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CROWELL AND MUNDAY WILL MEET FRIDAY

Wildcats Defeated Archer City 25-0 Last Friday; Munday Brings Strong Team

An interesting football game is in prospect for Friday when the Wildcat High team will meet Munday. Munday has an impressive record and just last week defeated Knox City, a team that Crowell has also defeated. The game will be promptly at 4 o'clock and a crowd should be present to see the best team that Crowell has put in many seasons in action against any opponent.

Captain Ragsdale Lanier will likely take part in this game. He has been out for several weeks after suffering injuries in the opening game against Quannah. Charlie Ashford, fullback, will likely be out of contention due to an injured knee, however, practically all other members of the team are in good shape and Crowell will bring a strong team to the field, according to Coach Ragsdale.

Archer City Loses

Crowell won its fourth victory in many games Friday when the Wildcats defeated Archer City at the third quarter. Crowell scored in place by the score of 25 to 0, and scored in every quarter and completely outplayed its opponent.

High Burrow, center; Arthur Bell, Crews Cooper, ends; and R. D. Hunt, Jr., fullback, were the principal stars of the game for Crowell. Crowell's first touchdown came in the first quarter when Archer City fumbled the ball on a pass and Crews Cooper recovered after the ball had rolled behind goal line. R. D. Oswald bucked the line for the extra point.

The second touchdown was made by Todd after Crowell had made a steady march down the field on a football. The half ended in the score 13 to 0 in favor of Crowell.

Pass Scores Third

When Guy Todd passed fifteen to Arthur Bell who ran 25 yards for a touchdown. Archer City recovered after the touchdown but was unable to gain and their attempt was blocked by Cooper on his own 20-yard line.

In the last quarter Crowell took half down the field on a number of half-back plays and Cotton Gannett the final touchdown on a fake that completely mystified the Archer City team.

Archer City opened up with a pass-back late in the game that nearly Crowell off its feet. Eight passes were completed and after passing into Crowell's territory, Oswald intercepted one of their passes and fullback in this game in the person of Charlie Ashford who was with an injured knee. He bucked the line for gain after gain and scored an exceptionally well.

Crowell scored 18 first downs to 6 Archer City.

The Line-Up

	ARCHER CITY
Left End	Larkin
Left Tackle	McDonald
Left Guard	Hays
Center	Maney
Right Guard	H. Wright
Right Tackle	Wilson
Right End	Wiggenton
Quarter	Strahan
Left Half	Horaney
Right Half	Hagood
Fullback	G. Wright

Blanche Schooley

Wife of Eugene Bryant

Blanche Schooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Schooley, became the wife of Eugene Bryant in a marriage ceremony performed at 2:30 p. m. Saturday afternoon by Rev. Perry, pastor of the Vernon Baptist Church. The young couple are now making their home in a residence next to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

Blanche is a native of Crowell and was a member of the Senior class of Crowell High School this year. She has always been popular in the young people's social circles and has a great number of friends in this section.

Mr. Bryant has been employed as a type operator of the Foard County since February 1st, coming from San Angelo. He is a member of the 1925 class of Paris High School. Shortly after attending Commercial College he became an assistant radio operator on a ship working out of Galveston. Mr. Bryant took up the printing trade in the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bryant who reside at Iowa Park.

Three Schools to Open

In Next Three Weeks

Only three Foard County schools have not opened and these will start their sessions in the next three weeks. Beaver will open on Monday, October 21st. Claytonville will open on Monday, October 28th. Good Creek will open on Monday, November 4th.

Trifling With Sin Will Undermine the Strongest Character

Dr. J. W. Hunt, President McMurry College, Delivering Sermons at Revival

Taking the text, "The wages of sin is death but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ," Dr. J. W. Hunt delivered an excellent sermon at the revival services at the Methodist Church Tuesday night. Many other fine sermons have been delivered by Dr. Hunt and those who have not yet heard him should certainly make an effort to attend the remaining services.

In opening his sermon he brought out that sin was responsible for practically all of the bad conditions existing today. He discussed at length that matter and then said that when sin had finished its work it brought forth death.

"Sin undermines the character of any person who so much as trifles with it, no matter how strong the character of the person is. Sin does not blight only the one that sins but it injures all," said Dr. Hunt.

Dr. Hunt commented on the liquor question and mentioned how the power of drink controlled many people. "Many drinkers claim that the habit has such a strangle hold upon them that they cannot quit it, but if they will accept Jesus Christ they can quit it for Christ can break the strangle hold on any life," he said. He also gave an account of conditions in Dalhart while he was a preacher there in saloon days. "You can say what you please about conditions existing under prohibition but we are absolutely in Heaven compared to what we were then and those who went through the saloon days know that I am speaking the truth," he stated.

Dr. Hunt stated that environment could not keep one from sin, stating that Judas was with Christ for three years and then died a suicide. He also mentioned the Garden of Eden circumstance.

"Even if you stop sinning, what are you going to do with the sins that you have already committed?" he asked. "Jesus Christ came to this world to carry away the burden of sin and the way to get rid of sin is to repent of your sins and give your life to Jesus Christ."

Dr. Hunt closed his sermon by stating that the only way of Salvation was by the way of the cross.

Teachers Institute Opened at Thalia Thursday Morning

Teachers from all of the rural schools of Foard County were present at Thalia Thursday morning for the opening of the Foard County teachers institute. The second day of the meeting will be held Friday at the Crowell High School when the teachers of the rural and Crowell schools take part in a joint meeting.

A continuation of the organization of the county teachers will be perfected at the institute. Considerable work will also be done relative to the Foard County Interscholastic meet which will be held in Crowell next spring.

J. E. Atcheson, county superintendent in charge of the institute, stated that one hundred per cent membership in the Foard County teachers institute would be made during the institute. For the past two years Foard County has had one hundred per cent membership in this body and the winning contestants of Foard County have their ways paid to Austin for the state meet by the Interscholastic League as a result.

Last year Foard County had a greater representation to go to the Austin meet than ever before and this year it is hoped that even a greater number will get to attend the state classic, representing both literary and athletic contestants.

Crowell teachers did not take part in the first day of the institute but will have a day to themselves on Saturday, as the rural teachers did Thursday.

Crowell Rebekahs Will Go to Chillicothe Mon.

A number of Crowell Rebekahs and their drill team will go to Chillicothe Monday night for a joint meeting with the Rebekah lodge of that city.

The Chillicothe band will play for the performance of the Crowell drill team that will be given on the main street of Chillicothe, after which a joint meeting of the two lodges will be held.

The Crowell Rebekahs were to have made this trip Monday night, October 14, but due to weather and road conditions it was postponed.

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FOARD COUNTY GINNINGS AMOUNT TO ABOUT 5,000 BALES THURSDAY

Ginners Estimate that Less than Third of Crop Has Been Gathered; Production Heavier than Generally Expected

Foard County's cotton production will be considerably heavier, according to present indications, than has generally been expected. Already nearly five thousand bales have been ginned at Foard County gins and most of the ginners are of the opinion that not a third of the crop has yet been gathered.

According to present indications Foard County should produce over fifteen thousand bales this year. Last year the production reached 9,596 bales.

The ginners in the county at present are as follows:

Margaret	613
Rayland	775
Thalia Farmers	656
Thalia Gin Co.	721
Crowell Gin Co.	665
Farmers Co-op. (2 gins)	1182
Total	4612

More cotton is also being ginned outside of Foard County than heretofore with a considerable number of loads going to the gin at Lockett and to gins in Quannah and Cottle County.

L. G. Andrews, manager of the Rayland gin, was of the opinion that hardly a third of the cotton had been ginned in that vicinity. J. C. Taylor and George Doty, Thalia gin managers, are also of the same opinion.

After making a tour of the county it was found that there were a good number of fields where no picking had yet taken place.

According to a report furnished the News by W. B. Griffin, ginning enumerator for the Bureau of the Census, there were 1,792 bales of cotton ginned in Foard County up to October 1st, compared with 973 for the same date in 1928.

A. T. Schooley, Crowell public weigher, had weighed 2030 bales of cotton in the Crowell yards up to Thursday afternoon.

M. L. Cribbs Making Another Cotton Record This Year

Farmer Who Produced 31 Bales From 10 Acres in 1927 Will Make Big Crop

M. L. Cribbs of the West Rayland community, who startled all Texas two years ago with a production of thirty-one bales from ten acres without the use of fertilizer or special irrigation, will not have such a good crop this year and is expecting only about two bales to the acre on this same plot of ground. Last year was another bad cotton year and Mr. Cribbs averaged about two bales to the acre on the same plot.

Mr. Cribbs' farm is located in the Peace River valley and the ten acres from which such unusual production has been made, is underlaid with water at depths of 6 to 10 feet which sub-irrigates the soil. The farm is located just north of the West Rayland school and about one mile south of Peace River in a belt containing about five thousand acres of sub-irrigated land.

In the 17 years that he has lived on this farm, Mr. Cribbs stated that this particular ten acres has averaged about a bale to the acre. In 1924 he made 3,600 pounds of half an half cotton from three acres of this land.

On the west end of this ten acre plot many of the stalks are around eight feet in height. Over one hundred bolls were counted on one of the stalks which appeared to be about an average stalk of the real tall ones.

There are 85 acres in cotton on the farm this year and a yield of 75 bales is expected. "The elast cotton that I have made since coming to this farm 17 years ago was 38 bales from 85 acres the first year that I came here. Since then the yield per acre has been much heavier and the land seems to be improving all the time," Mr. Cribbs said.

The record on the Cribbs' farm since 1924 shows the following production: 1924, 90 bales from 85 acres; 1925, 70 bales from 80 acres; 1926, 69 bales from 70 acres; 1927, 95 bales from 85 acres and 1928, 74 bales from 90 acres. "I can't remember just what I made before 1924 but I always made pretty big crops and the yield was just about as heavy as it has been for the last few years."

Mr. Cribbs is by no means a one-crop farmer but each year raises a variety of crops such as oats, sorghum, wheat, sweet potatoes, corn, sweet clover, truck products and others. He keeps a number of pure bred Jerseys.

"In all the time I have been in Foard County I have bought very little feed and I always have considerable livestock on hand," said Mr. Cribbs, "and very often I raise more than enough feed to take care of my own needs." A special feed grinding mill is a fixture on the farm and each year milo maize, cotton seed, corn and other feeds are ground into special rations.

One ten acre tract on the farm produced a crop of oats this year and is also going to produce a good cotton crop. The cotton is a little late, having been planted the latter part of June but is in excellent condition and the production from it should be heavy. Over thirty bales of cotton have already been picked from the entire cotton acreage.

Big Crop Always

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DANGEROUSLY ILL

Mrs. G. A. Mitchell has been dangerously ill for the past week. She showed no improvement Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hankins of Quannah are visiting here this week.

Gordon Gribble Is Winner Over Other Guessers

Republican Is Expected to Lose in Hot Contest of Predictions This Week

The Republicans scored a victory in Foard County last week when Gordon Gribble emerged victorious over Eli Smith, Granville Lanier, Byron Reese and Gordon Bell in predicting the results of major football games last week. "Chick" guessed every winner and also guessed closest to the scores of the games, hitting one exactly, the Notre Dame-Navy game, in which Notre Dame won 14-7.

Granville Lanier was a close second and also guessed every winner but was barely beaten on the scores. With the exception of a tie game, Byron Reese had all games guessed correctly. Eli Smith's prediction of a 19-0 score in favor of Kansas A. and M. over Texas Aggies was exactly reversed. Eli now insists that the mistake in tabulating his prediction, Gordon Bell, whom the writer predicted to win first, was the very last, having one game guessed wrong and a tie score for another.

The actual scores of the games Saturday with Gribble's predictions follow: (actual results first) Texas-Arkansas, 27 to 0-14 to 0; Texas A. and M.-Kansas A. and M., 19 to 0-7 to 0; S. M. U.-Austin College, 16 to 0-35 to 0; T. C. U.-Centenary, 28 to 0-14 to 7; Notre Dame-Navy, 14 to 7-14 to 7. It is interesting to note that "Chick" predicted the actual score of every losing team.

This Week

The honorarium of upholding his prestige by predicting games for this week with a different set of football fans of Crowell. The winner each week is given the opportunity of predicting until he loses.

Gordon Gribble-1; Herbert Edwards-2; Floyd Thomas-3; Paul Crews-4; and Jimmy Doolen-5; are the forecasters for Saturday's games. Each made his prediction without the knowledge of what the other guessed.

	1	2	3	4	5
T. C. U.	7	6	7	6	7
A. & M.	14	19	13	7	0
Texas	7	20	14	6	7
Oklas.	0	7	13	13	13
Baylor	14	28	21	21	21
Ark.	0	7	7	6	7
Calif.	14	7	21	13	14
Penn.	7	0	13	7	7
Army	7	21	19	14	7
Harvard	0	7	7	0	0
Nebraska	6	7	7	0	6
Pitts.	13	10	6	0	7

One more game was used for this week than for last and naturally it will be more difficult for the experts to make a good score.

Jimmy Doolen was the only person to predict defeat for Texas Aggies. He and Paul Crews also predicted defeat for Texas. The prediction was unanimous that Baylor, California and Army would win their games.

Floyd Thomas alone predicted victory for Nebraska while Paul Crews forecasts a scoreless tie for that game.

All of the predictions this week match more closely in size of scores than those of last week, however, there is a greater difference in opinion as to the victors.

While the writer and linotype operator picked losers last week, yet we are game to try again and this time the writer picks Floyd Thomas to be victorious and the machine man picks Herbert Edwards.

Strawberry growing ranks as an important industry in twenty-seven states.

Hunt to Deliver Famous Round-up Sermon Friday

Cattlemen Especially Invited to Hear Sermon; Dr. Hunt Former Cowboy

"On the Trails that Lead to the Alkali Bog," will be the subject of the sermon to be delivered Friday night by Dr. J. W. Hunt, who is conducting a revival meeting at the Methodist Church this week.

This sermon has been delivered before thousands of people and great numbers of people claim that it is the best one they have ever heard. Dr. Hunt has received letters from all over the nation requesting the delivery of this sermon as an address. The Dallas News printed the sermon in full when Dr. Hunt preached in that city.

Everyone is urged to be present for this sermon, with a special invitation to the cattlemen and cowboys of this section.

Dr. Hunt's own life furnishes a real background to the sermon. He came to the Plains about fifty years ago when he was but five years of age and practically grew up in the saddle. His father built the third house that was ever constructed on the Plains at Estacado, a Quaker colony in Crosby County. Dr. Hunt and his sister, Mrs. George R. Bean of Lubbock, are the only original settlers of that colony now living.

He saw buffalo running wild in about the years of 1883 to 1885. His brother killed 13 of the animals by moonlight in 1883 near where Tahoka now stands. Dr. Hunt quit the ranches when 19 years of age and went to Denver. After learning the printers trade he established the Plains' second newspaper, "The Texas Press," at Estacado. He later moved to Lubbock and finally established it at Plainview. He sold the publication at Plainview and entered the ministry. Dr. Hunt stated the first Plains paper was the Crosby County News, published in Estacado by J. B. Murray, who once published a newspaper at Old Margaret, Hardeman County, in about 1885.

Dr. Hunt founded McMurry College of Abilene in 1920. The school was adopted by the Northwest Texas Conference in 1921 and the doors of the institution were opened in 1923. He has served as president of the school since that time and it is now regarded as one of the leading colleges of West Texas.

Lee Highway Paving Resumed Wednesday After 6-Day Delay

After a delay since last Thursday, paving on Highway 28, or the Lee Highway, resumed Wednesday and to Thursday afternoon over a mile of pavement had been laid in the direction of Crowell from a point one mile west of Thalia.

The delay was caused by rains and shortage of material when the resident engineer had the construction company to order a better grade of gravel for the work.

Construction is now going in full swing with around forty trucks hauling sand, cement and gravel from the company's plant to the scene of paving.

Fain-McGaha Drilling Rapidly on New Test

Fain-McGaha Oil Company is drilling rapidly on its new test that it started on the W. S. Tarver place, north of Thalia, last week.

The test is located in the northwest corner of the east 40 acres of the west 80 acres of the south 160 acres of section 3, certificate 5056, G. C. & S. F. Survey. In its report last week the News stated that the test was located on the J. K. French lease which proved to be incorrect.

This test is about one-half mile southeast of the Tarver No. 1, Foard County's first real oil producer.

It is now drilling below 500 feet. The Humble-Matus No. 1 is drilling by a ten inch pipe at a depth of 1080 feet.

First Scout Meeting Held Monday Night

Crowell's first scout meeting was held Monday night in the basement of the Baptist Church and Troop No. 1 for Crowell was started. Meetings of this troop will be held each Monday night at 7:30 p. m.

The special committee of the Baptist Church sponsoring the troop was present and each member made talks. Eli Smith, scoutmaster, and Mack Boswell, assistant scoutmaster, also told of a few plans for the Boy Scout work.

Wilburn Clary was elected by the boys as scout scribe. Bill Middleton and Henry Ashford are patrol leaders of the first troop.

W. E. Hallmark was able to be up Monday after being confined to his bed for 18 days following an accident in which he was struck by an automobile on the Lee Highway west of town.

Evans Mitchell of Midland arrived in Crowell this week to be with his mother who is dangerously ill.

FARMERS ARE GUESTS WED. AT LUNCHEON

John Ray in Charge of Interesting Rotary Program; Dr. J. W. Hunt Speaks

John Ray was in charge of the rural-urban program at the Rotary luncheon Wednesday in which most of the Rotarians had farmers as guests. Mr. Ray holds the farmer classification in the club and in spite of the 15 miles that he has to drive to reach Crowell he has maintained an almost 100 per cent attendance at the luncheons since the club was organized about 18 months ago.

Guests and visitors at the luncheon were: Will Woods, C. B. Morris, C. D. Mullins, C. D. Mullins, Jr., J. L. Hendrix, W. B. Johnson, Henry Ayers, Fred Rennels, G. H. Patton, F. A. Davis, Bill Godwin, Bob Taylor, Rev. W. R. McCarter, Gordon Gribble, Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gose of Quannah.

Mr. Ray opened the meeting with an interesting talk which follows:

"It is my privilege today to present to you for your inspection, the farmer. Look him over carefully, and if you see any good points which I am sure you will, don't fail to mention them when later you may speak on the matter.

"If you see any bad ones mention them in a kindly spirit for we have our faults as well as our town brethren, and if you can point to us the way to escape them it will be received in good faith and a willingness to try to correct them.

"There was a time when a clear line of demarcation existed between the country and city dweller, and considerable misunderstanding existed between them as to the relations to one another. 'Come the dawn,' as the movie caption has it, and with it the automobile, radio, paved roads, silk stockings, face paint and scanty raiment, and behold we have a people who have a community of interests that have united them more in the last ten years than in the preceding five hundred.

"The farmer has his problems, and will be glad to act in cooperation with the city at any time that the interests of the country or city may be furthered.

Same Interests

"The time has come when the interests of both are so closely related that neither can afford to antagonize the other.

"Good roads, good schools and all other civic endeavor, whether they be in the city or country are mutually beneficial for they make for a more intelligent citizenry, and a more intelligent citizenry makes for more and better business, and this Rotary Club, an organization of business men should by their efforts further the spirit that is on the way to make the town and country, a better place in which to live."

Following his talk Mr. Ray called upon President Tom Bell to say a few words. Mr. Bell mentioned to the farmers that we were all just in one community with Crowell as a wide place on one of the community's roads.

H. E. Ferguson read the six objects of Rotary in his talk. Other members making talks were M. S. Henry, Leo Spencer and Byron Reese. Mr. Reese spoke on good roads. C. B. Morris was the principal speaker for the farmers. He stated that a person had to be a crank about something to amount to anything and that he was a crank about cooperation. He said that the farmers needed cooperation more than any other body of men.

Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College of Abilene, was the last person to speak. His talk was featured by a number of humorous remarks about West Texas and its possibilities, which brought forth much laughter. Dr. Hunt is conducting a revival at the Methodist Church.

The club had 100 per cent attendance at the luncheon Wednesday. John Rasmussen and Leo Spencer attended the Rotary luncheon in Vernon Tuesday, making up their attendance which brought the meeting last week to one hundred per cent.

Good Rain Fell Over the County Since Thursday

Rain, amounting from one-half to over one inch, fell over Foard County, starting last Thursday night and continuing until Tuesday. The total amount of rain received in Crowell amounted to .70 inches.

While cotton gathering was hindered, yet the rain was of great benefit to wheat and range conditions. Wheat was beginning to need rain. J. W. Bell stated that he believed that the rain came at a better time as it did than if it had come earlier, due to the fact that it would have caused the wheat to come up too quickly.

Rayland received the heaviest rain in the county with over an inch reported in parts of that community. Roads were made extremely rough in that section. Thalia received more rain than Crowell also.

THALIA

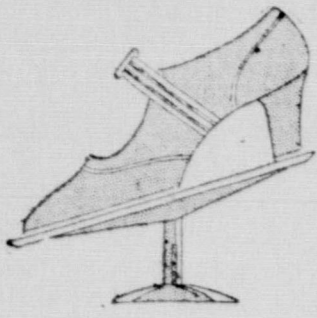
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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tamplin, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ayers, Mrs. Hembree, Rev. and Mrs. Annis, W. A. Dunn, Ben Stokes and Wesley Hembree of Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Boatman, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hendrix of Rayland and Rev. J. O. Haynes of Vernon attended the fourth quarterly conference held Monday night. Rev. Haynes preach-

ed at 7:30 after which a business session was held. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Durham, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, W. F. Wood and Claude Baker were Vernon visitors Saturday. Mr. Lawhorn of Vernon is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Claude Self, and family here this week. Rev. O. B. Annis of Margaret filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church here Sunday. There were no services Sunday night on account of the bad weather.

Billie Banister purchased a new Ford roadster Saturday. Miss Maggie Crabtree spent from Saturday to Monday visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Stokes, and family in Margaret. Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts of Vernon visited relatives here last week-end. Mrs. Roy Ricks and Mrs. C. H. Wood visited in Wichita Falls Tuesday. Otto Matthes visited friends in Vernon Sunday and Monday. The Methodist Ladies held a bakery sale here Saturday. They also sold pop corn and home made candy. Something like \$20 was realized from the sale. They will sell pop corn and candy every Saturday afternoon.

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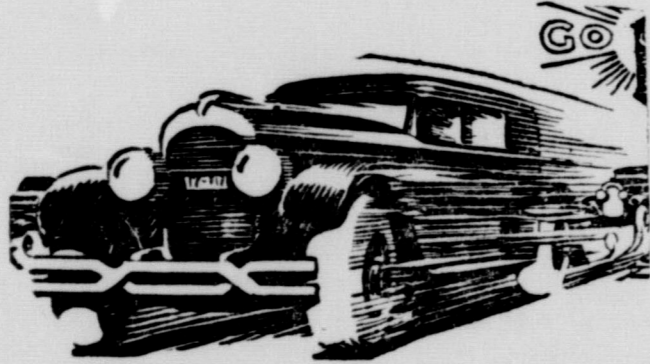
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THREE TRIPS TO CROWELL

EACH WEEK MONDAY—THURSDAY—SATURDAY ROUGH DRY 8c lb. WET WASH 6c lb.

Quanah Steam Laundry

BLACK

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Boren and children spent the week-end with Mr. Boren's mother of Vivian.

A twelve pound boy arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Martin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gentry of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gentry.

Miss Lorene Sparks of Crowell spent the week-end with Miss Maurine Bostic.

Mrs. A. B. Owens spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ingle, of Margaret.

Mrs. Mollie Free of Gambleville spent Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Brock.

Mrs. Hayden Ford spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. L. T. Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and children of Jameson spent the week-end with Mr. Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nichols.

Lee Whatley of Thalia spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Louie Henderson.

This community was visited by a wind storm last Thursday night which did some damage to out buildings.

TEXON TALES

Big Lake Oil Company 131, the first deep well after 1-b came in last Friday at 8377 feet. Terrific gas pressure blew the tools and line up and lodged them so tight that all efforts to dislodge them since have failed. However, more than five million feet of gas and some oil spray found way out of the hole and an estimate has been made on the well. Highway traffic on the Angelo-McCamey road and train service on the Sante Fe was held up for a few hours on account of the gas. The well created considerable excitement not only in Texon and surrounding oil camps but the whole country about here. Officials value the well at more than fifty million dollars. The real value cannot be easily determined since 1-b has been pretty much considered a freak well and many who should understand the oil business have held that 1-b was the first and last, that there would be no more. The new 131 proves there is a pool down there nearly two miles and it is good, just how good, only years can determine. All indications are that 131 is greater than 1-b. At a depth of 8377 feet against 1-b's 8525 feet is an advantage. The oil tests an even higher gravity. The gas is practically a duplicate but indications are of a greater pressure. However, most dope now is speculative and after the tools are removed and the well blows itself fully in we will know for certain and not before, but at any rate Texon has a new lease on life and the value of the field is evidently more than doubled.

I got some medicine the other day and the clerk guaranteed it would help my headache but my head hurt even worse. I went back and told him so. He says why I told you it would help your headache, not you. Then he sold me a bottle of medicine which he said every bottle was guaranteed. It was no good either. I took it back and wanted my money. He says there is nothing wrong with the bottle the medicine was in is there? I told him no, and he says, well, we only guarantee the bottle, not the medicine.

We been having some court down here. A lawyer told a man his wife would have to cry a little if he expected to be acquitted. He says well, just tell her I will be acquitted and she will. And they asked a colored guy, "Did you hit this bird in an excess of irascibility?" He says, "No sah, oh no, I hit him in de stum-mick."

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The United States had 24,629,921 registered automobiles January 1, 1929, of which 21,423,597 were passenger cars. This represented 76.9 percent of all registered automobiles in the world and 79.32 percent of the world's registered passenger cars. Whereas the ratio of world passenger cars to world population is one car to every 70 persons of 14 cars per thousand population, the ratio of passenger cars to population in the United States is one car to each 5.6 persons, or 179 cars per thousand population. The increase in passenger cars registered in the United States is 5.6 percent over 1928.

Paralleling this evidence of widespread prosperity is the fact that about 1 in every 4 adults in the United States has investments in the business enterprises of the country. Over 17,000,000 today possesses definite holdings in American concerns, compared with some 2,000,000 before the World War.

Card of Thanks

We want to thank the good people for their kind offerings and help during the illness and death of our loving husband, father, son and brother, Elzy Black. We want to again thank you for your kindness.

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Beginning of Manual Training in Schools

The history of manual training in the United States involves both the development of the idea and the development of practice. In the field of practice little of a purely educational character appeared before 1878, at which time the Workingman's school, was founded by the Ethical Culture society of New York.

"Artesian" Wells

"Artesian" is a term applied to water which is secured by deep borings into the earth. An ordinary well is usually under 100 and at most 150 feet in depth. If it is required to go 20 to 500 feet in depth or more, the water is usually termed "artesian."

Another

The young son of a wealthy man was engaged in a clerical capacity by a friend of his father, who undertook to try and make something of him. He was, however, shiftless to the last degree, and nothing he said could be relied upon.

Auto Driving at Night

The bureau of standards says that in order to drive 40 miles per hour in safety at night, it is necessary to have a light that will make all objects upon the road visible to the eye which lie within a distance of 300 to 500 feet, depending upon road conditions; the greater distance is probably the minimum safe distance for foggy weather.

Find Ancient Observatory

Workmen, digging a cellar in Buetow, Mecklenburg, discovered an old observatory which archeologists declare dates from 1181 B. C. A stone circle with markings showing observation on the sun's positions throughout the year served as a chronicle.

More Trouble

Marjorie and Donald were told of the arrival of a new baby brother. Donald greeted the announcement with a cheer, but Marjorie seemed quite downcast.

DAIRY BUSINESS THRIVES

The increase in consumption of dairy products in the United States in recent years has given the American dairy industry a practically uninterrupted period of financial well-being during a time when other agricultural industries have had periodical ups and downs, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Statistics compiled by the bureau show that people in the United States are now drinking more milk, eating more butter, cheese and ice cream, and using more condensed and evaporated milk than they were ten years ago. In addition to this per capita increase in consumption there are today nearly 15 million more mouths to feed in the United States than there were a decade ago.

Improvement in sanitary conditions in dairy production and distribution has been an important factor contributing to increased consumption, as exemplified by the passing of the tin pail in retail buying in favor of the sealed container. Families of all classes now have their milk and cream delivered regularly at their doors each morning, a distribution system which has undoubtedly in-

Small Trading Post Grows Into Large Wholesale System

Back in the covered wagon days of the great Southwest, some fifty years ago, when shootin' irons were a part of the regular equipment of every he-man, there was started in Indian Territory, (now Oklahoma), a small trading post from which to supply foodstuffs and coffee, to the hardy pioneers.

Housed in a tent on the banks of the Red River, and operated under the partnership name of Waples and Platter, this trading post early became the center of trading activities for hundreds of miles around.

Each country participating in the work will take the census with its organization and methods, following standard form furnished by the Institute of Agriculture, and will summarize and publish its own results. These results, when available, will be brought together in the world tables and published by the institute at Rome probably in 1931 or 1932.

MODERN DAY SHORT CUTS

This is an age of short cuts to everything. No one seems to have time for the "meat" of anything. The hair is cut short, the dresses are cut short and the sleeves are cut short.

Probably a great many men would stop smoking if they knew what to do with their mouths.

Family discipline is not disappearing. Most parents do just what their children desire.

WORLD FARM CENSUS

Arrangements for taking a world agricultural census in 1930 have been practically completed, the countries, colonies and mandate territories which have promised active participation in the census representing approximately 98 per cent of the agriculture of the world, according to Leon M. Estabrook, director of the census for the international Institute of Agriculture at Rome.

The results of the census will be published probably in 1931 or 1932. The figures will give the number and size of farms, the area and production of important crops and the number of each kind of live stock by age and sex classification. In the northern hemisphere the census will be taken after the crops of 1929 are harvested, probably in the early months of 1930. In the southern hemisphere, where seasons are reversed, the census will cover crop production of the year beginning July 1, 1929, and ending June 30, 1930, probably in the early months of the winter there.

Everybody is looking for a short cut to wealth without work. Robbing a bank seems to be the most favored of short cuts in this class.

Motorists are constantly demanding short cuts and highway commissions are straightening highways to make greater speed possible.

Short cuts to health are sought in sanitariums after health has been lost by burning the candle at both ends.

But the world's work is not going to be done with short cuts. Those of us who are engulfed in the "short cut" mania will have to learn that patience, time and hard work are just as much requirements of accomplishment as they ever were.

All products exported from Spain are to have a national label.

Thirty-five shell mounds and an old cave once occupied by an ancient tribe of Indians have been unearthed in Monterey County, California.

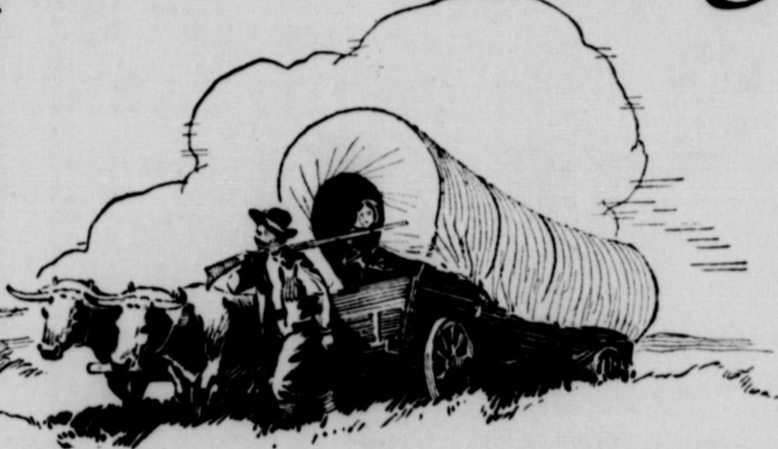
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Texas is a big state. Technically it is one state, but geographically she is a half dozen. To those who think a trip through seven states from Boston to St. Louis is never-ending, this same distance can be covered without leaving the borders of Texas.

The grit and courage of the people of the great Southwest is reflected in the development of its vastness, laying the foundation for the homes of great in-

dustries and enterprises which have today materialized.

During the forward march of Texas, more than 1,000,000 loyal people of the Southwest have made the Waples Platter Company one of the largest food distributors in the United States. That is important. Not just because it is now a big business—but because it presents an obligation which must be discharged in full to deserve the continuance of your patronage.

Naturally, you haven't realized the business you were building. Waples Platter Company is merely a name to many of you. But in thousands of households White Swan Coffee, Wapco Beans and many other Waples Platter products mean the finest quality that can be placed on a table.

Goodwill is the most precious asset of any company. It cannot be bought like a commodity. But can be established only by insuring the lowest price consistent with the highest quality.

By going to the very source for its products, by controlling every step of their preparation and distribution, it makes sure that no finer foods can be brought into your home for the price you are asked to pay.

To guarantee this, the Waples Platter Company has become far more than a distributor of foods. It is importer, roaster, packer and preserver, selecting crops direct from the world's finest farms and plantations.

Every step from raw materials to the finished product is now supervised and packed under their own roofs. Twenty-five acres of land accommodate the many modern plants which our customers made possible to erect, and stand today as monuments to their patronage of this Texas institution.

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And now, with greater resources combined with facilities for greater economies, Waples Platter will endeavor to reward your loyalty with even higher quality and service.



Plants and houses of the Waples Platter Company situated at various points, grouped in one picture. In these plants and houses, White Swan Coffee, Wapco Beans and many other products are produced, packed and distributed.

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Fixing of Prices Denied as Duty Of Farm Board

Duties of the Federal Farm Board do not include the fixing of prices on agricultural products, it was asserted by Samuel R. McKelvie, member of the Board in charge of wheat activities, in an oral statement before the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, which is considering the nominations of the members of the Board.

Mr. McKelvie said he did not understand that the farm relief act as passed intended that the Board should enter the field of price fixing. If the prices were fixed by the Board on wheat, they would have to be fixed on all commodities, he said.

The plans for a national organization for marketing wheat were explained by Mr. McKelvie. The board of directors of the organization, he said, would represent the various districts represented by the cooperatives, and would be selected by the stockholders of the cooperatives. Three groups to be represented on the board of directors, he said, would be the farmers' elevators, the farmers' sales agencies and the wheat pools.

Hearings of the committee are expected to be held in California, and William F. Schilling, of Minnesota, will be the last two members of the Board to appear.

An executive committee meeting will be held late this week or early next week to consider the nomination.

Decision will be made then as to when the recommendation of the committee will be presented to the Senate, the chairman said.

A BUSINESS FORERUNNER

Press dispatches recently carried an announcement of a gigantic circus merger, in which millions of dollars are involved, and in which John Ringling becomes owner of the leading tent shows in existence today.

Outside of the fact that this is a news item, there is a little thing back of the start of this circus king that appeals to newspaper people and carries a line of thought for other lines of business.

Back in the early seventies John Ringling launched into the circus business in Wisconsin, with his four brothers. Their capital was only a five dollar bill, and they spent \$3.70 for advertising their first show. Just what was done with the \$1.30 is not known. Their first performance was a success, and today everyone knows of the fame which the Ringling Brothers achieved in the circus business, and today the lone surviving brother is in control of the circus world.

Probably their success would have come if they had not been good advertisers, but they were not willing to take the chance. The world needs more people today who have the faith in selling their endeavors to the public.

Recent experiments in India demonstrate that the white paper of good quality can be made from bamboo at reasonable cost.

Public Is Eager For New Money

The department of the Treasury has distributed almost a billion and three-quarters dollars in new currency since it first was released on July 10, according to an announcement by the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Henry Herrick Bond, who said respecting the distribution that it was going forward entirely satisfactorily except as to national bank notes. Production of the notes to be put out by the national banks has lagged due to a variety of circumstances, but it was the Assistant Secretary's belief that these were being rapidly overcome.

Mr. Bond's figures showed \$1,732,659,000 had been sent to the Federal Reserve Banks and the national banks which deal strictly with the Treasury. This total, he explained, does not represent the amount in circulation but it is the amount which the Federal Reserve Banks have with which to replace the condemned paper as it comes in, excepting of course the small amount of national bank notes sent out.

Federal Reserve notes constitute the bulk of the money that has gone out. There were \$1,400,520,000 in the hands of the Federal Reserve Banks or the public to which amounts indeterminate by the Treasury have already been released. United States notes, silver certificates and gold certificates in the amount of \$317,688,000 have been shipped by the Treasury, and since the first national bank notes were ready on July 20 a total of \$14,051,970 has been given the national banks in replacing worn out national bank notes, Mr. Bond reported.

In detail, Mr. Bond's figures show \$33,880,000 in 10-dollar gold certificates and \$35,840,000 in 20-dollar gold certificates; \$168,808,000 in 1-dollar silver certificates; \$22,520,000 in 2-dollar silver certificates and \$55,640,000 in 5-dollar United States notes.

AIR MAIL FATALITIES FOUND TO BE LOWER

The mortality rate of airplane pilots during the first six months of 1928 in contract mail operations was one to every 1,003.293 miles, according to figures made available by the Aeronautics Branch of the Department of Commerce. This was a decrease of 50 percent under the rate for the first half of 1928, a comparison of figures showed.

The number of miles flown by contract mail operations in the first half of 1929 (6,379,776) nearly equals the mileage for the entire year of 1928 when 7,846,296 miles were flown, and seven pilots and nine passengers were killed, the Department stated.

KNOW TEXAS

Texas is first in railroad mileage with 16,429.43 miles. More new construction is under way now than in any other state and will increase that total by several hundred miles within the next year. Illinois with 12,004.17 and Pennsylvania with 11,261.05 are second and third.

Texas has 973.69 miles of electric railway. New York with 4,792.35 is first in electric railway mileage.

Texas has 4,500 miles of electric transmission lines with many new lines under construction.

Texas has an annual mineral production in excess of \$500,000,000. Its mineral, farm, ranch and lumber production is around \$2,000,000,000 a year.

Large and small, Texas' manufacturing plants exceed 14,000 in number with an output valued at \$1,200,000,000 a year.

The second largest producer of copper in the world is the Keweenaw Point district, on the northern peninsula of Michigan.

Glad To Tell His Friends About It

"I've seen Dallas grow from a small town to a great city and I have many friends in Texas. I want them all to know about Sargon, and what it did for me.



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"My stomach was out of order for a long time. Although I ate very little, I was often in misery after meals and smothering spells would frequently wake me at night. I was constipated, my blood was thin and my color was as yellow as gold. I had severe pains in my back and sides and my kidneys would get me up all during the night.

"Since taking Sargon, I'm in better health than for years. I eat like a hungry school boy and can digest anything. There's not a pain in my body and I sleep good all night. Sargon pills toned up my liver and ended my constipation. Now my skin has a good healthy color and I feel like a new man."—Wm. D. Vaughn, 1910 S. Akard St., Dallas.

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Theft of religious articles from churches in Italy is being punished severely since application of canon law to the kingdom.

Some folks object to following the footsteps of others, because they want to make bigger footsteps themselves.

Next to being in a hurricane, we can't imagine anything worse than expecting one with an advance warning.

OUTSIDE BOOSTING

In the column of a newspaper devoted to printing the views of the people is a letter from a citizen who suggests that holding booster parades is fine and that it accomplishes some good, but that it is merely looking at ourselves in the mirror.

Instead of boosting within, what more of use need to do is to boost without; tell others about our community and its good attributes.

It is a natural conclusion that everyone living here believes in the future of this community, else they would change residence. On this premise then, it is wasted breath to endeavor to convince anyone that this is the best place on earth to live and make a living.

The wisest course for the true booster is to tell others about the good qualities of his home, not boastfully, but intelligently and interestingly.

Some well meaning people are shy about mentioning the home town when away. The residents of some communities, and in some instances states, have a reputation for never failing to say a good word for home. And countless instances might be cited where they have been rewarded for their persistence.

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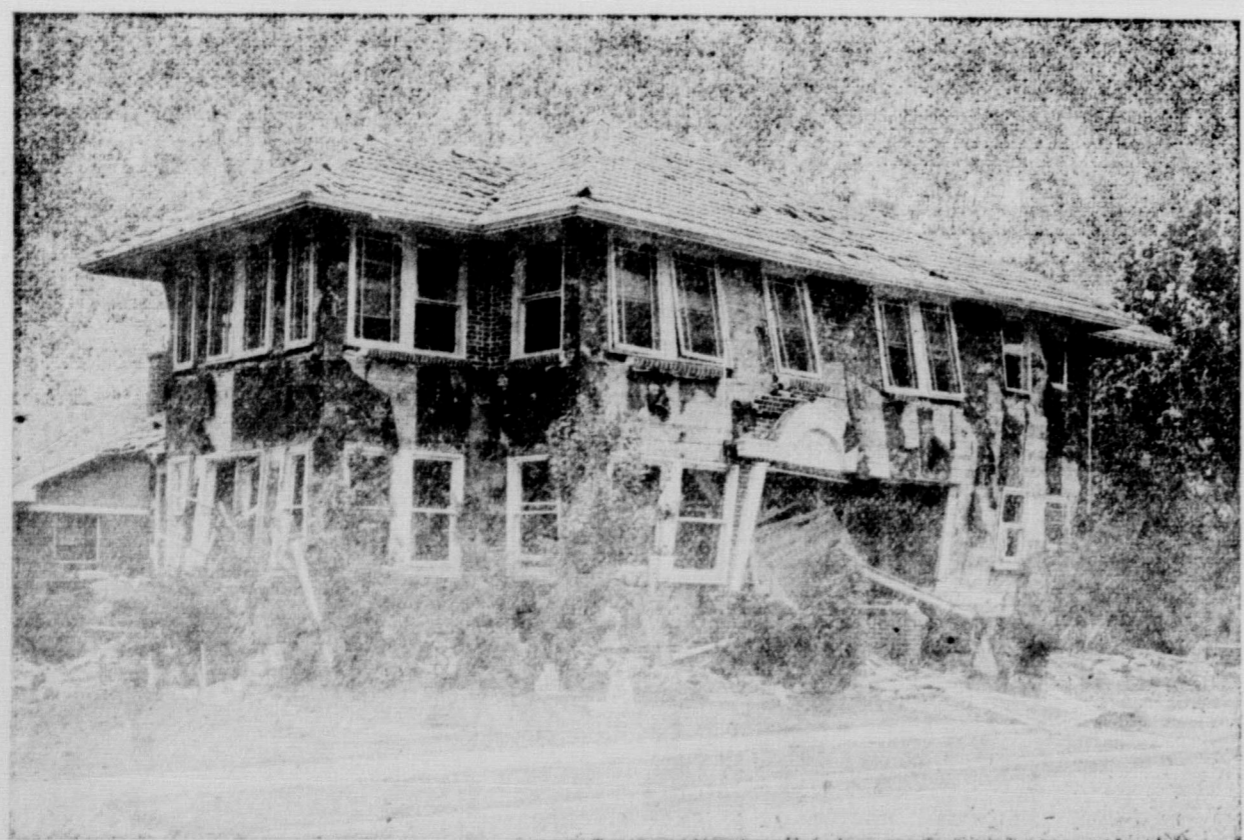


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THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

FIT TO EAT

It has been called a "tin can and bag age" because so much of the food prepared for us by factories and sold to us in containers of one sort or another. Our confidence in these foods is largely due to the belief that they contain pure ingredients and are made under sanitary conditions.

Food manufacturers, in many instances, have justified this confidence going far beyond the requirements of any laws to assure the purity of their wares. Soap and water are as important as flour, wheat, fruits or sugar in a grower's number of bakeries, canneries, ice factories and other food plants. Cleanliness is made an essential of the business and personnel. White uniforms, wash rooms, handwashing machinery which eliminates the germs of food by individuals, packing which insures its delivery to the ultimate consumer in a clean container—these are the items by which manufacturers are protecting their public and establishing a good name for their industry.

Recent investigation into conditions in certain industries made by a special investigator for Cleanliness shows how sincere is the interest of certain manufacturers to protect public confidence. In many factories he found a state of cleanliness that would have done credit to a hospital ward.

It would be a splendid thing if this universal condition in the food industry. That it exists to a great extent is its credit. That it pays in the contentment of employees and in the testimony of those who have tried it. Manufacturers who are behind with antiquated notions of sanitation and manufacture indeed if they cannot see natural.

THE LIFE OF A WATCH

How do you treat your watch? Do you wind it about as carelessly as you do your shoes; wind it only at irregular intervals whenever you happen to think of it; wear it when you are loafing, playing baseball or otherwise violently exercising; never clean it to have it cleaned and oiled—then complain bitterly when it does not keep good time? Many people do not know the mechanism of modern watches. Even the most complete watch will run along for a long period without adjustment and will, if treated with even ordinary care and respect. Furthermore, its life may be prolonged to hoary old age, according to experts of the United States Bureau of Standards, by receiving such treatment.

As to other pieces of mechanism of constant use is so much neglected as the average man's watch, the Bureau has it examined at frequent intervals to see if it needs attention. A watch is permitted to run along until it is in its owner until it finally breaks and collapses. Then in pain and embarrassment, he at last rushes it to the jeweler for repairs.

In a matter of sensible precaution, the owner should be taken at regular intervals—say every six months—to have his watch inspected, even when

it is apparently running perfectly. For when examined with a magnifying glass minute defects may be discovered that will become serious if allowed to run on. A slight injury under the microscope is likely to cause no end of trouble eventually, if neglected.

Under the stress of modern life a watch must take its bumps and at least be protected from unnecessary strain and casualties. Here are a few suggestions offered by the Bureau of Standard experts, who examine and test thousands of watches every month:

Don't let a coat or vest containing a watch drop suddenly with a thud on the back of a chair, which may or may not be protected from unnecessary strain and casualties. Here are a few suggestions offered by the Bureau of Standard experts, who examine and test thousands of watches every month:

Especially vital to the health of a watch is winding at regular intervals, preferably once a day and at about the same time. The best results are said to be obtained by winding it up on arising in the morning. The winding should be done slowly and steadily, and the action slowed as the end is approached, to avoid straining the spring.

It is a common boast nowadays that a watch will last a lifetime. But with proper care a good watch should survive, like the family silver, into the next generation and perhaps live on to be the cherished property of your grandson.

The old-fashioned mother knew more about raising children than she did about raising her partner's bid.

A very small folding piano, for use while traveling has been designed for a musical composer.

Chinese watermelons have yellow "meat."

The demand for silk in China is rapidly increasing.

THINGS WORTH KNOWING

Chile's wealth is based chiefly on its minerals, especially its nitrate.

The butter fly's heart sometimes beats backward, a zoologist reports.

Half of the moving pictures shown in Paris during the last year were American.

Sugar cane twenty-eight feet tall was found by an American exploring party in New Guinea.

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium is an enthusiastic amateur photographer.

Mr. McKinny, in Alaska, rises higher above it's own base than any other known peak in the world.

Paris merchants use magnets to clean automobile gear cases of metal particles.

The eye of a bee is only about one percent as accurate as the eye of a human being, recent experiments show.

Blonds and red-heads are especially susceptible to sunburn.

Cigar factories of Tampa, Fla., produced 596,331,219 cigars in the fiscal year 1929.

Six thousand acres of potatoes will be inspected for certification in Minnesota this year.

Stanislaus county, California, estimates that 27 cents of every \$1 income is from Holstein dairy cows.

Of the three daughters and two sons of Charles Bird, Springville, Utah, each is the parent of twins.

The sale of inflammable X-ray films has been prohibited in New York.

The United States is the only country having commercial production of helium.

American men are said to spend \$60,000,000 early for cosmetic preparations.

Live stock aid in eradicating poison ivy because they eat the plants without harm.

The present annual increase in population of the United States is estimated at 1,500,000.

Ship's officers of the United States merchant marine are now required to know medical first aid principles.

Germans smoke an average of 300 cigars and 700 cigarettes a year, statistics say.

A watertight purse to be attached to the belt of a bathing suit is a new convenience for the beach.

Atchison, Kan., was seventy-five years old this year.

Marine hospitals for the American merchant marine were established in 1798.

The majority of species of snails have shells that spiral toward the right.

Those who are careful where they put their confidence are not so apt to lose it.

Bobbed hair will grow in time, but one wonders about the short skirts.

The Egyptian obelisks were made of pink granite.

Bows and arrows were used in warfare in China as late as in 1911.

Asiatic elephants yield little ivory; it is the African elephants that have the huge tusks.

There is enough salt in the seas to cover the land with a blanket thirty feet deep.

Sentiment against public display of royal mummies is growing in Egypt.

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AN IMPORTANT VISIT

History was made with the recent visit of Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald of England to the United States. The effect it will have on the future peace of the world will no doubt be great.

Premier MacDonald came to the United States to confer with President Hoover on the limitation of armament and other questions, important to both nations. Japan, Italy and France this week accepted the invitation of Great Britain to attend a five-power naval conference next January in which the United States and England will also be represented. Before the visit of Premier MacDonald to the U. S., some doubt had been expressed regarding the participation of those two countries.

Besides this accomplishment the visit of the English statesman has been of much importance in cementing friendly relations between the U. S. and England. In his farewell speech before leaving for Canada, where he is now visiting, Premier MacDonald said: "While the Atlantic divides us, the cause of peace unites us."

In his farewell speech he also stated that he met with nothing but hearty demonstrations of friendship and with a hospitality both public and private which approached the overwhelming in his twelve-day visit in our country. Such a feeling in the heart of England's most important man, with due respect to the King, the friendship between the two great English speaking countries of the world is bound to increase and further the cause of world peace.

NEW OPERATOR

Carl Harrington of Chillicothe arrived in Crowell last week to succeed C. W. Coates as telegraph operator at the Santa Fe station.

Mr. Coates has been transferred to Barnhart, Texas, a town on the Santa Fe, about 30 miles east of Texon. Mr. Harrington has been operator at Chillicothe.

So far no state has come forward with a law to compel back seat drivers to have a license.

Star-Telegram and Foard County News, one year for \$8.20.

Crowell Fire Dep't. Sponsors Tent Show

The Merry Madcaps Stock Company will come to Crowell Monday and will present the latest stage attractions here for one week in their large tent theatre. This company was here about three years ago and proved to be a popular attraction. Their visit to Crowell is being sponsored by the Crowell Volunteer Fire Department.

The show has 30 people, including a ten piece orchestra. The opening play of the show will be "Oh, Papa," one of New York's most popular stage successes which is now playing before large audiences in the East at high prices.

Ladies will be admitted free Monday night when accompanied by one paid adult ticket.

Orient of Texas Formally Passes To Santa Fe Road

Washington, Oct. 15.—Ownership of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad by the Santa Fe was completed Tuesday when the Interstate Commission authorized the Santa Fe to take over the Texas properties of the Orient. The value of the Orient of Texas, according to the commission's report, is \$6,800,000 added to which is \$800,000 spent for betterments.

The Orient, for a long time in the throes of financial despair, had its first good business year in 1928, when its net operating income was \$1,900,000, and the amount available for interest and dividends was a like sum.

While the income of both the Orient proper and the Orient of Texas showed marked improvement for 1928, the Texas end of the railroad is not in a position to finance its needs for extensions and improvements, but this will be met by the Santa Fe as the new owner, said the commission's report. The Santa Fe's investment in the Orient is \$17,007,500.

The commission authorized the Santa Fe to acquire the Orient other than the Texas company some days ago.

Several Arrests Made by Officers Last Week

Six bootleggers, six drunks and two cold checkers were thrown into the Foard County jail by local officers Friday and Saturday.

C. B. Morris, Thalia deputy, brought four drunks to Crowell. Jack Roden brought sixteen negroes here on a gambling charge, four of whom were fined.

Old Chats
By Charles Sugrue



IF YOU HAD A WHITE ELEPHANT ON YOUR HANDS, WOULD YOU BE PLUM HORNSHOOGLED? LISTEN! OUR LIL' WANTS ADS TAKE LOTS OF "WHITE ELEPHANTS" OFFN PEOPLE'S HANDS EVERY DAY

Terracing Proving of Great Benefit In Foard County

Old Prejudice Against Crooked Rows Removed; Yields Are Greatly Improved

By Fred Rennels

During the past week there have been many opportunities to discuss the value of terracing during the past year in the way of increased production. A few years ago the terraced rows were very unpopular in this county, and as a rule in all of West Texas.

The farmer of a few years ago prided himself on having rows in his field a mile long and as straight as could be from one end to the other. While the land was new and productive this could be done without noticeable results in decreased production, but as the land has gradually washed away and the soil became thin, the long straight rows that had too much fall do not produce the crops that they formerly did.

On an experiment that was conducted at the Spur Experiment Station a piece of fallow land that sloped 2 per cent lost 40 tons of soil in one year of rainfall that totaled 27 inches.

There are many methods of building terraces to prevent the loss of water and soil from the fields. The fall along the terraces run from no fall to about three inches per hundred feet. On an experiment that was also conducted at the Spur Station a piece of land that was terraced having three inches of fall along the terrace line per hundred feet produced 293 pounds of seed cotton.

A field of level terraces and the same condition produced 466 pounds of seed cotton per acre. While a field that was level and disced up so that no water could get off produced 586 pounds of seed cotton per acre.

We do not have any definite figures available as to the production of terraced land in the county compared with other land. Tom Vecera who has been practicing terracing for the past few years has found it very profitable this year. Mr. Vecera in commenting on the results said: "If it had not been for the terraces on my farm during the heavy rains that we have had the past year, I would not have any soil or crop." Mr. Vecera is making preparation to put more terraces on his field.

Tom King who lives west of town has quite a bit of terracing on his farm and thinks they are worth while. Mr. King stated that near the terraces quite a bit of his land would make a bale of cotton per acre.

G. J. Benham of the Vivian community says: "I have had the terraces on my place for several years and they have certainly proved profitable. As soon as possible I will make them as close again as they are now in order that I may not lose any soil or water from my field."

There are many others who have given statements regarding their terraces whom we do not have space to quote.

Last year several thousand acres of Foard County land was terraced. If all terrace who have spoken for a date for running terraces, this year will exceed in acres that of last.

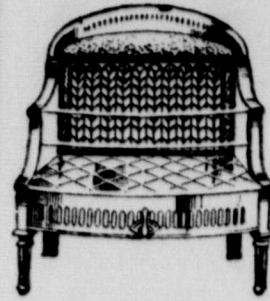
Laying a foundation for the future life is like a foundation for a building—you have to dig first.

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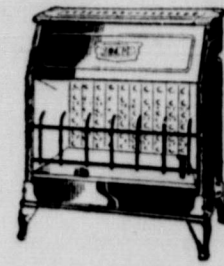
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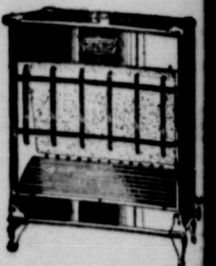
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LOCALS and Personals

Penny shoes at Self's. Meet me at Wallace Barber Shop. Radio batteries, tubes, etc.—Womack Bros. Boy's striped overalls, sizes 8 to 16, \$1.00.—The Famous. Records—Old favorite tunes and melodies.—M. S. Henry & Co. Fort Worth Star-Telegram and the County News for one year—\$5.50. Miss Maye Andrews has accepted position as bookkeeper at Self's Company. The \$35.00 concert portable is just as equal at the price.—M. S. Henry & Co. Robert P. Hall and Clarence McManis of Electra were visitors in Crowell Thursday. Detroit Jewel Gas Ranges, "They're Better." A price for every range.—M. S. Henry & Co. The Baptist Missionary Society have a rummage sale Saturday afternoon south of the Bank of Crowell. The Monogram gas circulator for beautiful porcelain and walled. Guaranteed to heat 3 to 6 rooms with moist fresh warm air. Nothing in the world equal to it at any price. We guarantee performance. You will say it's the prettiest.—Womack Bros.

Penny Shoe Sale.—Self's. Beautiful dishes at Womack Bros. 3-lb. Cotton Batts 38c.—The Famous. Fire Insurance on baled cotton.—Leo Spencer, Phone 283. Miss Florence Griffith visited in Fort Worth this week. Gas heaters, asbestos lined and the popular Radiants.—Womack Bros. Miss Marguerite Stephens spent the week-end, with relatives in Benjamin. Fort Worth Star-Telegram and the County News for one year—\$8.20. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hart, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brian visited in Quannah Saturday. Flem Hays returned Friday from a visit with relatives at Wichita Falls and Randlett, Okla. Mrs. Karl Meyer of Amarillo came down Tuesday and visited with relatives until Thursday. Mrs. J. H. Yoho of Wink, Texas, was here last week visiting in the home of her brother, Eli Smith. The best time to order your Christmas Cards is right now! Look over our line.—Foard County News. Roper gas ranges, cast iron tops, fronts and legs all porcelain. Fresh air ovens, \$75.00 to \$100.00, nothing better.—Womack Bros. You will not like to hear the alarm clock in the morning if you are sleeping on a Ketchersid-made mattress. See us for quality mattresses.—Ketchersid Furniture Co.

Shoes for a penny at Self's. M. S. Henry is visiting in Dallas. Meet me at Wallace Barber Shop. Auto free.—Self's Dry Goods Co. Trunks, \$6.50 to \$40.00.—Womack Bros. Plent of new silk dresses at \$9.90.—The Famous. Fire Insurance on baled cotton.—Leo Spencer, Phone 283. I. D. Cole of Amarillo was a visitor in Crowell Wednesday. Wichita Record-News and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50. Carryola Master Portable, formerly \$25.00 value, for \$19.95.—M. S. Henry & Co. Wichita Daily Times and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50. W. J. Teaff of O'Brien is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Lanier, and family. The two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Russell of Margaret is seriously ill. Fort Worth Star-Telegram and the Foard County News for one year—\$8.20. Gas heaters as low as \$3.75 and up to the beautiful Monogram Porcelain Circulator at \$75.00.—Womack Bros. Mrs. J. S. Williamson is here from Fort Worth on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. G. A. Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith of Pyote, Texas, parents of Eli Smith, have moved to Crowell to make their home. Mrs. eGorge Brown was here Thursday from Truscott. She and Mrs. Paul Shirley went to Quannah to visit friends. We need oil stoves, heaters, cook stoves, bedsteads and springs, as trade in on mattress work.—Ketchersid Furniture Co. C. B. Graham came up last Sunday from Austin where the family is residing this winter but will return in a few days. Haven't you got some second hand furniture to sell or trade? If so, see us and trade it to us on mattress work.—Ketchersid Furniture Co. Mrs. Robert Beck of Weatherford has been here for several days on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. G. A. Mitchell. Mrs. W. H. Taylor, who was here from Big Spring on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. G. A. Mitchell, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunt of Sand Springs, Okla., were here last week on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Hunt's mother, Mrs. G. A. Mitchell. White Star gas range, beautiful white porcelain, no seams, every part inside and out porcelain. 14 exclusive features. Oven guaranteed for life of stove.—Womack Bros. J. N. Bryson and son, Malcolm, of Palo Pinto arrived here last week. Mr. Bryson will weigh cotton for his son-in-law, E. S. Flesher, of Thalia, and Malcolm will work with his brother, C. R. Bryson. Gas ranges. The best approved types, the cast iron top, fronts, etc.—The Roper; the pressed steel construction—The White Star; the Bucks (broiler in a drawer) and Leonard.—Womack Bros. Mrs. Herbert Disart, Mrs. R. A. Underwood, Mrs. Elmer Sansom, Mrs. J. L. Guest and Mrs. L. J. Halbert of Plainview stopped in Crowell for a short time Monday morning while driving through to Dallas and Austin. Sidney Collins, who had been working in Childress for several weeks, was here Thursday. He was enroute to Vernon where he had accepted a position with the Pyle Drug Co. to take up his duties Friday morning as pharmacist. Lieut.-Com. and Mrs. S. J. Brune of Long Beach, California, visited their sister, Mrs. S. H. Ross, and brothers, J. Y. and T. F. Welch, this week. They left Thursday morning for Collin County where they will visit before returning to Long Beach. Mrs. T. B. Richmond and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Viola Shannon of Paducah made a trip to Dallas last Friday with T. N. Bell. While there they attended the Dallas Fair and Sunday night Mrs. Alton Bell, Mrs. Richmond and Mr. Bell returned to Crowell. Mrs. Gordon Bell returned Wednesday from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Uvalde and Houston. She was met in Waco Sunday by her husband and after visiting in Italy and Dallas they returned home. They were accompanied from Dallas by Mr. Bell's mother, Mrs. T. N. Bell. R. B. Cates of Forest Park, Ga., arrived in Crowell last Friday for a visit with his brothers, I. M. and T. J. Cates. His brother, T. J. Cates, met him in Fort Worth and brought him on to Crowell in his car. Mr. Cates visited here for several months last year which was his first visit here at that time so much that visit her at that time so much that he was anxious to return and may spend this winter here.

Get auto tickets.—Self's. Auto free.—Self's Dry Goods Co. Brand new silk dresses and coats at The Famous. If you need it, call the Ricks Dairy and watch the results. 17 Wichita Record-News and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50. Young Rayland Child Died Last Thursday Bernice Faughn, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Faughn of Rayland died Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. He died in the King's Hospital in Vernon where he had been for 9 days. He had been sick 12 days with fever. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Church of Vernon, with Rev. C. A. Bickley, pastor, officiating. The body was held until Saturday morning for burial on account of Mrs. Faughn's father not arriving Friday. Interment was Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in East View Cemetery. Pall bearers were Dewitt Edwards, Horace Young, Horace Lambert, and Mr. Creager. CULTIVATING SHRUBBERY It may be said the shrubbery is the lazy man's garden. Once planted about your home in cool spring weather, it stands its own sturdy ground calling neither for hoe nor backache. It defies frost and blossoms perennially, independently of your watchful care. The laborious forefathers and foremothers were not keen in shrubs which did not bloom brilliantly enough for them. They were lovers of beauty in their sheltered homes. The most brilliant planting of iris, rose and other flowering plants was none too good for them. But the choice involved labor from seed sowing until the transient glory of the flower. They kept large gardens in which a steady procession of color marched through the calendar. There was always something doing, never a time when some delegate from the rainbow was not on duty. Few people are willing to assume the burdens of an old fashioned garden, composed of annual flowers, unless the task is nothing more onerous than telling the hired man where to dig and plant and water. They have a liking for jobs that stay put. From the standpoint of efficiency, the syringa or lilac or forsythia probably furnishes the most bloom for the labor cost, which gets in touch with the modern idea of success. Still, a great deal may be said for the beauty of shrubbery about a home. It may lack the edge of brilliancy found in Nature's gloriously painted flowering plants. It does not bear close inspection like the dancing glory of poppies or larkspur. But arranged about a house, shrubbery breaks the hard angles between board and ground. It makes a kind of nest of verdure about a home, sheltering and screening it, and offering its romantic sense of seclusion. It turns a house into a home. The greatest forests of Douglas fir are in Oregon, Washington, northern Idaho, and British Columbia. Wichita Daily Times and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50. The football teams are now in training for the rough basketball season that will follow.

STATE IMPROVEMENT AGENT AT FOARD CITY TUESDAY Miss Claytor, state home improvement agent, will be in Foard County Tuesday and Wednesday, October 22 and 23, and will meet with the Foard City club at the church house at two o'clock on Tuesday. Miss Virginia Freeman, home demonstration agent, wants all other clubs of the county to meet with the Foard City club at that time. NEWSPAPER BARGAINS Don't forget this: When your subscription to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, the Wichita Record-News or the Wichita Daily Times expires, you can get either one of these daily papers cheaper by taking it with the Foard County News, than by subscribing for them separately. This is a year that everybody needs to save all they can and we are putting forth an effort to help you save on your newspapers. Our clubbing offer on either one of the above dailies and the News are as follows: Star-Telegram and News, one year \$8.20 Wichita Daily Times and News, one year \$5.50 Wichita Record-News and F. C. News, one year \$5.50

Wichita Record-News and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50. Uncle Trav says it would be a physical impossibility to hide under a bushel the light some folks think they carry around with them. Another proof that the world is growing better is the fact that no longer is the old-fashioned, sticky, repellant blue-mass pill forced down the throat of the rising generation.

RED STAR STAGE VERNON—PLAINVIEW LUBBOCK LEAVES CROWELL West Bound 10:10 a. m. — 4:50 p. m. East Bound 2:30 p. m. — 8:00 p. m. Through service from Vernon to Plainview. Direct connection for Lubbock at Floydada. Connection at Plainview for Roswell and Los Angeles.

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Official Statement of Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK, at Crowell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of October, 1929, published in the Foard County News, a newspaper printed and published at Crowell, State of Texas, on the 18th day of October, 1929. RESOURCES Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security \$234,288.86 Loans secured by real estate 4,000.00 Other bonds and stocks owned 886.00 School warrants 15,000.00 Furniture and fixtures 19,300.00 Cash in bank 9,190.32 Due from approved reserve agents 43,092.27 Other Resources, Bills of Exchange 1,704.40 Total \$312,461.85 LIABILITIES Capital Stock \$ 30,000.00 Surplus Fund 30,000.00 Undivided profits, net 622.31 Due to banks and bankers, subject to check 15,000.00 Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days 228,343.59 Cashier's Checks Outstanding 1,613.24 Other Liabilities, Federal Reserve Bank Transit Account 6,882.71 Total \$312,461.85 STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard. We, S. S. Bell, as president and M. L. Hughston, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. S. S. BELL, President. M. L. HUGHSTON, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of October, A. D. 1929. (Seal) LEE BLACK, Notary Public, Foard County, Tex. CORRECT—ATTEST: HINES-CLARK M. F. CROWELL G. G. CREWS, Directors.

THE AGE OF CONQUEST IS NOT DEAD! True the Norsemen no longer scour foreign shores for land and plundr. For this is the era of peaceful conquest—by commercial enterprise rather than force of arms. Confer with us on any enterprise that you are planning to undertake. THE FIRST STATE BANK

Toby's Comedians at Rialto Oct. 28-Nov. 2

"I feel sure that Toby's Comedians will be the very best vaudeville show that has ever been in Crowell," stated T. B. Richmond in commenting on the coming of that show to the Rialto for one week from October 28th to November 2nd.

Toby and Dolly Young, the headliners of the show, are popular in theatrical circles over the nation, and have formerly made the Majestic circuit and have also appeared in most of the Publix houses.

Henry Cato and his Green River Collegians are sure to prove one of the most entertaining orchestras that has ever played in Crowell.

All new plays will be presented with a different show each night. The motion picture will also be changed each night.

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.

MON. & TUES.—Voice of the City.

WED. & THURS.—Wheel of Life.

FRIDAY—THE SHAKE DOWN.

FOR SALE—Three coal heaters.—Mrs. G. W. Walthall. 17

LOST—Sheaffer fountain pen on court house lawn.—F. L. Rennels, Jr. 17

WANTED—To Rent place for chicken raising on shares. About ten acres preferred.—C. D. Lindsey, Crowell, Rt. 2. 17

FOR SALE—One good 14 runner wheat drill with tractor hitch. One Emerson ten disc breaking plow, almost new. One double-row John Deere cultivator.—Ernest Kascher, 3 miles west of Vernon. 19p.

NOTICE

I am putting out poison on my place south of town for wolves.—R. L. Kincaid. 17p.

LOST—New Kelly Springfield casing between Gambleville and Thalia. Liberal reward for return.—Herman Greening. 17p

FOR RENT—One bed room, private entrance, all conveniences. Call 327.

FOR SALE—Paint at money-saving prices. Guaranteed satisfaction. Money back if not satisfied.—John P. Tye, Agent. 17

FOR SALE OR TRADE—RCA radio 25 and Edison Phonograph.—N. J. Roberts. 17

STRAYED—Red boar Duroc pig, 4 months old.—W. B. Griffin. 16p

WANTED—Piano pupils at my home 2 blocks from school building. Tuition, \$5.00 per month.—Mrs. Jewel Smith. 17

CHRISTMAS CARDS—Order yours now while you can secure the choicest samples. See our line.—Foard County News.

SATURDAY—Orphans of the Sage. SHOW starts at 7 p. m.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR FARM one brick filling station and transfer line.—J. N. Johnson. 17

MATINEE every day 3 p. m. Toby and Dolly Young one whole

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- 1 Fordor Ford 1927 model \$290.00
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- 1 1925 Ford touring \$80.00
- 1 1925 Ford touring \$70.00
- 1 1928 Essex four door sedan \$325.00
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- 1 1927 Ford touring \$135.00

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BUTTER PAPER—Vegetable parchment, the best that it is possible to obtain. 500 printed—\$4.25. 100 blank—50c.—Foard County News.

TOBY AND DOLLY YOUNG—One whole week, Oct. 28-Nov. 2.—Rialto. COMPLETE CHANGE of pictures, vaudeville and all, last week in Oct.—Rialto.

NO FISHING, HUNTING or trespassing of any kind allowed in my pasture. This means everybody. Leslie McAdams. 17

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CHURCHES

Christian Science

Sunday, 11 A. M., Subject for Sunday, October 20, "Doctrine of Atonement."
Sunday School at 9:30. Wednesday evening service at 8:00. The public is cordially invited.

Christian Church

Despite the rain we had a very good attendance at the Christian Church Sunday. In the afternoon the Gospel Team went to Gambleville. The roads were so bad that the folks out at Gambleville thought the Gospel Team would not be there, so no one came. But we want the folks out there to know that the Gospel Team goes rain or shine.

Bible School begins promptly at 9:45. Everyone is urged to be on time. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, Christian Endeavor at 6:30 at the Christian Church.

The Ladies Aid are making up a box for the Juliette Fowler Home and you are urged to make your contribution now.

There will be no church service at the evening hour because of the revival at the Methodist Church which is going on. All are urged to attend this meeting.

Baptist Church News

Last Sunday was a day of gladness with Crowell Baptist. Good congregations at each service. A special Missionary program was given in the closing hour of the Sunday School. Prof. I. T. Graves was the principal speaker. There was one addition at the evening hour.

Next Sunday there will be another special program on State Missions in which several will make four minute talks. Sunday School at 9:45, preaching at 11. B. Y. P. U.'s at 6:15. The morning theme will be "Victories of the Christian Faith." The evening service will be called in on account of the revival with our Methodist friends. Dr. Hunt is a great preacher and this pastor desires that all his people hear him.

We are building the winding stairways in our church this week. Everybody will be happy to know that his work goes forward. We are pursuing the established policy of our church of "pay as you go." When our building is finally completed we will not have a big debt hanging over us for the future. How glorious it is for all members of the church to have some part in these forward movements and improvements of the church.

WOODIE W. SMITH.

Christian Endeavor Program

Subject—Taking Part in Meetings. Why and How?
Leader—Frankie Kirkpatrick.
Scripture reading and comment—Verna Patton.
How Taking Part Aids Us—Mary Clayton Giddings.
Quartet—Grady Walker, Mack Boswell, Teddy Burrow and Rev. Clark.
Library Readings—Lela Patton.
General Discussion.
Suggestions—Miss Lottie Woods and Rev. Clark.
C. E. Benediction.

Senior B. Y. P. U.

Subject—Jesus Teaches About the Judgment.
Introduction—Mrs. King.
The Facts of the Judgment—Ivan Wozencraft.
The Object of the Last Judgment—Frances Schlagal.
The Basis of Judgment—Fern Nicholson.
The Judge—Bonnie Norris.
The Issues of the Judgment—Ludell Greening.
Be sure and be at the meeting at 6:30.—Reporter.

Hi-League Program

Subject—What Shall a Christian Read?
Leader—Clinton Ball.
Scripture—Philippians 4:8; Psalm 119: 9-13; Proverbs 1:1-9.
How Shall I Choose My Reading.—Harold Hinds.
Duet—Peggy Thompson and Evelyn Sloan.
Some Good Books—Lella Ben Allee.
The World's Best Seller.—Josephine Griffith.

LARGEST ELECTRIC LAMP SEEN AT STATE FAIR

A feature of the Light's Golden Jubilee session of the Texas State Fair—so designated in honor of Thomas A. Edison—will be the largest electric lamp in the world. Named Big Tom in honor of Mr. Edison, the lamp will have a current capacity of 50 kilowatts, a volume equal to the consumption of a good-sized city.

Big Tom, which will hang above the gorgeous Grove of Jewels, is of nearly twice the capacity of the 30 kw. lamps used in the moving picture industry to illuminate large areas for photographic purposes at night, and at hourly intervals will make the entire Fair Park area as bright as daylight.

Nearly 50,000 electric lights in gold, pearl, ruby, emerald and sapphire will be used in the fair display, which is the contribution of the electrical interests of Dallas and Texas, and the illumination will make night sessions of the fair of unusual attractiveness.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the people of Crowell for their kindness shown during the illness and death of our loved one. We also thank Dr. Clark and the American Legion. May God bless you all in our prayer.
Mrs. Elzie Black and Children.

An automatic subterranean cable-laying machine is being tested in Germany.

A GOOD COMBINATION

An active brain and a willingness to work will keep the wolf from the door. They form a combination that will do more. They will fill the family larder, provide all of the other necessities of life and a few of its luxuries.

Brains without ambition to accomplish something are handicapped. Industry without brains is impotent.

Every boy has both, but mind and hands are in a formative state and exceptional care and training are required to turn out a good citizen.

The boy who is constantly looking for excuses, who performs his tasks with the idea that they are irksome burdens placed upon his unwilling shoulders, is using his physical powers, but not making the best use of his mental powers.

But the boy who goes about his work in a cheerful and willing spirit, with an active interest in what he is doing, and with a determination to do it just a little bit better than the other fellow, is using his brains as well as his hands.

The boy who displays these commendable traits will be a persistent and determined climber and he will find his employers, or those with whom he labors, pushing him upward as rapidly as he is willing to climb.

A combination of brains and hands, when used coordinately, is close to invincible.

Every boy has them, and he should be taught how to use them. The school teacher can't do it alone, though they may be of great assistance in showing the way. Boys need encouragement and direction at home as well. As a rule, they succeed in whatever measure they receive it.

A DELICATE FOOD PRODUCT

No product of the farm is as fragile and delicate to transport as is the egg, and the government is now engaged in attempting to aid farmers in marketing their most perishable food product.

R. R. Slocum, a marketing expert of the governmental department, has emphasized the fragile, delicate nature of the egg as a food product and the need for proper handling and speed of delivery to insure the consumer the best possible quality.

Eggs are produced for market on specialized poultry farms of the Atlantic and Pacific coast regions, but in greatest volume on the general farms of the Middle West. In these regions they are concentrated at shipping points and transported by express or by refrigerated freight where they go into immediate consumption or are placed in cold storage to take care of seasonal fluctuations at the rate of production. The marketing channels through which the eggs pass vary greatly in their relative complexity, says the author, depending upon how direct the contacts are between producer and consumer or through how many different hands the eggs pass during their journey to market. Constant effort has been made to improve methods of handling and marketing, including better care on the farms, more frequent marketing, more favorable temperatures by the use of chill rooms, better packing materials, better grading and more efficient distribution, all of which is resulting in a gradual raising of the level of quality of eggs reaching consuming markets and a reduction in breakage.

Twelve hundred words may constitute the vocabulary of the average person, but the female portion of our family used a lot more than that the other day when we spilled ketchup on a clean table cloth.

Bill Hollis says he's ready to argue that there is more pleasure in pursuit than in possession since chasing a bootlegger for six hours and lying in bed six days after he found him.

Even if a hunter should get all the coons up one tree it would be so big that he'd have to divide with some other hunter in order to get help to cut the tree down.

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HELPING TO BUILD TEXAS

Success of the Houston ship channel has inspired emulation by other ambitious Texas cities. Brownsville has voted \$2,000,000 and promises \$1,000,000 more toward construction of a channel from Brazos de Santiago pass, provided the undertaking is endorsed by the Federal Government. Harlingen is seeking a channel along the Arroyo Colorado to Laguna Madre and thence across this body of water to and across Padre Island to the Gulf.

Italy has given a Texas asphalt company an order for 100,000 tons of asphalt a year for the next ten years and work filling the initial shipment was begun at Uvalde recently. It will be used for topping of roads that Caesar built 2,000 years ago.

The new Gulf Refining Co. plant now nearing completion at Sweetwater and the plant of the United Gypsum Company at Sweetwater will use 2,400 horsepower in electric current, or twice as much as the entire city of Sweetwater consumes. The Gypsum Company recently abandoned its own plant of steam and gas engines because it found electricity cheaper.

Temple's new municipal building, to be dedicated some time in October as a memorial to the war dead of that vicinity, is nearing completion at a cost of \$200,000.

C. D. Speice of Clay County began topping and budding his 145 acres of native pecan trees in 1918. Since 1925 he has sold \$17,400 worth of improved pecans.

Big Spring dedicated with imposing ceremonies its new 230-acre airport, the program continuing through September 11 and 12. It has two big steel hangars, machine shop, administration building and is equipped with border, flood and beacon lights.

Runge, which recently sold its municipal light plant to the Central Power & Light Co., will use part of the \$85,000 consideration to retire bonds and the remainder for civic improvements, including a new city hall and fire station.

Crucibles developed by the United States bureau of mines have withstood heat at 1,500 degrees centigrade.

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The principal cause for corns and bunions is trying to put feet that were in style several years ago into shoes that are in style today.

Water 100 miles out from the mouth of the Amazon river is still not so salty but that it can be used for drinking.

Motorists will agree that roads should not only be made wider, but shorter.

Beauty that is skin deep, often vanishes over a hot cook stove.

The parliament house of Jugoslavia is uncompleted twenty-four years after the foundations were laid. Civil wars and political change have held up the work.

A man who appeared on the streets of Baltimore, in 1772, carrying an umbrella to keep off the rain was mobbed and the umbrella torn to shreds.

Political speakers in Sweden make use of automobiles equipped with loud speakers for the first time this year.

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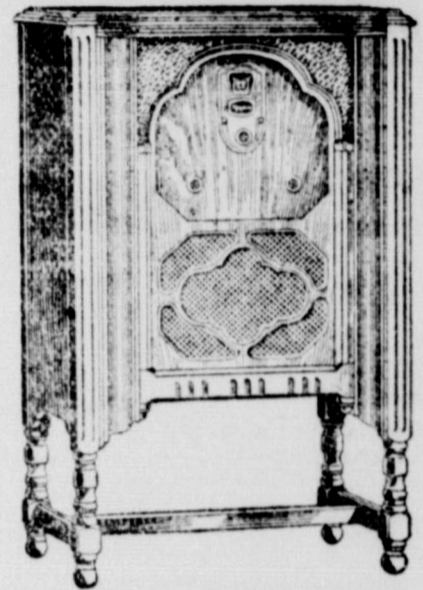
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WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

The Women's Home Demonstration met with Mrs. Will Wade Tuesday after a lesson on household cake and punch were served by following members: Miss Vir-

ginia Freeman, Mrs. Buck Clark, Mrs. Cap Adkins, Mrs. Alley Huntley, Mrs. Frank Ward, Eula Mae Gregg and hostess, Mrs. Will Wade.

Fred Belew and son, Junior, went to the Plains Saturday. Ralph Gregg and children, Mrs. J. E. Young and daughter, Thelma, and Eula Mae Gregg visited Mrs.

Dora Gregg who is in a hospital at Wichita Falls, Saturday.

Miss Hazel Key spent Sunday with Miss Inez McCord of Thalia.

Mrs. G. W. Seales visited Mrs. J. R. Morris of Thalia Sunday. R. B. Prescott is ill. Fate Peacock and family went to Paducah Sunday and returned Monday.

"I Feel Like I Have A New Life Before Me," Says Lady

She Was Almost a Nervous Wreck Until She Began Taking Orgatone; Now Well and Happy

"I am simply a new woman and feel that I have a new life before me since taking Orgatone," said Mrs. W. E. Weatherford, of rural route 1, Lubbock, Texas, in her statement to the Orgatone representative.

"Yes, I feel like a new woman and I want everybody to know it," continued Mrs. Weatherford. "For about five years, I have been troubled with stomach and digestion troubles. Nothing I ate, agreed with me, and gas would form on my stomach until I could hardly get my breath, and at night, I couldn't sleep at all. My kidneys bothered me terribly, and my back would pain and ache so, it would nearly kill me. I would have bloating spells and at times it seemed as if my heart would stop beating, caused from all the gas, that formed on my stomach. I also had a bad case of constipation and just got so nervous.

"I tried most every kind of medicine and did everything I knew how to do trying to get relief, but I kept getting worse and finally I was so weak and nervous I could hardly do my work. Orgatone has completely changed my life around for me and I just can't find words to express my gratitude for it. I have been relieved of all my nervousness and my sleep is sound and restful. My appetite is splendid now and I can eat as much as I ever could and I relish my meals. Those dreadful pains are gone from my back and sides and I haven't had a headache since taking Orgatone. I'm entirely relieved of every trouble and I feel better and enjoy life more than I have for years. Orgatone is wonderful and is the best medicine I have ever got hold of in my life, and I am glad to give this statement and to recommend it to my friends. Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Crowell, at the Reeder Drug Store.

(Adv.)

DALLAS MAYOR WOULD TAX BUSES AND FREIGHT TRUCKS

A campaign against heavy commercial motor trucks is promised by Mayor Tate of Dallas, who following a recent motor trip to Houston charged that trucks, loaded beyond the limits allowed by the highway law, are "hammering the roads to pieces," running at night with but one light and constituting "a positive menace to the citizen using the highway when they are operated in violation of the law."

Mayor Tate has instructed the city legal department to investigate the matter of levying a Dallas city tax on every passenger bus and freight motor truck operating in and out of Dallas.

Claytonville Club

The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. M. Godwin on Wednesday, October 9, with seven members present and one visitor.

A demonstration was given on household linens by Miss Freeman. The meeting adjourned after which refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Howell on October 23. —Reporter.

RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Clyde Norman and Mrs. R. P. Price went to Abilene Friday and returned Sunday.

There will be a pie supper at Rayland Friday night for the benefit of the married women's basketball team.

Roy Jenkins and Jimmie Morris of Blueridge, Texas, came Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moore.

Antelope Junior boys and girls played Lockett boys and girls a game of basketball at Lockett Thursday. Lockett won both games. Boys scores were 17 to 10 and the girls lost 10 to 7.

A large number from this community attended the funeral services of Bernice Faughn at Vernon Friday evening.

There was no Sunday School at the Baptist Church Sunday due to rainy weather.

E. I. Edwards was entertained with a birthday dinner at his home Sunday. Mr. Edwards was 65 years old. Those present were Bert Abston and family, Dewitt Edwards and family, Ralph Gregg and children, Mrs. Martha German, Eula Mae Gregg and Miss Katherine Davis of Iowa Park.

Those from this community who attended the burying of Bernice Faughn Saturday were Bert Abston and children, Horace Lambert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lambert, Tom Lawson, Mrs. J. E. Young and daughter, Thelma, L. E. Campbell and family, Mrs. Will Green, Mrs. J. C. Greenway, Mrs. J. C. Davis and daughters, Ora and Margie, and Ralph Gregg and children.

E. M. Settles and wife of Nocona, Texas, purchased one of Mrs. Ruth Lawson's tenant houses last week. Mr. Settles will engage in blacksmithing.

Miss Loraine Attaway of Vernon spent the week-end with Miss Hazel Rutledge.

The P. T. A. will give a Halloween party at the Antelope school house Thursday night, October 31.

There will be preaching at the Baptist Church Sunday, October 27th.

Ralph Gregg, Homer Lawson, Fred Belew and L. W. Andrews made a business trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

FOARD CITY W. M. S.

Program for October 28, at 2:30. Subject—Korean Homes. Leader—Mrs. Will Ferguson. Scripture—Matt. 27:38-44; Luke 23:32, 39-43.

Prayer—Mrs. Claude Callaway. Missions in Korea—Mrs. Agnes Hoard.

The Home of Pak Jinsha—Mrs. R. E. Sparks.—Reporter.

DO YOU NEED MONEY?

Loans made at once on Farms and City Property. Matthew & Christie, Quanah, Texas

In a test of atmospheric conditions in the larger cities, St. Louis showed the greatest amount of dust particles, 17,600 a cubic foot, and the least number, with 5,360 particles.



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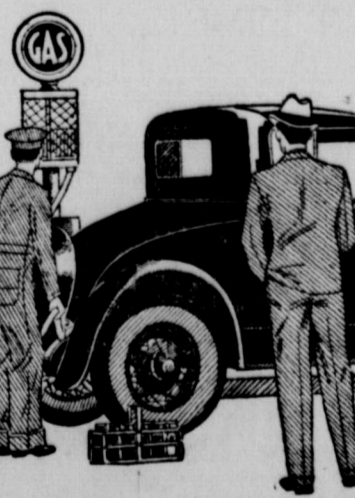
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Motion Picture Lessons Now Ready for Release

Austin, Texas, October 17.—Motion picture lesson courses for public school children of Texas on various educational subjects, prepared by the DeVry School Films, Inc., are ready for release by the Visual Instruction Bureau of the University of Texas, according to Mrs. Charles Joe Moore, chief of the Bureau.

The film lesson courses are made out under the direction of noted authorities on the various subjects treated. They supplement, motivate and vitalize the regular proscribed course. They are prepared in three divisions, the preparation, the recitation and the follow-up.

Lessons on nature, American statesmen, citizenship, world geography, vocational guidance, general science, and health and hygiene are available.

PLENTY OF TALK

There is a great deal of talk these modern days, but comparatively little conversation. In the first place the omnipresent newspaper and magazine periodical has discussed and

analyzed everything, so that everybody has his ideas more or less standardized, and unless he has wit sufficient to dig up some new ideas, his attempt at discussion falls and the effect upon the person who listens to his opinion is more or less bored because, forsooth, hasn't the victim of the talk thought the same thoughts and was only waiting his chance to say what he was saying, but he beat him to it.

That's the trouble with the average political speech. It used to be that the political soap box orator had a monopoly upon the information extant, but now his audience knows it all as well or better than he does, with the result that a political speech longer than ten minutes is apt to find itself rattling around empty benches.

And it is also a remarkable fact that the art of being a good listener is almost extinct. For when the subject matter is not new, and what is there that is new under the sun, how can a person concentrate his attention to the point of decent courtesy and so compliment the person who for the moment has the floor?

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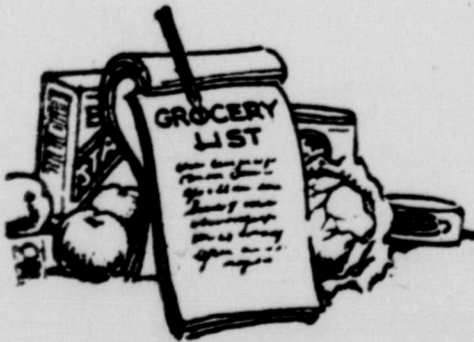
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SOCIETY

SWASTIKA CLUB

Mrs. John McAnear entertained the Swastika Club at her home on September 26th. Games of bridge were played with Mrs. Bryan O'Connell winning high score and Mrs. Alton Bell winning second. Refreshments were served to members and the following guests: Miss Winnie Self, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, Mrs. Tom Reeder, Mrs. Jimmy Cotten and Mrs. Oscar Boman.

Another meeting of the club was held October 10th at the home of Mrs. Que Miller. High score in bridge went to Mrs. Charley McGowan and second highest to Mrs. H. Schindler. Refreshments were served to members and the following guests: Mrs. Sidney Miller, Mrs. Bob Hudson, Miss Winnie Self, Mrs. Charley McGowan, Mrs. Haskell Norman, Mrs. Decker Magee, Mrs. William Bell and Mrs. Ralph Bell.—Reporter.

MARGARET BAPTIST W. M. U.

Despite the rain and bad roads, there were 2 members present at the meeting of the Margaret Baptist W. M. U. on October 14, and in absence of the leader, Mrs. Colonel Murphy, Mrs. Dennis Russell lead, reading John 12:1-8 and giving some fundamental truths.

Mrs. Will Murphy gave a good talk on "My Possessions, Are They Mine or God's?" Mrs. Ben Stokes discussed "The Law and Tithes." Our president said some wonderful things in regard to financing the Kingdom.

Mrs. Will Murphy is leader for the program of the next meeting. Let everyone come.—Contributed.

Paving Contract Will Be Awarded Nov. 8

Sealed proposals for the paving of four blocks on the east side of the square will be received at the office of the city secretary until 2:00 p. m. November 8th.

The work consists of the grading and paving of four blocks of Houston street, the street running north and south on the east side of the square. The paving is to begin one block south of the square and continue to the Christian Church.

Preliminary engineering work was done by the engineering staff of Byron Reese. Plans call for paving of reinforced concrete.

Father of Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth Dies

C. W. Ramey of Alma, Oklahoma, father of Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth, dropped dead Wednesday evening, October 9th. He was 74 years of age. He is survived by his wife and seven children, all of whom were present at the funeral with the exception of one who lives in Spokane, Washington.

SEEKING PLEASURES

What most people seek is pleasure—not work. And in seeking, they generally derive more fun than in its actual realization.

Pleasures differ just as all human tastes do. A man with a wide expanse of brow can live happily all his life on literature, music and art, but the ordinary human wants a little fun now and then.

There are several million varieties of pleasures, and most of them are harder on the system than work. If men had to walk in the sun all day pursuing the elusive golf ball, the industrial commission would look into their case.

A man will spend valuable time and a large sum of money trying to shin up a mountain peak several thousand feet high because he thinks it is a pleasure. But if the elevator broke and he had to walk several flights of stairs, he would raise a terrible fuss.

Pleasure is anything you don't have to do. Baseball is the greatest sport in the world until you get good enough to draw a salary for playing, and then it is work.

Driving an automobile is pleasure and some spend a nice pile of money each year for the privilege, but any taxi driver will tell you his job is one of the worst in the world.

Some men find pleasure in a quiet game of checkers and others in reading the newest book on science. Other men can not enjoy themselves unless they have money on a game of chance and others think it is sport to watch two big huskies beat each other's face into a hamburger steak. Some men get their fun trying to swim the English channel and others by batting an innocent looking cloth-covered rubber ball back and forth over a net.

Men's tastes in pleasure have largely determined the progress of the world. War was once a leading amusement and watching Christian martyrs devoured by wild beasts was regarded as a noble pastime.

We are a bit more particular now about our amusements, but high-salaried movie stars still amuse with stories that never happened and probably never will, and when a funmaker turns a gasoline tank into a 60-horsepower car and goes like a juggernaut through town at a mile a minute, no one has the heart to lynch him because it is his pleasure.

When we can get our pleasure out of driving rascals out of office, swatting the law breakers and inflicting awful surprises on the suffering in the shape of good fellowship, you may be assured that the millennium has arrived.

In ancient times men disguised themselves with lion's skins but now-a-days they try to do it with a sheep-skin.

Wichita Daily Times and the Foard County News for one year—\$5.50.

Locust Spends Years of Life Underground

Do seventeen-year locusts really appear every seventeen years? And, if so, why are some to be found every year?

These are pertinent questions, to say the least. The seventeen-year locust has long been heard of, and some skeptical people are inclined to regard accounts of them as myths. But they are real insects, and they do require (the variety known as cicada septendecim, which is literally Latin for cicada seventeen!) seventeen, or in some cases, thirteen years for full development.

The seventeen-year locust is not a grasshopper. More exactly, it is not a locust but a cicada—the name cicada being pure Latin for the same insect, which has been known for centuries by this name. A commoner cicada is found in many localities every year. But the seventeen-year variety, as Webster's New International dictionary summarizes, spends almost all of its seventeen or thirteen years "under ground in the larval condition. After emerging it quickly changes to the adult condition, in which it lives only a few weeks."

Locust, by the way, is also a nearly pure Latin name. The word "lobster" is a variation or corruption of locust, through the Anglo-Saxon.

Kipling Greatness Not "Outward and Visible"

As an alternative to the autograph album of tradition, Clara Sheridan, the painter-cum-sculptress journalist, planted a "friendship garden" at her home in Sussex, where she had as neighbors the Rudyard Kiplings.

"It seemed to me a living, colorful reminder of one's friends," says Mrs. Sheridan in her reminiscences "Naked Truth."

George Moore contributed a fuchsia because "when I (Moore) was a child I liked fuchsias better than almost any other flower." Robert Hichens wrote: "I will try to get hold of a carnation. I love carnations." Kipling's contribution was lavender and rosemary. A. E. W. Mason sent a "Virbarium Placatum" to "spread all over the flower bed and smother all the friends in its vicinity."

Mrs. Sheridan describes Kipling as "a jolly little man with a school boy humor who would not have seemed anything much if his eyebrows had been shaved and one had not known his name. . . . When he had a good story to tell Mrs. Kipling always intervened to tell it better. If Rudyard Kipling were called Jones, a very charming, cheery Mr. Jones he would be."

Only One Line

A few swift and powerful strokes carried the sailor to the side of the elderly woman in distress.

She had lost her footing on the slippery deck and was overboard in a moment.

Suddenly she caught sight of her rescuer as she came to the surface.

"Oh, save my hair! Save my hair!" she cried, pointing to the wig floating rapidly down the river.

"Madam," replied the gallant seaman, as he grabbed her shoulders, "I am only a life saver, not a hair-restorer."

First Silk Hose

There have been recently placed on exhibition in London models of the first pair of silk stockings ever worn in England.

These were not for feminine adornment, but for the beautification of a young man; Edward VI, son of Henry VIII, by his third wife, Jane Seymour, and successor to that much-married monarch on the throne of England.

The models of the historic pair are displayed on the figure of the young king in the Tussaud wax works.

Question of Fact

Judge Blackstone decided that certain evidence was inadmissible. Counsel took strong exception to the ruling, and insisted that it was admissible. "I know, your honor," said he, warmly, "that it is proper evidence. Here I have been practicing at the bar for 40 years, and now I want to know if I am supposed to be a fool?" "That," quietly replied the judge, "is a question of fact, and not of law, so I won't pass any opinion upon it, but will let the jury decide."

Mingling Old and New

Curfew in the ancient city of Rouen, France, now rings by electricity. The curfew bell has heretofore been worked by hand, but now it has been wired to the great clock, said to be the oldest in the world, in the tower. As soon as the clock strikes nine, the bell begins to toll automatically and continues for a quarter of an hour. The clock itself was manufactured in 1389 and for five centuries it ran without repair. It has only one hand, marking the hours.

Air Currents Charted

The government has recently published the first chart of the air currents, the publication dealing with the air currents of the North Pacific. The chart shows wind diagrams at altitudes of 10,000 feet, 5,000 feet and 2,500 feet and at sea level for the areas in the vicinity of Manila, Guam, Pearl Harbor, Seattle, Medford, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, Coco Solo, Canal Zone and Hongkong.

Corporation For Deep Oil Drilling Formed at Wichita

T. N. Bell Sends Check for First Share Stock in Million Dollar Corporation

Plans for the organization of a commercial oil corporation for the drilling of deep oil wells in the Wichita Falls area were perfected Wednesday when almost 100 business men of Clay, Archer, Young, Wilbarger and Wichita Counties met as the guest of Frank Kell of Wichita Falls to act on the report of a planning committee appointed on September 27.

The plan submitted calls for the formation of a corporation with from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 capitalization the purpose of which will be to drill or assist in drilling about ten deep wells in the territory represented at the meeting. The selection of drilling sites and details of drilling plans is to be committed to a board of directors representative of the counties which are parties to the movement. Capitalization in amount of \$1,000,000 was recommended by the committee, with \$25 dollars named as the most desirable par value of each share of stock.

T. N. Bell of this city has already mailed in a check of \$25.00 to Wal-

ter D. Cline, of Wichita Falls, member of the finance committee, as the first share of stock in the corporation. Mr. Bell is in hopes that Foard County will receive one of the deep tests planned by the corporation.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to T. Schlager, Mayor of Crowell, be received at the office of the City Secretary until 2:00 p. m., November 8, 1929, for the improvement of certain streets in the town of Crowell. Description of Work to be Done: The work consists of the grading and paving of four blocks of Houston Street, the approximate quantity being as follows:

4,576 cubic yards excavation; 726 square yards reinforced concrete pavement; 1210 linear concrete curb.

Plans and specifications may be seen and information obtained at office of the City Secretary at Crowell.

A certified or cashier's check the amount of 5 percent of the amount bid must accompany the proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with the terms of the specifications.

Proposals shall be enclosed in sealed envelope and shall be marked "Bid for Paving of Houston Street." The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive technicalities.

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