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SELF HOME IS SCENE OF 50TH ANNIVERSARY

ENTERTAINING PAGEANT PRESENTED BEFORE 150 PEOPLE; MANY INTERESTING FAMILY EVENTS PORTRAYED

The history of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Self of this city was turned back fifty years Wednesday evening in a pageant, "As Ye Were," on the lawn of the Self home, in connection with the festivities commemorating the golden wedding anniversary of this couple. Major events in their lives, from the proposal to the present time, were depicted in the very interesting real life drama which was presented from actual happenings by Mrs. Reid Williams of Loveland, Colorado, formerly Miss Una Self, daughter of the honored pair.

About one hundred and fifty people, including a number of out-of-town relatives and friends, were gathered on the lawn on the north side of the attractive home to witness the entertaining and touching scenes that took place during the evening. The large locusts and the beautiful moon, almost directly overhead, fitted so perfectly into the scheme of the evening that it seemed that nature had provided them for just such an occasion.

After all had registered the guests were seated before the stage which was placed directly in front of the garage. Considerable hilarity was caused, even before the actual ceremonies started, by the advertisements of pioneer merchants of Crowell on the stage curtain. Humorous comments, informally voiced by Charlie Thompson, on the ads brought forth much laughter. All of the ads were for local business firms with the exception of one which read, "Vote for Local Option."

Pageant Opens

George Self, master of ceremonies, was the first person appearing on the stage. He greeted the guests and told of the plan worked out for the evening.

Just preceding the first act, "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnet" was sung by the chorus consisting of the entire cast, all of whom stood behind the curtain.

The first act pictured Miss Allison Self as Miss Lula Thompson and Ragsdale Lanier as J. H. (Jim) Self joy riding in an ox wagon near their home in Denton County in the year of 1880. Jim boldly proposed marriage, stating they had known each other for three long weeks. Lula stated her father might not like the idea because Jim was a blue-blooded Yankee and Republican, just recently coming from Missouri, however, the young lover promised that he would even become a Baptist and a Democrat to win her hand and Lula accepted, even promising to prepare hot suppers on Sunday. "I love you and I will be loving you fifty years from now," Jim stated while embracing his sweetheart as the curtain was drawn.

Miss Peggy Thompson, a niece of Mrs. Self, followed this act by reading, "An Old Sweetheart of Mine."

First Quarrel

The first quarrel of the newly-weds was shown in the second act. After straining the milk Jim mentioned that old Jersey must have known that it was Sunday and was taking a rest, to which Lula replied that everyone should rest on Sunday. Sitting down to a cold supper, Jim found plenty of room for complaint

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Thalia Beats Crowell; Medicine Mound Loses

Thalia defeated Crowell by a score of 22 to 8 at the Thalia park Sunday afternoon. The game could not have been played under more unfavorable conditions as a heavy sandstorm lasted throughout the afternoon. Numerous errors were made by both teams. R. Mints and Bailey were batteries for Thalia. Jackson, Bell and Henry, pitchers, and LaRue were batteries for Crowell. In the last three innings Henry pitched and allowed only two hits and two runs, both of which were made on an error.

Crowell defeated Medicine Mound last Thursday 22 to 16. Crowell made 19 hits to 16 for the visitors. Bell and LaRue for Crowell, and Hayhurst and Major for Medicine Mound, were batteries. Jack Roberts Jr. did unusual work at second base. Crowell is scheduled to play Fargo here Sunday afternoon.

Rialto Has Strong Line of Talkies for the Rest of July

July will be a banner month for moving picture fans of this section, according to the pictures that the Rialto has booked for this month. Such pictures as "Under a Texas Moon," "Navy Blues," "Movietone Follies of 1930," "Free and Easy," with Buster Keaton; "Anna Christie" with Greta Garbo; "They Had to See Paris" with Will Rogers and other pictures equally as good will be shown.

The complete program for the month is shown in the Rialto ad on page 8.

John Rason Installed As Rotary President at Luncheon Wed.

John Rason was installed as president of the Crowell Rotary Club at its luncheon Wednesday, succeeding T. N. Bell. Other officers of the Rotary Club for the new year are Eli Smith, Vice-president; Mack Boswell, secretary-treasurer; Russell Beverly, John Ray and T. N. Bell, directors.

The retiring president was presented with a fountain pen as a token of appreciation from the members for the service he has rendered the club during the past year. Mr. Henry mentioned that Mr. Bell's attendance at the Rotary affairs had been practically one hundred per cent, including local luncheons, district conferences and the international convention at Dallas last summer.

The report of activities of the past year and the financial statement was given by Mack Boswell.

In taking over his duties as president, Mr. Rason stated that he was going to do all that was in his power in the interest of the club and asked co-operation of the members in helping to make the new year in Rotary a success. He also paid tribute to the faithful work of T. N. Bell as president of the club. Mr. Rason will attend a district conference of Rotary officials at Abilene Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. R. L. Watt and E. W. Newton, Rotarians of Quannah, were present at the luncheon.

Meets Nieces for First Time in 52 Years Last Week

J. A. "Uncle Jimmy" Ashford met two of his nieces for the first time in 52 years as they got off the bus here last Thursday afternoon. It was in 1888 that Mr. Ashford last saw them in Coleman county. The nieces are Mrs. Laura George, who lives five miles east of Brownwood, and Mrs. Mattie Steele, of Mills County. They are the daughters of Mr. Ashford's oldest brother.

Mr. Ashford stated that he can see the old family favor in them. He says that Mrs. George favors his mother and Mrs. Steele favors his sister. Each of the nieces have four children, all of whom are married.

Communication with his nieces was established in April by Mr. Ashford who happened to talk to a man from Brown County and learned that his nieces were still in that section, and proceeded to write them. One is 69 years of age and the other is 64. They planned to visit here one week.

ATTEND COWBOY REUNION

B. J. Glover, Lee Ribble and R. J. Thomas attended the Texas Cowboy's Reunion at Stamford last week. Hundreds of men who were engaged in working cattle on the range prior to 1895 were registered during the reunion and organization of the old-time cowboys was perfected and an annual meeting of them will be held.

Three Men Wanted in Andrews County Are Apprehended

Sheriff Miller captured three men during the early hours of the morning Monday near Foard City, who are charged with the theft of an automobile and forty casings and tubes at Andrews, Texas, where it is alleged that they broke into a garage and took a new Chevrolet and other material.

Mr. Miller received word about this theft which took place on June 22nd. At about three o'clock Sunday morning he received a telephone call that someone was trying to break a lock at the Gulf Service Station, formerly Johnson's station. Upon Miller's arrival there the parties had disappeared after breaking into a soda pop box.

He then drove to Foard City and saw a car drive out of the filling station at Canup's Garage. He forced it to a halt after a short chase and found that the car they were in was the one reported stolen at Andrews. It had license plates that were stolen off a Ford at Sweetwater. He got in the car with the men and returned to Crowell where he placed them in jail. Henry Ferguson, son of Tom Ferguson, accompanied Mr. Miller on the chase and returned with Miller's car.

The names and addresses given by the men were: J. Hamet of Denton; Joe Grant of Seminole, Oklahoma, and J. C. Morris of Houghton. They were caught at about 4 a. m.

The Delux Cafe was broken into Sunday night and two dollars in silver and several cartons of cigarettes were taken. Local officers believe that these three men were connected with this job also. It is also presumed that they were making an attempt to break into Canup's Garage at Foard City, according to Mr. Miller.

Andrews County officers arrived in Crowell Wednesday and the three men were turned over to them.

POPULATION OF FOARD CO. FOR 1930 IS 6,313

GAIN OF 32.98 PER CENT IS MADE LAST 10 YEARS; JUSTICE PRECINCT ONE GAINS 77 PER CENT

Foard County's population, taken as of April 1, 1930, is 6,313, according to a preliminary count of the returns of the census furnished the News and county officials by Owen M. Unger of Plainview, supervisor of the census for this district.

This is a gain of 1,566, or 32.98 per cent over the population shown in the 1920 census, which was 4,747. The figures for the 1930 census are preliminary and are subject to correction.

There were 720 farms enumerated within the area of Foard County for the 1930 census. In 1920 there were 619 farms, however, the 1925 farm census showed 874 farms.

The first time that a census of Foard County was taken was in 1900 and at that time the population was 1,568, or almost exactly the number of people that Foard County has gained in the past decade. In 1910 the population was 5,726.

Crowell's population of 1,946 is a little over thirty per cent of the population of the entire county. Thalia's population was recently announced as 271.

There were only 47 reported on the Unemployment Schedule that are usually working at a gainful occupation that were without a job, able to work, and looking for a job. This is very low in comparison to the reports of other counties. Unemployment in Hardeman County was placed at 232, in Knox 191, and in Cottle at 131.

Precinct One

The population of Justice Precinct No. 1, including Crowell, is 3,192 as compared with 1,801 on January 1, 1920, a gain of 1,391, or more than 77 per cent. Slightly over half the population of the entire county lives in this precinct.

There were 247 farms enumerated in this area, compared with 154 in 1920.

There were 36 unemployed in this precinct, leaving only 11 unemployed for the rest of the county.

Other Counties

Hardeman County was given a population of 14,532, as compared with 12,487 in 1920, a gain of 2,045 or 16 per cent. There were 1,390 farms in the county.

Knox County has 11,366 this year, as compared with 9,240 in 1920. The gain was 2,126 or 23 per cent. The county had 460 farms.

Cottle County's population is 9,395, compared with 6,901 in 1920, a gain of 2,494 per cent. Cottle had 1,047 farms.

Instructions Given for Absentee Voters

Those who expect to be out of the county at the time of the Democratic primary on July 29th may vote in this election by appearing at the office of the county clerk, not more than ten days before the election and less than three, and marking the ballot at that time.

If a person plans to leave the county more than ten days before the election, he may make application at the clerk's office for a ballot to be mailed him. This application may be made after July 26th. The clerk will then mail a ballot to the applicant who must mark it in the presence of a Notary Public and then return it to the clerk by registered mail.

Double-Header Ball Feature of July 4th

A double-header baseball game between Crowell and Seymour will be one of the principal features in Crowell for the Fourth of July. Seymour is bringing one of the strongest teams to Crowell that has yet played here. Their players will also be dolled out in their new uniforms.

Manager O. O. Hollingsworth of the Crowell club, stated that Crowell is in good shape for the game and that the two teams should present an interesting contest in their two games here on the Fourth. Julian Madole, well known pitcher of this section, will pitch one of the games for Crowell, according to Mr. Hollingsworth.

The proceeds of this game will go to the local ball players, who have played all season without remuneration.

The first game will start at 2:30 p. m. in order that both games may be over before the country club picnic takes place.

CANDIDATE SPEAKING

Ravland will be the scene of a speaking for political candidates of Ford and Wilbarger counties and district candidates. The Parent-Teachers Association will have ice cream and cold drinks for sale.

The people of Good Creek have asked the News to extend an invitation to all the candidates to be present at a speaking at the school house in their community on Saturday, July 12th.

TRAFFIC OVER LOCAL HI-WAYS IS INCREASED

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT COUNT SHOWS AVERAGE OF 1,229 VEHICLES PASSING THROUGH CROWELL DAILY

An accurate check of the vehicular traffic on the two highways passing through Crowell was taken for four days by the State Highway Department, starting Saturday, June 20th, and ending at midnight on July 1st. In this time there were an average of 611 vehicles per day traveling on State Highway No. 28, running through Crowell, east and west. On highway No. 51, north and south, there were an average of 618 vehicles per day. Practically all of these vehicles were autos and trucks, with an occasional horse drawn wagon.

This is a considerable increase over the count taken at the same time last year. Last year there were 534 vehicles on No. 28 and 350 on No. 51 for the daily average.

The increase in traffic on No. 51 was astounding this year, even passing the traffic on No. 28 by an average of 7 cars daily. The average per day this year on 51 was 268 more than the average of last year. The average on 28 this year was 67 more than that of last year.

A more unfavorable time for taking this count could not have been chosen by the State Highway Department. The excessive heat and high winds on Saturday and Sunday, followed by an extra hot day Monday, and then by threatening clouds and showers over this section Tuesday had much to do in reducing traffic. Such conditions did not exist when the count was taken last year.

Curtis Ribble, foreman of the maintenance department of this section, stated that a very noticeable decrease in traffic over the highways of this section had occurred in the last ten days, due especially to the exceedingly hot weather, and that if the count had been taken most any time before or after, it would have been considerably larger, he believed. In a short while tourist travel will increase to a great extent.

The total number of vehicles counted for each day follows: Highway 28—Saturday, 681; Sunday, 632; Monday, 636; and Tuesday, only 495; Highway 51—Saturday, 632; Sunday, 556; Monday, 601; and Tuesday, 684.

The average number of cars and trucks from out of the state passing over Highway 51 each day was 65. The average over Highway 28 was 42. There was an average of 27 on Highway 51 last year and an average of 63 on No. 28.

The count on 51 was taken at the concrete dip near the Gamble farm, about two miles south of Crowell. On Highway No. 28 it was taken about four miles east near the J. W. Bell place. A. F. Wright and Dwight Campbell were checkers for No. 28 and Sam Howard and L. V. Johnson for No. 51. A 24-hour check was made this year. No check was made last year from 12 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Maintenance funds are allowed by the Highway Department on the basis of this count. The budget for the next fiscal year, which begins September 1st, is now being prepared by highway officials.

From the count just made there was an average of 1,229 vehicles passing through Crowell daily, compared with 884, shown in the count of last year. This number will very likely increase later on.

No Rain Recorded in Crowell During June

Not enough rain fell in Crowell during June to be measured, according to the First State Bank, official weather recorders for Crowell. A few nice showers fell during the month in some parts of the county. Last year 2.10 inches fell during June and the year before that over six inches fell in June. Rain amounting to 1.80 inches fell here during May, according to the First State Bank's records.

Many Local People at Quannah Rotary Meet

Those attending the Rotary ladies night program held at Lake Pauline club house last Thursday evening from Crowell were Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Williams, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly, Miss Elsie Schindler, Miss Ruth Ferguson, Miss Martha Schlagal, Miss Allison Self, B. W. Self, H. E. Ferguson and Mack Boswell.

Rotary Clubs of Crowell, Quannah, Vernon, Childress, and Memphis were represented at the meeting. Mrs. T. N. Bell provided two vocal solos that made a great hit for Crowell's part of the program. The absence of a piano at the club house prevented the presentation of other numbers for Crowell's part on the program.

Miss Alone Lanier and Miss Leona Morris had their tonsils removed at the Crowell Hospital this week.

Death Takes Three Year Old Child of Mr. and Mrs. Shook

John Hill Shook, three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Shook, was taken by death Monday morning at about six o'clock at the home of the parents in the western part of Crowell.

The little child had been seriously ill for about two weeks, however its condition did not become dangerous until the last few days of its life.

Funeral services were held at the Shook home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and interment followed in the Crowell cemetery. Rev. John G. Clark, pastor of the Crowell Christian Church, officiated at the funeral.

John Hill was born in Crowell on January 4, 1927. The little boy had an exceptionally friendly nature for a child of his age and during his short life he had endeared himself in the hearts of many people of this section. He had always been in the best of health until about two weeks before his death and many people will remember him as one of the most active youngsters that ever lived here. This active, cheerful and friendly little boy will not soon be forgotten.

Mrs. W. A. McMillan and Miss Texia Glover of Vernon, sisters of Mrs. Shook were here for the funeral. Mrs. McMillan arrived a few days before death came.

John Hill is survived by his parents and a little sister, Juanita.

Wednesday, July 16 Set As Day for Judging Dresses

The Foard County Home Demonstration Council met Saturday, June 28th, in the office of the home demonstration agent, Miss Dosca Hale. They decided at that time to hold the sheer wash dress contest on Wednesday, July 16th. Plans for this contest were made several weeks ago.

Each club member must have her dress in the office of the home demonstration agent one day before the contest. On Wednesday, the day of the contest, the program for the day will begin at 10:30 a. m. Judging will take place in the afternoon. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon and each woman is requested to come and bring a covered dish.

The program for the day is being arranged by a committee composed of Mrs. Melvin Gover, Mrs. Claude Callaway and Mrs. Jim Cates. The dress committee was appointed as follows: Mrs. E. A. Dunegan, Mrs. Hubert Brown and Mrs. Tom Russell. The following were appointed on the prize committee: Mrs. John Ray, Mrs. A. A. Wise and the third member for this committee has not yet been selected.

Those on the lunch committee are Mrs. J. B. Rasberry, Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mrs. Grace Davis, Mrs. Arthur Bell of Margaret, and Mrs. Earle Logan. The Ayersville and Thalia home demonstration clubs will be in charge of drinks.

Miss Hale states that she hopes every member of every club will take part in the contest and be in attendance at the Wednesday meeting, even if they have not entered the contest.

Haney Named Director Cotton Finance Corp. at Meeting in Dallas

T. M. Haney of Thalia was elected director of the Texas Cotton Growers Finance Corporation at the meeting of the Texas Cotton Co-operative Association held in Dallas Tuesday. The meeting was held in order to complete arrangements for handling cotton of the members this season.

The officers and directors of the Texas Cotton Growers Finance Corporation that were elected for the ensuing year are: Lynn Stokes of Ballinger, president, (re-elected); B. C. Pitts of Dallas, manager; Harry Williams of Dallas, secretary; J. R. Taylor of Dallas, assistant secretary; John Rugel of Dallas, treasurer. The board of directors is composed of C. A. Barron of Lamesa, Ed Brewster Jr. of Temple, Lynn Stokes of Ballinger, Shirley Gregg of Manod and T. M. Haney of Thalia.

Vernon Ends Thalia's Long Winning Streak

Thalia lost its first game to Vernon last Thursday at Vernon by the score of ten to seven, however, the Thalia nine came back strong the next day to defeat Knox City by the score of 2 to 1 in a game at Knox City.

Thalia outdid the Vernon nine but numerous errors contributed to the Vernon victory. The two teams tied in the eighth inning with a score of 7 and 7. Vernon scored three runs in the last half of the eighth to win the game.

The game at Knox City was one of the best that Thalia has played this year. Each team made four hits and played on even terms for most of the game. Thalia's runs came in the first and seventh innings.

Practically all business firms of Crowell will be closed all day the Fourth of July.

JAMES H. SELF AND WIFE CAME HERE IN 1886

COUPLE, NOW CELEBRATING 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY, HAVE DONE MUCH IN BUILDING CITY AND COUNTY

Coming to the section that is now Foard County in a covered wagon in 1886, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Self, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Wednesday, have since remained here and have contributed in an inestimable measure to the growth and welfare of this community.

They endured the hardships that befell the pioneer; they have been engaged in all affairs toward the betterment of Crowell and Foard County from a religious standpoint; they have raised a family who have also contributed greatly to the up-building of this section; in fact, it may be safely said that Mr. and Mrs. Self have had a hand in most every worthwhile move in this county. It is said of Mr. Self that he has donated to help build every church and public building in Foard County.

Miss Lula Thompson became the wife of James H. Self on July 2, 1880, in a wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thompson, who lived four miles west of Justin in Denton County. Rev. Grand Chrystal, a Baptist preacher, performed the ceremony. Mr. Self came to Texas, settling in Denton County, in 1878 from Buffalo, Missouri, where he was born in November, 1860. Mrs. Self was born in Collin County in December, 1862, and moved with her family to Denton County in 1877.

Leave Denton County

In February, 1893, Mr. and Mrs. Self moved to southwest Missouri and settled on a farm near Buffalo, where they remained until 1886, when they again returned to Texas. After a short visit with relatives in Denton County they purchased a covered wagon and complete outfit for moving at Decatur and within a short time their team of horses was pulling the sandy trails leading to this section. Bert, Riley and Clarence, whose ages were five years, three years and six months, respectively, were on this trip which was made by way of Wichita Falls, Harold and then straight west to the section that is now the Thalia community. About one week was required to make the journey and the family finally arrived at this place, which was located just south of where Thalia now stands. Shortly before moving his family, Mr. Self, J. G. Thompson and two other men, by the names of Covington and Dagmon came to Hardeman County, the part of which is now Foard, and bought land. Covington and Self bought a section and a half of land, where Thalia is now located, for only \$375. Mr. Thompson bought a section on Weaver Creek, which is now in the Baggoner pasture.

Upon arrival here in December, 1886, the Self family lived in an old box house until their 12 x 14 dugout was completed to the 12 x 14 house that then stood on the land.

It was very dry the first year of their residence here and in 1887 Mr. Self worked as a common laborer on the grade of the Fort Worth and Denver, he worked in the vicinity of Amarillo at the time that Potter County was organized and Amarillo made its county seat. He farmed about 40 acres that year. In 1888 conditions were fine and he raised wheat, corn, oats, and millet.

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Teams With Excellent Records Meet at Thalia

Two baseball teams with the most impressive records in this section of Texas are scheduled to meet Sunday when Thalia plays Estelino on the Thalia diamond at 3:30 p. m. This will be the first of a two-game series. Thalia has won 27 out of 28 games played while Estelino has a record almost as impressive with 19 victories out of 21 games. Roy Mints will probably pitch for Thalia.

Pease River Water Rights Are Renewed

The Texas board of water engineers has extended the water rights of the Pease River Irrigation Association until June 30, 1931, for future investigation of this project, according to word received by Robert P. Hall of Electra, secretary of the association. It is reported that private interests have endeavored to secure the water rights on Pease River for a number of years.

Christians to Start Revival at Black Sun.

A revival meeting of about two weeks will be started at the Black school house Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. by the Crowell Christian Church. Rev. John G. Clark, local Christian pastor, will preach during the revival.

Services will be held each evening, beginning at 8:15 p. m. An invitation is extended to all to attend the services.

MARGARET

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. Foster Russell preached at the Baptist church in Crowell Sunday morning and night. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stokes and children visited relatives in Vernon Sunday.

Ed Taylor and daughter, Mrs. Murel Trout, were Crowell visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Bledsoe of Gambleville spent Monday with Mrs. Leo Owens. Rev. and Mrs. John G. Clark of Crowell were visitors here Monday night.

Mrs. Hembree, Mrs. L. A. Goodman and children have returned from a visit to Mingus.

Mrs. Ora Belle Roberts of Elida, N. M., is visiting relatives here.

Grandma Middlebrook, Mrs. W. T. Blevins, Mrs. Bill Bond and John L. Hunter are on the sick list at this writing.

Lon Priest, Ed Taylor and Tom Anderson attended the singing of the Free Will Baptist convention at Claytonville Sunday afternoon.

Rev. A. O. Hood is helping in a revival meeting at Foard City this week.

Mrs. Greer Reinhardt of Los Angeles, Calif., has returned from a visit at Jackson. She will visit relatives here for some time before returning to California.

Everyone enjoyed the rain that visited our community Tuesday morning.

MARGARET CLUB

The Margaret Home Demonstration Club met June 27 at the home of Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook, Sr. After a brief business session we had a round table discussion on early training of food habits for children.

Mrs. Melvin Moore gave a demonstration on table service to show the correct eating habits.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. C. F. Bradford and Mrs. E. F. Dunn served fruit punch and devil food cake to twelve members and one visitor.

Our next meeting will be on July 11 at the home of Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook Jr. We have for our subject "Keeping the Doctor Away."

Everybody come.

Adding machine paper at the News.

FOARD CITY

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Victoria McDaniel and Miss Nell Merriman, Mrs. Jesse Autry were Vernon visitors last Friday.

Burl Buffaloe, Norman McGregory and Charles Smith of Crowell were Foard City visitors one evening last week.

Mrs. J. H. McDaniel spent several days last week at Crowell with her daughter, Mrs. Pete Bell.

Weldon Owens and Rowland LeFevre were Crowell visitors last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sloan were Crowell visitors one evening last week.

Mrs. J. H. McDaniel, Mrs. Claude Callaway and daughter, Fay, visited Miss Virgie Callaway at Truscott Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Barker and daughter of Crowell spent last Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Canup.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Honeycutt spent several days last week at Vernon with Mrs. Honeycutt's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Shelton and Mrs. J. L. Farrar were Vernon visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. Aydelott and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Will Callaway and daughter, Mildred, and Misses Estella and Alberta Munger, William Adyott and G. W. Munger were Crowell visitors Saturday morning.

Claude Beavers of Barstow, N. M., Robert and Jack Hudgens of Thalia visited friends in this community several days last week.

Cliff Stone of Wylie, Texas, is here visiting friends.

Mrs. Mattie Lambert and daughter, Dorothy Mae, of Dallas are here visiting friends.

Cliff Stone, Carvel Thompson, Lewis and Joe Rader were Wichita Falls visitors over the week-end.

Miss Ethel Johnson and J. M. Barker were united in marriage by Rev. R. O. Browder at Truscott Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mills and daughter of Truscott, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mills and daughter of Crowell were Foard City visitors Sunday.

Miss Virgie Callaway of Truscott spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway.

There was a large number of people from Truscott who attended church here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway attended the speaking at Thalia Saturday night.

There were many who attended the wedding dinner at Mrs. Johnson's Sunday given for Mr. and Mrs. Barker.

Remember Sunday School and church next Sunday.

VIVIAN

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Hudson Rhodes and children of Farmington, New Mexico, came in Sunday to visit with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Boren.

Mrs. A. W. Keller of Burk Burnett, who has been here for the past month, returned home Friday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. G. W. Gallup and children.

Loren Doolen of Paducah spent Monday with E. T. Evans Jr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tucker on Wednesday, June 25th, a girl, Menjuan.

Mrs. A. T. Fish and little Sidney Eldon Gilbert are on the sick list at this writing.

Miss Mavis King of Bowie, who has been here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Redwine, returned home Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkman and Mrs. Lewis Whatley were in Quannah Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Tom Sivells of Ogden spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish.

Mrs. Grable Whatley returned home Thursday from Plainview where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bransom, and other relatives.

There was a candidate speaking held at the Vivian school house Friday night. A large crowd attended. Ice cream cones were sold by the 4-H Club girls.

Mrs. Pat Sivells of Paducah spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish.

Homer Erverson of Borger, spent Saturday night at home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Everson.

The 4-H Club met Thursday, June 26, at the Vivian school house with nine members and two visitors present. Miss Hale gave a few points on improving the bedroom. The club adjourned to meet at the home of Louise Davis, July 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish spent Monday in the home of Mrs. Fish's mother, Mrs. W. H. Adams, of Crowell.

The County Federation met at the Vivian school house Thursday, June 26. A covered dish was brought by each woman. Several readings were given and an interesting talk was given by Mrs. Ben G. Oneal of Wichita Falls.

Charlie Hart left Monday for Mineral Wells where he will be gone for six weeks for his health.

Frank Gilliland of Truscott has been helping on the Triangle Ranch for the past week.

The visitors in Crowell Saturday were M. H. Bishop and son, Eldrige, M. W. Brewer and sons, Wilbur and Travis, Mrs. J. B. Rasberry and children, Miss Doris Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and children, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and children.

J. W. Klepper of Crowell spent Sunday afternoon with his daughter, Mrs. Allen Fish and family.

Little Jack Armond Matthews, one year and seventeen days old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Matthews, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis of Crowell at 6:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. He is survived by his parents, a half sister, Louise Davis, Loyd and Joyce Marie Matthews. Funeral services were held at the Christian church at 10:30 Monday morning with Bro. Clark officiating. Interment was made in the Crowell cemetery.

Miss Minnie Faye Evans is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Evans Sr., of Paducah.

He Had Suffered for 20 Long Years

Retired Plainview Business Man Takes Argotane and His Troubles Disappear

C. B. Davis, a wealthy retired business man, residing on 1605 W. Seventh street, Plainview, Texas, is still another prominent citizen of the community who comes forward with his endorsement of Argotane. In a conversation with the Argotane representative, Mr. Davis said: "No one seemed to know what my trouble was, but I haven't been a well man in 20 years. I suffered disorder, and got to where I didn't have any appetite and what I did eat would disgorge with me, and my food would lie in my stomach sour and undigested, which caused gas to form and bloating spells. I was so nervous and upset I could not hardly get any restful sleep at all and simply felt badly all the time, and suffered from severe, intense headaches and had a bad case of constipation. My nephew had taken Argotane

and received good results and insisted that I try it. I have just taken two bottles and honestly feel better in every way than I have in the past 20 years. I am completely relieved of all my trouble, and simply eat like I did when a boy. What I eat seems to give me nourishment and strength and doesn't bother me at all. I rest fine every night and if I had a new lease on life, I now recommend Argotane because it has brought back my health after everything else had failed. I want to recommend Argotane to my friends." Genuine Argotane may be obtained in Crowell at the Reeder Drug Co.

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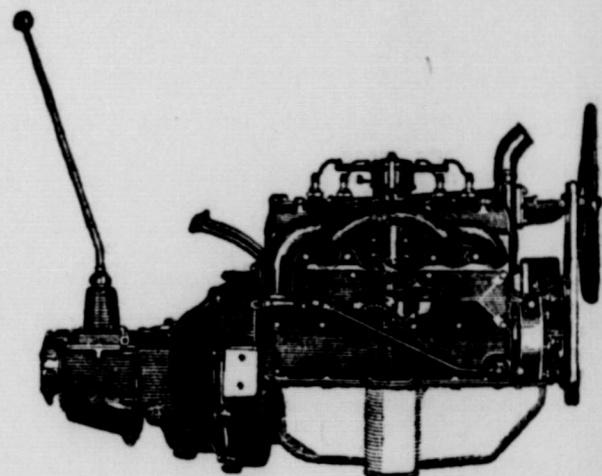
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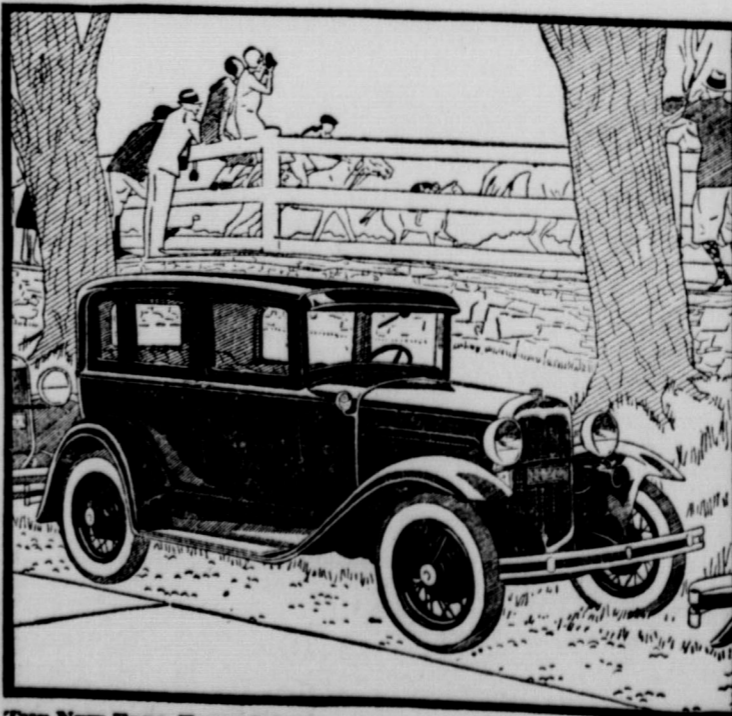
by producing turbulence within the cylinders during compression. The spark thus flashes quickly through the whole fuel charge, resulting in quieter and more effective engine performance. Other factors are the direct gravity gasoline feed, the specially designed carburetor, the new hot-spot manifold, aluminum pistons, chrome silicon alloy valves of larger diameter, statically and dynamically balanced crankshaft and flywheel, the simplicity of the electrical, cooling, lubrication, and fuel systems and accuracy in manufacturing.

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GAMBLEVILLE
(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Wright and family of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Castleberry and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jonas and family, Mrs. Mollie Free and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and family attended the picnic given by the Mutual Life Protective Association at Vernon Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and son, Lewis, left Friday night for Carlsbad, New Mexico.

John Hargrove of Lorenzo visited his brother, Lum Hargrove, and family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Derrington and son, L. T., were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alston and children of Vivian and Mr. and Mrs. W. Derrington and children of Thalia P. Derrington and Mrs. Hubert Carroll Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Pyle entertained the Adult Sunday School class with a picnic on Beaver Creek Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Huckabee and family of Black community, Misses Ella Maye and Geneva Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alston and family were visitors at Sunday School Sunday morning.

Mrs. Olin Turner entertained the Card Class with a picnic at the school house Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Turner and

daughter, Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pyle attended the candidate speaking at Thalia Saturday night.

RAYLAND
(By Special Correspondent)

Ross Corzine was taken to Moore's Hospital at Vernon last Thursday for medical treatment. He is slowly improving.

Miss Maudie Jordan went to Vernon Sunday for a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Duffey.

Miss Bessie Privett entertained with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Allen returned Wednesday from Amherst, Texas.

A. W. Crisp and son, Melvin, made a business trip to Wichita Falls Saturday.

Charlie Roberts, Jack Moore and Ivie Cobb of Thalia attended the party at Miss Leone Collier's Saturday night.

Melvin Crisp and family of Bay City came last week to visit A. W. Crisp and family. They came for Miss Ruby Crisp's health.

Quincy Lee Rutledge went to Kansas last week to work in the harvest.

Carl Freeling went to Houston Monday.

Miss Leone Collier entertained with a party Saturday night.

Miss Ora Davis went to Denton last week to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Davis.

KNOW TEXAS

Texas leads the United States in the number and value of "teacher-ages" maintained for the use of public school instructors. It has 1,330 such homes valued at \$1,784,007. Thirty-seven of them are for colored teachers.

Texas shipped 7,811 carloads of cabbage and 5,559 carloads of spinach during 1929. Zavalla County led in cabbage shipments and Hidalgo in spinach with 3,412 and 4,047 carloads respectively.

The wide variety of Texas climatic conditions is indicated by a range in 1929 of 127 degrees. Sixteen degrees below in Hartley County and 111 above in Clay County were the minimum and maximum recorded by the weather bureau.

With total wealth of \$10,898,000,000, Texas ranks eleventh among the States. Among Southern and Southwestern states it ranks first.

Use of electric power in the sixteen southern states is increasing more rapidly than in the rest of the country.

Fifteen Years Ago in The News

Self-McLaughlin
The Baptist Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Thursday night when Miss Grace Self, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Self, was united in marriage with Claude Cope McLaughlin of Edmond, Oklahoma, by Rev. A. C. Gettys. The bride was a popular teacher in the public school at this place and Mr. McLaughlin is manager of the Pioneer Telephone Co., at Edmond.

The little flower girl who scattered rose petals from a tiny basket was Allison Self. The little ring bearer was J. T. Carter. Miss Maude Self was maid of honor. Mrs. John H. Cope sang, "Because I Love You Dear," and Mrs. Clarence Self played Mendelssohn's wedding march. Beaty Andrews was best man.

Miss Thacker Entertains
Honoring Miss Minnie Warren of Knox City, Miss Lora Thacker entertained a number of her friends Wednesday evening with a "42" party followed by a two-course luncheon. Those present were: Messrs. Marion Hughston, A. Y. Beverly, Lee Allen Beverly, Alton Andrews, Herbert Kyle Edwards, Homer James, Talmadge Brasher, John Long, George Self and Misses Ora Bell, Ennis Johnson, Verna Mitchell, Vera Waldrop, Leah Dixon, the out-of-town guests being Misses Bell Cook, Springdale, Ark.; Anna Belle Cunningham, San Angelo; Minnie Warren, Knox City.

Chillicothe Shooting
Information reached here this week that Constable Oswald of Chillicothe was shot and seriously wounded when he attempted to arrest a man who chose to shoot it out than be taken by Mr. Oswald and several deputies. Several shots were fired and one pierced Mr. Oswald's lungs. The man refused to be arrested and finally got in an auto and went to Quanah.

Chas. Thompson and C. W. Beidleman have sold their grocery store to W. W. Moore & Co., formerly of Stephenville.

Claude A. Adams has resigned as captain of Company F of the Texas National Guard and we are authorized to state that the company is a thing of the past.

George Hinds has purchased Thurman Tally's tailor shop.

Sheriff Campbell captured a horse thief near here who was wanted at Rotan. He attempted to escape from Mr. Campbell but several shots in his direction soon stopped him.

The Crescent Confectionary was sold this week to Frank Hill and Ferguson Bros. Mr. Hill and Percy Ferguson will be in charge of the business.

The Crowell grocery is discarding their mule team and will experiment with an auto with a specially built bed. They believe that it will be a success.

Mark Henry is hobbling around with one foot tied up as a result of stepping on a nail.

Davidson Urges Defeat of Love, Mrs Ferguson, Mayfield and Sterling

To the People of Texas:
With the background of long business experience and a close student of State government for twelve or fifteen years, during the time left between now and the July primary I shall try to make helpful observations on the political situation. It has always been the belief of the people that the office ought to seek the man.

Concurring in that principle I shall never again seek office. This statement is made so that the people may understand I have no partisan or personal interest in the candidates for office and am only concerned in securing for ourselves good government administered by officials of integrity. Our laws enforced; our judiciary effective; our schools well provided for and our labor gainfully employed. To promote, protect and conserve the welfare of the farmers in this State—our basic wealth producing industry. And more than all, to prevent additional tax burdens being placed on our people. In my judgment these results cannot be obtained by the election of R. S. Sterling, Ferguson, Love or Mayfield.

Sterling, with his long Standard Oil association and viewpoint, could not possibly do justice to Texas. Using the Highway Department as a nostrum by which to advance his political interest is a precept the people should destroy by their votes immediately. Last but not least, advocate of the most vicious taxing scheme ever proposed—the Highway Bond Issue! Promising to relieve other taxes by the Bond Issue tax is a promise that can never be performed. A vote for Sterling means a vote for the Bond Issue. The Bond Issue means but one thing—more and greater taxes and no relief from existing taxes! Sterling is a hang-over of and sponsored by the Moody administration. He would inherit and carry into the legislative halls all the factional fights and feuds of the Moody administration. He is a good man in many particulars but nature endowed him with an awkward and blundering mentality untrained in the diplomacy necessary to bring about harmony between the executive and legislative branches of government.

Ferguson, Love and Mayfield. Political triplets and tricksters. All things to all men. Professional office seekers and office holders. Worn out politicians. It is my sol-

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After you've once enjoyed the sodas—just cold enough, just sweet enough—at our fountain you'll make it your regular soda headquarters.

Rich, smooth ice cream—fresh, full-flavored syrups—courteous service.

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Save Money on the Following

SPECIALS
For Saturday Only

- BANANAS, Extra Large, dozen 23c
- LARD, 8-lb. Bucket 99c
- COFFEE, Louis, vacuum pack, 2 1/2 lbs. 99c
- SUGAR, 25-lb. sack for \$1.52
- K. C. BAKING POWDER, 50c size 38c
- SALT, 25-lb sack 37c
- COCOA, 1/2--lb. Can Hershey's 15c
- NAVY BEANS, 11 lbs. for \$1.00
- PALM OLIVE SOAP, 3 for 20c

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MARGARET

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MACK BOSWELL, Asst. Editor

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Crowell, Texas, July 4, 1930

NUMBERED HIGHWAYS

The Bureau of Public Roads takes
occasion to preen itself on the suc-
cess of its numbered system of Fed-
eral highways. Here is a bit of self-
praise that nobody will grudge. The
itinerant motorists find reason to
call it blessed.

Road designation had a good start
in the United States a decade ago.
Even though the convenience of
numbered highways is obvious and it
had to come, there is no method of
estimating the service done the cause
of more and better highways by the
picturesque trail markers of yester-
day. The names may be destined to
eventual disappearance, but it is
probable that they will be retained
alongside their numerical designa-
tion. "The King of Trails" with its
familiar orange and black "KT" split
the United States half in two. The
"Mohawk Trail," the "Bankhead
Highway," the "Jefferson High-
way," the "Lincoln Highway," only
a few of the great names in high-
way marking! Cities vied for the
commercial value of a place on the
road. Marking stimulated highway
development while it encouraged
tourist trade. Marked road associa-
tions pitched into fight for bond
issues to pave gaps. They took a pride
in making their designated roads
real thoroughfares.

Now the numbers come to simplify
travel and make it easy to keep to
the road. The tourist does not have
to bother his head by remembering
the coat of arms of his pathway. He
can follow the simple marking of
State and Federal forces with the
even numbers for east-west roads
and odd numbers for north and
south ones. There is utility in num-
bers even if there is little romance
in them.—Dallas News.

GROWING UNPOPULAR

According to editorial comment in
publications in every section of the
state and nation, President Hoover
is more and more the subject for
severe criticism. Even most of his
strongest supporters during the last
election and close personal friends
are disappointed in the record of the
man, to whom the legend of super-
efficiency was attached previous to
his inauguration.

President Hoover signed the re-
cent tariff bill, in spite of the warn-
ing of all the practical economists

of the country, from Henry Ford up,
who rushed into print to denounce
the pending tariff as a disastrous
measure.

His child-like method of handling
the unemployment situation and his
method of "saving the nation" fol-
lowing the Wall street panic, have
contributed nothing to his popular-
ity with the majority.

He solved the unemployment and
business problems by stating that
they did not really exist, and to
prove this he called in all the big
captains of industry who came to
Washington and told how good con-
ditions were in their lines of busi-
ness and how they were going to
spend hundreds of millions on var-
ious projects. Following their tall-
talking many returned to lop a few
more thousand employees off the pay-
roll.

Finally coming to the realization
that depressing conditions were not
just merely psychological, the pres-
ident has since made numerous pre-
dictions that conditions would be-
come better and with almost each
prediction stock market crashes
have occurred.

Senator Tom Connally of Texas,
brought to the Senate last week an
address in which he vividly told of
the failure of the Republican admin-
istration to keep faith with the ag-
ricultural industry. He told of how
campaign promises had been disre-
garded and requested immediate
action on farm relief.

Heywood Brown, writing in the
National Weekly, states that Hoover
is the most ignorant man to sit in
the White House within the mem-
ory of any living man, not forgetting
Warren G. Harding.

RULE OUGHT TO WORK BOTH WAYS

A customer entered a clothing
store to purchase a new suit. "With
the low price of wool," said the cus-
tomer, "one ought to be able to pur-
chase a new suit pretty reasonable."

The merchant laughed: "The
price of wool does not make much
difference in the cost of the suit,"
said he. "I suppose the low price of
wool makes about thirty cents dif-
ference in the cost of the suit that
I am showing you."

"Well," said the customer, "why
is it that a couple of years ago you
said that the high price of wool made
clothing more expensive?"

The merchant did not remember
that he had made such a statement,
and so the incident was closed. Every
consumer, however, knows that high
priced raw material is always used
as an excuse to advance prices, but
that low priced raw material has
no appreciable influence on the
consumers' cost of an article. And
in many cases, it should not, for
the amount of wool in a suit of clothes
is so relatively small that an increase
or decrease of 5 cents per pound for
wool would not make more than

Political Announcements

The following announcements for
the offices named are subject to the
action of the Democratic Primary to
be held in July of 1930:

For County Judge:
M. M. HART, JR.
CLAUDE CALLAWAY.
J. E. ATCHESON (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
MARGARET CURTIS (Re-elec-
tion)

For County and District Clerk:
GRADY MAGEE.

For Tax Assessor:
VERNON PYLE.
MRS. ELLA RUCKER.
PETE BELL.

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
A. T. SCHOOLEY (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:
E. F. (Button) HENRY.
J. W. KLEPPER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
QUE R. MILLER (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
A. B. WISDOM (Re-election)
ROY C. TODD.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
J. C. HYSINGER (Re-election)
HIRAM W. GRAY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
E. V. HALBERT (Re-election)
A. B. SPEARS.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. F. THOMSON (Re-election)
T. S. PATTON.
TOM J. CATES.

For District Attorney:
JESSE OWENS
JOHN MYERS, Vernon.

For Constable, Precinct 1:
J. H. EASLEY

For District Judge:
W. N. STOKES, Vernon.
L. P. BONNER, Vernon

For Representative, 114th District:
GEORGE MOFFETT, Chilli-
cothe.
O. D. BEAUCHAMP.

For State Senate, 23rd District:
RUBEN LOFTIN, Henrietta.
BEN G. ONEAL, Wichita Falls
GEORGE W. BACKUS, Vernon

thirty or forty cents difference in
the actual cost of the suit. What
the customer complains of is that
the rule does not work both ways.
Prices go up on high-priced wool,
but don't go down on low.

A tariff on one hide is used to in-
crease the price of shoes per pair
more than the tariff would amount
to on a half ton of hides. The im-
porter pays ten per cent more for
the product. He charges this to the
jobber plus a profit. The jobber
passes it on to the wholesaler plus
the profit on the increased price,
and the wholesaler passes it on in
the same manner to the retailer, who
adds a profit on his enlarged invest-
ment and so the consumer pays
about a 40 per cent increase, all the
result of a little ten per cent tariff.
—Farm and Ranch.

STILL AN ISSUE

The continued reports that the
wets in congress are encouraged and
propose to make a concentrated
drive for modification of the Vol-
stead law, make the liquor question
a live issue.

Leaders of the Volstead law de-
fenders are prepared for the battle
of wits, but they need support of the
public sentiment, which is liable to
be turned away if continued propo-
sanda is spread about the tax en-
forcement of the dry laws.

People in reaching a conclusion
are likely to be influenced by stories
of liquor smuggling and alleged
prevalence of drinking, especially
among young people.

Few will give enough consideration
to the other side of the question.
Many will not recall that as a nation
we have not been dealing with this
problem only ten years, whereas
the legalized liquor industry flour-
ished for the preceding 143 years of
the nation's life.

If we should grant that up till the
present time, prohibition has been
a failure, to do away with it now
would not be a fair principle.

A high standard for the prohibi-
tion law has been set from the very
first, due to the tendency of those
opposed to prohibition to parade be-
fore the public eye every infraction
of the law.

Laws have always been broken and
doubtless will be. No law is en-
forced one hundred per cent. Mur-
der is punishable by death in some
states, yet murders are committed.

In spite of the weaknesses, it is
easy to demonstrate that prohibition
has brought about pronounced pub-
lic betterment and has proved un-
questionable economic value to the
nation.

THE FOURTH OF JULY

The real significance of Independ-
ence Day comes from an under-
standing of its meaning, a realiza-
tion of what the Fourth of July
stands for in American history.

No child should grow up with the
idea that the Fourth is the day we
all take a vacation and try to see
how much noise we can make.

Rather, every school child should
be able to quote from memory the
essential part of that immortal Decla-
ration of Independence.

"We hold these truths to be self-
evident, that all men are created
equal that they are endowed by their
Creator with certain inalienable
rights, that among these are Life,
Liberty and pursuit of Happiness.
That to secure these rights, Govern-
ments are instituted among men,
deriving their just power from the
consent of the governed."

In the words of Abraham Lincoln,
"This was their majestic interpreta-
tion of the economy of the Univer-
se. This was their lofty, and
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Americans may well ponder care-
fully over the expressions of these

great and noble men who gave years
of thought and ponder to the form-
ing of our national ideals and who
wrote these ideals into the two great
basic documents of our civic life—the
Declaration of Independence de-
clares the doctrines of equality, lib-
erty and that a government derives
its just powers from the consent of
the governed.

Equality means fraternity, brother-
hood, fair dealing, exclusion of
no one from public benefits because
of race or poverty or lowly birth.
It does not mean social equality, or
inherent ability. The Declaration
of Independence referred to political
equality, which means equal oppor-
tunity under the law.

The national ideal of liberty has
been the first watchword on our lips.
To assail our union, our government,
in the interest of personal liberty,
license unbound freedom, is not
liberty as conceived by the writers
of the Declaration. It is, rather, to
break our national idea into pieces
and to rush back toward barbarism
that existed before man set aside his
unselfishness to form co-operative
government, without which we would
still be roaming the wilderness and
fighting for our daily bread.

The other vital thing in the
Declaration of Independence means
that government is to be from the
bottom up and not from the top
down. The American theory is that
all power rests in the people as a
whole. A tendency to depart from
this system in recent years has been
the greatest source of trouble.
Only by holding to the representa-
tive form of government as estab-
lished by our forefathers, can our
republic endure.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to J.
E. Atcheson, County Judge of Foard
County, Crowell, Texas, for the im-
provement of the court house square,
Crowell, Foard County, Texas, will
be received until 2:00 p. m., July 14,
1930, and then publicly opened and
read.

Work consists of concrete pave-
ment and concrete curbs and gutters
with the following approximate
quantities: 4327.0 square yards con-
crete pavement, 1943.0 cubic yards
excavation, 1048.0 linear feet con-
crete curb, and 1312.0 linear feet
concrete gutter.

Plans and specifications for the
work may be seen and information
obtained at the office of the County
Engineer, Crowell, Texas.

A certified or cashier's check in
the amount of 5 per cent of the
amount of the bid made to the order
of J. E. Atcheson, County Judge,
must accompany each proposal as a
guarantee that the bidder if success-
ful will enter into contract and make
bond in accordance with the terms
of the specifications.

The county reserves the right to
reject any or all bids and to waive
all technicalities.

TEXAS POULTRYMEN NEED PROTECTION

In just a few months thieves will
be busy in Texas. Last season
farmers and poultrymen lost many
thousands of dollars in stolen birds.
We may expect the same losses an-
other season, for the State of Tex-
as has not found the time or had the
inclination to make this form of
theft more difficult.

The State of Oklahoma requires
the purchaser of poultry to keep a
record of whom he makes his pur-
chases, a record of the marks or
other forms of identification; the
number of the car which delivered
the fowls, date of purchase and the
address of the seller. These records
are open for inspection at all times.

Under this law, it makes it more
difficult for thieves to dispose of
their dishonestly gotten fowls. It
is just as easy to steal the birds as
before, but it is dangerous to sell
them, therefore there is less tempta-
tion. Texas should have a similar
law. The poultry industry is impor-
tant enough to have every reason-
able protection.—Farm and Ranch.

ADULTS OF TOMORROW

Don't neglect the children. They
may not exert any great influence
upon the community life of today,
but in a few short years they will
be directing the affairs of the commu-
nity while we will be looking on—
or will have passed on.

As we train them today so will
they be then. And as they are then,
so will we of today be judged.

We cannot escape our duty. It is
plain and square before us. We
may shirk it and squirm out of it,
but in the end we must pay, even
in person or in memory.

The child does not come into this
world of its own volition, and it
should not be left to its own devices.

That which we create we should
protect and foster and bring as near
to a state of perfection as is human-
ly possible. Nothing else will suf-
fice in the eyes of Him who created
mankind.

We should show the same consid-
eration in our duty to the children
of other homes. They form an in-
tegral part of the community, and as
such are entitled to the cooperation
and encouragement of the remainder
of the community.

The child may not say much in
the presence of its elders, but it sees
much and remembers much of what
it sees and hears.

Thus are its impressions formed
and these are the beacon lights
that beckon it on to a life of honor
or of ignomy.

Though an adult today, you were
a child once yourself.

There are other children around
you.

UNUSUAL RECORD

Tom Reeder Jr. of this city made
an unusual record at the Texas
University during the past year by
being on the honor roll for every
term. He attended Texas Christian
University last year after graduating
from Crowell High School in 1928.

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A General Electric Refrigerator will add
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descended from Arabian steeds
brought to South America in the
sixteenth century by the Spaniards.

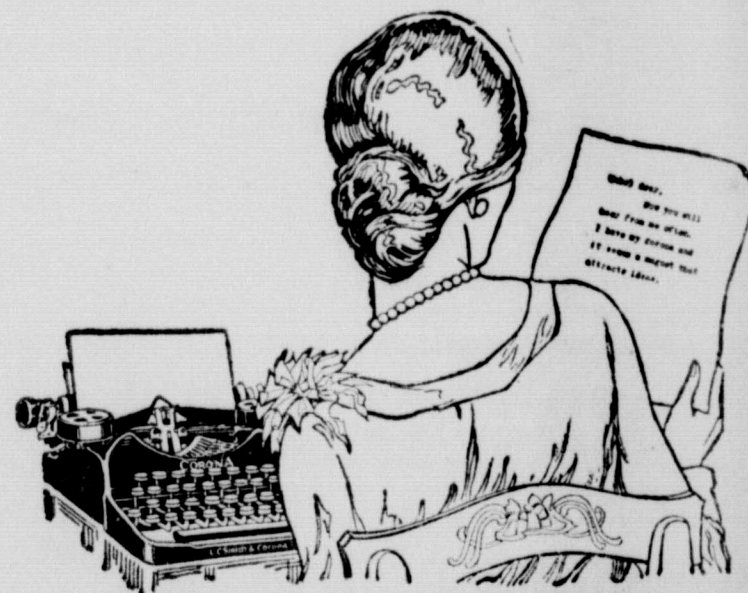
The old world reindeer and their
cousins, the North American car-
ibou, are the only members of the
deer family in which both sexes have
horns.

A queer cargo recently shipped
from New York City was fifty tons
of live eels to be used in restocking
the Baltic sea.

A cubic inch of air taken as a
sample in London one morning con-
tained 340,000 particles of soot.

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INDEPENDENCE DAY

Your future independence depends upon your thrift in youth. Learn to save regularly. Start an account now and get on the right road to independence.

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We will be closed all day Friday.

Farm Loans

6 1/2 per cent

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Office P. O. Bldg.

LOCALS

and Personals
PHONES 43 AND 163

Sixty-five cents per half gallon cream at O'Connell's

Miss Carrie Belle Smith of Abilene spent the week-end visiting Miss Draper.

Miss Jim Lois Gafford and Miss Pearce left Monday for a visit to relatives and friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. Clyde McKown and daughter, Dorothy Pauline, Mrs. B. F. Ringler and Mrs. Ruby Pearce and daughter, Fern, visited in Lubbock last week.

Mr. Woodie W. Smith and Merle Evelyn returned home Monday morning from Dallas where they had been visiting Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Smith is sitting up and will be able to come next week.

Pop sicles, eskimo pies and home-made Dixie cups at O'Connell's.

Dow Miller returned Monday from Dallas where he had been for several weeks having his eyes treated.

Mrs. B. M. Button, who has been visiting here for several days, has gone to Plainview for a visit with her brother, Arch Hugstun.

Clyde Hollingsworth, who is working for the West Texas Utilities Company at Memphis, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth.

Mrs. Martha Mitchell and three grandsons of Bonham have been here for several days visiting in the homes of her nephew, T. B. Klepper, and her niece, Mrs. Allen Fish, of Vivian. They left Wednesday for Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Murry Martin and son, H. M., passed through Wednesday enroute to their home in Wichita Falls after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomason of Cottle County. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper while here.

J. H. Easley visited with Tom Burnett at Iowa Park this week.

Home-made fruit sherbet from pure fruit juices at O'Connell's.

Mrs. Jane Fox of Okemah, Okla., is here visiting her sons, E. A. and L. D. Fox.

\$1.69 and \$1.98 buys 2 patterns of leather work shoes at Ringgold's Variety Store.

A. J. Hill and wife of Longview, Texas, are here visiting in the home of their son, Frank Hill.

Practically all of the business firms of Crowell will be closed all day on Friday, the Fourth of July.

Mrs. H. Bryan Ray and son, Buster, left Wednesday for Milwaukee and Chicago where they will visit relatives.

Owen Rader left Wednesday to take Mrs. Rader's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Kidwell, to her home in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Andrews of Vernon visited Mr. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews, here this week.

Mrs. Arthur McMillan and daughter, Mary Catherine, left Sunday to visit Mrs. McMillan's brother in Hobbs, New Mexico.

We take in stoves and furniture on mattress work and are now able to give you one-day service.—Ketchersid Furniture Co.

Genevieve Ferguson of San Angelo is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ferguson, and other relatives and friends.

Federal Land Bank of Houston is making farm and ranch loans at 5 1/2 per cent. See J. C. Thompson, Sec.-Treas., Crowell N. F. L. A.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Edgar Smith and daughter, Ioma, of Wortham, Texas, are here visiting Mr. Smith's brother, Z. W. Smith, and family.

Miss Frankie Kirkpatrick is in Mt. Sequoyah, Ark., for a two weeks' stay. She accompanied Mrs. George Self and Mrs. Baxter Johnson.

Mrs. J. B. Harrison and daughter, Jamie, of Paducah are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews, Mrs. Harrison's parents, this week.

Joe Smith returned Sunday to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Smith. He had been working in the wheat harvest in Carson County.

Miss Mildred Bulkeley and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bulkeley of Los Angeles are visiting Mrs. Belle Bulkeley, mother of Miss Mildred and Mr. Bulkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bryant left Crowell Monday for a visit with relatives at Iowa Park. From Iowa Park they planned to go to San Angelo. Mr. Bryant was formerly linotype operator for the News.

Donna Janice Easley, 17-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Easley of the Vivian community, returned last week from a 3-weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blakemore, of Hereford.

Miss Clara Martin Boyd of Medicine Mound and Miss Velmarie Thorp of Chillicothe attended the Epworth League picnic here and spent the night with Miss Mildred Cogdell. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Henry for dinner.

Mrs. J. M. Teel, a former resident of Crowell, who now resides at Yoakum, Texas, is here visiting relatives and friends. She will remain here for several weeks. She says that crops in Foard County look better than she has seen enroute from Yoakum here.

Mrs. Baxter Johnson and Mrs. Geo. Self left Sunday for Mt. Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Arkansas, to take courses in Missionary and Sunday School work. Mrs. Self will take Mission Study course and Mrs. Johnson Sunday School work. They will be gone about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Landsdown of Shawnee, Okla., and daughter, Mrs. Sylvester Machon and family of Oilton, Okla., visited a few days last week with their niece, Mrs. C. A. Solis, and family, and nephew, Bill Landsdown, and wife. They were on their way home from a tour of the Plains and New Mexico.

Mrs. W. R. Tuttle returned Thursday of last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Allie Lawrence, at Bay City. She also visited friends in Houston, her grandson, W. L. Jinks, at Fort Worth, a granddaughter at Wichita Falls, and her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Jinks, and family at Electra. Mrs. Tuttle reports fine crops in the section of the state where she visited.

SENATE CANDIDATE HURT

Ben G. Oneal of Wichita Falls, candidate for state senator from this district, received a severe gash in the forehead and several bruises when his automobile collided with another car in front of his while on his way to the candidate speaking at Thalia Saturday night. It is reported that a sudden stop by the car in front of his caused the accident.

After the accident Mr. Oneal filled his speaking engagement after having the wound dressed and was able to go to his office in Wichita Falls Monday morning. He is an attorney in that city.

Opportunity knocks at every door, but it usually ducks before most of us can open the door.

Mr. and Mrs. Self—

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Helps Organize Foard
In 1891 Mr. Self had a prominent part in the organization of Foard County. Foard County was created by an act of Legislature on Feb. 12, 1891, when most of its territory was cut from Hardeman County. Through the efforts of J. G. Witherspoon, well known ranchman of this section, the required area for a new county was secured. Small strips of Cottle and Knox were secured to make Foard County. In 1890 Mr. Self and J. A. Sampson had themselves appointed as a committee to lay out road surveys in their community.

Mr. Self, J. A. Wright and J. C. Sanders were appointed by the Legislature to organize the county, order the first election and canvass the returns. At the time of the first election, April 27, 1891, Crowell was chosen as the county seat.

The Thalia postoffice was established in 1889, a time when there were but three houses in that community. The nearest neighbor to the Self's at that time was Dr. Cole, father of the late Judge Robert Cole. J. A. Sampson occupied the other house in the community.

Mrs. Self was the second person to have charge of the Thalia postoffice. She became postmistress in about 1892 and served four years in that capacity. John Stegall Sr. was Thalia's first postmaster.

Mrs. Self was also a charter member of the Thalia Baptist church which was organized in 1888 with eleven members. In 1891 a frame school house was built at Thalia with Masonic lodge rooms above. The Masonic lodge of Old Margaret was moved to Thalia when that town ceased to exist and Mr. Self became a member of it at that time. In about 1895 he bought an interest in a general merchandise store there. From 1896 to 1900 he served as county commissioner.

Move to Crowell
The Self family moved to Crowell in 1900 and settled on the very lots where their residence now stands. Mr. Self went into the general merchandise business with J. W. Allison and R. B. Edwards in a store where the Lanier Hardware Company is now located. The firm was known as Edwards, Self & Co. In 1906 Mr. Self purchased Mr. Allison's interest.

In 1907, Edwards, Self and Allison built the three stone buildings now occupied by Self Dry Goods Company, Lanier Hardware Company and R. B. Edwards Co. The material for these buildings was hauled from Quanah, with the exception of stone which was quarried on a farm north of Crowell.

For a great number of years after moving to Crowell Mr. Self served on the school board. In about 1910 Self and Edwards separated. Mr. Self taking over the hardware, implement and grocery end of the business and Mr. Edwards, the dry goods end.

The hardware store of J. H. Self & Son (Clarence) was continued until 1924 when it was sold to F. H. Crews and J. F. Long. In 1911 Mr. Self established Self Motor Company, which is still known by that name, and which has continuously handled Ford automobiles since. George Self started selling Fords when just a boy of about 16 years of age and has been associated with the business since. The present structure for the motor company, covering three lots, was constructed by Mr. Self in 1924. Previous to that time the motor company had occupied another brick building, covering three lots, that is now occupied by Self Implement & Tractor Company. It was also built by J. H. Self.

Mr. Self retired from active business about six years ago, when he sold the hardware store. He now owns the buildings occupied by Self Motor Company, Self Implement Company, Schlagal Barber Shop and De Luxe Cafe, and Lanier Hardware Co. Recently Mr. Self bought two quarter sections of land for \$24,000 that he could have filed on for school land when he first came here.

Families Here in 1886
The families in this section at the time of the arrival of the Selfs were John Wesley, W. T. Dunn, J. A. Wright, R. A. Wells, Joe Beverly, Henry Ayers, John Ray, Jim Allee, James Ashford, J. W. Klepper, M. F. Thacker, G. T. Crowell, Bob Bell, Dr. Cole, J. A. Sampson, Dr. C. Newlin, M. L. Rainey, Ferguson family, Henry Kenner and Robert Cole.

Mrs. Self comes from a family of Texas pioneers. Her grandmother once had a sheep ranch where the city of Dallas now stands and her parents were pioneer residents of Collin County, having settled there in 1850. Mrs. Self also saw the first passenger train come to Dallas. She was around seven years of age at the time.

Nine of the eleven children born

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On Every Lady's Hat in Stock Up to \$6.95

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Mr. and Mrs. Self are still living. They are: Bert of Crowell, Riley of San Francisco, Clarence of Crowell; Mrs. C. H. Melton of Wichita Falls; Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin, Mrs. George Hinds of Crowell; Mrs. Reid Williams of Loveland, Colorado; George and Miss Winnie Self of Crowell.

Campaign Expenses Filed by Candidates

Candidate campaign expenditures have been filed in the county clerk's office as follows: County Judge—J. E. Atcheson, \$60.36; Claude Callaway, \$97.33; M. M. Hart Jr., \$107.83; county attorney—R. D. Oswalt, \$15.00; district and county clerk—A. G. Magee, \$137.40; sheriff and tax collector—Que Miller, \$160.00; tax assessor—Pete Bell, \$96.50; Ella Rucker, \$78.60; Vernon Pyle, \$111.00; county treasurer—Margaret Curtis, \$97.70; county surveyor—J. C. Thompson, \$10.00; public weigher, precinct one—A. T. Schooley, \$107.50; public weigher, precinct No. 3—W. E. Taylor, \$10.

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Take home a quart tonight

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Classified Ads

PHONE 43

If you have anything to sell, or want to buy or exchange something, a classified in the News will do it for you.

Rates are 10c per line, six words making a line, minimum charge for an ad one time is 25c.

FOR RENT—Cool southeast bedroom. See Jimmy Doolen.

WILL THE PERSON who borrowed the court house wheelbarrow please return same.

FOR RENT—3-room apartment.—Glynn Shults.

TRESPASS NOTICE—Fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind positively forbidden in my pasture.—Leslie McAdams.

STAFFORD PRODUCTS—Macilage, in new type Ever-Ready bottle; boxes of carbon paper, typewriter ribbons, all makes.—The News.

FOR TRADE—My equity in 160 acres of land on highway one and one-half miles east of town. Will trade for anything.—W. M. Hoard.

See Margaret Calvin for specials on dress making, altering and dyeing. Inquire at The Famous.

FOR RENT — Light housekeeping rooms, everything furnished and all modern.—Mrs. W. R. Tuttle, phone 52.



A dandy Ford 1929 Tudor in first-class condition, good paint, new tires, for only \$395.00 cash. If you want terms the price through the U. C. C. is \$192.00 down, the balance at \$26 per month for 12 months, which includes interest and insurance.

A dany good coupe, 1928 model A for \$365.00

A good 1928 Ford truck reconditioned motor, new paint job, 4 new tires, closed cab, stake body, a real bargain at only \$250.00

A late 1928 Chevrolet truck, motor just overhauled, has closed cab, steel body. Another bargain only \$225.00

A 1926 Chevrolet coach, looks good, runs better than it looks \$125.00

A 1926 Ford tudor, a dandy for only \$125.00

Now is the time to buy. Come in and look them over. Any kind of car you want, any kind of price.

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QUANAH STEAM LAUNDRY Local Agency at Schlagal's Barber Shop. Includes 'SEND IT OUT!' and 'DON'T HANG IT OUT!' graphics.

THALIA (By Special Correspondent)

R. C. Huntley and family visited Mrs. Huntley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Braswell, in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. Butler and family attended the Free Will Baptist meeting at Claytonville Sunday.

Mrs. S. N. Dozier and children, Mrs. B. F. Henry, M. C. Adkins and family, T. H. Matthews and family and Mrs. J. A. Stovall were Vernon visitors Saturday.

A large crowd attended the Epworth League Sunday night. Every young person who doesn't attend services elsewhere is invited to attend the league.

T. M. Haney left Monday for a business trip to Dallas.

W. J. Long and family visited relatives here last week.

J. Y. Lindsey and family and Anna Leah Oliver visited Mr. Benham and family near Rock Crossing Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Randolph and son, Sid, left Monday for a few days visit with relatives in Comanche, Texas.

Mrs. Edon and Miss Jessie Taylor left Saturday for a visit at Honey Grove. They were accompanied by Mrs. Edon's aunt, of Vernon.

Veda Maye Braswell of Vernon visited with Juanita Huntley from Thursday till Saturday.

Marie Stalcup of Harrold is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Neval Short of McKinney is visiting relatives here this week.

A large crowd attended the candidate speaking here Saturday night. Frank Wood visited relatives near Fargo Saturday night.

S. L. Randolph of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Randolph, here this week.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall and daughter, Modena, and Kathleen McElroy, left Tuesday for a visit in Houston.

Lucille Schultz left Monday for Fort Worth to attend a pharmacy school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stalcup of Harrold, visited E. G. Grimsley and family Sunday.

Miss Lois Nichols of Black is visiting Misses Merle and Ruth Banister this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hlavaty entertained a number of guests at their home Thursday with a dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Norman W. Cox of Vernon, on their second anniversary. A chicken dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell White, Misses Madge Chance, Vera and Hazel Belcher and Bernice Walling, Delwin Hurt and Mr. and Mrs. Cox, all of Vernon, and Harry Price, Jack Moore Mr. Rich, and Drake Monkers and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Hlavaty.

The Thalia and Margaret ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society held a joint meeting in the home of Mrs. W. T. Dunn of Margaret, Monday afternoon. Those attending from here were Mesdames J. K. Langley, Roy Ricks, C. C. Lindsey, E. J. McKinley, H. W. Gray, W. G. Chapman, C. B. Morris, and C. W. Roberts. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver of near Margaret visited relatives here last week-end.

J. Y. Lindsey and family, W. S. Tarver and family, Anna Lillah Oliver and Lucy Jones attended a picnic at Vernon Saturday afternoon.

Miss Maggie Crabtree of Vernon visited Mrs. Anna Theta Mayfield here last week-end.

Mrs. Luther Jobe was hostess to the Home Demonstration club in her home Friday afternoon. The subject for discussion was "Jelly making." The County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Hale, was present and gave a demonstration on the subject. Others present were Mesdames C. B. Morris, M. C. Adkins, T. H. Matthews, Alex Oliver, Gordon Davis, G. W. Scales, Truitt Neill, Miss Jessie Oliver and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Cato, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and Claude Roberts and family visited in Carlsbad, New Mexico, last week-end.

Mrs. D. T. Jobe of San Angelo is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Lee Sims, Mrs. J. K. Langley, Miss Minnie Wood and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds were visitors in Vernon Friday afternoon.

Dr. Hines Clark and family of Crowell visited C. B. Morris and family Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the ball

game between Thalia and Crowell here Sunday afternoon. The score was 25 to 8 in favor of Thalia.

A. W. Angel and family left Tuesday for Wink, Texas, where they will make their home for the present. G. A. Shultz took them through in his car.

CHURCHES

Christian Science

Sunday, 11 A. M., Subject for Sunday, July 6, "God." Sunday School at 9:30. Wednesday evening service at 8:00. The public is cordially invited.

Baptist Church News

Miss Grace Conn of the B. Y. P. U. State department at Dallas conducted a five nights training school at the Baptist church last week. There were 64 enrolled in the school, 39 taking the examination and making passing grades. The school was conducted along the line of developing leadership.

Miss Conn is among the best and those who attended received great help and blessings.

Rev. Foster Russell of Margaret filled the pulpit at both hours Sunday to the delight of all.

The Rev. Mr. Russell will preach next Sunday at both hours. Sunday School 9:45, preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m. WOODIE W. SMITH.

The Christian Church

The summer slump is not here yet. For the month of June we averaged 124 in Sunday School. Next Sunday we want to have a 100 for Sunday School. If you have been gone a Sunday, be sure and come to Sunday School and church, for somebody else may be visiting. Let's all cooperate in this way and then we will not feel the absence of those who are taking vacations from time to time.

Next Sunday night the Christian Endeavor is putting on a special program. There will first be a play given, followed by three talks by members of the society. There will also be a reading and special music. Everyone come for the Sunday night service. Let's support our Endeavor Society.

Next Sunday afternoon a meeting will begin out at Black. This will be the third meeting that the Christian church has sponsored this spring. We are looking forward to having a great meeting in that community. We trust that we shall have the cooperation of all the good people of that community.

Please don't forget the hour that Sunday School begins 9:45. Church service immediately follows at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 7 and a special Christian Endeavor program for everybody at 8:15. The friendly church gladly welcomes all.

JOHN G. CLARK.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. J. T. Bryant will be present Sunday to preach for both the morning and evening services at the Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. You are invited to attend.

Epworth League Program

Subject—What Sunday can mean to us.

Leader—Edward Huffman.

Surprise program—Granville Lanier.

Scripture reading.

Prayer.

The Ancient Hebrew Sabbath.—Leona Morris.

The trend toward God.—Emily Purcell.

The relation of the Church and the State.—Ila Lovelady.

What is freedom?—Bernice Coffey.

Law as means or ends.—Dan Hines Clark.

Freedom means responsibility.—Wilma Lovelady.

General Discussion.

Song. Benediction.

Foard City Epworth League

Subject—What Sunday can mean to us.

Scripture—Exodus 20:8-11, Luke 23:26.

Leader—Jewel Horn.

Quartet.

The Ancient Hebrew Sabbath—Marcus Mills.

The Trend Toward God—Carvel Thompson.

Ultra Sacred—Pauline Blevins.

Rest and Joy—Faye Callaway.

Piano Solo—Irene Baker.

Benediction. —Reporter.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to our many friends for their kindness during the illness and death of our dear son and brother, John Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shook and daughter, Juanita.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Foard County, of the 25th day of June, 1930, by Ida Reavis, clerk of said District Court, for the sum of \$5,327.15, and costs of suit, under judgment, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2115 and styled C. C. Wheeler et al, vs. O. L. Derrington et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Que R. Miller as sheriff of Foard County, Texas, did, on the 25th day of June, 1930, levy on certain real estate, situated in Foard County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Being the west one-third of the N. E. quarter section, No. 20, in block No. 8, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, certificate No. 972, described by

metes and bounds as follows:

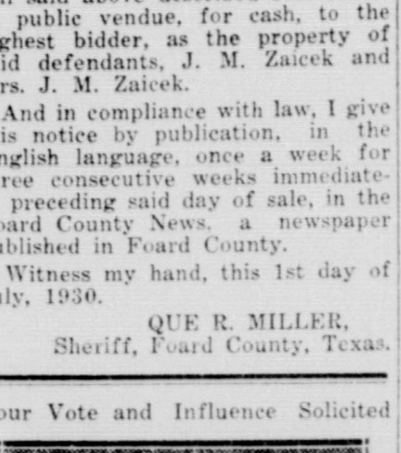
Beginning at a point 633 1-3 varas south, 72 degrees W. of the N. E. corner section No. 20; thence south 18 degrees, E. 950 varas to S. E. corner this tract; thence S. 72 degrees, W. 316 2-3 varas to S. W. corner this tract; thence N. 18 degrees, W. 950 varas to N. W. corner this tract; thence N. 72 degrees, E. 316 2-3 varas to the place of beginning, and situated in Foard County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of J. M. Zaicek and Mrs. J. M. Zaicek, and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1930, the same being the 5th day of said month, at court house door of Foard County, in the town of Crowell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale and judgment, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said defendants, J. M. Zaicek and Mrs. J. M. Zaicek.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Foard County News, a newspaper published in Foard County.

Witness my hand, this 1st day of July, 1930.

QUE R. MILLER, Sheriff, Foard County, Texas.

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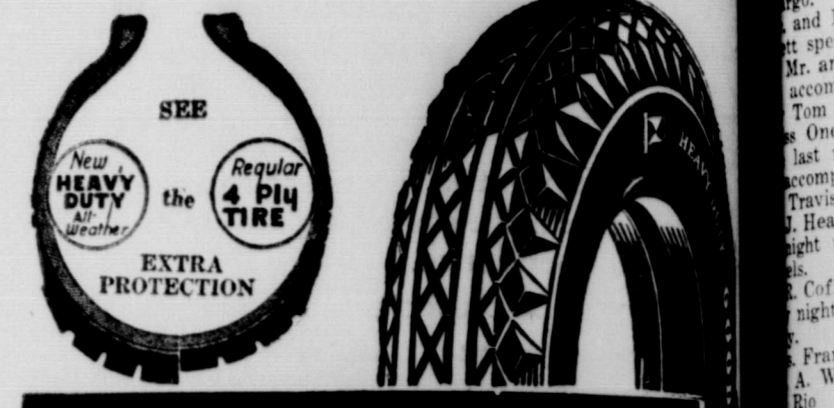
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WEST RAYLAND

Farrar and family spent Sunday with Aaron Farrar and family. Mrs. J. D. Long of Burkett spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark.

Monthly Pension Warrants Mailed

Austin, Texas, July 1 (UP).—Confederate pension warrants for a month were sent out today to approximately 11,000 pensioners, who heretofore, have been receiving their pensions quarterly.

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To the People of Texas: So very many of my friends, including newspaper friends, throughout the State have asked my opinion respecting various candidates and particularly those running for Lieutenant Governor and State Treasurer that I am taking this method of answering.

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Harmon Glaze, 12, had typhoid five years ago, and his health then was not good. He frequently had fever and had attacks of nausea. He had no desire to eat and his appetite was poor.

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SOCIETY

Vivian Is Hostess to Co. Federation with All-Day Meet

The Foard County Federation met June 26, at Vivian. The meeting opened with a song. After all business was passed on, a unique program of surprise numbers was given by the various clubs or individual members chosen to represent the club.

The Widoausis was first—Mrs. Roy Steele reading "The Local Corsair." Mrs. Sam Crews, representing the Crowell P. T. A. gave an enjoyable piano solo. Mrs. Hub Speck of Claytonville led the ladies in a peppy song. The Vivian Club presented three of her ladies in reading at intervals throughout the day. During the noon hour, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid (Columbian Club) entertained with clever contests.

The usual covered dish luncheon was served by a group of Vivian ladies. This hour the gracious ladies of Vivian proved that the rural hospitality in Foard County is characteristic of the good old days.

Just before the dismissal for lunch Master Leroy Steele sang a gay song. The afternoon opened with the singing of America led by Mrs. Roy Steele with Mrs. Allen Fish at the piano.

Mrs. Fish read, "Out to Old Aunt Mary's." Miss Hale made a pleasing talk on home demonstration work, its purposes and goals.

All of these numbers were good and were well received but the day held yet a greater surprise. The Federation was to have a report of the Denver biennial convention. The report was made in a most charming manner by our honor guest, Mrs. Ben G. Oneal of Wichita Falls. The presence of Mrs. Oneal came as a complete surprise to the federation members who were delighted to have her. Mrs. Oneal is president of the First District of Texas Federated Clubs.

At the end of this delightful program it was announced that Mrs. Raspberry would welcome all to inspect her prize living room. Many

accepted this invitation and enjoyed a few moments in the hominess and beauty of this living room.—Contributed.

PICNIC AT L. KIMSEY HOME

A delightful lawn picnic was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimsey, honoring Mrs. Kimsey's mother, Mrs. F. W. Huffman, of Fort Worth.

Various forms of picnic games were enjoyed along with musical numbers, including an accordion solo by Mrs. B. Edwards. Covered Bishes were brought by the guests and those enjoying the delicious picnic spread were: Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bell, Mrs. W. A. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Self, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allison, Miss Mary Frances Self, Miss Hallie Beth Williamson of Sabinal, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boman, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Doolen, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Rascoe, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Self, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Harris, Arthur Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimsey and the honoree, Mrs. Huffman.

MISS ELLA PATTON HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gentry surprised Miss Ella Patton with a covered dish dinner and slumber party last Thursday evening. A most delightful dinner was served at seven after which Sam Mills and Oscar Gentry entertained on their musical instruments. Other amusements kept the guests in a very merry mood.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Misses Beulah and Vera Patton, Ila Lovelady, Mildred Cogdell, Frances Patton, Lela Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mills and daughter, Sammie Gene, the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Gentry and son, Marion, and the honoree, Miss Ella Patton.

Miss Patton has been the honoree of several other social functions, among them being a slumber party given by the Epworth League and an entertainment given by her parents.—Contributed.

COMPLETES COURSE

Ernest King returned Sunday from Dallas where he attended the course of the Scholl Orthopedic Training School. The school course included the anatomy of the feet, its functioning under normal and abnormal conditions, shoe fitting and proper use of the new lasts for feet; also a complete training on the approved methods of correcting abnormal feet by use of mechanical appliances. Mr. King completed the course offered at this school.

Mrs. King was in Dallas with her husband during the school.

M. E. Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon, June 23, at the home of Mrs. A. Y. Beverly with Mesdames Sam Bell and E. M. Crosnoe assistant hostesses. Mrs. J. R. Beverly was leader for the afternoon and gave a beautiful Bible lesson, "Returning Good for Evil," taken from Matt. 5:38-42. "Educating Korean Girls and Children" was the subject for the afternoon program. Mrs. H. E. Ferguson talked on the kindergarten work among the Korean children. Mrs. J. F. Doolen told of the Grammar School and Mrs. C. R. Ferguson of the High School work. All talks were very interesting and instructive. Mrs. H. K. Edwards gave an interesting article concerning the "Economic and Industrial Life" of Korea. Mrs. T. L. Hughston presented the news from the Missionary Bulletin. We were dismissed with prayer by Miss Emily Purcell after which the hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate. Mrs. B. M. Button of Little Rock, Ark., was a guest for the afternoon.—Pub. Supt.

BIGGEST AND BEST PICTURES OF THE YEAR

Do you want the Rialto to run only two days out of the week, as a number of other theaters in the smaller cities of this section are doing? If our support in July is not better we must do this.

Please look over and clip our July program for future reference. We sincerely believe our July program of pictures is the best we have ever had. Just look these over.

Monday and Tuesday, July 7 and 8—"Young Desire" with Mary Nolan; 9 and 10—"On the Level" with Victor McLaglen; 11 and 12—"Under a Texas Moon" with Raquel Torres, Myrna Loy and Noah Berry; 14 and 15—"Navy Blues" with William Haines and Anita Page; 16 and 17—"Golden Cal" with Sue Carol and El Brendel; 18 and 19—"Trigger Tracks" 21 and 22—"Movietone Follies of 1930" with El Brendel and a score of other stars; 23 and 24—"Devil's Pit" with Patitil Warbrick and Witarink Mitchell; 25 and 26—"Free and Easy" with Buster Keaton; 27 and 28—"Anna Christie" with Greta Garbo; 30 and 31—"They Had to See Paris" with Will Rogers and Fifi Dorsay. Save this program.

INTERESTING FACTS

This year marks the hundredth anniversary of the use of gas for cooking purposes—a spit revolved in front of gas jets. The first exhibit of gas stoves was at the Philadelphia Exposition in 1876.

Expenditures of \$1,412,000,000 for improvements are being made during 1930 by public utilities—\$865,000,000 electrical, \$400,000,000 gas, \$147,000,000 electric railroads.

During peak hours New York subway trains with seating capacity of 440 carry an average of 1,900 passengers.

Self Pageant—

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and the act ended with Lula slamming the door as she left for the meetin' house to attend church services and with Jim grabbing a frying pan to prepare a hot meal.

Before the next presentation, Mrs. Alva Spencer played two violin numbers, "Turkey in the Straw," and "Arkansas Traveler," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Arnold Rucker. The next scene was shifted to Missouri in 1886 and that time of Mr. and Mrs. Self and their three children, Bert, Riley and Clarence, the portrayal being made by Allison and Ragsdale, and H. K. Edwards Jr. Chas. Thompson Jr. and John Thomas Raser. Two accordion numbers, "Swanee River" and Old "Marsa" Ran Away," were next played by Mrs. R. B. Edwards.

To Foard County

The home on the Self farm, near Thalia, in 1892, was the scene of the next act entitled, "The Kind Mother." H. K. Edwards Jr. as Riley was churning; Chas. Thompson Jr. was fanning Maude in her cradle; Margaret Claire Shirley as May was playing about the house and Mary Evelyn Edwards as Grace entered the house to have her mother treat her hurt finger. The act ended with Mrs. Self reading out of the Bible while surrounded by the children and concluding with the statement, "And that, children, is the mode of baptism."

"Silver Threads Among the Gold" and "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," were the next numbers sung by Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Mrs. T. B. Klepper, with Mrs. Rucker as accompanist.

The next act took place in Crowell in 1905 when there were nine children in the family. Practically all of the children were in a room with their mother and father. Several intimate social affairs of the older boys and girls were disclosed by the youngsters and numerous other incidents mentioned. The parents cautioned their daughters on behavior with young men and Mr. Self briefly mentioned his business affairs. The arrival at the same time of Clarence, from Clarendon College and Riley from California ended the act with the family group happily together. The children's parts were taken by the following: Robert Oswald, Bert; Recie Womack, Riley; Henry Teague, Clarence; Mary Frances Self, May; Jo Roark, Grace; Peggy Thompon, Maude; Mary Elizabeth Hughston, Una; H. K. Edwards Jr., George, and Margaret Claire Shirley, Winnie.

Sadness caused when "Keeno," the old family horse, fell in the well was shown in the next scene. Mrs. Reid Williams followed with a vocal solo, "Coming Home," accompanied by Mrs. Rucker.

Album Portrayed

The following pictures from the family album were next portrayed: Robert Oswald as J. H. Self when he came to Texas in 1879; Peggy Thompson and Jo Roark as Lula Thompson and Annie Thompson, now Mrs. W. W. Wilson of Amarillo, at the ages of 16 and 18; John Thomas Raser in the arms of Miss Allison Self, as Mrs. Self with her first child, Bert; Henry Teague as Clarence Self in his Clarendon College uniform; Miss Martha Schlagal as Una at the time of her graduation from Baylor; Miss Mary Frances Self as Maude at the time of her high school graduation; Robert Oswald as the sheikish Bert at the age of 18; Jo Roark as May at the age of 16; Chas. Thompson Jr. and Margaret Claire Shirley as George and Winnie; Recie Womack as Riley in his Knights Templar uniform; Mary Frances Self as Grace, thirty minutes before her marriage; Martha Schlagal as Winnie while in Europe; and in conclusion a group of the whole family, portrayed by the same persons in the whole family act.

Elephant Presented

George then had T. N. Bell take charge. After a short talk he presented Mr. Self with the emblem of the Republican party, an elephant. The golden animal had various "wise-cracks" written concerning Hoover prosperity and other digs at the G. O. P., which were read by Mr. Bell.

The program ended with Rev. W. W. Smith leading the entire group in "Home Sweet Home," after which punch and pieces of the golden wedding cake, were served in the living room of the home, and further enjoyment was had by viewing many of the old family pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Self were the recipients of many beautiful gifts and numerous congratulations throughout the day of their 50th wedding anniversary. All the children were present for the affair with the exception of Riley, who telegraphed congratulations from San Francisco.

The following out-of-town guests were present: Mrs. E. D. Shaw, Thalia; Mrs. J. W. Cope, Ft. Worth; Genevieve Ferguson, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cope, Quanah; Mrs. Robert Cole, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitelock, Frederick, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sampson, Frederick, Okla.; Mrs. Pearl Carter and sons, J. T. and George, Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibson and family, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bomar, Henrietta; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Melton, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Reid Williams, Loveland, Colo.

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Houston as Port Made Possible by Faith of Seaman

Houston, Texas, June 26. (UP).—The faith of a hardy seaman who founded one of the largest steamship lines in the world has had much to do with the growth of modern Houston, it is recalled, in accounting for the city's sudden rise from seventh place in the south to second.

Commodore Charles Morgan, who founded the Morgan Steamship Company, was a pioneer in the development of Buffalo Bayou, now the Houston ship channel and gateway to a world port. Morgan is termed by many the "father of the Houston ship channel."

The development of Houston as a metropolis dates from the opening of the channel to deep water shipping in 1919. Although Houston is located inland fifty miles from the Gulf of Mexico, the largest liners and freighters afloat regularly steam up the channel.

In 1837, largely through the efforts of Commodore Morgan, steamship service between Houston and Galveston was inaugurated on Buffalo Bayou. At that time it was a deep-gorged stream, lined with great trees. A description of the bayou at that time declares that "throughout its whole extent it bears a strong resemblance to a canal."

By 1835 five boats were plying their trade between Houston and Galveston. The first ocean steamer to navigate the bayou was the Clinton, which arrived September 22, 1876, from Moran City, La., with cargoes of freight.

But the ambitious city of Houston had called itself an official port long before an ocean steamship came up the bayou. In 1841 the city council had formally passed an ordinance creating "The Port of Houston." Although historically, the port dates from that time, as a factor in world trade it dates from November of 1919, when the mammoth improvement program on the channel was

completed and the sea was but 50 miles inland.

This project, one of the outstanding engineering feats of modern times, was carried through at a cost of \$12,084,000, and was financed by Houston and the federal government. Terminal facilities, costing \$8,306,846, were financed by Houston interests.

The old bayou channel was deepened to 30 feet and with a width from 150 to 250 feet, the ships in American waters were able to enter Port Houston. The growth of the city has been since the improvement of the United States census figures have told the story:

1920—138,276.

1930—290,811.

Growth of the port is best

by the fact that in 1920 only vessels cleared, compared with that cleared in 1929.

Perhaps the outstanding feat of the development following deep water opening of the port in 1919 has been the city's industrial development. Although the city was open to coastwise traffic in 1915, at that time only one inland fertilizing plant, was located in the channel area. Today there are 82 industries in the area, representing an investment of more than \$20,000,000 and having a daily roll in excess of \$100,000.

Commodore Morgan died in New York on May 8, 1878. On the day where as a pioneer he visited the development of a great shipping industry along Buffalo Bayou, Morgan Steamship Company is erected fireproof wharves and at a cost of more than \$1,000,000.

Once described as "a great economic mistake" by a witness to the interstate Commerce Commission, the Houston ship channel became the greatest single link in the development of the city.

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