Jesse James" a Nineteenth Century Robin Hood

**SYNOPSIS**

Opening scenes of "Jesse James" show Jesse as a member of Quantrell's Partisan Rangers, the guerilla Confederate cavalry outfit with which the James brothers fought during the Civil War. Silver King gets a chance to do his stuff in these early scenes by limping and showing signs of extreme weariness when Quantrell casts a covetous eye on the magnificent mount.

As the dusty horsemen approach a river they are given permission to go in swimming. Jesse comes up under a willow tree and startles Zerelda Mimms and Martha Summer. Zerelda is interested in the debonair soldier in spite of her haughty dignity.

That night, General Grant and his men camp at the Summer plantation and are received with cold courtesy by the southerners. A Union ser-

**ONE IN TEN**

Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in time cause out of ten cases no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c, 1.12. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by Ferguson Bros. and Reeder Drug Co.

geant is yanked into a bush on the Summer grounds, and Jesse appears before Grant in his uniform with a map. Zerelda threatens to expose him. He saves her the trouble, disappears in a fireplace, is shot at on the roof, suddenly reappears in a negro cabin, beats pursuing bloodhounds to the river and gets away on Silver King, who has followed him into the water in response to a whistle.

There are also some battle scenes in which Jesse and Frank James keep the Confederate colors flying and save the life of Bob Ford.

At the end of the war Jesse is warned by his old friends, Parson Bill, to be ready for bad news. He finds his mother's arm has been blown off by fanatic Union sympathizers in his home town, and that she has been threatened with expulsion from the town by a citizens' committee headed by Frederick Mimms.

Jesse is about to wreak vengeance on Mimms when his daughter enters, and he discovers she is the girl who had interested him on the Summer plantation. Her screams bring help and Jesse is forced to flee again in a spectacular manner. He is now a peace time outlaw.

During three succeeding days the stage coach is robbed at a pass in the hills. Jesse's home is burned. Zerelda helps his mother escape. There is a rich comedy holdup when Jesse emerges from the axle beneath the coach and forces detective guards into the baggage compartment before driving the coach into the village.

In a succeeding train holdup, one of the most spectacular stunts ever attempted in pictures is put over. Thirty horsemen riding thirty-five

miles an hour alongside a train transfer into the car windows.

Adolph Zukor and Jesse L. Lasky present

FRED THOMSON

in

"JESSE JAMES"

Directed by Lloyd Ingraham  
Story by Frank M. Clifton  
Biographer and Technical Advisor—Jesse E. James  
A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

Citizens attempt to trap Jesse into a surrender, with the aid of Bob Ford, who has turned traitor to Jesse as a result of having developed a secret fondness for Zerelda. Jesse appears at a dinner in the home of Frederick Mimms. They tell him he will have to betray his friends. He backs to the door, shielded by Zerelda, leaps into the darkness onto Silver King and grabs a tree branch. As a pursuer rides beneath he drags him into a tree, changes clothes with him and reappears among the pursuers as a Union soldier. In the meantime, Silver King, riderless, is leading the soldiers a merry chase into the open country.

Zerelda and Jesse drive away. It begins raining. They seek shelter near some rocks. As the stage coach reappears Jesse holds it up and Parson Bill appears from beneath a cushion. He marries them clinging to the driver's seat as Jesse guides the coach at top speed with Zerelda beside him. A lurch throws Parson Bill off as he concludes the strange service, but Silver King finds him. Together they pursue the disappearing coach.

RIALTO, Adm. 20c and 40c

for Economical Transportation

**Look for the Red Tag!**

**USED CARS**

**Amazing Values And Easy Terms**

Visit our used car display and inspect our wide selection of O. K. reconditioned cars. We have the car you want at a price that will please you—and our terms are unusually reasonable.

The Red O. K. Tag is attached to the radiator of every one of our reconditioned cars. This tag shows how completely the car has been gone over and reconditioned by expert mechanics. We use only genuine parts for replacements—and the prices quoted represent honest value, as determined by expert appraisers. Look for the Red O. K. Tag—and buy with confidence!

Allen Chevrolet Co.  
CROWELL, TEXAS

**QUALITY AT LOW COST**

**OUR GUARANTEE**

Any O. K. used car purchased from us may within three days be returned to us and applied on any used or new car in our stock if returned in as good condition as when purchased.

**ALLEN CHEVROLET CO.**

**Strictly Cash**

SATURDAY, JULY 21st, we are changing the policy of our business to strictly cash, and after that date we will make no tickets to any one.

Below we are listing a few of the many bargains that we will have to offer you on that date. Look these prices over, then come to our store for your grocery needs, as we are sure that we will be able to save you some money on every week's supply.

- SPUDS, per peck ..... **25c**
- LARD, 8-pound bucket ..... **\$1.19**
- MILK Small Can ..... 5c  
Large Can ..... 10c
- KELLOG'S CORN FLAKES, 3 packages for. **25c**
- CALUMET, 1-pound can..... **28c**
- GOLD DUST, 7 packages for ..... **25c**
- RICE, 10 pounds for..... **69c**
- P. & G. SOAP, 5 bars for ..... **19c**
- BLACK BERRIES, No. 2, 6 cans for..... **89c**
- HENARDS 1000 Island ..... 25c  
Sandwich Relish ..... 25c  
Mayonnaise ..... 25c
- TUNA FISH, Light Meat, per can ..... **20c**
- DEL MONTE PEACHES, per can ..... **23c**
- COMB HONEY Gallons ..... \$1.63  
Half Gallons ..... 89c

We will also have the best the market affords in fresh vegetables at the lowest prices in town. Come to our store for your vegetables as we have the most up-to-date and sanitary vegetable spray in town.

**Hughston Gro. Co.**

**METHODIST CHURCH**

All regular services at the Methodist church Sunday and throughout the following week:

Sunday School at 10 o'clock with classes and teachers for all.  
Worship at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.  
Junior church service at 11:30 for all the boys and girls from 7 to 14 years of age.  
Senior Epworth League at 7:30.  
Hope all our people may attend the services Sunday and bring their visiting friends. Strangers welcomed at all our services.  
W. R. McCARTER.

**Baptist Ladies W. M. S.**

The W. M. S. Circle No. 1 met Monday evening at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin with twelve present, in the study of "Only a Missionary" led by Mrs. Meadors.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. O. D. Beauchamp with twenty present. Lesson, "Only a Missionary" was led by Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin.

Circle No. 1 will meet next week at the home of Mrs. R. B. Edwards in study of "Royal Service." Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. L. D. Campbell in "Royal Service" lesson. Come and bring some one with you. We appreciate your presence and need your prayers.—Reporter.

**INVITATION**

All Civil War Veterans are cordially invited to see "Jesse James" at the Rialto Saturday night, July 21, free. Inasmuch as we have no other means of reaching you than through the paper, let this be your invitation to attend. We want you to come. Don't fail. You will appreciate the picture and we will appreciate your presence.

**THE RIALTO.**

Man is a funny creature. In a hotel he seeks a home atmosphere, and at home he wants hotel service.

Waterless cookers, all sizes.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

**NOW BUY THE**

**Whippet**

**FOURS AND SIXES**

It has proven its superiority—Full force lubrication to every moving part of the motor, large 4-wheel brakes, low center of gravity, economy of operation.

All these and other Whippet features make the Whippet the ideal car for rural and city driving.

A few used cars for sale.

**Whippet-Knight Auto Co.**

W. W. GRIFFITH, Manager  
Day Phone No. 53 Night Phone No. 55

**BRUCE BARBER SHOP**

We give nothing but the best service  
West end of Bank of Crowell Bldg.  
Hot and Cold Baths

**POLAND & HOUSOUER**

**Building Contractors**

ESTIMATES FURNISHED ON REQUEST  
CROWELL, TEXAS



### BIG SHIPS AND LITTLE

If you were crossing the ocean for the first time, your common sense would caution you to choose a large vessel for passage rather than a small one. You would feel much safer.

Likewise when you are choosing a bank in which to deposit your funds, that same common sense would caution you to choose a bank that is a large one in points of business, service and security.

### Large—Yet Friendly

This bank is large enough to be absolutely safe, yet small enough to be friendly.

You are in the hands of friends when you do business with this bank, who take a personal interest in you and your financial problems.

Start your account today. You'll feel safer and be safer and profit by the splendid facilities that we offer.

## The Bank of Crowell

### Local and Personal

We sell "My Bread."—Shelton Cash Grocery.

Lowest cash price Gibson refrigerators.—Womack Bros.

Three-room cottage for rent.—Mrs. R. B. Edwards, phone 40.

Baltic cream separators.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

For Sale—Dodge sedan in good condition. Bargain for quick sale.—M. S. Henry.

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

N. P. Ferguson left Tuesday morning for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Clay, at Sherman.

James Higdon, who had been visiting his aunts, Mesdames Rascoe and Boman, left Wednesday for his home at Quinlan.

A new 5-room modern house for Lesley Lovelady is almost completed in the northeast part of town south of Mrs. Walthall's. The home will be occupied by Lesley's mother, Mrs. S. Lovelady, and children.

Wall paper, wall canvas, paste.—Womack Bros.

Radios, tubes, batteries—RCA and Crosley—latest.—Womack Bros.

Armstrong's linoleum and rugs, congoeum and rugs.—Womack Bros.

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

Have two furnished rooms to rent for light house keeping. Phone 52.—Mrs. W. R. Tuttle.

Miss Laverne Wagner of Vernon is here this week visiting her uncle, M. S. Henry, and wife.

Raymond Bell came up Wednesday from Rankin where he has been working for several weeks.

Joe Allen and family returned last Friday from a visit to Terrell and other points in East Texas.

Mrs. B. F. Lanier of Knox City was here the first of the week visiting her son, J. H. Lanier, and family.

Our gas ranges always satisfy. Roper, White Star, Preference, Leonard, \$40.00 to \$135.00.—Womack Bros.

All Baptists are urged to be present Sunday at 11 o'clock to discuss the calling of a pastor.—Church Clerk.

Victor, Brunswick, Columbia, Okeh records.—Womack Bros.

National Mazda light bulbs.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

Have you heard the new Portable Victrola? Only \$35.00.—Womack Bros.

14-wall Gibson refrigerators, all types and sizes. Reduced prices.—Womack Bros.

Morjorie Ann and Bobbie Cope are here from Quannah visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Ida Cheek.

Paints, varnish, polish and mops. Lacquers, bed casters, MCH oil, needles, belts.—Womack Bros.

We are agents for Singer Sewing Machines and genuine parts.—Ketchersid Bros., new and used furniture. (The Second Hand Store.)

Lost between Crowell and Thalia a small iron lock box, containing some valuable papers. Return to George Burress, Crowell, Texas. 4p

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn McElroy left recently for their old home at Memphis, Tenn. They stopped over in Little Rock, Arkansas, for a short visit.

Mrs. C. E. Murray left Thursday of last week for points in Oklahoma where she will visit relatives. Mr. Murray took her to Quannah to take the train.

W. A. Daniel visited his sister, Mrs. J. H. Buckner, at Okmulgee, Okla., returning Tuesday of last week. He reports good crops and everybody in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Darby of Dallas spent with the week end with Mrs. Darby's father, J. W. Klepper, and other relatives and friends. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Meyer of Amarillo spent the week-end in Crowell visiting the Hallmark families. Their nephew, B. F. Hallmark, went home with them for a week's visit.

Miss Lozelle Kincaid returned Tuesday from a house party at the home of Miss Gwyneth Ridley, Rock-springs, Texas. The party was composed of a number of 1928 C. I. A. Seniors.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Kincaid and daughter, Elizabeth, and Ludell Green recently returned from a visit to the Carlsbad Cave and a few days in Ruidoso Camp among the pines of the White Mountains.

Announcements of the arrival of George Ann, baby girl, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McFarland, at 1219E 5th St., Tulsa, Okla., were received here this week. Before marriage Mrs. McFarland was Miss Ver-na Mitchell.

W. D. Ball came up from Fort Worth Wednesday to accept a position with Jeff Bruce in his barber shop. Mr. Ball lived here a number of years ago and worked for Duke Wallace. He is known by many Crowell people.

Mrs. Mamie Parrish and Mrs. Mildred Burton and child of Abilene, and Mrs. S. H. Larch of Goree, and Mrs. Burton and two children of Munday, and Mrs. V. M. Dickinson of Quannah were here on business Monday and visiting Mrs. G. W. Walthall.

Guy Garrett and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Garrett, at Berwyn, Okla., week before last and Mrs. Garrett returned home with them for a week's visit. In the meantime Mrs. Modina Johnson, mother of Mrs. Garrett, came down from Amarillo for a visit with the family of J. D. Johnson and other relatives. Mrs. Johnson has returned home and Mrs. Garrett went to Harrold to visit with her son, Marion Garrett, and family. These good people were well known to the writer when he was a lad and when they all lived in Georgia. Aunt Modina Johnson, as she was familiarly known, is nearing her 90th birthday and is still rather spry for one of that age.

Bleeding Gums Healed

The sight of sore gums is sickening. Reliable dentists often report the successful use of Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy on their very worst cases. If you will get a bottle and use as directed druggists will return money if it fails.—Reeder Drug Co.

Henry Gribble was over from Vernon Monday "monkeying" around. He let on like he wanted to fight us about inferring a few weeks ago in an article that he was getting old. We had mentioned the fact that he had celebrated his birthday and incidentally stated that he had seen a good many summers since he opened his eyes to the light of day on a hill in North Carolina. He got in a good humor, however, when we made covenant together that we would say nothing about our ages or our records.

Christian Science Services

Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, July 22, "Truth."

Sunday School 9:30. Wednesday evening service 8:00.

The public is cordially invited.

Dr. Hines Clark

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON

Office Russell Building over

Reeder Drug Store

Office Tel. 27 Res. Tel. 62

# COOPERS UNDERWEAR

When all is said and done, the whole secret of the popularity of Cooper's underwear is: They are cut for comfort, knit for wear, dyed for ever, modeled for style, and priced for everybody.

We have them in shorts, longs and mediums. See windows for display.

## SELF DRY GOODS COMPANY

ONE PRICE

CASH ONLY

Refrigerators! Gibsons, reduced prices for cash.—Womack Bros.

Fine dishes—5 beautiful patterns, guaranteed not to craze.—Womack Bros.

My place is still posted and not open to public. Fishermen kindly stay out.—Leslie McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Greer and Mrs. G. W. Walthall visited Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Vernon in Vernon last Friday.

See me for electric wiring, light fixtures and repair work. Estimates gladly furnished. Phone 64.—Claude C. McLaughlin.

We have many Portable phonographs—Victrolas, Brunswicks, Columbias, Caryolas and Allen—\$12.50 to \$50.00.—Womack Bros.

Ruth Ferguson returned last Friday night from a week's visit with Genevieve Ferguson of Alpine. Ruth made the trip home on the train by herself.

Mesdames B. C. Franklin and daughter, Miss Ina Faye of McLean, and Mrs. L. L. Rogers and little son are visiting relatives in Crowell and Foard City.

J. H. Carter house on Main Street for rent after Aug. 1st. Garage, water and gas connection. Also soft water and servant's house. See Mrs. C. P. Sandifer.

R. M. McCarter and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Webb and three children, Mrs. R. C. Persons, all of Los Angeles are here visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. McCarter.

Joe Welch was here from Sherman from Saturday till Wednesday visiting his sister, Mrs. S. H. Ross, and brothers, T. F. and J. Y. Welch. Mrs. Ross accompanied him to McKinney on his return home.

Jim Gamble was here this week from Menard, Texas, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gamble, and other relatives and friends. Jim likes the Menard country and incidentally said there were lots of wild turkeys in that country, as only recently he saw a large bunch of young ones, about frying size.

Henry Gribble was over from Vernon Monday "monkeying" around. He let on like he wanted to fight us about inferring a few weeks ago in an article that he was getting old. We had mentioned the fact that he had celebrated his birthday and incidentally stated that he had seen a good many summers since he opened his eyes to the light of day on a hill in North Carolina. He got in a good humor, however, when we made covenant together that we would say nothing about our ages or our records.

Try Ferguson's Pils for liver illa.

C. A. Gloyna was here from Ray-land Tuesday and added his name to our subscription list.

All Baptists are urged to be present Sunday at 11 o'clock to discuss the calling of a pastor.—Church Clerk.

T. D. McElroy has sold the City Cafe to Stanley Sanders and Mr. Sanders is now in charge of the business.

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

## General Repairing

PARTS, ACCESSORIES, ETC.

We Especially Solicit Your Patronage in Our Line

IVIE'S STATION

West Side of North Main

## We Do All Kinds Repair Work

We do all kinds of repair work—shoes, harness, tops, and chairs. Don't forget to call on us when you have repair to be done.

Crowell Shoe and Top Shop

North of City Hall F. W. MABE, Prop.

## SAVE AND YOU PROSPER

There is something about the little That preaches a sermon that makes behave.

The saving of youth concerns for o character builds and makes you b gauge.

B ypassing up things you want to b Don't get the impression that save is For by saving you always are amply It's the way foundation for riches is The First State Bank would an you Save and you prosper, spend and he

.....	26c
.....	25c
.....	14c
.....	17c
.....	14c
.....	15c

## THE FIRST STATE

Gro.

## MANY NEEDS FOR VACATION AND SUMMERTIME RECREATION

This store is exceptionally well qualified to furnish many needs for summertime, especially for sports and vacation. We cannot begin to describe them all here and tell you how good they are, a visit to our store will be necessary so that you can see for yourself and choose what you like.

Here is a partial list of things that you may need or want—

Cameras, Bathing Caps, Stationery, Face Creams, Sewing Needs, Films, Water Wings, Sun Glasses, Alarm Clocks, Sunburn Lotion, First Aid Supplies, Thermos Bottles, Picnic Supplies, Mosquito Bite Lotion.

## REEDER DRUG COMPANY

"In the Lead—with Only the Best"

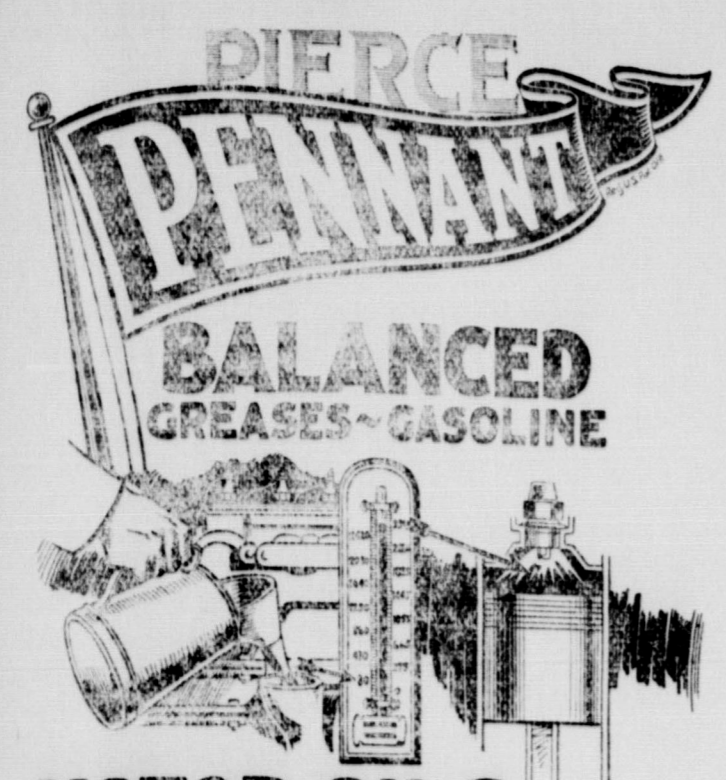
Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally Registered Pharmacist



rd to Nat- TLY sold it we move  
Asked de Doore  
ate. e same wall is instead  
\$37.50  
\$40.00  
\$50.00  
\$60.00  
rices  
ng themse- l Independen- ys, for any 25, 1926 an- ard has been do they not cost to you money y of their c. They not met your these account- hands of a  
Cook- is No. d No.  
itors  
27.50  
35.00  
40.00  
58.00  
65.00  
75.00  
odels 10.00  
Co. lia



**MOTOR OILS**  
Lubricate Under All Operating Conditions  
Pierce Petroleum Corporation

**PIERCE PETROLEUM CORP.**  
GEO. HINDS, Agent  
Crowell, Texas, Phone 230

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF TEXAS

The decision of the Supreme Court June 25th upholding Land Commissioner, J. T. Robison, in the numerous cases involving the University and Public Free School Lands and the rights of land owners accentuates the importance of the position he holds and the necessity of having in that place an experienced business man as well as a trained lawyer. No prudent man and no association composed of prudent men would intrust a business of such magnitude to an individual without experience in the line of business involved. The State Land Office has become a great business institution through which come to the State millions of dollars every year, due largely if not wholly, to the business judgment of the present incumbent, J. T. Robison. It would be extremely hazardous for the people of Texas to place the Land Office in the hands of an inexperienced man of unknown business ability. Mr. Robison has demonstrated his fitness for the place, his honesty and his courage to stand for what is right regardless of consequences and the Supreme Court has recently sustained him in what is said to be the most important land case ever before that Court.

We are asking you to consider the matter from a business stand point as you would view your own private affairs, and if you reach the conclusion that Mr. Robison should be retained, as we think he should, we trust that you will call the matter to the attention of others to the end that a public business involving many millions and one's ownership of land will not be disturbed or possibly destroyed.

- Austin, Texas, July 4, 1928.  
H. A. WROE,  
Chairman Board Directors, Am. Natl. Bank.  
R. C. ROBERDEAU,  
President American Nat'l. Bank  
THEO. LOW,  
V. P. American Nat'l. Bank.  
SAM SPARKS,  
Pres. Texas Bank & Trust Co.  
A. C. BULL,  
V. P. Texas Bank & Trust Co.  
(Advertisement)

Baird—Baird will have a new \$34,955.20 public school as result of a recent bond issue.

A GOOD POSITION

What every ambitious young man and woman yearns for—and is certain for those who PREPARE the Draughon way. Fine new locations, latest equipment, ACCREDITED courses, and individual instruction combine to make DRAUGHON'S the best in the Southwest. Write for Catalog G today.—Draughon's Business College, Abilene, Texas. 4p

See us for all kinds of sack feeds, corn chops, maize chops, hominy feed, shorts, bran, mixed cow feed, meal and hulls, corn. Also mill products.—Bell Grain Co.

Estate gas ranges.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

There are five million people classed as illiterates in this country, and at least half of them must be writing the popular songs of today.

Specials Saturday

- PRESRVES, 1-lb Jar, Sanitary Seal Brand .... 27c
- PICKLES, gallon can, solid pack ..... 79c
- CORN, Country Gentleman, the best, 4 cans. 56c
- Tomatoes No. 2, 10 94c Kraut, extra large, 4 59c
- SWEET POTATOES, large cans, 3 for..... 41c
- BLACKBERRIES, No. 2, each 15c; 6 for .84c
- GALLON FRUIT PEACHES APRICOTS Per gal. 58c  
Best Grade, solid pack APPLES BLACKBERRIES
- K. C. BAKING POWDERS, 10 lbs. .... \$1.27
- PEANUT BUTTER, 5 lbs ..... 89c
- P. & G. LAUNDRY SOAP, 10 bars ..... 39c
- Bluing, large bottle 16c Rice, 2-lb. box.... 23c
- PORK & BEANS, 6 cans for ..... 54c

**Fox-Thompson Grocery Co.**  
Crowell, Thalia, Truscott

**One at Night-- Next Day Bright**

**REXALL ORDILIES are an easy relief for constipation.**  
A never failing laxative. Gentle in action and absolutely sure.

They work naturally and form no habit.  
Safe for children as well as adults.

25c BOX OF 24 ORDILIES

**Ferguson Brothers**

Only druggists who are members of the Qualified Druggists League are authorized to use this Emblem.

VIVIAN (By Special Correspondent)

Misses Julia and Mabel Boren and James Boren of Spur returned to their home Sunday of last week, after spending several days with their grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Klepper of Los Angeles, Cal., W. A. Klepper and son, Orville, of Denton, spent from Thursday until Friday afternoon with their niece, Mrs. Allen Fish.

Mrs. M. H. Bishop and son, Eldridge, spent from Saturday until Wednesday of last week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. I. A. Foster, of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brewer left Thursday for Waco where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Tom Cox.

Joe and Effie McLaren were shopping in Paducah Saturday.

Mrs. Gandy, who was operated on for appendicitis one day last week at the Crowell sanitarium, was able to return to her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Raspberry and sons, J. B. and Garland, who have been visiting in Portales, N. M., returned home Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Raspberry's mother, Mrs. Reynolds, who will make her home here with them for awhile.

Mrs. Davis and children, who have been here visiting her sister, Mrs. Ike Everson, returned to their home in Goodlett Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Haskew and daughter, Maybelle, left Saturday for Hollis, Okla., where they will make a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Downing and small son, of Vernon, spent several days here last week visiting relatives.

Misses Martha Lou Whitley and Bonnie Boren were shopping in Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Master James Arthur McLaren of Abilene is here spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McLaren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Klepper, Mrs. T. B. Klepper and son, Billie, of Crowell spent Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and small daughter, Bert Matthews, and Miss Bernita Fish, who had been visiting in Quanah, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish and children spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper of Crowell.

Claud Torres of Childress spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Torres.

Mrs. G. W. Moore and sons of Paducah and daughter, Miss Aline, of Fort Worth, spent last Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McLaren.

Will Young of Houston is here spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Young.

T. L. Burnett of Iowa Park is here this week looking after his ranch.

Bert Matthews and G. W. Gallup spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carr of Thalia.

Herbert Fish who has been visiting in Vernon returned home Tuesday.

Jim Heaver left Monday afternoon for South Texas.

**DR. H. SCHINDLER**  
Dentist  
Bell Building  
Phone Number 82 2-rings

INTEREST IN OUR COMMUNITY

There is no community apart from those who compose it.

There is no community interest apart from the sum total of the individual interests of those who make up the community.

All too often nowadays the idea prevails among a large class that community interest should take precedence over individual interest and that, therefore, the community should control the individual both for its own good and his as well.

This is false doctrine. It is for each individual to work out his or her own destiny, and in doing so, build a stronger character and thus develop a stronger community through the strength of the people living in it. There is no way to reverse the process.

Let the community by force deprive the individual of his initiative, his ambition, the fruit of his labor, or the power to shape his own opinion, his own conduct, his faith, and you deprive him thereby of the power to build his character and to make himself.

This is not to make excellence possible, but to produce mediocrity. This does not enrich the community, but impoverishes it.

The weak, who are in the majority, are always ready to control and restrict the activities of the strong, who are in the minority.

The power to work out our own destiny is what we commonly term liberty. But even liberty has its limitations, and the misuse of this power has given rise to the conception that man-made government should control human conduct.

Recognition of the rights of others by the individual in shaping his own life is the essence of liberty and license means the individual has failed to attain self-discipline because of

ignorance, greed and selfishness.

Recognizing the interests of the community by all those who compose it is the only means of building up a strong and prosperous community, but the community should not go too far in attempting to deprive the individual of the freedom to work out his own salvation.

National pressure cookers.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.

**For 5 Per Cent**  
Federal Farm and Ranch Loans see or write J. C. Thompson, Sec.-Treas., Crowell N. F. L. A.

**ELECTRICAL REPAIRS**  
MOTORS, FANS  
HOUSE WIRING  
V. WALLACE

**General Insurance**  
FIRE, TORNADO and HAIL  
Buy and sell first lien notes on city property  
**City Loans Payable Monthly**  
SPENCER & ROBERTS  
Phone No. 283 Off. P. O. Bldg.

**SATURDAY SPECIALS**

- BORAX, 7 boxes ..... 26c
- No. 2 Can Cut Beans, 2 for ..... 25c
- Q Shell Macaroni, 2 for ..... 14c
- OHIO MATCHES, carton ..... 17c
- CABRO PEAS, No. 2 can ..... 14c
- CATSUP, Royal Red, 14½ oz. .... 15c

**Sanitay Market & Gro.**

**CURLEE CLOTHES**  
**HART, SCHAFNER & MARX CLOTHES**  
**STETSON AND LION HATS**  
**PERFECTO SHIRTS**  
**FLORSHEIM SHOES**  
**STAR BRAND SHOES**  
**HAWK BRAND OVERALLS**  
**Pool's 'Swetpruf' Pants and Shirts**  
**DERRICK WORK SHIRTS**

You can't beat them and we have them all in stock.

R. B. Edwards Co.

**WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS**

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

**Spearman**—Spearman is already looking toward entertainment of the Trans-Canadian District of the W. T. C. of C. early next fall.

**Lubbock**—Building permits of Lubbock for the year, 333 in number, amount thus far to \$1,885,598.

**Muleshoe**—A substantial reduction in water rates has been made here, giving the city the lowest rate on the Plains with one exception.

**Ruidoso, N. M.**—The third magnetic nail picker for the State Highway Department has been in service from here to Roswell recently.

**Booker**—The Booker News is at work on an article giving the history of this town and territory.

**Comanche**—The Comanche Chief has just edited a huge Development edition of sixty pages.

**Tatum, N. M.**—Tatum has a good opening for a modern hotel.

**Lueders**—The annual Lueders Baptist Encampment has opened with record attendance to continue until July 22.

**Memphis**—The Memphis Gold Medal Band won invaluable honors for its home city during its recent performance at Houston.

**Snyder**—Plans are shaping up rapidly for the third annual W. T. C. of C. motorcade to leave here August 6.

**Kerville's Blue Bonnet Hotel** has opened a 140-room three story addition to the original five story structure.

**Post**—Sheepmen north of Post are shearing their flocks with clips ranging from eight to ten pounds.

**Lometa**—The Lometa Reporter has been sold by R. E. Bradbury to Ross H. Johnson.

**Cleburne**—Activities of the local chamber of commerce reviewed by Secretary Patterson show a large number of worthy civic projects.

PLUMBING METAL WORK

Tanks-Pumps-Windmills

O. O. HOLLINGSWORTH

Licensed Plumber and Gas Fitter  
Phone 270 East Side Square

SPLINTERS

VOL. 1 July 20, 1928 No. 19

Published in the interest of the people of Crowell and vicinity by the Cicero Smith Lumber Co.  
R. J. ROBERTS, Manager.

Once there was a little town where everybody was a hooster. It is not a little town any more, but a big city, and it is pretty generally conceded that boosting helped to make it big. Let's try that recipe on Crowell for a few years.

Edward Huffman is having a modern home built on his property in the north east part of Crowell. Contractor L. I. Saunders has charge of the work.

E. B. McBurnett is back on the job after spending a few days with his parents in Brownfield.

Do not forget to call us when you need a carpenter's services. We will help you get one. Phone No. 107.

"Never put off till tomorrow what you can do today," was originated for the man who delays ordering his coal until cold weather comes. Specify DIAVALO COAL and get the best.

Should Have Asked What did you give your horse when he had the colic? Turpentine. (Next day) You told me you gave your horse turpentine when he had the colic. Yes. Well, I gave it to mine and he died. So did mine.

Cicero Smith Lbr. Co.  
"Home of Splinters"  
CROWELL, TEXAS  
Phone 107

**E. W. Murdock**  
Local Representative  
CONTINENTAL OIL CO. of Texas

Have you tried Ethyl Gas?

Office Exide Battery Station  
Office Phone 53  
Residence Phone 330

It is said that at least half of the world is engaged in farming, and the other half in living off of it.

MOTHERS

Watch for symptoms of worms in your children. These parasites are the great destroyers of child life. If you have reason to think your child has worms, act quickly. Give the little one a dose of two of White's Cream Vermifuge. Worms cannot exist where this time-tried and successful remedy is used. It drives out the worms and restores the rosy hue of health to baby cheeks. Price 35c. Sold by Ferguson Bros. and Reeder Drug Co.

TWO LINES OF DEVELOPMENT

The development of prosperous communities seems to be proceeding on two lines—encouraging establishment of payroll industries, and introducing more industrial education in the public schools. A practical object lesson, emphasizing these two lines, has become the fixed policy of Oakland, California.

Public school equipment for industrial vocational education where large numbers of boys are learning actual trades, is increasing in progressive communities.


Oakland has invested in three high schools equipped with electrical and cabinet shops, sheet metal, forging and motor vehicle repair machinery, where 15,000 pupils are getting industrial education.

Turning the thoughts of the growing male school population into channels of efficient industrial education, will make all cities more prosperous, reduce crime and encourage home building and contented family life.

Statistics show that there are 70,000 blacksmiths in this country. The day of the one-horse town is still far away.

If an automobile war looms, there will be many of us making an effort to keep our flivvers out of the trenches.

Political differences formerly caused much worry, but today it is the political indifference that is the curse of the country.



A Great Economy Sale

We buy right and sell you cheaper. More than 500 "M" Stores in operation in Texas—14 other States in the Union being rapidly covered by these stores, ALL UNDER ONE BUYING HEAD.

With this buying power we are able to make the following prices for our Saturday Specials:

SPUDS, per peck	33c
FLOUR, 48-lb. Sacks—	
Light Crust	\$2.10
Smith's Best	\$1.99
Bell of Crowell	\$1.84
LARD, 8-lb bucket	\$1.19
SMALL LARD	64c
HONEY, 10-lb bucket	\$1.27
BLACK SALT	39c
TOMATOES, No. 2	9c
CIGARETTES—	
Cheesterfields, carton	\$1.19
CAMELS, carton	\$1.19
PICKLES, 2 1/2 gallon barrel	\$1.38

Buy your Groceries here. You can buy FOR LESS

TO HOLDERS OF  
**Third Liberty Loan Bonds**

The Treasury offers a new 3 1/2 per cent 12-15 year Treasury bond in exchange for Third Liberty Loan Bonds.

The new bonds will bear interest from July 16, 1928. Interest on Third Liberty Loan Bonds surrendered for exchange will be paid in full to September 15, 1928.

Holders should consult their banks at once for further details of this offering.

Third Liberty Loan Bonds mature on September 15, 1928, and will cease to bear interest on that date.

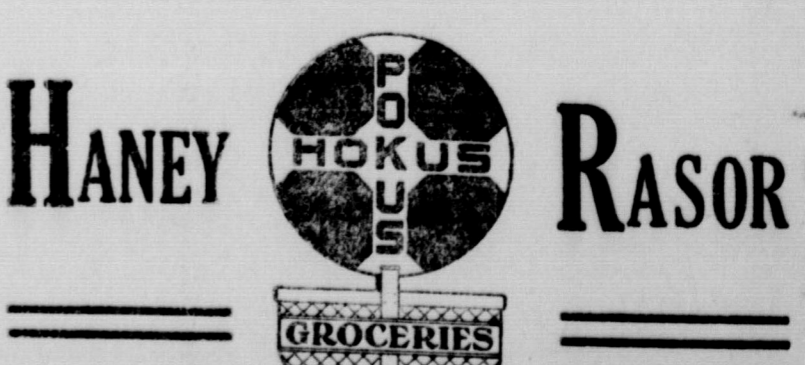
A. W. MELLON,  
Secretary of the Treasury.  
Washington, July 5, 1928.

ELECTION

The time will soon be here. We are candidates for your grocery business and feel sure we can save you money on your grocery needs. Come in Saturday and let us show you our attractive prices.

FLOUR, Light House, 48 lbs.	\$1.90
PRUNES, 2-lb. Boxes, 2 for	39c
BLACK BERRIES, No. 2 cans, 2 for	29c
P. & G. SOAP, 10 bars	39c
PEAS, No. 2 Artisian Brand, 2 for	31c
KRAUT, No. 2, 2 cans for	21c
GRAPES, No. 2 1/2 in Syrup, 2 for	33c
TEA, 1-lb can Tetley's	78c
COFFEE, 3 lbs. Sun Garden	\$1.52
CRACKERS, 15c Saltine, 2 for	21c
COLOROX, per bottle	19c

We will have everything the market affords in vegetables  
**Saturday, July 21st**



FEED, SEED and COAL

We want a part of your business in our line. We will handle a full line of feed, seed and coal and will sell you at right prices at all times. Give us your order.

J. H. OLDS      Phone 152

J. R. Beverly

Conveyancing, Abstracts  
and 6 per ct. Land Loans  
CROWELL, TEXAS