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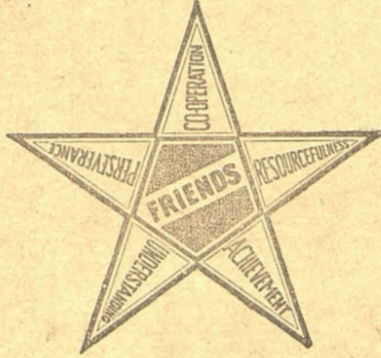
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## Townsite Gets 3 More Good Wells; Shallow Field Shows Good

### Our Bank Policy

—It is the policy of this bank to offer friendly assistance and advice to our depositors. To serve every business interest—large or small—in a way that will assure the success of every worthy customer, and so increase the wealth of the community we serve.

—Avail yourself of our Bank Policy by opening a permanent connection here.



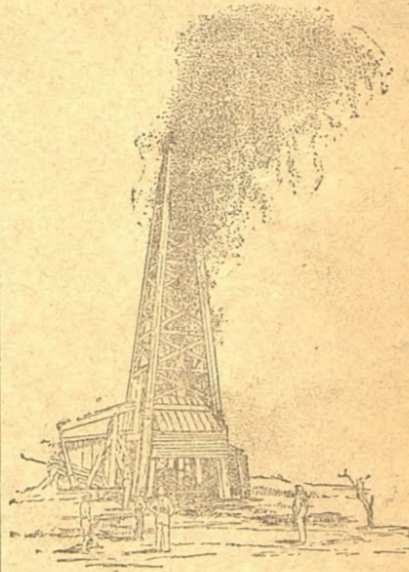
### Farmers National Bank

Read our messages appearing in Farm and Ranch



OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

"A Bank of Personal Service"



The town-site field shows rapid increase in development and production, with three more good producers completed the past week, and additional wells drilling, as well as several new locations being made.

J. G. Weiler, on block 83, completed well for a 200 barrel producer. Brannon & Murry, block 85, finished well for 150 barrels. Cranfill & Reynolds completed their well on block 90 for 150 barrels. These figures are very conservative.

The total number of producers in the townsite today are nine. All of these wells found production in the 1400 foot sand and the oil is high gravity, testing about 43.

The following is Wednesday's drilling report.

L. A. Warren, block 6, Steele addition, missed the pay  
McCamey, Neeb & Stone block 10 Central addition, drilling at 500

Frank Skinner, et al, block 73, Central addition, drilling at 1412  
A. G. Malone, et al, block 75, Central addition, drilling at 835 feet

Inland Oil Co. block 59, Central addition, have machine on ground.

Cranfill & Reynolds, block 74, Central addition, drilling at 835 feet.

Kirk & Stone, block 69, central addition, drilling at 470

Mook-Texas Co., Canyon Oil & Gas and M. E. Wakefield on McDonough No. 2, drilling at 245

May, Jones & McCarter, on block 84, fishing at 1000 feet.

Cowboy Evans block 4 Haley addition, shut down at 200 feet

Lowe, DuLaney & Carter, block 77, rigging up

Cranfill & Reynolds, block 92, drilling at 250

Fain, et al, block 64, moving in machine.

Mook Texas Co., Canyon Oil & Gas Co. and M. E. Wakefield drilling at 1250 on block 88. This same company is rigging up on block 87. Brown & Co., Inc., drilling at 300 on block 70.

White & Harris are drilling at 840 on block 25 for No. 2.

Mook Texas, Canyon Oil & Gas Co., block 23, drilling at 380 feet.

L. A. Warren block 47, location.

AlBrittan et al, block 62, machine on location.

Herbert Oil Co. block 67, building rig.

Cranfill & Reynolds block 66, completing rig.

Lowe, DuLaney & Carter, block 81 rig timbers on ground.

Lowe, DuLaney & Carter, block 78, location.

Just south of town, Canyon Oil & Gas Co. and T. B. Slick are drilling at 600 on their S. C. Barr No. 2.

Mook Texas Co. are drilling at 565 feet on their Derrington No. 1.

O. B. Sudderth is drilling at 540 feet on the T. C. Thorne No. 1.

C. O. Moore, et al, drilling at 1175 feet on M. A. White farm west of own.

The shallow field two miles southwest of town was favored with several new producers the past week and the field is developing rapidly.

C. O. Moore McDaniels has completed No. 6 for 15 barrels, moving machines to No. 7 location. Cranfill & Reynolds and Canyon Oil & Gas Co. Crockett No. 5, spudding. Cranfill & Reynolds Bond No. 1, showing for 12 barrels; this well extends the field 1-4 mile northeast. J. K. Hughes Franke No. 2, small well. W. M. Wilson, trustee, Franke No. 1, spudding. Eastland Oil Co. missed pay. Pennant Oil & Gas Co. Franke No. 3 completed for 12 barrels.

Harvey & Garner, Rudloff No. 1, spudding.

T. & P. Oil Co., Westerman No. 1, spudding.

J. K. Hughes, Franke No. 3 and 4 locations.

J. K. Hughes completed his moore No. 2, in Cross Cut section for 10,000, 000 feet gasser.

No report from Cross Cut and wild cats this week.

### C. OF C. MEETING WELL ATTENDED, MUCH INTEREST

The Chamber of Commerce meeting Tuesday night was well attended and interest shown was unusually good. Several matters of importance were discussed and a action taken.

The main subjects under consideration were water, street and housing problems and it was the will of the organization to co-operate in every possible way to speed up those programs.

The new water distributing system has been completed with the exception of installing meters and that is being done, and it is planned to have adequate supply of water in the very near future. The streets are to be given attention in a few days, according to present plans. Funds will be provided for that purpose. "Build more Homes" —Start a building program at once. That was the consensus of opinion at the organization, as expressed also. The keynote registered at the meeting was progress—Go forward.

### COTTON OPENING FAST AND MORE PICKERS ARE NEEDED

Cotton is opening rapidly here and the demand for pickers increases.

Mr. J. H. Rhone, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, states that American and negro help can be had in most any number at different points by going after them or furnishing transportation but white labor is scarce and hard to find. The cotton crop here is good, the yield is estimated around one-third of a bale per acre; reasonable price for picking paid here.

Over 700 bales have been weighed here to date. Both gins very busy.

Dr. Joe C. Young, of Dallas is locating in Cross Plains and will office with Dr. Howard. He will do general practice and surgery. His family will probably arrive next week. Dr. Young is a graduate of north Western University of Chicago, has had two years in Cincinnati General Hospital, spent some time in Cook County Hospital, also had quite a lot of post graduate work in De Lee's Lying-in Hospital in Chicago, and for the past three years has been doing general practice in Dallas. He also has had special work in throat treatment, it is stated.

### BAPTIST CALL PASTOR HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The Baptist Church in conference here Wednesday night called Rev. H. O. Hearn, of Liberty, Texas, as pastor. It is understood he will accept the call. He will probably move here in week or ten days. He has been very successful in pastoral work.

### Oldest Mason is Dead

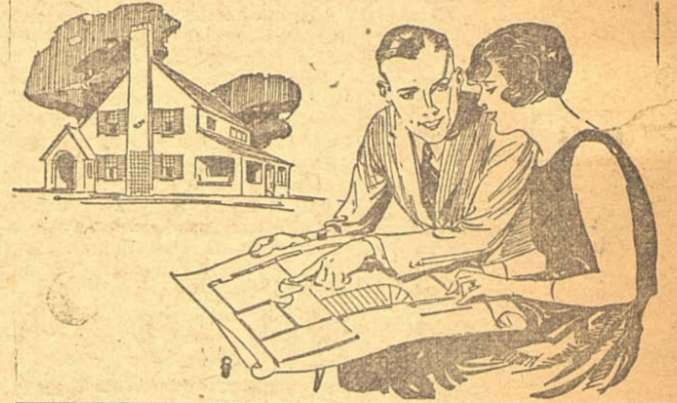
BRECKENRIDGE, Mo., Sept. 14—Dr. Joseph Singer Halstead, 107 years old, the oldest Freemason in the United States, died at his home here Sunday night.

He saw Gen. Lafayette in this country in 1821 and was family physician and personal friend of Henry Clay. He was born in Lexington, Ky., March 4, 1818.

### Band Concert Friday Night

Don't forget the band concert Friday night. The band will render several popular and classical numbers. Concert starts at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Clara Hodges and baby of Silver City, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mitchell.



## Make Her Happier Build a Home First

We have the Plans, Service and Lumber. Whata you say?

JOE H. SHACKELFORD'S Lumber, Paint and Hardware Store

### STOCK LAW ELECTION SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

There will be a county stock law election held Saturday, Sept. 26. It seems that such a law was voted on and carried some years ago, but from some cause, it is stated that the law is of non-effect—and the voters are again called upon to express themselves. The Review is not informed as to the exact reasons for the invalidity of the law as formerly passed. But the court has ordered an election to again pass on the question as to whether or not Callahan county should have a stock law prohibiting live stock from running at large, and it is hoped that this precinct will poll a good vote. Turn out and vote your convictions.

Why not build a home—if you have the means? A large number of families are anxious to move here—but there are no houses for rent. These people should be accommodated. If we want more people here, homes must be provided for them. What are we going to do? It's time to act!

### GROUP PICTURE OF PIONEERS SHOWN IN STAR-TELEGRAM

Monday's Star-Telegram featured a group picture of sturdy Pioneers of Cross Cut and Cross Plains, who have lived here 30 years or more. There were 17 men in the group, some of whom have extensive oil acreage in Cross Cut field, and are wealthy. The picture was taken at a barbecue at Cross Cut recently. Those in the picture are as follows:

J. K. Gafford, H. A. Newton, John Newton, J. W. Newton, O. B. Newton, A. F. Wilhs, R. W. Pentecost, J. W. Gholson, J. B. Eubanks, John Westerman, Jim Coffman, Alfred Mills, Cliff Westerman, W. E. Gaines, G. B. Gaines, S. D. Stone, W. P. Elsberry.

Read the ads. The business men who advertise in the Review are spending their money to send you a message, and the readers should tune in and connect up with the advertisers. You will find each message interesting and often very profitable. It pays to read the ads. Make it a habit.



### School Supplies

This store is headquarter for school supplies. Everything from a slate pencil to the most select articles needed awaits your selection. Pencils, Fountain Pens, Ink, Tablets, Note Books, Book Straps, etc.

### The City Drug Store

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

Read the League's messages in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine

### Banking By Mail

U. B. Phrifty



When your time is limited, and every daylight hour must be used on the farm, just drop your banking transactions in an envelope and address it to us.

Your letter will receive the same careful attention that you would if you came in person.

Banking by mail saves time for important work—you'll like it.

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The First Guaranty State Bank CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

M. E. Wakefield, President, Geo. B. S...  
J. A. Bar, vice-Pres. J. D...  
John Newton, E. I. Vestal, Noah Johnson  
Paul V. Harrell D...

# The Old Standby in a New Dress



—the same dependable remedy that over a period of more than fifty years has been found so reliable in the treatment of catarrh and diseases of catarrhal nature.

The outside of the package only has been altered. To facilitate packing and reduce breakage in shipping, the paper wrapper which has identified the Pe-ru-na bottle for many years has been displaced by a substantial pasteboard carton.

Pe-ru-na cannot be made any better. Three generations of users testify that Pe-ru-na is the best remedy in the world for catarrh and diseases of catarrhal origin.

The remedy our fathers and grandfathers used with so much satisfaction is still the standby for the ills of everyday in thousands of American homes.

## PE-RU-NA

The Original and Reliable Remedy for Catarrh

Sold Everywhere Tablets or Liquid

The New Package

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### Wasn't in the Curriculum

A knowledge of pedagogy does not always beget a knowledge of the finer aspects of horticulture or agriculture. For instance, the teacher in one of the junior high schools of a northern Indiana city had occasion to visit with her father the little garden the parent had planted in the rear of the factory where he was superintendent.

"Daddy, dear," she said in the tone characteristic of girls who have passed the teen age, "do the cabbages grow on top of the ground or underneath the ground?"

### Peddling Pays

Two hundred and fifty of New York's East side street vendors who peddle via pushcarts, everything from shoelaces to watermelons paid \$5 a plate for the privilege of attending a testimonial dinner to members of their profession. The invitations were gold-inscribed, and the meal was of the best variety. Mrs. Molly Barasch, "queen of the peddlers," wore her diamond diadem and a white lace dress.

### Two Soaps That Lather Freely

A great many persons who have been using "That Good Old Pine Tar Soap" for all or part of the time since 1878 do not realize that Grandpa's Wonder Soap comes also in both White and Green.

Grandpa's Wonder White Soap is a coconut oil soap that lathers freely in any kind of water, whether it be hot or cold. After all, it is lather that makes a soap and this has a rich, creamy lather that reaches right down into the pores of the skin and grabs every last particle of dirt.

Grandpa's Wonder Green Soap is a combination of coconut, palm and olive oils that has an especially delightful effect on tender skin. Either burned or chapped skins find this soap both soothing and cooling.

Most dealers handle Grandpa's Wonder Pine Tar Soap and sell also both the White and the Green, in either medium or large size cakes, at popular prices.—Adv.

### Chromium Plating

A recently invented process of chromium plating produces wearing surfaces harder than any known metal, with a finish having twenty times the life of nickel plate.—Science Service.

### BEAUTIFY IT WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

Just Dip to Tint or Boil to Dye

Each 15-cent package contains directions so simple any woman can tint soft, delicate shades or dye rich, permanent colors in lingerie, silks, ribbons, skirts, waists, dresses, coats, stockings, sweaters, draperies, coverings, hangings — everything!

Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—and tell your druggist whether the material you wish to color is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Compared It With His Own She (reading from newspaper)—Figures show that women eat less than men. He—Your figure doesn't.—Boston Transcript.

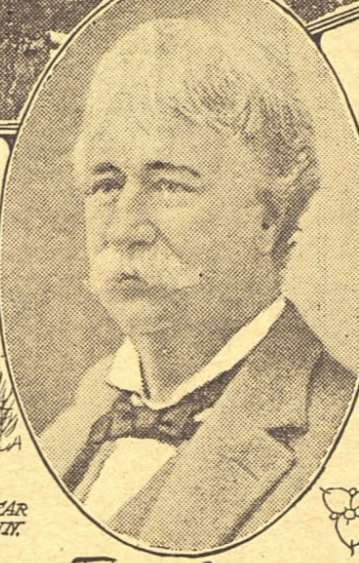
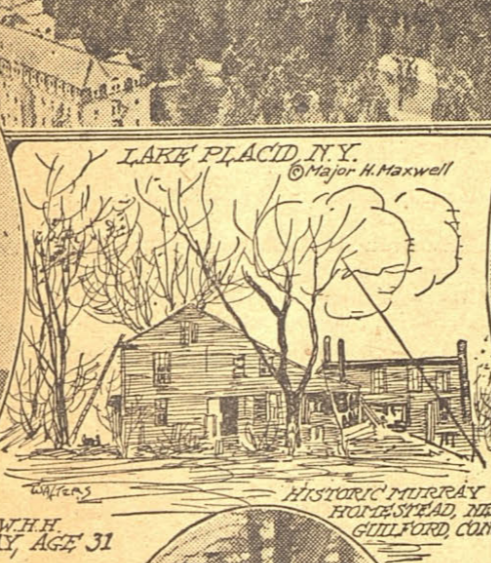
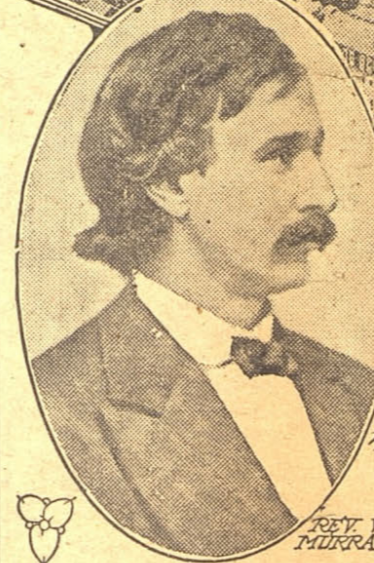
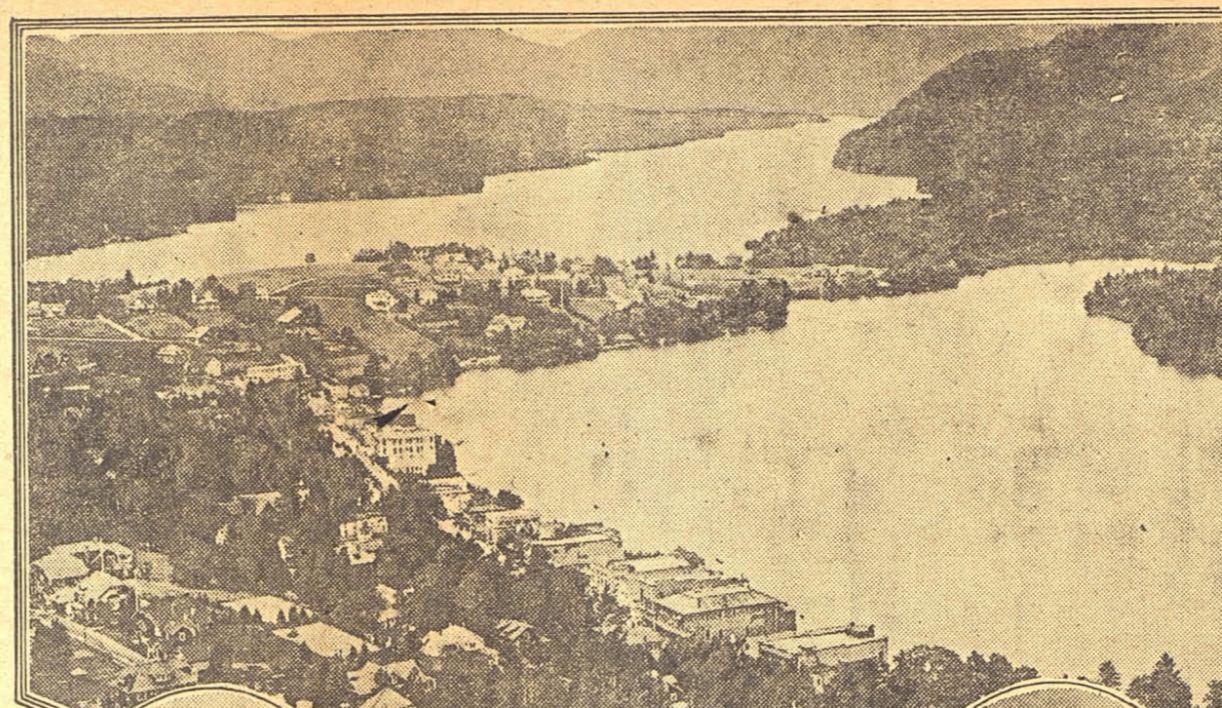
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M. P. Builds Stone Wall A British member of parliament built, without assistance, recently, a stone wall 40 feet long and seven feet high in ten days.

Every department of housekeeping needs Red Cross Ball Blue. Equally good for kitchen towels, table linen, sheets and pillowcases, etc.—Advertisement.

Heavy earthworks, bridges and tunnels will be required in new railroad 7 miles long soon to be built in A

# "ADIRONDACK" MURRAY



## FATHER OF THE OUTDOOR RECREATION MOVEMENT

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

THE EAST has but one national park and that a small one—Lafayette, on the island of Mount Desert off the coast of Maine. But it has the Adirondacks. Of its kind there is no better in all the world. Many thousands of city-weary Americans have motored through the

"Great North Woods" this summer; other thousands are on their way at this moment. Many thousands have had a joyous summer in its public and private camps and in resorts; other thousands are there still. Last winter thousands of the red-blooded—who scorn to follow the summer and believe that it takes Jack Frost to put the finishing touch to the mental, moral and physical make-up of the efficient—played in its snow and on its ice; thousands will be there again next winter.

Republicans may or may not be ungrateful. They certainly are often forgetful. Read now the story of Rev. William Henry Harrison Murray and the Adirondacks.

The Adirondacks lie in the northeast corner of New York in the great triangle formed by the St. Lawrence and the Canadian line, Lakes Champlain and George, the Mohawk river and Lake Ontario. History began early all around the Adirondacks. Champlain—so far as history records—was the first white man to get sight of its mountains—in 1608, when he discovered Lake Champlain.

Yet the Adirondacks long remained an "Undiscovered Country." On Governor Parnall's map of the British colonies of 1776 this tract is inscribed: "This vast Tract of Land, which is the Antient Couchsachrage, one of the four Beaver Hunting Counties of the Six Nations, is not yet Surveyed."

After the Revolution most of the Indians of Six Nations fled to Canada. Those who remained were made harmless. The guard over the Adirondacks was broken. Civilization grew rapidly all around the "Indian Beaver Hunting Country." Yet for generation after generation it lay unexplored.

The sportsmen were the first to penetrate the wilderness of the "Great North Woods." For them it was a "land flowing with milk and honey." Among them was Rev. W. H. H. Murray of Boston, who first went there in 1864. The sportsman is the gentleman of outdoors. And the Boston minister was all that and more, explorer, nature-lover, naturalist, woodsman, rifleman, canoeist, hunter, angler, orator, author.

Mr. Murray was a farmer's boy and



WINTER SPORT Underwood by Underwood

was born April 26, 1840, at Guilford, Conn. A sketch shows the Murray homestead. It still stands. It has been occupied by ten generations of the Murrays. He worked his way through Yale (1862) and a theological seminary. After filling several New England pulpits, his talents carried him in 1868 to the Park Street Congregational church in Boston, then one of the most prominent in the country.

Mr. Murray achieved nation-wide fame in his Boston pulpit. His sermons were printed all over the country. His popularity was equal to that of Henry Ward Beecher. As an orator he ranked with Wendell Phillips and Sumner and Gough.

In the spring of 1869 Ticknor & Fields published his first book, "Adventures in the Wilderness; or, Camp Life in the Adirondacks." It created a situation that attracted nation-wide attention. Editors called the book "a monstrous hoax." Cartoonists handled the young author without gloves. Noted divines declared that "he had disgraced his high station by thus practicing upon the people, especially the weakly and the sick, a cruel joke." Those who believed and started for the Adirondacks were ridiculed as "Murray's Fools."

The "Murray Rush" of "Murray's Fools" for the Adirondacks began in the early summer. Thousands swamped every possible accommodation of the wilderness; thousands had to turn back. Those who got in returned to report the book as telling only half the truth. The rush continued season after season. It was the beginning of the enormous attendance of today.

If success like Murray's can be reckoned in dollars, here are the figures: He was receiving a salary and perquisites of almost \$20,000. He was earning an additional \$10,000 on the lecture platform. His royalties on "Adventures in the Wilderness" up to the time of his death (1904) amounted to \$58,000.

Socially Mr. Murray was lionized. Emerson, Longfellow, Whittier, Holmes, Hawthorne, Halleck, Agassiz, Prescott, Beecher, Phillips and Fields were his personal friends and inti-

mates. Phillips said of his book: "It has kindled a thousand campfires and taught a thousand pens how to write of nature." At a public dinner given in his honor Emerson challenged him to write a truly great book, which should not contain a female character. Murray's answer to the challenge was "Adirondack Tales"—including "The Story the Keg Told Me" and "The Man Who Didn't Know Much."

At thirty-four Murray retired from the pulpit (1874) and for seven years traveled all over the world. He then resumed lecturing and reading from his published works. He was tremendously popular. He read, "How John Norton the Trapper Kept Christmas" before more than 500 audiences.

Murray spent his last twelve years on the Guilford homestead, cultivating his farm lands, privately educating his four daughters, writing and revising his many published works. March 3, 1904, he died in the very room in which he had been born 64 years before. Much of the old homestead has been kept just as he left it—open fireplace, books, writing table, guns over the open fireplace. Under a giant butternut tree close by the house rest the remains of "Adirondack" Murray, "Father of the Out-of-Doors Idea in the United States."

The "Empire State" awakened in time to the importance of the Adirondacks. In 1892 it established Adirondack park, which includes all of Hamilton county and adjacent parts of Essex, Franklin, St. Lawrence, Warren and Herkimer counties. It contains about 3,313,000 acres, of which the state owns about 1,412,000 acres. Then there is the Adirondack Preserve. This is the general title of lands owned by the state for the purpose of conserving the forests and water supply.

The Adirondacks contain virgin hardwood forests, more than 1,000 lakes, kept well stocked with game fish, and a network of streams. The mountainous section culminates in Essex county. Mt. Marcy's (5,344 feet) is the highest elevation in the state. In this mountain region are Lake Placid, the Upper and Lower Saranac lakes and other popular resorts. To the south and west is a plateau of from 1,500 to 1,800 feet, dotted with many lakes.

It does not seem possible that this man could have been forgotten. Yet so it is. Only the few know of him either as preacher, lecturer or sportsman. Even his books—though first editions of several are said to be worth their weight in gold—are out of print. Ask for yourself and see how many know the character "John Norton, the Trapper" whom he created. Yet there are people who think that in comparison Cooper's "Natty Bumppo" is a clothing-store dummy. It is apparently only in the Adirondacks that the memory of Rev. W. H. H. Murray lives in his feats of woodcraft and sportsmanship.

# SICK WOMEN SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED

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### Sugar From Artichoke

By a process discovered by experts of the government bureau of standards, sugar one and a half times as sweet as the cane and beet varieties may be extracted from artichokes. The refining treatment necessary is so simple that, it is said, the cost of manufacturing the product can be greatly reduced. Because of the low expense in cultivating the vegetable and its heavy yield when compared to other sugar-bearing plants, it is believed the artichoke may be extensively employed to provide a great part of the future crops. Lack of means of crystallizing the extract has been a bar heretofore.

Red Cross Ball Blue is the finest product of its kind in the world. Every woman who has used it knows this statement to be true.—Advertisement.

### Jugoslavia to Broadcast

Zagreb, Jugoslavia, where there are 145 wireless receiving sets, is to have a broadcasting station that will be used by the state only, but efforts are being made to have it open for programs and other general purposes.

# ALL RUN DOWN, NOW HEALTHY

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### Rural Juvenile Courts

This year, in which the memorial has been planned to "Huckleberry Finn," prince of boy-vagabonds, marks also the twenty-fifth anniversary of the first juvenile court in America, which served as model for other countries. In a paper read at the recent Chicago celebration of this event, Miss Grace Abbott, chief of the children's bureau at Washington, predicted that the next step in child welfare would

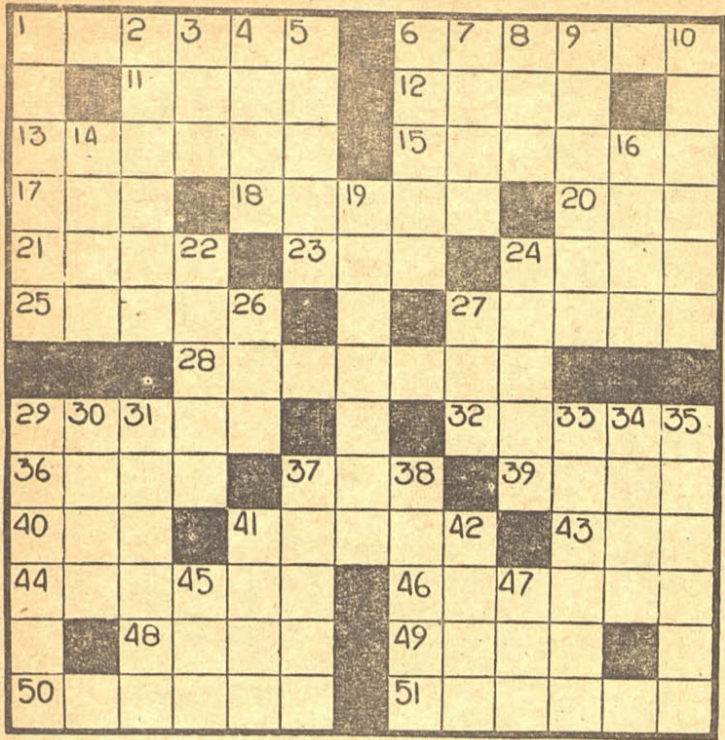
be the extension of the juvenile-court idea into the rural regions. More than half of the children of the United States live in the country or in small communities; yet, out of 300 courts approved by the federal bureau, only 40 serve their needs. This new development has just begun.

### To Teach Women to Farm

Establishment of a farming colony of well-to-do English women in southern Alberta, Canada, may soon be undertaken, according to Miss Patricia

Carlisle, an English author who operates a ranch near Calgary. Miss Carlisle plans to bring out to her ranch a small number of English women of education each year. Among the party that will come are a well-known woman surgeon from London, three English school teachers and three business women. These women will receive a thorough agricultural education. After they are sufficiently trained they will take up establishments of their own near Miss Carlisle's ranch.

# CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



(Copyright, 1925.)

- Horizontal.**
- 1—To limp
  - 6—Unobtrusive
  - 11—The result of destruction
  - 12—A place for baking things
  - 13—Shielded from the sun
  - 15—A sewing implement
  - 17—A marble to be used as a shooter
  - 18—Not intoxicated
  - 20—To bring forth
  - 21—Rhythical cadence
  - 23—Distort
  - 24—A musical assemblage
  - 25—A girl's name
  - 27—A nobleman
  - 28—To make lively
  - 29—A combination of musical sounds
  - 32—Things owed
  - 36—Organs of hearing
  - 37—Not many
  - 39—To classify and arrange
  - 40—Cover
  - 41—One who rides
  - 43—Sheepfold (Scot.)
  - 44—A trembling
  - 46—A meal
  - 48—Price
  - 49—A sticky substance
  - 50—Hereditary classes into which India is divided
  - 51—Parts of the arms
- Vertical.**
- 1—To move quickly
  - 2—Squabbles
  - 3—A flower not yet opened
  - 4—Falschoods
  - 5—To settle an income upon
  - 6—A medium of exchange
  - 7—Above
  - 8—A river in Wales
  - 9—To make dear
  - 10—Tendencies
  - 14—To salute
  - 16—Terra Firma
  - 19—Plaited
  - 22—Rows of ranks
  - 24—Parts of vertebrates
  - 26—Finish
  - 29—Pertaining to the Celts
  - 30—Outgrowth on the heads of men
  - 31—Commands
  - 33—Native place of the "Wild Man" (according to the circus)
  - 34—A woody perennial
  - 35—Backs of boats
  - 37—Conflagrations
  - 38—To rive
  - 41—A fixed course or routine
  - 42—A little brook
  - 45—To entangle
  - 47—A knob

The solution will appear in next issue.

**Solution of Last Week's Puzzle.**

P	R	O	P	E	R	S	T	E	A	M	S
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## HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

# NURSERY RHYME PUZZLE



If all the world was water  
There'd not be any land—  
I like to walk beside the sea,  
With parasol in hand,  
Or fill my little bucket to  
The brim with yellow sand.  
I guess it's best the world is made  
Part water and part land.

Find two other persons on the beach. Right side down, on the sand; left side down, on the sand.

## MODES FOR SLENDER WOMEN; LOVELY PARIS EVENING GOWNS

THAT much heralded and discussed fullness of skirts, which is the high light of fall styles, has been very adroitly managed by designers of dresses and coats. How to make the fall skirt answer "present" when calling the roll of apparel for the stout woman, takes much sophisticated diplomacy on the part of designers. Fullness is introduced where it will do the most good for the too-slender woman, and where it will do the least harm, or no harm, for the stout woman.

We may not always agree with the French in their interpretations of tailored styles, but when it comes to evening and dinner gowns—well, we are willing to kiss the hem of these adorable expressions of lively fancy, at least nine times out of ten. Perhaps the French are inspired by the daintiness and splendor of fabrics provided for them, and perhaps they prefer to occupy themselves with the poetry of apparel rather than its prose. Anyway French evening frocks



Frock That Improves the Figure.

are all that we expected them to be this fall, and even more.

It is evident that georgette crepe is foremost in the minds of Paris designers of evening and dinner dresses and that they fairly revel in autumn's fashionable shades of red, blue and green. Besides the plain georgette they have at hand georgette brocaded with velvet and otherwise embellished. Combinations of this exquisite fabric with chifon velvet, and with all-over gold lace are emphasized in the new imports. This gold lace appears in many patterns and is usually posed over georgette, as in the pretty frock shown here.

This simple affair has several style points that are noteworthy besides the application of gold lace—as the drapery over one arm, the flare in its skirt, sash made of the material and



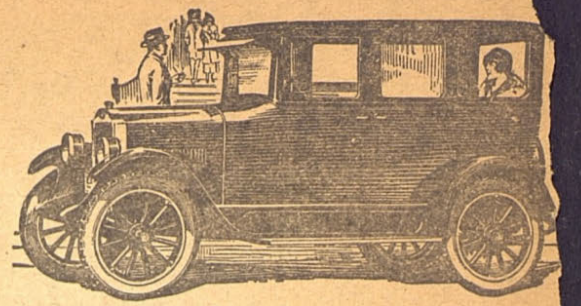
Has Several Noteworthy Style Points.

attached at the neckline, across the back, and knotted low at the front, make a graceful finishing touch that is one of the new season's best ideas. Ecru lace, or tucked net and lace, are most commonly used for the undersleeves and vestee and look well with any of the popular colors for frocks. Fashion emphasizes cloth in fall dresses, including tailored styles for the street, the coat frock and afternoon dresses, as well as those which are expected to do service for any day. We like the handsome model picture!

Red, in many rich shades, is sponsored everywhere, in vivid tones for young women, and in American beauty and purplish shades for mature wearers. Both the soft French blues and the new vivid shades are well represented and so are vivid greens. Sand and gray and white hold their own and silver or colored silk embroideries, discreetly used, look well with all colors.

Just now black has little representation in dinner and evening gowns, except in lace or sheer fabrics posed over a color. Beading is introduced on all colors.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.  
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## Vaccination on Nose Had Its Good Points

The aged Japanese statesman had a little, saucer-shaped scar on the tip of his nose. "All we Japanese of the older generation have this scar," he said. "It's our vaccination mark."

"Mercy!"

"Yes, it's our vaccination mark. In the old days, when compulsory vaccination first came in, we vaccinated everybody on the tip of the nose. Why? Well, because it was a good place—no movement there, you see, to rub off the scab. Also because a vaccination mark of the nose top was easily identified by the medical officer in order to prove that you'd been vaccinated."

"Yes, nose-tip vaccination had its good points, but before the banking after beauty it had to go, just as knee vaccination is going, here in the Western world, before the one-piece bathing suit and the stocking rolled down to the top of the calf."

**Mrs. Carnegie Welcome**

Merchants and people in general of Sutherlandshire, Scotland, are pleased that Mrs. Andrew Carnegie will continue her summer visits at Skibo castle, for her coming means the spending of a great deal of money in the district.

## A Puzzle

Another of the wonders of nature how the roads remain intact as tourists breathe so much of them. Duluth Herald.

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The Navy department is cooperating with the weather bureau in use of airplanes for obtaining weather data.

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Editor M. S. Sellers of the Rising  
 Record has placed an order for a  
 load of assorted cats. The order is  
 result of an article in the Demo-  
 crat-Voice telling that science has dis-  
 covered that the lick of this domestic  
 will restore hair on an infertile  
 e. It is rumored that some of the  
 bald-headed men in Coleman are pri-  
 vately negotiating for cats, and that  
 some children have lost their cats and  
 catlets.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

If there is anything to the value of  
 cat-lick as a hair restorer, a number  
 long tongue cats could probably be  
 had here at a fair price, as there  
 several infertile domes, but we  
 think the safe thing to do would  
 be first extract Mr. cat's claws to  
 be painless treatment. We will  
 catch with interest the results of the  
 lick treatment at Coleman and  
 sing Star—before we feel inclined to  
 commend the treatment to our friends  
 e.

The knocker is over loquacious but  
 he is not always one who has some  
 thing to say. His large blocks of talk  
 are not necessarily great chunks of  
 wisdom. He is frequently one who  
 wants something and wants it badly.  
 He has an ax to grind. Feed the bear  
 and it will stop growling. He who  
 hammers on the nut may be after the  
 kernel. The knocker is one who is on  
 out side trying to break in. Ex.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith visited  
 with Oscar Gage and family of Nim-  
 rod Sunday.

Mrs. Smith and daughters of the  
 Bayou were shopping here the past  
 week end.

A heavy rain fell here Wednesday  
 night followed by cool north wind.

Walton Reeder of Stanton was here  
 on business this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie  
 Waters, Cross Out, a girl, Sept. 21.

Several items received too late for  
 publication this week.

W. P. Armstrong of Nimrod placed  
 his son in school here Monday.

Mr. Clapp of Granbury is visiting  
 his daughter, Mrs. Walter Wagner.

I have opened a studio across from  
 the school campus at Mrs. Porter  
 Henderson's. I teach piano and voice.  
 My rates are \$4 per month. Those  
 wishing to see me may do so at Mrs.  
 Henderson's or call me at 168.  
 Miss Winters.

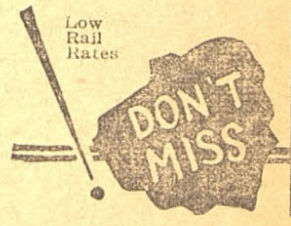
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## OUR OCTOBER MAGAZINE SECTION'S SPECIAL FEATURE

Below are the leading features in  
 our October Magazine section, which  
 will be issued Oct., 2nd.

BEATING BACK THE RED WAR-  
 RIORS.—Men who faced the bullets  
 and tomahawks of savage in order to  
 protect their lives and their property.  
 "TEXAS LEADS IN EXPORTS."  
 Texas is romping ahead of New York  
 in exports, which has been the leading  
 export State for half a century.

"ETAH CAPITAL OF NEW POL-  
 AR EXPLOITS." Headquarters of the  
 MacMillan Expedition and home of  
 the Eskimos.

Our Magazine Section for October  
 will have many other good news fea-  
 tures, such as "Current Comment,"  
 "Brief Texas News" "Texas Farm  
 News" and departments for the wo-  
 men and children.

Watch the date of your subscription,  
 when it expires— or you may miss  
 some of the best reading of the year.

Burt Bennett of Gorman and Fred  
 Higginbotham of Vernon, were busi-  
 ness visitors here this week

Drew Baum and wife made a busi-  
 ness trip to Fort Worth, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Marsh visited  
 with Mr. and Mrs. John Conlee at  
 Cross Cut first of the week.

Mrs. Houston of Milam County, has  
 been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. R.  
 McKinney.

Mrs. Heslip visited last week with  
 her mother, Mrs. Crutchfield, at Ad-  
 miral.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were in Brown-  
 wood last week visiting with Mrs.  
 Clem McLaughlin.

The little daughter of Mose Freeman  
 who was operated on last Thursday  
 appendicitis, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Derrington of  
 Merkel have been visiting have been  
 visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cham-  
 pion at Cottonwood.

Miss Bessie Champion and H. T.  
 Peavy, were married at Baird on Sept.  
 12. They will make their home just  
 north of Cross Plains.

Mrs. Eddington visited her son, G.  
 A. Eddington at Coleman last week.

Clyde Gray and family of Kress, are  
 visiting with relatives at Coleman,  
 Cross Plains and Burkett.

### At The Methodist Church

You are invited to come and worship  
 with us Sunday morning and night.  
 Sunday School 10 o'clock.  
 Preaching, by pastor, 11 o'clock,  
 evening 7:30.

You will find a place in all these ser-  
 vices. There will be special music  
 both at the morning and evening ser-  
 vice.

### Notice of Guardian to Lease Land

No.  
 Guardianship of Clyde Teague, a minor  
 In the County Court of Callahan  
 County, Texas. October Term, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that I, S.  
 L. Teague, guardian of the estate of  
 Clyde Teague, a minor, have this day  
 filed my application in the above en-  
 titled and numbered cause for an order  
 of the Judge of Callahan County,  
 Texas, authorizing me as guardian of  
 the estate of said Ward to execute an  
 oil and gas mineral lease upon such  
 terms as the Court may order and  
 direct of the following described real  
 estate belonging to the estate of said  
 Ward.

Being 1/8 undivided interest in and  
 to lot No. 7, and the E. 1/2 of Lot No.  
 8, in block No. 2, Haley Addition to  
 the town of Cross Plains, in Callahan  
 County, Texas, according to plat of  
 said Addition on file in the County  
 Clerk's office at Baird, Texas;

Said application will be heard by  
 the County Judge of Callahan County,  
 Texas, at the Court house in the City  
 of Baird, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M.  
 October 5, 1925. All persons interest-  
 ed in the welfare of said minor are  
 hereby cited to be present at said hear-  
 ing and contest this application if they  
 see fit to do so.

Witness my hand this 24th day of  
 September 1925.

S. L. TEAGUE,  
 Guardian of the estate of said Ward

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For sale or trade, Tudor Ford Sedan,  
 practically new, will trade in on real  
 estate in Cross Plains. Car has only  
 been run few months. Inquire at Re-  
 view office.

WANTED—  
 I buy all kinds of old stoves and  
 parts for cash or trade.  
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## Notice!

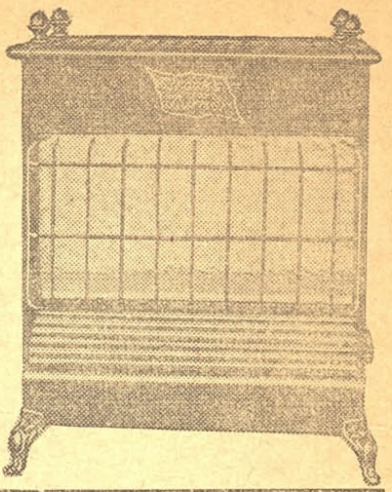
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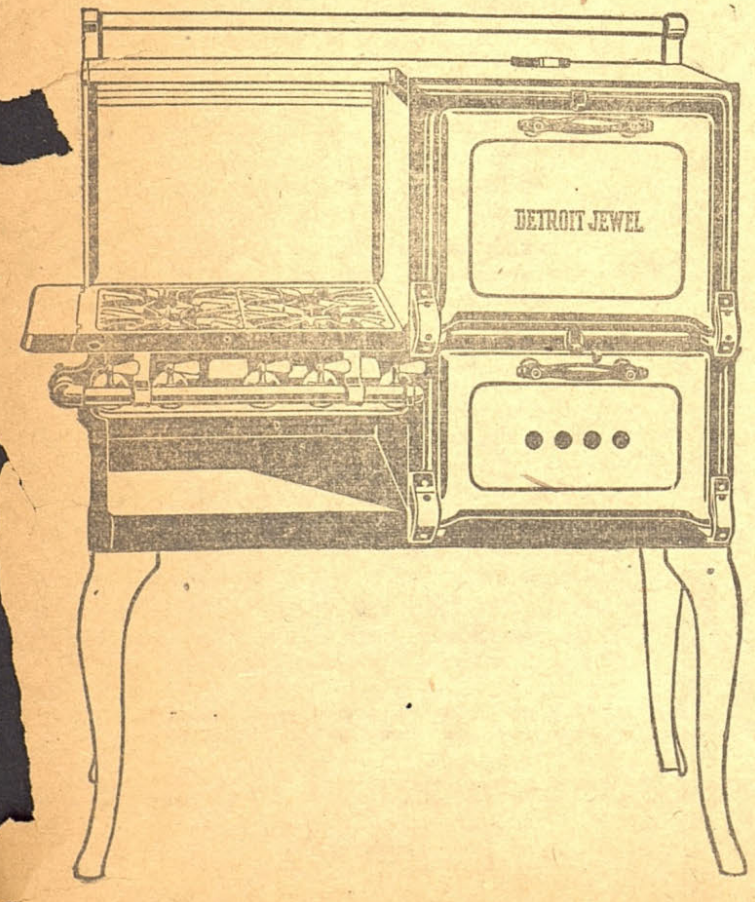
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 have them in all choice sizes. This  
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How about your Review date?

Ches Barr and family were visitors to Coleman Tuesday.

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### Cross Plains is Prosperous, Business Good

Cross Plains is a busy town these days. The new oil fields have added much to the financial conditions, and in addition the cotton crop is good and money is coming in rapidly from that source, and as a result all lines of business are showing marked increase, with very promising future. The Review is informed that the cotton crop will average one-third of a bale per acre here—and that's good. The oil fields continue developing with marked increase in production.

Ollie Dennis and family who just recently moved to Abilene, were here visiting homefolks Sunday.

Ye editor and family and Miss Ada Dabney, visited family connection in Blanket, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Patten of Electra, visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. Kohlman.

Mrs. Ern Davidson visited with her mother at DeLeon, the past week end.

J. H. Tate and wife are visiting Mrs. Tate's brother, J. C. Garrett and family. Mr. Garrett and family spent Sunday in Concho county.

Mrs. Robertson of Pioneer visited with Mrs. P. Smith here the past week end.

W. R. Roberts and family of Burkett were shopping here the past week end.

Mrs. Geo. Baum and mother, Mrs. Brightwell, were visiting friends here last of week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran McClure of Spur were week end visitors with Mrs. Liza Lamar and Mrs. Robert Cunningham.

Mrs. Will McGowan and daughter, Mrs. Murman McGowen, spent Sunday with relatives at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hughes visited friends in Rising Star first of week.

Mesdames Heslip and Hodges motored to Breckenridge Sunday.

Miss Doris Pyle left last week for Plainview where she has position as Dean of Women, Wayland College.

Arthur Crump of Santa Anna was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alec Baum here Sunday.

Mrs. Thomason was a visitor to Cisco, Saturday.

J. M. Wood and wife of Sabanno were week end visitors here.

Dallas, Texas, office of the collector of Internal Revenue, Sept. 14, 1925. The following described real property, seized from H. H. Tucker Jr., under warrant for distraint for the non-payment of assessed taxes due, will be sold as provided by Section 3190 Revised Statutes of the United States, at public auction on Saturday, Oct. 3, 1925, at ten o'clock A. M. at the United States Post Office, Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas; 69.97 acres of land in Callahan County, Texas, out of the W. G. Anderson Survey No. 777, subject to all prior liens of record.  
B. F. Crews, Lept. Collectors

### The VALUE of a pair of Glasses lies in the Skill of the man who fits them.

—Ask anybody wearing them.—  
Here are some names of Cross Plains folks for whom I have fitted glasses. Ask them:

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bond, Mrs. Martin Neeb, Mrs. Fliza Lamar, Jack Baum, Mrs. A. L. Porter, Mrs. R. Robertson, Mrs. W. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Westerman, J. O. Butler, Mrs. M. J. Duncan, Mrs. L. W. Plocke, Mrs. A. B. Davidson, Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Collins, Jeff Clark, J. D. Conlee, Mrs. R. C. Chandler, Mrs. W. E. Butler, A. Bertrand, Taylor Bond, B. B. Bond, Mrs. C. M. Wyatt, Mrs. W. B. Teston, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, E. R. Wagner, Mrs. D. H. Harpole, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gehrett, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett, Mrs. E. L. Mays, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mathis, Mrs. L. A. McDonough and many more leading citizens of Cross Plains.

### Dr. W. I. Ghormley,

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Mesdames Hugh Burns, Vernon Keller, Wagner and Jennings of Burkett were shopping in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shackelford went to Putnam Sunday to see Mr. Shackelford's brother, Pearce, who has just returned from Fort Worth hospital.

Carl Klutz and family of Dressy were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clutz.

Miss Novella Adair spent weekend with her parents at Sipe Springs.

Harve Gilliland and Mr. Bennett of Baird, were visiting young friends here Monday evening.

Geo. Scott and wife returned last week from San Antonio, where they visited their son, Jack who in school there.

Vincent Hart and sister, Miss Elizabeth visited friends in Brownwood the past week end.

R. H. Williams of Abilene is visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. C. Barr. and family.

### NOTICE OF GUARDIAN TO LEASE LAND

No. 758  
Guardianship of Boyce and Lois Robbins, Minors.  
In County Court of Callahan County, Texas, October Term, 1925

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Winnie Robbins, Guardian of the estate of Boyce and Lois Robbins, minors have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the Judge of Callahan county, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said wards, to execute an oil and gas mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate, belonging to the estates of said wards.

Being 2-7 undivided interest in and to Lots No. 1 and 2, in Block No. 77, central addition to the town of Cross Plains in Callahan county, Texas, according to plat of said addition on file in the county clerk's office, at Baird Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Callahan county, Texas, at the Court House in the city of Baird Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M. October, 5, 1925. All persons interested in the welfare of said minors are hereby cited to be present at said hearing and contest this application if they see fit to do so.

Witness my hand this 24th day of September 1925.

Mrs. Winnie Robbins

### Notice of Guardian o Lease Land

No. 759  
Guardianship of Jack Robbins, et al minors.  
In the county court of Callahan county, Texas, October term, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Willie Stewart, guardian of the states of Jack Robbins, Terrell Robbins, Margaret Robbins, Willie Robbins and Tex Robbins, Minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the Judge of Callahan County, Texas authorizing me as guardian of the estates of said wards to execute an oil and gas mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estates of said wards.

Being 5-7 undivided interests in and to Lots No. 1, and 2, in Blk. No. 77, central addition to the town of Cross Plains in Callahan county, Texas, according to plat of said addition on file in the County Clerk's office at Baird Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Callahan county, Texas, at the Court House in the city of Baird Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M. Oct. 5, 1925. All persons interested in the welfare of said minors are hereby cited to be present at said hearing and contest this application if they see fit to do so.

Witness my hand this 24th, day of September, 1925.

Mrs. Willie Stewart  
Guardian of the estates of said wards

### NOT ICE OF GUARDIAN TO LEASE LAND

No. 766  
Guardianship of Emmadora Johnson a minor.

In County Court of Callahan county, Texas, October term, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that I, T. H. Upton, Guardian of the estate of Emmadora Johnson a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the Judge of Callahan county, Texas authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to execute an oil and gas mineral lease, upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said ward.

Being 1 undivided interest in lot No. 10 in Blk. No. 2, Halcyon addition to the town of Cross Plains in Callahan county, Texas according to plat of said addition on file in the County Clerk's office in Baird, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Callahan county, Texas, at the Court House in the city of Baird, Texas, at 10 o'clock A. M. Oct. 5, 1925. All persons interested in the welfare of said minor are hereby cited to be present at said hearing and contest application if they see fit to do so.

Witness my hand this 24th day of September 1925.

T. H. Upton  
Guardian of the estate of said ward

## State Fair of Texas DALLAS October 10-25

In the New Auditorium  
The Messrs Shubert Present  
"SKY HIGH"

Rhythmic - Peptic - Caloric - Chaotic  
Broadway Musical Comedy Success

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WILLIE HOWARD

And original Company of 108 direct from the Winter Garden  
Initial Pipe Organ Recital  
Saturday Afternoon, Oct. 10  
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Race Meet—Rodeo

Magnificent Agricultural Show  
State-wide Manufacturers  
Live Stock  
Football



FREE IN HOOF-DISEASE WORK

LEFT BAR TO EN... OF CATTLE... ANTINE.

PRO INJUNCTION

Government is Not... Hand Martial Law... Be Declared.

Texas.—Foot and mouth... has been centered... Dr. Marion Imes... Department of Animal Indus...

...indicated that if the Fed... government is not given a free... martial law might be declared.

...opponents of some of the... instituted to check foot... disease spread reduced... their former positions.

...point to the millions of... loss which they said would... a considerable number of... embargoes on Texas...

...and a tentative program... forward to quarantine... South Texas counties.

...of Mr. Ferguson tendering... offices of the State ad... in securing reimburse... property losses apparently... the situation and led to... co-operation.

...Ford, who had a \$200,000... with the War Department... hay to army posts, as... gathering that he was will... accept the offer of reimburse...

...the conference it was re... highly probable that Mr... offer would have great... with his co-plaintiffs in with... the injunction suits immedi... instead of waiting until Oc...

...an appeal taken by the... Live Stock Sanitary Commis... been set down for argu... also was regarded probable... second injunction suit was to... the commission from ex... a herd of infected cat... would be withdrawn when... up.

...Marion Imes, head of all... both Federal and State, in... are against foot and mouth... said the embargo is the dif... of recent injunction pro... and other evidences of lack... eration with authorities in... tion in its fight for exter... of the disease.

...have no doubt," Dr. Imes de... the possibility of stamp... foot and mouth disease... able length of time, pro... further obstructions are... our way.

PLEAD FOR DEFICIENCY ALLOWANCES TO RUN 1926 SUMMER SCHOOL

Oil Money Will Go to University Permanent Fund.

Austin, Texas.—A plea to Gov. and Mrs. Ferguson for a deficiency allowance for the 1926 University summer school and agreement that oil royalties go to the University permanent fund were the two features of a recent session of the board of regents of the University of Texas.

The Fergusons were interviewed at the close of the session and the terms of the veto of \$200,000 for the two summer sessions of 1926 and 1927 were discussed, the Governor being reminded of the promise to approve a deficiency if the State's finances warranted it.

A further suggestion was that a decision should be made within the next three or four months, in order that all faculty contracts and other arrangements be perfected for the 1926 summer session.

An ultimate favorable reply is expected from the Governor though the full amount of \$100,000 for 1926 may not be allowed. A lesser amount supplemented from the University's available fund, is expected to compose the whole amount necessary for the 1926 summer school and it is thus assured.

A committee was appointed from the regents to confer with State officials to the end that the oil royalty go into some fund so as to be invested for a maximum return in interest. This committee consists of R. G. Storey, Dallas; Sam Neathery, McKinney, and M. H. Royston, Galveston. They will see State Comptroller Terrell and State Treasurer Hatcher.

The regents went on record as favoring placing the royalty in the permanent fund, since it has grown large, so that the income, after it is invested, will make a handsome return for building purposes each year. Up to this time it is \$1,424,000. It will easily go to \$2,000,000 and more by the first of the year. Of the present total \$249,000 already is credited to the permanent fund and \$1,175,000 is held in escrow pending the outcome of the present controversy.

Treasurer Hatcher has followed the new law consigning the royalty to the available fund and Comptroller Terrell accepted the Attorney General's ruling that the act is void and that the royalty must go to the permanent fund. The regents' committee will see these officials to compose their differences and place the royalty in the permanent fund. If they refuse, a mandamus will be brought, Regent M. E. Foster of Houston said, to place the royalty in the available or building fund. In that way a test will be forced, though the regents are not willing for all the royalty to go to the permanent account.

The regents will hold their next meeting in El Paso on Oct. 19. It has been suggested that en route they visit the Reagan County oil fields and University lands where grass leases are pending.

ALABAMA ACTS AGAINST TEXAS STOCK MALADY

Joins Oklahoma Putting Quarantine on State Movements.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Interference through court injunctions with the work of eradicating the foot and mouth disease in the Houston and Galveston areas, being carried on by Federal and State sanitary experts, is having a reactionary effect upon the live stock and agricultural industries of the whole State, it is revealed in orders of quarantine received by Dr. L. J. Allen, chief inspector for Texas of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, and Dr. T. O. Booth, assistant State veterinarian of Texas.

C. A. Gary, State veterinarian of Alabama has declared a quarantine against the entire State of Texas; J. A. Whitehurst, president of the Oklahoma State Board of Agriculture, has declared a quarantine against twenty-two Texas counties; Dr. E. P. Flower, secretary and executive officer of the Louisiana State Live-Stock Sanitary Board, has sent notice of a quarantine against the area under Federal quarantine, including cotton, and Dr. Butler, State veterinarian of Montana, has sent notice that unless the injunctions against the steps being taken by Federal and State experts are dissolved, his State will lay a quarantine against the entire State of Texas.

The Alabama quarantine is the most drastic yet laid against Texas during the present outbreak by a sister State, but by many live stock sanitary experts it is not considered uncalled for.

LA FOLLETTE AND WALKER WIN

Senator's Majority Is Large, While Waterman Walks Away.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Robert M. La Follette, Jr., has overwhelmed his three opponents for the Republican senatorial nomination in Wisconsin and with four-fifths of the precincts in the State heard from has a plurality of 82,143 over Wilcox. With 2,260 precincts of 2,691 in the State reporting the count stood: La Follette, 160,457; Wilcox, 78,314; McGovern, 17,502; and Woodward, 34,425.

La Follette, continuing to follow in the footsteps of his late father, will now go into the final election, Sept. 29.

Barely exceeding the constitutional requirement of 30 years of age La Follette will be one of the youngest, if not the youngest Senator if elected at the coming balloting.

New York.—Returns from 2,020 election districts out of 2,968 in the city of New York give State Senator James J. Walker Tammany designee for the majority nomination 165,275 votes as against 104,724 for Mayor Hylan, seeking renomination.

In the Republican contest only 1,000 districts had been heard from. These gave Frank D. Waterman 40,154; John J. Lyons 5,385 and William M. Bennett 1,518.

Hylan was defeated by a majority of more than 60,000 with about two-thirds of the vote counted. He has gained steadily and the metropolitan newspapers, with the exception of the American, which supported Mayor Hylan, predicted that Walker's plurality finally would reach 100,000.

Hylan's defeat was conceded by John H. McCoey, Kings County leader and manager of the Hylan campaign, who also issued a statement asserting that there would be no third ticket.

The Republican contest proved a walkaway for Frank D. Waterman, pen manufacturer, the regular organization candidate. He was leading William M. Bennett and John J. Lyons, insurgent candidates, by eight to one. The Republican contest was overshadowed by the fight among the Democrats. The Republican vote was tabulated slowly as the Democratic votes were counted first.

FIRE MARSHALS HEAR COL. WILLIAM MITCHELL

Sounds Call for Unified Air Service at San Antonio Banquet.

San Antonio, Texas.—Insisting that the air power of the United States be no longer "farmed out" as an orphan in the asylum of the army or navy, and that it be permitted to take a seat in equality beside those ancient services with one common overlord, Col. William Mitchell, Eighth Corps Area air officer, has again sounded his call for a unified air defense service.

The plea was made in an address to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners and the Fire Marshals' Association of North America at a banquet at which the Colonel was the honor guest.

President Coolidge deserves the support of all the people in the prosecution of the solution of the air service problem, said Colonel Mitchell, in referring to the appointment of the investigating board. It is a matter that concerns all, and must not enter the realm of factional or sectional feelings or conditions, he declared.

Congress must take definite action, one way or another, and finally the people, upon the acts of their governmental agencies, must bring about the ultimate solution of the problem of defense, asserted the Colonel.

Insurance and protection of the Nation against an enemy are in the same category, he said.

Appeals at Austin.

Austin, Texas.—Antonio Silva, convicted at El Paso of carelessly operating an automobile and causing the death of Maria Dolores Del Rio, Oct. 2, 1924, and sentenced to sixty days, has filed appeal in the Court of Criminal Appeals. Appeal was also filed in the case of Arthur Murphy, Fannin County, selling liquor, two years.

Still Marketing Melons.

Weatherford, Texas.—The melon season is over, yet the farmers are still bringing in wagonloads of fine melons. The fruit crop, especially peaches and pears, is coming in nicely, and many tomatoes are being marketed.

Send Germany Invitation.

Geneva.—The allied powers have forwarded to their ambassadors in Berlin an invitation to Germany to participate in a conference to consider the proposed security pact. No site for the conference is specified.

CANADA JOINS WITH U. S. IN WAR ON FIRE

Gov. Miriam Ferguson Makes Address—Neff Talks.

San Antonio, Texas.—War, national and international, was declared here on fire, common enemy of the world. Leaders of both the Fire Marshals' Association of Insurance Commissioners, whose annual conventions, twentieth and fifty-third, respectively, began in San Antonio, called for a halt of the steadily mounting destruction of life and property due to fire.

With the present and two former Governors of Texas on the platform, the dual convention opened with a joint session. Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, the first speaker, aided in welcoming the visitors, following her introduction by John C. Luning, State Treasurer and ex officio Insurance Commissioner of Florida, who is president of the Insurance organization.

The Governor was followed by former Govs. James E. Ferguson and Pat Neff and Mayor John W. Tobin of San Antonio. Judge Harry L. Conn, Superintendent of Insurance for Ohio, responded.

Chester E. Johnson, Fire Marshal of Alabama, who started to the convention by airplane, but was forced down in Mississippi, responded for his association to Monday's welcoming addresses.

Through George F. Lewis of Toronto, president of the Canadian Fire Marshals' Association, Canada joined hands with the United States in the war upon fire, and the campaign's international scope will be widened, when Mexico takes up the watchword of prevention with the appearance of Petronilo Romero Mota, Commissioner of Insurance for the Republic. He will appear before the Insurance Commissioners. Canada, Mr. Lewis declared, like the United States, is facing appalling waste due to fire.

At the Fire Marshals' convention the gauntlet was first flung into the face of the flaming foe by Stacey W. Wade of North Carolina, president of the association, who, laying most of the blame at the door of carelessness, asked co-operation between public and fire officials to reduce losses. The real remedy, he and subsequent speakers asserted, lies in arousing people to the "enormity of the preposterous crime" of carelessness.

"I believe," said the speaker, "that the ultimate work of the Fire Marshals is to save the people from their own folly, for the American people are the most careless and most extravagant on earth. Prosperity in America eliminates frugality.

"Our people do not seem to realize that it is easier to preserve that which we have, than it is to create that which we spend or lose."

URGE UNITED STATES IN WORLD COURT

Uruguay Would Lessen Rigidity, Providing Wider Scope.

Geneva.—Discussing a resolution introduced in the League of Nations assembly by J. A. Buerro, former Foreign Minister of Uruguay, calling for a serious study of the statutes of the permanent court of international justice, with a view to obtaining more universal acceptance of the jurisdiction of that tribunal, spokesmen for the Uruguayan delegation said that the object of the proposal is to render the statutes less rigid so that countries like the United States could join the court without making reservations.

These spokesmen said that the examination suggested by Uruguay would include all phases of the question of the world court, including the manner of electing judges by the assembly and council of the league, concurrently. The Uruguayans repudiated any intention, however, of weakening the court's prerogatives.

Senator Buerro's proposal has excited great interest and drawn some criticism on the ground that it is undesirable to change the statutes of the world court at a time when American adhesion is a live issue and that such an attempt might create misunderstandings in the United States.

Some of the delegates have pointed out that there is no objection to the United States making reservations in regard to her relations to the court, but predicted any effort to amend the statutes, which affect the relations of other countries to the tribunal, would be opposed.

Hear Turks Mass Troops

Geneva.—Unverified reports circulating in Geneva are to the effect that the Turks have massed 70,000 troops on the Iraq frontier as a means for forcing a favorable decision of the Mosul dispute with Great Britain.

Tar and Feather Two Women.

Jacksonville, Fla.—Police are investigating the tarring and feathering of two young women by a mob of 150 men here Saturday night. The women, said to be sisters, were seized by the mob while walking to town from the city prison farm following a thirty-day sentence for disorderly conduct. They were taken to a secluded spot, where tar and feathers were applied, then were brought back to the city and released only in gunny sacks.

CONDENSED AUSTIN NEWS

The Attorney General has approved an issue of \$60,000 of Ennis water system bonds, payable serially and bearing 4 3/4 per cent interest.

Dr. Walter Splawn, president of the University of Texas, predicts that more than 5,000 students will attend the institution this year.

The Attorney General approved a \$500,000 issue of special road bonds of Galveston County maturing serially and bearing 5 per cent interest.

Congratulations on her orders forbidding use of National Guard property in the Ku Klux Klan celebration at Arlington were contained in a telegram received by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, signed by several of her Arlington friends.

Big life insurance companies which withdrew from Texas upon enactment of the Robertson insurance law, eighteen years ago, have virtually abandoned the idea of returning to Texas, despite the ruling recently by Attorney General Dan Moody that these companies may return.

Attendance at the teachers' institutes held since the last week in August in different sections of the State has been large, despite the efforts of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature to abolish them. S. M. N. Marrs, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and L. W. Rogers, assistant, reported upon their return to Austin.

L. M. Lee of Austin, who has had cattle in Kentucky and in New Mexico, plans to leave shortly for the State of Durango, Old Mexico, with several cars of Texas cattle, mostly stock cows. Mr. Lee said that the range in Durango is exceptionally fine, with plenty of water, no flies or ticks and no freezing northers.

The Railroad Commission, according to Commissioner C. V. Terrell, is in receipt of a request from the Texas Grain Dealers' Association, the Fort Worth Grain and Cotton Exchange and others, asking that no further authorities be granted to railroad companies of Texas for half-rate on feed to the drought-stricken areas without first granting protestant hearing.

R. L. Daniel, an attorney of Victoria, has been appointed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson to be State Insurance Commissioner, succeeding John M. Scott, resigned. Mr. Scott who is here attending the national insurance commissioners, resigned to become a Fort Worth branch official of the International Life Insurance Company of St. Louis. Ex-Gov. James E. Ferguson announced Daniels' appointment.

After approval by the Attorney General an amendment to the articles of incorporation of the San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railway Company, authorizing that company to extend its line from Edinburg, Hidalgo County, to Harlingen, Cameron County, has been filed in the office of the Secretary of State. The proposed extension would run from Edinburg in a general easterly and southeasterly direction through Hidalgo and Cameron Counties to Harlingen.

The Railroad Commission granted applications of carriers for reduced passenger rates for the following fairs and conventions within the next two months: Reunion Veterans and Sons of Confederacy, Abilene, Sept. 30-Oct. 1 and 2; Frio County Fair, Pearsall, Sept. 23-26; Texas State Fair, Dallas, Oct. 10-25; Daughters of Confederacy, Marshall, Oct. 5-7; Cotton Palace, Waco, Oct. 25 to Nov. 9; South Texas Fair, Beaumont, Nov. 11-21.

University oil royalty accumulating since April 3 exceeded \$1,000,000, when the Big Lake Company paid royalty amounting to \$113,932, which brought the total to \$1,052,913. The Big Lake's payment covered oil produced on University lands during August, and was \$5,467 less than its payment on July production. The Texon is yet to pay its August royalty, which is expected to be about the same as that of July, when it amounted to \$101,486.

\$2,690,000 has been forwarded to public schools of Texas, the first payment under the apportionment for the scholastic session of 1925-26, it was announced by Prof. S. M. N. Marrs, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. It represents \$2 for each of the 1,345,000 children enumerated within the scholastic age. Another \$1 per child will go forward in October, making \$4,035,000 during the first forty days of the session.

Fifty thousand connected acres in one body lying in the northeast corner of Dallas County soon will be declared a State Game preserve territory and hunting will be prohibited in the area for a period of five years. Turner E. Hubby, State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, has announced. Provisions have already been made for the appointment of two deputy game wardens to aid in the protection of quail and other game birds with which the preserve is to be stocked.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

Mary Graham Bonner

PLEASANT CAPYBARAS

"It's too bad, too bad," said Mrs. Capybara. "It surely is too bad."

"What's too bad, too bad?" repeated her mate.

"That we have such a name," she said.

"Ah, we have such a fine name," Mr. Capybara remarked.

"Is that what you mean my dear?"

"No, that is not what I mean," said Mrs. Capybara. "I mean that we have a name that people say is quite dreadful."

"They say: 'O, what a funny name for an animal to have!'"

"They're jealous," said Mr. Capybara. "They're most extremely jealous because they have rather plain and ordinary names."

"Well, it often keeps people from being interested in us because they think we must be queer!" said Mrs. Capybara, gloomily.

"If they're not interested in us, no matter," said Mr. Capybara. "The keeper thinks we're very fine and that's enough."

Now the Capybaras are the largest of the group known as the gnawing animals, because they gnaw or bite at things, especially when looking for food.

They are about the size of pigs and have coarse, gray hair.

"I love the water," said Mr. Capybara. "Well do I remember the days when I lived far, far down south where the banks are grassy."

"One day some horrible creature would have captured me had I not made a tremendous dive into the water where I lived, and stayed below the water for a little while until I thought danger was past."

"And I made a wonderful dive."

"Ah, diving has many a time saved a capybara's life," said Mrs. Capybara.

"They say that we are the best divers of all animals who live on land."

"Do they say that?" asked Mr. Capybara. "Well, then, you needn't be discouraged because your name is different from the names of other creatures."

"I won't be any more," said Mrs. Capybara, "but I do so like to please visitors, grownups and children, for though we're far away from home and haven't our wonderful lakes and ponds to dive into, still we're affectionate and we love everyone in the zoo."

"If they want to have us here, we're glad to be here."

And as she said this, along came the keeper with a vegetable meal, for the Capybara family will not eat meat.

"My nice, good-natured Capybara pair," said the keeper, and the two animals smiled their Capybara smiles!

Not far away, while the Capybaras were eating, Clarence, the Wart Hog, was telling the handsome Red River-Hog of the great gift he had made to the animal world. He had told this before on a number of occasions but this particular Red River-Hog had not heard his story previously and was ready to listen to it.

"I am a wart hog," Clarence said. "I am a regular one. By that I mean that I am no improvement on any wart hog. They have all been very ugly and I am no exception to the rule."

"I am as ugly as a creature can be. I have horns where they shouldn't be, and they are crooked. My skin is wrinkled and hideous. I have a few ugly hairs over my face. My face—well, my face—well—it is awful! It's a terrible face."

"It's so ugly that it couldn't be any more so. My eyes are watery and have no expression at all."

"In fact, there never existed an animal like me. I am the ugliest animal in the whole animal kingdom."

"Therefore I have made a great gift to the animal world. When other animals think they aren't looking their best, or that they have lost their looks, or that they are growing old and show it, all they have to do is to think of Clarence, the wart hog, and they will cheer up, for they can't beat me in ugliness."

And the Red River-Hog, and the Capybaras, who overheard this talk, one and all, thoroughly agreed.

Helping Him

"I'm so happy I can't help but break into song."

"Get the key and you won't have to break in."

Good-Natured Capybara Pair

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# Think It Over

If Ford should add \$150.00 to his car, he would compare it with \$1000.00 cars and over, instead of cheaper cars. Why do they knock the Ford?—Because they know it is the best car at the price. Why do they not talk service and quality in their cars? You can answer that easily if you will just take a serious thought. Service and quality are all that you are looking for, and what car has it?

There are no accessories to be used on the improved Ford at all; ask a Ford salesman instead of asking a salesman for some other make of car. Ask the price of radiators, differential and any other expenses that you might have on the up-keep of a low priced car. Then to be sure, ask the Ford salesman if it is right, convincing yourself as to the up-keep over a period of time. We invite you to call at our salesroom and see the 1926 model car we have on display, and we will explain to you the many new features. No change in price.

## CROSS PLAINS MOTOR CO.

Cross Plains, Texas Phone 161

F. M. Gafford of Ventura, Calif. is here visiting his brother, J. K. Gafford and family. He lived here for many years, going to California two years ago. He brought back a few avocados, a fruit grown where he lives, which sell from 40 to 80 cents per pound. The brothers presented the editor of these weighing a pound and appreciate very much.

Mrs. Hart of Cisco visited with her mother, Mrs. G. L. Eager, of Dear Plains, and her sister, Mrs. Claud Starr, of this place.

A number of Rebeccas of this place and some visitors from Pioneer, passed a pleasant evening with Mrs. Campbell Morris last week. Cake and cream was served.

Ode Davidson is building a residence in the north west part of town. In the south part of town, the Brown Tool Co. and Cree & Co. are erecting houses for their employees.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson and son, Tom Ray, visited in Brownwood Monday.

Build a home—it will rent.

## We Have Them!

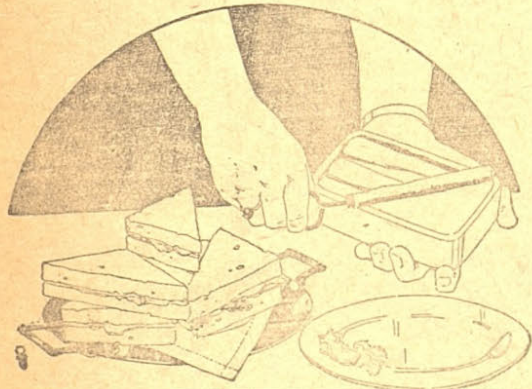
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It Pays to Buy or Sell

## FOOT BALL PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR LOCAL HI SCHOOL

September the 14th, when Coach Beneett sounded the first call for foot ball practice, the outlook for a team was a little doubtful but with a week's hard practice the squad is being whipped into excellent shape, and indications are now that the local aggregation will be able to compete favorably with any team of its class in this section of the state.

The squad as a whole will be just a little light averaging between 140 and 150 pounds, but any deficiency in weight will be more than overcome in the speed of several individuals and of the team as a whole. Elder Marshall, fleet footed midget, halfback of last years team is considered one of the fastest back field men in this section, and if an interference can be built up for him many long gains are due from his sweeping end runs. At the other half position will be found Dave Lee, who will be counted on for gains through the line. George Bennett, at the fullback position is developing into a real article, and his accuracy in passing is improving daily. Clyde "Willie" Teague, will again be started at the quarter position and his head work is being counted on to take care of the team in all emergencies. Eldon Walker, who towers above his teammates like the mast on a star machine, will be used in the line. Due to the lack of a good punter in the backfield he will probably be called back to do the major portion of the punting, and also possibly to do a part of the passing. Captain George "Handsome" Swan, stellar forward of last season's championship basket ball team, will be found on one of the end positions, while "Chase" Adams, and "Pete" Ratcliff, will also do duty at end positions. In the line, "Punk" Williams the battle scarred hero of last season will again preside over the center position. Raymond "Hoot" Cross, who has never been known to loaf in a game, will fill one tackle while Eldon Walker and probably others will be at the other. Browne Baum, Parker Baum, Eugene Penney, and others are aspirants for the other line positions. Ernest Davis, who entered too late last year to make the team is being counted on as general utility man. His toe seems to be the most accurate on drop



and place kicks, and it is his kicks that are counted on most.

In speaking of the boys and of the prospects for a good team Coach Bennett had only words of praise and optimism. Never before, he says, has he ever seen a group of boys more willing to work, and respond to every demand made of them. With the proper support the citizenship of the town can give the team he feels that it will be able to make a very remarkable showing. So far three games have been scheduled. Friday, Sept. 25, the team goes to Baird, to meet the Baird team. On October 2nd, they go to DeLeon, for what in all probability will be the hardest game of the season. On October 9th they go to Clyde. Tentative games are scheduled with Santa Anna, Carbon, Gorman, Pioneer and other places but as yet no definite dates for these games can be announced. Prof. Birdwell is making an effort to get two or more good games here but is handicapped on financing the games. The team is pretty deep in debt on its equipment, and the schedule is being arranged to derive the largest possible amount of revenue from the season, that this debt may be squared off.

The Review understands that a very rigid scholastic standard is being required of all athletes this year, every member of the team being required to make a passing grade in at least three subjects in order to be eligible for the team. It is felt that with this strictly enforced that athletics will be an asset to the school, as many boys no doubt are caused to study harder than they might otherwise do.

### Notice to Water Consumers

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