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Cross Plains, Texas.

SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY THE 13TH.

W. E. Wakefield, superintendent of the school, announces that the private term of the school will open on Monday the 13th, and will continue some time before the public term opens. He says that a number have already promised to attend the private term and he means to see a number more in the interval between this and the 13th. Mr. Scott, principal, is here ready to go to work.

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Opportunity is knocking for you to come here and buy goods where you can get so large amount for so little money. Take advantage of it
THE RACKET STORE

Moving Pictures Help Cause of Prohibition

Are Distinct Aid to Prohibition. According to Dr. Barton.

Moving picture theaters have helped greatly the cause of prohibition, according to Dr. A. J. Barton, superintendent of the Texas

Anti-Saloon League.

"The moving picture shows are popular resorts where men can spend their afternoons", said Dr. Barton. "Many men formerly went into sa'oons and drank merely because there was no other place where they could go. Now they have the choice of going to the

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PUTS THE "PEA" IN PEANUT

Jessie P. Rich of department of Home Economics of the University of Texas has prepared a bulletin on the erstwhilas goober, latterly the peanut, but now a common bean or pea. The uses in a domestic way that the peanut can be put to are manifold, from peanut butter, which is becoming a staple article of diet, to peanut cakes and bread. It is very valuable as muscle builder, being rich in proteins. It is said to give more energy than the choicest cuts of meat. What should make in its favor here is the fact that it is a crop well adapted to our soil, it getting to be about as staple as cotton or grain. Compared with meats other foods of same or equivalent values, it is excedingly cheap. Every housewife should write for this bulletin. It is free.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Six yards calico 25c
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You can buy a Moon Bros buggy at the prices asked you for a common buggy.—C. S. Boyles. 4t

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THE CITY DRUG STORE

MID-1915 CONDITIONS IN THIS TERRITORY

A Kind of Retrospective
and Prospective View

This country has been the recipient of a good general rain of 1.1-4 inch precipitation which fell last Thursday night following that of Monday night, in which the precipitation was slightly more than one inch. All the country to our west as well as all other surrounding territory has been covered by the late rains. It is altogether likely that we will make good cotton crop in the rare belt, which, it seems, is the cotton section of the country, anyway. We still hear some talk of the weevil in the sand, but many of those that live in the timbered belt are not pessimistic about the outlook for cotton yet. It will be

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

Don't let the fact that we have a few boll weevils in the country worry you. Remember that they are having Sherman's definition of war in Europe.

W. K. Boatwright, a farmer of the Deep creek community, has an article in the Baird Star on the value of the quail as boll weevil, grasshopper and other insect destroyer. While we think he gives too much credit to the good Bob White may do in this respect, we have been convinced for a long time that the salughter of this beautiful and useful bird has been entirely too wanton.

The government is doing nicely by the cotton situation in proposing to deposit money in the banks of the South to be loaned to farmers on cotton at a rate of interest not to exceed six per cent. But commercial paper secured by cotton to be acceptable with the Federal Reserve banks requires that the cotton be properly warehoused.

It is patent that the past year's events have taught us all the value of frugality and of being prepared for the worst. Prior to July of last year who would have been prognostic to foretell that in so short a space of time the world would have been rent by war as never before? Who would have expected the cotton market to have been destroyed? "Take heed when ye stand lest ye fall" is a still a good proverb.

Every man that subscribes and pays for The Review and every person or firm that uses its columns for advertising purposes is doing that much to help his neighbors or others who are interested or appreciate a home newspaper. Every man who refuses to take or otherwise support his home paper is hurting his town and his community thru an nsitution devoted to their upbuilding. This is not said in a complaining spirit, for there are really very few in our territory who do not read The Review and few business men who do not patronize it both in the capacity of advertising medium and job office.

ENTERTAINED.

Mrs W. A. Williams was hostess to a rook party for Misses Lola Williams of Lubbock and Leona Gibbs of May at her home on Thursday evening. Progressive rook at four tables in which Edwin Neeb won high score, was the feature of the evening. Several musical selections were rendered by the guests after which pineapple sherbert and block cake was served to Misses Kiningham of Greenville, Beulah and Jake Adams, Willie Elliott, Marie Cornell and the honor guests, and Messrs. Hadden, McDermett, Henry Gibbs of May, Broad and Taylor Bond, E. C. Neeb and Billy Bagwell. All went away praising Mr. and Mrs. Williams as entertainers.

DeVoe Paints and Oils

Four Different Kinds of Silos

CURRENT OPINION

John Atwood says "My De Laval, recently bought, gains me about 50 per cent over hand separation." None but the De Laval will show as great gain. Every cow owner should have a De Laval. Sold on easiest of terms.

Rev. W. E. Green, Sabanao, says: "My Tulsa Silo is entirely satisfactory and the silage is the greatest butter, flesh, and milk producer, for least cost, of anything I ever had anything to do with."

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SHACKELFORDS' LUMBER YARD

Glass. Building Paper



DeLaval Cream Separators

MID-1915 CONDITIONS

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recalled that one of the biggest cotton crops of record was produced or at least matured by the rains accompanying the Galveston storm in the early part of September of 1900. With a late frost we have a better chance than we had then.

One of the best, if not the very best grain crop this territory has ever known has been harvested this year. This crop being already garnered, we, being so accustomed to look upon cotton as our sole crop, are prone to let everything that affects the output or price of the fleecy staple worry us unduly. Our feed crops, such as maize, kafir corn, Indian corn, feterita, sudan grass, etc., are unusually good, if such a thing can be said of crops that are usually good. The fruit crop, which is more or less uncertain, is the best for years, in peaches, plums, etc. The apple crop was good last year and is so again. The pear yield is said to be much more than an average. Everything known in the way of garden "truck" has been produced this year in a plentitude that defies consumption. Watermelons, too, with all their lasciousness and our insatiable appetites therefor, are so plentiful that even the erring boy is not tempted more to filch them from the patch.

With all our good yields, and they have been great in a number of crops, there is another circumstance that tends ameliorate the condition of our people. It is that we have learned, from 1914 experiences with the price of cotton and other crops on account of the war, to diversify and to economize. We believe that we are safe in saying that on an average the farmers this year have not gone to more than three-fourths the expense in making their crops that they have gone to heretofore, wherefore a great deal

larger margin of profit can be shown up in favor of the farmer. A greater variety of crops has been grown, which of course means that the cotton acreage has been appreciably reduced. If the Government estimate of 12,000,000 bales for this year proves correct, and the crop is properly marketed for its real value, this section of the country will not not remember with regrets the year of 1915.

Moving Pictures help Cause of Prohibition

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movies, or to a saloon, and many of them prefer the picture shows. It doesn't cost much to go to a picture show and a man can take his wife and family with him. Picture shows don't cause headaches the next morning nor heartaches the next week.

"Many of the pictures teach good moral lessons. Some of the barroom scenes show the disousing side of drinking and let men see what disgraceful things an intoxicated man may do. A large per cent of them show the evils of intemperance and naturally tend to make men prefer the 'movies' to the saloons.

"The liquor interests generally are unfriendly to the picture shows. Many films, as 'John Barleycorn,' are such good temperance lectures that they make liquor dealers the enemies of the picture shows.

"I understand that many prominent men of the United States are of the same opinion in regard to the temperate effects of the picture shows."

adv.

Buy a genuine Studebaker buggy at Carter's.

12 cans Salmon for \$1.00 at Higginbotham's

To Cotton Raisers:

We wish to announce to the public that we have overhauled and thoroughly prepared The Farmers' Union Gin for doing first class ginning. We have used the latest appliances in putting the stands in perfect condition, and we feel safe in saying that the gin plant is in better shape than it has been since it was first installed. Our ginmer, E. H. Stewart, is a gin man of years of experience, and all our other hands are experienced and efficient. We guarantee to give you our very best service. Have your cotton ginned here and save hauling your cotton and seed to market. We assure you that we will appreciate your business.

THE FARMERS' UNION GIN, on Hill in South part of Town.
J. H. McDONALD, MANAGER.

WE ARE TOO BUSY

Opening up new goods to tell about them.

LOOK OUT FOR OUR AD. NEXT WEEK.

DAVIS-GARNER & CO.

Quality Counts

Watch Us Grow.

PERCHANCE MORE AND BETTER LIGHT

Mr. Coker, a cousin-in-law of Ben Williams, whom he accompanied here from Abilene on Tuesday, and superintendent of the Abilene Street car system, has been at the pains to inquire of our citizens as to the number of electric lights we would use if the Abilene light people would give us service. These people, Mr. Coker states, have already made arrangements to supply Clyde, Baird, Putnam and Cisco, and he sees no reason why, if we give them reasonable support, they cannot and will not come to Cross Plains. He says that he was not here officially, but that he thinks the electric light people will surley look into the matter when he reports to them upon his return home.

Of course, Cross Plains as a town will only be too glad to take the matter up and do whatever we can to get this much-coveted service.

FIDELIS-BEREAN CLASS ORGANIZED

The young ladies and men of the Cross Plains Baptist church have organized a Fidelis Berean class and they invite all of the young people of the town and country to join at any time. They have elected the following officers:
Roy Mitchell, president
Miss Myrtle Atwood 1st vice-pres.
Hugh Gregory 2nd vice-president
Chas. Ellis 3rd vice-president
Ernest Gilbert treasurer.
Miss Lois Elliot secretary
Mrs. T. J. Christopher, teacher

LOST last Friday between D. S. Jinks' and Joe Austin's mail-box a brown raw-hide buggy whip. Finder please return to JESSE MOORE.

Buy a White sewing machine on good terms at Carter's.

No More Goods Charged!

For the remainder of the year we are going to adhere to a policy of selling goods strictly for cash. Conditions are such that we deem it best that we bring our business to this cash basis. We appreciate the trade you have given us, whether on time or cash, and we assure you that now, not taking any chance on charged accounts, we will be better prepared than ever to give you value received for your money.

Your Cash Business

is what we want and we are going after it in a way that will make things interesting.
LOOK out for OUR ADVERTISEMENTS.

Forbes & Adams

REMOVAL SALE!!

I will in a short time move to the Plains country and in order to reduce my stock of Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishings, Groceries, Etc., before moving, I have decided to put on a Ten Days Removal Sale giving such reductions in every department as will sure sell the goods. The freight rate is high and I can and must sell everything cheap rather than to go to so much expense to move it. Everything will be sold at unusually low prices and many articles absolutely below first wholesale cost.

Note the low prices given below--they are made with a full realization of the fact that, the times being hard, your dollar is worth more than ever. Hence we are making our "Removal Sale" out-sale former sales in Cross Plains.

Ten Days Beginning Friday, Sept. 3rd.

SHOES AND SHOES!	UNDERWEAR, ETC.	PRICES ON GROCERIES CUT DEEP	
Our line of Shoes for Men and Boys is complete. Come early.	50c Underwear 35c	5 gallon Oil..... 60c	Pears per can..... 10c
\$5.00 regular Shoes now \$3.75	35c 20c	Cooking Oil 1 gallon..... 65c	3 Pkgs. Mince Meat..... 20c
4.00 " " " " 3.20	\$1.25 Men's Gloves 85c	10 lb. Lard 95c	3 Pkgs. Coccoanut..... 20c
3.75 " " " " 2.85	25c Men's Gloves 19c	10 lb. Cottolene \$1.25	3 Pkgs. Chocolate..... 20c
3.50 " " " " 2.75	10c Men's Gloves 7c	1 gallon Sorghum 40c	3 Bottles 10c chile powders 20c
2.75 " " " " 2.25	Men's Collars each 10c	1 " Karo 40c	3 cans chile..... 20c
2.50 " " " " 1.75	50c Ties 35c	1 " Pure Ribbon cane 60c	3 " Pork and Beans 20c
1.85 " " " " 1.40	35c Ties 20c	1 " Ario 55c	3 Pkgs. Corn Starch 20c
1.75 " Boys Shoes 1.35	10c Handkerchiefs 3 for 20c	12 lb. Bucket, Comb Honey \$1.40	3 " Macaroni 20c
2.50 " " " " 2.00	5c " " " " 7 for 25c	6 lb. " " " " 75c	15c bottle Catsup 10c
2.25 " " " " 1.75	3 pair 10c Men's Hose for 20c	25 lb. Best Sugar 1.65	3 bottles Pickles 20c
	25c Men's Hose per pair 17c	8 lb. Bulk coffee..... \$1.00	25c jar " " 20c
	35c " " " " 25c	5 lb. Peabury coffee..... 90c	1 lb. Best Tea 40c
		5 pkgs. Arbuckle coffee..... 90c	25c Peanut Butter 20c
		3 " Post Toaties 35c	10c Pepper Sauce 5c
		3 " Cream Wheat 35c	25c " " " " 15c
		3 " Grape Nuts 35c	5 Bottles Garrett Snuff .. \$1.00
		Best fruit jar rubbers 5c	5 Glasses Honest Snuff 1.00
		25c Baking Powders 15c	6 Bottles Peach Snuff 1.00
		7 bars Fairy soap 25c	12 lbs. Dried Peaches 1.00
		3 No. 2 Lamp Globes 20c	12 lbs. Dried Apples 1.00
		4 cakes Grandpa soap 15c	16 lbs. Whole Grain Rice 1.00
		7 bars White soap 25c	16 " Pink Beans 1.00
		7 bars Clean Easy 25c	12 " Lima Beans 1.00
		4 cans Lye 25c	16 lbs. Navy Beans 1.00
		4 boxes starch 25c	1.00 Butcher Knife 75c
		7 pkgs Washing Powder 25c	50c Butcher Knife 35c
		Shot Gun Shells 40c	1.50 Pocket Knife 1.00
		3 lb. California Peaches per can 15c	1.00 Pocket Knife 75c
		3 lb. " Pears " " 15c	85c " " " " 60c
		3 lb. " Apricots " " 15c	75c " " " " 55c
		Red Salmon per can 15c	50c " " " " 35c
		Pink " " " " 10c	Brown Mule Tobacco per lb. 35c
		3 lb. Tomatoes per can 10c	Star Tobacco 45c
		Strawberries per can 10c	Tinsley Tobacco 55c
		Black Berries 10c	Clipper " " 25c
		3 cans Kraut 25c	Granger Twist 45c
		3 cans Hominy 25c	Best Soft Rope per lb. 10c
		Sweet Potatoes Per can 10c	

SHOES AND SHOES!

Our line of Shoes for Men and Boys is complete. Come early.

\$5.00 regular Shoes now	\$3.75
4.00 " " " "	3.20
3.75 " " " "	2.85
3.50 " " " "	2.75
2.75 " " " "	2.25
2.50 " " " "	1.75
1.85 " " " "	1.40
1.75 " Boys Shoes	1.35
2.50 " " " "	2.00
2.25 " " " "	1.75

PANTS

\$1.00 Men's Overalls	75c
1.00 Men's Jumpers	75c
50c " " " "	35c
75c Boys' Overalls	60c
65 " " " "	40c
\$5.00 Men's Pants	\$3.50
4.50 " " " "	3.25
4.00 " " " "	3.00
3.00 " " " "	2.25
1.50 " " " "	1.00
1.25 Boys' Knee Pants	75c
1.50 Boys' Long Pants	75c

SHIRTS

50c Men & Boys' Workshirts	35c
50c Men's Dress Shirts	35c
75c " " " "	40c
1.00 " " " "	75c
1.25 " " " "	75c

UNDERWEAR, ETC.

50c Underwear	35c
35c " " " "	20c
\$1.25 Men's Gloves	85c
25c Men's Gloves	19c
10c Men's Gloves	7c
Men's Collars each	10c
50c Ties	35c
35c Ties	20c
10c Handkerchiefs 3 for	20c
5c " " " " 7 for	25c
3 pair 10c Men's Hose for	20c
25c Men's Hose per pair	17c
35c " " " " " "	25c

HATS

\$2.50 Men's Derby Hats	\$1.00
2.50 " Straw Hats	.25
2.50 " Felt Hats	1.25
1.25 Hats	.75

THIS SALE IS FOR CASH ONLY

Ten Days of Exceptional bargains in every department.

M. D. JONES

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

**After Four Years of Discouraging
Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave
Up in Despair. Husband
Came to Rescue.**

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its firing me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 6-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. —142

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All calls answered day or night.

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Veterinary Surgeon

GOLSON SELLS FARM

M. R. Golson has sold his farm of 100 acres five miles south of town to J. E. Harrell, consideration \$1,800.00. Mr. Golson states that he will move to the flat south of the Bayou on his father-in-law E. De-Busk's place, but will continue to do his trading here. Mr. Harrell gets a 320-acre lease that Mr. Golson had. He means to convert the farm, the soil of which is of a sandy nature, into a hog ranch.

LUSCIOUS MELONS

R. G. Jones, the diversifier of Cottonwood, and his wife were in town Saturday with a load of what he termed "casavas," a variety of muskmelon the seed of which he brought, a few years ago, from California. Two of these melons he left at this office whence they were sent to the Bennett hotel where they were served like cantaloupes, proving to be of such delightful and luscious flavor that a demand was immediately created that could not be supplied. These melons, larger than a cantaloupe, are lighter than it in color, and much richer and more delicate in flavor. Mr. Jones has a hobby of trying every new crop he learns of, and this time his experiment has borne fruit in introducing into this country a melon prolific and of flavor par excellence.

Turkey Creek

The revival meeting closed at this place last Tuesday nights, large crowds and good interest being manifested during the meeting.

The singing school being conducted by Prof. Dexter Robbins, closed Tuesday with a number of visitors present. We are proud of our band of singers and extend an invitation to all to meet with us each 2nd and 4th Sunday afternoon's and sing with us.

Henry Harris and family were the guest, of J. H. Coats and family Sunday.

Arthur Coffey and family spent Sunday in Stanford.

Charlie NesSmith and Charlie Pool made a business trip to Baird Monday.

Geo. Purvis and wife visited Mrs. Purvis mother Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Eudaley and family will leave soon for Howard county where they will make that their future home and to put the girls in a good school this winter.

Allen Ellis made a business trip to Cross Plains Monday.

Misses Fannie and Ruth Anderson have returned to their home at Leaday after a month visit with relatives and friends.

Misses Zona, Delia and Jewel Arvin spent Sunday with the Misses Eudaleys.

Clyde Slaughter has moved to the place vacated by Will Perry.

Misses Ollie and Hattie Gillet have returned home after attending the Singing School.

AT COTTONWOOD

Mr. Dexter Robbins began a ten days singing school at this place Monday will also teach each night for the benefit of those who cannot attend during the day.

The literary school being taught by Profs. Varner and Respass closed Tuesday.

Among those who attended the Sacred Harp Singing at Cross Out Sunday from this place were Geo. Wright and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Everett, and Mrs. Ray.

Mrs. Harry Varner and daughter Mabel returned from Moran Friday where they visited Mrs. Varners parents.

Will Everett and wife returned last week from a visit to Roscoe and Tulia. They report the country and crops in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton spent the day with Charlie NesSmith and family Sunday.

Wess Everett and family spent a very pleasant day in the home of A. J. Arwin Monday.

Wiss Nora Reed has returned to Clyde after visiting relatives and friends at this place.

Bryant Bennett left Friday for his home near San Antonio. We regret to see him leave as he has grown to manhood in this community.

Auran Fugurson returned home Monday from Sweetwater where he spent the past week visiting.

A number of our young people attended the entertainment at Turkey Creek Saturday night, all report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elkins left Tuesday for Coleman to visit Mr. Elkins parents.

Clyde Cox and family left Sunday for New Mexico.

Uncle Tom Norrel left Monday for a few days stay with his son Bob at Baird.

Miss Hazel Respass is visiting Fredda Griffin at Tulia.—Y

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Dr. E.H. RAMSEY

DENTIST

OVER FARMER'S NATIONAL BANK

LIBERTY NEWS

Too late for last week.

Well, we have had another good rain and a stiff breeze with it but no serious damage is reported in this locality, except some of the shakly ones are saying it will help the weevils to finish up on our cotton.

Tommie Breed is visiting his uncle Mr. W. E. Clark.

T. D. Little and family of Scranton visited at J. W. Lacy's last Sunday.

L. N. Fenter of Atwell spent Saturday night and Sunday with uncle Frank Lacy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vestal a ten pound boy.

Bill Marshall and wife are the proud parents of a fine baby girl; all parties concerned doing well.

T. B. Vestal and wife visited at W. P. Armstrongs last Sunday.

Alphonso Smith and family of near Cook attended church at Liberty last Sunday.

The Baptist meeting will begin at this place Wednesday 25th; Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The Christian meeting began last Tuesday and will continue on through the 5th Sunday.

Bob Colvin of Burkett was a business caller at this place last week.

John Holder and wife and son, Carlton will leave Tuesday for an extended visit to R. L. Holder's who lives near Stanford. John says he may not be back for two whole weeks.

Uncle Bill Clark is able to be up again after an illness of several weeks.

Whistle Trigger

HOSIERY FOR FALL AND WINTER

A big direct shipment will be here soon. Watch for our window display.

THE RACKET STORE

Messdames T T McCord and G. C. McCord left yesterday for Gorman. T T is to leave with a car of household and store goods for Floydada where his folks will join him and where he and his brother G C will engage in the racket business.

Clark Nichols is again conductor on the branch, taking the place temporarily of O C Belcher who is on the main line for a few days.

A good gentile work mule for sale.—C. S. Boyles.

Parker Bond has been gone a few days to Rockwood where he has been busy organizing a stock company for a state bank at that place. He states that all the stock has been subscribed. He left here Thursday for Santa Anna to consult with a state bank examiner.

Virgil Hart is at Roby on business.

W R Atwood is building one room and a gallery to his house.

J A Coats has just finished adding two rooms and a gallery to his home near Cottonwood.

John and Albert Conice are erecting a granary at their home place south of town.

A boy born unto Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ship on Sunday.

Rob Alexander has returned to his home at Lampasas after visiting his kinsfolk the Elders.

Mr. Sumerlin and son W. J. were in town Monday from Byrd's, the father leaving here Tuesday for a few days' trip to his old home in Fisher county.

When you think of screen doors and wire, think of Shackelford Lumber Yard; we are glad to furnish you estimates, call on us.

(Thru some kind of lapse of Whistle Trigger this communication was not mailed at or near home. It bears the postmark of Tuxedo. This may account for its not reaching us on time Ec.)

New Stock of Millinery

Messdames Carson and Rutherford have opened up a new stock of millinery. Mrs. Carson has just returned from market where she spent some time reviewing her old trade.

Our Object will be to please you in Every Detail about your Headwear.

SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY

AT CARTER'S STORE.

Mesdames Carson & Rutherford.

MONEY TO LOAN

We have plenty of money to loan on first-lien improved farms and stock farm lands. Full particulars supplied by us on application. SEE US!

CROSS PLAINS DEVELOPMENT CO.

PERSONAL MENTION

2 50-Ton Tulsa Silos in stock—car deliver at once. Terms. Shackelford's Lumber Yard

Mrs. W. E. Wakefield and children who have been visiting in the Panhandle country, have returned home.

Special prices on Moon Bros. Buggies at C. S. Boyles. 4t.

Miss Ruth Masters of Waco is visiting her friend Mrs. A. T. Adkisson.

When better lumber is sold, Shackelford will sell it. The same about Paints.

Dr. Tyson and family have returned from a prolonged visit to Arkansas, where they formerly lived. They report a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Drew Senter and son Nyal have returned to their home at Dora, Texas, after visiting her sister Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Why buy an ordinary buggy when you can get a moon Bros. from Boyles at the same price? (adv)

Mr. Corey, brother-in-law to B. A. Odell of Caddo Peak, left here Monday morning for his home in Iowa after visiting Mr. Odell.

The De Laval the separator you will eventually use.

Boll weevil prices on made-to-measure suits.—Tarrt the tailor

If its lumber or paint, Shackelford has it.

J. C. Rucker and family of Oplin were here Monday the guests of J. A. Atwood. They brought some relatives to the train who had been visiting them at Oplin;

Painted and Galvanized Roofing in stock.

Shackelford's Lumber Yard

Miss Mary Rumph who is now living in Ft. Worth has been visiting her kinsfolk here. She was accompanied by two of her little nieces of Ft. Worth.

Extra values in Summer Underwear at Carter's.

See us for fresh cheese and summer sausage.—Sipes & Hughes.

July 30th

For any kind of shoe repairing see S. C. Gresham at his old stand in rear of Racket Store.

Miss Lella Kiningham, accompanied by Miss Jewell Mitchell, left Monday Morning for her home at Campbell, Texas, after a month's visit with her aunt Mrs. T. E. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams who have been gone on a two-months vacation, with a cousin, a Mr. Coker of Abilene, returned here Tuesday to make preparation to move to Tuxedo where Ben is in business. We are sorry to lose these good people, and hope them much success which they surely merit in their new line of endeavor.

The Christian revival meeting closed Sunday night. Elder Vaughn returning to his home at Lometa.

MILLINERY

and

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear.

Our millinery department is now open with an enormous stock of ladies' tailored and street hats in all the season's most approved models and colors. The trimmings are the most beautiful that have ever been shown—beads, beaded ornaments and rare color combinations that give individuality and style to each hat.

Miss Tarver will again have charge of this department and will be glad to welcome her friends and customers of the past season and assure them that their needs will be looked after in the same careful and painstaking way as in the past season. She will be glad to show you whether you wish to buy or just to look.

New Coat Suits.

Ladies' new coat suits have arrived and to say they they are CLASSY and HANDSOME puts it very mildly. The colors are Russian Green, African Brown, Navy Blue, Black and Copen. Fabrics are Serge, Gaberdine, Whipcords and Mixtures. Styles are prettier, fit better and are designed along lines to be of great service. Almost every one has some feature or touch that brings out the military tendency of the season.

New Silks and Dress Goods

Are now open and on display. They're beautiful and serviceable, too. Gaberdines, Serges, Plaids, Stripes and Checks in almost every kind of fabric

Silks are being shown in Checks, Stripes, Plaids and solid colors. Poplins, Failles, Crepes, Taffetas and Messalines.

They are all here. Come in and look them over. Now's the time to buy.

NEW SHOES.

That's the pride of our stock this season. Every shoe has been selected for its individual style, workmanship, and quality of material used. They are every one made by specialty manufacturers; that is, people who make only children's shoes, others only ladies' shoes, etc. For that reason they are made better, fit better, and wear longer.

Come be fitted in a pair of our shoes and be convinced that they ARE BETTER.

Higginbotham Trading Co

Cross Plains

Texas

You are overlooking some real values if you fail to get one of those Moon Bros buggies at the special prices that we are making on them 4t C. S. Boyles

Sheriff Moore, Superintendent of Putnam arrived here Tuesday in Mr. Moore's car. They came via Putnam, Scranton and volunteered the information that the roads they traversed were in horrible condition.

8 pounds good coffee for \$1.00 at Higginbothams.

Mrs. C. E. Alvis and son Eugene returned last Thursday from the coast country where Mrs. Alvis has been for the last few months in the interest of her health. We are glad to have her home again.

One dozen cans good Salmon for \$1.00 at Higginbothams.

Unloading this week two cars of good cedar posts, to be sold at Cross Plains from 40 to 50 per cent cheaper than the usual price. Would exchange posts for a fresh Jersey cow not more than seven or eight years old.

J. A. Joy, Cottonwood July 27th

S. E. Settle, county superintendent was in town over Tuesday night. He tells us that he has been instrumental in getting the rural school in the county to buy, in round numbers, 300 patent school desks, a carload which will arrive at an early date. He states that there are ten or more schools yet that need this kind of desk.

When in need of cream separator why not buy the best, the Diabolo?—Geo. Thomasson. 5t

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Year.

Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

FOR SALE or trade a three-room house and one acre of land in north east part of town for sale cheap or trade for good stock. See Bob Colvin, Burkett, or Review Office.

Charlie Scott, and mother arrived here the first of the week, where they will make their home during the school. Mr. Scott has a position as principal in the public school. They are living in the Tom Cross house in the west part of town.

A good cotton and corn crop for sale.—Bert Brown, Burkett, Tex.

Paint?

There are two good reasons for painting often-enough or even too-often. One, to look prosperous; two, to be so.

Nothing does more credit or gives one more credit than paint; supplemented of course by what goes with it; and paint costs nothing

True, the first cost is \$5 or \$6 a gallon put-on; but it saves more than that in the property; saves it from slow going-down—not always slow—it drops with a jump when water gets in on wood and iron.

Dry wood and iron cost nothing, kept dry by paint.

Better paint when it needs it. Paint never goes-down in the sense of being more profitable next year.

DEVOE

F. P. Shackelford sells it.

Attention Buggy Buyers

We are making some special prices on Moon Bros. Buggies. It will pay you big to investigate.

C. S. Boyles

Plenty of cold tar for wagon wheel repair.—Shackelford Lumber

AS GOOD AS NEW

1 cook stove, one Dresser—see me for a bargain.

A T Adkisson at the Candy Shop.

Fresh cream cheese and summer sausage carried in stock.—Sipes & Hughes. July 3

Make your cash buy more by trading at Carter's

Tom King and family of Rochester, Texas, have been visiting Mrs. King's cousin Mrs. J. M. Hembree.

C. E. Alvis returned Friday from St. Louis where he bought dry good for Davis-Garner & Co.'s store. He says he has bought lots, of new and snappy goods that will soon be arriving daily.

H. A. Denter of Hico was here over Sunday the guest of friends. 10 pound bucket of White Cloud or Jack Rabbit Lard for \$1.00 at Higginbothams.

Miss Ruby Lee Rogers who has been visiting her sister Mrs. T. J. Christopher returned to her home at Hico Monday.

Elder Ussery returned Monday from Iredell where he closed a good meeting. He states that he is to begin a meeting at Marcury on Thursday night.

W H G Chambers of the Cross Cut community is preparing to build a new house or add to his old one.

Luke Eddington of below Cross Cut is hauling lumber preparatory to building a barn. Luke has made a good grain crop, and needs a good deal of barn room.

Miss Leona Gibbs returned to her home at May on Tuesday after visiting here.

Henry Gibbs of May is in town for a few days.

Married

John Breeding and Miss Myrtle Booth of near town were married Sunday, Justice Smith officiating. Mr. Breeding is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Breeding of Caddo Peak and the bride is a daughter of Col. and Mrs. W. A. Booth, one of the earliest pioneer families of the country. This is a deserving young couple and have the best wishes of all for a happy prosperous married life.