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LEGION NAMES A. Y. BEVERLY COMMANDER

Attention of Legion to Complete Monuments on the Square During 1930

The Gordon J. Ford Post of the American Legion met in the offices of Dr. Hines Clark Monday for the purpose of electing officers for 1930 and to transact other business.

Those elected for the ensuing year are: A. Y. Beverly, post commander; Dr. Hines Clark, first vice-commander; Curtis Ribble, second vice-commander; Clint White, post adjutant; and C. B. Graham, post historian. Mr. Beverly succeeds Capt. C. B. Morris of Thalia as post commander. J. J. Wright retires as adjutant.

An executive committee composed of the following was named: C. B. Morris, Ebb Seales, T. D. Roberts, Ed. Anard, and J. J. Wright.

Monument Plans
Plans were discussed concerning the statues that the local post is planning to erect on the pedestals that have already been erected on the court house lawn. These pedestals are on the concrete base upon which the German cannon now stands.

It is the intention of the post at the present time to erect these during the year of 1930 and it is the plan of the post to call upon the people of Foard County to help complete this program.

The gift of one thousand dollars from W. T. Waggoner of Ft. Worth toward this purpose has brought optimism within the forces of the legion to go ahead and raise the rest of the money for this monument. Around two thousand dollars are yet to be raised for this purpose.

When completed, it is doubtful if there will be a finer and more attractive monument anywhere in the state in memory of the soldiers and sailors who served in the local court house. A statue of a sailor will be placed on one pedestal and the statue of a doughboy on the other.

Through the efforts and splendid work of the local post of the American Legion one of the finest German field pieces was awarded the local post over two years ago and was formally dedicated to it at the Armistice Day celebration the past year. The war-time value of such a gun as this is many thousands of dollars and Crowell and Foard County are very fortunate to have received this fine and attractive field piece.

During the past year the local post also received as fine an assortment of war trophies as any other post in the state. The most notable work accomplished by the Legion during 1929 was the beginning of the monument program and splendid program sponsored for Armistice Day. The concrete base and pedestals had just been completed at that time.

It is sincerely hoped that all efforts of the Legion in completing the monument this year will meet with the hearty co-operation of all people of Foard County. Whatever comforts or pleasures we now have we owe to the boys who fought so valiantly for us a number of whom gave their lives for our benefit. The least we can do in perpetuating their memory is to help to the very limit in erecting the statues.

A Soldier's Letter

In looking over some issues of the Foard County News of over ten years ago some very interesting soldier letters were noticed. One could not help but appreciate their efforts more after reading some of them. Just a part of a letter, that many will recall reading and which is a fair sample of the many others follows:
"After we had made the first big drive, Oct. 7, and were traveling we stopped about half an hour and were looking at the boys that lay dead on the battle field and were just where they fell as they hadn't had time to bury them. They lay in bunches all over the field and we were looking into a ditch where there were two Americans and one German and one of them was Luther Powers.
"He was lying on his face and a big shell had burst right on the edge of the hole they were in and I raised him a little to see what had killed him and it must have been a shrapnel from the shell. We found one of his letters by him and that was the way we first identified him.
Gordon Ford, from home, was lying only a little ways further down on the road and was killed by a shrapnel also. I can't begin to tell you all half that I could." This was part of a letter from Stanley Walker to his parents.
"Everybody get behind the monument program!"

Chillicothe Here for Game Saturday Night

The strong basketball team of Chillicothe High School will be in Crowell for a basketball game Saturday night. Another game is being arranged for Saturday night also, and the basketball fans of Crowell are assured of a real treat Saturday night at the gymnasium.

Over \$1,000,000 worth of gold were produced in the United States in 1928.

The latest Irish Free State census, in 1926, shows a total population of 2,971,992.

Foard County History Turned Back Several Years at Luncheon

Special articles in issues of the Foard County News from 1907 to 1922 were read by Mack Boswell at the luncheon of the Rotary Club Wednesday. Various happenings were recounted in these articles that took the listeners back for many years.

The accounts of weddings of a few members were read. The marriages of Bert Self and Miss Inez Allison; H. E. Ferguson and Miss Effie Harrison; Clarence Self and Cressie Edwards; Russell Beverly and Miss Emma Estelle Perkins; and T. B. Klepper and Miss Virginia Newton were accounted for in these articles.

Other articles were read dealing with such subjects as Foard County's new \$60,000 court house; Crowell's first automobiles; first airplanes visiting Crowell; the fact that Crowell had reached the goal of securing its second railroad (?) and that trains on it were to run in time to carry off full crops; war-time articles and a number of others.

After the reading of the articles the old papers were passed among the members to read out any other interesting articles that might not have been mentioned.

Inter-Cities Meeting

President T. N. Bell announced the receipt of an invitation to the Crowell club asking that its members and their ladies attend an inter-city meeting of the Rotary Clubs of Vernon, Quanah, Crowell and Childress clubs. The meeting is to be held on Thursday night, January 30th, in the club house of the West Texas Utilities Company at Lake Pauline, near Quanah.

Each of the visiting clubs are to furnish part of the program for the occasion. Most of the local Rotarians have already signified their intentions of attending this banquet.

Thomson Is Candidate for Commissioner No. 4

W. F. Thomson has authorized the News to announce that he will be a candidate for re-election to the office of commissioner of Precinct 4 of Foard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Mr. Thomson is seeking re-election upon his record of service to the county as commissioner. He was a resident of this section before Foard County or Crowell was even organized and represents the type of men that have made the county what it is today.

"I believe that my experience with county affairs during past years qualifies me to serve the people better than ever before and I pledge my best efforts to the office if elected," Mr. Thomson said.

NOTICE GIVEN FOR PAVING 10 CITY BLOCKS

Four Blocks East of Square and
6 Block on Lee Highway
Included

Bids for the paving of ten blocks in the City of Crowell are being advertised for by the city council and a notice to contractors for this work appears in this issue of the News.

This paving program includes the four blocks running north and south on the east side of the square from the Christian Church to the street, one block south of the square and for six blocks on the Lee Highway, or Highway 28, from Self Motor Company to the street just west of the Santa Fe railroad crossing.
Bids were advertised for on the four blocks on the east side of the square last fall but the one bid that was received was rejected. According to the plans the paving of these four blocks is to be full width. The city has agreed to pay fifteen per cent of the total cost of this paving and the property owners are to pay the remaining cost. According to present arrangements the paving is to be paid for in ten yearly payments.

From Self Motor Company the paving is to be full width for one block and fifty-four feet for the remaining five blocks. The State Highway Department will take care of its portion of this paving in its program. The city has agreed to bear ten per cent of the cost of this paving. Practically all of the property owners have agreed to take care of the remaining cost.

According to the notice to contractors, sealed proposals addressed to C. T. Schlagal, mayor, of this paving will be received until 8 p. m. February 7, 1930, and then publicly opened and read. Specifications call for concrete paving, the work to consist of 22,400 cubic yards of concrete paving, 7,468 cubic yards of earth excavation and 3,250 linear feet combined curb and gutter. The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all technicalities.

P. T. A. MEETS TUESDAY

The Crowell Parent-Teachers Association will meet Tuesday, January 21st, at the high school at 4 o'clock. The fourth grade teachers and mothers will be hostesses at this meeting. All interested in the welfare of the Crowell schools are urged to attend the meeting.

WEATHER HALTS TERRACING IN FOARD COUNTY

Co-operation From Land Owners Needed by County Agent To Speed Up Work

Foard County was at the height of its busiest terracing season until the snowy weather of over a week halted operations along this line, however. Over seven hundred acres have been terraced since the 15th of December, according to Mr. Rennels.

The importance of building up wide terraces was emphasized by the county agent. He said that terraces should be 26 to 30 feet wide and around 22 inches high to begin with as they will settle around 18 inches. Wide terraces will not break down so easily and will hold the moisture under most any conditions. It was also pointed out that it was much easier to farm the wide terraces as the farm tools worked better on them. The county grader is being used for terracing work this year the same as it was last year. When not being used for road work the grader, tractor and operator are hired out to the farmers.

Must Eliminate Delays
Many delays in the terracing program of the county are caused by farmers arranging dates with the county agent and then not being ready to start the work on his arrival. The requests for the services of the county agent along this line are much more than can be handled and the people of Foard County should cooperate to the very limit in making it possible for his services to be extended to as many farmers as possible in this work.

This can be done through various means. Of course one of the most important is to have everything ready to begin the terracing work upon his arrival and to also furnish assistance in the terracing work so that it will be possible for the county agent to not have to do the work that another person could perform. If this is done, his work of general supervision of the terracing work can be extended over a wide area of the county instead of being confined to just a few farms over a considerable length of time.

There is hardly a landowner in the county that is not sold on terracing and practically all farmers have realized that it is either "Terrace or Perish." The big thing that the land owners need to be sold on now is that they can speed up the work over the whole county by co-operating to the very limit with the county agent.

Miller After Second Term as Foard Sheriff

Que R. Miller has authorized the News to announce that he is seeking a second term as sheriff and tax collector of Foard County. His candidacy for this office is subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Since going into office about one year ago, Mr. Miller has made one of the finest officers as a peace officer and tax collector that could possibly be expected. He has been on the job continually and in general has made a popular officer.

Mr. Miller asked the News to express his appreciation for the splendid co-operation given him in every way. "It has been a pleasure to serve the people of Foard County and I will do my best for them if elected again," he stated.

Charlie Thompson and D. B. Miller Buy M Store

Charlie Thompson and Dow Miller have purchased the interest of J. H. Lanier and sons in the M System Grocery and have now taken over its operation. The grocery stock was purchased and the building and store fixtures were leased from Mr. Lanier. Mr. Thompson was formerly connected with the Fox-Thompson Grocery for a number of years and sold his interest in that store about one year ago. Mr. Miller was also in the grocery business several years ago with Bert Bain as partner. They were succeeded by the Haney-Razor Grocery.

FAMOUS YOUNG SINGER AT RIALTO HERE THURS., JAN. 16

Sonny Rogers, given that name by the famous singer, Jimmy Rogers, will be at the Rialto Thursday night, January 16. This young man has entertained at the Palace and Orpheum Theatres in Oklahoma City lately and will sing and yodel and entertain generally at his performance here.

He is only sixteen years old and will start recording on records on April 1st. A number of Crowell and Foard County people have heard him broadcast over WKY at Oklahoma City.

NEW RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis of Cotton County, Oklahoma, have moved to the F. A. Davis farm, near Pease River, about eight miles north of Crowell on the Quanah highway. Mr. Davis is a brother of F. A. and O. B. Davis of this city.

Two Farmers Gins Make Successful Record for Season

The Farmers Co-operative Society of Crowell has about rounded out another successful year in cotton ginning. For the first time in its history the society has operated two gins for practically all of the season. The new gin was not quite ready for operation when the season opened.

At present a total of 2,488 bales have been ginned and it is expected that the number of bales that are yet to be ginned will push the total above 3,500.

The No. 1 gin has turned out 1,529 bales and the number 2 plant has ginned 1,959 bales. Operation of the No. 1 gin was stopped several weeks ago.

From a financial standpoint the society has been successful in spite of a rather poor cotton year. With the beginning of the season there were \$35,267.50 in notes due. Of this amount \$17,956.16 has been paid, leaving 17,311.34 still due.

There has also been a total amount of \$11,354.42 paid out on items other than notes, such as repairs.

The profits from this year's operation will be used in paying for the new gin plant. The building for this plant was built and paid for last year, however, the machinery for it was not installed until this fall.

The Farmers Co-operative Society will not close its books until May 31, the end of its business year.

H. E. Davis has managed both gins this year. The officers of the society are Silas Moore, president; C. E. Gafford, vice-president; H. E. Davis, secretary-treasurer; J. M. Speck, L. R. Morgan, G. C. Owens, E. A. Dunagan, T. F. Welch, J. T. King, C. F. Hunter, Fred Reithmeyer and S. T. Knox, directors.

Hysinger Asks Second Term as Commissioner

J. C. Hysinger is asking to be re-elected to a second term as commissioner of Precinct 2 of Foard County. His name as a candidate for this office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, appears in another column of this paper.

Mr. Hysinger has lived near Margaret since 1907 and has been recognized as one of Foard County's most progressive farmers. During his first term of office he has had the interest of his Precinct and Foard County at heart at all times.

"If I wasn't proud of my record as commissioner I wouldn't be asking the people to again exhibit their faith in me by re-electing me to the office I now hold," Mr. Hysinger stated.

Jesse Owens In Race For District Attorney

The name of Jesse Owens appears this week in the announcement column of the News as a candidate for the office of district attorney of the 46th Judicial District composed of Foard, Wildbarger and Hardeman Counties.

Mr. Owens needs no introduction in Foard County as there are few men that have a wider acquaintance over the county than he. Mr. Owens has been a resident of Foard County and Crowell since 1907. He served two terms as county judge of Foard County from 1923 to 1927 and since that time he has been engaged in the practice of law at Crowell. Before becoming county judge, Mr. Owens taught in the schools of Crowell and Foard County for a number of years. In announcing his candidacy he submitted the following statement:

"Unlike a great many candidates who seek office, I have not been solicited by a large number of friends and influential citizens but it is upon my own desire that I am a candidate for the office of district attorney. I seek the office because I feel that I can render my state a good service, if elected.

"I am not unmindful of the duties of the district attorney and I realize that his office is the greatest law enforcement agency of the state and I assure the people that if elected I shall put forth every effort within my ability to enforce the law to the end that life, liberty and property and society in general may be safe.

"I do not propose to lay down any specific method and set of rules by which the law will be enforced but assure the people that I will cooperate with, work with and assist the peace officers, the grand juries and the court to stop the unprecedented crime wave of the present time and do all there is in my power to check the delay and dissatisfaction of criminal trials. It appears to me, that for the safety of democracy, there are too many criminals never brought to trial and of those that are brought to trial there are too many acquitted.

Next July the people of this state will have the opportunity again to exercise their privilege, right and duty to elect their officers to enforce the law for the next two years and the offices are the gifts of the people and no man or woman has any more right to occupy them than any other; but they should be occupied by the men and women who are the choice of the people and if the people see fit to elect me to the office of district attorney I will appreciate their support and give them an honest, fair and strict law enforcement administration."

JESSE OWENS.

Seal meat tastes very much like mutton.

ZERO WEATHER FELT BY FOARD COUNTY PEOPLE

Cold Wave Has Held on For 10 Days; Old-Timers Say Crops Will Benefit

Foard County has experienced one of the coldest spells in its history during the past ten days. In this time the temperature has been below zero a number of times and has seldom gone above 30 degrees. For a few hours Sunday afternoon, the warmest weather of the last ten days was enjoyed.

While cloudy conditions have prevailed most every day, yet no additional snow, sleet or rain have fallen to amount to anything. The sleet and snow that fell last week amount to around one and one-half inches in moisture.

J. H. Self, resident of Foard County for 43 years and one of the closest weather observers of this section, stated this was one of the longest cold spells that he knew of, although in about 1898 he had to break ice for 21 solid days for water for his stock.

He stated that in the 43 years he had been here, good crops followed every severe winter and that he would feel more hopeful for good crops this year if there was more moisture. The temperature Thursday morning was two below zero and last week it got to four below, according to Mr. Self.

T. J. Cates stated that he did not recall a longer continued cold spell in the thirty years that he had been in Foard County. He was of the opinion that this spell would be of tremendous benefit to the country, stating that the ground would be broken up as a result and that it would be in much better shape to receive moisture later on.

S. E. Seales stated that in 1895 or '96 he had to break ice for a solid month during February and that the weather at that time was far colder than this.

W. T. Razor, another one of Foard County's old timers, stated that there was a cold spell during February of 1905 or 1906 that was longer and much worse than this one and that a certain part of Wislon's ranch was frozen for nearly a month.

J. T. Gribble could not recall a much longer cold spell than this one during his long residence in the county. J. H. Lanier, who has been in the county for 20 years, said this was the coldest spell he had seen.

TAX PAYMENTS VERY SLOW IN FOARD COUNTY

Tremendous Last Minute Rush Expected at Tax Collector's Office

Que R. Miller, tax collector, stated that tax payments and auto registrations have been coming in very slowly and urges the people to not neglect this matter any longer and attend to it now in order to avoid a last minute rush.

The exceedingly cold and snowy weather conditions that have existed for over ten days have naturally caused tax payments to take a considerable slump.

Few Poll Taxes

In spite of the fact that this voting year, to date only 612 poll tax receipts have been issued. Last year there were about 1,800 poll taxes paid. There are 2,005 poll taxes on the books of Foard County.

It is hoped that the people of Foard County will not neglect one of the most important rights they have as citizens and that is the right to vote if the poll tax has been paid. Every worthwhile citizen should consider it his duty to take a part in the elections of his town, county and state.

Pay your poll tax now!

Car Registrations
Only 415 passenger cars have been registered so far. Thirty-six trucks and ten trailers have also been registered. Over 1,600 motor vehicles were registered in Foard County last year.

Tax payments so far for this month have amounted to around \$13,000. About \$160,000.00 is to be collected this year and just about one-third of this amount has been collected.

PERCY FERGESON ELECTED SECRETARY OF ASS'N.

Percy Ferguson, son of S. J. Ferguson, and a former resident of this city, has recently been elected secretary of the association of railroad clerks on the division of the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway from Altus, Oklahoma, to Alpine, Texas. He was also recently appointed by railroad officials as a member of a special safety committee on this division.

Mr. Ferguson is now a demurrage clerk for the Santa Fe at San Angelo, a position he has held for the past two years. He has held various positions on the Orient Railroad, now the Santa Fe, during the past fifteen years.

Wichita Falls First 1930 Baby Born to Former Crowell Girl

Gifts ranging from 500 pounds of ice to a promise to do baby's first laundry bundle free were some of the tributes Wichita Falls merchants paid to that city's first 1930 baby, the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brady, born one hour and 10 minutes after the New Year had arrived.

Mrs. Brady was formerly Miss Jessie Dell Ricks of this city and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ricks. Other gifts for the baby from Wichita Falls merchants included flowers, a nursery chair, silverware, milk, electric heating pad, fruit, high chair, baby set, building and loan account, knitted sweater set, deposit on savings account and ice cream.

County Federation Meet Postponed Until Jan. 23

Due to weather conditions that have existed this week the meeting of the County Federation of Women's Clubs has been postponed until Thursday, January 23rd. As announced before the meeting will be held at Margaret and at the same hours as announced for Wednesday, January 15th.

An interesting program has been arranged for the day and it is hoped that a good crowd will be present. The Parent-Teachers Association of Margaret is the hostess club.

Wisdom Candidate for Re-election from No. 1

A. B. Wisdom, commissioner of Precinct One of Foard County, has asked the News to place his name in the announcement column as a candidate for re-election to his present office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Wisdom is one of the most prominent farmers in the Thalia community and has lived there since 1913. He has always been in line with any progressive moves for the county and as a public official he has acted conservatively in dealing with county affairs.

In commenting upon his candidacy Mr. Wisdom stated: "I surely appreciate the people's confidence in me by electing me as their commissioner and if elected again, I shall continue to put forth my best efforts in their interest."

Everett Morgan Weds Abilene Girl Saturday

Everett Morgan of Crowell and Miss Sara Lawrence of Abilene were married at 8:30 p. m. Saturday night in Thalia. John Hugh Banister performed the ceremony.

Mr. Morgan is well known here, having lived in Foard County most of his life. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan and is employed with the Haney-Razor Grocery.

Mrs. Morgan is a teacher at Black school. She is a graduate of Abilene High School and of Abilene Christian College. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lawrence of Abilene. The young couple are now making their home at the M. O'Connell residence.

This is the first couple that has been issued a marriage license from the county clerk's office during 1930, according to Mrs. Reavis. The first license in 1929 was issued on March 2nd.

Re-election from No. 3 Sought by Halbert

E. V. Halbert, prominent farmer of the Foard City community, has authorized the News to announce his candidacy for re-election as commissioner of Precinct 3 of Foard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Halbert has been engaged in the farming industry in Foard County for a number of years and is well known to most of the people of this section.

He has always taken an active part in community affairs and his progressive character has been reflected in many projects. Halbert has always given first consideration to the desires of the people of his precinct and Foard County in all of his actions as a commissioner. The fact that he believes he is in a position to give even better service as a commissioner in the future prompts him to ask for re-election.

Martin Kamstra Joins Chemical Dept. Army

L. Kamstra has received a letter from his son, Martin, stating that he had joined the chemical warfare department of the United States Army. He will be stationed in St. Louis for about one month after which he will be sent to Honolulu by way of Panama and Frisco.

Martin stated that he was the only chemical man at the St. Louis station as there was only one opening and that was for Hawaii. A certificate showing that he had two years of college work, got him the position.

ON HONOR ROLL

Miss Allison Self of Crowell made the honor roll for the spring term at Texas Technological College with an average of A on 18 term hours of work, according to the report of the registrar's office.

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

Rev. A. O. Hood of Margaret filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning. There were no services Sunday night on account of bad weather.

W. F. Wood attended the missionary institute at the Methodist Church in Vernon Tuesday.

M. C. Adkins, E. H. Roberts, J. C. Taylor, C. W. Roberts and Royce Cato were Crowell visitors Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Wood visited Mrs. Leotis Roberts in Vernon Tuesday.

The Methodist ladies met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Stovall Monday and quitted a quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Leotis Roberts of Vernon visited relatives here Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied home by Tilman Short who will stay with them and attend school in Vernon.

H. W. Gray and family, Truett Neill, Frank Wood, Jim Hammonds, Other Hammonds and Mrs. J. A. Stovall, Mrs. J. K. Langley and Alton Harbin were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Phillips visited Mrs. Effie Nash and Mrs. Harry Hamilton in Vernon Monday night and Tuesday.

A large crowd attended the auction sale at the home of J. H. Freudiger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Huntley are

visiting in Wheeler County this week.

W. C. Gardner and family visited Lee Keese and family in the Haney community Sunday.

A. G. Wickendon returned home Friday from a visit in San Antonio and other points.

Lee Sims and family and Mrs. J. L. Sims visited Mrs. Nash in Vernon Sunday.

Buster Henry of Fargo visited Frank Wood here this week.

VIVIAN

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Ted Whatley returned Saturday from Wichita Falls where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Martin.

Henry Fish left Wednesday of last week for Anson, Texas, where he will visit his sister, Mrs. J. M. Sosebee, of that city.

Miss Odessa Haskew of Childress who has been visiting May Bell Haskew and parents returned home Sunday.

Beno Whatley of Wichita Falls visited in the home of J. E. Whatley from Saturday night until Monday of last week.

Egbert Fish and family were visitors in Paducah Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Haskew and daughter, Iva Lee, of Childress spent Sunday in the home of R. S. Haskew and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Alexander spent Sunday in Paducah visiting Mr. Alexander's uncle, George Alexander.

B. W. Matthews and son, Stewart, were visitors in Paducah Tuesday afternoon.

Aubrey Alexander made a trip to Childress last week.

Coming Opportunity

In Illinois they are planting trees in front of billboards to beautify the landscapes. When the trees grow they will make good posts for hot dog signs and political advertisements.—The South Bend Tribune.

WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

School was dismissed Friday on account of the snow and bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Walls have been attending the bedside of their grandchild who is very ill at a Vernon hospital.

The auction sale at the home of J. H. Freudiger was well attended Monday in spite of the disagreeable weather. The Baptist Ladies of Thalia sold pies and sandwiches.

Bob Huntley and family went to Wheeler County Tuesday for several days visiting.

J. F. Belew went to the Plains Saturday where he will attend to business.

The West Rayland senior girls and junior boys played Margaret teams at Margaret Monday of last week. West Rayland girls won with a score of 22 to 11 and the Margaret boys won by a score of 7 to 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kuehn of Houston County came Sunday. They will live in the house vacated by Tom Ward and family.

Cliff Cribbs returned from Idalou Sunday night.

Mrs. Dora Gregg went to Vernon to receive medical aid Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wallace of Crowell spent Sunday and Monday with J. H. Freudiger and family.

Jerelene Key happened to the misfortune of getting her arm cut badly while playing Saturday.

FOARD CITY

(By Special Correspondent)

Edward Mulliniks and Enoch Smart made a business trip to Thalia last Saturday.

Jack Welch entertained a number of young people at his home last Saturday sleigh riding. Those present were Misses Myrtle McLain, Opal Canup, Victoria McDaniel, Mary Nell Merriman, Messrs. Rex Traawek, Weldon Owens, Charles Merriman, Fate McDoogle, Clarence Barker, Milton Callaway and the host.

Mrs. Hattie Aydelott has been on the sick list the last week.

There was a large number of pupils absent from school the past week on account of the bad weather.

Brenton Lilly is reported very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton and family of Margaret spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Horn of this community.

Little Leolta Munger is reported very ill.

Miss Lola Dell Thurman spent Sunday with Isola Dollar.

Mrs. Claude Callaway has returned home from Childress. She has been taking medical treatments.

RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

R. L. Jordan and family moved to his farm near Rayland Wednesday.

Thomas Curry and Buster Crisp spent Wednesday night with Jesse Gregg of West Rayland.

School was dismissed at the Five-in-One High School Thursday and Friday on account of the severe cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greenway moved last week from J. C. Davis' farm to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Greenway.

Harold Crisp spent Thursday night with Jesse Gregg of West Rayland.

Walter Rector and family moved Monday.

CLAYTONVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

On account of the cold and bad weather the Rev. H. H. Haston of Paducah failed to fill his regular appointment here last Saturday night and Sunday at eleven o'clock.

The people of this community are sure proud of the snow that has the earth covered here.

Mrs. T. C. Wisdom has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Woodard, of Ft. Worth.

Some people of this community have been plowing some until interrupted by the bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Goodwin and family are going to move to another community. We regret to lose this family but wish them good luck in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wheeler of this community have moved to the Foard City community.

We are struggling along trying to keep our Sunday School going during the bad weather and we urge everybody to come and help in the good work that is going on.

We have a new singing class organized here and we meet every first and third Sunday of the month. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and bring their song books.

Colorful

A medical publicist explains the relation between Alcoholic Phychosis and Delirium Tremens. It seems the elephants are mauve instead of of cerise.—The Detroit News.

Serious Game

Indicating the strong hold which the game has on the country, the senate has made a football of the tariff.—The Seattle Daily Times.

He Does Not

A man doesn't always reap what he sows. Mr. Edison invented the phonograph and he's mercifully deaf.—The Los Angeles Times.

WE GIVE AWAY PROFIT SHARING STAMPS FOR EACH TEN CENT CASH PURCHASE

Our own (Womack Bros.) stamps issued by us (each stamp represents a 10 cent purchase) will be given at time of purchase for every 10 cents represented in the cash purchase.

A neat little red folder with our name and business printed on front cover, with 16 pages prepared to receive each 10 cent stamp, and a portion of the inside back cover has a place for 20 stamps, which, when pasted full, a stamp in every place indicated, holds 500 stamps, which represents that \$50.00 worth of cash purchases have been made. When this little red book is completely pasted full of Womack Bros' Red Profit Sharing Stamps (without one penny of cost to the holder) we, Womack Bros., will pay, in cash, for this properly filled book, \$1.00, or we will give in merchandise \$1.25.

A 10 cent purchase starts you saving. We give you the profit sharing stamps with each cash purchase. We give you a neat book to paste them in. When the book is full, we give you \$1.00 in cash for it, or give you \$1.25 worth of merchandise for it. It costs you absolutely nothing.

Saving banks pay you interest on the money you save

We Pay You Interest On The Money You Spend

Womack Bros.

FURNITURE & UNERTAKING Furniture, Stoves, Dishes, Wall Paper, Radios, Phonographs, Trunks

The Best Purgative for

Colds



Relieves the congestion, reduces complications, hastens recovery.

MAGNOLIA Gasoline Motor Oil

REFINED FOR WINTER DRIVING

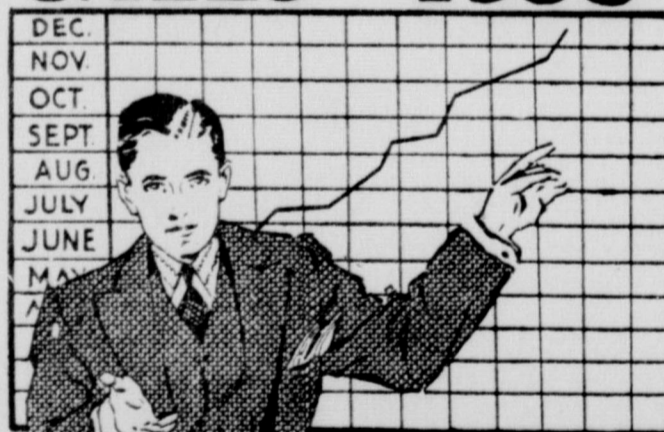
For more miles per gallon use Magnolia MAXIMUM MILEAGE Gasoline.

For high compression motors and motors that knock use Magnolia ANTI-KNOCK Gasoline. A pure petroleum product—cannot harm motor parts.

For dependable lubrication use Magnolia Motor Oil (Paraffine Base). Long-life lubrication—the best your money can buy.

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CORP. GEORGE HINDS, Agent.

SALES 1930



After All it Depends on ADVERTISING

That line of the graph that shows the trend of your sales—it can droop like a wilted plume, or rise to magnificent heights—depending on whether you attract customers through effective, consistent advertising. This paper, with its circulation covering the Foard County area like a blanket, with the Stanton Newspaper Advertisers' Service at the disposal of its space-buyers, with every desire and resource to aid your business, is THE ideal advertising medium. Plan your 1930 advertising with us—NOW.

The Foard County News

TEXON TALES

Well, now! I guess everybody knows what a winter spell is. We woke up here one morning with four inches of snow and four degrees of heat. Now, I didn't say one fair morning. It was so cold a tea model Ford wouldn't even start and freeze if it did. The reason they call the original Fords "tea models" is because they got so hot. It was a hot car in its day. But, that day's gone, we have the lever Fords and long skirts now in 1930. The new models are lever kinds, if you can't start her just leave'er and walk. While we are speaking of cars, wimmen's dresses and things why Howard Chandler Christy says the modern girl is an improvement over the old maids. Maids of old or something that way so we figure he means old maids, so we agree with him. But what will the girls of today or the cars either look like ten years from now. These flappers go hay-wire in a little while you know and get married. Well, for a while after that they are domesticated and then come back before the public in divorce courts and things, and they are all done in new colors just like the worked-over cars, you can't hardly tell them from new ones. It is just a matter of an overhauling job, fresh paint and a little retouching that way. We are not sure whether Mr. Christy is speaking of the original models or the worked-

over jobs but he is an artist, you know, and probably speaks of art.

A boy down here asked a girl to marry him some time ago. I mean he asked her some time ago. And the girl says, "Why, this here is so sudden." Well this guy got even with her recently when she offered him a sample of her own baking and he says, "Why this here is so sudden." He hunted up her cook book and found it was entitled "Concrete rules for baking."

Service with a smile, as we see it advertised sometimes, is okay provided it is good service, but good service with a frown is more satisfactory in the long run than rotten service with a smile.

Some people save every nickle while they're young and when they get old they don't know how to have a good time. Some spend all they make trying to have a good time only to find too late they're a complete failure. A few, very too, save some and live some.

TEXON TATTLER.

They Did

The law of equilibrium is always at work, and some of those who cleaned up, betting against the Cubs in the world's series got cleaned out for betting against the bears in Wall Street.—The Beloit Daily News.

USEFUL HINTS FOR CUTTING DOWN THE GAS BILL

Before baking potatoes, let them stand in hot water for 15 minutes. If this is done, only about half as much gas will be required to cook them.

Green vegetables cooked in a small amount of water require less gas to retain their mineral salts, color and flavor to a greater extent.

It is wasteful to use the gas burner for boiling. Too rapid boiling increases evaporation, but saves time in cooking, since water can be heated beyond the boiling point.

Too hot an oven produces holes in quick breads. Five to ten minutes will heat the gas oven most mixtures, and ten minutes biscuits.

The life of a gas range depends on the care given it. Every range should be kept clean if it is to operate most economically and efficiently.

Salt is so valued by natives in parts of central Africa that a traveler may hire a laborer for a cup of salt a week.

The Valley Forge which became a landmark of revolutionary warfare was built in 1742.

The reindeer, unlike the moose, naturally moves against the wind.

Quality Goods

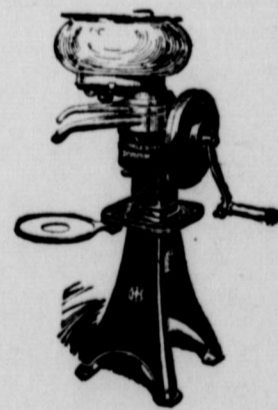
Cloth Collars \$2.50 to 3.00

Leather Collars \$4.00 to 8.50

Check Lines \$5.75 to 8.50

Leather Bridles \$1.75 to 3.50

Single trees and oak timbers All Sizes



McCormick-Deering Primrose cream separator. Make your cows pay your bills with one of these separators.

McCormick-Deering—P. & O. 2-row Listers are better. Save time and money with one of these sturdy machines.

Crews=Long Hardware Co. Crowell Thalia

Anger Woman is Telling Her Friends About It

Have Suffered for Years with Stomach and Liver Trouble But Since Taking Orgatone I Feel Simply Fine," Said Mrs. Rice

"Yes, I am feeling simply fine now, since taking Orgatone, it has helped me so much, I am telling all my friends about it," said Mrs. Zelda Rice of Ranger, Texas, living on route 1, while talking with the Orgatone representative recently. "For several years I have suffered from stomach and liver trouble. My appetite was very poor, and I got so I couldn't eat hardly anything, and was gradually growing worse," she continued. "Right after eating, I would have a dizzy, bilious sensation, and suffered from gas on my stomach. I was troubled with constipation, and had to take laxatives most of the time. I had a dull, throbbing pain in the back of my head, most all the time, and this seemed to get worse at night, and I was very nervous and didn't get the proper amount of sleep. I was in a very run down

condition and felt tired and worn out, all the time, and didn't have any energy or ambition. I had a pain in my back and side, often caused from improper functioning of my liver. Orgatone had helped so many people here, and so many people had talked about it, so I began to take it. I have only taken one bottle of Orgatone, and you should just see me now. My appetite is just fine, and I can't get enough to eat, and my food agrees with me and I feel better in every way."

Genuine Orgatone may be obtained in Crowell at the Reeder Drug Store. (Adv.)

LARGEST ELECTRICITY CONTRACT EVER CLOSED

What is declared to have been the largest electrical contract ever made was entered into recently between the City of New York and the New York Edison Co., the total involved being \$39,253,329. The company will furnish current for the new subway system.

An interesting feature of the story is that the city first figured on furnishing its own current, but investigation showed it could save \$5,500,000 in ten years the contract covered by buying it.

Child That "Stammers"

Victim of Nervousness

The most usual form of speech disorder is "stammering," or "stuttering." From the standpoint of development there are two distinct types, one which commences with the development of speech and the other that begins after the child has learned to speak normally. The first form is the more difficult to correct.

The underlying cause of stammering is purely mental. It is essentially due to emotional disturbance, and implies lessened ability to meet a difficult situation. It is most frequently observed in so-called nervous, highly-strung children. As these children grow older they subconsciously fear that their speech organs will refuse to work and have the horror of being the object of ridicule. A sense of inferiority develops, establishing a vicious circle—the greater the dread, the more imperfect their speech.

According to some observers, stammering is more or less common among left-handed children when they are taught to become right-handed writers. This opinion is largely responsible for the objection to educators attempting to train left-handed children to become right-handed. It is also believed to be more common among boys than girls.—Health News.

Blind Students Aided in Professional Study

A blind person can now obtain a Braille manuscript copy of any work, however technical or abstruse, in any language. This has been made possible, says the British National Institute for the Blind, by the work of a band of volunteers who devote their lives to copying out for blind students the textbooks required in various professions.

The work is by no means easy, and does not simply imply copying line after line of printed words. Charts, notes, dates, sideheads, tables, references, and a hundred other items have to be studied.

Students are asked to return the volumes when finished with, and from these a valuable library is being formed. Thousands of volumes on almost every branch of knowledge, from alchemy to zoology, are already in the students' catalogue.—London Tit-Bits.

Dropped Into Sea Lingo

Here is a story about a Nantucket Quakeress who was a very superior feeling person. On a visit to New Bedford the young woman was invited to a tea party and expressed a fervent hope that she would not use any sea phrase while there.

Keeping a close watch upon her words she got on all right until, as they started to leave the table, a man away up at the far end asked her how her father was doing. Every face was turned to her and every ear listening for word of the sick man.

Flustered by having the attention so suddenly focused on herself, she said: "Thank thee, but he rather goes astern." Then she was overcome with confusion, for she had lapsed into the sea lingo she had determined to avoid.—Brockton Enterprise.

Speed in Reading

Prof. Walter B. Pitkin of Columbia university stated that there are great differences in the speed of reading in different classes of society. Young newspaper men catch with one glance of the eye 4.7 words, while experienced editors take in as many as 7.2 words, which is more than the ordinary newspaper line. On the other hand, engineers, who deal with things rather than with words, have an average eye-grasp of only 3.3 words. The engineers are credited, however, with retaining the meaning in a passage of 100 words better than the men of any other group.

The Boss's Daily Dozen

The boss used to say to me sometimes, "Never get mad at the sheep. It doesn't do any good. I never used to get mad when I herded." But at other times I have heard him tell how he would sometimes throw his cap on the ground and dance up and down on it and yell. Since he never got mad, it is evident that this was some form of physical culture, or perhaps his way of doing his daily dozen.—From "Sheep," by Archer B. Gillilan.

Palm Sacred to Egyptians

The date palm tree is a sacred thing. For thousands of years it has been to the Egyptian fellahs and to the nomads of Africa the tree of life and the tree of death. Its dates are so nourishing that with frugal races they are a principal article of food. Upon its transparent bark was written, in ancient hieroglyphics, the first awakening of human thought. Its wood provided coffins for the old Egyptian tombs; its essences perfumed the wrappings of mummies.

Confused Geography

"What river separates Texas from Mexico?" This was a stickler for Jackie. Father coached Jackie on the answer to make him get at least part of it. But Jackie had done enough for that evening. He couldn't think what the river was and he didn't seem to care, either.

"Well," said father, "think hard now; I'll help you. What river separates Texas from Mexico. Rio?" Father waited. "Oh, I know now; Rio Rita."

A Few Hints for January

January is cold and blustery, take all the precaution necessary to keep yourself in order.

Do you catch cold easily? Do you fear any of the old troubles that come on you in winter? If so, come in and make the purchases necessary to combat these troubles.

See your family physician and let him prescribe for you, then bring us the prescription and we will take pride in filling it for the lowest possible price.

Respectfully,

Ferguson Brothers

210 Jewell Ave

HIGH FINANCE

In this life it is not so much "what can I help" as it is "who can I do," and the higher men rise on the ladder of success the more determined they become to "do" the other fellows.

In its early stages this is merely "shrewd business," but as it assumes greater proportion it is dignified as "high finance."

But it is not confined to the ranks of the successful. The small boy on the street begins his career by winning the marbles away from his playmate. He follows this up a little later by driving a hard bargain in a trade.

These successes only whet his appetite for greater successes, and from

year to year he plans and schemes to annex the money of other men.

To all rules there are exceptions, and there may be a few to this, but the description is fairly applicable to the majority of mankind.

Away back in the dim past some of us have read the Golden Rule—but we couldn't repeat it now, and most of us have even forgotten what it says.

The preacher tells us some wholesome truths in his sermon, but the Sunday dinner tastes so good when we get home from church it simply banishes the ministerial teachings from our minds—if they have endured that long.

And why? Ask some wise man—we don't

know. It's simply in our blood, as it is in yours, and we are not responsible for the blood that flows in our veins.

Tom Faison, of El Dorado, Ark., won a bet but did not collect. He was able, as he wagered, to drink a quart of whiskey without stopping and then walk two blocks. But he died then, from alcoholism.

A blueberry as large as a grape has been bred from our native American blue berry by a government botanist.

Some metals will catch fire if exposed to the air in a finely divided condition.

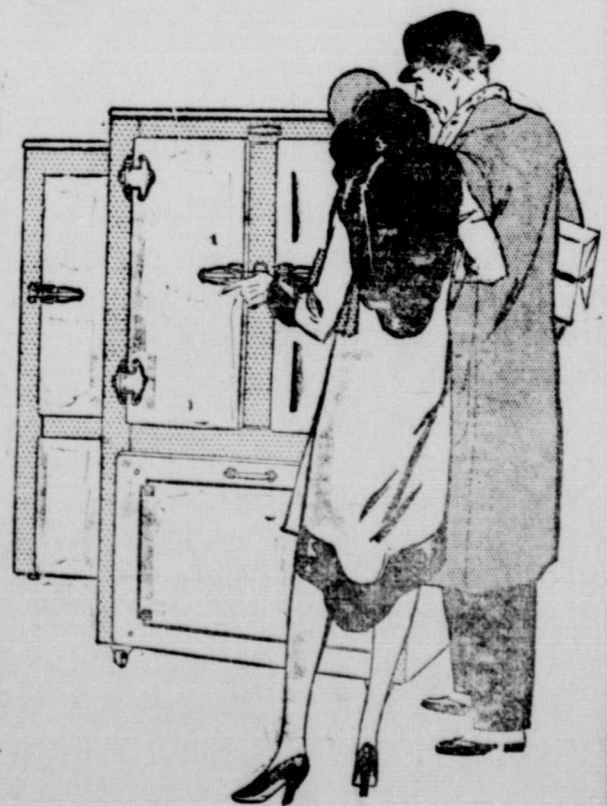


Start the New Year with Frigidaire

In addition to safeguarding your health through proper food preservation, you will find the New Frigidaire equally proficient in the conservation of food, and in the preparation of numerous delicious desserts and salads.

Over a million successful American homes stand as a tribute to the superiority of Frigidaire. Join the ranks of these enthusiastic and satisfied users.

The New Frigidaire costs but little, and its economics and conveniences will return a handsome dividend on your investment—year in and year out.



Start the New Year with Frigidaire. Let us demonstrate its time-tested and proven principles.

Convenient Terms

West Texas Utilities Company

Our Appeal To the Public Last Week

met with a very responsive note and we wish to take this method of thanking the fair-minded people of Crowell and Foard County for their consideration and patronage of a home enterprise.

ORR'S BAKERY

BE FAIR WITH YOUR CAR

If you expect your car to perform for you with the same vim, energy and smoothness as it did when it was new, you must give it the best attention.

The biggest item of attention that you can give your car is the care with which you select your filling station. When you trade here you may rest assured that nothing but the right kind of product, and the best in its class, will get into your car.

We help look after the other little items too, that mean so much to the smooth operation of your car.

JOHNSON SERVICE STATION

Hot and Cold Baths First Class Shines

The City Shaving Parlor

An Up-to-Date Shop In Every Particular

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Prop.

FARM LOANS

UNLIMITED FUNDS • LOW RATES • BEST TERMS

PROMPT SERVICE

GILLILAND, GOSE & CO.

221 MERCER ST., QUANAH, TEX.

We will soon be in our new location on the north side of the square.

BRUCE BARBER SHOP

West end of Bank of Crowell Bldg.

Don't Forget To Renew Your Paper!

The Foard County News

T. B. KLEPPER, Editor and Owner
MACK BOSWELL, Asst. Editor

Entered at the Post Office at
Crowell, Texas, as second class mat-
ter.

Crowell, Texas, January, 17, 1929

GREAT POSSIBILITIES

Advertising has a great public mis-
sion to perform, declared Frank
Braucher, advertising director of the
Crowell Publishing Company, in a re-
cent address. The more it fulfills
this task, he added, the more service-
able it is to the advertiser and the
more ideally it is from the viewpoint
of the publisher.

The possibilities of advertising, to
quote Mr. Braucher's own words, are
so great that with its steady develop-
ment it takes on constantly new signifi-
cance. Within the memory of many
newspaper readers, the view-
point of the advertiser toward his ad-
vertising has progressed from the
mere announcement stage to the
highly developed appeals of today.

The advertiser, knowing the stability
which good advertising has given to
his business, is not surprised to see
a reflection of this stability in his
credit relations. Indeed, the
study which bankers are giving to
advertising furnishes the advertiser
this new point of view toward his ad-
vertising space.

New advertising to the advertiser
is usually a purely commercial propo-
sition, the success or failure of
which is reckoned in terms of dollars
and cents. The final test is the ques-
tion, "Did it pay?" But strangely
enough, the answer cannot always be
found in the auditor's books. For
advertising is not a force by itself. It
is and must be, as Mr. Braucher so
wisely points out, a part of something
else. It is tied up with a hundred
things—distribution, trade condi-
tions, trade practice, competition,
sales management, price, dealer and
distributor relations, production, raw
materials, and so on.

The point is, that the manifold
uses and profits of good advertising
are only just beginning to be appre-
ciated. It has become a part of
every business, as essential as sales-
men or factories.

E. V. HALBERT HURT

E. V. Halbert received an injury
to his back Sunday when he slipped
on the ice at his farm near Foard
City. He was unable to attend the
sessions of the commissioners court
this week. He is commissioner from
Precinct 3.

NEWS HAS MANY
NEW READERS
FOR THIS YEAR

February 1st Is Last Day for
Bargain Rates; Renew
Your Paper Now

Without any special campaign be-
ing made for new subscriptions, the
Foard County News has gained one
hundred and four brand new sub-
scribers the past few months. Around
ninety per cent of this number are
people living in Foard County. All
have subscribed on their own accord
without any special solicitation from
members of the News staff.

One hundred and four new sub-
scribers means at least five hundred
new readers for the News. New sub-
scribers are coming in each day and
before the bargain rates are up on
February 1st, the News expects to
have many more new readers.

Naturally the weather of the past
ten days has caused renewals and
new subscribers to come in rather
slowly. New subscribers and renewals
since the News went to press last
week are: T. F. Welch, Foard City;
Mrs. Adis A. Claxton, Abilene; Mrs.
D. P. Beaty, Wichita Falls; D. C.
Greer, city; M. A. Huckabee, route
1; A. W. Lilly, city; C. L. Cavin, Mar-
garet; C. E. Blevins, Foard City; C.
C. Joy, route 1; Vernon Pyle, route
2; W. T. Gorrell, city; Roy Banks,
Royse City, Texas; Max Miller, Chil-
dress; Jessie Gamble, Thalia; Tom
Abston, Thalia; J. G. Thompson,
route 2; H. N. Thompson, Levelland;
Mrs. M. B. Thompson, Plano; Mrs.
Tage Holberg, Puane, Maui, Hawaii;
Alexander Anderson, Papaikou, Haw-
waii; J. M. Hendrix, Foard City.

W. J. Gover, route 1; R. B. Lilly,
Foard City; C. D. Mullins, route 1;
Jack Norman, route 1; C. C. Martin,
route 1; S. B. Middlebrook, Jr., Mar-
garet; Houston White, Margaret;
Mrs. J. H. Westbrook, Truscott; J.
W. Jonas, city; J. W. Curtis, route 1;
F. A. Trawick, Foard City; Charles
Ferguson, Wilmore, Kentucky; Gor-
don Cooper, city; W. C. McKown,
city; Leslie McAdams, city; W. A.
Wheeler, Austin; Mrs. J. W. Hukill,
Littlefield.

February 1st is the last day the
bargain rate of \$1.50 may be secured.
After that day the rate will go back
to \$2.00. Bargain rates are still in
force on other papers that may be
combined with the Foard County
News at still greater savings.

A number of states have officially
named a state bird, similar to the
more widely known project of nam-
ing a state flower.

Political Announcements

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

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

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

For County and District Clerk:
GRADY MAGEE.

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

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

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:
E. F. HENRY.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
QUEER MILLER (Re-election)

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

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

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

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. F. THOMSON (Re-election)

For District Attorney:
JESSE OWENS

CROWELL WINS
9TH STRAIGHT
FROM KIRKLAND

Wildcats Score 157 Points in
Last Three Games to
Opponents 54

Kirkland went down to defeat be-
fore the Crowell Wildcats Wednes-
day night at the gymnasium here by
the lopsided score of 58 to 14. In
Crowell's last three games the Wild-
cats have scored 157 points or an
average of better than fifty points to
the game. These last three games
have been against Quanah, Paducah
and Kirkland. Crowell's game against
Vernon last Saturday was called off
due to the weather.

In spite of the cold weather Wed-
nesday a fairly good crowd was out
for the Kirkland game. The cold
drive naturally handicapped the Kir-
kland boys. A few members of their
team were unable to make the trip
due to sickness, according to their
coach. Bill Middleton of Crowell
was also out of the game on account
of sickness. This was Crowell's 9th
straight victory.

Easy Victory
Crowell was the complete master of
the game from the very start. Due
to the absence of Middleton and Rag-
sdale Lanier, who recently injured his
knee, both being forwards, John
Todd was shifted from his old posi-
tion as standing guard to forward.
He performed very creditably in this
new position and Ernest Patton did
well at Todd's former position.

Guy Todd got away to a flying
start in the first quarter, scoring
eight of Crowell's 17 points. Kir-
kland scored 4 points in this period.
Kirkland failed to score in the second
quarter and the half ended with the
score of 32 to 4.

With the exception of John Todd,
a new team was sent in for the third
quarter which ended with the score
of 40 to 9. Coach Grady Graves
sent a few of the first team men back
in for the last quarter and Crowell
scored eighteen points as a result.

Ernest Spears broke loose to score
eight points in this period which gave
him seventeen for the game, making
him high point man for the game. Guy
Todd followed with fourteen points.
Ralph Burrow scored six points for
Crowell in the last quarter. White
and Terrell were the outstanding
players for Kirkland.

Kirkland has made an impressive
record so far this year and is usually
one of the strongest teams in this
district.

The Line-up

CROWELL	KIRKLAND
J. Todd	Derrington
Spears	F Terrell
Burrow	F East
G. Todd	C Hardin
Patton	G White

Substitutions: Crowell— I. Wozencraft for Burrow; Lanier for Patton; M. Wozencraft for G. Todd; Hinds for Spears; Burrow for I. Wozencraft for Lanier; Spears for Hinds; G. Todd for Wozencraft, Kirkland— Taylor for East; East for Hardin.
Referee—Haskell Norman.

Second Game
In the second game of the evening
a team of Crowell players defeated
Margaret High School 27 to 24. The
game ended in a tie, 24 to 24, and
an extra five minutes was played in
which Crowell scored 3 points to win
the contest.

It takes a long time for a man to
save up enough money to buy a
block of stock but when the Wall
Street boys shake the bushes it does
not take him long to hit the ground.

Poor hunters always take a few
dogs for an alibi when they come
home with an empty bag.

Home is not what it used to be be-
cause it gets lonesome staying alone
so much.

The man who looks 1930 in the eye
with no debts behind him is sitting
pretty.

Turquoise mines are generally in
dry and barren regions.



The Modern Home Needs
this HARDWARE

The hardware store furnishes many needful items to make the home more attrac-
tive and comfortable.

- One gallon can Texaco Liquid Wax Dressing \$1.00
- O'Cedar oil bottles 60c, cans \$1.25
- Absorbant dust cloths (for furniture, cars, etc.) 50c
- Johnson's Floor Wax (liquid and paste) 75c to \$1.45
- Nail hammers, full size 55c
- Genuine Burns bread knife 60c
- Butcher knives (reliable makes) 30c to \$1.35
- Garbage pails, with close fitting lids, galvanized 85c
- Meat saw, 18-inch removable blade \$1.85
- Food choppers, Diamond Edge, four plates, easy cutting \$1.95
- O'Cedar mops \$1.00
- Shino dust mops \$1.25
- Mop handles (for rag mops) 20c
- Linen water mops 50c
- Pliers 30c

Bring this ad to our store and get
a plate FREE!
Not good after February 1

M. S. Henry & Company

EVERYTHING FOR THE FARM AND HOME
Hardware, Furniture, Implements
Plumbing and Sheet Metal

COUNTRY CLUB
ELECTS HANEY
AS PRESIDENT

J. R. Beverly and H. K. Edwards
Retire as Officers After
Two Years Service

Officers and directors of the
Springlake Country Club were elected
at a general meeting of this body Fri-
day night at the court house with
about forty members present in spite
of inclement weather conditions.

The following directors were elec-
ted for 1930: R. R. Magee, Fred Ren-
nels, T. S. Haney, Leo Spencer, W.
R. Womack, Grady Magee, H. E.
Ferguson, Sam Rosenthal and T. B.
Klepper.

Following the general meeting the
directors met and elected T. S. Haney
as president and R. R. Magee as sec-
retary-treasurer. Mr. Haney suc-
ceeds J. R. Beverly and Mr. Magee
succeeds H. K. Edwards, these two
men having served in their respective
positions since the club was organized
two years ago.

Committees Appointed
The club directors met in a special

meeting Monday afternoon at which
time W. R. Womack was elected vice-
president.

An executive committee composed
of Fred Rennels, chairman; L. A. An-
drews and R. R. Magee was appoint-
ed by the president. This committee
in turn appointed the following com-
mittees for 1930: Entertainment—
T. B. Klepper, chairman; Geo. D.
Self, and N. J. Roberts; Golf and
Grounds—Sam Rosenthal, chairman;
R. D. Oswald and G. G. Crews; Lake
—Grady Magee, chairman; J. R. Bev-
erly and W. R. Womack.

The appointment of Frank Kirk-
man as the keeper of the country
club was ratified at the directors
meeting. He succeeds C. E. Murray
who resigned a few weeks ago.

FIGHTING ARSON

Appreciable progress has been
made in recent years in the war
against arson, according to the Na-
tional Board of Fire Underwriters.
In 2 states stricter laws have been
adopted with heavier penalties in-
flicted on offenders. Public opinion,
realizing that arson is one of the
most despicable of crimes, is at last
making itself felt.

In 1928, there were 549 arrests for
arson, and 274 convictions. Of our
annual half-billion-dollar fire loss,
\$200,000,000 is attributable to un-
known causes. Much of this total
results from incendiarism.

The crime of arson, always asso-

ciated with greed or revenge, is a
blot on civilization. It must be
checked if the homes, industries,
lives of our citizens are to be
guarded, for every arsonist is a
derider or a potential murderer.

The fact that law enforces
authorities are alive to the ser-
iousness of this crime and that
actions last year totaled 50 per cent
of the arrests shows that greater
of punishment for arson is
secured than in most criminal
double efforts.

The war on arson is of bene-
fit every person and the public must
operate if complete success is to
ultimately attained.

Out of 140 persons who have
received Nobel prizes, six have
women.

Gypsies wander at times to
tries as remote as Iceland and
Australia.

The month averaging the high
temperature in the United States
July.

In some big department stores
labor turnover amounts to 100
cent a year.

Most people can lose weight
they are not so careless about
it on.



ANNOUNCING

—that the M System Grocery has changed
hands and that Charlie Thompson and Dow
Miller are the new owners and operators of
this grocery.

We pledge ourselves to keep up that high
standard of service that has been characteristic
of this grocery under its former management
and will greatly appreciate your consideration
and patronage of us.

We shall make it the policy of this store to
give only the best food at the most economical
prices and will always consider our customer's
full satisfaction as our most important asset.

M System

CHARLIE THOMPSON DOW MILLER
QUICK DELIVERY PHONE 148

They Are Here!

A carload of the New WILLYS Sixes and
WHIPPET Fours has just arrived.

4-DOOR SEDANS

COACHES

SPORT COUPES

By All Means Look
These Cars Over

Whippet - Knight Auto Company



TO HELP A MAN

—help him while he is a boy. If you wish to do something that will be of real value to your boy, teach him the value of thrift. Help him to work out a systematic method of saving his money.

THE BANK OF CROWELL

For Sale—Good combination wood and coal heater, \$10.00.—C. V. Allen.

First quality merchandise offered here.—Womack Bros.

For Sale—Good used piano .Good terms given.—Allen Chevrolet Co.

Three quart white pitcher, 49c, Saturday and Monday.—M. S. Henry & Co.

County Head Light Test Station, No. 2, now ready to serve you.—Ivie's Station.

For Rent—Five-room modern house, furnished or unfurnished. Phone 205.—O. O. Hollingsworth.

We need oil stoves, heaters, cook stoves, bedsteads and springs, as trade in on mattress work.—Ketchersid Furniture Co.

N. J. Roberts left Sunday on a business trip to Fort Worth. He will also visit his brother, John Roberts, while in Fort Worth.

George Allison and B. F. Ivie attended a meeting of representatives of the Continental Oil Co. in Wichita Falls Tuesday night.

J. R. Beverly left Sunday on a business trip to Chandler, Texas. He will return about Monday by way of Mineral Wells to bring his wife home with him.

All kinds of electrical repairing, irons, curling irons, vacuum cleaners, floor lamps, motors, etc. All work guaranteed.—Valton Wallace at Wallace Shop. 30p

H. W. Smith and wife returned to Crowell Wednesday after a tour of a few weeks over West Texas and New Mexico. Mr. Smith reports things very quiet where he has been.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith of Floydada, former residents of the county, passed through Crowell Saturday enroute to Dallas where Mr. Smith was to enter the hospital for a surgical operation.

E. J. Smith and family have recently moved to Rule where Mr. Smith put in a laundry. Prospects for a good home laundry for Rule are very promising and Mr. Smith is well pleased with his new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Couch of Level-land spent the latter part of last week in Crowell. They had also visited relatives at other points in this section of the state. Mr. and Mrs. Couch have been living in Levelland for more than a year and are well pleased with that country.

Miss Emily Purcell is making a visit with her nephew, Allen Vannoy, of McAllen. On her way to McAllen she visited for a short time with a friend in Waco. While the folks at home are wading around in the snow and ice Miss Emily is enjoying the sunshine of Southern Texas.

A. B. Robertson, W. F. Craddock and a Mr. Hollingsworth of Ralls spent Thursday night of last week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Osborn. They were enroute home from Dallas and on account of bad roads had only come from Alvord that day. Mr. Robertson was Sunday School superintendent and Mr. Craddock was chairman of the Board of Stewards at Ralls during the pastorate of Rev. Osborn at that place, and the visit of these gentlemen was greatly enjoyed by Rev. and Mrs. Osborn.

J. W. HUKILL WRITES

J. W. Hukill, who lives near Littlefield enclosed a check for his renewal to the Foard County News along with a letter. He stated that he had made 102 bales of cotton from 135 acres this year and that he also made a fine feed crop.

He reported an excellent snow in that section and reported that prospects were excellent for bumper crops next year.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We have sold your stock of groceries to Dow Miller and Charles Thompson who will continue to operate a grocery business in the same place. We are glad we can say that our successors are honest and dependable citizens. These facts you are, no doubt, familiar with as they are not strangers among us.

We beg of you, each and every one of our customers, to continue to patronize the M System where you will get quality groceries at honest prices. J. H. Lanier, Jr. has accepted a position with the new firm and will be disappointed if you fail to make the M System your headquarters while in town and to supply your table with groceries from the M Store.

Now, before we close this announcement we want to pause long enough to say to you, our customers, that we have enjoyed immensely the splendid patronage you have given us and the many good things you have said about our store and in return for these things we have done our best to be fair and honest in our dealings with you and we trust you have found us that way. Again thanking you for your patronage and trusting that you will continue to buy your groceries from the new firm.

M System.
J. H. LANIER AND SONS,
Proprietors.

Both tea and coffee were introduced into northern Europe in the seventeenth century.

Girl's boarding schools are supplanting the private governess system in England.

No one in France may cultivate tobacco without official authorization.

The colors of the rainbow depend on the size of the drops that make the bow.

Several good work mules for sale.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale—Good used piano. Good terms given.—Allen Chevrolet Co.

County Head Light Test Station, No. 2, now ready to serve you.—Ivie's Station.

Special for Saturday and Monday, three quart white pitcher, 49c.—M. S. Henry & Co.

When your stamp book is properly filled we will pay you \$1.00 cash for it.—Womack Bros.

Marcel—50c; Finger Waves—50c; Shampoos—50c.—Phone 338, Frankie Pennington, at hospital.

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.

NOTICE

I am still in the market for fat hogs and cows. I am doing my own buying now as Mr. Sellers is no longer with this firm.

N. ZAHN,
Sanitary Market and Grocery.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to C. T. Schalagal, Mayor of Crowell, Texas, for the improvement of certain streets in Crowell, Texas, will be received until 8:00 p. m. February 7, 1930, and then publicly opened and read.

Description of work to be done: Work consists of concrete paving with concrete curbs and gutters with the following approximate quantities: 22,400 square yards concrete paving; 468 cubic yards earth excavation; 3250 linear feet combined curb and gutter.

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

A certified or cashier's check in the amount of 5% of the amount bid, made to the order of C. T. Schalagal, Mayor of Crowell, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into contract and make bond in accordance with the terms of the specifications.

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

A record-breaking wind travelling about 140 miles an hour was recorded at Mt. Washington, N. H., in 1878.

The world's oldest turquoise mines are in the Sinai peninsula.

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GLYNN SHULTS,
DEALER

O. O. Hollingsworth

Plumbing and Metal Work
Repair Work a Specialty
Phone 205

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T. B. Richmond, Jr.
All Kinds—Any Kind of Old Line Insurance

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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.

Father, Mother, Read This!

1. Do you know the Mutual Protective Life Association is the only home insurance company in our territory that is insuring children, ages 2-16 years.
2. We have almost one-half million dollars insurance in force in this age (2-16). We have put this on in less than twelve months. We have had only one death in this class. Our goal for this year is one million dollars in force in Class C.
3. You can insure five children in this age for the sum of \$10.00 or \$2.00 each.
4. Why not insure your children with a home company where your money stays at home. See one of our agents or come to the office and get a policy on your children. New members are being added daily.
L. A. FOSTER, Sec.-Treas.
Crowell, Central Office
at Ferguson Bros.

Humming Bird Hose



The new shades are duskee, woodtone, sable, muskadine, for spring, in the light sheer chiffon for only

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Newspaper Advertisers' Service! We were thinking of YOU when we acquired the rights to this matrix service, which brings to you GRATIS every month accurate illustrations, striking layouts and pungent copy created to augment YOUR Sales. Let the Stanton Service sell more goods for you through newspaper space!

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The Foard County News



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THE FIRST STATE BANK

LOCALS and Personals

PHONES 43 AND 163

Edison light bulbs.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale—Two good jersey milch cows.—R. W. Bell.

You must get your stamps at time of purchase.—Womack Bros.

K. H. Jones, attorney of Fort Worth, was in Crowell this week on business.

Have you read our Profit Sharing Trading Stamp advertisement? Read it now.—Womack Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fox left Wednesday for McKinney, where they will make their future home. Mr. Fox will be proprietor of a cafe in that city.

Victor steel traps, all sizes.—M. S. Henry & Co.

For Sale—Two good jersey milch cows.—R. W. Bell.

For Sale—Good combination wood and coal heater, \$10.00.—C. V. Allen.

The first cash purchase with us gets a book. Paste your stamps in it.—Womack Bros.

Call for Mrs. Drabek's butter at Haney-Rasor's and the M System. Every pound guaranteed. 30p

L. A. French, of the Panhandle Refining Company of Wichita Falls, was a business visitor in Crowell Monday.

The best merchandise at lowest prices and profit sharing stamps given extra for your cash purchases.—Womack Bros.

In a letter to his parents this week, Allen Cogdell stated that upon his return to Dallas last week he passed thirty automobiles, twenty trucks and five buses between Bowie and Dallas that had overturned on the icy highways.

GENERAL INSURANCE FIRE, TORNADO and HAIL

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Office P. O. Bldg.



You can secure our wonderful prescription service day or night. Only the purest drugs obtainable are used in the compounding of prescriptions filled by us.

FOR THAT STUBBORN COUGH

—let us suggest "Reeder's Mentholated Pine Tar and Honey" cough syrup. An unusual formula containing the healing influence of menthol and eucalyptus combined with the recognized tonic and strengthening qualities of extract of cod liver in pulmonary affections.

PRICE 50c

With this syrup we recommend Reeder's Cold Capsules.



REEDER DRUG COMPANY

"In the Lead—with Only the Best"

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League
Phone 27

KNOW TEXAS

Texas has 1,431,152 scholastics enrolled in her public school system.

Texas granite is being used in the \$15,000,000 Edison Building and the \$1,500,000 Roosevelt Memorial in New York.

A huge live oak, 26 1/2 feet in girth and with a spread of 100 feet, is believed to be the largest tree in Texas. It is in Real County.

The Waggoner Ranch in Wilbarger, Archer, Wichita, Baylor, Foard and Knox Counties contains 512,000 acres or more than 800 square miles—approximately two-thirds as large as Rhode Island and one-third as large as Delaware.

The great majority of farmers in Algeria still use crooked sticks for plows, after the fashion of farmers in ancient times.

CHURCHES

Christian Science

Sunday, 11 A. M. Subject for Sunday, January 19, 1930, "Life." Sunday School at 9:30. Wednesday evening service at 8:00. The public is cordially invited.

Christian Church

The snow is fine and we have needed it very much. But let's not let it keep us away from Sunday School and Church more than one Sunday. Sunday School at 9:45, morning worship at 11 o'clock, the subject being "Hearing and Understanding." Night Service at 7:15, the subject being "The Fearful Consequences of Sin." Christian Endeavor meets at the Christian Church at 6:00. We welcome you all.

JOHN G. CLARK.

Christian Endeavor

Shall We Abolish or Expand Missionaries? Why? Leader—Vera Patton. What Have Missionaries Brought About—Lela Patton. Ways in Which Every Christian can Share this Work—Mrs. Grady Walker. General Discussion—Teddy Burrow.

Hi-League Program

Subject—What Is the Mission of the Church and How is it Going to be Accomplished? Leader—Harold Hinds. Scripture—Rev. 1:4-6; Acts 13:1-4; 20:28. What is the Church—Bernice Collins.

Singing Class Begins At Claytonville

A singing class has been organized at Claytonville and in the future will hold meetings every first and third Sundays of the month. The next meeting of the class will be held this Sunday, immediately following Sunday School which begins at about 2 p. m. in the Claytonville school house. Much interest has been shown in the singing class and the public is cordially invited to take a part in its activities. Officers of the class have been elected as follows: Alton Beggs, president; Miss Mattie Polk, vice-president; and Mrs. L. L. Vessels, secretary. Mr. Beggs urges all to attend the services of the singing class and to bring their song books with them.

THE NEW SPIRIT

The electric light and power industry is an outstanding example of what might be called the new industrial spirit. It has divorced itself from faults, real or imaginary, which, 20 years ago, were believed an integral part of corporate business. Today it is interested in service as well as profits. It believes that profits should be made by increasing volume and lowering rates, under the theory of mass production. It labors steadfastly in the public interest.

The electric industry is not a philanthropic enterprise. It has millions of employees and stockholders who must receive good wages and fair dividends. But it has found that good business is public spirited business. It has found that if it is to do what is good for itself it must likewise do what is good for the people.

Today great electric companies, far from trying to charge exorbitant rates, make voluntary rate reductions a matter of policy when conditions warrant. They are constantly improving standards of service through the application of science and good management. They are leading toward a time when every American business, home and farm will have good electric service at a low cost.

Denunciations of the industry cannot cloud facts. All one needs to do is to think back 10 or 20 years to the time when electricity was provided by small local plants. Think of the standards and the rate structure, then and now. It is not shallow flattery to say the electric industry has made amazing progress under private control—it is a most obvious fact.

INSURANCE MAKES PROGRESS POSSIBLE

No factor of our industrial civilization plays a more important part in the lives of our citizens than insurance. It is not only an integral part of our progress; it makes progress and achievement possible.

The automobile on the highway; the ships crossing the ocean; the new skyscraper towering into the clouds; the freight train carrying commodities from producer to consumer—insurance is a vital necessity in all of these activities. Without protection against accident, fire or loss, no one could take the tremendous risks of building, employing labor, or operating factories. Because of the safeguard provided by insurance man may function to the limit of his abilities, unafraid of ruin or irremediable loss due to circumstances outside of his control.

Reindeer meat differs little from beef or veal of the same grade, but in general contains less fat and a little more protein.

America's death toll of fighters in the World War in two years was 37,000; 96,000 Americans were killed in accidents in 1928.

The Chinese government is attempting to popularize the use of Mandarin as the official language of China.

Of the 30,000 miles of airways in the United States, more than 10,000 are now lighted for night flying.

November Important in Our Nation's History

November in America. Erroneously supposed to be month of first Thanksgiving after harvesting first crop in Plymouth colony. It was a month earlier that the Pilgrims, as Mr. Choate remarked, "first fell upon their knees and then upon the aborigines." Or maybe it wasn't Choate.

Connecticut settled, 1635. Pirate "Blackbeard" captured, 1718. British took Detroit, 1760. Stamp act became law, 1765, and American Revolution became inevitable. Americans captured Montreal, 1775. Continental army disbanded, 1783. Congress met in new capitol building, 1800. Pike's peak discovered, 1806, and it was 123 years before a man rolled a peanut up with his nose. Battle of Tippecanoe, 1811.

Jefferson Davis elected President of the Confederacy, 1861. In the same year United States warship San Jacinto held up British merchantman Trent and took off Mason and Slidell, Confederate envoys. In those days Britain was strong for freedom of the seas, made strong protest and the two envoys were delivered to England, but never officially received as such. Gatling gun invented, 1862. Great fire of Boston, 1872. Chinese exclusion act, 1892. World war armistice, 1918.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Englishman First to Utilize Water Filter

An event which deserves to be remembered as one of the great milestones in the progress of public health, according to the New York Department of Health, occurred a century ago. James Simpson, engineer of the Chelsea Water company, constructed at London, in 1829, the first filter for a public water supply. The purification of water supplies, probably the most valuable single measure ever developed for the protection of health, has been the chief factor in the great reduction in typhoid in the United States, and its general adoption throughout the world has saved many thousands of lives.

In 1829 the germ theory of disease was still unknown and Simpson's filter was built to perform the office of a mechanical strainer for the purpose of removing turbidity from the water. This filter is still in service and is doing work of a nature far exceeding the purpose for which it was intended.

Baraca Bible Classes

"Baraca," pronounced "ber-a-ka" with the accent on the first syllable, is the name of an international organization of young men's Sunday school classes, the first of which was organized at Syracuse, N. Y., in 1890. Baraca Bible classes, consisting of thousands of local groups, now exist in many different religious denominations. The name is derived from a Hebrew word meaning blessing. In a different form it appears as a proper name in I Chronicles 12:3, and also II Chronicles 20:26, which reads: "And on the fourth day they assembled themselves in the valley of Berachah; for there they blessed the Lord; therefore, the name of the same place was called, the Valley of Berachah, unto this day."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Famous Canadian Cathedral

Canada's oldest Anglican cathedral is Holy Trinity, in the city of Quebec, due to the efforts of the first Anglican bishop in Quebec, Dr. Jacob Mountain. It was the second Anglican cathedral to be built after the Reformation, the first being St. Paul's, London. The Quebec structure, the corner stone of which was laid in 1800, is a reproduction in part of St. Martin-in-the-Fields of London. The solid silver communion plate in Holy Trinity was the gift of George III. Holy Trinity was also the first church in Canada to have a surpliced choir. The church is one of the most interesting ecclesiastical landmarks in the ancient capital.

One-Way Telephone

One-way streets have become a familiar feature of American cities and towns, but in Japan there is what might be termed a "one-way" telephone line.

This line was installed recently in the interior palace at Tokyo for the use of his majesty, the emperor of Japan. The emperor can use this telephone line in calling up his ministers of state and in keeping in touch with outside affairs, but it is so arranged that it operates only when the transmitter is lifted, with the result that while outgoing calls can be handled, no incoming calls can be received.

His Patience Gave Way

Old Bill Holcomb, the town's leading character, had gone into the barber shop for a shave. At every stroke the tonsorial artist was asking: "Does it hurt? Is the razor all right?" But after 10 minutes Old Bill lost his patience. Upon the barber's next query of: "Does it hurt?" he yelled: "Hell's bells no! Is it supposed to?"—New York Central Magazine.

Teacher's Fault

A lady came to call and as mother was not quite ready to see callers Billy was sent down to talk with her until mother was ready. "How old are you?" asked the lady. "Nine," said Billy. "And what grade are you in at school?" "The second," said Billy, "but it's the teacher's fault."

Manufacturing and Sales Plans Made By Chevrolet Co.

Detroit, Mich.—Following the announcement seven days ago of the improved 1930 Chevrolet Six at greatly reduced prices, the Chevrolet Motor Company last week launched manufacturing and sales activities designed to meet the requirements of what promises to be another record year for the public acceptance of six cylinder automobiles.

Factory officials expressed themselves as highly gratified over the reception of the new Chevrolet Six at the New York National Automobile Show last week. Thousands of orders and hundreds of congratulatory letters from the nationwide Chevrolet dealer organization told something of the success with which the new product is meeting across the United States.

Meanwhile, so that the thousands of orders already on hand may be taken care of with a minimum of delay, the 16 giant Chevrolet plants are speeding toward capacity operation with all the haste consistent with Chevrolet's precision manufacturing methods. Employment at the Chevrolet factories is at the highest January level in the history of the company with many of the plants maintaining two shifts.

At the same time the sales division under the direction of H. J. Kingler, vice-president and general sales manager, sounded the formal opening gun of the nationwide sales campaign, Wednesday, January 8, at a mammoth Chevrolet dealer meeting in New York City. Two thousand dealers from various parts of the Atlantic seaboard heard the Chevrolet sales chief outline the company's plans for the year.

JAILING THE SPONSORS OF THE TELEPHONE

Sixty years ago a Boston newspaper published an article commending the police for arresting a person who had attempted to "exhort funds from ignorant and superstitious people by exhibiting a device which he says will convey the human voice any distance over metallic wires so that it will be heard by the listener at the other end."

Today the telephone is essential in almost every business and social contact.

A thornless blackberry and a thornless dewberry are being raised successfully in some parts of the south.

'Home Tanning' is a bulletin issued by the department of Agriculture, and in most homes it is a lost art.

There are still some people in the United States who think that the farmer lives off the fat of the land.

Industrial alcohol has more than 400 uses.

TAXING THE UNMARRIED

Awoebegone bachelor in London, England, has raised a point in connection with a proposed tax on unmarried men which deserves consideration. In a letter to a newspaper he contended that if any taxing is to be done spinsters should be forced to share the burden.

He has asked ten women to marry him, he wrote, and was cold-shouldered by each. "There never before have been so many women who refuse the responsibilities of marriage," he concluded. "At all other periods of history, spinster-hood was a disgrace. Today women boast about it."

An element of comedy may be found in the London bachelor's letter, but it contains at the same time some important truths. Some married men and many unmarried women take the view that every bachelor is a slicker avoiding marital responsibility.

This is unfair; many bachelors are not that way by choice. Justice is entirely lacking in a scheme to penalize unmarried men while exempting unmarried women. As the London protestant points out we now have spinsters who feel that husbands would interfere with their careers.

In this age when the business woman is in the ascendancy the term "old maid" has become almost obsolete. At one time, not so long ago the woman who purposely side-stepped marriage was considered somewhat abnormal. Today, however, many young women are embarked on or preparing for careers in which marriage has no part. It follows naturally, that each of them is creating a male bachelor.

If things go on at the present rate the unmarried man may eventually become the theme of jokes similar to those woven around "old maids" twenty years ago.

SHOES REPAIRED

Bring your shoe repairing to us for good service. Done while you wait.

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WM. CAMERON CO., INC.

BUILDING MATERIAL

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I have you seen the sensational new CHEVROLET

SIX

Those who seek the utmost in motoring satisfaction—at sensationally low prices—should see and drive the Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History . . . now on display in our showrooms!

An improved 50-horsepower six-cylinder engine! Four Delco-Looney hydraulic shock absorbers! Fully-enclosed, internal-expanding, weather-proof brakes!

Heavier and stronger rear axle! New non-glare windshield! New dash gasoline gauge! And scores of other new features!

Come in today and see this car. Drive it. Note how comfortable it is—how easy to handle—how flexible in traffic. And remember that it is now available—

--at greatly reduced prices!

The ROADSTER	\$495	The CLUB SEDAN	\$625
The PHAETON	\$495	The SEDAN	\$675
The SPORT ROADSTER	\$525	The SEDAN DELIVERY	\$595
The COACH	\$565	The Light Delivery chassis	\$365
The COUPE	\$565	1 1/2 TON CHASSIS	\$520
The SPORT COUPE	\$625	1 1/2 Ton Chassis with cab	\$625

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CROWELL, TEXAS

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Classified Ads

PHONE 43

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

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

FOR RENT—Two modern bed rooms. Call 327.

FOR RENT—Business house. See B. F. Ringgold at Variety Store. 31

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 room house and bath, also Lot 4, Block 65.—A. J. Francis. 31

STRAYED—Brown heifer yearling, no marks. \$5.00 reward.—C. V. Ketchersid, 3 miles north of town, or see me at second hand store.

FOR SALE—Plenty of good wood. See or call Roy Fox.

FOR SALE—New double door safe at half price. Write W. Dee Nelson, Wichita Falls. 32

PLACE WANTED—A good and experienced old man wants a good place to live and raise poultry on shares. Please write C. D. Lindsey, route 2, Crowell, Texas, in care of C. A. Castleberry. 30

MAN WANTED, well acquainted, reliable, energetic, no investment. No experience—just your time. Big earnings. Free outfit.—Beard Paint Co., Dept. 1, Kansas City, Mo. 30p

FOR SALE—Four fresh Jersey milk cows.—Roy Steele. 31p

LOST—Small coin purse. Contains \$11.15, three bills and change. Lost last Thursday. Return to News office for reward.

ATTENTION! Do not forget that we are going to sell White Leghorn baby chicks this season. Will start the incubators Jan. 27. Can deliver chicks any week after Feb. 16th. Let us have your order now.—Henry Hlavaty, Thalia, Texas. 32p

RELIABLE MAN wanted to sell Watkins Products to established customers in Foard County. Only small capital and suitable car necessary. Liberal credit extended to those who qualify. Write Rural Sales Department, The J. R. Watkins Company, Box 2447, Memphis, Tennessee. 31

FOR SALE—Good 200-egg Safety Hatch incubator, \$10.—J. W. Klepper.

NOTICE

We are in the market for several thousand Rhode Island Red and Banded Rock hatching eggs. Will contract for what you have from now until May 1st. Write us just what you have and how many you can furnish each week.

Crowell Chick Hatchery Crowell, Texas

USED CARS FOR SALE



29 A Fordor Ford	\$550
29 A Tudor Ford	\$485
28 A Tudor Ford	\$450
28 A Coupe Ford	\$425
29 A Roadster Ford	\$425
28 Chevrolet Coach	\$425
29 A Touring Ford	\$335
27 T Fordor Ford	\$175
26 T Tudor Ford	\$150
27 T Coupe Ford	\$200
27 T Coupe Ford	\$150

SELF MOTOR CO. You Can Afford a Good Used Ford A. W. Lilly, Salesman

TARVER'S MATTRESS FACTORY I am in the mattress-making business again and will appreciate all work given me. Work guaranteed.—W. B. Tarver, northwest of water tower. 27

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Texas Book Shelf
By Phoebe Shawver

Fame of Sargon Spreading Over the Entire World

People of This Country Sending Famous Medicine to Relatives and Friends in England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Canal Zone, Norway, Sweden, Cuba and Many Other Distant Lands.

If you had found a medicine that was of such benefit to you that you would go to the trouble of sending it to relatives and friends in distant countries, you would have to be convinced in your own mind that it possessed real merit, wouldn't you?

That's just what thousands of people throughout the United States have been doing with Sargon. From all over America and wherever Sargon has been introduced, thousands of letters have been received from grateful users telling of the gratifying results that have been accomplished by this celebrated medicine.

THOUSANDS EXPRESS GRATITUDE

On November 23rd, a letter dated November 23rd, was received at the Sargon offices advising that in one week one drug firm alone had received orders for Sargon to be shipped to Cavite, Philippine Islands; Coca-Solo, Canal Zone; Belebroom, Ireland; and Paris, France.

Only recently a well-known resident of Denver, Colorado, who had been restored to health by Sargon, sent a full treatment to London, England, to his sister, who is the wife of an executive of one of the greatest retail drug firms in the British Empire.

During the past month there appeared in Toronto papers the statement of a well-known World War veteran whose health had been greatly impaired while in the service, who stated among other things that he owed his restoration to health to two bottles of Sargon sent him by a friend in Minneapolis.

LETTERS RECEIVED FROM THE NORTHWEST

From the Northwest, many letters of this kind have been received advising that users of Sargon are sending it to relatives back in their old countries of Norway and Sweden.

Many such letters and endorsements have been received from men of prominence, including former governors, business and professional men, mayors, state and county officials, and even Ministers of the Gospel have deemed it their duty to come forward and tell what Sargon has done for them.

These are only a few of thousands of such cases and not a day nor a week passed that does not bring hundreds of statements from the people concerning the good this medicine is doing, and reciting case after case that would convince the most skeptical.

Sargon's fame is built on actual results—not empty promises, and only those who have put it to the test know its real powers.

Sargon's aim is not mere temporary relief, but new and abundant health. No wonder it is now called the medicine with a million friends. Reeder Drug Co., Agents. (Adv.)

Quail if left to themselves will lay about twenty eggs for hatching each season; whereas if the eggs are gathered before hatching the birds will lay about sixty eggs in the season.

Some African tribes weave cloth from banana fibre, raffia, hemp, cotton, inner bark of trees and silk of wild silkworms.

HELPING TO BUILD TEXAS

Corsicana citizens voted \$400,000 for public improvements, work on which is soon to begin.

A state pecan marketing association is being organized under auspices of the West Texas Pecan Association.

Four hundred and eighty-five thousand tons of cargo were moved through Corpus Christi port in September, bringing the total since the port was opened to 8,122,332 tons.

Growth of West Texas is indicated by the fact that the West Texas Utilities Co., is serving that section, has found it necessary to construct more than 225 miles of high-lines, bringing its total mileage to 2,300 miles.

A new half-million dollar lime plant of the Haden Co. has been completed on the Houston Ship Channel and is now making 100 tons of lime from oyster shells a day. It is one of the largest lime plants in the United States and the only one using oyster shells exclusively.

With an inexhaustible supply of clays and shales, there is increasing interest in the industries using those for their basic supplies. Most of the Texas clays used go into bricks, but there are several tile factories, a new one being that at Natalie, Medina County, having been recently completed at a cost of \$145,000.

With a fast-growing interest in cheese factories in Texas, it will be of interest to note that the American dairy and cheese industry, doing a business of five billion dollars a year, far outranks the automobile industry whose total output is valued at four billions. There are nearly 3,000 cheese factories, 5,000 creameries and over 300 condenseries and evaporated milk plants in the United States, according to the National Dairy Council figures.

A pecan grove is one of the best horticultural properties a man can leave as an estate, in the opinion of President McHatton of the National Pecan Growers Association, and interest in the pecan industry, on a commercial scale, is increasing in many parts of the state. A 25-year-old pecan orchard is a more dependable income producer, as more and more Texans are finding, and the grafting, top-working and planting of new trees of improved varieties is almost amazing, looking at the state as a whole.

An interesting feature of the government's helium plant near Amarillo is the tank cars that are now being built in which to transport the gas to the aeronautical fields. Each car will carry three huge cylinders, firmly tied in pyramid shape to the cars. They will be filled under a pressure of 2,000 pounds to the square inch, and the three cylinders will transport, at this pressure, 200,000 cubic feet of gas. The cylinders are tested to 3,300 pounds of pressure before being put into service.

OUR SEASONABLE CHANGES

Every old timer will tell you that we don't have winters now like those in the old days. When the boys and girls thought a bobbed party was the last word in fun—and they were right—and when nobody thought a thing of having to go out on a below zero morning to thaw out the pump. Maybe they're right, maybe wrong.

And by the way, the old timers are often more nearly right than young folk give them credit for. However that may be, the truth is that this old earth is by no means stationary as regards climate, and there is no guarantee whatever that we and our grandchildren will experience the same kind of weather.

A case in point is the recent excavation, in a mine digging in Alaska, of the bones and section of a hide of a mastadon. The animal, scientists declare, never could have survived Alaska's present cold. It was a monstrous beast, but it thrived best in the warmth.

So, they reason, Alaska once may have been as warm as Florida is now. 'Twas a matter of years—somewhere between a quarter billion and two billion. Nature usually is slow, usually thorough. But who knows what whims may seize her? The next time you hear the story of the weather in grandfather's day, lend a respectful ear. You may have occasion to tell your grandson some day of the time when there were horses.

EXCESSIVE MODESTY

Perhaps you think there is nothing you can do for this community during the coming year. If so, you are modest—by far too modest.

First, you can improve the appearance of your own property by inaugurating a weekly "clean-up" system. You'll be surprised at the difference it will make. A few touches here and there often transform a place.

When you see your neighbor doing the same you can encourage him by complimenting him on the improvements he is making. He will feel that his work is appreciated by others and will be more disposed to continue it. Then again he may pass this spirit of fraternity along with like results in other places.

You can do much toward instilling a neighborly feeling and comradeship on the part of the people by simply extending a little of your own sunshine to those around you.

A pleasant smile on your face invariably brings another one to some other face.

How simple it would be to make an endless chain of these smiles and keep them perpetually on the move! And what a wonderful difference it would make in the home life of the community!

There is much that you and everyone can do during 1930—if you will. Modesty is commendable, but one should not carry it to excess.

The population of France is 2,200,000 less than it was in 1911.

Doesn't Need It

John Taylor, our popular forest supervisor, is going east to lecture on the problems of forestry. Most every big town is on the list except Washington, where they know too much about log-rolling already.—The Butte Daily Post.

Beats Science

There are many tests for high blood pressure, but just about the severest one of all is seeing a fellow who owes you money driving a new car.—The Louisville Times.

It Ought

A scientific society announces that death, theoretically, is not inevitable. Now it ought to get to work on taxes.—The Waterloo Tribune.

No. 551

Official Statement of Financial Condition of the **FIRST STATE BANK**, at Crowell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1929, published in the Foard County News, a newspaper printed and published at Crowell, State of Texas, on the 17th day of January, 1930.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$222,306.72
Other bonds and stocks owned	
School warrants	7,894.32
Banking House	\$11,875.00
Furniture and Fixtures	
\$7,425.00	19,300.00
Cash in bank	14,060.62
Due from approved reserve agents	73,225.17
Other Resources, Bills of Exchange on Cotton	5,665.79
Total	\$342,452.62

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus Fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, net	663.88
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check	5,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	269,561.64
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	7,227.10
Total	\$342,452.62

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 7th day of January, A. D. 1930. (Seal) LEE BLACK, Notary Public, Foard County, Tex. CORRECT—ATTEST: HINES CLARK M. F. CROWELL GUY CREWS, Directors.

THE NEXT GENERATION

The little children romping around will become men and women of another generation. They will control the destiny of this community then, as we control it now.

Community betterment is always the goal of every good citizen. It is the great lubricant which causes the wheels of enlightenment to spin noiselessly and to a purpose.

To insure a better community for the future we must begin with the children of today.

If in their childhood they are taught to differentiate between wisdom and foolishness, between the good and the bad, between right and wrong, the lessons they learn will bear golden fruit in after years, and the community we love so well will be brighter and better because of the influence they will exert upon the citizenry of their day.

Remember the little children of today, for tomorrow they will have children of their own, and the law of heredity is strong with us all.

The sun shines brightly when we

push the clouds away, but the little child has not yet learned to push.

State-wide snow surveys are being made in California to obtain information as to the amount of run-off from the snow to be expected during the dry months from April to August.

Indian medicine men were the first to use bark and leaves of the witch hazel plant to alleviate pain, a botanist says.

Yellowstone National park has an area the size of Delaware and Rhode Island combined.

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Friday and Saturday

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POTATOES, Colorado, per pk.	47c	COFFEE, M. J. B., 1-lb. bucket ..	50c
BANANAS, per lb.	7 1/2 c	COFFEE, M. J. B., 2-lb. bucket ..	98c
LETTUCE, nice large head	9c	COFFEE, M. J. B., 3-lb. bucket ..	\$1.39
HAMS, picnic style, shankless per lb.	20c	PEANUT BUTTER, 2-lb. bucket ..	41c
SLICED BACON, nice and lean, per lb.	30c	PEANUT BUTTER, 5-lb. bucket ..	79c
TOILET SOAP, Cream Oil, 4 bars	25c	BEANS, Pinto, 12 1/2 lbs.	\$1.00
TURNIP GREENS, No. 2 1/2 can ..	16c	MEAL, 24-lb, Made Rite, Cream	72c
TURNIP GREENS, No. 2 can	12c	EXTRACTS, 2-oz. bottle, any flavor	25c
LARD, 8-lb bucket, Swift Jewel, Advance	\$1.10	SALMON, Chum, tall can	14c

Fox Bros. Cash Grocery

ANNOUNCEMENT

I have purchased the interest of E. A. Fox in the Fox-Harrell Filling Station.

From now on Saturday will be the only day on which we will give road service, that is, answering calls for gasoline and fixing flats anywhere away from our station.

The Fox-Farrell Filling Station shall continue to give the highest class service possible and you may rest assured that nothing but the very best products will go into your car when you trade with us. We shall continue to operate on a strictly cash basis.

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SOCIETY

ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelpian Club met at the home of Mrs. G. D. Self Wednesday, January 8, with Miss Lottie Woods leading the lesson on the subject, "From the Sons of Ham." "The Negro of Today," and "The Scope and Status of Negro Literature," were interesting topics for discussion.

Braithwaite is the foremost negro poet in America today and is a literary critic of high standing. Mrs. W. B. Johnson gave the characteristics of their writings and read a poem from the following negro poets: Paul Dunbar, Welton Johnson and Langston Hughes.

After the lesson slips of papers were passed asking questions pertaining to State Federation News, by which partners were secured for the social hour. Lovely refreshments were served to club members and Misses Winnie Self and Gene Ballew of Seymour. Mrs. J. H. Lanier, Jr., was welcomed as a new member.—Reporter.

COLUMBIAN CLUB

Mrs. Hines Clark was hostess to members of the Columbian Club on Wednesday afternoon, January 8.

During the business session Mrs. Alton Bell was elected to the office of corresponding secretary and the following officers were re-elected: Mrs. D. B. Miller, president; Mrs. M. M. Hart, vice-president; Mrs. T. B. Klepper, recording secretary; Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin, treasurer; Mrs. J. C. Brian, critic; Mrs. N. J. Roberts, parliamentary; Mrs. Q. R. Miller and J. R. Self, members of the executive board.

Suggestions for the course of study for the 1930-31 club year made the subject of the round table discussion. Mrs. N. J. Roberts read an interesting paper on parliamentary usage.

Delicious refreshments were served to sixteen club members and two guests, Mrs. W. B. Carter and Miss Lillian Crews.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. John L. Hunter in the home of Mrs. N. J. Roberts on Wednesday, January 22.—Reporter.

Lettuce contains a feeble narcotic, which will produce heaviness and sleep if eaten in large quantities.

MRS. HENRY IS HOSTESS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Mrs. M. S. Henry was hostess to the Young Peoples Wesley Class of the Methodist Church at her home last Thursday night. Mrs. Henry is the teacher of this class.

Games of 600 were played and the New Year idea was carried out in the score cards and contests. After the games refreshments were served to about sixteen members of the class. Miss Gene Ballew of Seymour was a guest at the party.

Twenty Years Ago In The Foard County News

January 14, 1910

John S. Ray announces for tax assessor.

Luther M. Tesh, secretary of the world-wide Barca movement, spoke to a fairly large body of people at the Baptist Church Monday evening. The lecture was of a nature to greatly stimulate Sunday School work. Mr. Tesh has been on an extensive tour and is now on his way back to New York.

A lumber company styled, "The Foard City Lumber Co.," has just been formed with Messrs. B. J. Smith, F. W. Ward, E. T. Ward and S. M. Moore at the head of the company. Mr. Smith is a citizen of this county while the other gentlemen are from East Texas.

Charlie Gafford and wife have returned from their claim in New Mexico and will remain over until spring.

A number of our citizens are reported to be in the market for automobiles. The town seeing that the numbers are sure to multiply have gone to work to fix up the streets. This will encourage others to buy. Like ourselves, there are a number of citizens who were too stubborn to purchase a car until streets were put in shape.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allee left Monday afternoon for Holdenville, Ok., and from there they will go to Arkansas where Mr. Allee will sell buggies.

Messrs. Swain and Burks have purchased the old skating rink and will use it for an automobile shop.

Messrs. J. H. Self, J. W. Allison, E. W. Self, W. S. Bell, J. W. Bell, G. A. Burks, C. P. Sandifer and Dr. J. M. Hill and perhaps some whose names we failed to get, went to Dallas this week to purchase automobiles.

Fifteen Years Ago In The Foard County News

January 15, 1915

Officer Gets In Bad

The sheriff of Cottle County, who by the way was elected on the "Reform Ticket" (?), came over to Crowell Sunday to pull off a stunt in commemoration of his recent victory, it appears, and he succeeded fairly well. It is said that this great reformer (?) first loaded up to the umbellicus on fire water, and at once became rather officious, but that he was drinking was evident and but little attention was paid him or his actions, until he "budded into" a little controversy that did not concern him in the least, and in order to show what a great reformer he really was, he drew a revolver and proceeded to pommel one of our boys over the head. Quickly realizing that he had started something, he got into his car and started to leave town at a lively gait, but L. D. Campbell, sheriff of Foard County and the Sherlock Holmes of West Texas, started after the reformer (?) and overtook him within a few miles of town and brought him back. He was released on bond and was permitted to return to his home.

New Garage

Messrs. Burks and Swain let the contract this week for what will be when completed one of the finest garages in this part of the state. Messrs. McWhorter and Poland were awarded the contract.

Miss Willie Claire McKown became the wife of J. O. Billings of Quanah.

Speaking of hogs, John Bell of Wolftown killed six 12-month-old hogs from which he rendered 52 gallons of lard and 20 gallons of sausages.

A. L. Rucker, who operates a tailoring and cleaning establishment here, will open a similar business at Chillicothe. The business at that place will be in charge of Stanley Walker.

John C. Woodall of Hillsboro, has been here this week interesting our business men in the proposition of putting up a 15-ton ice plant. A mass meeting will be held at the court house Friday on the matter.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Program

Introduction—Leader.
A Universal Instinct—Belle Lock.
What is Prayer?—Clarine Nicholson.

Jesus, the Great Example in Prayer—Melvin Wozencraft.
Reverence in Prayer—Frances Ivie.

When Should We Pray—Nancy Cogdell.

For Whom Shall we Pray?—Thomas Brammer.

Unanswered Prayer—Lorain Carter.

FOARD CITY CLUB

The Foard City Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Merriman on Friday, January 17. All members are urged to come as this is a very important meeting.

District Meet Dates at Childress Announced

The district basketball meet at Childress will be held on February 14th and 15th, according to information received by the county superintendent from A. W. Adams, director general of District No. 3 of the Interscholastic League of Texas.

The district meet for track and literary events will be held on April 11th and 12th. Both meets are coming off one week earlier than they did last year.

Foard County was well represented in the district meets last year and is in hopes of making an even more impressive record this year.

BIRTHS

December 31—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Patton, a daughter, Flora May.

December 29—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Steel, a boy.

December 28—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Baldwin, a daughter, Willie Lou.

January 6—Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris, a boy, Edward D.

SMALL FIRE FRIDAY

The fire department was called to the home of J. E. McClure, in the northwest part of town, last Friday, however the fire was extinguished about the time the department arrived. Only a little damage was suffered as wall paper in the kitchen of the house was all that burned. This residence belongs to Mrs. James Teal.

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R. G. Whitten is building a new residence on his farm north of Thalia. Mr. Whitten selected C. A. Gloyne to do the building. It stands to reason the work will be well done.

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