

# Board County News.

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CROWELL HAS THE BEST FUTURE OF ANY TOWN IN THE WEST--WATCH CROWELL GROW

## Bain & Witherspoon Meat Market

Has been put in first-class condition and everything is kept in tip top shape. Fresh meats at all times, the best procurable, for our customers. Headquarters for Swiss Premium Hams and Premium Breakfast Bacon. Yours to serve.

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## Swiss Lumber Co.

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One block, Local Manager.  
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Wise and conservatively managed, yet sufficiently interested in the welfare and upbuilding of this community to help in the work, is the kind of bank you want to use for the protection and safety of your money.

## FOARD COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

## JOINT EXHIBIT BY KNOX AND FOARD

Neighbor Counties Unite in Showing World Products

Knox and Foard Counties have a joint exhibit that is attracting great attention. The display is in charge of G. T. Crowell and J. W. Collins.

This exhibit is a rich one, showing the finest quality of alfalfa and prairie hay, the former sown in October and the sample being from the third cutting. There are watermelons and pumpkins of great size, cotton of the finest grade and heavy yield, nine varieties of field corn, four varieties of wheat, the average yield of which is twenty-four and seven-tenths bushels per acre, having kept this figure for the last five crops.

Oats are shown that were sown six years ago, and have volunteered every year since, the yield being sixty bushels to the acre.

There are sweet potatoes producing twelve and a half pounds to the hill, milo maize, kafir corn, beans, butter beans, red pepper, turnips, beets, peanuts and white peas of second crop and producing 20 bushels to the acre.

There is sorghum of the best description, millet, great kershaws, tomatoes, okra, cantaloupes and garden huckleberries. Fine yellow corn is shown that was grown on sod land, ten ears weighing fifteen pounds.

Successive crops grown upon the same land is a feature of the counties showing this display of products.

The above is taken from the Dallas News of Oct. 23, and speaks highly for these two adjoining counties.

It might be well to mention in this connection that Foard county won first prize on the largest pumpkin at the Fair which was the product of K. N. Keezen of near Thalia, and second on Mediterranean wheat, first prize being won by J. M. Smith of Vernon, and second by John S. Ray of Crowell.

There is little doubt that if the proper attention had been given preparation and display of our products from first to last Foard county would have won several prizes.

But everything considered, perhaps we should be proud of the splendid showing we have made. This is our first exhibit and already by reason of its excellency this county is being advertised as a country of great agricultural possibilities.

It is very noticeable that the Panhandle country in general is attracting wide attention this year as it did last as an agricultural section. Indeed it appears that it is to take the lead, not only in a few staple products but in anything that can be grown in the temperate zone.

Foard county will be heard from again. We know too well the possibilities of the soil.

B. T. Henderson and wife arrived here the first part of the week to visit his son, Ben Henderson, and family of this place. Mr. Henderson had the misfortune of accidentally swallowing a wire staple, about 5 weeks ago which is giving him much pain at times.

Phone 86 for all transfer work. We deliver for everybody.—S. E. Thompson.

## WANTS CO-OPERATION OF PEOPLE

Says Harvey Jordan, President Southern Cotton Association

Harvey Jordan, President of the Southern Cotton association, has issued a call for a convention to be held at Memphis, Tennessee, Nov. 10, 11, and 12. Every man in the entire South interested in the farmers' success is invited to lend the cause for which the farmers are striving his influence and help. No one can afford not to throw himself in line with the struggling farmers to help secure and maintain their rights. We do not believe that the farmers should make the pitiful cry that they are weighted down by unfriendly powers, but rather that their slow advancement along lines of self protection is due to their own neglect of their interests. While all other classes of professional men have formed unions for their protection the farmers have not done so until within the last few years, and they have not even yet made it a perfect organization, and so in this particular they have failed to keep pace with the world.

If anyone can not persuade himself to lend the farmer his influence out of a generous heart there is ample cause why he should do so from a standpoint affecting himself alone, for as the farmer prospers every other business prospers, with perhaps few exceptions. Every one knows that as a rule when the farmer has money to spend it is going to pass through the hands of the people. The more money he has the more will the merchant, the banker and the wage earner have. Then it is to the interest of every one to favor whatever honest and legitimate steps he may take to give him protection and insure his prosperity.

We believe, however, that their aims can be reached not by leaps and bounds, but by short steps. If the Farmers' Union as one great organization can manage to control the farmers as a whole and effect concert of action throughout the country, they can soon accomplish their purpose, and will be recognized as having a voice in saying what shall be the price of their products. And in the mean time a large degree of independence might be gained by putting more attention to products not to be marketed but to be consumed at home.

## Thalia Items

Trade has revived promptly and there can be no two opinions as to the ability of the ability of the American farmers to command good prices for his products during the fall and winter.

The predicted early freeze which is to fix the cotton crop in an alarming fashion is about to show its effect on the public is shown by advance of several points in the cotton market the last week.

We have had to reckon throughout several months with a close political contest between two great parties, one of which is pledged to a radical revision of the import tariff. This great issue will soon have been decided. Of course this protective duty which congress may or may not reduce effects us all.

Jim Long is demonstrating that the sweetpotato crop could be fine in Foard county—his yield

## C. E. Waldorf & Co.

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C. T. Herring Pres. J. C. Kelly Vice Pres. W. F. George Cashier

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This is the question agitating the minds of the American people to day. Whether or not the State or national government will pass a law whereby the people will have absolute protection for their money while deposited in the banks, while you are waiting for such protection, we invite you to investigate the individual responsibility of the Bank of Crowell, which is more than \$8,000,000 stands as a guarantee of your deposits.

**The BANK OF CROWELL**

## Notice

Have you a horse that eats ravenously and is constantly getting thinner? Does he slobber, droll, or drive on one rein and pull? Has he disagreeable habits, weak eyes or indigestion? Is there a discharge from the nostrils, hide-bound, swollen limbs, staring and death-like coat of hair? Veterinary Dentistry offers the only effective and rational treatment for any and all of these ailments, as well as numerous other troubles arising from defects of the teeth. Have your horses' teeth examined regularly by an expert. Costs no more; makes old horses eat like colts. I also do all kinds of veterinary work and will be in Crowell Saturday Oct. 31st and Monday Nov. 2nd. Bring in your horses and meet me there.

VERNON, TEX.

**Dr. E. BARNES, Vs.**

is immense.

The Thalia gin has no rest cotton is opening up so rapidly.

School begins next Monday with Prof. Long as principle.

Ben Stoton preached at Ganbol School house Sunday.

Quite a number Crowell's young people were at Thalia Sunday.

October's uncertainty over frost has given way to certainty over frost and we wish for hot winds already and watch the weather may, so as to put up our stoves before the next blizzard arrives.

Jim Meason left Friday for N. M.

The railroad talk is the talk of the hour at Thalia.

Our business men get most of their goods from Crowell now instead of Vernon.

Mr. Roberts of the Index spent several days in our midst.

C. E. Waldorf & Co., Architects and Builders have located in Crowell. See ad in this issue.

G. L. Burk is on the sick list this week.

## E. F. HART

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Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Dye-stuffs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Surgical Instruments, Books and Stationery. Also Brushes, Combs, Soaps, Extracts, Fine Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc. Every Article at the Best Quality and Lowest Price.

West Side Square  
CROWELL, TEX.

Riley Self returned home Saturday from Mineral Wells.

We are authorized to announce E. F. Hart for City Alderman.

# We Make Abstracts That Are Perfect

We write Insurance that is solid as the Rock of Gibraltar. We make long-time loans on Farm and Ranch Property. See Us Before Placing Your work **DUNN & ROGERS** Crowell,

## REMEMBER

It is at W. R. Womack's north side of square, phone 118 that you find everything in furniture, Linoleum, Matting, Rugs Art Squares, Parlor Suites, Buffets, Side boards, Shifoneers, Center tables, Rocking Chairs, etc. I have a very fine line of Rockers from \$2 to \$15 and Center tables \$1.50 to \$10.50. You must see them to appreciate them. A house jammed full of new goods and more arriving all the time—every day; so I have to sell them to make room. Come and see and you will buy. I also handle a good assortment of Wall paper, Picture moulding and ready-made frames. Make frames to order. Let me take your order for carpets. Can get them made ready to put down. Either all cotton or wool Ingrains or Brussels. A very large lot of mattresses of all kinds, \$2.50 to \$15. Coil Springs \$2.50 to \$10. Cots \$2.45 to \$7.00, \$2.70, \$3.00.

Special attention given to funeral orders at all hours, day or night, hot or cold, rain or shine. Caskets, Coffins, and Burial Robes.

**W. R. Womack**

### Fifth Cutting

The Record man happened to run across our friend C. T. Smith, this week and noticed that he was wearing an unusually broad smile on his pleasing countenance. When questioned as to the cause, he replied that he had just been figuring on the out put of his alfalfa crop for the year just closing. Mr. Smith has 15 acres in alfalfa just outside of the city limits, and is now engaged in taking care of the fifth cutting for the season. He tells us that he has put up 2900 bales of hay from this 15 acres, and that he has disposed of all that he can spare at 50 cents per bale. In other words, if he had sold the entire output at the prevailing prices, he would have received from the 15 acres \$1450.00, or nearly \$100.00 per acre. When it is remembered that this has been an unusually hard year on alfalfa growers, owing to the heavy rains and storms, this is not at all a bad showing. The lesson to be drawn from this is that while our farmers are striving to become rich growing corn, wheat and cotton, they would find the task a great deal easier, if they would devote a small portion of their time and efforts to alfalfa. There has never yet been a single man who undertook to grow this forage in Wilbarger county, who made a failure of it, when the proper pains were taken in preparing the land. This plant properly belongs with diversified farming and more of our land owners should give it more attention. It pays in a many-fold ratio.—Vernon Record.

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**Listen!** There is a vast army suffering with chronic diseases—those marching toward death and the grave, and do not realize it. Every fatal disease starts from small beginnings. Don't delay! Don't hesitate! Don't neglect yourself and drift with the tide of disease. Don't risk death by delay—Delay is dangerous—Delay is the thief of time. If some deadly disease afflicts you or some of your loved ones, and is dragging you down to the grave, do not despair, do not give up hope, do not let this opportunity pass for it may mean to you or your loved one long life, health and strength if you will call today.

**Are You Sick?** If you suffer, if you are afflicted with any ailment, if you lack the energy, vim, vigor and "go" that makes life worth living whether you are rich or poor, consult the Doctor at once, he makes no charge for consultation or examination. The Doctor's recommendation is the best. Two Diplomas from two of the best Medical Colleges in America. He has possibly had more experience and success than nine out of ten physicians in his long period of over thirty years' practice in Chronic Diseases, therefore he wants to convince you of his power over disease—to prove what his treatment will do for you, prove that he can cure you. Is the prospect of being strong and well again worth a few minutes of your time? If so, don't let this opportunity pass. Remedies that have cured thousands will certainly cure you!

**All Diseases** All afflictions that can be cured by medicine—many that others consider incurable—no matter how many you have vainly tried. Curing desperate chronic cases is my specialty. Chronic ailments are being cured every day. Thousands have been cured in the past—many just like your case. If some deadly disease afflicts you, having you in its grasp, dragging you down to the grave by sapping your vitality and life away, or if you are a victim of any chronic disease, such as Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Lung Troubles, Catarrh and Deafness, Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Partial Paralysis, Nervousness, Kidneys and Bladder, Asthma, Bronchitis, Chronic Colds and Coughs, all Skin and Blood Diseases, Scrofula, Scurvy, Erysipelas, Female Troubles, Heart Disease, Rupture, Piles, Special Diseases, Premature Decay, Lost Vitality, Hydrocele, Ulcers, Tumors and Cancers, Tired and Worn-out Feeling, Constipation, Irregular Menstruation, Nervous Exhaustion. How can you escape if you continue to neglect?

**To Those Needing Spectacles** Save your Eyes. If you need a pair of Spectacles for Headaches, Eye Strain, Nervous or poor Vision have them fitted now. The Doctor carries frames and lenses, accurately measures the focal power of each eye and fits the glass necessary for perfect vision.

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### Another Potato Crop.

W. E. Truesdell who lives near Margaret sees good profit in the production of sweet potatoes. He had a wagon load of the very best of this crop at Crowell Tuesday and we were presented with one of the largest which weighed 41-4 pounds. Mr. Truesdell says he gathered about 75 bushels on about a quarter of an acre and sold them at \$1.00 per bushel. That means 300 bushels to the acre or a crop the value of which is \$300 to the acre. Not bad by any means. If one were to figure the expense of making and gathering a crop as being very heavy, which need not be so, it beats cotton, corn or wheat mighty badly.

### The Praetorians Growing.

On next Thursday night at the Woodmen Hall there will be a large class initiated into the Praetorian Council. Deputies Keeling and Matherson are having excellent success and the members are enthusiastic. On the following week they will have the first Oyster Supper of the season.

If a farmer can make \$300 on an acre of land does it not seem that he might well afford to devote a few acres to a crop that will make that while he is cultivating hundreds of acres that will only make \$50.

J. E. Boardman, Jeweler at Hart's Drug Store has just received a new line of optical goods. See him for specially ground lenses for your spectacles. He is prepared to fit your eyes with the highest grade of glasses.

C. C. Fox, who lives near town called at this office yesterday and ordered the News a year for himself, and also sent it to L. P. Rader at Morris, Okla. for a year.

All knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle at once.—James Ashford.

Get your ticket early for the clock at Quinn's.

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All work done right at reasonable prices.

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The Crowell V. C. Herman Allison Clerk.

### Notice

No hunting, fishing or trespassing allowed in the Halseil pasture.—Furd Halseil.

FOR SALE—223 acres of first-class farming land, all level, 4 miles from Crowell, on public road, well situated, terms easy. See Dr. A. C. Cates.

# Local and Personal News

SWITZER Lumber Company. Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. Boy Dozier attended the Fair this week.

A. Brian was up from Thalia Tuesday.

See the Curlee special pants at Allison's.

M. J. Frierson returned Sunday from Albany.

J. H. Dunagan is teaching in the absence of Mrs. Britt.

Mrs. D. C. Greer is visiting relatives at Rome, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Roberts were here from Thalia Tuesday.

SWITZER on block east of court house.

Old ladies' felt line shoes for \$1.50 at Allison's.

Mesdames Klepper and Horton visited the office Tuesday.

Figure with the SWITZER Lumber Company.

Boys, a big shipment of new boys and ties at Allison's.

Harry Adams was out Wednesday for the first time since his sickness.

Tom Greenwood went to Quanah Saturday night returning Monday.

Miss Lourena Cope is clerking for R. B. Edwards this week.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. A real heavy warm overshirt for 50 cents at Allison's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bond visited the News office Tuesday.

Nobby Stetson hats in all the new shapes and colors at Allison's.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. Abe Allee is working in G. A. Mitchell's cotton yard.

Guaranteed all wool shirts two for \$5.00 at Allison's.

Miss Lela Foreman spent last week with Mrs. Alexander at Thalia.

Highest price paid for eggs and butter at the City Bakery. L.—Goeman.

Miss Minnie Magee of Guthrie is visiting the family of R. M. Magee at this place.

1500 yards of outing remnants for quilts extra good at 6c a yd at Allison's.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. A good assortment of wall paper in stock and sample books from which to order if I haven't what you want.—B. F. Ringgold.

G. A. Burks and I. M. Cates left Wednesday for Dallas to attend the Fair.

Notice the ad of Perkins-Watkins Dry Goods Co., of Quanah.

Let the News make your visiting cards. We have the cards and want to sell them.

James Krull left Sunday for his old home at La Grange, Texas, to witness the marriage of his older brother.

Rev. C. M. Shufler, of Plainview, delivered a very interesting lecture at the Methodist Church Monday night on Submission.

W. F. Thomason has built some large coal bins on the west side of his feed store.

The C. T. Herring Lumber Co. is building a large house just across the street from the Gents Furnishing store to be occupied by C. F. Gibson's saddle shop.

Mrs. Isabelle Beverly, of Plano, mother of Mrs. T. L. Hughton and J. W. and T. M. Beverly, is visiting relatives and friends in Crowell.

Banister Bros. & Logan and The Elite Confectionery have combined and moved into the new building just south of the one occupied by Banister Bros. & Logan.

J. M. Rutherford and wife are at Chillicothe for a month, but will return to Crowell after that time.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. J. M. Denton, of Cottonwood, will soon begin the erection of a new 6-room house in the southwest part of town where he has purchased two acres of land from E. P. Bomar.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. Mrs. Isabel Hyde and children of Knox City are visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hallmark here.

Presbyterians will have services in the Christian Church next Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock; also at night at usual hour. All Presbyterians are expected to attend. All others are cordially invited.—S. O. Woods.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. Banister & Bell are erecting a house for Phil Witherspoon in the southwest part of town.

D. M. Shultz and M. F. Meadows from the eastern part of the county were in town Wednesday and made our office an appreciated call. Mr. Meadows is a new addition to our subscription list.

Those who know themselves indebted to me, and have been owing me for more than 30 days, will be expected to pay promptly in full by the 1st. This applies to those who have not made special arrangements. I need my money and positively, will not wait or take flimsy excuses. Don't wait for me to have to call your attention to this again.—W. R. Womack.

Rev. W. H. Howard, Presiding Elder, will be with us to hold a short review of conference just after the 11 o'clock service next Sunday morning. We urge all of our members to be present as we want everything closed up at that time for the conference year.—W. T. Gray, Pastor.

L. D. Smith, H. B. Ward and wife, and W. J. Williams and wife were over from Quanah last Friday night and conferred the "Good Samaritan" degree on the members of the Chapter of Royal Arch Masons and their wives. After the work was done everyone was seated at tables where a most sumptuous supper was served.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer. Every man that enters business may expect to experience the displeasure of dealing with people of "tiny" principle. If you don't do like they want you to do they become sour-faced, droop lipped and ugly, and if you act upon your first impulse you are liable to become like them, but upon a second thought, you are inclined rather to pity them in their unfortunate condition.

Strayed One bay mare branded H E Y on left hind ham, a wire cut on front muscle. She has a little white on her back. Reward will be paid for return. Report to News.

New Warehouse J. C. Dunn is building a 24x50 warehouse to the rear end of his grocery building in which to store oils, salt, etc. The building will be a valuable addition to his business.

Best in Existence "I sincerely believe, all things considered, that Hunt's Lightning Oil is the most useful and valuable household remedy in existence. For Cuts, Burns, Spoons and Insect Bites it has no equal, so far as my experience goes." C. E. Huntington, Eufla, Ala. Sold by all druggists.

... muled bull connected, on left and split in left ear... slope in right ear... reward for information. A. Brian, Thalia, Texas.

### Some Fine Turnips

The News is indebted to D. M. Shultz this week for some fine turnips. We have seen many excellent samples of these products but these compare favorably with the very best. Mr. Shultz lives about midway between Margaret and Thalia in a portion of the county especially adapted to products of garden and orchard, but which is not confined to these, for it is the best portion of the county for corn and is hard to surpass in the quality of wheat.

### Court Convenes

District Court convened Monday with Judge Huff on the bench and District Attorney Haray Mason present, besides the members of the local bar. The judge's charge to the grand jury was short, calling their attention in a general way to their duty and urging strict execution of same. Special attention was given to the game law, the protection of the rights of individuals against parties making threats against others through anonymous letters, and the protection of people against the use of profane and vulgar language on the streets and in places where people congregate and pass.

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### No Hunting

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### They Should

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### Strayed

From my place 4 miles east of Crowell one Poland China sow, will weigh about 300 lbs., has no marks on the nose has been trimmed to keep from roting. Will pig sometime soon. \$5 reward for information as to her whereabouts.—W. E. Whitfield

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# Vannoy, McKown & Company

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Hat Pins 25c to \$1.00  
Vail Pins 25c to \$1.00  
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COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK: FITE CROWELL  
COUNTY JUDGE: G. L. BURK  
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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PREC. 1: W. H. LAWSON  
COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4: T. S. PATTON  
PUBLIC WEIGHTER: G. A. MITCHELL

**City Announcements:**

Fees for City Announcements \$1.50.  
For Marshal  
JIM GAFFORD  
Geo. W. Johnson.  
For Alderman  
CHAS. M. CHURCH

For a few years Crowell has been shipping in much of the vegetables and fruit consumed here but it is not improbable that within a year or two this county will be sending the same to other localities in Texas.

The women in New York made a rush for W. J. Bryan the other day in effort to kiss him, some of them succeeding. Many a defeated candidate would have counted his campaign a success if he had met with the same experience, and if the practice could be extended to the counties and precincts, the country newspapers might enjoy a rich harvest of announcement fees every two years, and the candidates might want election year to come every twelve months.

**GREAT RIBBON AND LACE SALE**

**FOR ONE WEEK ONLY**

Commencing Oct. 24, and Ending Oct. 31.

Have received an immense quantity at a price that we can sell cheaper than any other house. Truly a value extraordinary. Nothing can brighten the face more than a clean dainty bow in the hair or a ribbon around the neck.

Very handsome quality Imported Taffeta Ribbons: Colors, Light blue, Pink, Mais, Champagne, Peacock, Navy, Old Rose, Cardinal, Myrtle, Gray, Light and Dark brown. With 5 inches, 35c values, now 20c per yd.

A fine quality and unusual value, all silk Imported Ribbon, 6-1-2 inches wide, in colors, 50c values, now 25c per yard.

All Silk Taffeta Ribbon 7 inches wide, comes in Dresden design, with stripe and border, price 75c values, now 40c per yd.

**Laces**

ENGLISH TORCHON LACE  
1-1-2 in. wide 7 1-2c val. now per yd 4c  
" " " 12 1-2c " " " 9c  
2 " " " 15 1-2c " " " 10c  
Bows tied 10c extra

**Insertion**

ins. 1 1-2 in. wide 7 1-2c val. now per yd 3c  
2 1-2 " " 12 1-5c " " " 8c

**Pillow Case Laces**

2 in. wide 16 2-3c val. now per yd 8c  
3 " " " 15 " " " 7c

**J. K. Quinn**

It is a coward that will conceal himself in the darkness and strike his fellowman down unexpectedly as he passes by. The same kind of person sends threatening letters to his fellow farmers commanding them to do thus and so. These cowards may annoy and even in instances terrorize the public, but more than likely their chief aim is to create sensations. Whatever may be their purpose they should be quelled wherever they may be imposing themselves upon the public under the name of night riders, if it takes the State Militia to do it.

**WE ARE YOURS TO SERVE**

A general line of Confectioneries and all nicely served. Ice cream all the time.

**THE ELITE CONFECTIONERY**

**"HELO CENTRAL!"**

"Give Me No. 19."

I want something to eat; that is why I want No. 19. I always get something good and get it when I want it when I trade at the old reliable Grocery Firm of

**Hays & Battle** Northwest Square.

**PINKERTON & ALLEN**

The Tanners and Sheet Iron Workers

(Crowell & Johnson Stand)

Tanks and Flues Made to Order; Tin Roofing, Guttering, etc.  
Well Casing and Large Tanks a Specialty  
CROWELL, Texas

JOE W. BEVERLY TOM M. BEVERLY

**Beverly & Beverly**

Real Estate, Loans, Abstracts

Six sections of choice sandy land is now on the market in 100 acre at from \$20 to \$40 per acre. This is the Macdonald farm and ranch near Rayland. We also have about 4,000 acres of smooth, black stiff land especially adapted to wheat growing. Will cut in any size wanted and give easy terms. Several improved farms in the country. We also own and offer for sale a large list of Crowell town lots. Some special bargains in Beverly and Martin addition to Crowell.

**W Store, New Goods**

Have you ever bought a suit of clothes from us? If you have not just give us a call and let us prove to you that we will give you a true value. We will sell Schwab Honest Clothes made for fit and durability. For every Schwab suit sold we have a satisfied customer, one who will come back when he needs another suit. Our lines we offer for \$10.00 and \$15.00 can't be beat also others from \$20.00 to \$25.00. We will save you money on your clothing this fall; try us. We are also receiving daily new goods, such as Men's and Boys' Heavy Underwear, Men's Pants in the Flat Iron Brand from \$2.50 to \$6.50. Walk-Over and Clapp Shoes from \$3.00 to \$6.50. Belts, and Neckwear from 25c to 75c. new line of Men's Hose in the latest shades, in the greens and tans from 10c to 75c. Lion Hats, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.00. A nice line of Suit Cases from \$1.50 to \$8.50. Wool Overshirts from \$1.00 to \$1.50 Give us a call and figure with us on fall clothing and shoes; we will save you money as we sell for cash.

**A. H. Clark & Co. The CASH STORE**

Second Door North of Post Office

**Hearst and Haskell**

It now appears that Hearst will get the worst of the attempt to down Haskell by his slanderous words and writings. While he was passing through Nebraska the other day an officer entered the train to arrest Hearst on the charge of slander as a suit had been prepared by Haskell against him and notice served that it would be brought. When the officer demanded entrance into Hearst's car, his wife refused him admittance, saying that he had gone to the depot to send a telegram, but the officer refusing to believe her statement proceeded to enter the sleeper by bursting down the door. Mr. Hearst was found trying to hide himself in the closet and notice was served on a man that couldn't face the music.

It is more likely that Gov. Haskell will make the rank libeler sorry that he has been so free with tongue and pen, and public sentiment, if lost to any degree by Haskell, will be speedily regained. There can little, if any good, come from such a man as Hearst. The whole force of his life is towards evil and his aim is not to destroy but to create evil.

**For Marshal.**

We are authorized to place the name of G. W. Johnson before the voters of Crowell as a candidate for election to the office of city marshal, Nov. 6th. Mr. Johnson is an old citizen of this county and has resided in Crowell for some time. He promises that if elected he will leave no duty unperformed but will see that faithful, just and efficient service is rendered. He is worthy the consideration of the voters and in his promise of the very best service he can wholly relied upon.



# The Sturdy Stamp of Success

Is indelibly written in the foreground of any business enterprise with the same unmistakable clearness of characters as though they were human beings. People like to make their purchases at the store that shows signs of life and hustle and the store that offers most for your hard-earned money.

We Offer to Divide Our Small Margin of Profit with You from Now until the Holiday

## OUR PROPOSITION IS THIS: ONE FIFTH OFF IN PREMIUMS

a \$25.00 Purchase We Give a Beautiful Painting, Value of which is.....\$5.00

a \$75.00 Purchase We Give a Beautiful Gold Watch, Value of which is.....\$15.00

Goods on this offer must be paid for on the day of purchase. We absolutely guarantee each item to be better for the same money than you can buy from any concern in West Texas

Special Dress Goods	Wash Goods	Staple Goods	Line of Specialties
<b>Showing</b>	Nice Red Seal dress Gingham only per yard 12-12c	<b>The Old Time Low Prices Prevail</b>	Ladies Dutenhofer dress shoes only \$2.50
Liberty Satin 27 inches wide in all colors only per yard \$1.00	Nice A F C dress gingham good styles only 10c	Good 36-inch brown Domestic only per yard 4c	Ladies Princess dress shoes only \$3.00
Nice All Wool Tricot in all colors per yd only 25c	Nice Plannelette good styles only per yard 10c	Good 36-inch Sea Island only per yard 5c	Ladies queen quality dress shoes only \$3-3.50 and 4
Nice double width Shark Skin all colors per yd only 35c	Nice Mohair Suiting good styles per yard only 10c	Extra Good 36-inch Sea Island Domestic only per yard 6c	Men's Packard dress shoes only \$3.50
Nice all wool Mohair in all colors per yard only 50c	Nice Arnold novelties good styles per yard only 20c	Good 7-8 Bleach Domestic only per yard 5c	Men's Boston Favorite dress shoes only \$3.50
Nice all wool Batist in all colors per yard only 50c	Nice Kimona cloth good styles per yard only 15c	Good 36-inch Bleach Domestic only per yard 6c	Men's Stacy & Adams dress shoes only \$5.00
Nice all wool Serge in all colors per yard only 50c		Best 36-inch Hope Bleach Domestic only per yard 8c	
Beautiful French stripe Panama \$1.00	<b>White Lawn</b>	Best 36-inch Gold Medal Bleach Domestic 8c	<b>Shoe Specials</b>
Beautiful French Ottoman cloth \$1.00	Nice white lawn only per yard 5c	Good Round Thread Cottor Checks only per yard 4c	Men's Corner Stone \$2 satin calf shoes only \$1.50
Beautiful French Serge \$1.00	Fine white lawn only per yard 10c	Best Round Thread Cottor Checks only per yard 5c	Men's Star calf \$2 oil grain shoes now only \$1.50
Beautiful Chiffon Broad cloth \$1.00	<b>Outing</b>	Best Mississippi Shirting only per yard 10c	Men's Regent \$5.50 box calf shoes now only \$2.00
	Nice heavy outing only per yard 5c	Good Check Ginghams only per yd 4c	Men's Monarch \$3 box calf shoes now \$2.50
	Extra heavy outing only per yard 8-13c		Home Journal Patterns 10c and 15c
	The best heavy outing only per yard 10c		

Quanah, Texas

PerKins-Watkins Company

Quanah, Texas

## Few Suits

Ever fitted perfectly and gave proper service and wear, unless a tailor made them to order. The best tailors in America make our clothes and stitch into them faultless style, finement, fit and durability. 1500 "fussy" samples now on display at

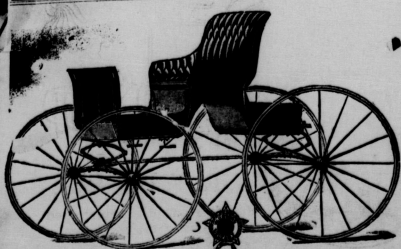
Parker & Edwards' Tailor Shop

## Banister Bros.

CONFECTIONERY

Everything in the line of up-to-date confectioneries kept. Good wholesome drinks of all kinds. Cigars and Tobaccos. First-class Short Order in connection.

## Buggies and Implements



If you want an up-to-date buggy see us. We will have a car load of the celebrated W. O. Brown work in this week.

DUNN & JOHNSON

**Citation**  
The State of Texas,  
To L. G. Gibson, and the  
Kansas City, Mexico & Orient  
Railway Company, of Texas:

Whereas, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1908, the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway Company of Texas, filed before the Hon. G. L. Burk, County Judge of Foard County, Texas, a certain petition in condemnation wherein said Railway Company seeks to condemn for depot grounds and approaches a certain parcel of land in Crowell, Foard county, Texas, viz: Lot No. 2 in Block No. 156, in the said town of Crowell, according to the recorded plat thereof.

And whereas, the undersigned F. W. Alger, H. E. Ferguson and J. W. Allison, three disinterested freeholders, of Foard county, Texas, have been appointed as special commissioners by said County Judge to assess the value of said lands sought to be condemned, and the damages, if any, incident thereto.

Therefore this is to notify you that said special commissioners will convene in the office of the County Judge of Foard county, Texas, at the court house in the town of Crowell, in said county, at 2 o'clock P. M., November 20, A. D. 1908, when and where they will proceed to the condemnation of said lot as provided by law.

And whereas, it appears from the affidavit of L. C. Anderson, Attorney for petitioner, that the residence of the said L. G. Gibson is unknown, it is therefore ordered by us, the undersigned commissioners, that this notice in condemnation be served by publication as provided by law, and that the Sheriff of Foard County, Texas, make due return of service of this notice according to the Statute in such case

made and provided.

Dated at Crowell, Texas, this 17th day of October, A. D. 1908.

J. W. Allison,  
H. E. Ferguson,  
F. W. Alger,

Special Commissioners.  
I certify the foregoing is a true copy of the original citation.  
John S. Ray, Sheriff,  
Foard county, Texas.

### Margaret Items

David Covington and little brother, Joe, was over from Big Valley Saturday and Sunday.

Last Monday night Mr. T. D. White gave the young people a party. Everyone had a fine time. We served chocolate bonbons which were fine.

The prayer meeting is progressing nicely but would be better if more of the people would come out and help.

Mrs. McGuirter died at her home across Pease river last Sunday night of old age. Her remains were taken to the cemetery Monday for burial.

The musical entertainment given at Mr. Russell's Saturday night was well attended.

The railroad is now completed to the river, and the pile driver is working on the bridge.

Verda Dunn is attending the Quanah high school this year.

There will be a box supper at Margaret Saturday night for the purpose of getting money to pay on the Baptist church at new Margaret.

Bro. Cadwell will preach here Sunday.

The pile driver is quite a show for the people.

School will begin here the first Monday in December.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Middlebrook are the parents of a fine girl which arrived on the 11th of Oct.

The Margaret merchants have moved to new Margaret.  
Blue Belle.



## Ferguson Bros.

Dealers in

PURE DRUGS

Northwest Corner Square,

Crowell, Texas

## H. A. Hunter, Liveryman



First-class rigs and reliable drivers.

Transit teams a specialty.

Transfer from Crowell to Quanah.  
Will meet all evening and morning trains to Quanah.

J. C. DUNN

## The Grocer AT THE CORNER ROCK

Has bought the Bryson & Stanford stock of groceries and will be found conducting business at the same old stand. A general line of Groceries, Queensware, Chinaware and Glassware will be handled. A Share of your patronage solicited. Kind and courteous treatment guaranteed to all customers.

J. C. DUNN

# SPECIAL

## For the Next Few Weeks

Millinery at Greatly Reduced Prices. Examine the Following Prices  
 Our sales in the Millinery Department have been above expectations. Miss Hardy wishes to make this the best season in her history, and therefore is willing to let the balance of her hats go at the following greatly reduced prices

\$8.00 hats will go for.....	<b>\$6.00</b>	\$5.00 hats will go for.....	<b>\$3.75</b>	\$3.00 hats will go for.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
\$7.00 hats will go for.....	<b>\$5.50</b>	\$4.00 hats will go for.....	<b>\$2.75</b>	\$2.00 hats for.....	<b>\$1.25</b>
				\$1.00 hats for.....	<b>65c</b>

We've the right corset for your figure. Mighty few well-dressed women that do not appreciate the importance of correct corseting, especially such a season as this. You will find the latest styles in the AMERICAN BEAUTY.

No. 14. Tapering waist.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
No. 906. Medium length, extra hip.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
No. 143. Tapering waist.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
No. 626. Tapering waist.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
No. 2009. Extra long back, extended hip.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Girdles 25c and 50c.	

### Fleecy Outing Night Robes

Men's and Women's--Generously fashioned, cozy, too soft and fleecy to irritate the tenderest garments, the new ones just unpacked:

Women's gowns.....	50c	60c	75c	1.25
Children's gowns.....	5c	65c	1.25	1.00
Men's.....				1.00

Wonderful Gains in  
**Bleached Damask**

Large Matrimonial Agent, but will ends bought prices will go for  
 wait a few days, I have aration.—The  
 ends bought prices will go for  
 weeks at special prices.

Good 60c and 75c values full bleached per yard.....	<b>25c</b>
Other values up to.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
	<b>\$1.50</b>

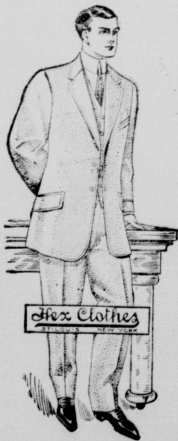
**R. B. Edwards**  
 The  
**Store Ahead**

### Sole Agent For the "EMPRESS"

line of Ladies' Coats, Suits and Skirts. The finest line of Ladies' Coats ever exhibited in Ford county with prices to suit the purchaser. Prices \$2.75 to \$18.75. Come in and be convinced.

### Extra Values in Clothing

For the past two weeks we have received several express shipments of suits, and can therefore show you a complete line of high grade clothing, a line that guarantees satisfaction. No jobbers' stock of clothing on hand. Every suit made for R. B. Edwards. Therefore we are in position to guarantee satisfaction. Have also received a lot of Boys' suits with Knickerbocker pants.



#### REMNANTS

Our Remnant counter will overflow with rare bargains for the next few weeks. Thousands of yards of Prints, Ginghams, Domestic, C Flannel, Outings, Laces, Table Damask, Percales, Shirts and Fancy Dress Goods, will be placed on our remnant counter.

#### Note the following

54 in. Bloddcloth, Green, Blue and Brown.....	<b>69c</b>
36 in. Full Bleached Domestic 20 yds for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Washington Kerman Percales 16 2-3 yds for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Good prints, 25 yards for.....	<b>\$1.00</b>

The Store Ahead

**R. B. Edwards**

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