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Short Crops Are In Evidence All Over the Country

As to crops in this portion of the State they are very short and there is no use in trying to get around the fact. But Foard County is not by itself. A few days ago the writer made a trip as far as Wichita Falls and all the way he saw the same sorry cotton as is to be seen in this section. In reality the best cotton to be found between here and that place is right here in Foard County. We are told by those who have gone west that as far as Paducah cotton is very sorry. On the Plains it is better but the worms have been working on it and less than a normal crop is expected. Feed, of course, in that section is said to be pretty good.

Let no one think that Foard County is the only one hard hit. But since we have come out of years as bad and even worse than the present one, we feel that we can do it again. We feel sure that conditions will change for the better this fall when the rains come, as we believe they will.

It is too early to make a guess at the cotton crop of this county. Some have made estimates of a fourth of a crop. It might turn out better than that. For the last several years we have underestimated the crop and we may be doing it again. A few rains can work wonders in a very short while in this country, and should we get those expected equinoctial rains now in a few days there is no telling what would happen to bring the cotton out.

Negro Quarters Damaged by Fire

The fire department answered a call Monday about 2 o'clock to fight the flames about to destroy the garage at Sam Crews' place. A fire had started in the room on the east of the garage occupied by negroes. No one was in the building at the time and it is thought they had gone away leaving an oil stove burning, which must have exploded. Seeing an electric iron sitting on a table in the center of the building gives rise to the belief also that they may have left the current on, which caused the iron to ignite some cloth near by. Anyway the fire originated inside the room occupied by the negroes, but the building was saved as soon as the fire department got into action.

HOOVER GOOD MATERIAL

Should it develop that Texas will be found in the Republican column this November, and we frankly consider it one of the possibilities, having only a limited outlook on the situation by which to judge—should it come to pass that Texas in the year of 1928 should go into the Republican column, nationally speaking, it could come at no better time than now, for Hoover is an administrator himself of no mean capability. He is, indeed, so good that many of the best Republicans hate him cordially, a good recommendation from the Democratic viewpoint.

Hoover's stand on the prohibition question is wrong, of course, for to commend the manner in which the Republicans have handled the enforcement measures in the past ten years is to commend an outrage on the public. He will have to take a different track before he shall have been president very long. He will have to ditch a lot of material that has been carried along from the Harding administration, and he will also have to meet some criticisms. But Hoover is outstanding enough that he can overcome these things. So, we think if Texas is bent on helping to elect a Republican president to show their dislike for Al Smith, it is fortunate that Hoover is the candidate of the opponents.—Floydada Hesperian.

STARTING PRETTY WELL

We have not a report from the different gins in the county, but Ed Taylor, who weighs at Margaret was in town Monday and stated that he weighed 26 bales. This is not good for the first week. He is estimating that he will weigh practically half as much as he did last season.

Foard County Man Finds Swarm of Bees

One morning recently E. W. Burrow was surprised to find a swarm of bees settled on a mesquite limb near his house. He had started to pass through a gate when the black bulk about the size of a half gallon bucket attracted his attention and on examination he found it to be a cluster of Italian bees.

He made a box for the bees and sawed the limb off and put it under the box where the bees were shaken off the limb. They took up their new quarters in the box and are now contented he says and are working nicely. Mr. Burrow is feeding them, since there is not much vegetation for them to gather food from and he thinks they are going to do all right. He is going to do his best to keep them and see what they will do.

There are very few bees in this western country and there is no telling how far that swarm traveled before settling. He says they are very easy to handle and do not sting.

Return from Week's Visit to Find Many Chickens Are Gone

When J. W. Cannon and wife returned to their home 4 miles from Crowell on the Margaret road after a week's visit in Dallas they found fifty or sixty of their Rhode Island chickens gone. They got back Sunday and the man whom they had left in charge of the place, Bob Vines, was gone and the bigger portion of their flock of chickens. Vines is reported to have left Wednesday before the Cannons returned Sunday. Cannon went to the depot to ascertain whether or not there had been any shipments made during the week but found that there had not been. He also made inquiry among the local dealers but found nothing that would furnish a clue.

He said his wife has about a dozen turkeys and plans to have them marked so that it will be harder for Mr. Thief to get away with them than with the chickens.

Trophy for Leading Football Player C.H.S.

A very attractive trophy is to be given the most valuable football player of Crowell High School this year by Irving Fisch, who from now on will present a trophy annually to the leading football player of Crowell High. A special committee of local football fans will make the selection of the boy to receive the award.

The trophy this year is a miniature silver statue representing "Triumph" with a picture of a football player in silver by its side. The trophy is on display in the window of The Famous.

SENIOR CLASS MEETS

The seniors of twenty-eight met in the auditorium of the school building on September 17th for the purpose of organizing their class.

Miss Autie Anthony was elected sponsor and the following officers were also elected:

Vance Swaim, president; Moody Bursley, vice president; Elizabeth Kincaid, secretary and treasurer; Grace Russell, reporter; Weldon Cogdell, sergeant at arms; Opal Barry, Eva Todd and Zell Saunders, social committee.—Reporter.

Marriage License Issued Recently

August 30, Chas. Jurek to Rosie Micola; September 1, Howard Dunn to Zoda Howell; September 8, Mortan Keesee to Lendon Hudgins; September 15, Robert Berg to Laval E. Jones.

LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS

W. J. Long of Thalia shipped 12 cars of cattle to Post Sunday to be grazed there.

J. W. Bell shipped a car of cattle to the markets at Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins of near Thalia underwent a serious operation at the sanitarium Saturday morning. Dr. Hines Clark and Dr. McDaniel of Quanah performed the operation, assisted by Dr. Mildred V. Hanna. Mrs. Emma Howard of Quanah is nursing Mrs. Adkins and she is reported to be getting along well.

Jury List for September Term District Court

The following names of men summoned for grand jury service are to meet at the court house next Monday morning, September 24, at 10 o'clock a. m.:

J. H. Ayers, H. W. Banister, A. W. Barker, J. F. Belew, G. J. Beahan, J. R. Beverly, Fred Brown, Tom Bursley, John Walling, S. B. Middlebrook, F. H. Crews, A. Weatherall, J. E. Young, T. M. Haney, John Marr, H. E. Ferguson.

Petit Jury First Week

The following have been summoned to meet at the court house Wednesday, Sept. 26, to serve on the petit jury:

Jim Christian, C. E. Haynes, Guy Housouer, Hubert Brown, T. T. Go-lightly, W. B. Blevins, Buck Clark, B. F. Hogan, J. L. Kinchloe, D. B. Jones, Gordon Gribble, J. W. Jonas, W. R. Hudgins, Earl Gee, N. J. Roberts, J. S. Jobe, W. C. Gardner, W. O. Fish, J. W. Curtis, A. L. Davis, Ben Easley, F. B. Flesher, E. M. Gumble, M. A. Huckabee, L. Kempf, Frank Halenack, T. R. Cates, J. P. Diggs, W. B. Griffin, C. C. Joy, J. N. Keesee, R. D. Fox, J. A. Hough, C. A. Bowley, W. A. Dunn, C. F. Hunter.

Petit Jury Second Week

These have been summoned to meet at court house, on Monday, October 1st, to serve as jurymen:

E. G. Grimley, J. P. Fowler, Ben Bradford, A. G. Ketchersid, John R. Carter, Roy Everson, P. H. Ford, J. M. Hendrix, J. B. Gandy, H. W. Gray, C. E. Dunn, G. L. Hinds, Ben Greening, Jim Hammonds, H. K. Edwards, J. E. Blakemore, F. C. Brooks, M. F. Crowell, W. R. Ferguson, L. N. Hairston, J. W. Brewer, A. J. Francis, A. P. Barry, D. C. Greer, E. M. Key, F. L. Farrar, A. T. Beazley, O. E. Connell, Paul Bishop, Tom Callaway, R. F. Derrington, T. H. Bradshaw, Troy Erwin, J. T. Daniels.

Corsicana Minister Is Stricken After Fire

Corsicana, Sept. 17.—Rev. Paul J. Merrill, pastor of the First Christian Church here, was stricken with a heart attack today when he rushed home after being informed the house was afire. He was taken unconscious to the Corsicana hospital and clinic, but soon rallied and his condition is not considered serious now.

The parsonage was damaged and nearly all the contents were lost.

Damage was estimated at about \$5,000. No one was at home when the blaze originated and passersby turned in the alarm.

Only a few weeks ago Rev. Merrill and his wife were here conducting a series of services at the Christian church. Their friends here will regret to learn of their loss.

Truscott Man Here for Cotton Pickers

D. P. Pitts, a farmer living four miles west of Truscott, was in Crowell Monday hunting for cotton pickers. He said he had 200 acres of cotton some of which would make half a bale to the acre and that he had 12 bales now ready to pick. His sole mission here was to get men to help gather his crop. He said he had been to East Texas for help and thought he had it, but the help failed to appear, and so he was making a local search for help.

Mr. Pitts also stated that cotton was better in the Truscott territory than it is in Foard County and seemed to think there would be quite a demand for help. The farmers are paying down there \$1.25 for picking and 75 cents for pulling, the pickers to board themselves.

The News is advised by Mack Boswell, secretary of the chamber of commerce, that that organization will render free service both to the employer and employe in the placing of help where it may be needed.

George W. Johnson came down from Canyon Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Banister and her daughter, Miss Nora, and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Roark's little girl, Jo, all of whom had been visiting in the Johnson family. Mr. Johnson went to Electric Monday to attend to some business before returning home.

Contract Let for Grade Work on 26 Miles of Highway

The State Highway Commission, in session at Austin Monday, did some business effecting Foard County when it let two contracts for grading and grading structures on 26 miles of Lee Highway.

Sixteen miles of this road is from Crowell east to the Wilbarger County line and was let to T. H. McClellan of Wichita Falls, \$39,690, and ten miles of grading and drainage structures on Lee Highway from Crowell west to the Good Creek road, to E. R. Bryant, \$49,387, a total of \$89,077 for the 26 miles.

This includes the major portion of Lee Highway through the county. There are approximately 40 miles to be constructed through the county from the Wilbarger County line to the Cottle County line.

The thing that interests the people of Foard County at the present time is the time when grading and drainage structures will be started. A certain amount of time is allowed for the contractors to assemble their machinery for the work and then the time of completion is 125 and 100 days east and west, respectively. It looks like pretty good progress is now being made and we are hopeful that it will not be long until actual work will start.

It will mean the expenditure of a nice sum of money, the bigger portion of which will be spent in Foard County and it will go far towards helping to relieve the situation caused by a short crop.

We understand that there is nothing to hinder the work. Some of the right-of-way will have to be condemned but we are told that this will not hinder the work.

COUNTY FEDERATION PICNIC

On Wednesday, September 12, the Community Club was hostess to the County Federation at an all-day picnic on Beaver creek. It was an ideal meeting place and the attractive placing of seats, cold drinks, lunch tables and other attractions under the immense trees made of this a most charming setting for the very helpful and enjoyable program of the day.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Mark Henry. After a song program, the president spoke in a very inspiring way of the plans for the year. The federation voted to sponsor a series of art lectures by Mrs. Douglas. It was also voted that the County Federation join the State Federation and Mrs. John Ray was elected delegate and Mrs. Roy Steele alternate to the State Federation of Women's Clubs convention at Denton.

Following the business session Mrs. Kincaid gave a very definite and colorful report of the Biennial Convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at San Antonio. She especially spoke of the wonderful work being done by the home department of the federation. Then of the value and help the county home demonstration agent will be to the women and girls of Foard County, citing the improvement in the homes of the counties having such assistance. Mrs. John Ray then told of the Wilbarger and other counties district federation work, then more particularly of the Wilbarger County federation. Her words were inspiring to mothers and homemakers.

Following the morning session a most delicious picnic lunch was served to forty-four guests. After lunch the federation assembled for another session. At this time the guests were delighted with colorful descriptions of trips taken by some of the members during the summer. Mrs. Russell Beverly gave a very entertaining description of Yellowstone National Park. Mrs. Sam Bell an instructive account of her tour of the western states including Washington, Oregon and California. Then Mrs. John Ray in her charming style told of her trip through Oklahoma, especially speaking of the beauty of the homes, both town and country, and of the highways. Her route she described as one of zinnias and cannas.

The County Federation is a splendid organization for the women of the county. Each club not already a member is urged to join or if no club in your community individuals are cordially invited. It meets every two months. Watch the paper for announcements.—Contributed.

Crowell Lost First Game to Chillicothe

Crowell High School football team had their first practice game of the season last Friday at Chillicothe, with Chillicothe nosing them out by one touchdown. The teams were about equally matched as the scores indicate. Chillicothe showed up better on passes, and it was by that route that they made a touchdown from Crowell's forty yard line in the last three minutes of play. At one stage of the game Crowell had the ball on Chillicothe's seven yard line and three downs to make a touchdown in, but failed as Crowell was penalized fifteen yards for pushing. These same two teams play here Oct. 5 for the first conference game of the season and a good game is assured.

Crowell plays Quanah here next Friday, September 28, and as Quanah is a class A team the home boys will need your support.

The large placards announcing Crowell High School's football schedule, and also containing most of the business firms ads will be off the press by Monday. It is a credit indeed for the business men to give the football boys a lift like this when the times are not any too good as they are at present. The club was forced to buy \$275 worth of equipment this year, but with this aid that the Crowell firms have given them they think they can pay for the equipment without any trouble. The boys and the coaches appreciate the help as they have been working hard to put out a winning team. As one business man said "there is not anything that will boost a town more than a good football team."

Pioneer of This County Sends Fruit to Old Friends Here

When J. R. Allee was in Perryton last week he became acquainted with A. F. Carter, a pioneer settler of this county, who lived on the old Stoker place 37 years ago, who asked about old friends here. He asked particularly about R. P. Womack and J. R. Gamble, and when Mr. Allee got ready to return home Mr. Carter sent some fruit from his fine orchard on his two-section farm near Perryton. Mr. Allee says he is one of the most prosperous farmers in that section of the country. In 1886 Mr. Carter filed on and proved up on a section of land near the mouth of Good Creek.

Land for Park Surveyed Wednesday

Through the voluntary services of J. C. Thompson, county surveyor, assisted by Russell Beverly, Bert Self and Mack Boswell, of Crowell; and Joe Orr and Gray Owens of Margaret, Wednesday afternoon was spent in surveying the site of the Cynthia Ann Parker battleground, in order that proper instruments may be drawn up from the survey, and submitted to the State Legislature for a State Park. It is hoped that the State will take over and maintain this famous historical spot in a beautiful park.

The site is ideal for park purposes, including groves of trees and sufficient level land. Russell Beverly has volunteered to execute proper instruments in securing a deed on the land to be placed in escrow until the land is acquired. The exact number of acres required has not yet been determined, however, it will likely be between 50 and 60 acres.

Request Reduced Rate on Feed Stuff Shipped to Foard

The local chamber of commerce has written the Texas Railroad Commission requesting that a reduced freight rate be granted on feed stuff shipped in on which to make next year's crop. One of the biggest items of shipping feed is the amount of freight that must be paid and prospects are that there will be very little feed stuff raised in the county this year.

Other cities of this section are also taking this matter up with the Texas Railroad Commission. Counties that will have to ship in feed in this section are Hardeman, Childress, Cottle, Baylor, Haskell, Knox, Wilbarger and Foard.

Meeting Held at Battle Ground of Comanche Indians

A meeting for the purpose of inspecting land to be submitted for a State Park was held Tuesday afternoon on the Cynthia Ann Parker battleground, ten miles northeast of Crowell on John Wesley's place. The meeting was attended by committees from the Crowell and Vernon chambers of commerce with the following present: H. E. Ferguson, B. W. Self, J. W. Beverly, Mack Boswell, of Crowell; Mrs. Bertha Ross, R. L. Castlebury, J. E. Lutz and S. W. Bailey of Vernon; John Wesley, George Wesley and Joe Orr of Margaret.

After an inspection of the site, John Wesley submitted the proposition on which he would sell the land, stating that it would be sold for park purposes only and that he had recently refused to sell the land for any other purpose. His proposition was favorably received and after approximate bounds for the site had been decided upon, other work in connection with securing a State Park were discussed. The Crowell committee was asked to secure proper contracts on the land to be held in escrow until proper action upon its acquisition had been taken by the State or other sources. The secretary was asked to keep in touch with proper State Park authorities on the matter.

Dumont Man Gets His Truck Burned

W. L. Mathis of Dumont, Texas, happened to the misfortune of getting his Ford truck and a large portion of the contents destroyed by fire about half a mile east of town Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

He had been to East Texas and was making his way back to Texas. In some manner the truck was set on fire as it was moving and was not noticed until some one who was passing called his attention to it.

The fire department at Crowell was called and rushed to the scene as soon as possible, but much damage had already been done. The truck was loaded with canned fruits of various kinds, and household goods. Only a small portion of the valuables was saved and the car would have been entirely destroyed had it not been for the fire truck. Among the valuables destroyed was a new sewing machine.

It would be hard to estimate the loss. Possibly it would run up into the hundreds of dollars.

It is thought that the fire originated from the exhaust pipe of the motor, igniting bed clothes.

The bed of the truck was burned off and the tires of the rear wheels, but it is thought it can be repaired and put into service again.

Tagging Cars Helps Regulate Traffic

According to City Marshal R. J. Thomas tagging cars when it becomes necessary is working pretty well. And it becomes necessary to tag a car once in a while because somebody is either going to forget or wilfully violate traffic and parking regulations. "Yes, it is working all right," says the city marshal, "but I do not have to tag the same car the second time. Have not had to tag many at all and it seems that the public is coming to realize that we must have these regulations enforced and I think they are going to help do it."

It is very noticeable now that there is less jam and double parking than formerly. Mr. Thomas found it very hard to get people to observe regulations just by speaking to them about it, but the little green tag has a pretty strong message and is usually heard.

17 Children in a Mexican Family

An item of interest given the News by Dr. J. M. Hill is that Mexican John and his wife have recently had a new comer into their home, which brings the number of children up to 17.

We speak of the Mexican as "John" because everybody knows him by that name. His real name is Trinidad Leja. John is 50 years of age and Mrs. John is 44.

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(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. W. W. Nichols, and Mrs. John Nichols who is teaching at Ayersville, went to Burk Burnett Friday afternoon to visit their son and husband who is working there. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Patton of Crowell and Grandma Neely of Chillicothe spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Address.

Mrs. G. W. McKown spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Grover Cole, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gafford and daughters, Mary and Ivie Ruth of Jameson and Grandma Gafford spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. McKown.

Mrs. Mollie Free and children of Gambleville spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Free.

Oilton Jones went to Knox City Sunday, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and Mrs. Louie Henderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley of Thalia.

William Address spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ray Jonas of Gambleville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jonas of Crowell visited their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Hall, Sunday.

Ed Address and son, William, went

to Paducah on business last Thursday.

Mrs. H. K. Mitchell and Miss Idura White and the little baby of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nichols were all on the sick list last week.

Mrs. J. T. Free and Mrs. J. A. Smith spent last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ed Address.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Address went to Wichita Falls Tuesday returning Wednesday.

MARGARET

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Sadie Bradford returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Oklahoma. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. Clint Arnwine, of Electra and a granddaughter, Mrs. Walter Kernaghan, and husband of Tuttle, Okla.

Mrs. Pearl Cowart and family have gone to Oklahoma to pick cotton.

J. H. Jones of Roanoke spent one night last week in the W. T. Blevins home.

Mrs. H. C. Orr has been real sick for a few days.

Mrs. B. M. Bright and children of Quannah visited from Friday till Sunday with the Murphys.

Grandma Ayers took real sick Saturday night and Dr. Clark of Crowell was called out to see her Sunday morning, but at this writing she is much better.

I. W. Middlebrook took his daughter, Mrs. Ibbie Mabra, to Vernon Monday. She is going to Decatur to enter D. B. C.

O. E. Haselaff and family went to Lockett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab Dunn and Mrs. Fannie Bond visited relatives near Electra Sunday.

S. J. Boman went to Fort Worth Sunday returning that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Owens and Mrs. Jim Owens visited in Paducah Sunday.

S. J. Boman and Dr. Wrenn made a business trip to Vernon Tuesday.

Miss Edith Graham left Wednesday for Austin to enter school.

Miss Minnie Ola Nash of Crowell spent the week end with Miss Edith Graham.

Ed Murphy came in Monday from Dallas.

Luke Bledsoe has moved his family to Memphis, Texas, to pick cotton.

The missionary ladies of this place will meet next Monday in Thalia with the ladies of that place and on Thursday the zone meeting of the missionaries will be held in Thalia.

Several from Vernon, Crowell and Quannah met Tuesday with a state representative on Mr. Wesley's place to select a place for a state park.

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. Reed of Vernon preached at the Baptist church here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. J. L. Lockhart of Lubbock visited with Mrs. J. R. Morris here Friday of last week.

Martin Keezee and wife of Talpage visited W. C. Gardener and family here last week-end and attended church services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gamble, Mrs. T. J. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neill, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, Eric Wheeler and family, Mrs. G. A. Neill, Tom Wayland and wife, Royce Cato, Lynn Fox and Misses Louise Stovall, Katherine Wheeler and Lorene Shultz attended a birthday party at Rev. Reed's near Vernon Tuesday night. The party was given in honor of Bro. Reed's birthday and the members of the Baptist church here pounded him.

Alton Harbin and family of Wichita Falls are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Nash and daughter, Miss Minnie Ola, of Quannah visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sims, here last week-end.

Vernon visitors from here Saturday were: W. F. Wood and family, Mrs. E. H. Roberts, Eric Wheeler, Mattie and Lillian Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dunn, W. C. Gardener, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pharr, Jim Dunn and family, H. W. Gray and Mesdames Vennie Edens, Truett Neill, C. C. Lindsey and C. H. Wood.

Misses Corine Haney and Marguerite Morris left Thursday for Denton. Corine will attend C. I. A. and Marguerite will attend the North Texas Teachers College. They were accompanied by T. M. Haney and Mrs. Leta Raser of Crowell who returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roberts of Vernon visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Jennie Lee Roberts left Tuesday morning for Decatur to attend college. Also Arda Long left Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Gardener and children are visiting relatives in Chillicothe this week while Mr. Gardener is gone to the Plains.

Mrs. M. C. Adkins underwent a serious operation at the Crowell sanitarium Saturday morning. She is doing nicely now.

Misses Jessie Taylor, Lillian Reid and Olive Carter left Sunday night to attend college at Commerce.

G. W. Seales and family visited in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Members of the B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a sunrise breakfast on Beaver Creek Saturday morning.

Walter Johnson, H. W. Gray, Lee Mason, A. B. Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seales, Mrs. Joe Huntley and Misses Shirley Short and Minnie

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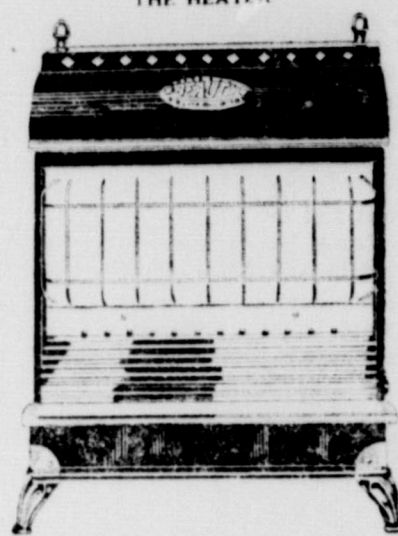
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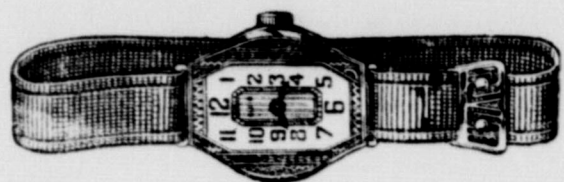


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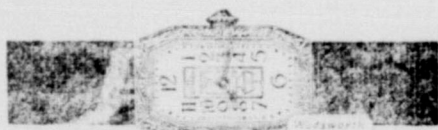
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\$24.00 value, now	-----	\$18.00
\$18.00 value, now	-----	14.00
\$34.00 value, now	-----	24.00
\$16.00 value, now	-----	12.00
Gents Bracelet Watches		
\$22.50 value, now	-----	\$15.00
\$16.50	-----	11.00
Pocket Watches		
17-jewel S. Bend, \$25.00 value, now	-----	\$20.00
15-jewel Elgin, \$25.00 value, now	-----	\$20.00
17-jewel Stream line, \$10.00 value, now	-----	30.00
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\$22.00 value, now	-----	15.00
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Wood were Crowell visitors Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Phillips, Mrs. Ben Hogan and Mrs. J. Y. Lindsey were shopping in Vernon Tuesday.

Mrs. C. C. Wisdom visited Mrs. M. C. Adkins at the Crowell sanitarium Tuesday afternoon.

The infant son of A. C. Phillips is seriously ill at the home of Fred Rennels in Crowell.

Miss Mattye Russell visited home-folks in Crowell last week-end.

W. J. Long shipped his cattle to Post Monday where he has secured pasturage.

Mesdames J. R. Flesher and T. D. Roberts of Crowell were Thalia visitors one day last week.

VIVIAN

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert and children and Miss Dollie Fish returned home Friday after spending sev-

eral days with relatives in other places.

Mrs. Henry Bigg and children, who have been visiting relatives in Cumby, Texas, returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Matthews and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carr of Thalia.

Miss Rosalie Fish, who is attending

school at Crowell, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Bro. C. V. Allen of Crowell filled his regular appointment at Vivian Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reeves entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

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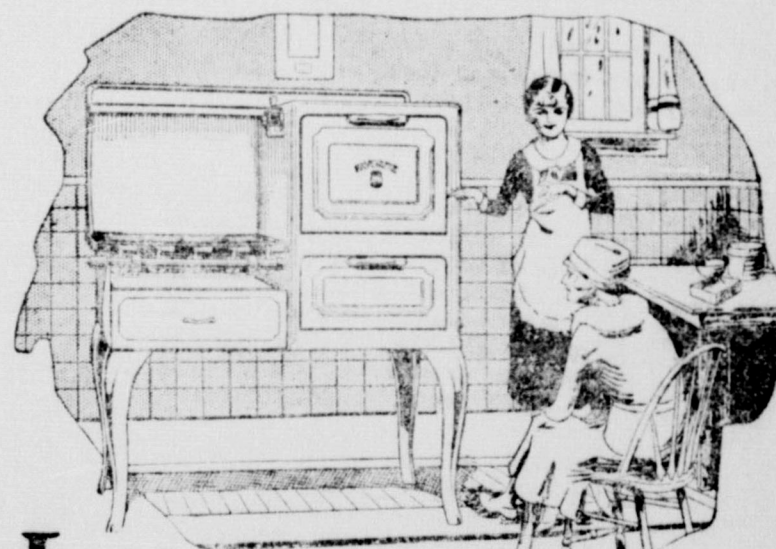
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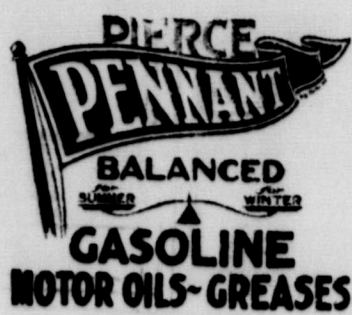
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The book on table etiquette doesn't explain why the fellow who pounds on the table gets served first.

Try Fergeson's Pills for liver ills.

Many a man has decided that when his wife can read him like a book, it is time to turn over a new leaf.

While it takes all kinds of people to make a world, some kinds seem to be entirely too many.

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Most everyone finds it necessary just now to economize just as much as possible in the buying of groceries, yet at the same time not sacrifice quality for price. To save with safety is to buy good wholesome groceries at the minimum price. That's what we give you for your money. Here are a few specials for Saturday:

- P. & G., 20 bars 78c
- Navy Beans, good kind, 10 lbs 88c
- Sweet Potatoes, large can, 4 for 53c
- Peaches, 2 1/2 Del Monte, can.... 24c
- Vienna Sausage, 3 cans..... 25c
- Post Bran, per box 12c
- Cakes, 6 5c boxes for 25c
- Blackberries, per gallon 59c

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RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Large crowds are attending the revival meeting at the Baptist church. Rev. Hulen Coffman, State evangelist, is doing the preaching, and T. T. Beazley of Parsley Hill is song leader. Everyone is invited.

Dr. Pressley of Vernon was called to see Mrs. Irvin Edwards Sunday night, who was critically ill. She is slowly improving.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Younger of Canyon spent the week visiting their son, Prof. Ira V. Younger and wife. They all visited at Bowie Saturday and Sunday.

The Farmers Co-Operative gin had ginned 52 bales up until Tuesday morning.

A. T. Beazley, B. P. Abston, R. M. Gregg, H. D. Lawson and T. T. Beazley attended the ball game between Wichita Falls and Houston at Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Austin and children and Earl Casey left Monday for Clouderoft, N. M., to visit her brother, Marion Casey, and son.

Rev. Smith of Elliott preached at the Baptist church Saturday night. Visitors who attended the service were Frank Lockett and Rev. Frank McNair of Lockett, and Walter Shultz of Vernon.

Dr. R. D. German went to Wichita Falls for medical treatment Wednesday.

E. W. Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gregg and Jesse Gregg went to the Plains Thursday to visit among friends and relatives at Slaton and Post. Jesse Gregg expects to stay there, the others returned home Sunday evening.

J. C. Davis made a business trip to Crowell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Edwards spent Sunday with A. C. Crisp and wife.

Misses Jeanette Davis, Ruth Claybrook and Messrs. Rex and Tommie Savage of Iowa Park spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards.

G. T. German and Pete Gobin went to Quannah Sunday to get Rev. Hulen Coffman, who began a revival meeting at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Cap Tuggle erected a dwelling house in Rayland this week.

T. J. Conrod is remodeling his building in Rayland. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moore have rented it and expect to open up an up-to-date cafe soon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Crisp of Post came Thursday for several days visit among relatives here. They were accompanied by Miss Eula Mae Gregg, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Grassland for the past five weeks.

C. C. Austin purchased a new Ford touring car Saturday.

Mrs. Dora Gregg went to Wichita Falls for medical treatment Wednesday. She returned home Saturday.

Herman Funk and family of Vernon spent Sunday with W. C. Funk and family.

Mrs. Frank Edwards and children of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with B. P. Abston and family.

Jim Jordan and family left Wednesday for their home at San Marcus after two weeks visit among relatives.

WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Sam Leak of Vernon spent from Wednesday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Owen McLarty.

Hugh Jones and wife of Crowell spent Saturday night with his parents, Hiram Jones and wife.

Sam Jobe moved to Thalia last week.

Miss Lillian Moore is staying with Mrs. J. D. Jobe at Vernon and attending school.

Mrs. Tom Russell and Mrs. Maggie French of Crowell visited their sister, Mrs. Owen McLarty, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Crisp left Wednesday for Bay City after three weeks visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins, Owen McLarty and family attended the Baptist revival meeting at Rayland Monday night.

J. C. Davis made a business trip to Crowell Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. Young went to Vernon Monday for medical treatment.

Mr. Elland taught a ten nights singing school at West Rayland closing Friday night. A large crowd attended each night.

Arnold Young made a business trip to Anton Thursday, returning Saturday night. He was accompanied by Tandy Belew of Lockett.


Fred Belew made a business trip to Levelland Thursday. He returned Sunday accompanied by Albert Cooper.

Herbert McKinley returned last week from Gainesville where he has been visiting for the past three weeks.


Mrs. Elmer Key and children of Crowell attended the singing school at West Rayland Friday night.

Ralph Gregg and Miss Eula Mae Gregg went to Wichita Falls Saturday after his wife who had been in the hospital there since Wednesday for treatment.

Back Clark and family spent Sunday with Ernest Coats and family of Thalia.



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Bill Coffman of Idalou came Monday for an extended visit with relatives here.

Bill Short and wife of Crowell and Misses Shirley and Winnie Short of Thalia spent Sunday with Joe Huntley and family.

J. D. Long of Vernon and Miss Marie Clark visited Mrs. Long of Burk Burnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins attended the ball game at Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Albert Jones and family moved to Thalia Friday.

Miss Marie Clark spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Zacek took Mrs. Smith to her home at Munday Sunday. Mrs. Smith has been visiting them for several days.

AN ENGINEERING FEAT

The National Park Service, of the Department of the Interior, announces that reports from the field are to the effect that the spectacular mile-long tunnel which is being blasted through the sandstone walls of Zion Canyon, in Utah, is nearing completion.

The contractors are advancing this tunnel at the rate of 37 feet per day. It is now about 80 per cent completed and is expected to be finished in another month.

This tunnel is a part of the Zion-Mt. Carmel Highway, which the United States Bureau of Public Roads is building for the National Park Service. A mile of this tunneling through solid sandstone seems like a difficult undertaking, but when it is finished it will be followed by further work of the same sort of this same highway which in the end will bring this kind of construction up to about five miles. In addition to the boring of the tunnels, galleries are opened up every 1,000 feet or so which make it possible for travelers on this highway to look out into the canyon which is one of the choicest bits of scenery in the West.

GENERAL MOTORS' HEAD FOR HERBERT HOOVER

New York, Sept. 3.—Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors corporation, came out for Herbert Hoover and prohibition today in a whole-hearted statement endorsing the Republican record.

Sloan's statement, carefully emphasized as an individual position, set the big-business political weather vane to twirling more merrily than ever in view of the fact that the two other most important General Motors executives had previously bolted to Gov. Alfred E. Smith.

In his statement, Sloan faces in an opposite direction from John J. Raskob, who resigned as chairman of General Motors finance committee to assume charge of Smith's campaign. He also disagrees with Pierre du Pont, who offered to resign as chairman of the General Motors board of directors that he might support Smith.

Disagreeing with his former confederates on the effect of prohibition, Sloan says it has already been beneficial, has increased national efficiency and purchasing power, and given the United States an advantage in competition with foreign trade.

A school farming course is being offered by mail. The first lesson should be "How to borrow money."

A government job is a building that has become a landmark by the time it is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burns and two children of Munday spent Sunday in Crowell visiting Mrs. Burns' mother, Mrs. N. A. Crowell.

J. T. Gorrell and wife of Ranger spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gorrell.

See Remington portables at News.

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- Barbecue Sauce 25c
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Crowell, Texas, September 21, 1928

The Graham Leader comes out with a 36-page Young County Fair Edition. It's a dandy—plumb full of matter of interest to every reader. One of the noticeable features is that many of the articles are contributed, especially those dealing with the history of Young County. That gives us an idea. When we start a special edition we are going to enlist the help of old timers in the country and have them write articles in their own way. That will give variety of style and besides it will be the most authentic matter that can be had. We congratulate the Leader upon its fine Fair Edition. It will be worth much to Young County.

We had hoped that the hurricane that swept the West Indies and Florida recently would give us some damp weather but it changed its course and passed up the Atlantic. We shall have to wait for another that will take a western course. It looks like it has come to the point where we can't depend upon the moon. It has failed us several times within the past few months, although we have had a "wet" moon a time or two. We know this because to some sign readers the moon is "wet" when

it is on its point, as it is at the present time. To others it is "wet" when it lies on its back, as it did a short time ago. So it has failed and we can't rely upon it. It is not too late for a big storm yet to bring that disturbance which we must have before we get much rain.

About the only thing one can become enthused over now is the presidential campaign and there are so many uncertainties about it that we find our enthusiasm weakened some times. One might as well prepare himself for anything out of the ordinary. We should not be surprised that Florida goes Republican and Pennsylvania Democratic. And, by the way, we are almost certain that the women are the cause of it.

Nearly everybody is going to vote in the national campaign just about as he wants to. That is especially true with the man who does his own thinking. Of course some will be voted under the lash like others want them to vote, but taking it as a rule people will vote as they please. Some will not feel themselves bound by a pledge and will not identify themselves with the regulars. They have that right. Others will vote the ticket straight and charge infidelity to those who do not. They vote it because they want to, and that is their privilege. No one should deny them that right. If the day has not come when the bosses conduct themselves in a manner unworthy of the confidence of the masses it is getting uncomfortable near, judging from expressions of independence among the people.

ON THE FARM

By the County Agent

Cows, Chickens and Pigs Pay

Cows, chickens and pigs will pay on the average farm is the belief and experience of Carl Zeibig, who lives two miles north of Crowell. Mr. Zeibig is milking five cows now and although the pasture is very poor and feed high, he is selling enough cream each week to feed his cows and very nearly pay for his groceries. What the cows lack in paying the grocery bill, the White Leghorns take care of. Over 100 hens are kept on the Zeibig farm and they do their part toward taking care of the general farm expenses.

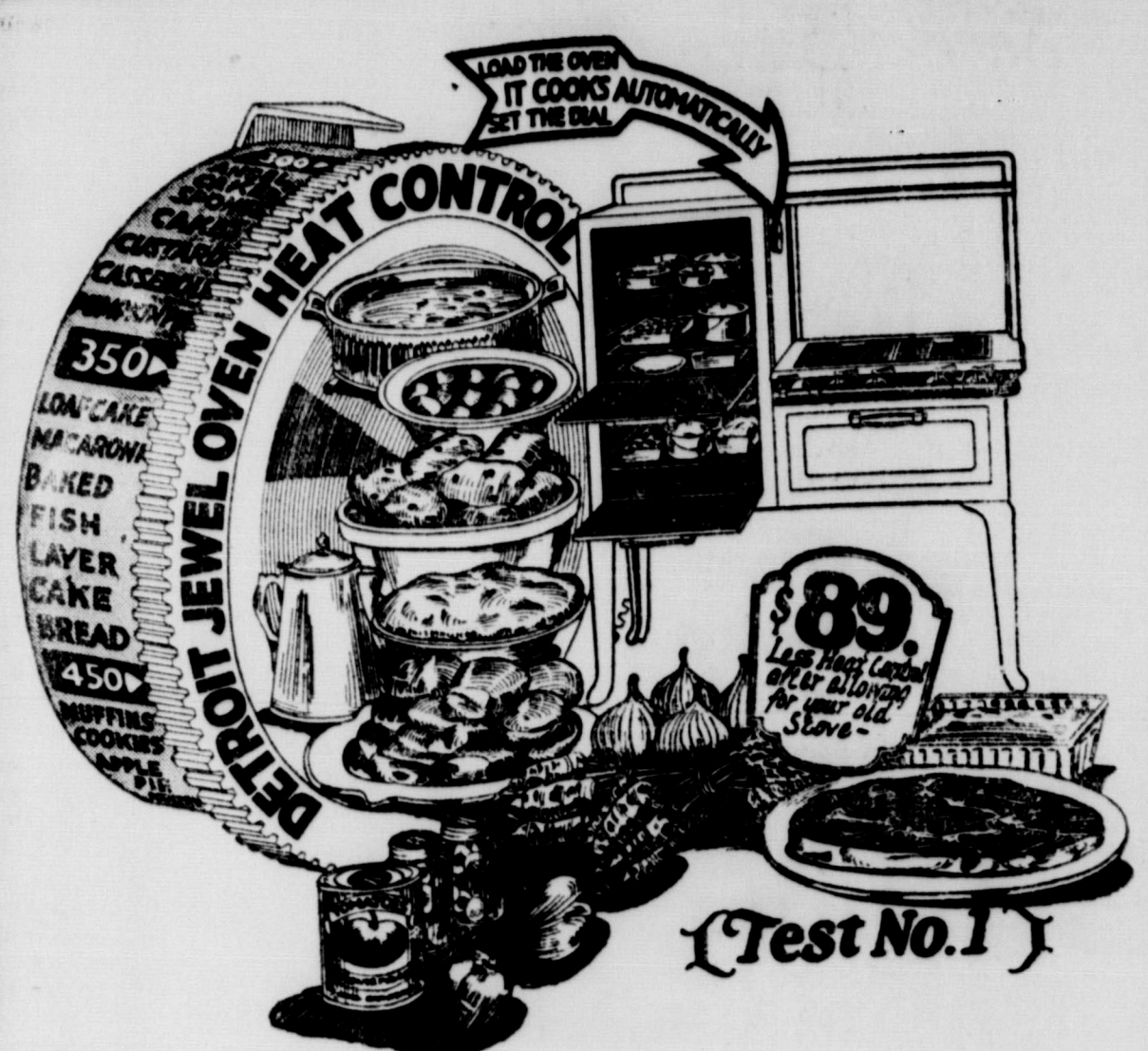
Another practice that Mr. Zeibig follows is keeping one pig for each cow that he milks. The skim milk will keep and finish the pig with very little other feed.

Terracing Proves Value

Although the extremely scarce rainfall during the year has cut feed and cotton crops short, John Marr and R. S. Haskew are certain that the terraces built by them last year on their farms have been worth many times the cost. They had some trouble of holding their terraces, due to the heavy rains and storms that came before the terraces were settled. The rainfall that did come was distributed evenly over the field and has been a great benefit.

Mr. Haskew and Mr. Marr own a farm level and a small terracing machine with which they have constructed their terraces and with which they will finish terracing their farms.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and children visited J. W. Cope at Seymour Sunday afternoon.



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POTATOES, per peck	39c
SOAP, P. & G., 25 bars...	\$1.00
MEAL, 10 lbs.	38c
COFFEE, Peaberry, 3 lbs.....	90c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 2's, 6 for...	79c
Syrup, country-made sorghum, gal	81c
MATCHES, 6 to carton.....	18c
LARD, 8-lb. bucket	\$1.18

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ATTEND ELECTRA MEETING

W. R. Womack, J. C. Self and Mack Boswell went to Electra yesterday morning to represent Crowell at the meeting of the Pease River Irrigation Association in that city.

The fact that the Army engineers were to attend this meeting makes it one of great importance and no doubt we will have a full account of business transacted at this meeting in next week's issue.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES BUILDING MORE LINES

Abilene, Texas, Sept. 20.—To provide electric service to the Brady Cotton Oil Mill and other industries on the outskirts of that town and to electrify the town of Rochelle, the West Texas Utilities Company has begun construction work on 27 miles of transmission lines.

The company also will build large capacity substations at Melvin and Brady and construct a three phase 2300 volt distribution system at Rochelle. Approximately 17 miles of line between Eden and Melvin will be reinsulated from 12 to 66,000 voltage.

The highline construction work includes 18 miles of line between Melvin and Brady and nine miles of three phase aluminum conductor 12,000 volt line from Brady to Rochelle.

While the town of Brady is not supplied by the West Texas Utilities Company, the company's service will be offered to many of the principal industries there. With the extension of the West Texas Utilities Company lines, the industrial plants of Brady will be assured power at all times and in any quantity required, officials pointed out.

Rochelle heretofore has not been served with electricity by any company.

MacDowell Music Club

The MacDowell Music Club met at the home of Evelyn Sloan. Our business was transacted and program rendered. Mary Frances Self gave an article on music. The opera, "Resurrection" was given by Frances Allison, the life of Mary Garden was given by Bertha Womack, and Chloe was sung by Josephine Griffith. The program was greatly enjoyed by all. Miss Mary Sam Crews was a visitor. —Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Self, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cope in Seymour Sunday afternoon.

A man in a nearby state has edited a weekly paper for 50 years. The rest of the profession wonders how he made a living.

The color scheme used by most concerns is that of long green.

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You can drop in our shop and purchase your meat for your next meal with the confidence and assurance that you will get something savory and appetizing whatever kind you may choose.

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We have a most complete variety for every meal. Fancy bacon or ham for breakfast—chops, hamburger, sausage or cold meats for lunch—steaks or roasts for dinner.

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These tires sell at the following prices:

30x3 1/2	\$11.85
29x4.40	\$11.50
30x4.50	\$12.95
Tubes	\$1.25 up

Fox-Harrell Station

WHEN THE "1ST" ROLLS AROUND

Does the first of the month find you financially ready to meet all of your bills? Or is it the signal for you to slip your fingers through your hair and start doing some mental gymnastics trying to solve the problem of how to pay this person and that?

IF YOU ARE IN THE LATTER CLASS

It is time to start building a substantial bank account. Don't spend your money foolishly, bank every spare dollar and you'll be able to meet your bills promptly the first of every month.

This is a mighty convenient and pleasing place to do your banking business. Start an account here now and learn how much easier your financial problems can be solved in the future.

The Bank of Crowell

Local and Personal

Portables and records.—M. S. Henry & Co.
 Henry Gribble was here Sunday from Vernon.
 Estate gas ranges.—Crews-Long Hdw. Co., Crowell and Thalia.
 It's as good as they say it is—Skidoo, the creamy cleanser.—Ferguson Bros.
 For Rent—Five-room house in west Crowell, rent reasonable.—J. W. McCaskill.
 Beauty shop at Nick's place. Anything you want in the beauty line.—Thelma Bell, operator.
 Ollie Ella Carroll was operated on at the sanitarium Tuesday afternoon and is recovering nicely.
 Try the new 10c Pullman loaf of "My Bread" fresh every day from Quannah at Sheldon's Grocery.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ike Cliff and son, Warren, of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Edgin Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Self made a trip to Waco last week to take their daughter, Miss Allison, who entered Baylor University.
 N. P. Ferguson spent several days last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Graham, and family at Paducah. Charlie is in the employ of the West Texas Utilities Company.

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

Otis Nicholson and wife moved last week to Fort Worth where Otis has a position in a drug store.

Miss Edith Jonas left for Denton Sunday where she will attend the North Texas State Normal.

H. D. Poland and family left Wednesday morning on a trip to the Plains country where they have some land.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Spencer went to Austin the first of the week to take their son, Markham, who is attending school there.

For Sale—1,000 bushels last year's seed wheat, testing 60 lbs., at \$1.30 per bushel at granary. First come, first served.—J. W. Wishon.

Joe H. Earls, who has maintained an office in the Reeder drug store for the repairing of watches and jewelry, has moved with his family to Fletcher, Okla.

Miss Lozelle Kincaid left Tuesday of this week for New York where she will enter Columbia University. Miss Lozelle graduated from C. I. A. at Denton last year.

John R. Edmonds of College Station, district agent for the Extension Department of A. & M. College, was here Tuesday visiting with our county agent, Fred Rennels.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waggoner of Vernon were here yesterday to visit Mrs. Waggoner's sister, Mrs. M. C. Adkins, who underwent an operation at the sanitarium Saturday.

The local Rebekah lodge and several Odd Fellows went to Paducah Friday night to attend a meeting of the Rebekahs of that city. After the meeting they all had a great feast.

Judge J. E. Atcheson made a business trip to Austin Sunday to attend the meeting of the State Highway Commission which met Monday, at which contracts were to be let for work in Foard County.

Misses Lola Bell and Lucille Kimsey went to Wichita Falls Friday to enter Draughon's Business College. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bell, and H. L. and Fred Kimsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint White and family, Eli Smith and family, W. O. Clary and family, Roy Johnson and family and O. O. Hollingsworth and family and Mrs. M. N. Kenner made a trip to Medicine Park, Okla., Sunday.

J. D. Johnson and wife made a visit to Gracemont, Okla., last week, visiting the Garretts and Harrisons. Mr. Johnson says they have good crops in the Gracemont country but that they are not good between here and lawton.

Some street work has been done this week, which makes things look better and helps travel wonderfully. What the city needs is street working machinery of its own. As it is the city must depend on getting the county's machinery just when it can.

The books of the city were recently audited for the years 1925, 1926 and 1927 and were found in good condition. City Marshal R. J. Thomas is mighty well pleased to know that in all that time he made but one ten cent mistake and that was in the year 1925.

Rev. W. R. McCarter arrived from California Thursday and occupied his pulpit Sunday morning at the Methodist church. He reports his wife as rapidly recovering from an operation which she underwent in Los Angeles and says that she will be at home soon.

Rev. J. T. Bryant of Anson has accepted a call for half time with the Crowell Presbyterian church and will be here some time in the near future to fill his pulpit for two Sundays. He is said to be a good preacher and the members of the Presbyterian church feel fortunate in securing his services.

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NEW BUDGET PLAN

Other Specials for Friday, Saturday and Monday

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 Any hat in the store valued at \$6.00
 Any shoe in the store valued at \$5.95
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You Save ----- \$6.95

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Look this plan over
 Any suit in the store valued at \$27.50
 Any hat in the store valued at \$8.50
 Any shoe or oxford in the store at \$6.00
 Any shirt in the store valued at \$2.50

Regular Price ----- \$44.50
 You pay ----- \$37.50

You Save ----- \$7.00

This is all standard merchandise that you will be proud to wear. Come to see

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"Chic-On," the new apron-dress. You'll buy several at ----- 99c each

New felt hats in all the late colors, Ladies and Misses, at ----- \$1.95

All the new shades in our \$2.50 grade flat crepes, for the 3 days ----- \$1.95 yd.

Brown and bleached domestic, 36-inch, all you want at ----- 10c the yard

27-inch gingham, checks plaids, all you want at ----- 6c per yd

Those good 240 wght. overalls, men's and boys, all sizes ----- \$1.00 per pair

Men's all-leather oxfords, made by Endicott-Johnson, blacks and tans, all sizes at ----- \$3.95

Children's all-leather shoes \$2.50 and \$3.50 values, Friday, Sat., Mon. \$1.95-\$2.95

Ladies and Misses slippers, odd sizes, values up to \$6.00, for the 3 days \$3.95

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For sale or rent, reconditioned Hoover cleaner.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Beauty shop at Nick's place. Anything you want in the beauty line.—Thelma Bell, operator.

Lost—Victrola between Crowell and Quannah Saturday night. Return to Ferguson Bros. and receive reward.

Mrs. E. M. Crosnoe and son, Ted, spent last week in McLain with her parents and is visiting this week with a sister in Clarendon.

Miss Katherine Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Woods, left Tuesday for Canyon to enter the West Texas State Teachers College.

Miss Edith Graham returned from Canyon last week where she had been attending summer normal and has gone to Austin to enter the State University.

Crawford Burrow has opened an insurance agency in Paducah and is in charge of the business himself. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow of Crowell.

T. L. Hughston and son, Marion, made a trip to Anson Sunday to see the former's half brother, J. M. Thurman, who had suffered a stroke of paralysis but is thought to be improving.

Miss Emma Pendleton has recently accepted a position with Anderson's department store in Vernon. She spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Jones, in the Beaver school house community.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Denning of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ovin Slaton of Lazare, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cain of Chillicothe, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carlton of Chillicothe, all spent last week end with Mrs. H. E. Hays and family.

Mrs. A. E. Brunson and baby, Janice, of Dallas are here visiting her brother, Frank Moore, and family. Before marriage Mrs. Brunson was Miss Carrie Moore and lived here when a small girl and is remembered by many Crowell people.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Francis returned Sunday night from a five weeks' trip to South Texas. They went from here to San Antonio and from there to Matagorda County. Crops in that country he says are rather spotted. They did not learn that their son, Haskell, who stayed at Crowell, underwent an operation while they were gone. They learned it upon their return.

Christian Science Services
 Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, Sept. 23, "Reality."
 Sunday School 9:30. Wednesday evening service 8:00.
 The public is cordially invited.

Tobe Yount has gone to Glenrose for treatment for his eyes.

H. D. Nelson and son, Junior, are in Waco this week visiting relatives of Mr. Nelson.

Merle Kincaid is in Dallas where he has accepted a position with the Mercantile National Bank.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips of Thalia were here the first of the week with their 8-weeks old baby who was seriously ill. The child's condition had so improved that they returned home yesterday.

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

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

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kenner visited John Bradford and family at Silverton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford of Silverton are at the sanitarium in Crowell with their two-year old baby who is seriously ill.

Joe Roberts will leave the latter part of this week for Tech College at Lubbock. He and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts, were in Lubbock last week securing a room and making other arrangements for him to enter that institution.

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The man who starts to big things do Must have a credit to carry him thru; No matter how sound, how good a plan A credit must be behind the man. And whether you win or whether you lose Very much depends on the bank you choose. That's why a bank broad-gauged and fair You should always choose with greatest care. The First State Bank can take care of you. Come in and tell us what you want to do.

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PAINT UP

Now that fall is here, you're going to spend a good deal more time in the home than you've been doing.

There is no better time to brighten it up than right at this time. Get some of that good paint from us and have the job done before the cold weather comes.

Wm. Cameron & Company

DRY WEATHER PRICES

See G. Y. Carroll for prices on automobile repair work that will fit the times. I am now back on the job at my stand in the rear of Ivie's Filling Station and will appreciate my old customers coming to see me with their work and also solicit new customers. All work guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.

Carroll Garage & Battery Station
G. Y. CARROLL, Prop.

The audience the other day is reported to have thrown eggs at an actor in Rome. There is a quaint old American custom.

A puncture is a little hole found in auto tires, at the most inconvenient spot along the highway.

A man in a neighboring State died the other day and left the government \$16,000. The strange part of it was, the man was a farmer.

During the recent Mexican affair, several men failed to vote because they had no ammunition.

OUR MODERN DAY SCHOOLS

The public high school as it exists today is distinctly American, and is of comparatively recent development in the history of educational institutions. The first public high school was founded in the city of Boston in 1821. Today, approximately eighteen thousand high schools throughout America are bringing educational opportunities within easy reach of more than two and one-half million boys and girls.

Prior to the development of the public high school the only training beyond the elementary level was provided in the Latin Grammar Schools, during the period from 1635 to 1750, and through the private and religious academies during the century from 1750 and 1850. Since 1850 the rise of the American High School has been rapid. Although founded originally to provide preparation for the college courses that led directly into professions, it has in the later decades broadened its course of study to meet the widely varying and rapidly changing conditions of modern life. The high school has become the "people's college," bringing within easy reach of every child the opportunity to train for a fuller life while at the same time developing specific vocational skills and abilities.

The high school of a generation ago included only those pupils who expected to attend college. Today practically all the children of all the people, regardless of vocational interest are coming under the influence of some high school. In order to meet the needs of this increased enrollment the curriculum must be gauged in accordance with the varying interest and capacities of the larger group. A great modern educator has said: "It is the business of the school to teach the child to do better the things he is most likely to do anyhow." In light of this principle, "The Secondary school program of studies must be conceived and operated as to enforce, guide and direct the activities of the pupils both within the school, and in relation to other educational activities in the community."

The high school of today is comparable to the college of yesterday.

Wonder how all of those marathon people manage to get off from work so long.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

(By West Texas Cham. of Com.)

Plans are being made in Big Spring to experiment with methods of oiling gravel road. If the method proves practicable on a short stretch its extensive use will be considered.

The first issue of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Review published by the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society at Plainview has been issued and distributed to the members of the association. Many interesting articles fill the book.

James C. Asbury has been employed as secretary of the Baird Chamber of Commerce to succeed H. O. Tatum who resigned to take the position of city manager at Eastland. Mr. Asbury has been active in C. of C. work for many years.

Work is progressing on the Olton school house which contains eight large class rooms and a library. The building is costing \$45,000, and will be modern in every feature when completed. Twenty percent of Olton scholastics are in high school.

Snyder shipped 400 cases of eggs, or 12,000 dozen to Havana, Cuba, recently. This is considered the earliest shipment of eggs ever shipped from the county, shipment usually starting in January.

Coleman is starting a home beautification project which when completed will include a boulevard entirely circling the city. Two parks and the site for a new park recently donated by an interested citizen will be given attention.

Gas was turned into the mains in Lamesa from the Amarillo oil fields last week. Demonstration of new stoves for the new fuel has been the order of the day since, with the result that a number of people are buying stoves before cold weather.

The \$300,000 education building at the West Texas Teachers College is to have the most modern of equipment for the teaching of grade and high school students. It is to be dedicated October 19.

The Electra chamber of commerce has sponsored a road to tap the virgin trade territory in the oil district. It acquired the deed, secured the field notes and started the work on the road which will be twelve miles long.

A few of the commodities shipped from Shamrock in 1927 were 12 carloads of wheat, 93 cars of corn, 185 cars of grain sorghums, 297 cars cattle, 79 cars hogs, 225 cars cotton-oil mill products and 28,500 bales of cotton—all grown in Wheeler county.

Village Ideal Place for Large Factories

"Balancing" of agriculture and industry by establishing future industrial centers in rural communities instead of in densely populated areas would go a long way toward solving the farmers' problem, according to T. R. Preston, president of the American Bankers' association.

Mr. Preston declared bringing industry to small villages increases the market for agricultural products, gives employment to surplus labor, elevates the standards of living, increases public revenue, reduces taxes and vastly increases educational facilities.

He declared industry and agriculture are better balanced in Ohio, North Carolina and Pennsylvania than in any other states of the Union and asserted, "In these states there is no serious agricultural problem and we hear little complaint from the farmers."

"I would not suggest that manufacturing institutions move from the cities to the small villages," Mr. Preston continued, "but I do think it would be better for this country for future industries to be placed in these small villages rather than to be further congested in the great centers."

Consider Resale

Have you ever thought of fashion in connection with home building? The fashions do change in buildings just as in clothes, although not so rapidly perhaps.

Fashions change in furniture, in plumbing and lighting fixtures of the home; fashions change in automobiles; and in fact in almost everything that we buy.

With rare exception, every man who builds a home should consider the resale value of the property. There are many factors which may make it necessary for him to sell. With resale in mind, or with protection of investment in mind, it would be unwise to build a home that was not in fashion.

The fashion in homes today is swiftly turning toward the permanent type.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Usual services next Lord's day. Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Preaching 8 p. m. You are invited.

J. F. POWERS, Minister.

Rum runners are not fish—even if the biggest ones do get away.

The rumor that there will be another war is more than ten years old now.

A man was poisoned the other day from eating a hot dog. Perhaps the hot dog went mad.

C. E. Flowers and family made a trip to Iowa Park Sunday.

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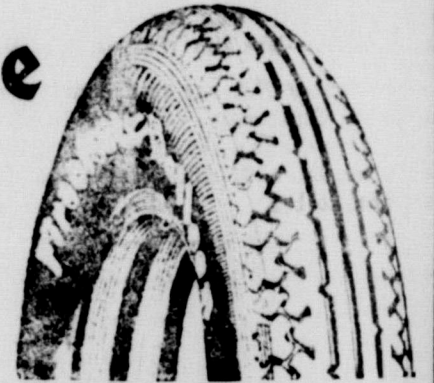
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We don't know how all the people that need tires are going to be able to get served tomorrow, but we are going to do our best and take care of anybody that comes in or phones us for new tires. We will take prompt care of all mail orders. We have done a big business during this Challenge Sale and we want everybody to profit by these wonderfully low prices. Never before have we been able to offer such low prices on such high quality tires as Firestone Gum-dipped Balloons—the tires that hold all records for speed, safety, endurance and economy. And don't forget every tire is guaranteed for the life of the tire against any and all defects.

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Guaranteed for Life against any and all defects

30x3 1/2 Reg.	\$7.95	4.40x21	10.00
30x3 1/2 Ex. Size	9.05	4.50x21	11.15
STRAIGHT SIDE			
30x3 1/2	11.40	4.75x20	12.55
31x4	14.25	4.75x21	13.05
32x4	15.15	5.00x20	13.45
33x4 1/2	15.90	5.00x21	14.00
33x4 1/2	19.95	5.25x20	15.65
33x4 1/2	20.75	5.25x21	18.90
33x4 1/2	21.45	6.00x20	18.90
33x5	27.15	6.00x21	19.50
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We are selling more Oldfield Tires every day because they are the only first-grade, fully guaranteed, standard tires that are selling for so little money. Look at the prices and buy today.

30x3 1/2	\$6.05	29x4.40	7.35
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32x4	11.30	30x4.75	9.65
33x4	11.60	30x5.00	10.95
33x4	12.75	30x5.25	12.15
32x4 1/2	15.10	31x5.25	12.45
33x4 1/2	15.10	32x6.00	16.35
34x4 1/2	17.10	33x6.00	16.95

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Positively the greatest buy at these prices—guaranteed for life against any and all defects.

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31x4	8.90	31x5.25	10.35

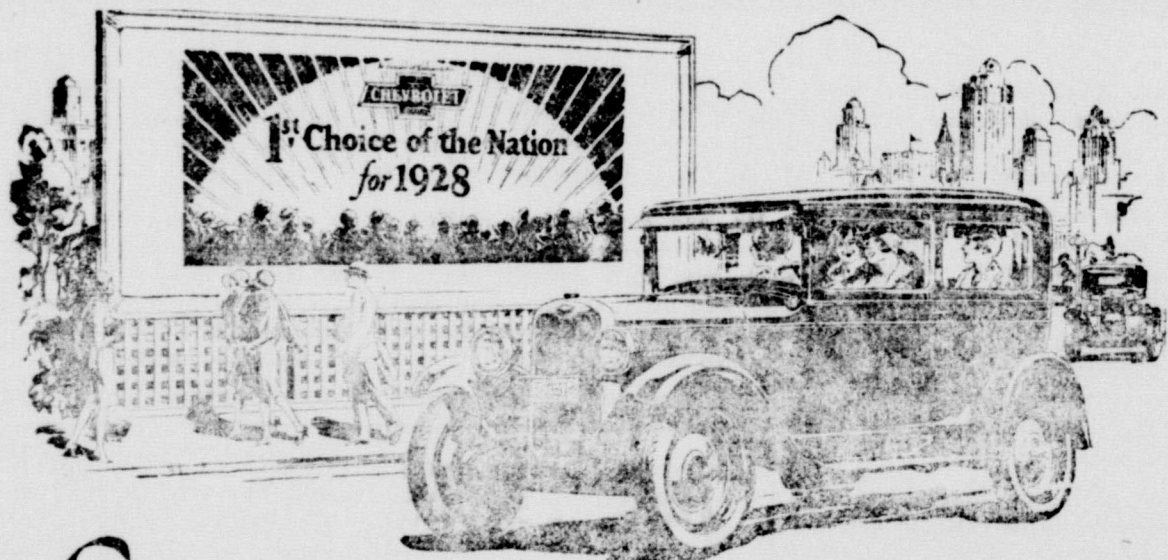
AIRWAY

You can't beat the price for quality that is in these tires, for light cars.

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Things Worth Knowing

The name porcupine means "spiny pig."
New York is leading all other states in tree planting.
Iceland is so rough and mountainous that only about one-fifth of its area can be farmed.
The African warthog always backs into its burrow cautiously keeping its eyes on possible enemies.
Xenophon studied diseases of the horse so carefully that he is called the father of veterinary science.
Two kinds of wild tobacco that grow on the ranges of the west are poisonous to cattle and horses.
Oolong tea, one of the most valu-

ble crops of northern Formosa, is attacked by eighty-five kinds of insects.
Recent experiments indicate that trees get 67 per cent of their growth at night and only 33 per cent in the daytime.
Interesting creatures in the London Zoo include such pure white exhibits as an albino squirrel, peacock, monkey and lobster.
A statue of Columbus seventy feet tall is to be erected at the port of Palos, in Spain, from which Columbus sailed on his famous voyage.
The collection of flowering cherry trees that was presented to the city of Washington by Japan in 1912 consists of almost 2,000 trees.
The gold chair in which Queen Hetepheres, mother of Cheops, was

carried 5,000 years ago in Egypt, has been reconstructed after 2 years of careful work.
In testing paint, the United States bureau of standards uses special apparatus which produces in a few days the same effect as long exposure to sun, wind, rain and other weather conditions.
Of the streams rising in Yellowstone National park some eventually flow into the Atlantic and some into the Pacific oceans.
Of 26,043 waitresses in Tokyo cafes, 11,577 get no wages but depend on tips, police found. In some cafes they buy positions.
Old automobile casings are in demand in Greece to make footwear for peasants, especially in Greece Macedonia and Thrace.



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We use genuine Chevrolet parts in all our repair work—parts made by the Chevrolet Motor Company, and subjected to the regular factory tests for quality and precision.

ALLEN CHEVROLET COMPANY

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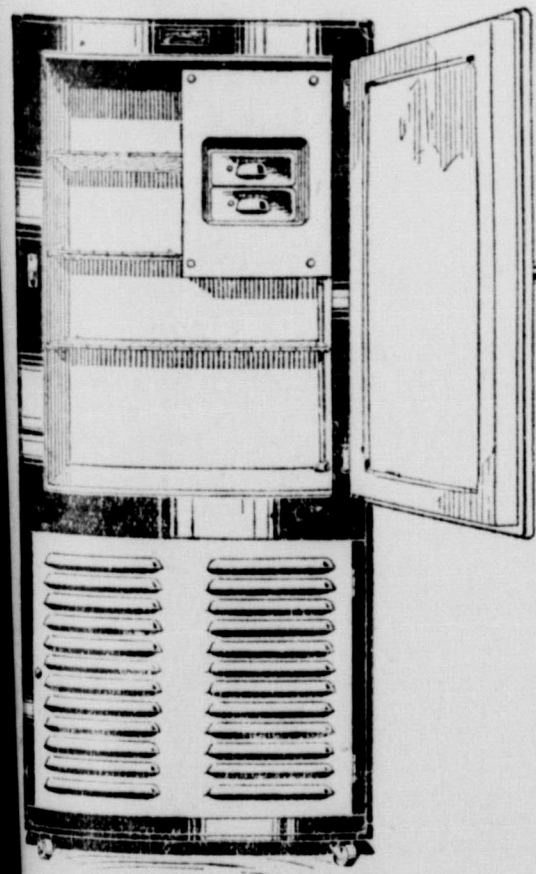
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West Texas Utilities Company

A considerable proportion of the people of Siberia are farther from the seat of their government at Moscow than they are from the center of the earth.

'TEXAS FARMERS IN FINE SHAPE'

By J. A. MOORE Superintendent of the Agricultural Department of the State Fair of Texas

I am harvesting my twenty-ninth crop and preparing for my thirtieth and in all these years I never saw conditions more favorable throughout Texas than they are today.

In 1926 we harvested one of our best grain crops and better than a five million-bale cotton crop, receiving less than 15 cents for our cotton. In 1927 we had another fairly good grain crop and a four million-bale cotton crop—a million bales short of that of 1926—but we received a million dollars more money for it, and furthermore, the farmers in 1927 produced their crop at a lower cost than in 1926.

That was the turning point for the Texas farmer; that was when he returned to the days of old. He arose early in the morning and stayed late in the fields, and having learned that lesson he carried it into his farm plans for 1928. While his acreage in corn and practically all other grain crops has been reduced in 1928, the weather conditions, combined with other favorable circumstances has increased his yield in every crop except oats.

He has not only supplied himself with ample food and feed for himself, his family and his livestock, but there are more farmers today with a surplus of feed and a surplus of livestock, to sell at a profit than there was in 1927. You will find many more farmers today with chickens, hogs, milk cows and beef cattle than you could find a year ago.

With these conditions before us and with a cotton crop that will likely equal the 1927 cotton crop, with a price that will also equal the 1927 price and furthermore a 25 per cent reduction in the cost of producing the crop over that of the year before, the farmer, as I see the situation today, is in the best shape he has been in years if not than ever before in the history of Texas. The men who really worked and who put some thought into their work are admitting this.

I am making this statement after a trip through all parts of the State; I have met the real farmers and I have found them going ahead on the right road, all wide awake and not only ready to listen to practical suggestions, but able and willing to make them for the benefit of all concerned.

These are the type of men who never miss the educational opportunities offered by the State Fair. They

will all be in Dallas some time between October 6 and 21. Some of them will remain for several days, picking up information, comparing notes, studying the exhibits, relating their experiences to others eager to learn and missing no opportunity to acquire knowledge that will help them in their daily work.

They will spend most of their time in the agricultural, dairy, poultry and live stock departments and the machinery sections looking over what is new. They will bring their wives and families and every member will learn something that will be of benefit to them. These are the people who get the most good out of the State Fair.

Largest Motor Exhibit Ever Held in Southwest Planned for 1928 State Fair



In line with the general plan to make the 1928 State Fair of Texas the greatest and most interesting ever held, the directors in charge of the automotive show have evolved a plan which will result in the most novel and largest motor exhibit ever held in the Southwest, far exceeding in the number of attractions the annual shows at St. Louis and Kansas City, according to Phil Prather, in charge of that section of the State Fair.

The automotive section in the manufacturers' building has been enlarged to take in all the new features, it is said. There will be eight divisions this year, instead of only two as in years past. These will be the regular display of new 1929 models of passenger cars, continuous demonstrations of cars in action on a track inside the building, a complete exhibition of shop and garage equipment in action, special factory exhibits, general accessory and equipment exhibits, an immense exhibit of motor buses, educational exhibit for motorists and an exhibit of airplanes, including the newest and largest passenger planes.

"The automotive show alone will be well worth anybody's time to come to Dallas to see, regardless of the thousands of other attractions at the State Fair," said Mr. Prather.

The Southwestern Dairy Show, to be held in connection with the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, is to be made a permanent feature for the encouragement of the dairying industry in Texas.

The dates of the State Fair of Texas are Oct. 6 to 21, the same relative dates as last year. As usual the fair will open on a Saturday and close two weeks from the following Sunday.

The Minnesota State Fair is the nearest rival of the State Fair of Texas in point of attendance. Last year is admitted 413,000 persons, as against the 1,028,317 who passed through the gates of the Texas fair.

There will be 56 actual performers engaged in the Hippodrome and Circus exhibitions to be given in front of the grandstand at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, not including the big corps of gymnasts, electricians, stage hands, etc.

One of the nice things about being skinny is that you can eat all the things you want without becoming fatter.

A boy in a neighboring state who thought he could rob a man and get away, will be 45 before he gets away.

Work on the Muleshoe gin is being rushed in order that all this season's crop will be handled. New machinery is being installed and the plant will be modern in every respect.

Work is progressing on the First National Bank building on the corner of Main and Concho streets. The contract for the edifice calls for a sum of approximately \$75,000, and the work is being done by superior laborers.

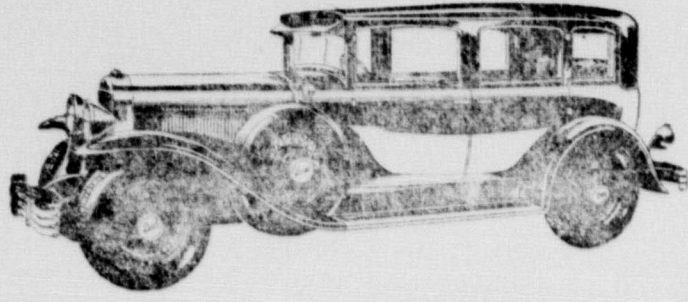
The apple crop is good and many a farmer is loafing because his cider is going to work for him.

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That is why America is accorded the Silver Anniversary Buick the most enthusiastic reception ever enjoyed by any fine car. That is why this beautiful new Buick has already become a country-wide vogue!

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Perhaps the fact that "Zest" is so far over in the dictionary accounts for the inability of some people in finding it.

The amazing question in married life—to everyone except the interested couple—is what they can see in each other.

Time and tide waits for no man, and they'd never get anywhere if they waited for the women.

Many people have discovered that blue is a wonderful color, but a terrible feeling.

The most important thing about a political machine is the clutch.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Herbert Jernigon 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 holden at the court house thereof, in Crowell, Texas, on the 4th Monday in September, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1367, wherein Edith Dunn Jernigon, who has been for a period of twelve months, an actual bonafide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in Foard County for at least six months preceding the filing of this suit, is plaintiff, and Herbert Jernigon is defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Said petition alleging, plaintiff prays for a divorce upon the grounds of cruel treatment, the defendant heaped upon her studied vexations and deliberate insults, that was of such cruel nature as to render her living with him insupportable; that on or about the 25th day of April, A. D. 1928, the defendant became enraged at plaintiff without any fault or provocation of the plaintiff and while in the cotton field, threw stones at her and ran her to the house, from which the plaintiff feared for her life; and prays for judgment dissolving said marriage relations and restoration of her maiden name, for cost of suit and for such relief, special and general, in law and equity, that she may be justly entitled to, etc.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crowell, Texas, on this the 24th day of August, A. D. 1928.

(Seal) **IDA REAVIS, Clerk,**
District Court, Foard Co., Texas.
By **A. G. Magee, Deputy.**

Special Days of State Fair Will Make It a Success



The outstanding success of the 1928 State Fair of Texas has resulted in a revival of interest in "special days" throughout the State. In many widely separated localities arrangements are being made for special county, community and city days when excursion trains will bring groups of thousands of people from one particular place or section to the State Fair at reduced rates on a certain day. On other days members of a particular society, club, association or organization will gather from all parts of Texas to participate in reunions, excursions and festivals. The idea is so exciting in its nature that every day of the Fair will see from three to ten special gatherings or assemblages of one kind or another.

Up to September 1, according to Roy Rupard, State Fair Secretary, the following special day arrangements had been made:

- Saturday, October 6, Opening Day.
- Sunday, October 7, All-Church Day, German Societies' Day.
- Monday, October 8, Agricultural Exhibitors' Day, All Texas Dinner Day, G. A. R. and W. R. C. Day.
- Tuesday, October 9, Hallas Home-Towning Day.
- Wednesday, October 10, County Commissioners' Day.
- Thursday, October 11, Children's Day, Vaeco Day, Columbus Day.
- Friday, October 12, Traveling Men's Day, All-College Day, Texas Commercial Executives' Day, Red-Ten's Day, Texas Legislators' Day, Texas and Oklahoma and Louisiana Press Day.
- Saturday, October 13, All-Texas Day, Czech Day, Spanish War Veterans' Day, Rainbow Division Veterans' Day, Security Benefit Association Day.
- Sunday, October 14, Southwestern Dairy Association Day.
- Monday, October 15, Confederate Veterans' Day.
- Tuesday, October 16, Kentucky Day.
- Wednesday, October 17, Louisiana Day.
- Thursday, October 18, Louisiana Day.
- Friday, October 19, R. O. T. C. Day.
- Saturday, October 20, Closing Day.

The National Cotton Show to Award Prizes of \$10,000 at State Fair of Texas



It will be possible for some boy or girl in Texas or Oklahoma to win the \$300 prize for the best stalk of cotton shown at the State Fair of Texas, October 26 to 28, and then win the \$1,000 grand prize for the best stalk of cotton raised in the South. Here is an opportunity for the 4-H club boys and girls.

The contest is open to everybody, however, regardless of age, sex or color and \$10,000 will be paid in prizes altogether. Entries will close September 25, it is announced, and the stalks will be received for exhibit up to October 1. The contest is known as "The National Cotton Show," and is sponsored by Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation. Premium lists and full information may be obtained from Roy Rupard, State Fair of Texas, Dallas.

The stalks submitted in the State Fair of Texas contest, which is stated will take in all of Texas and Oklahoma, will be exhibited in a special pavilion adjoining the agricultural building, just to the left of the main gates as one enters the grounds.

The 4-H club exhibits will be shown in the Agricultural building proper as well as in the live stock pavilions, as last year. A special premium list for 4-H club work has been printed and will be sent to any one interested, Secretary Rupard states.

Textile Department to Have New Head



Mrs. L. R. Evans has been appointed superintendent of the Textile and Culinary departments of the State Fair of Texas, vice Mrs. Fannie Howard, deceased. It is announced from Dallas.

Mrs. Howard was well known to the women of Texas who have exhibited in the above named departments for many years, sending their exhibits from all parts of the state to compete for the prizes.

Mrs. Evans, who has been Mrs. Howard's assistant for a long period, is also well and favorably known to exhibitors and because of her experience, was able to proceed immediately with the work left unfinished by Mrs. Howard's sudden death.

The success of last year's State Fair has given a new impetus to all departments and this is true of the culinary and textile sections, it is said. Those in charge look for the largest display and the best exhibits ever shown at the State Fair since its beginning forty-two years ago.

There will be no horse races held on Sundays at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, but five races each afternoon will be featured on each of the other 15 days of the fair.

Officials of the State Fair of Texas say that a crowd of over 1,100,000 persons are expected during the fair period this year. The slogan "Be One of the Million" may have to be revised upward.

A famous fireworks firm, said to be the largest in the world, is to supply the day and night exhibitions at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21.

Ninety percent of the bituminous coal mined in the United States is burned for heat, light and power without salvaging any of the valuable byproducts.

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COUNTRYSIDE ROWDYISM

Some city motorists feel resentment when they select a cool, secluded spot in the country, far from the heat of the city's paved streets, only to find the injunction, "No Trespassing! Keep Out!" painted in large letters on a sign.

And it is a situation that could have been avoided if some unthinking persons in the past had not abused privileges many farmers extended campers.

Thus the many have to suffer for the few, who have imposed a heavy penalty on the great mass of law-abiding people, for it will be a long time before land owners are convinced that all who seek the pleasure of the countryside are not destructionists.

Farmers have been put to considerable expense in cleaning up after campers and picnickers, and frequently serious damage has been done by the offenders against common decency.

Some people have little scruples in taking possession of a cool, inviting woods, without the courtesy of first gaining permission from the owner. They spread their lunch and enjoy it in the open woods, but defile the grounds by leaving remnants of food, melon rinds, papers and tin cans. Often they start fires under trees that kill the lower branches, "register" by carving their names and initials in the bark, and occasionally leave camp fires to spread and cause serious property loss.

If campers and picnickers would be more careful, and respect the rights of the farmers and the others who desire the same privileges of camping, the rowdyism would disappear, and the "Keep Out" signs would soon be taken down.

Some wives will notice a blond hair on their husband's coat, and won't notice a button off it.

You don't see so many pictures of girls playing tennis, because they don't play in bathing suits.

General Insurance

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Buy and sell first lien notes on city property

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A VALUABLE ASSET

Some farmers can work twelve hours a day on a piece of land and make a bare living.

Other farmers can work on the same piece of land ten hours a day and make a living and profit besides.

Some men can take a business enterprise, and not only fail to make a living, but go seriously in debt.

Other men can take the same enterprise, with all its handicaps, and make it profitable.

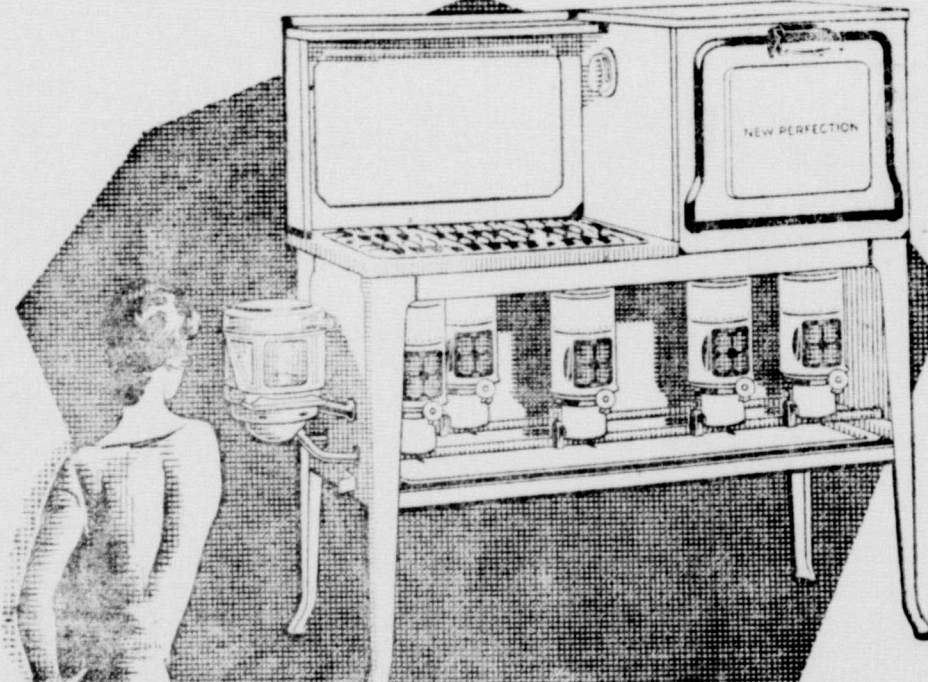
There's a reason for the difference.

The successful man studies conditions and analyzes suggestions and makes improvements as rapidly as it is possible for him to do so. His returns are in proportion to the activity of his brain.

The failure is slow to change. He doesn't take any stock in new fangled notions. What was good enough for his father is good enough for him. And that is all he gets.

When put to practical use, brains become a valuable asset. When merely carried around in a skull, they are then a liability.

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new Full porcelain enamel finish... New design... Grouped burners Built-in "live heat" oven... New heat indicator... One of 24 new models. \$17.50 to \$154

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This range is one of 24 beautiful new Perfection models now at your dealer's. All of them are light-colored... swift-cooking... convenient. All finished either in porcelain enamel or in Perfectolac, a new, durable lacquer. Don't miss seeing them!

EASY WAY TO BUY. Your dealer will demonstrate these new stoves for you and will no doubt tell you how you can buy any one of them on easy terms.

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Oil Burning Ranges

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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.

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Chevrolet Motor Co. Carrying on a Big Building Program

The parts and service division of Chevrolet Motor Company, for the purpose of bringing the consumer closer to the point of distribution, has been since the first of the year quietly carrying on a building program amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars. This has added to the company's numerous plants five zone warehouses, now in use, and calls for construction of three more before January 1. In addition, major supply depots in Atlanta and Kansas City have been built and put into operation this year.

Los Angeles, Houston, Omaha, Philadelphia and Cleveland are the centers which have seen warehouses already built and opened for use. Work is to begin this fall on others in New Orleans, Fargo and Indianapolis. The New Orleans warehouse is scheduled to open in November, the Fargo warehouse in December and the Indianapolis warehouse in January.

J. P. Little, manager of the parts and service division, in a statement issued last week pointed out that the 1928 building program when completed will increase the storage facilities of his division by 30 percent. It will mean, he said, an addition of 210,000 additional feet of floor space.

"Chevrolet parts warehouses and major supply depots constitute an added service that the company offers in order that every authorized service station and repair depot will have genuine Chevrolet parts available promptly for Chevrolet owners," Mr. Little said.

The warehouses and depots carry several hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of stock, and represent, therefore, a very important factor in the commercial life of the communities in which they are located, Mr. Little said.

Aside from the building activity, the individual program for 1928, as outlined by Mr. Little, is also concerned with Boston and Denver, cities where now existent warehouses will be vacated this fall for new quarters because present facilities have proven inadequate. Thus before the year closes the parts and service division will have new warehouses in each of ten cities.

In every instance between 5,000 and 6,000 square feet of space has been set aside in these warehouses

Red-Hot Specials For Saturday!

200 Ladies New Fall Silk Dresses Latest Colors
\$5.95 \$8.95 \$10.95

100 MEN'S NEW FALL SUITS Latest Styles
\$14.95 \$18.95

SATURDAY AT 3 O'CLOCK
25 Ladies Felt \$2.00 Hats
at **\$1.00** each

SATURDAY AT 1 O'CLOCK
50 Men's \$2.00 Caps
at **\$1.00** each

150 BOYS' NEW FALL SUITS
2 Long Pants
\$4.95 \$6.95 \$9.95

1,000 PAIRS MEN'S AND LADIES' Fall Oxfords, Slippers and Shoes
\$3.95 and \$4.95

NEW FALL STOCK ARRIVING
Come in and Look Around

The Famous

"CROWELL'S LEADING BARGAIN STORE"

Declare War on All Insects—Kill Them

—and keep them away. Bee Brand Insect Powder or Liquid Kills Flies, Ants, Roaches, Fleas, Lice, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Bed Bugs, and other insects. Won't spot or stain. Use powder on plants and pets. Write us for FREE insect booklet. If dealer can't supply, we will ship by parcel post at prices named. McCORMICK & CO., Baltimore, Md.

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Powder 10c & 25c 50c & 75c
Liquid 50c & \$1.00 \$1.25
30c (Spray Gun) 35c

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INSECT POWDER
OR LIQUID
CEDAR ODOR

These cool nights, the screen drawing the biggest crowds is the fly screen.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The W. M. S. Circle No. 1 met Monday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Meadors with twelve present. The circle met in the study of "Only a Missionary," with Mrs. Meadors as leader, which was a very interesting lesson. Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Frank Moore in study of the same subject with eleven present. The lesson was led by Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin. The following Monday both circles will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in a regular "Royal Service" lesson at which time all the ladies of the church are invited to meet and bring something to help pack a box for Buckner's orphans. Anything in the way of clothing from small children on to grown-ups will be accepted in helping the orphans. Come and bring some one with you.—Reporter.

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We Must Eat

There is no way of getting around the fact that we must eat to live. The grocerymen render the public a valuable service in beating down the prices of eats, especially when money is scarce. The results of our efforts in that respect are reflected in the prices we are able to offer on all grocery items. Note these prices for Saturday:

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE, 1-lb. can **50c**

SWEET POTATOES, 2½ can, 2 for **25c**

CALUMET BAKING POWDER, 1-lb. can ... **28c**

MACARONI, 3 packages, for **23c**

DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can **26c**

SALT, 25-lb. sack **40c**

POST BRAN, per package **10c**

SALTINE FLAKES, 2-lb. box **33c**

HUGHSTON GRO. CO.

for use of the zone sales schools. The warehouses also house the offices of the zones sales managers and their staffs. All of the new buildings have been built according to plans and specifications of Chevrolet Motor Company.

With this year's additions the total number of Chevrolet zone warehouses will be increased to 20. Other cities in which they are located are Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Charlotte, S. C.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Des Moines, Ia.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Memphis, Tenn.; Dallas, Texas; Oklahoma City; Denver, Portland Ore.

Community Building

Laying Out of Lawn to Best Advantage

The painting scheme should avoid the hit-or-miss scattering, which gives poor effect for the various plants and cuts into the sense of distance which is desirable for the lawn. A few clumps of bushes at the sides and corners of the lot, a border, perhaps, along the walk, a tall evergreen or two near the entrance door and a line of flowers near the foundation are always safe and tasteful arrangements which can rarely be bettered by any radical plan.

Useful and ornamental lawn furniture and bric-a-brac can frequently be used to good advantage. Care should be taken in placement of the garage and the garden to make a correct ensemble in which each feature of the grounds finds its own proper place.

Nor does this careful assembling of the components of a skillful grounds plan, in which every feature harmoniously contributes to the whole, cost necessarily any more than a less artistic layout. The added cost of the shrubs, as well as the fee of the landscape architect, if it is decided to employ one, will be easily offset in the added values resulting.

The resale value of the home made attractive by a well thought out grounds plan will be materially increased.

"Ideal City"

Mariemont, Ohio, is a city of 165 acres with a population of 325 founded by a woman in fulfillment of her dream of an ideal city. It has its own stores, parks, lagoons, community center, athletic field, schools, inn and church. About \$8,000,000 was spent outright on its development in 1923, and a fortune of \$100,000,000 has been bequeathed for its improvement.

Build a House to Last

Select materials and a contractor to insure you a home that will last for generations.

METHODIST CHURCH

We are glad to be back at our post of duty and at our loved employ. We made a good beginning last Sunday, started well into the fall season. We were greeted by good congregations at both hours with interesting services. The attendance at Sunday School and League were also good. The good choir with good singing greatly inspired our hearts both making a valuable contribution to the services.

All regular services next Sunday

and the following week. Sunday School at 10 o'clock under the direction of Brother M. S. Henry, superintendent, and his assistants.

Would be glad for every member of the school to be in place Sunday and thereby help and encourage all the officers and teachers.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Senior League at 6:45. Visitors warmly welcomed at all our services.

W. ROBT. McCARTER.

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Cash Basis

Believing that the interests of all will be served by a change in our policy, we have decided to go on a strictly cash basis after the first of October.

No discrimination will be shown anybody, but all customers will be treated alike at all times.

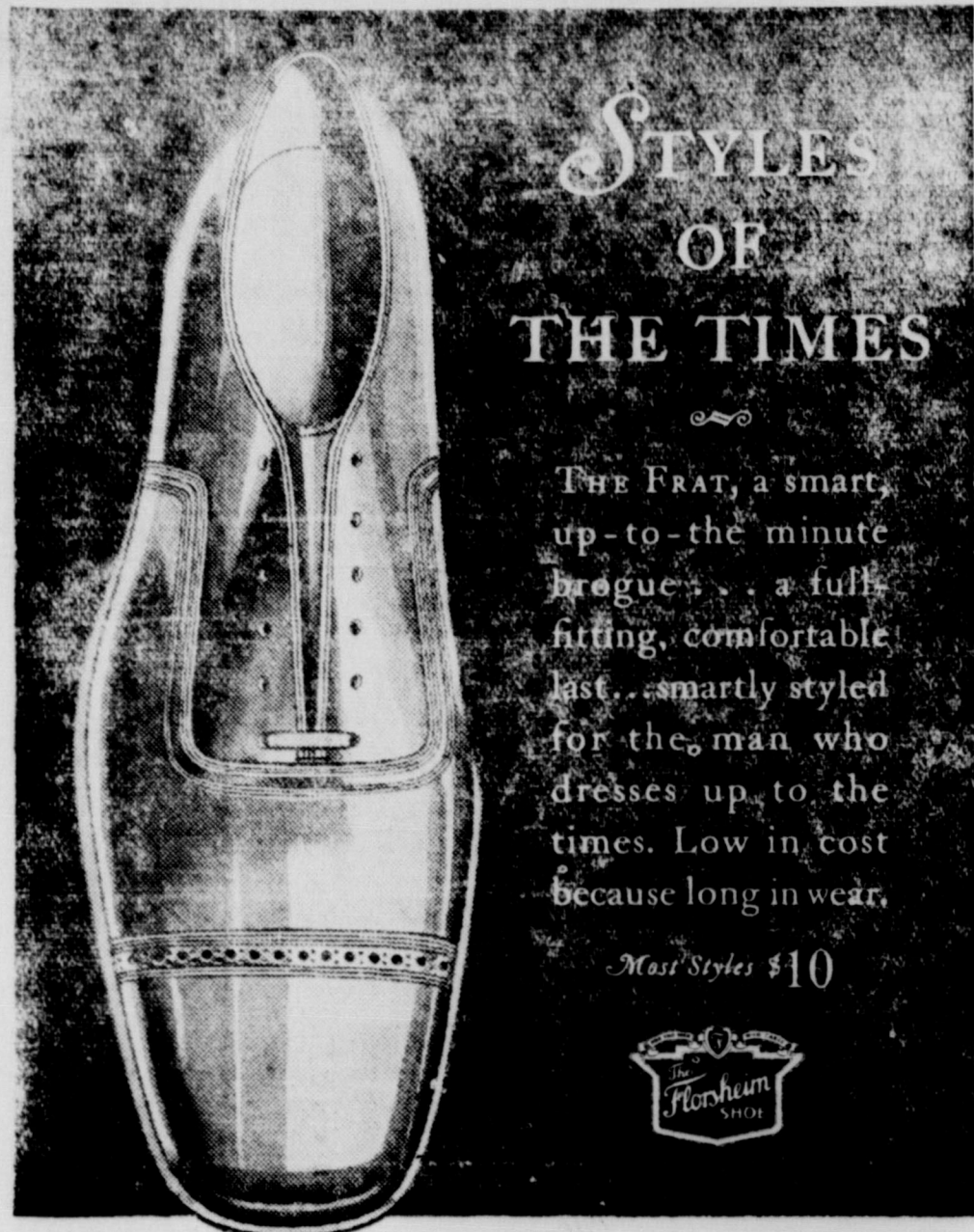
We wish to say that we are adding several hundred dollars worth of new machinery which will increase our capacity to handle all kinds of work in our line to the entire satisfaction of all our customers.

Your hearty co-operation is solicited to the end that this may be beneficial to all concerned.

We will call for and deliver.

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THE FRAT, a smart, up-to-the minute brogue... a full fitting, comfortable last... smartly styled for the man who dresses up to the times. Low in cost because long in wear.

Most Styles \$10



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FAREWELL PARTY SEPT. 15

News that Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Erwin would soon go to Childress for the winter resulted in friends and neighbors surprising them last Saturday evening with a sun-set dinner.

The flaming ray of departing day lent an appropriate note to the sylvan spot which was ringed with an old school yell as the honorees arrived. The west then shed a purple hue against the coming dawn and also reminding us of the significance of the occasion.

A spirit of gay comradeship reigned over the banquet displayed picnic fashion under the "spreading hackberry tree."

The lovely repast was followed by many games and stunts. The men gave a clever burlesque of a business session of the woman's club.

Everyone departed declaring a most enjoyable time and expressing regrets to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin that we should soon miss them from our midst.—A Guest.

20 YEARS AGO

(From Files of the News, January 17, 1908)

R. P. Womack, wife and two daughters, Lola and Lela, returned Friday from a visit of a few weeks in Mississippi.

J. L. Klepper and family of Mineral Wells spent a few days visiting relatives and friends here last week and left for home Tuesday. Joe sees great outcome in Crowell within the last year.

Dr. Schindler writes us and wishes us to inform his patients that he will be in Crowell on February the 3rd to do dental work. Dr. Schindler has been kept from his practice for several weeks.

Orient Heights

The contract to construct cottages on Orient Heights addition to Crowell was let to McGill & Polk, contractors and builders here, and work commenced Monday.

There are to be in all 29 five-room cottages built by the Crowell Development Co. and every person who buys a lot is entitled to a bid at a house with it. The company has already sold a large number of these lots and when the sales are completed the opening will follow, and settlement of that portion of town, no doubt, will be very rapid, since it is the most desirable for residences in the lay of the land.

This will all mean more people for Crowell and much for the development of the entire country.

TEXON TALES

Well, we've had several visitors since last report. Fred Kimsey and Bernice Halsell, both from California; young Chas. Ferguson, Capt. Ellis, Jr., and some others. All of them like our camp. We have been over to Rankin to see Mr. Ellis and he likes there fine. C. E. Ball is at Santa Rita, about two miles from here, but we're not mentioning how he likes here.

The News mentioned Big Lake's brick building last week and also Ft. Stockton's Lions Club, but they didn't know the Texon Lion Tamers Club was opening a pool hall here.

S. S. Bell says the young men are leaving the farms where he's been. It's even worse than that here—these young mutts never have even started any farming. However, we have only one farm. It is about 8 miles east and we've heard that when it's completed it will be the biggest tank farm in the world.

If we want already married we'd go to Nick's. He says he has anything in the beauty line.

Some guy up there lost his talking machine on the hi-way. Oh, well, so long as he was going to lose it the hi-way was a mighty good place. A bird down here lost his voice last week. That must be sorter like losing your talking machine. A man might lose his voice and his Victrola both and never say a word.

We're working worse than ever now and there's nothing certain about these Tales any more, but we'll have some every chance. We're Sherrough now and work 24 hours out of every 24 hours sometimes and that don't leave much time to think up bright sayings, so we will just do the best we can and that's all any other mule can do. One of the first things to come up on this job was a young feller out with his sweetie, driving down the street with one hand, hitting everybody's fenders, so we hollers, use both hands feller. He says, I would but I gotta steer this goldurn Ford.

Same as ever.

TEXON TATTLER.

A letter from Raymond Burrow a Wayland College to his parents here says he has gained 12 pounds since he went out there two weeks ago and that he thinks he has grown about one inch. He is on the football team and his picture was in Sunday's Star-Telegram.

SPLINTERS

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Published in the interest of the people of Crowell and vicinity by the Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

R. J. ROBERTS, Manager.

We have heard of several different reasons why people are waiting to build a house or do some repair work on it, but Tom Bursey has them all beat. He was in town this week and said he was going to cover his house as soon as it rained and swelled the shingles up so it wouldn't take so many to cover his house.

We read an article the other day that referred to business as "cold-blooded," but take the friendship out of business and there wouldn't be much left, would there?

Several people are lining their rooms with our 3-8" Acme Gyp board before cold weather. We are making a special price on it and if you are interested better come in at once for our stock of assorted lengths will not last long.

If you have any broken pottery or nice dishes that you want to put together, don't forget that we have that good arrow head cement.

Now is an awful good time to paint your house before the sandstorms start. We have a good supply of B. P. S. paint, shingle stains, and in fact, anything you need in the painting line.

The fellow who only works when the boss is looking is about the last man in the place to grab off the boss's job.

We could fill this space with invitations for you to "come in and see us" but we take that for granted. That's what we are here for.

Mother: "What's the matter, Johnny? Didn't the butcher have any beef?"

Johnny: "I didn't ask him. He had just sold an ox-tail to some man, and I knew that was the last part of the animal."

Did you ever hear about the sensible passenger who put glue in his soup to keep it down?

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Peas, No. 2 Standard, per can.. 14c

Cocomalt, large size 39c

Calumet Bak. Powder 10 lbs \$1.39

Macaroni, double package 11c

Lima Beans, Wapco, 3 cans... 25c

Pickles, per gallon 59c

Coffee, 3 lbs. Wamba \$1.43

Argo Corn Starch, 3 for..... 25c

Syrup, pan cake, per gal..... 59c

Corn Flakes, Kellog's, 2 pkgs.. 17c

HANEY RASOR

Where Your Trade Is Appreciated

The next meeting of the Panhandle-Plains District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in Shamrock. This city sent a large delegation to the meeting recently held in Pampa.

An advertising trip of citizens to go from Cisco to Matamoros, Mexico, via San Antonio and Brownsville, is being planned to start October 10 or 12. The trip is estimated to cost probably \$40.00 per person.

CHILDRESS MAN SHOT TO DEATH AT DANCE

Childress, Sept. 16.—Shot to death at the Green Belt filling station dance hall, just north of the Childress cemetery on the road to Wellington, George Barnes, 30, former merchant of Tell, Texas, awaits burial in the Clyde Owen undertaking parlors here.

Sheriff John Compton, who is reported to have seen the shooting, ar-

rested a man out in the country Sunday morning and placed him in the county jail. No charges have been filed.

The man jailed is said to have had a fight with Barnes a week ago and to have gotten the worst of it. Barnes, whose father died here a short time ago, is survived by his mother, who lives here.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program September 23, 1928

Subject—Serving in and through our church.

Leader—Group captain.

Study our scripture references.—E. B. McBurnett.

Lessons taught in these texts.—Bernice Schlagal.

Our churches as service stations.—Weldon Cogdell.

Why join the church?—Susie Stephens.

We meet at 7. Our programs are fine. Come early and enjoy yourself.—Reporter.

See Remington portables at News.



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