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FOARD COUNTY FARMER TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

The body of J. A. Hough, 46, was found hanging from a rope tied to a rafter in the granary on the T. J. B. Hough farm, ten miles south of Crowell, Wednesday morning. It was discovered by T. R. Hough, 16, nephew of Floydada. Dr. J. M. Hill, county health officer, examined the body and stated that it had been dead for at least five or six days. A verdict of death by self-inflicted strangulation was rendered by J. W. Klepper, justice of the peace.

Mr. Hough was well known and respected in Foard County and news of his death came as a shock to his many friends. Since the death of his father, T. J. B. Hough, on Feb. 5, 1930, he had lived alone on the farm.

The young nephew who discovered the body came to the farm as the result of a letter received by his father, C. H. Hough of Floydada, the brother that took his own life. The letter was sent by J. A. Hough to another brother, Will Hough, at Texline, and will send the letter to C. H. Hough at Floydada to see if he could make out what was meant in it.

C. H. Hough said that his brother stated in the letter that interest on loans was due and that he was unable to pay it. He requested that no money be sent him but for the brother to come at once and they would find everything on the farm about the same except that he sold the horses and mules and that part of the money from this sale and keys to the house would be found in his pockets. He also mentioned in the letter that crop conditions on the place were excellent. No direct information that he planned suicide was contained in the letter.

After the letter was received at Floydada, T. R. Hough came to the farm and caught a ride to the Hough farm on Tuesday afternoon with O. N. Baker, who lives near the Hough farm. He and Mr. Baker looked about the place but could find no trace of J. A. Hough and they came to the conclusion that he had gone to Colorado, where he formerly owned a farm. The young nephew spent the night with Mr. Baker and went back to the farm the next morning to catch some chickens and put them up in order to keep coyotes from catching them.

It was by accident while chasing the chickens that he looked into the granary door and saw the body of his uncle. He immediately reported the matter to Mr. Baker and they came to town and reported the matter to Sheriff Que Miller, who with W. Klepper, justice of the peace, and Dr. J. M. Hill, county health officer, made an investigation of the case, which resulted in the verdict of self-inflicted strangulation.

The body was hanging with a half-inch rope about the neck and was about two feet above the floor of the granary, which is located a very short distance from the house. The neck was not broken, for a jump of sufficient distance to break the neck would no doubt have broken the rope. It is presumed that Mr. Hough crawled through a window in the top of the granary on the south side and jumped from it.

W. R. Womack, undertaker, in removing articles from the pockets found a number of keys and \$74.75 in currency and a small change. A half page from the Wichita Falls Daily Times was found folded in one pocket and a small article about a roman in Oklahoma taking poison and her life was on this page.

Besides his two brothers, Mr. Hough is survived by his mother, Mrs. T. J. B. Hough, who lives with H. H. Hough at Floydada, and one sister, Mrs. Geo. Watson of Muskogee, Okla.

Mr. Hough was born in Limestone county, Alabama, on Dec. 29, 1884, after living in Missouri and Oklahoma he came to Foard County with his parents in 1906 and settled on a farm near Kim, Colorado, in 1916 and returned to Foard County in 1925 and had lived here since.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hough and Mrs. T. J. B. Hough of Floydada arrived here Thursday afternoon and will Hough at that time. Funeral arrangements were being planned for Friday morning.

Crews Cooper Stars in Track Meet at Quanah

Crews Cooper of the Crowell track team was the outstanding man at the track meet in Quanah Tuesday which Crowell, Vernon and Quanah high schools took part. He was the high point man and carried off 195 places in the 100-yard dash, the 200-yard dash, and the broad jump. He also tied for second in the high jump and made a total of 18 1/2 points.

Ralph Burrow won first in the 800 yard run. Crowell's relay team, composed of Todd, Middleton, Burrow and Cooper, won second in the mile relay. McCoy and Smith of Crowell also placed in other events. A large group of track men, including Quanah made 52 and Crow-

Proposed 13th District Includes Foard County

Foard County will be in Congressional district No. 13 if the proposed redistribution of counties to form 21 Texas congressional districts is adopted by the Texas Legislature. As a result of the gain in population showed by Texas in the last census, this state is allowed three more districts. There are now eighteen districts in the state and Foard County is in the 18th district, which includes fifty-three counties, the largest number in any district in the state. This district covers the entire Panhandle and South Plains area.

According to the proposed redistribution the following counties would be included in District 13: Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Baylor, Archer, Clay, Jack, Montague, Wise, Wichita, Cooke, Denton and Young.

Mrs. Cooper Elected President of Foard County Federation

Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Vivian was elected president of the Foard County Federation at the all-day meeting last Thursday to succeed Mrs. John Ray. Mrs. M. S. Henry was elected vice-president, and Mrs. Pete Bell, secretary-treasurer.

Those on the program for the day included Mrs. T. P. Reeder, Mrs. Byron Reese, Mrs. Hubert Brown and Mrs. M. S. Henry. Mrs. Ray presided at the meeting and the program was led by Mrs. Henry.

ROCK CRUSHER ARRIVES

A rock crusher arrived in Crowell by freight this week for J. L. & E. A. Vibig, contractors for paving 15.4 miles of triple bituminous surface treatment on waterbound broken stone base course, from a point five miles west of Crowell to the Cottle County line.

The crusher is a brand new one and will be placed on the W. B. Johnson ranch at a point about 8 miles west of Crowell, north of the highway a short distance.

No definite time has yet been set for the starting of the road construction work in Foard County.

Foard County Ginnings For 1930 Total 4,429

Cotton ginnings in Foard County for 1930 amounted to a total of 4,429 bales, according to figures from the census bureau of the Department of Commerce at Washington. The ginnings were 10,432 less than for 1929 when the total was 14,861. Ginnings all over this section showed a big drop. The ginnings in a number of the surrounding counties for 1929 and 1930 follow:

Foard	4,429	14,861
Hardeman	11,940	30,374
Wilbarger	27,078	48,713
Cottle	6,854	22,891
Knox	25,674	22,656
Baylor	8,516	7,101
Childress	8,695	25,781
King	1,769	2,347

Gains over 1929 were made by Knox and Baylor counties.

The total ginnings for the state were 3,886,141 in 1930, compared with 3,803,211 bales in 1929, a gain of 82,930 bales.

IMPORTANCE OF SCHOOL CENSUS BEING STRESSED

A loss of about twenty dollars for the schools of Foard County results each time that a name is left out of the school census that is entitled to be in it. The scholastic census for 1931 has been practically completed and a final report must be filed by April 1.

For that reason the school officials of the county are urging every one to co-operate in seeing that all eligible names are in the census. If anyone knows of a new family moving into a community whose children have not been enumerated, they should report the matter to the school officials of their district.

Any child between the ages of 6 and 18 is entitled to be enrolled as a scholastic in the census. State aid for the various schools is based on the number of scholastics in the census, the aid this year having been \$17.50 for each scholastic.

JOE RICKARD TRANSFERRED

Joe Rickard has been transferred to Fort Worth by the postoffice department to work in the railway postal service.

Mrs. Rickard and children will live with Mrs. Rickard's mother at Weatherford. Mr. Rickard has been employed in the local office for the past few years. He is succeeded by Paul Crews.

JACK OAKIE AT RIALTO

Jack Oakie in the Paramount picture, "The Gang Buster," is being shown at the Rialto this Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

William Haines in "Remote Control," is the entertaining picture to be shown Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

County Interscholastic League Meet Will Be Held Here Thursday, Friday And Saturday; Large Crowd Expected

With favorable weather conditions the county interscholastic meet will be held in Crowell Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be the most successful in the history of the county, according to I. T. Graves, Crowell superintendent and director general of the county meet.

Mr. Graves states that practically all of the schools of the county will be well represented in the various literary and athletic events. Medals are to be given the various winners and in order to take care of the expense of these as well as various other expenses a small admission charge will be made for only one time during the meet and that will

be at the auditorium Friday night when the best program of the meet will be given and the admission charge then will be only ten and fifteen cents.

Thursday night, March 26, boys and girls debate and extemporaneous speaking will take place. Various literary events will take place Friday afternoon.

Friday night the declamation contests will be held and musical numbers will be given by choruses.

Saturday the track and field events will take place.

The admission is free to everything with the exception of the program at the auditorium Friday night.

CLEAN-UP WEEK PROCLAMATION

Whereas, an Annual Clean-Up Campaign has become an important medium in each year's program of civic advancement; and

Whereas, it is impossible to estimate the vast number of lives saved each year by a thorough "Clean-Up" of all regions where the accumulation of the winter months has developed into a menace and fire danger; and

Whereas, the official records of this State reveal that the health of our citizens and the danger of fire is greatly increased by carelessness in the homes and business districts in permitting the accumulation of trash, rubbish and untidy conditions;

Now, therefore, I, C. T. Schlagal, mayor of the City of Crowell, Texas, do hereby designate the period from April 5 to 11, inclusive, as Spring Clean-Up Week in Crowell, and I can call upon every man, woman and child to diligently observe the occasion by clearing away all things that menace safety from fire, or the public health, stored within their homes or their places of business.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 26th day of March, A. D. 1931.

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.

Red Cross Aid Comes To End Here April 1

Red Cross aid in Foard County will come to an end on April 1, according to word received from headquarters by Claude Callaway, chairman of the local chapter of this organization.

Mr. Callaway stated that the Red Cross has spent \$7,965 in Foard County in caring for 357 families during the past several weeks. A total of 1,835 people were represented in these families.

Rasberry Performs Well in Practice at Ft. Worth

J. B. (Skeet) Rasberry of Crowell is making good in spring training camp of the Fort Worth baseball club, according to reports in Fort Worth papers.

In a recent practice game between members of the spring training squad he pitched an entire game and shut out the opposing team by the score of 6 to 0.

Crowell High School Winner of First Place in District 14 One-Act Play Tournament Here Friday and Saturday

For the second time this year Crowell High School has been crowned district champion. A short time ago the boys basketball team captured district honors and Saturday night the cast of Crowell's one-act play, "On Vengeance Height," directed by Mrs. I. T. Graves, gained the right to represent District 14 of the Texas Interscholastic League at the regional tournament in Abilene in about two weeks.

In the finals of the District 14 tournament here Saturday night, Chillicothe won second place and Oklaunion third. The Chillicothe players gave a splendid presentation of "The Giant's Stair" and Oklaunion won third with another fine performance in the presentation of "Mansions."

Crowell took every first place in the tournament. Miss Jimmy Lois Gafford won a gold medal for being selected as the best girl actress and Ragdale Lanier won a similar prize as best boy actor. A lovers loving cup was awarded Crowell for winning first place.

F. C. McClung, director of the Wichita Falls Little Theatre Club, acted as judge for the tournament. He awarded the prizes and his criticism and comment concerning the various plays and players were very interesting. Following the final performance Mr. McClung was congratulated for his decision by officials of the competing casts.

The points given the plays by Mr. McClung follow: Crowell, "On Vengeance Height," 85; Chillicothe, "The Giant's Stair," 80; Oklaunion, "Mansions," 75; Childress, "Ashes of Roses," 70; Paducah, "Sham," 60; Benjamin, "Singapore Spider," 45. Misses Carol George and Alice Tabor of Chillicothe won second and third places respectively as the best girl players. Miss George played the difficult role of the half-wit and Miss Tabor played the part of Mrs. Weatherly in the same play.

Harold Davis as "Joe" in the Oklaunion play, won second for the boys and Bill Montgomery as the sheriff in the Chillicothe play won third. Silver and bronze medals were given the girls and boys winning second and third places.

The following players were given honorable mention: Bill Middleton, Crowell; Miss Hazel Simmons, Oklaunion; Miss Anna Belle Lee, Childress, and Herbert Cantrell, Paducah.

The performance of Miss Jimmy Lois Gafford as Cherdiah Gromley, the old blind woman, in Crowell's play, was particularly outstanding. Although he was on the stage a short while, Ragdale Lanier, gave a striking performance as Lem Carmalt, a rough mountaineer. Miss Lella Ben Allee as "Hope," a mountain girl, and Bill Middleton as Clay Gromley, grandson of Mrs. Gromley, were the other members of the Crowell cast, and both played their parts splendidly. "On Vengeance Height" was written by Allen Davis.

Those in the Chillicothe cast were: Bill Montgomery, Lewen Davis, Alice Tabor and Carol George. The Oklaunion players were: Hazel Simmons, Dorothy Moore and Harold Davis. Mr. Leach was director for Chillicothe and Miss Rosabel Elliot for Oklaunion.

Crowell will next present its play in the regional tournament at Abilene. The first placed winners in the four regional tournaments of the state will compete at Austin a short time later to determine the state winner. Crowell won in District 14 last year and then won third place in Abilene, Chillicothe won first place in the tournament here two years ago.

The tournament this year opened Friday night with Benjamin, Oklaunion and Childress presenting their plays. Chillicothe gave its play Saturday morning. Gilliland was scheduled to appear Saturday morning but did not appear. Crowell and Paducah presented their plays Saturday afternoon. The judge selected the best three presentations to enter the final contest.

ADELPHIAN CLUB PRESENTS PROGRAM THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Two one-act plays, "The Maker of Dreams," and "Just Women," will be presented next Thursday night, April 2, at the high school auditorium, by the Adelpian Club under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Lanier, Jr.

Rain of .36 Inch Fell in Foard Co. Thurs.

Rain amounting to .36 of an inch had fallen in Crowell up to Thursday afternoon. Indications were that the rain, which started falling Wednesday night, was about the same over the entire county.

A forecast of snow and freezing temperature for Thursday night was received at Crowell Thursday afternoon.

SAFE OPENED WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT CROWELL HIGH SCHOOL; MONEY IS STOLEN

Entrance to the office at the Crowell High School was gained Wednesday night and a gold watch belonging to I. T. Graves, superintendent, was taken from his desk and about ten dollars in small change was taken from the safe. Just the day before the safe contained about one hundred dollars that was taken in during the one-act play tournament.

The office was entered through the transom above the door, however, there was no indication as to how the building was entered or the method that was taken in leaving it. The combination of the safe was worked in opening it and then a lock inside was broken to reach the money.

Much Progress on Jail and Post Office Work

All of the concrete work on the Foard County jail has been completed and laying the brick for the second story, interior and roofing work are the only things that remain to be done before the structure is completed. The walls of the jail are of eight-inch concrete and attractive face-brick of cream color.

Tool-resisting steel is being used throughout and when completed the jail will be one of the most modern to be found anywhere.

Work on remodeling the post office building is going forward at a rapid rate and the postoffice is now occupying quarters in the Russell building next door, having been moved there last Thursday.

Already a new entrance to the building has been constructed, provision has been made for several windows in the solid brick wall on the south side of the building, all of the old plaster was removed, the old floor has been taken up and a new hardwood floor is being put down and the space formerly occupied by Leo Spencer has been torn out and an enlarged one has been put in its place.

JIMMY DOOLEY JR. HURT

Little Jimmy Dooley Jr. received an injury to his head Wednesday morning that rendered him unconscious when he fell from a counter in Reeder Drug Co. His head struck the concrete floor near the fountain.

He was getting along nicely Thursday afternoon, although slightly sick.

CATTLE SHIPMENT

Ten cars of cattle were shipped to Wichita, Kansas, this week by Sam Russell, S. S. Bell and J. W. Bell.

CLEAN-UP WEEK WILL BE HELD APRIL 5 TO 11

"Clean-Up Week" is to be held over the state April 5 to 11 and a proclamation, calling for the observance of that week in Crowell, has been issued by Mayor C. T. Schlagal and appears in this issue of the News.

A meeting relative to clean-up week was held Tuesday afternoon at the district court room with representatives from various organizations of the town present. Mayor Schlagal presided at the meeting.

The following plans for the clean-up campaign were made:

The town was divided into four sections, according to the voting precincts and the following were appointed to head the work in their sections of the town: R. R. Magee, northeast; Chas. Loyd, northwest; O. O. Hollingsworth, southeast, and A. T. Schooley, southwest. Mrs. B. W. Self has volunteered to superintend the work in the negro district.

These chairmen are asked to appoint two other committeemen to help in their districts.

A general committee consisting of R. J. Thomas, fire marshal, and John Rasor, fire chief, are to help with the work in all sections.

All property owners who can be asked to have their rubbish and trash removed during this week. The city will furnish wagons to anyone unable to have this work done, if they will have their trash in a convenient place in the alley.

All citizens who will volunteer their services in helping to clean up their district, outside their own property, are asked to get in touch with the chairman of their district. The help of everyone is needed to clean up the town properly.

Ribbons for first, second and third prizes will be given the yards of homes that are judged the cleanest. The same awards will be made in the business district also.

FOOD LOANS ARE NOW BEING MADE BY GOVERNMENT

Governmental loans for the purchase of food now may be made to farmers in the drought districts, as the result of recent action taken on the part of the government.

Fred Rennels, county agent, states that applications are now being received by the local committee, consisting of N. J. Roberts, Hiram Gray and Dr. R. L. Kincaid, for groceries and the various other items allowed by the agricultural rehabilitation act, such as funds for farm labor, blacksmithing, cow, sow and hen feed.

Persons who have previously received loans for the purchase of seed and feed may now make a supplemental application for the purchase of groceries and other necessities instant to crop production.

Mr. Rennels mentioned that in some instances farmers who have received feed and seed loans under the original forty-five million dollar appropriation may use a certain portion of money left over from the amount of their loan to buy food, provided that such purchase would not interfere with producing a crop, according to a letter received by Mr. Rennels from T. Weed Harvey, who is in charge of the seed loan office at St. Louis.

Eighty-one drought loan checks have been received thus far by the farmers of Foard County. Most of these checks have been issued from the St. Louis office, however, in the future they will come from the branch office that has recently been established at Fort Worth. Applications for loans are being made here each day.

April 30 is the last day that an application for a loan can be received. N. J. Roberts, member of the Foard County drought relief committee, has requested that anyone planning to apply for a loan to make application as soon as possible.

One of West Texas' Largest Steers Owned by Leslie McAdams

What is believed to be the largest steer in West Texas is owned by Leslie McAdams and is located on his ranch in the western part of Foard County.

He was three years old on Feb. 25, 1931. The steer is of shorthorn breeding, however, he is not a pure bred. His mother is an exceptionally large cow and his sire, a pure bred shorthorn, is of normal size. There is a full brother to this steer that is two years old which promises to make an extra large steer also but it is doubtful if he will ever reach the proportions of his brother.

The steer is not fat but is a well proportioned giant in his class in every way. Although not fat the following measurements give some idea to his size:

Height, five feet, five inches; length, from nose to tail, nine feet, six inches; heart girth, seven feet, seven inches; around the flank, seven feet, seven inches; three feet around the neck in bell collar position; three feet, four inches around hind leg close up to body and two feet around the fore leg. The steer has not yet been weighed, but cattlemen estimate his weight at from 1,700 to 1,800 pounds. He is a fairly smooth animal to be of such large size.

Mr. McAdams plans to feed him out in the near future and may enter him in some of the stock shows next year.

In the past the steer has received the same treatment given the other cattle on the ranch and no special care is responsible for his large size.

Sixteen Pigs Farrowed By Sow on Liles Farm

One of the best records known to have been made by a Duroc Jersey sow in Foard County was made recently by a sow, owned by R. L. Liles, which farrowed sixteen pigs on March 10. Three were born dead and two others died a week later, leaving eleven others that are in the best of health. Mr. Liles is considering feeding the pigs out as a ton litter.

OIL NEWS

Drilling on the Texas oil test on the L. K. Johnson ranch, about 16 miles west of Crowell, is now proceeding at around 3,100 feet.

Operations at the Owens test, near Margaret, have been discontinued for the present.

MRS. STONE RECOVERING

Mrs. Arthur Stone is getting along nicely following an operation at the Crowell hospital last Wednesday. She was formerly Miss Ila Mae Thompson and her marriage to Arthur Stone at Lawton, Oklahoma, on Feb. 5 has just been announced.

Mr. Stone is in the U. S. Army and is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla. He returned to Ft. Sill Wednesday after visiting his wife during her illness.

Rev. L. R. Hogan of Fort Worth, Presbyterian field worker, spoke at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday night.

Items from Neighboring Communities

MARGARET

(By Special Correspondent)

Bax Middlebrook of Vernon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Middlebrook, Monday.

Misses Mattie Russell, Emma Kempf and Lillie Bell Stevens visited friends in Crowell Monday.

Sam Pankey of Vernon was here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Henderson and children and Corine Crocker spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives at Medicine Mound.

Clifton Mills of Medicine Mound spent from Thursday till Saturday with Oliver Henderson and family.

Earl, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Henderson of Medicine Mound, formerly of this place, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Quannah one day last week.

George Cullum made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday.

Jack Roden and Jim Owens made a business trip to Vernon Tuesday.

Bill Hersey returned Monday from Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Shaw and children and her parents and Mr. and Mrs. Cullum of Crowell spent one day last week with George Cullum and family.

John L. Hunter Sr. and his daughter, Irene, made a business trip to Quannah Monday.

The high school boys attended the implement demonstration at Crowell Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. G. E. Evans returned to Crowell Saturday for several days visit with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Wishon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dince Huskey of Thalia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett James.

J. Q. Middlebrook and Emmett James made a business trip to Crowell Monday.

Gilbert Cheate of Alpine spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers were

Crowell visitors Saturday.

Rev. A. O. Hood returned Monday from Dumont.

Miss Russie Rasberry of Vivian spent several days last week with Misses Cora and Ola Carter here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith left Monday for Lamesa where she was called to the bedside of her sister.

Prof. Times of Denton visited J. B. Harvill Friday.

Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook, Mrs. Melvin Moore and Mrs. Doyle McCurley attended the county club meeting at Crowell Thursday.

J. Q. Middlebrook and Emmett James made a business trip to Quannah Saturday.

Misses Cora and Ola Carter spent the week-end with homefolks at Crowell.

Mrs. Bill Bond and little son, Wilson V., spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mrs. Fannie Bond of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell McCurley and little son, Charles, of Rock Crossing spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Larue visited relatives at Crowell Sunday.

T. F. Goodman spent Saturday night with his son, Fred Goodman, and wife of Vernon. They accompanied him home Sunday and spent a few hours here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook and daughter, Elsie Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cates, Leslie Moore, C. R. Dodd, Jewell Mullins, John Rasor, Mrs. Giddings and several others of Crowell attended the services at the Christian Church here Sunday.

Mr. Stanett of St. Louis was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Charlie Wishon of Crowell visited friends here Saturday.

Oliver Henderson and Clifton Mills attended the ex-service men's meeting at Crowell Friday.

W. S. Carter, who was ill last week, is much improved.

Mrs. Bill Murphy and little daughter, Louella, Mrs. A. B. Owens and

his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Henry Sprinkle of Odell visited in this community Sunday.

G. M. Canup made a business trip to Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. R. E. Rowland and Mrs. Merriman and daughter were shopping in Vernon one day last week.

Mrs. Weatherall and children were shopping in Vernon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Owens and daughter went to Vernon Saturday.

GAMBLEVILLE

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Virtie Bailey are the proud parents of an 8 1/2-lb. baby boy, Ozell Glover, born March 17.

"Uncle" Tom Goodman of Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Starnes Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Flemings of Vernon visited Mrs. Mollie Free Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeibig of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Virtie Bailey and family Wednesday.

Mrs. C. D. Hall and children and Miss Louise Pechacek of Black spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. Caludius Carroll.

Miss Prebble Bailey spent from Friday till Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Dave Bailey, of Foard City.

Miss Edith Turnes spent Saturday night with Louise Pyle of Crowell.

Mrs. C. W. Carroll and daughters, Opal and Leta Jo, and son, Claudius, and wife and Mrs. D. A. Alston visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carroll of Vivian Friday.

Jim Sansbury and Mrs. Mollie Free went to Vernon Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz attended the Crinam revival at Vernon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn Morgan visited Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Borchardt, of Foard City Saturday night.

Carl Roberts of Thalia spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bothe and family.

Mrs. Dave Bailey and son of Foard City visited Mr. and Mrs. Virtie Bailey Sunday.

The pupils that made the attendance honor roll for this month of school were: Juliet Free, David Solis, Milburn Garroll, Romeo Free, L. T. Derrington, Elton Carroll, Horace Starnes, Wilson Starnes and Cecil Carroll. The pupils that made the scholarship honor roll were: Bonnie Bothe, Warza Gamble, Edith Turner, David Solis, H. E. Bothe, L. T. Derrington, Maggie Starnes, James Starnes, Stella Ruth Wright, Willie Paul Pauley, Hazel Gamble and Wanda V. Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and baby, Lewis, took supper Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. James E. Dockery of West Wilbarger Street in Vernon.

WEST RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Buddie Derrington spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. T. C. Davis, and family at Vivian.

Mrs. L. B. Danson and daughter, Bertha, returned home Saturday after attending the funeral of Mrs. John Danson at Chillicothe. They attended her bedside a week before her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins entertained with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rennels visited her sister, Mrs. E. L. Derr, at Chillicothe Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Striet is some better this week. She was still unable to return to her school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wayland of Ayserville, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gloyna and Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder visited Mrs. Otto Schroeder, who is ill, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and children and R. B. Prescott were Crowell visitors Monday.

Those from West Rayland to declare at Crowell Thursday night are Juniors, Troy Prescott and Buddie Derrington; Senior, Lois Zachary; Sub-junior, Ernest Gloyna and Juanita Wade.

R. M. Gregg and J. L. Rennels attended the meeting of the county board of trustees Tuesday in Crowell.

Mrs. Otto Schroeder went to Vernon for medical treatment Thursday.

Miss Lola Jordan of Rayland spent Sunday with Miss Mary Tom Clark. There will be singing at the West Rayland School house next Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Higgs of near Crowell are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder and Emma Schroeder attended the quilt show at the home of Mrs. Jack Roberts in Crowell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Butler of Amherst are visiting his brother, Frank Butler, and family.

Mrs. Bradford Stone is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Pete Gregg and baby went to Bowie Monday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rhine.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Haynes of Four Corners spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Derrington.

G. W. Scales and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Key and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins attended church at Vernon Sunday.

R. B. Prescott and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gregg visited Jeff Prescott and family at Harrold Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young attended the funeral of Mrs. John Danson at Chillicothe Saturday.

FOARD CITY

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Beverly and son and J. W. Beverly of Crowell were in this community Sunday afternoon.

Miss Annie Russell of Crowell spent the week-end with Miss Mary Nell Merriman.

Miss Shirley Bevers spent the week-end with Miss Lois Spears of Crowell.

Miss Mary Nell Merriman and Mrs. Sty Barker visited Miss Annie Russell of Crowell Friday night.

Miss Ruby Cox of Goodcreek is spending the week with Miss Pauline Blevins.

Dexter Bevers and Horace Hartman of Truscott visited in this community Sunday night.

Hughie Wright of Crowell was in this community Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. G. McLain and son, Huston, and Dave Bailey spent the week-end in Collin County.

Miss Peldia Bailey of Gambleville spent the week-end with Mrs. Dave Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Callaway of Crowell visited in this community Sunday.

Miss Mildred Callaway of Crowell spent the week-end with her father, Will Callaway.

Miss Mildred Owens has returned home from Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Stone were shopping in Vernon Saturday.

Kenneth Halbert spent the week-end in Abilene.

Bro. Browder of Truscott filled

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hargrove Monday.

Several people from this community attended the tractor demonstrations at Crowell Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ayers were visitors in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lorene Shultz, who is attending school at Denton, was in our community Saturday afternoon.

Lee Morgan was called Monday morning to Alvarado, due to the illness of his father. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Parlin McBeath, of Crowell and Lewellyn Morgan of this community.

The Gambleville choir sang at the Baptist church at Crowell Sunday night.

The Gospel Team of Crowell is holding a meeting here at the school house this week.

Bro. Oshorn, pastor of the Methodist Church at Crowell, filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Hubert Carroll of Vivian was in our community Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Shook of Crowell spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Virtie Bailey.

Hoyt Turner of Amarillo is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Turner.

Miss Betty Borchardt of Foard City visited Mrs. Lewellyn Morgan Monday.

Flying Secretary



David Sinton, Secretary of the Navy in aviation, who is an expert in aviation.

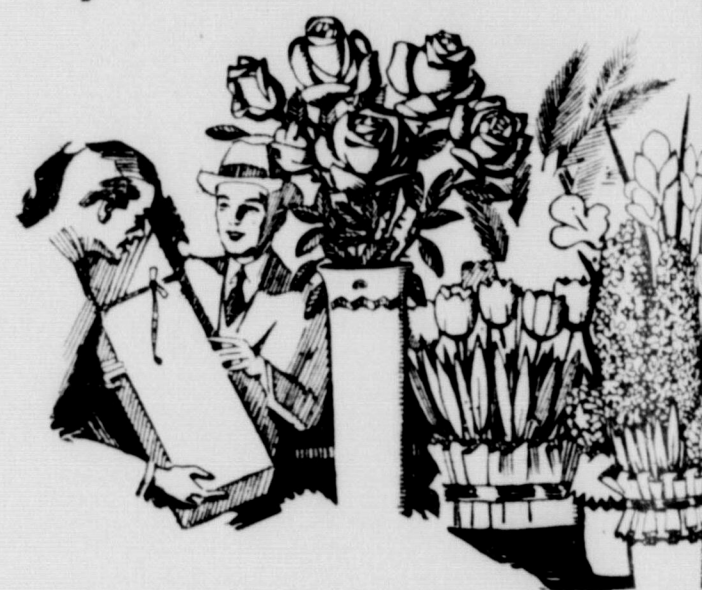
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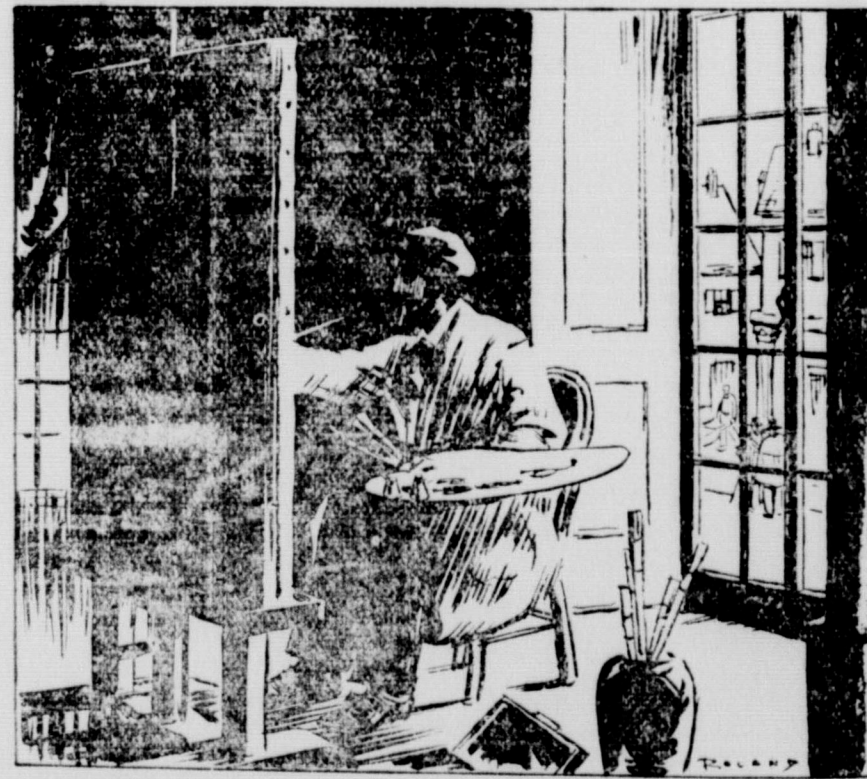
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Q Spaghetti, package	5c
Vinegar, pure distilled apple, gallon	35c
Beans, red Kidney, No. 2 can	6c
Beans, Stringless cut, per can	10c
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Corn, No. 2, 2 cans	25c
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Jowls, per pound	10c
Oxydol, per package	23c
Coffee, W. P. Special, lb.	25c
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Meal, best Cream, 10 lbs.	34c
Coffee, Wapco, 3 lbs.	\$1.00
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Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Special Correspondent)

Charlie Wood and family and Mrs. C. Lindsey visited friends and relatives in Wichita Falls Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox of Knox City visited relatives here Wednesday.

Miss Lorene Shultz, who is attending school in Denton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shultz, and family here last week-end.

M. C. Adkins and family visited relatives in Quanah Sunday.

Alex Oliver and family of the Five-One community visited their son, Judale Oliver, and family here for while Sunday afternoon.

There will be an all day cemetery working here Wednesday, April 1. Everyone is urged to come and work at least a part of the day.

Misses Pauline and Mary Wisdom entertained the Lata club with a party in their home Friday night.

Maxine Fleisher visited relatives at Crowell last week-end.

Mrs. G. C. Phillips was hostess to the Idle Hour Club in her home Thursday afternoon. A large crowd was present.

W. C. Jones visited Reeves Hartman in Oklahoma a while Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Brembelow of Kirkland visited their daughter, Mrs. Hill Cook, and family here a few days last week.

Miss Mattye Russell attended a house party in Fort Worth last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henry of Quanah visited M. C. Adkins and family Sunday night.

Miss Lorene Shultz visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fox in Knox City while Friday.

Mrs. J. K. Langley left Thursday afternoon for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Alton Harbin, and family in Wichita Falls.

W. C. Jones, J. J. McClendon, Clyde Fincher, J. H. Banister and A. Stovall attended a lecture in Wichita Falls Thursday night.

Mrs. Billie Rutledge of Wichita Falls is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. C. H. Wood, and family here this week.

Roy Ricks and family visited relatives, who are ill, in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Miss Mildred Adkins is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henry, in Quanah this week.

Mrs. Loyd Fox was the honoree of a lovely shower in the home of Mrs. E. V. Cato Wednesday afternoon.

A large crowd was present. Mrs. Fox, before her marriage a few weeks ago, was Miss Catherine Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler of this place.

Mrs. W. A. Reed was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club in her home here Friday afternoon. A large crowd was present and a very helpful program was given.

H. A. Dodson and family of Burkburnett visited S. N. Dozier and family here last week-end.

Reeves Hartman of Oklahoma visited friends here a while Sunday afternoon.

The Methodist W. M. S. met with Mrs. Luther Jobe as hostess in her home east of town Monday afternoon. A very interesting program was given and there were about 15 members present. All reported a lovely time.

W. C. Gardner and family visited his father, who is ill in his home in Chillicothe, Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Stovall visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Latham, and family in Electra a while Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. R. Randolph and son, Layton, were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

A large number of people of this place are attending the Crimm revival in Vernon.

Mrs. Roy Ricks and Mrs. J. A. Stovall visited Mrs. A. O. Hood in Margaret Friday.

VIVIAN

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Doris Lewis left Monday for

Anson where she will visit her grandmother, Mrs. F. E. Benham.

E. T. Evans and son, Earl, spent the week-end with their folks in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Fish's mother, Mrs. W. H. Adams, of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sosebee and children spent from Saturday until Monday with Mrs. Sosebee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Mrs. D. A. Alston of Gambleville spent Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hubert Carroll.

Mrs. J. B. Rasberry and children and Mrs. T. W. Cooper attended the Crimm revival at Vernon Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Rosalie Fish returned home Saturday after several months visit with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Sosebee, of Anson.

Mrs. Allen Fish spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Belle Allee of Crowell.

Every-one is invited to come to Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

Those who transacted business in Crowell Monday were: Allen Fish, W. O. Fish, Egbert Fish and daughter, Rosalie, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowley. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beatty entertained a few of their friends with a "42" party Thursday night.

RAYLAND

(By Special Correspondent)

Miss Katherine Davis of Iowa Park is visiting her sister, Mrs. De Witt Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Norman and Miss Zelma Russell made a business trip to Wichita Falls Saturday.

Miss Mary Lou Meeks of Vernon and Miss Velma Heaton of Fargo spent the week-end with Miss Melba Hopkins.

Several from this community have been attending the revival at Vernon.

E. M. Key and Carl Austin went to Alvord Monday and returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordan and baby of Electra spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lois Lambert.

Mrs. Billie Clelland and baby of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lambert Saturday night.

Mrs. E. L. Edwards, Miss Katherine Davis, Mrs. Pearl Gordan and son, Aldean, and Edlene Edwards visited Mrs. Dora Gregg of West Rayland Thursday afternoon.

Misses Ruth and Sunshine Austin spent Saturday night with Hazel and Jerlene Key of West Rayland.

BLACK

(By Special Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gentry of Catesville were in this community Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Norris and daughter visited Mrs. Roy Hunter Wednesday afternoon.

George Rennels has been visiting in the Catesville community the past few days.

Mrs. Hayes McFadden and Mrs. Grover Nichols attended the funeral of Mrs. L. A. Parsons Wednesday afternoon at Crowell.

Miss Jewel Mullins attended church at Margaret Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alton Andrews of Crowell was in our community Thursday taking census.

Mrs. Sam Mills and daughter, Sammie Gene, of Crowell spent Saturday night with S. W. Gentry and family.

Mrs. E. T. Kirkman of Crowell and Mrs. Frank Kirkman of Vivian attended Sunday School here Sunday afternoon.

Those from Crowell attending Church here were: Rev. and Mrs. Woodie W. Smith, Mrs. Frank Moore and daughter, Thelma, Lois, Duke Wallace, Henry Dunagan, Sam Mills and Tom Shook.

Mr. Glover of Foard City visited his daughter, Mrs. Bryant, here Sunday.

Mr. Martain took a group of Young People to Vernon Saturday and Sunday nights to the Crimm Revival.

Irene Nichols and Mary Gafford spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bursey of Wichita Falls visited Mr. Bursey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bursey, and family Sunday.

Rev. Woodie W. Smith, Henry Dunagan and Duke Wallace rendered some special music at the singing Sunday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Smith at the piano.

Mrs. Perry Hunter and Mrs. Grover Nichols attended the council meeting of the County Clubs at Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Klepper spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Klepper at Quanah.

Miss Margaret Cates of Catesville spent Sunday with Miss Beatrice Mulline.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Bradshaw and sons, Weldon and Billy, spent the week-end with relatives at Vernon.

Miss Nola Mae Draper of Crowell spent the week-end with Miss Mary Edna Bursey.

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Brewster County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1931, in favor of Casner Motor Company and against Kitty Whitfield, in the cause of Casner Motor Company vs. J. A. Whitfield and Kitty Whitfield, No. 342 in such Court, I did, on the 13th day of March, A. D. 1931, levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Foard and State of Texas, as the property of said Kitty Whitfield, to-wit:

Three and fifty-four one-hundredths (3.54) acres out of Fract. Sec. 406, Block A. H. & T. C. Ry. Co., described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at the northeast corner of said section 406; thence south 80 varas; thence east 250 varas, thence north 80 varas; thence west 250 varas, to the place of beginning.

Four and eighty-seven one-hundredths (4.87) acres out of Fract. Sec. 389, Block A. H. & T. C. Ry. Co., described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at the northwest corner of said section 389, and the northwest corner of section 406, Block A; thence east 347 varas; thence south 80 varas; thence west 347 varas; thence north 80 varas, to the place of beginning.

A part of the northwest part of D. D. Palmer Survey of 1476 acres, described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at the northwest corner of said Palmer Survey; thence south 1819 varas to a stake; thence east 527 varas to a stake; thence north 194.4 varas to a stake; thence east 70 varas to a stake; thence north 1624 varas to a stake; thence west 597 varas to the place of beginning, containing 191.19 acres of land, which includes one acre in graveyard, which is included in this description.

An undivided one-half interest in and to a part of Section 389, Block A, Certificate 31-2795, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., and described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at a point in the northeast line of said Section 389, 347 varas east of its northwest corner; thence south 81 varas to the northeast line of the D. D. Palmer Survey; thence east 378.75 varas; thence north 82.2 varas; thence west 378.75 varas to the place of beginning, containing 5.5 acres of land.

An undivided one-half interest in and to a part of the David D. Palmer Survey of 1476 acres, and described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at a point 1819 varas south and 527 varas east of the northwest corner of said David D. Palmer Survey; thence north 194.4 varas; thence east 70 varas; thence north 1624 varas to the north boundary line of said Palmer Survey; thence east 378.75 varas; thence south 1817 varas; thence west 448.75 varas to the place of beginning and containing 124.4 acres of land.

The northwest one-quarter of Section 274, Block A, Certificate 31-2737, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., containing 160 acres of land.

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This is the week that is being observed by druggists everywhere to call attention to people to replenish the medicine chest. Such articles as—

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FERGESON BROTHERS

And, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1931, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Kitty Whitfield in and to said property.

Dated at Crowell, Texas, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1931.
QUE R. MILLER,
Sheriff, Foard County, Texas.

The automobile industry uses 82 per cent of the rubber used in the United States; 55 of the plate glass, 15 of the iron and steel, 30 of the aluminum, 14 of the copper, 15 of the hardwoods, 24 of the lead and 80 per cent of the gasoline.

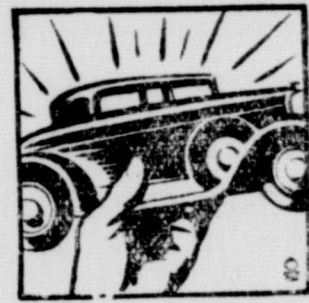
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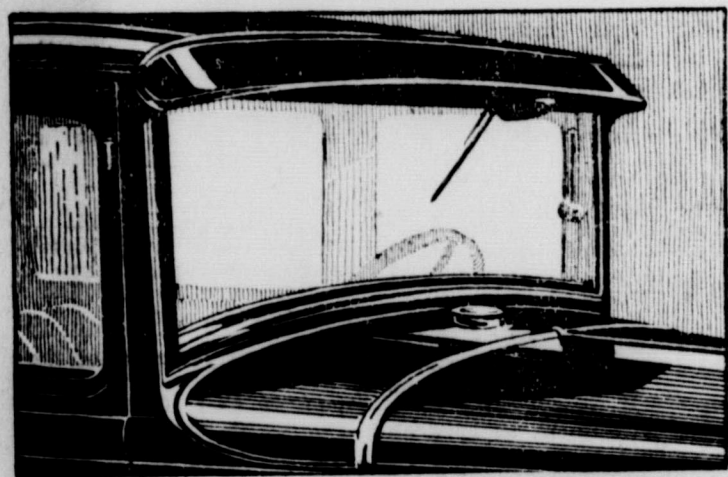
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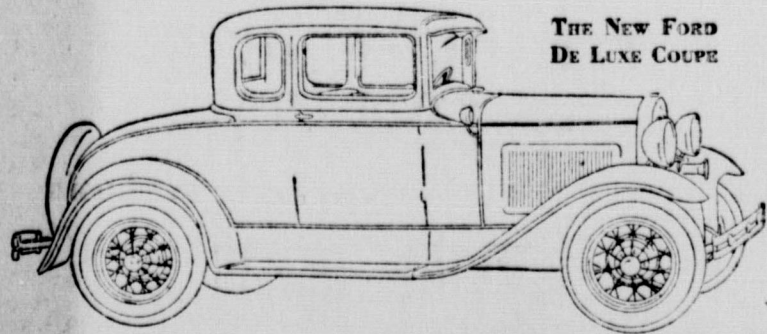


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THE CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING BILL

The Congressional redistricting bill, offered by Penrose Metcalf, of San Angelo, was almost a perfect work. It was built upon a consideration for community of interest, for equal representation, for natural district lines. It represented months of conscientious effort. It looked to the interests of a state, rather than the political fortunes of this man or that.

Newspaper criticism was favorable to an unprecedented degree. The suggestions for changes were few and relatively unimportant. It is understood however that house and senate committees will report favorably a bill which they have in some respects, revised to suit themselves. They have been influenced by political considerations against which Mr. Metcalf had steered himself.

The political fortunes of Mr. Garner, in particular, have been permitted to influence the amended bill to such an extent as may destroy its efficacy. The political fortunes of Judge Mansfield, upon the other hand have been ruthlessly dealt with. The redistricting bill has become a political football.

In the event of a Democratic majority in the next Congress, Mr. Garner and Judge Mansfield will both play very important roles in the legislative deliberations of our national government. The two of them can do much for the party and the state. Notwithstanding that fact, their fortunes should not be permitted to dictate the basis upon which the Congressional representation for a great commonwealth shall be apportioned.

The obvious way out of a rather nasty mess is for the house and senate to return to the lines of the original Metcalf bill. More people will be pleased by this than by any other course.—Editorials of the Month.

During the brief tulip craze in Holland in the seventeenth century, the rise and fall of the bulb ruined many a family financially.

Measure for One Variety of Cotton Will Aid Farmer

Austin, Tex., March 25—Enactment of the one-variety cotton bill, modeled after California laws, would put farmers in Texas on the easier road to higher prices in the opinion of J. E. McDonald, commissioner of Agriculture.

The bill, introduced by Rep. Lawrence Westbrook of Waco, was sponsored in the legislature by the Texas Cotton Committee, a group of leaders in the cotton industry. Although following the theory of the California law, the bill would not be mandatory in its provisions.

It provides that voters of any county or community may hold an election to determine whether cotton grown in the community shall all be one variety. After a variety has been established, it would be a misdemeanor to plant any other variety.

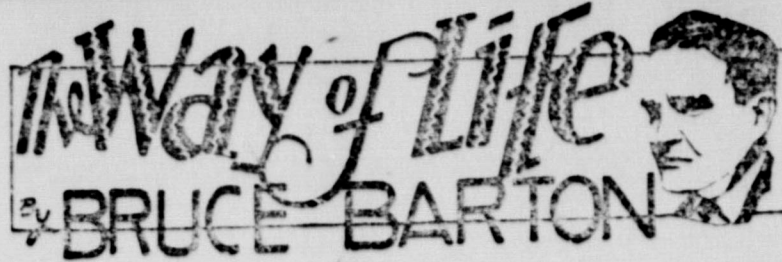
Planting a single variety or species in a single community would benefit everyone who handles the cotton, from the ginner to the spinner, McDonald said, with the ultimate benefit and profit accruing to the farmer.

McDonald pointed out that in ginning the speed of operations may be increased or decreased. Some staples, he said, gin best at low speed; others at high speed. But the ginner, forced to gin cotton of various staple, length and strength, usually sets his machinery at an average speed, regardless of the type of cotton he is called upon to gin, since obviously it would be impractical to re-adjust his machinery for all the different types.

If the ginner knew, however, that all the cotton would be of a practically uniform staple and strength, he could adjust the gin so that it would be most efficient for that particular variety, assuring the farmer that the staple would not be injured in the ginning process.

The spinner, likewise, demands uniformity of staple above all else. His particular needs may be for a short staple, or for a long staple; but he doesn't want cotton that is part long and part short. Since the spinners' needs govern buyers, the buyers would gravitate toward those communities known to grow a uniform cotton. Thus the farmer would benefit, by being assured a market for his cotton at the highest price for that type of cotton.

McDonald cited the example of the state prison farms, which are limited to one or two varieties. Each variety is ginned at a separate gin, adjusted



NAZARETHS

I was at Deerfield Academy visiting my boy, and on the way back I had an hour between trains at Northampton. It was Sunday evening. The main street was almost deserted. I walked into a side street and past the little two-family house where Calvin Coolidge lived until a few weeks ago.

I went around to the old building in which he and his law partner used to have their modest offices. I stood in front of the square town hall. It was interesting to think of the days when he was mayor. One could picture him coming slowly up the street after breakfast.

"Morning, Cal," people would say.

"Morning," he would answer.

And a stranger in the town would probably have exclaimed: "Is that your mayor, that quiet little fellow? He doesn't look like much."

If any one had suggested that the quiet little fellow might one day be president of the United States, the laughter would have echoed from one end of Main Street to the other.

A few years later, when Coolidge had become governor of Massachusetts, a merchant in Boston named Frank Stearns began to make the presidential suggestion. He came to New York and persuaded a few of us Amherst graduates that the thing was not impossible.

Even then the idea was usually greeted with smiles, especially by folks in Massachusetts. "That's all right for you fellows in New York," they said. "But distance lends enchantment. We are his neighbors; we know him."

And one of the wisest men in the Commonwealth remarked to the son of Frank Stearns: "Calvin Coolidge is nothing but a figment of your father's imagination."

Nazareth is the immortal illustration of the attitude of the home town. After Jesus had gone out into the world and become famous; after He had performed His miracles in Capernaum and even in Jerusalem, He went back home.

A crowd of His old neighbors greeted Him in the synagogue, but there was no pride or confidence in their attitude. Their skeptical expressions spoke louder than words. "You may have fooled them in those other towns, but we know you. You are only the boy who used to work in the carpenter shop." And the record says sadly: "He could do there no mighty work, because of their unbelief."

It's a wonderful thing to realize that Greatness is growing up somewhere around us all the time—that the most unprepossessing freckled boy may be a future conqueror. Unfortunately, most of us can never believe that the home town could possibly produce anything better than ourselves.

for that particular staple. As a consequence the prison product commanded a premium over the market last year amounting to \$65,000 on a \$600,000 crop.

A woman's union has been formed in Egypt to help girls obtain industrial jobs. They receive free instruction, food and clothes for a period of three years.



Architects' model of John D. Rockefeller, Jr.'s "Radio City," which will occupy three city blocks, or about 1 1/2 acres in the heart of Manhattan, from 48th to 51st Street, Fifth to Sixth Avenue. It will house the principal amusement and radio enterprises of the nation as well as other businesses.

POLITICAL Announcements

For Mayor: C. T. SCHLAGAL.
For Marshal: R. J. THOMAS.
For City Attorney: VANCE SWAIM.

House plants are not likely to thrive in a room where gas is extensively used for light or cooking.

Swans are slow to mate and remain mated permanently.



Washington's famous system of lettered and numbered streets is gradually being changed. "B Street N.W." was changed by an act of the last Congress to "Constitution Avenue." There isn't any "A" street.

Proceedings of the London naval conference have been broadcast to Japan by means of radio beam.



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Weighers Docking Cotton for Water Exceed Authority

Austin, Texas, March 25—Public weighers have no authority to dock cotton for supposed moisture content, according to M. S. Frazee, weights and measure chief in the department of agriculture.

"There seems to be some uncertainty and difference of opinion as to whether a public weigher should dock cotton for supposed moisture," he said.

"A public weigher's weight certificate, receipt or weight sheet, should give the true beam weight, and the presence of moisture or damage is a matter of adjustment as between buyer and seller." He cited an opinion from the attorney general's department which said in part:

"In view of the plain provisions of the statute prescribing what shall be shown on the weight certificate, our opinion that a public weigher would have no authority to put upon such certificate his estimate of how much water is contained in a bale of cotton. The public weigher has no way of knowing the weight of a bale of cotton except as shown by the scales. The statute requires him to state the true and correct weight."

The only place in the United States where the trumpeter swan is known to nest is in Yellowstone National park.

Nearly fifty species of the duck geese and swans of North America have been bred in captivity.

A tall office building in Hamburg, Germany, is built to resemble a steamship.

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Swandown Cake Flour	36c
Coffee, Special High Grade, 3-lb. can	96c
Coffee, Cabinet Brand, 5-lb. can	\$1.26
Honey, extracted, gallon	94c
White Swan Salad Dressing, two 25c jars	33c
Jello, 3 packages	25c
Matches, carton	16c
Coconut, Baker's, canned, 2 for	26c
Bananas, good ones	23c
Peas, gallon cans	49c
Oats, W. S. or Quail Brand, large size	21c
Oranges, nice ones	26c
Beans, Pinto, 10 lbs.	43c
Extract, large size, 2 for	43c
Salt, 25-lb. bags	31c

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LOCALS

fine young rabbits for sale. L. Kinsey.

Inelle Powell of Vernon visited last Sunday.

Cottingham of Oklahoma City was a Foard County visitor this week.

Swain and George Self visited the Rotary luncheon in Tuesday.

Bettie Thomson has gone to a visit with her daughter, H. W. Norwood.

Mrs. Eli Smith and little daughter spent the week-end visit in Dublin.

cars that are honestly repaired about which you may know are asking, are sold by Allen Colet Co.

Mules for Sale, or will trade milk cows, hogs or chickens. Rent my home furnished or un-furnished.—T. D. Roberts.

J. C. Roberts, who had been visiting her son, N. J. Roberts, and of Crowell, went to Vernon Saturday afternoon to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ernest Rose and little daughter of Davidson, Okla., here Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. Rose's sister, Mrs. W. Boyd.

S. E. Tate returned from Ft. Worth last Thursday where she attended the Rebekah Assembly of going as a delegate from the Rebekah Lodge.

Mrs. J. H. Lanier spent Sunday in Knox City. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lanier's son, Bill Teaff, of Snyder, who is visiting in their home, also in company with two aunts, Mrs. Leo and Mrs. Horace Haney.

J. W. McCaskill of Vernon visited in Crowell Tuesday.

Mrs. M. S. Henry left Sunday for Waco to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Long is in Fort Worth visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Kennedy, who is ill.

Through a mistake the name of T. A. Spears was left out of the list of pall bearers in the article about Mrs. L. A. Parson's death in The News of last week.

Marvin Howard of Big Spring passed through Crowell last Tuesday en route to Quanah. He stopped over for a visit with his grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Tuttle.

A well assorted stock of men's, women's and children's shoes. Price range—60c to \$4.00. The public is cordially invited to call and inspect the quality and price.—Ringgold Variety.

Misses Mildred Owens, Lorene Shultz and Nancy Cogdell and Price Lovelady, Foard County students in the teachers college at Denton, spent a few days' vacation between terms with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Doolen and son, Jimmy Jr., visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. Doolen's sister, Mrs. H. H. Yarberry. They were joined at Quanah by Mr. Doolen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doolen of Mangum, Okla., who went to Amarillo with them.

COUNTY BOARD MEETS

Trustees of the rural schools of Foard County met Saturday afternoon in the office of the county superintendent, Claude Callaway, with the county school board, composed of W. S. Tarver, J. L. Rennels, A. Weatherall, R. N. Beatty and T. N. Bell.

Matters of general interest concerning the schools of the county and their problems were taken up at the meeting along with work of classification.

NOTICE

No hunting, trespassing, wood hauling or trapping allowed on the lands belonging to Furd Halsell and Son. We intend to enforce the law.

MANY ATTEND JOHN DEERE TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION

Two full houses greeted the presentation of the John Deere motion picture at the Rialto Tuesday afternoon. The picture was sponsored by M. S. Henry and Company.

M. S. Henry and Co. also sponsored a John Deere tractor demonstration in a field east of Crowell on the same day.

NOTICE TO PATRONS OF CROWELL SCHOOL

The scholastic census for 1931 has been practically completed and final report must be filed by April 1st. If your children have not been enrolled or if you know of anyone who has recently moved into your neighborhood whose children have not been enrolled, please notify Mrs. L. A. Andrews, census enumerator, who will be glad to call for the desired information. Each name means about \$20.00 to the school, so it is very important that each child between ages of 6 and 18 be enrolled. Crowell Ind. School Dist. Board.

NOTICE

"The Lone Defender" with Rin Tin Tin, chapter 4 and the remaining 8 chapters will only be shown on Friday night here after.

If you like 'em funny and you want to laugh out loud, see Jack Oakie in "The Gang Buster," Thur. Fri. and Sat., March 26, 27, 28. Admission 15c and 35c.

Krazy Cartoons News
William Haines really does good in "Remote Control." Read the Photo Play Magazine, Showing Mon. Tues. and Wed., March 30, 31, and April 1.

Doctor's Orders News
Admission 15c and 35c
"Bachelor Fathers" with Maron Davis has class. See it.

Cartoons News
April 2, 3, and 4.
THE RIALTO
Goodyear Company Has Many Tire Factories

"Regardless of where a Goodyear is purchased, whether it be in Crowell or in far-off Australia or England, it will incorporate in every part the craft-manship acquired by years of constant development and research," M. F. Crowell, local dealer for the Goodyear Co., says.

"The biggest and most widespread factory organization in the rubber industry is maintained to insure the uniformity of Goodyear tires.

The Goodyear Company has tire factories in Akron, O.; Gadsden, Ala.; Los Angeles, Calif.; New Toronto, Canada; Wolverhampton, Eng.; Sydney, Australia and Hurlingham, Buenos Aires, Argentina; rubber plantations in Sumatra and the Philippines; a 35,000 acre cotton plantation in Arizona and seven cotton mills located in various parts of America.

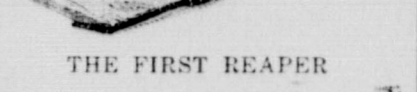
"The rubber and cotton plantations and the cotton mills, in addition to supplying part of the vast amount of natural resources which go into Goodyear tires, serve as the laboratories for constant development of improved materials and products."

Scandinavia's only subway, in Oslo, carried 3,200,000 passengers in the first year of its operation, ending last January.

Excellent Attendance at Reaper Celebration

The attendance at the McCormick reaper centennial celebration here Monday, was excellent with about 550 farmers registering, according to J. C. Self of Self Truck and Tractor Company, who sponsored the event. Around six hundred people were present for the free lunch at noon and the Rialto Theatre was packed to capacity for two performances of "Romance of the Reapers," that were given in the afternoon.

The full size replica of the first McCormick reaper, invented 100 years ago by Cyrus McCormick, was on display and attracted much interest.



THE FIRST REAPER

John Ray of the Rayland community was an interested visitor at the celebration. It was his father who brought the first binder to this section of Texas. It was also the second binder to be taken out of Wichita Falls. It was brought here in 1884.

TEXON TALES

One thing this country needs relieving of is the guy who always says, "Well whatta ya say?" every time you run onto him. Of course we always try to think up something right quick that is equally as witty and smart like "not much," or something but we are tempted to say something he would least like to hear. There was a period in the history of our country when such a greeting was a modern salutation but them days are gone. We know a fellow who is an Indian or something, anyhow, when you speak to him he merely grunts.

If he speaks first he just grunts too. And it proves to be just as good as a salutation as any. After all the most pleasant greeting is a simple hello or how-do-you-do. It serves as well with a fellow that likes you as one who don't and if a polite and simple greeting grates on his nerves you aint hurt none after all. At any rate we can do without so much "Well, whatta ya say?"

Many things in this country are in reverse. For instance you ask the job hunter his greatest trouble and he will tell you it is the matter of finding a satisfactory employer. Ask the business man, and among other things he may tell you one of his greatest troubles is getting satisfactory employees. They should swap places and find that the other has the worst proposition. Go into a cafe and you will find the waiters very slow. Ask the hasher and he will say the customers are very slow and can never seem to make up their minds or give them a chance to wait on them. The always down-and-out man will tell you he is naturally unlucky while the successful man may tell you he has been rather fortunate in many respects but if the full particulars are known most usually the down-and-outer has been spoiled by easy money and easy going while the man-of-means has had much tougher going. This, of course, applies with men while with women it is even worse. Married women want to be single and single women married, fat women want to be slim and the skinny ones fat and the brunettes just dye to be blondes.

We are sorry to report Tom Beverly is sporting a lovely black eye. A man wanted shampoo and Tom showed him Ivory soap.

I was trying to write for one paper but wasn't getting along so well so I told the fellow maybe I didn't put enough fire in my stuff but he says no, you don't put enough of your stuff in the fire.

Well, there's no arrest for the wicked.

TEXON TATTLER.

People who try to regulate the morals of others never have any time to look after their own.

Everyone believes debts should be paid promptly, especially if they are coming his way.

People who find prosperity around the corner have to know which corner it is.

One Way to Get Strong



H. E. Mann of Germantown, Tenn., began lifting his pet bull calf every day when the calf weighed only 50 pounds. Now the bull weighs 850 pounds and Mr. Mann can still lift it. He thinks he can keep it up until the creature weighs 1,200 pounds.

Saluting the West on Next Conoco Hour

Saluting the West, the next broadcast of the Conoco Listeners' Hour will continue the series of programs dedicated to sections of the country of interest to motor travelers. Music typical of the West will be heard during the program.

Peggy and Pat, of course, will be in the studio to direct the program in accordance with the wishes of the listeners themselves and promise an exceptionally fine broadcast. The orchestra and quartette are preparing special features, they report. Tune in Monday evening, March 30, on station WFAA, Dallas, at 6:30.

Callaway and Self Speak at Luncheon

Claude Callaway, county judge and chairman of the Foard County chapter of the Red Cross, and Geo. Self were the principal speakers at the luncheon of the Rotary Club Wednesday, the program for which was in charge of Fred Rennels.

Mr. Callaway gave an interesting discussion on the work of the Red Cross and Mr. Self spoke on the subject of "Community Service." Plans for co-operating with the general clean-up movement, to take place during "Clean-Up Week," April 5-11, were made at the luncheon.

Dr. T. D. Frizzell, Ross Magee and Hayden Hunter, Rotarians of Quanah, were visitors at the luncheon.

The average age of enlisted men in the United States navy is twenty-five years.

Eighty sled dogs were taken by Commander Byrd on his antarctic expedition.

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Is never by false pride led,
For the proverb he knows best of all
Is "pride always goes before a fall."
His neighbors and his friends all may
Diamonds wear and dress up gay,
Yet he keeps down his own expense
Within the bounds of common sense.
The First State Bank is not afraid
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Bessie Love
NEWS SPORTLIGHTS
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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.

NOTICE—Positively no fishing in my pasture. To save embarrassment, please stay out.—Leslie McAdams.

COLORADO GRASS HAY—50c a bale at barn just south of West Rayland school house.—E. M. Key, 40p

DOUBLE-ROW FARMALL Planting attachment. Would trade for used car or cows.—Allen Chevrolet Co.



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UNTIL APRIL 10

Present this notice as \$1.00 on any labor operation amounting to \$5.00 or more; or add \$1.00 cash with it and get both a wash and grease job on your car.

UNTIL APRIL 15

We give 10 per cent discount on all parts and accessories (from our stock) used on repair jobs in our service department.

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A new Remington portable typewriter in one of the beautiful new model Remington cases. See this wonderful machine at the FOARD COUNTY NEWS.

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Your Crazy Crystals have been a great blessing to me. I have suffered with indigestion and rheumatism for years, could not get any relief at all until I got your Crystals. Now I am eating anything I want and feeling much better than I have felt for fifteen years.

Mrs. W. A. Mourfield, 311 Arthur Street, Knoxville, Tenn.

The new, million dollar, Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fireproof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent hotel; yet, you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefits of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates. If you have rheumatism, stomach trouble, diabetes, colitis, kidney trouble or any chronic ailment brought on by faulty elimination, we urge you to write the Crazy Water Hotel, Mineral Wells, Texas, for full and complete information about their treatment.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Foard, City of Crowell.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the city hall, in the City of Crowell, Texas, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1931, the same being the first Tuesday in April, in obedience to an order duly entered by the City Council on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1931, for the purpose of electing the following: Mayor, City Marshal, Tax Assessor and Collector, and three aldermen, and city attorney to serve for a period of two years, or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

The following are hereby appointed officers of said election: J. W. Beverly, presiding judge, who is hereby authorized to employ such clerks and judge as prescribed by law.

Any person desiring to have his name or their name placed on the official ballot as a candidate for an elective office within the City of Crowell, shall file his name or their names with the city secretary not later than seven days immediately preceding such election.

All qualified voters who have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Crowell for a period of six months preceding said election shall be entitled to vote.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the laws pertaining to general elections in this State insofar as they are applicable.

C. T. SCHLAGAL, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. BILLINGTON, City Secretary.

Margaret W. M. N. Program Leader—Mary Lou Russell. Song Service—My Favorite Song. Prayer.

Scripture Reading—Mrs Myrtle Murphey. Round Table Discussion—How to Build Up Our W. M. N.—Mrs. I. W. Middlebrook.

True and False Bible Drill. Social Hour. Every one come and enjoy the contest.

Six thousand young cherry trees have been sent to the Austrian national botanic gardens as a gift by Prince Takamatsu, of Japan.

CHURCHES

Christian Science Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject for Sunday, March 29, "Reality." Sunday School at 9:35. Wednesday evening service at 8:00. The public is cordially invited.

At The Methodist Church Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. League at 3:45 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society, Monday at 3 p. m. Prayermeeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

There was a splendid attendance at all the services last Sunday. Two hundred and ninety in Sunday School. Much interest was manifested in the services. We hope to have a full house next Sunday, as we shall try to have a message that God will honor and will be helpful to all. Pray for us, as we pray for the people.

We have a place for you at the Methodist Church. B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

Christian Church The Gambleville meeting, conducted by our gospel team, began last Sunday and will last over next Sunday. All are invited to attend and requested to pray for this meeting. Christian Endeavor service last Sunday was very fine, with large attendance. J. Z. Harvey of Quanah, the president of the Wichita Falls District will be present, and remain over to preach at the evening service. He recently preached at Vernon and eighteen young people accepted Christ during his service. Come and enjoy both these services. The Endeavorers are to furnish the choir for the evening service. Come and help them.

Our Easter meeting will consist of the following services: Friday evening, Saturday evening, sunrise prayer service Sunday morning, social Easter services at Sunday School and morning preaching hour, evangelistic services Sunday evening. We want to make these services as fervent and soul-winning as possible. Prepare yourself for a great blessing, pray for the success of the services, talk to the unsaved. "What Does it Matter?" will be the subject of the sermon by the pastor next Sunday morning. "The Finished Course" will be the subject used by Bro. Harvey at the evening service.

Let's have 125 present at Sunday School next Sunday. C. V. ALLEN, Pastor.

Baptist Church News Last Sunday was truly a banner day with Crowell Baptists. We reached our goal "by the skin of the teeth." The records revealed 247. This was within 3 of our goal. At the last moment the three came in and completed the 250. Our Sunday School has set a goal for next Sunday of 260. This is well within our reach. Let each one bring some one to the Sunday School.

Our men's Bible class was the largest in its history. It will continue to grow with Duck Wright and Vernon Pyle back of it with their good work. The president and secretary were on the job with both feet. The teacher was at his best.

The Dorcas and T. E. L. classes were beaming over with interest; the young people's department and the intermediates were alive with special interest; the juniors and primaries were raring to go and the beginners and Cradle Roll were above par.

The Church attendance was very fine at each service. It looks good to see such a fine army of men in these services. The pastor preached on "World Opportunity" at the morning hour and on "Wrecked Humanity" at the evening hour. At 3 p. m. he spoke to a full house at Black. The subject was, "A Father's Interest in His Son."

We all greatly enjoyed the special program of song rendered by our friends from Gambleville at 3 p. m. The fine folks greatly blessed us with their service. We had a full house to hear them. The evening service followed immediately. Each evening at 7:15 our Young People are putting on a special program. The public is invited.

Our B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S. are showing interest of real growth of late. No finer young woman ever lived than Miss Louise Ball, our B. Y. P. U. director. Come and help her.

The Wednesday evening services were fine last week. Next Sunday: Sunday School at 9:45; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.; W. M. S. at 3 p. m. Monday and Teachers and Officers Council at 6:45; Prayermeeting at 7:30 and choir practice at 8:15 Wednesday.

Come next Sunday and help reach our goal. A good place to worship. Come and welcome.

WOODIE W. SMITH, Pastor.

At The Church of Christ

At the Church of Christ last Sunday there was a good attendance and the whole assembly seemed to enjoy the service. There were some visitors from the Thalia congregation and Bro. Banister of Thalia made a talk on the 13th and 14th verses of the 16th chapter of 1 Corinthians, which furnished him with material on which he built a fine lesson full of admonition, edification and comfort to the ones engaged in the Christian warfare.

The night service was also good, though not so many out. Bro. and Sister T. O. Ketcherid of Medicine Mound were present. The subject for the night sermon was, "God's Manifest Love." Showing that God manifested His love in creating the universe, in making man in his own image as the crowning act of his creative work, and after man by transgression fell, giving him a law

and a savior that man might be ransomed from the fall and have part in the resurrection of the just. Beginning this week there will be services each Wednesday night at the Church of Christ until it becomes necessary to make a change in the time of these services. These services will consist of singing, reading the scripture, praying, talking and studying of the scripture, that we may know more about God, Christ and the Holy Spirit, that we may be better able to serve God and humanity in that way that will be well pleasing to God, glorifying to Christ and saving to our souls. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. They are for all who wish to engage themselves in such services as will impart to themselves and to others, soul inspiring and life uplifting principals, to guide the laboring pilgrims of time to that city where never cometh the darkening shades of night. Come, let us go up to the house of the Lord and reason together. E. J. SMITH, Minister.

Epworth League Program Subject: The Principles of Jesus Applied to Ordinary Family and Social Contacts. Leader—Granville Lanier. Piano prelude. Song. Scripture reading, Luke 12:13-32. Dan Hines Clark. Prayer—Rev. Osborn. The Brotherhood of God—Edward Huffman. The Brotherhood of Man—Miss Lottie Woods. Reading—Jim Lois Gafford. The Supremacy of Spiritual Values—Mildred Cogdell. Sacredness of Life and Personality—Mrs. Geo. Self. Song. Benediction.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Subject—Missionary Opportunities Scripture Reading—Romans 10:1-15. Introduction—Margaret Calvin. The Jews—Malisa Dawson. The Missionary—Carl Ivie. The Work—Juanita Thompson. Our Part—Pauline Norris. The Negroes—Bonnie Norris. The Problem—Ludell Green. What Can B. Y. P. U. Members Do?—Valton Wallace. The Mountain People—Mable Ivie. The Indians—Margaret Calvin. Everyone is invited to B. Y. P. U. Come at 6:30 and bring your friends with you. C. E. Program Subject—Why Christ is a Worthy Master. Leader—Raymond Burrow. Reading of Minutes—Secretary. Roll Call. Leaders Talk. Scripture and Comment—John

12:1-11; Phil. 2:5-11—Jewel Mullins. Special—It Pays to Serve Jesus. Jesus a Leader—Ted Burrow. Jesus a Worthy Master—Mary C. Giddings. Quotable Poetry—Thelma Draper. We will have J. L. Harvey, president of Wichita District, with us Sunday for Endeavor.

Christian Science Churches The lesson-sermon subject in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, was "Matter," Sunday, March 25. The golden text was from Isaiah 42:8. "I am the Lord; that is my name; and my glory will I not give to another, neither my praise to graven images." The service included the following passage from the Bible (Psalms 46:6): "The heathen raged, the kingdoms were moved; he uttered his voice, the earth melted." These citations from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy (pp. 281 and 27), were also read: "Our false views of matter perish as we grasp the facts of Spirit. 'He uttered His voice, the earth melted.' This Scripture indicates that all matter will disappear before the supremacy of Spirit." Foard City Epworth League Subject—The Principles of Jesus Applied to Ordinary Family and Social Contacts. Leader—Floyd Ferguson. Song. Scripture Reading—1 Sam. 25:10-17; 1 Peter 5:5. Leader's Talk. The Fatherhood of God—Thelma Ferguson. The Brotherhood of Man—Lina Weatherall. The Summary of Scripture Values—J. A. Blevins. The Sacredness of Life and Personality—Jack Welch. Sentence Prayers—Led by Marcus Mills and closed by Richard Sparks. Song. Benediction.

Sunday School Lesson

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The woman is far-sighted, but doesn't know it. How ridiculous she makes herself look, in her attempt to read the menu! Too many women, and men too, go through this same futile performance. Be sure that your own sight is normal!

Have your eyes examined! E. M. LEUTWYLER OPTOMETRIST 1731 FANNIN STREET VERNON, TEXAS

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THIS WOMAN IN 4 WEEKS LOST 17 POUNDS OF FAT

Here's a letter written October 21, 1929, by Mrs. Fred Barringer of Lewistown, Montana, that ought to be read by every overweight woman in America. Gentlemen: I started taking Kruschen very morning as directed as I was very much overweight and wanted to reduce. I had tried going on a diet but would get so hungry that my diet would not last long, so I decided to give "Kruschen Salts" a fair trial. The day I started to take them I weighed 256 lbs. and at present I weigh 239 lbs. And I must say, I feel better in every way, besides

looking much better. May all large people, both men and women, who want to reduce an easy way, give Kruschen Salts a fair trial. I am sure it will cure anyone. A bottle of Kruschen Salts lasts four weeks costs but 85c. Ferguson Bros. drug store or drugstore in America. Take half teaspoon in a glass of hot water before breakfast every morning help reduce swiftly cut out fat and fatty meats and go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar. The Kruschen way is the safe way to reduce—Try one bottle and be joyfully satisfied—money back

Matthew, Mark and John. Only by getting all the content of each can you obtain the fullest picture of His wonderful life among men. The title is a fine generalization. After thirty years at Nazareth Jesus announced the Kingdom of God and stated its active principles, as in the Sermon on the Mount. Some of the disciples of John the Baptist left the wilderness preacher to sit at the feet of the Master Teacher. From a large number of such students, Twelve were chosen as apostles and had more intensive training. These men journey often with Jesus. School was held by the wayside in the siesta periods of resting and when they camped at night. Three general periods define the reception of Jesus. At first He was in obscurity. Then favorable attention was gained because of His miracles. During the long ministry in Galilee He was in popular favor. This continued until He refused to

he their bread making king, after feeding of the five thousand, so that there was a period of excitement and a still more intensive training of the twelve. During recent weeks we have been journeying with Him in His approach to Jerusalem through Perea. The Gospel Text indicates what it is all about—"Jesus of Nazareth—who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him." Acts 10:38. Two new ideas in road construction are being experimented with in Illinois and cotton in Texas, success of which will mean a new let for large quantities of both commodities. Brick over steel foundations and cotton cloth as a base asphalt are used in the experiments. There are 125,000 men in the United States prisons, more than in the standing army.

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Junior Edition

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

LELLA BEN ALLEE, Editor EVELYN SLOAN, Ass't. Editor

Junior-Senior Banquet to Be Held Next Fri.

The Juniors of Crowell High School will give the Seniors a banquet Friday night, April 3, at the Griffith Hotel.

Average of 99.27 Made by Crowell High in Art

Crowell High School made a grand average of 99.27 percentage in the art contest that was held last week.

Members of Crowell Tennis Team Chosen

Ragsdale Lanier and Harold Hinds will represent the boys doubles in tennis for Crowell High School this year.

Ragsdale and Harold eliminated McCoy and J. M. Crowell last week, and Venson Hall and Ralph McCoy Monday to win a right to play the doubles.

JUNIORS SPONSOR SHOW

The Juniors of Crowell High School sponsored the show, "New Moon," Monday night at the Rialto.

gold trimmed in black. The famous Northwestern style of striping is on the front with a large "C" and 18 inch numerals are on the back, ranging from twenty to thirty six.

Coach Graves stated that he had ordered one of the jerseys to fit J. M. Crowell in case he made the team.

Crowell High School Wins District Play Tournament Saturday

Crowell High School is proud of its one-act play cast and its director, Mrs. L. T. Graves.

Here's hoping that Crowell will win the regional tourney at Abilene and then the finals at Austin.

Class Mothers Honor Seniors with Party

Probably one of the most attractive of the socials this year was given last Tuesday evening, March 17, when the class mothers of the Senior Class Mrs. Geo. Allison and Mrs. W. B. Carter, entertained with a St. Patrick party.

Games of "600" were played with Miss Patterson winning high score. She received a miniature St. Patrick hat filled with mints.

The dainty refreshments were in harmony with the date. St. Patrick decorations were attractively carried out through the evening.



The above illustration describes Orville Orr's piece of last week better than words, according to the Freshmen.

Debaters Are Securing Considerable Practice

Our High School debaters are getting plenty of practice now. They journeyed to Vernon Friday and debated. Our boy's team, which is composed of J. M. Crowell and Mitchell Allee, took the negative and our girl's team, which is composed of Jo Roark and Maggie Meason, took the affirmative.

The question for Interscholastic League debating this year is resolved "The jury system of court procedure in the United States should be abolished."

The boy's team took the affirmative and debated the girl's team in Chapel Monday morning. Both teams went to Quanaa and debated Tuesday afternoon, with the boys taking the affirmative and the girls taking the negative.

The winners in the debates between Crowell and Thalia, which are to be decided this week-end, will represent Foard County at the district meet that is to be held at Childress April 17 and 18.



SAME PRESCRIPTION HE WROTE IN 1892

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant.

This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. B. B. Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

Classes to Clash in Spring Grid Training

Football spring training has been held up to some extent the past week due to the final preparation for the county meet that is being held this week-end in Crowell.

There have been several scrimmage games held already and several more are to be held within the next week or so, according to Coach Graves.

Up to the present time John Todd and Lefty Mullins have been looking the best in the back field, while Recie Womack, Mitchell Allee, Lorraine Carter and Glen Raspberry have been looking mighty good in the line.

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ORVILLE ANSWERED

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JOKES

Cecile: Cinton, how much gas do we have?

Clinton: It says half, but I don't know whether that means half full or half empty.

Alyne: These gloves are ten sizes too small for me.

Topsy: Didn't you ask for kid gloves.

Anabel: Oh! How nice to be an aviator.

Aviator: Yeh! Want a fly?

Anabel: Oh! Yes, yes.

Aviator: Well, wait a minute and I'll catch one.

How's Business?

"Business is poor," said the beggar.

"Quoth the undertaker, 'It's dead.'" "Falling Off," said the riding school teacher.

The druggist, "Oh, vial," he said.

"It's all write with me," said the author.

"Picking up," said the man on the dump.

"My business is sound," said the drummer.

Said the athlete, "I'm kept on the jump."

The bottler declared it was "corking."

The parson, "It's good."

"I make both ends meet," said the butcher.

And the tailor replied, "It suits me."

Mr. Graves: (Feeling a twinge in the back while tuning in on the radio.) I believe I'm getting lumbago.

Mrs. Graves: What's the use, dear? You won't be able to understand a thing they say.

Guy: Evelyn, let's walk down and see the football field.

Evelyn: Oh, let's do. I've always wanted to see a field of footballs in full bloom.

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Advertisement for Dr. Hines Clark, Physician and Surgeon, Office Russell Building over Reader Drug Store.

New Football Jerseys Received for '31 Team

Sixteen new football jerseys have been received by Coach Graves for our football team to wear next fall.

Advertisement for Franklin Cash Grocery, listing prices for Friday and Saturday: Lettuce, nice heads 5c; Small Oranges, per dozen 19c; Crackers Brown's Snowflakes, 2 lb 27c; Tomatoes, No. 2, 3 for 25c; Matches, 6 boxes 15c; Soap, Luna, 10 bars 32c; Pinto Beans, 5 lbs. for 25c; White Swan Oats, large box 19c; Campbell's Tomato Soup 10c; Coffee, Queen Peaberry, 2 lbs. 35c.

Advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company, titled "Electricity Aids the Small City". It discusses the benefits of electric power for small towns and mentions the company's service area.

Society

Mrs. Clint White Elected President Crowell PTA

The regular meeting of the Crowell P. T. A. was held in the High School auditorium last Tuesday afternoon. A splendid entertainment program was given by the Primary department of the school. Each grade rendered a number, all of which were very pretty and interesting and much enjoyed by the mothers. The most important business of the afternoon was the election of officers. The following were elected for the year 1931-32: President, Mrs. Clint White; vice-president, Mrs. Sam Rosenthal; Secretary, Mrs. A. Y. Beverly; Treasurer, Mrs. Jno. Long. The chairman of the standing committees follow: Program, Mrs. N. J. Roberts; membership, Mrs. T. F. Hughton; finance, Mrs. H. Clark; publicity, Mrs. John McAnear; Hospitality and social, Mrs. B. W. Self; room sponsors, Mrs. Frank Moore; Health and Hygiene, Miss Lottie Woods; Magazines, Mrs. T. B. Klepper. In the count of mothers present, Miss Woods' room received the plant in the Primary department, Miss Cryer's room in the intermediate department and the Sophomore class in the high school department. Mesdames Clint White, Hines Clark, T.

B. Klepper and Misses Woods and Patterson were elected as delegates to the district convention to be held in Wichita Falls, April 9, 10 and 11. The program was a very interesting one on child hygiene, with Mrs. Clark as leader. Mrs. W. B. Johnson made a splendid talk on Mental hygiene and childhood and Mrs. T. P. Reader gave an interesting discussion on "Mental Health Characteristics of Normal Child." The mothers and teachers of the seventh grade were hostesses and served sandwiches to an unusually large number of mothers and friends. The committee who had charge of the quilt show was Mesdames W. C. McKown, L. A. Beverly, A. Y. Beverly, Anna Lilly and Otis Ross.

QUILT SHOW

The Crowell P. T. A. sponsored a very interesting event last Thursday afternoon in the form of a quilt show which was held at the home of Mrs. N. J. Roberts.

Nearly 100 specimens of handiwork were displayed and enjoyed by a large number of ladies. These included quilts, old and new, coverlets, bedspreads, embroidered pictures, articles of clothing worn by citizens years ago, a hooked rug and curios of various kinds.

Mrs. Roberts was in charge of a short program and made a very appropriate introductory talk. She was followed by Mrs. J. M. Allee who made a most interesting talk on quilts and the days when quilting events were the outstanding social events. Mrs. Allee said that she had recently had the remark made to her that she had gotten "the quilt spirit" along with everyone else. In reply she said that she got the quilt spirit when she was seven years of age and had never lost it. She had on display a quilt quilted in 1876 and one quilted in 1931. Her talk was interspersed with humorous experiences of bygone days and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Helen Harwell, in colonial costume, gave a pretty reading entitled, "Grandmother's Patchwork Quilt." Mrs. T. F. Hughton talked on "Coverlets." She opened her remarks by saying that Mrs. Allee's talk was first-hand, but her's was, necessarily, second-hand, having been told to her by her grandmother and she had on display several coverlets woven by her grandmother. She said that the coverlet was to America what the Oriental rug was to Europe. The last number on the program was a song, "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party" by Mesdames A. F. Wright, J. F. Doolen, C. W. Thompson, W. W. Griffith, T. B. Klepper and Miss Lottie Woods.

Mesdames Tom Cooper and J. A. Johnson were judges of the quilts and the following blue ribbons were awarded: the prettiest flower quilt, Mrs. Oscar Boman; the prettiest bird quilt, Mrs. W. B. Johnson; the best quilted quilt (55 years old), Mrs. J. M. Allee; the best pieced quilt, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid; the prettiest quilt top, Mrs. B. F. Ringgold; the most novel quilt, Mrs. Wm. Bell. Nearly two hundred ladies and several men enjoyed the occasion.

THALIA GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

The Thalia 4-H club girls met Friday, March 20, at the Thalia High School. All members were present with two new members. There will be a program given next meeting. Miss Hale gave a demonstration on "How to make pillow cases." The girls of this community have taken a great interest in improving

the school ground and also in improving their yards and gardens at home. The total average of things that have been planted by the 4-H club girls are as follows: Twenty-four trees, eighty-seven shrubs, 14 gardens, one hundred and twelve flowers and there are one hundred and twenty little chicks being raised by some of the girls. Next meeting will be April 3.—Reporter

THE COLUMBIAN CLUB

The Columbian Club met at the home of Mrs. S. T. Crews on Wednesday afternoon, March 18.

The names of favorite songs were given in response to roll call. Those contributing to the program were: Mrs. M. L. Hughton, who gave "MacDowell's Life and Works"; Mrs. B. D. Miller, "The MacDowell Artist Colony"; Mrs. T. L. Hughton, "Five Famous Hymns"; Mrs. Crews, piano selections by MacDowell; Mrs. J. R. Self, "Music Memory Contest of Old Time Melodies"; Miss Winnie Thompson, clarinet solo, "Spirit of Joy"; Mary Elizabeth Hughton and Florence Miller assisted the hostess in serving dainty refreshments to the club members and the following guests: Mrs. Tom Beverly, Mrs. Ernest King, Miss Winnie Thompson, Miss Black, Miss Cryer and Miss Lucille Ellis.—Reporter.

GAMBLEVILLE GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

On March 19 the Gambleville 4-H Club met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Starnes. There were thirteen members present. Miss Hale gave a demonstration on how to make a sweet salad dressing and how to make cooked mayonnaise. We adjourned to meet with Mrs. J. C. Starnes April 2.—Reporter.

FOARD CITY CLUB

The girls club met March 17 in the women's new club house. Miss Hale and thirteen members were present with two absent. After the business meeting, Miss Hale inspected our pillow cases. She also checked our table setting and yard improvements.

The members of our club are making excellent progress with their yards. There has been thirty two shrubs, twenty-three trees and eighty-two flower plants set out. We adjourned to meet March 31 in the club house. All pillow cases are to be handed in at the next meeting.—Reporter.

T. E. L. CLASS

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School held a very interesting meeting on March 19th in the home of Mrs. Herman Fox with Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Tanner Billington as hostesses. Vice-president Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin presided and Mrs. Fox leading the devotional.

After the regular order of business was disposed of we enjoyed a contest. A lovely plate carrying out our class colors of Nile green and white was served to 18 members.—Reporter.

GAMBLEVILLE CLUB NEWS

Mrs. A. F. Derrington was hostess to the Gambleville Club Feb. 12. Nineteen members and 3 visitors were present.

The subject was "making a canning budget." Mrs. E. W. Burrow was leader for the afternoon. Mrs. E. A. Dunagan gave a very clever reading, "Results of the Frying Pan on Poor Lige Brown."

The Club met again on Feb. 23rd with Mrs. Fred Diggs. The subject was "menu making." Each member gave a report on the number of shrubs, vines and plants she had put out. Refreshments were served to 11 members and 4 visitors. Adjournment was made to meet with Mrs. C. E. Dodd April 2.—Reporter.

SIXTH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mrs. H. D. Nelson entertained a number of little boys last Thursday afternoon in honor of the 6th birthday of her son, Charles. Games of basketball were played outdoors and various other games were played indoors and a happy two hours were spent.

The birthday cake with its six pink candles adorned the dining table and was served with ice-cream to the following: Charles Stuart Clark, A. Y. Bell, Stanley Sanders Jr., Charlie Thompson Jr., J. T. Hughton, John Calvin Carter, Edwin Edgin, Joe Wallace Beverly, Ted Crosnoe, Billie Newton Klepper, Junior Nelson and the honoree. Charles received many nice gifts.

AYERSVILLE CLUB

The Ayersville Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, March 19, with Mrs. J. L. Short with five members and one visitor and Miss Hale present.

A canning budget was explained by Miss Hale and each made a budget to the amount of persons in family. Everyone being enthusiastic over canning this coming year as well as the past year. An exchange of flower seeds was made.

The club adjourned to meet April 16 with Mrs. J. H. Ayers.—Reporter.

Tallest British Soldier



Captain Hay of the Black Watch, photographed on his way to the King's levee at St. James Palace, is nearly seven feet tall and wears a bushy top of hair.

Celebrities of Stage and Screen Meet



Charlie Chaplin, the world's most popular film actor, paying his respects to George Bernard Shaw, the most brilliant of England's playwrights, with Lord and Lady Astor look on.

KNOW TEXAS

Texas with 6,000 of the 40,000 miles in the United States leads in gas pipe line mileage. It also leads the 24 gas producing states in production.

Texas has an Indian population of 2,102 and is the home of one tribe, the Alabama, who have a reservation in Polk County.

Texas stands seventh among states in lumber production. Texas has 579 incorporated cities, according to the census—136 of them having been incorporated since 1920. Texas is the only State that has its public domain, which in States belongs to the Federal Government.

John Wishon Jr. Wins Ford Mileage Contest

John Wishon Jr. won the Model A Ford mileage contest last Friday by covering a distance of 39.7 miles on one gallon of gasoline. He drove a 1930 Ford coupe. Maurice Kenner, driving Merle Kincaid's 1929 roadster, won second with 36.1 miles; J. H. Lanier Jr., in his 1930 coupe, won third with 32.5 miles, and Mrs. Roscoe Eubank, in her 1928 roadster, won fourth. Prizes for these winners were awarded by Self Motor Co., local Ford dealers, who sponsored the contest.

Others among the first ten in the order that they placed are: A. W. Lilly, L. A. Beverly, Mack Boswell, Mabry Kimsley, Alton Bell and M. L. Hughton.

Nineteen Fords took part in the contest and the average mileage was 27.76. The run started at Self Motor Co. and proceeded to Lockett, where the cars turned around for the return. Wishon returned a few miles west of Thalia. Kenner lacked only a very short distance in reaching Thalia.

A. W. Lilly of Self Motor Co. drove a 1928 coupe with 94,000 miles to its credit, in an exhibition run in the contest and covered 31.2 miles.

A strong wind directly from the north was more of a hindrance than a help in the contest.

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Salt, three 5c packages	10c
Bleach Tex, 3 rolls for	25c
Peas, Black Eyed, 3 cans	25c
Coffee, 3-lb. Can Blossom	77c
Soap, 10 bars Big 4 for	32c
Matches, 6 boxes for	14c
Soup, White Swan Vegetable, can	8c
Salt, 25-lb. sack	31c
Toilet Soap and Glass, 6 for	49c
Crisco and Mixing Bowl	Regular
Swan Down Cake Flour	36c
Baking Powder, 50c K. C.	43c

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M. N. Kenner, driving a 1929 roadster 36.1 Miles

J. H. Lanier, driving a 1930 Sport Coupe 32.5 miles

Mrs. Roscoe Eubank, driving 1928 roadster 31.3 mi.

This contest was conducted along the strictist line that was fair to all. The gasoline tank was drained and one gallon of gasoline put in the tank and then the tank was sealed. The driver run the car until the gallon was exhausted. There were 19 cars entered the race and 27.76 miles per gallon was the average.

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