# Next Week The Review Issues It Special Political Edition. The Cross Plains Review

Weather Raining At 5 O'clock Thursday Afternoon.

VOL. XXII 4 PAGES THIS WEEK CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, "When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game" FRIDAY, AUGUST 19, 1932 5c PER COPY No. 20

# GOSSIP PIONEERS REUNE SATURDAY

Complaints are so much more common in newspaper work than compliments, that when some one is generous enough to strew a few roses in our path it makes us feel like the Bibical lady who found her lost gold and called in neighbors to rejoice with her.

Homer Shanks, of Abilene, in writing the Review yesterday, was kind enough to say that this paper was one of the best weeklies in the state and that he read every line with unusual interest.

Thems kind words, Mr. Shanks. It makes us prouder of our proverbial dollar a day."

\* \* \* \* \* \* Eight days more and the political ballyhoo reaches its culmination. No doubt many of us ordinary citizens who have been receiving mail from the candidates addressed to us as Honorable so and so, will be just plain Mr. or Mrs. in future correspondence. We can all pull in our chest and go back to honest to goodness work, for Messers Hoover and Roosevelt won't have much time to spend in this part of the county.

\* \* \* \* \* \* But before the 1932 political campaign is shoved into the dimming past. allow us to remind of the special political edition of the Review that will be issued next week. The paper will be larger and will come out a day earlier. By all means don't miss it, for all trump cards will be laid face up in that issue. As Lotief says in his circulars of sales, "Nothing Will Be Withheld."

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Tomorrow is McDermitts picnic. We'll be there with both ears greasy about noontime.

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This fad of girls changing the color of their hair with the seasons is undoubtedly becoming quite popular. We have two new red heads and one platnium blonde in our midst. No! "Slim" don't get excited, they're

not new here. The aspect was simply been rearranged.

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Whereas the beginning of school ) used to be a doleful event it is now an anticipated occasion.

From football captains to the most studious students, they all seem to be

BAPTISTS **PASTOR WILL ARRIVE** SUNDAY EVENING IN TIME FOR SERVICES

**Receives Tribute From Lynn County News Regarding** Wilson Revival

Cross Plains Baptists begin their annual summer revival meeting Sunday night in the tabernacle just West of the church building on 10th Street. Rev. Graves Darby, pastor, will conduct the services.

Two services will be held each day, according to an announcement from one of the deacons yesterday. The morning devotional will begin at 10 o'clock and the evening at seven thirty. The meeting will last two weeks. Rev. H. T. Dennis will conduct the singing and special music as well as assist Rev. Darby, in the personal work.

For the past two weeks Darby has been in Wilson conducting a meeting. He has preached in revivals there for the past five years. He will return in time for the services Sunday night. The Lynn County News in commenting upon the Wilson meeting the past we**c**k said; "On last Sunday, Rev. Graves Darby of Cross Plains, formerly pastor at Wilson, filled the pulpit at both the morning and evening hours, bringing two of the finest messages ever heard from this pulpit. Brother Darby's deep consecration and spirituality, his bread learning, and his fine intellect, together with his remarkable familiarity with the Scriptures, make him one of the most

intensely interesting pulpit speakers in all West Texas."

LIFE, LARGER POOL

**OIL MEN SEE MORE** 



**BEGINS REVIVAL HERE** 

**REV. GRAVES DARBY** 

WESTERN UNION WILL MOVE OFFICE TO R. R. **STATION SEPTEMBER I** 

Western Union company will transfer their office on eighth street, to the railway station September first, it was learned in a communication from B. D. Barnett, General Manager Wednesday.

Mr. Barnett in his statement to the Review said that as soon as business conditions justified it, they would relocate in the main business section of

Miss Audrey Baham, local operator, had not been informed of the removal Wednesday and was unable to say she would be transferred.



## **BEGIN REVIVAL** HERE **MISS MAYOLA GARRETT** AND CHILLICOTHE MAN WED HERE THURSDAY

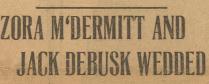
Rev. S. P. Collins Reads Ring **Ceremony In Early Morning Rites At Parsonage** 

In an early morning ceremony Thursday, Miss Mayola Garrett, of this place, and R. M. Davidson, Chillicothe, were united in marriage at the home of Rev. S. P. Collins, Presbyterian pastor.

The rites were solemnized at five o'clock with Rev. Collins reading the ring ceremony. Only a few close relatives were present. The bride wore a shell pink and powder blue flat crepe ensemble with accessories to match. Mrs. Davidson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett, of this place. She was graduated from Cross Plains high school with the class of '30 and has for the past two years attended McMurry College, Abilene.

The groom is the son of a pioneer West Texas family and well known in Abilene and Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson will remain here for a short visit before leaving for Chillicothe, where he will teach in the public schools. They will make a short bridal tour of West Texas on their return to Chillicothe.



Two pioneer families of this section were united Thursday, August 11, when Miss Zora V. McDermitt became the bride of Jack DeBusk. The cere-

mony was solemnized at Coleman. Both the bride and groom are well known in Cross Plains and throughout this section, having attended school here. She was graduated with the class of '30 and was leader of the 'Buffalo' pep squad in her senior year, as well as having an important part in rtra-curriculur affairs. The groom

# Will Gather At McDermitt Ranch 8 Miles West Here For Annual Celebration

Old settlers from all over this section will gather at McDermitt's ranch, eight miles West of Cross Plains, Saturday for the annual summer picnic and get-together. Dinner on the ground, livestock showing, riding events, old fiddlers contest and rodeo are features of the entertainment program.

**TOWN IN READINESS** LATE THURSDAY FOR **POLITICAL MEETING** 

Plans were complete at 'press time' Thursday afternoon for a political speaking for all run-off candidates on Main Street here last night, Paul V. Harrell, who was to preside over the gathering, said that unless it was raining too hard that plans were to go ahead with the gathering

Among the speakers scheduled to be on hand were: Judge W. R. Wagstaff, of Abilene, for Sterling; Judge J. K. Baker, for Ferguson; Cecil A. Lotief and B. L. Russell, Jr. for state representative; all county and precinct candidates.

One block on Main Street was being roped off to take care of the large crowd that was expected.

Paul V. Harrell, local attonrey, was to preside over the meeting introducing speakers and fulfilling the duties of chairman.

# SEE 'SWAP ADS' ON PAGE 3 IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO TRADE

What have you to swap? Listed on page two of this paper are seven advertisements listing articles for exchange. They will be run through September without charge. If you have something to trade it may be listed in this column and run for the

Hugh McDermitt appointed committees Monday to assist in the work and complete arrangements to make this year's celebration the best in history.

"We want everyone to come and enjoy the day Saturday. Bring a well filled basket and spread it with your friends and neighbors. Everyone is invited but especially the old-timers are urged to attend." said Hugh McDermitt yesterday.

The complete list of committees and the part that those named herein are expected to do follows:

Tournament riding-under supervision of Ed. Morgan and George Erwin, will begin at nine thirty a. m. Anyone may enter.

Potato races under direction of Fred Stacy will follow the tournament riding.

Old fiddlers contest open to veterans of the "bow and string" will follow the potato races. This feature of the entertainment will be handled by Henry (Dad) Childs. He has urged that old time fiddlers from all over this section bring their instruments and participate in the contest.

Dinner on the ground, the big feature of the day, will follow the fiddling contest. Everyone will spread their baskets together in the shade of a large grove on the ranch. A special table will be arranged for the old settlers.

At three o'clock a sheep show is scheduled. Fred Long will be in charge of the displays and Price Odom, George Ray and Sam Edington will be judges.

Registered cattle will be displayed and judged at the same time. In the best beef calf contest, Earl Gray will

anxiously awaiting September 12, when another nine months session begins.

And speaking of football captains, that calls to mind the prospects for the 'Buffaloes' in the approaching gridiron campaign. Captains Erle Smith and Tommie Webb are ready to go. Chief among their supporting henchmen this Fall will probably be: W. J. 'Son' Sipes, who lacked a half credit finishing up last year and will again be elegible for football competition; Leonard Davidson, Socrates Walker, Joe Smith, Ralph Baum, Tommie Holden and probably Jack Nichols.

There will be no doubt be other valuable recruits to the 'Buffalo's thundering herd'.

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Dan Capid is a pretty nice of rascal after all. Besides piercing the hearts of devoted lovers and lentangling them in matrimony, he often gives news starved writers a fresh subject.

The old gentlemen made six perfect bull's eyes with his little arrow the past week and as a result we have three new families in the Cross Plains trade territory.

And now to add health and happin-

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Location for a new test in the Burkett oil field was made Wednesday by Frank Stone and Ben Garner, on the Wiley Newton tract, 600 feet Northwest of their recently drilled-in producer. They plan to 'spud in' on the well about middle of next week, according to a statement from Frank Stone yesterday.

One new pipeline connection was made in the field the past week and vet another well is expected to be hooked-up about Monday. Each adds 21 barrels a day to the total allowable from the pool.

Oil men interviewed by a Review reporter Wednesday night were perhaps the most optimistic about the Burkett area they have been since the discovery well there almost two years

"I believe we will find the pool to be much larger and quite like the one at Cross Cut", said Frank Stone. By the comparison he meant that the recent dry hole drilled by Roy Carmichael etal, which temporarily condemed tracts North to be insignificant. The Cross Cut sand is treacherous and dry holes were drilled in many cases offsetting good producers. Stone believes paying production can be obtained Northward up the Bayou.

#### **Terrell Hardin Waiting For Ride In** "Uncle Bud's" Wagon To Penitentiary

Head shaved and ready Terrell | county jail at Baird for 'Uncle Bud's' wagon to take him to the state penitentary for seven year stay. He was given that sentence recently in' a trial before District Judge M. S. Long. charges of theft and a five year suspended sentence became active when cations.

He was captured in Kilgore, where Hardin, local youth, is waiting in the he had been staying, after a communication from Sheriff Robert L. Edwards to officers of that section to be on the 'look out' for him.

Hardin told a Review reporter Tuesday that he had been in Cross Plains Hardin was given two years on about four days before his capture. He said that he was here on "business". he failed to comply with its specifi- Hardin, Callahan county bad man of the board with a good average. He carelessness of the 'thugs'in leaving pioneer days.

Democratic run-off primary. Hundreds of extra copies will be mailed out, reaching every voting box in Callahan county as well as covering the Cross Plains trade territoryportions of Brown, Coleman, Eastland and Callahan counties-completely.

Advertisers are being asked to get 'copy' into the Review office as early as possible, as the paper will come out a day earlier and be larger.

The special issue will contain a sample ballot that will be presented voters August 27 and numbers of local features espectially written for the election. Practically all candidates in this county and section are sending messages to voters through its columns.

#### Jack Robbins Weds Miss Juanita Tyler

Miss Juanita Tyler and Jack Robbins, both of this place, were married in New Mexico the past week, according to reports received at the Review office Wednesday afternoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Tyler and the groom is the grandson of Mrs. Hattie Robbins. He is employed by Cranfill-Reynolds Oil Company.

They will make their home on a lease near Cross Cut where Mr. Roboins is employed.

#### Tom Woods Receives Pharmacist Diploma

Tom Woods, who is employed by Smith drug stores here, received the first of the week his diploma making him a registered pharmacist in this Terrell is a grand nephew to Wesley state. Woods is said to have passed took the examination several times.

was for three years an outstanding athlete for Cross Plains high school, participating in football, basket ball and track.

Mrs. DeBusk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McDermitt and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam DeBusk.

They will make their home nine miles Southwest of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Whaley of De-Leon, were guests of Mrs. Jim Bennett and daughter Leila Mae here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wagner of Austin are visiting friends and relatives here this week

next six weeks free of cost. Read the ads on page two and see if you can't make a trade , with some

of the advertisers.

#### Middling Cotton Is Quoted 675 Thursday

"If boll weevils are not increased by them, our recent rains will be of unestimatable value to cotton crops of this section", said V. A. Underwood, Vocational agent here, yesterday. Middling cotton was quoted on the streets of Cross Plains Thursday as being worth about six and three quarter cents. It was worth a few points more earlier in the week but took a slight drop Wednesday.

have charge of the exhibit and Ed Odom and Will Cutbirth will be judges.

Pomp Payne will conduct the Durham cattle exhibition while Fred Heyser, J. C. McDermitt and Noah Johnson will be judges.

In the Herford cattle class, Carlos McDermitt will conduct the exhibit. Judges will be Will Burns, Billie Henderson and Tom Windham.

Pony show for children not over 10 vears old on their horses. There will be another pony show for riders and their mounts from that age up. Judges in both these events will be A. G. Boyles, W. L. Young and S. C. Burns, Claurence Edington will be in charge.

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# 'Thugs' Loot Pioneer Postoffice **Of Money And Pistols Thursday**

Thursday morning. Postmaster I. C. Plumlee estimated the loss to a Review reporter at approximately \$300. Entrance into the postoffice was gained by breaking glass out of a door and window at the front of the building. The safe was carried away and 'cracked open' on the Will Armstrong farm, three and one-half miles North of Pioneer.

Deputy Sheriff W. A. Peterson found the (safe and tools that had been used to open it early Thursday morning.

Peterson, Sheriff Virge Foster and Deputy Steele Hill, of Eastland, working on the case said they believed the it was a bunch of drunks or somesafe had been crudely opened and the | time was 3:20 a.m. clues behind.

A set of keys, all to a Ford auto- | master came down to open the office. mobile, was found in the postoffice lobby Thursday morning. A sledge money. The remaining portion was hammer, crowbar and chisels were also left near the safe. Officers also have a general description of the car that was used in the raid and the type of tires on the wheels.

L. C. Cash, Pioneer grocery merchant, heard a noise at the postoffice at 3:20 a. m. and looked out in time to see the automobile drive off. He opined that he was awakened by the drop-

ping of the safe in the car. "No lights were burning on the automobile but I didn't get up for I just imagined that job to be that of amateurs. They based | thing", Mr. Cash said. He did turn on this conclusion upon the fact that the the light however and noted that the

> The robbery was not discovered until seven o'clock when the post- for more than five years.

Of the \$300. loss only \$110. was

in stamps that the robbers did not take but left in the rain to be damaged and destroyed. Three U. S. Army pistols, belonging to the government were in the safe. They are also missing yestday morning.

Postmaster Plumlee said that he believed at least four men participated in the robbery. The safe he declared weighed 600 pounds.

An attempt to rob the Pioneer postoffice was made in October 1927 but it was unsuccessful. Robbers had only moved the safe from one side of the office to another, when a doctor's call frightened them away.

Pioneer has o fourth class office and Mr. Plumlee has been postmaster.

#### THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

## Children's Bedtime Story By Norris Chambers

#### Farewell: Good Luck Series No. 22

"I am through," wailed Billie 'Possum," I'm not going to act for you any more. In the last story you wrote about me you completely disgraced me. I hereby refuse to act in another story.'

"But," I interrupted, I did not intend to disgrace you. What did I say that was disgraceful "

You know! cried Billie, you told the children how I saved some little skunk children, and so-forth, and then you brought it out as a dream; thus want to. plainly showing that the braiery described was not in me, in reality.

"Oh, I'm so sorry;" I exclaimed, I you are awake and tell how you sav- I have gotten all I can stand of it."

lard Batteries.

escape from a dog, and how you jumpover a seven hundred feet cliff and hit uninjured !" "No," protested Billie, I am absol-

foolish stories again. You exagerrat- Skunk by having her flee from the ed that last tale too much, too. When you tell stories about me I want them to be true ones.

you don't want Boby Squirrel to hear you talking like that. Here he comes having King Wolf stretch a piece of now.

I don't care who hears me, stammered the 'possum. I talk when I

"Hey! Hey!" hailed Boby, what's all this,

"This big bum is misrepresenting will make a big story about you when me in his stories, blurted Billie," and

"I have not !" I retorted. Boby sat there and watched us argue. He did not say which side he was for, but any one could tell that he was in sympathy with Biled a fuzzy kitten, helped a raingtail lie' Possum.

Boby sat there until Billie had said all he could say and I had said all I

could think of, and then he started. "You are a big bum! he began turnutely not going to be heard of if your ing to me. I saw you disgrace Mattie fire and leave her babies to burn. She would never do that.

"Then you misrepresented nature in "P-s-s-s-s," I hissed, quiet, THE PARADISE BEYOND. You formed your climax of that story by 'timber line across his path and trip his pursuers. You are a bum, and I also refuse to act in any more of your stories."

> "Very well," I said, not wishing to argue, and I lowered my head and departed. I walked down the path to my Rocky Ledge home, which was a big dugout under a rock. I would go home and write a story about the ants: they at least would not complain. I sat down a front of my typewriter and started writing a story about the Razenian ants, and had just finished the first page when I head a knocking at the door. I stopped my writing and walked to admit the visitor. When I threw the door open I saw

Billie 'Possum and Body Squirrel standing there. What could they want?

"We are sorry for what he said," explained Billie, as he walked in, closely followed by Boby, and to prove that we don't care what you say about us in stories we want you to write a story about the way we have done. Name it Farewell and Good Luck, for you almost had to bid us farewell; and we know you would

# **TAX FREE!**

## **17** Years the FIRSTchoice tire!

Batteries Could TALK

Service Station regularly for a free watering and testing.

**GARRETT MOTOR COMPANY** 

They would tell you that it pays to visit our Battery

When new tires cost so little, more than ever it pays to buy the best. Who says Goodyears ARE best? The people who use tires say it—they buy more Goodyears than any other kind — they have been doing that for seventeen successive years. . . If that isn't enough proof, come in-we can actually demonstrate the REASONS WHY you get more for your dollars in Goodyears.

# **Hi-Way Service Station** D. C. Pratt Prop.

When you need battery service see us. Best prices on Wil-

wish us good luck." "Fine," I said, but why have you changed your mind?"

"Polly told us the right thing to do and explained it so plainly that we saw where we had been mistaken. We want you to start on the story immediately and have it published next I walked to the typewriter, jerked the ant story out and threw it into the paper basket, and inserted a sheet of white paper. At the top I put the title FAREWELL; GOOD LUCK and I wrote below just what you are now reading.

Now we hope you will not think too harshly of Billie and Boby, for I am sure they are very sorry for the way they have acted. I guess I have said enough about the way they acted, and I am ready to hand the proof sheets to the two for correction.

Continued next week.

## Dressy

Mr. and Mrs. Pachtell and children accompanied by Miss Oleta Swafford left Thursday by auto for a visit with friends and relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. John Chapman, Mrs. Baird, Mrs. Fred Long, Mrs. Merlin Garrett were visitors with the Comal home demonstration club which met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Connley last Thursday, all report a fine time, it is a joy to be in such a beautiful country

Mr. Sam Swafford carried Mr. Ted Barr, whom has been sick sometime to Dallas last week where he was carried through a clinic.

Norrell Long is at work with the Tommie Webb, Aug. highway department and thinks he George Thomas, Aug. earns every penny he receives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonnie Worthy spent the night with her sister, Mrs. Norrel Long Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman visited Mrs. Chapman's sister in Brecken ridge last week end.

Mrs. Carlos McDermitt is in the hospital at Cisco, we hope for a speedy. recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coburn were in Dressy last Wednesday on business.

Rev. Ross Respess is holding a series of meeting at the Baptist church this week, Mr. Noel Thompson will lead in the singing, we are praying for a great blessing.

About 3 inches of rain fell here Sunday and Sunday night which will be of great benefit to our community in general.

Our pastor, Rev. Stappleton will begin the revival meeting at Burnt Branch Wednesday night, August 17, with the assistance of Rev. Fox.

The Comal Home

**Demonstration** Club

The Comal Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ocie Connelly, with seven members, four Dressy club members and six visitors present.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and watermelon were served by the host-

home of Mrs. Vetra Connelly on Thursurged to be present.

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Luke Westerman, Aug.

Mrs. J. R. Prater, Aug.

Clara Westerman, Aug.

Clarence Martin, Aug.

Gray Patterson, Aug.

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If you suffer this way, try Cardui, which you can get at the drug store.

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"SWAP" WILL TRADE-double row Planter, two row cultivator and two

work mules for something of equa value.

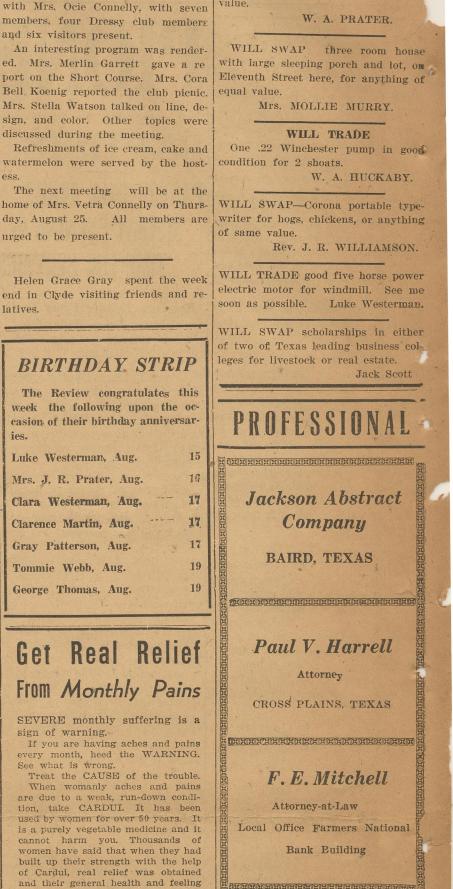
An interesting program was rendered. Mrs. Merlin Garrett gave a re port on the Short Course. Mrs. Cora Bell Koenig reported the club picnic. | equal value. Mrs. Stella Watson talked on line, design, and color. Other topics were

discussed during the meeting.

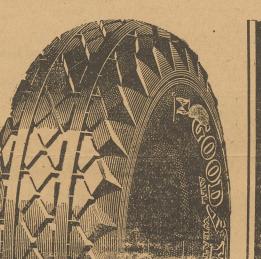
The next meeting will be at the

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST, 19, 1932

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KHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHH Dr. J. H. McGowen DENTIST-X-RAY Office, Farmers National Bank Bldg.





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	Cross Cut	Burkett	The Cross Plains Review		
THE RED & WHITE STORES	Mrs. J. H. Cleveland and three		Covers 4 Counties, Callahan, Coleman TEXAS	BER PRESS reporter and 5,000	
	daughters of Tifian took dinner with Mrs. Lon Anderson Wednesday night.	The Old Settlers Picnic. In looking over the Review we read	Eastiand and Brown	readers of each issue	
PRICES FOR SATURDAY	Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morgan and son, Chester, Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Anderson last week	what you, no doubt, did too. Just that a picnic gay. The "Old	A weekly newspaper published every Friday by the Review Publishing Company in the interest of Cross Plains and the		
FLOUR-48 LBS, CAKE-NONE BETTER 89C	end. Also they had as their guests, Mrs. Anderson's brothers, Fred Tate	Settlers" annual affair that the Mc- Dermitts hold each year will be next Saturday. Where young and old can	surrounding communities. Entered as second class mail matter 1909, at the Post Office at		
	of Denver Colorado and Paul Tate of Denton, Texas.	meet and chat and reminisce 'bout this or that, or discuss politics. Then	Cross Plains, Texas, under the ac	t of March 3, 1898.	
BAKING POWDER—25c size K. C. 19c OATS—Large Crystal Wedding 19c	last week end with Bernice Stockton. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Byrd of Cross	sit in cars around the 'pen' and thrill and cheer and honk and grin at some real cowboy tricks! There'll be men	JACK SCOTT		
Post Bran Flakes—regular size2 for <b>15c</b> Toilet Paper—Supreme Crepe—Roll <b>5c</b>	Cut were in Coleman Sunday visiting Mr. Byrd's brother, Joe.	there with graying hair who'll ride a horse, and playing fair. Could beat their spriest son; They'll	SUBSCRIPTIONS RATES   In Cross Plains Trade Territory, 1 year \$1.50   Outside of county and trade territory \$2.00		
COMPOUND-8 LBS. SWIFTS JEWEL 59C	Willard and Horace McKenney of Plainview are visiting their brother,	rope a sheep quick as a wink and tie	Advertising rates will be furnis	ned upon request.	
- Al-	Odis. The Methodist meeting, which has lasted one week, ended Saturday night	There'll be riding of broncs and things A feature that much laughter brings	reflection upon the person conce	ted in this publication casting a rned will be corrected if brought	
HONEY—GallonSouth Texas69c CRACKERS—2 lb. Supreme 'Fa	Rev. Anderson was the preacher for the meeting. His son, Newton, was song	And yet may mirth dispell For some kids who at danger scoff Will in a 'jiffy', be tossed off	to the attention of the managem		
Crackers-2 lbs Supreme Salad Wafers 19c	leadei. Jack Scott came to Cross Cut Fri- day to play tennis against Bryant	Quicker than takes to tell! So bring a basket, well filled, too To suppelment their barbecue.	1-Ealit	994 EEL	
SUGAR-25 LBS. IMPERIAL CANE _ \$1.12.	Moore of Cross Cut. L. C. Cash of Pioneer and Scott played doubles a- gainst Moore and E. E. Vaughn. Also	And do your part you see You'll need few words then to relate	Remember Saturday Is The Day	Not Prosperity But Better Times	
IVORY SOAP-4 Cakes 25c	Cash and J. Du Priest played against Moore and Vaughn. Moore and Vau- ghn won three of the five sets play-	That you really appreciate Their hospitality. And for the one whose natal day	Saturday is the day, McDer-		
LUNA SOAP—Per Bar2c	ed. Mrs. Toad Baucom is receiving med-	Is celebrated in this way With that full plans in store We're sure you'll join us in the wish	A good old-time picnic with	Don't let anyone kid you prosperity hasn't returned. Bu too don't let them convince you	
Milk, Carnation-Talls —6c Small —3c each	ical treatment at Central Texas Hos- pital, Brownwood. Mrs. Oscar Newton of Cross Cut is	That future years may really bless With health, and many more. A splendid rain fell here Sunday	dinner on the ground, live stock displays, rodeo, riding events and old fiddlers contest are at-	that better days havent arrived temporarily at least.	
MARKET SPECIALS	seriously ill. She is in the Bellevue Hospital at Brownwood. We had a young flood here Sunday.	and Sunday night. The Earnest Harris No. 2 has been completed. It is drilled by 'Cowboy'	traction features. Fill your basket to the brim and and let's all go out and en-	Cotton, wheat and most every thing we produce has advanced decisively. Things won't go	
BACON-SUGAR CURED	Anyway, folks can plant their Fall gardens and be assured the seeds will at least come up.	Lane and Tom Bryant and is good for 100 barrels.	joy a day with real wholesome fun. Everybody and their fri- ends are invited. Just be sure	'hog-wild' over night. In fact they may never again in ou	
SAUSAGE-PURE PORK 15C	Clois Clark and Geneva Atkinson were in Rising Star Friday night.	Jim Pierce and family are visiting relatives in Goldthwaite this week. The Curtis Sligers and Mel Walkers	to bring a well filled basket.	lifetime, but days of normalcy transquility and happiness ar certainly brightening the horiz	
PORK CHOPS-LB 18C	'Happy' Beatly of Breckenridge spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Jack Garrell of Cross Cut.	entertaised the young folks with a party on Saturday and Tuesday night, respectively.	B. A. U. PROGRAM for AUG 21 The Syrophoenician Woman. 1st speaker, Mrs. Scott.	on. It won't take forty cent cot	
BEEF ROAST_LB. $_{-}$ 10C AND 12C	Lavonia Clark and Evelyn Griffin were in Brownwood one day last week. Geraldine Gaines, who has been	The Methodist meetiny begins here Wednesday night of this week. Daven- port will do the preaching.		ton, one dollar wheat or thre dollar oil to relieve our situat ion. Just a few more rises lik	
STEAK-FORE QUARTER 15C	visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Clark of Rising Star, returned to Cross Cut Sunday.	Otto Rudloff and wife are the par- ents of a baby boy born the 15.	5th speaker, Mrs. Tate. Wake up Adults lend a helping	the ones that were taken by commodities last week and dol lars won't be so unfamiliar.	
CHEESE-LB 18C	Linden Newton and Howard New- ton were in Brownwood Tuesday.	Jack DeBusk and Zora McDermitt were married Thursday. Selmer Adams and wife have a new	hand we need you—your Lord needs	Another bright spot is; nin hundred million dollars wort	
			Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jennings and family, of Kosse, visited his sister, Mrs. C. C. Armstrong and family here	issued by the Federal Reserv	
		family of Duncan, Oklahoma are visiting with the J. M. Bells this week. Nola Fay Brink is home after visit-	the past week end.	bank to issue currency to equ. its capital stock. That will mea more dollars in circulation	
		ing too weeks with Mrs. J. D. Mullins of Cross Plains.	Baird visited relatives here Tuesday.	cheaper money; payment of time old obligations and mark	
		C. D. Baker made four hundred gallons of syrup last week for his friends and neighbors.	visited relatives here past week.	ets for what the producer had to sell.	
	•		Miss Doris Lane, who served as re- lief operator at the Western Union	No, don't let anyone tell yo that prosperity has returned	

No, don't let anyone that prosperity has returned. Neither is it hiding around a corner. Things are gradually, certainly and decisively on the road to recovery. Be wise, hold your equities. Happy days are Cottonwood

## **Benefits Are Widely Spread** With Widespread Power

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Richard White of Tulsa, Okla. is here for a visit.

week.

last week end.

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Salts. Get them, at Smith Drug Store

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or any drugstore in the world.

sesses.

have vanished.

Mrs. W. J. Gray has as her guest ahead. here this week her mother, Mrs. B. Marshall, of Clyde. Misses Helen and Doris Gray were in Clyde last week and their grandmother returned home with them.

Baham, returned to her home in Car-

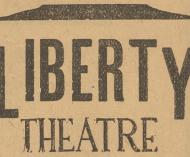
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in the W. R. Chambers home last during the vacation of Miss Audrey

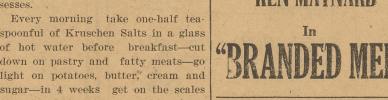
Linzy Gore visited friends here rizo Springs, Sunday.

G. E. Morgan was in Cisco the first of the week.

Just received a new shipment of garden seeds of all kinds. Neeb Produce Company.



Now Showing **KEN MAYNARD** 





Mrs. G. B. Ingram of Crane is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. B. Shirley.

Mrs. Frank Shirley and children. of Moran are visiting his mother, Mrs. W. B. Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cutbirth and little son, Billie were guests of her cousin, Mrs. F. E. Mitchell and fami-

A ground soaking rain that lasted most of Sunday was the occasion for great rejoicing. There will be Fall gardens planted and the old peas and melons will revive. Late feed and June corn is almost assured.

Mrs. Alice Freeland is visiting her relatives in Clyde.

Mrs. Allan McLead, who has been staying at her mothers, Mrs. Peterson, following, a serious operation in Sealy hospital, some weeks ago, is able to be at home again, tho still not well. Mrs. McLead has been in very serious condition and her friends and neighbors are glad indeed to hear of her convalescence.

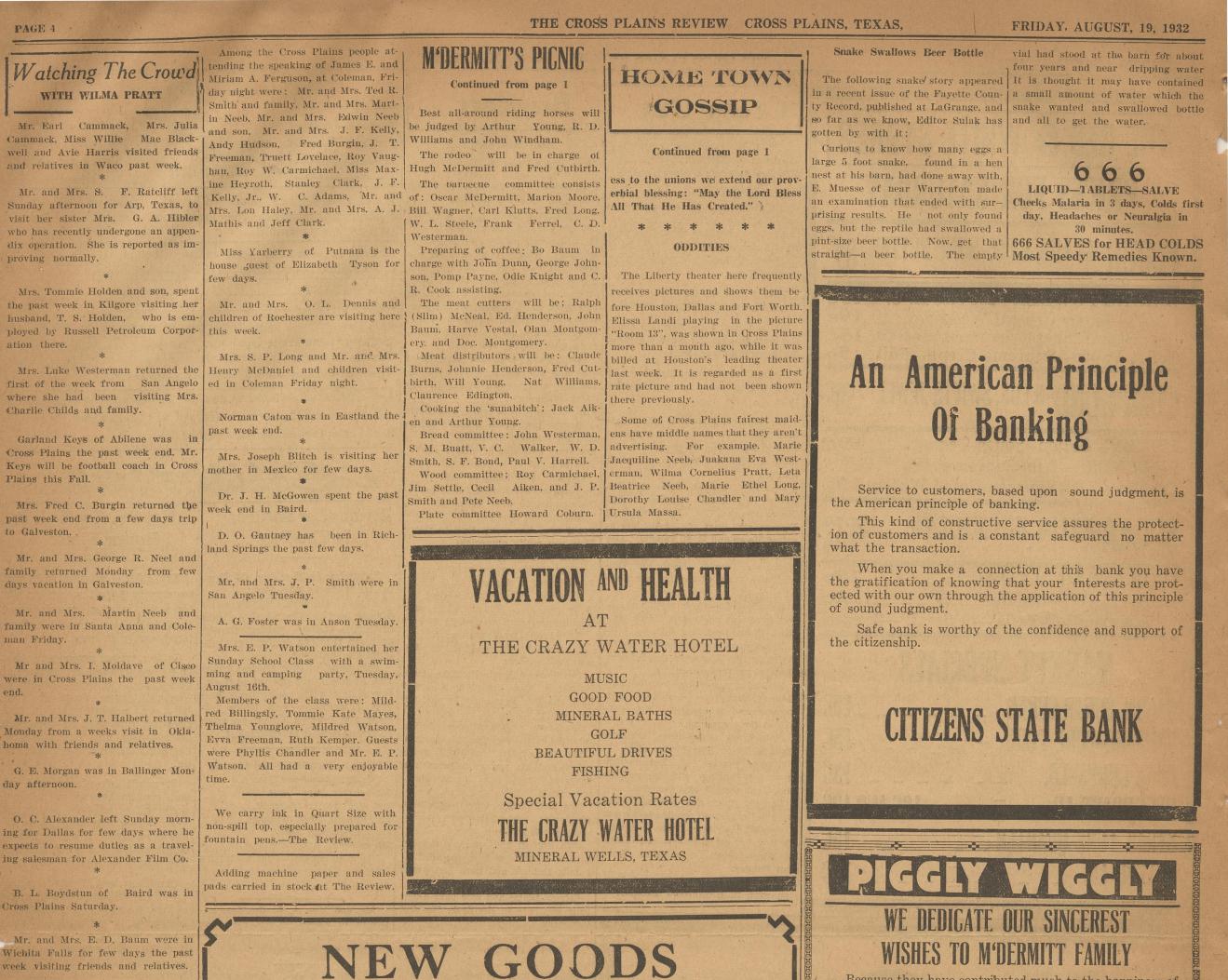
Mrs. Irian Newton was very sick last week but is better now ..

Another nice slow shower fell Wed-; nesday morning that will delay planting of Fall gardens for a few days.

Dan Mitchell has returned home from the Oak Lawn community where he has spent the summer with his uncle B. F. Russell.

F. E. Mitchell made a business trip to Abilene Wednesday.

Anderson, Bruce and Chester Woody and Cecil Bennett were in Abilene Wednesday.



Because they have contributed much to the happiness of their neighbors, friends and fellowmen; because their annual summer picnic and old settlers reunion is the last of that type of good old time picnics, and because they have been for decades faithful, loyal and progressive citizens; we sincerely and respectfully dedicate this week, our very best wishes to the McDermitt family. Our hope is that the horn of plenty will pour happiness abundance into the lap of you and yours, and that these surrounding communities will be blessed with many more occasions as will take

ARRIVING DAILY

NEW FALL READY-TO-WEAR

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Miss Elouise Haley and Ms. Mary

Clem Cheeves were in Baird the past

**Deceive** Themselves

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Many people who think they are

week end visiting friends.

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