

Without offence to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes.

# The Cross Plains Review

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## BIG TICKET IS EXPECTED IN JULY

### HOME TOWN GOSSIP

For personal nomination of "home town boys that made good" we suggest this week Carlton Powell and Dee Anderson. They were visitors in Austin the first of the week and "hobnobbed" with notables about the capital.

While Carlton met with a delegation before the highway commission, Dee cornered off the Lieutenant Governor, the Attorney General's private secretary and possibly another of the state's big boys for an entertaining chat.

Then at noon came the sensational climax. They had dinner with ROSS.

Yes sub, you never can tell what will happen when the boys leave their own sheltering roof. In case you have been misled, concerning Dee and Carlton's dinner guest, let me correct that it was Ross Wagner, with whom they dined and not Ross Sterling.

"Red" Huckaby slipped several of his American Legion buddies a curve the other night. He promised to furnish sweet potato pies for the meeting Wednesday. According to his promise the sorrel top appeared with 10 beautiful specimen of pastry. It so happened however that two of the lot contained cotton centers and the boys found it a bit difficult to digest their refreshments.

And now, comes a sad announcement to the skirt wearing sex. Dan Wilkerson, the big handsome brute at Higginbotham's Lumber Yard, is being transferred to Hamilton. He will probably leave the latter part of next week.

Real estate trading occurred with "horse swapping" velocity here the past week. Aubra Dodson sold his interest in the Anderson-Dodson Motor Company to D. K. Anderson, brother of Phil and Dee, Tuesday morning.

And another of the city's largest businesses is in new hands today but since there a few details of the trade, yet pending it is not ripe for announcement.

Sure as the world, the old home town is coming to itself. Families from neighboring towns are settling here by the scores each month. Vacant houses are being filled and depleted ranks in all local organizations replenished. At school there has been a generous increase since the first of the year.

If Cross Plains citizens will just pay their poll taxes we will probably have the largest voting box in the County this summer, for the first time in history.

Now that's an idea. Let's scratch about in the kid's saving bank and pay these poll taxes. The bigger we are the more power we'll have.

Saturday concludes the annual clean-up campaign. There should be 150 trash fires burning here tomorrow

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### American Legion Boys Find New Use Of Cotton Wednesday Night

#### Makes "Delicious" Pies If One Is Not Hungry, They State

"Another use for cotton", for which brilliant minds have been searching the past two years was found by members of the Tommie Aiken American Legion Post, here, Wednesday night.

Cotton pies! That's the new discovery. They're not made to eat of course but for a joke they are said to be "delicious."

One of the legion men after being fined the refreshments for the meeting Wednesday night, appeared with 10 crisp, tasty looking pies, which he stated were sweet potato. There wa

## CLEAN-UP DRIVE NEARS CLOSE

### 30 HIGH SCHOOL BOYS DONATE SERVICES FOR DAY TO HAUL TRASH

Can Get Rubbish Hauled Away Free Of Charge; Call City Water Office

Tomorrow afternoon brings to close the annual clean-up campaign inaugurated by Cross Plains civic organizations. The movement is expected to reach an affective climax Saturday morning.

The Wednesday Study Club, which introduced the "clean-up" idea this year has arranged to have trucks or trailers at the city office Saturday to haul off cans, trash and rubbish without cost to property owners. As soon as the piles to be hauled off are raked up, citizens should call 235—the city office—to have them removed.

30 high school boys have donated their services Saturday to assist in the hauling away of trash and rubbish. They will assemble at the city office and be on hand to answer telephone requests as they come in.

It was announced by the City Council Thursday morning that a fire and health inspector would examine the residential section of town within the near future and all unclean places would have to be cleared. In an interview with the Review the council urged citizens to take it upon themselves to clean the town of trash without being forced to do so.

Alleys and back lots in the business section have practically all been cleared and others are expected to be arranged today for the inspector's examination.

"Help us make Cross Plains proud of its cleanliness", is the slogan that the civic organizations have adopted for the clean-up campaign.

### POSTMASTERSHIP OF LOCAL OFFICE STILL ENIGMA TO SEEKERS

The outcome of the Postmaster examination, which was given two weeks ago, continues to remain an enigma. The only development on the situation the past week was that blanks were mailed scores of local business men and individuals inquiring of the qualifications, character and personality of the 12 applicants.

Postmaster C. W. Barr told the Review that he had received no official instruction in regard to the matter, except to continue as Postmaster until a successor is appointed.

Mrs. J. Lawson of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, this week.

### SEEKS LEGISLATIVE SEAT



Cecil A. Lotief, Cross Plains business man, made official announcement Wednesday for the office of Flotoral Representative of district 107. He made the campaign two years ago and although defeated received over 3,000 votes.

### ANDERSON BOYS BUY DODSON'S INTEREST IN AUTO DEALERSHIP

Phil Anderson, of Cross Plains, and brother, George K. Anderson, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, purchased the interest owned by Aubra Dodson in the Anderson-Dodson Chevrolet Company, here, the first of the week. They took charge of the firm Tuesday.

Phil Anderson will superintend the business. He has been an automobile dealer in Cross Plains for several years.

Mr. Dodson told the Review Tuesday afternoon that his plans were not yet complete but that he would possibly remain in Cross Plains. He is also interested in the Morgan Chevrolet Company, at Onley, and at present is attending business there.

### Barbers Here Cut Prices Past Week

Cross Plains barber shops reduced prices the first of the week. Shaves are now 15 cents and hair cuts 25. Proprietors of the various shops pointed out that these were the lowest prices in recent years.

Westerman and King and the City Barber shops have advertisements regarding the new prices on other pages of this issue of the Review.

### REVIEW BARGAIN DAYS CLOSE JANUARY 23

Today and tomorrow end the Review's extended "Bargain Days" subscription offer. After Saturday, January 23, the price of local subscriptions will be strictly advanced to \$1.50, in the Cross Plains trade territory and \$2.00 outside. Before then, however the price is \$1.00 and \$1.50.

A check up Thursday morning revealed that renewals and new subscriptions this year had met with unusual success, considering general conditions.

### Winter Rains Continue Regular Fall Past Week

Intermittent winter rains continued their almost regular fall here the past week. Heavy showers which began Friday, lasted until Saturday, then Wednesday night a light mist began to lower; Thursday morning showers fell.

### SCRANTON MOTHER TAKES OWN LIFE WITH GUN TUESDAY

Husband And Guests Hear Fatal Shot; Despondency Believed The Reason

Mrs. May Smith, about 25, wife of B. L. Smith of the Scranton community, was found shot to death in the yard of her home Tuesday night. A discharged shotgun was at her side.

Several friends with whom her husband was playing dominoes saw her leave the house with the gun. Mr. Smith followed and said he heard a shot before he could reach his wife. She had been despondent recently, it was said.

One charge from a 410 gauge shotgun took effect in her left breast and death was almost instantaneous.

Mr. Smith told Justice of the Peace Bailey Notgrass, of Scranton who conducted an inquest, that his wife seemed to be worrying considerably of late. He could ascribe no other reason for the act.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith had been entertaining neighbors at dominoes during the evening, authorities were told. In the course of the game Mrs. Smith left the table and went into the yard. One of the guests told Mr. Smith that his wife had carried a shotgun with her and Smith left the house immediately. He passed around one side of the house while his wife had gone around the other. Before he reached the rear yard he heard a single shot and a moment later found the woman lying on the ground, dead, the weapon beside her.

The family had been living in West Texas and had returned only a short while ago after a crop failure, according to information. Mr. Smith was preparing to make a crop near Scranton.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Smith was born in Eastland county near Gorman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hopper.

### Baker Test Running Pipe On Top Of Sand

F. A. Lane and Mack Anderson oil test on the Jim Baker tract, A. White survey, two and a half miles East of Burkett, was at the top of the sand Thursday at noon. They were running pipe, prior to drilling in last night or Friday.

The well is directly between a gasser and a test that gave a small showing of oil.

### H. D. LAWRENCE SUFFERS CRITICAL HEART ATTACK

H. D. Lawrence, formerly of this place, was critically ill according to a doctor's report Wednesday. He was said to be suffering from a heart ailment. For the past several months Mr. Lawrence has been operating an oil refinery, near Echo.

### COMANCHE FAMILY MOVES HERE FIRST OF THE WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Franklin and family, of Comanche, moved here Wednesday. They will make their home on the Strahan-Copping farm, two miles South of Cross Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin are parents of Jimmie Franklin, who has been employed by the Texas-Louisiana Power Company here for several years.

County Clerk, S. E. Settle visited brother Jim Settle and friends here the past week.

### C. A. Lotief Announces For State Representative And J. G. Aiken For Commissioner The Past Week

"By their candidate cards you shall know them."

The largest group of names ever to appear on a voting ballot in this county or state is expected to confront voters when they go to the polls for the first Democratic primary, six months from tomorrow. Cross Plains will be amply represented if the flow of candidates continues two months more as it has begun.

### NEW CASHIER TAKES CHARGE AT CITIZENS STATE BANK HERE

J. R. Patterson, formerly of Snyder, assumed the duties of Cashier at the Citizens State Bank here Thursday morning.

Mr. Patterson is a banker with 11 years experience. He was associated with the First State Bank, of Fluvanna, prior to being elected here.

He has rented the Marion Harvey residence in the north part of town and will move his family there within the next few days.

R. Clyde Durringer, former Cashier of the bank, will leave the first of the week—possibly Monday—with his family for El Centro, California, where they will make their home.

Mr. Durringer tendered his resignation at the institution in December. He was associated with the bank for six years.

### CITY "DADS" ISSUE FINAL WARNING ON DELINQUENT TAXES

An urge and final warning in regard to city taxes was set forth by the board of Aldermen, in regular session, Tuesday night.

According to their statement, if one half of a citizens property tax is paid before February 1, the remaining 50 percent will be carried until the last of June without penalty. But if one half of the sum is not paid by then it will become delinquent immediately thereafter. The other half of the taxes will not be delinquent until after July 1, however. Poll tax of \$1.00 must be paid exclusive of property tax.

George T. Lamar was temporarily employed to assist S. M. Buatt, city tax collector, assessor and clerk, until after the first of January.

A statement from the collector's office follows.

Penalty of 10 per cent, will apply on one-half of total tax if one-half is not paid on or before January 31. 10 per cent will apply on remaining half or total if not paid on or before July 31, 1932.

Poll tax of \$1.00 can be paid exclusive of property tax

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### Agriculturists Aver Prosperity For Sandy Belt Potato Growers

#### Bringing 1.00 Bushel And The Cost Of Production Is Small Item

Several of the leading Agriculturists of this section told the Review the past week, that they believed sweet potatoes and diversified crops would mean as much to Cross Plains and the sandy land belt in a few years as oil and gas had previously.

As a basis of argument they pointed out the exceptional profits that are being made in sweet potatoes this year. The average yield per acre, near Cross Plains, has been more than 100 bushels. After being cured the potatoes are bringing approximately \$1.00 a bushel.

Cecil A. Lotief, for state Representative, and J. G. (Jack) Aiken, for County Commissioner, announced with the Review the past week. Victor B. Gilbert, incumbent, has not yet specified whether he will seek reelection to the Legislature as Representative from this district.

The County Commissioner race, precinct four promises to be one of the most contested in Callahan election. A. G. Foster, and J. G. Aiken are already candidates and two others have intimated to friends that they will probably run.

The office of County Attorney is at present the only one "begging" for an aspirant. E. D. Priest, for Tax Assessor, does not as yet have an opponent, however, Vernon King, of Baird; E. M. Smith, incumbent and Ray Bowen, of Rowden; are all prospective timber for the position.

In the District Clerk contest Mrs. Ford Driskell and Callie Marshall, incumbent, promise an interesting campaign.

Perhaps the most important announcement in state wide politics the past week was the statement that E. O. Thompson, Mayor of Amarillo, would be a candidate for Congressman-at Large. Texas will be allowed 3 congressional representatives in the House next year in addition to the 18 already there. Jim Ferguson is rumored to be considering the same race.

### Jack Aiken Enters Commissioner Race

J. G. (Jack) Aiken, of Cross Plains, announced the first of the week for the office of County Commissioner for precinct number four. At present the position is held by George Clifton, however he has not yet specified his intentions in regard to this year's campaign.

Mr. Aiken has lived in this immediate locality for more than 45 years. According to his statement, which appears on page 4 of this paper, he is acquainted with practically every voter in this precinct.

A. G. Foster, local merchant, is also a candidate for the office. His announcement appeared in last week's issue of the Review.

### BABY GIRL IS BORN TO JODY HUNNINGTONS HERE

A 11 pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jody Hunnington, here, Sunday morning. She has been named Pattie Sue. Both mother and child were reported "doing nicely" Thursday morning.

### Agriculturists Aver Prosperity For Sandy Belt Potato Growers

#### Bringing 1.00 Bushel And The Cost Of Production Is Small Item

The cost of production, curing and delivering is said to be less \$12.00 per hundred bushels. E. M. Howard, Clyde Durringer and S. P. Collins are the largest growers here at present. Howard and Durringer have sold about 250 bushels already from the last crop. They told the Review that their average price had been \$1.00.

Information regarding Rev. Collins' success in disposing of the potatoes was not available. However it was learned from another source that he had sent several shipments to Western portions of Texas.



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Editorial

Why Spend \$2,000,000 To Cut Mineral Wells Off Bankhead Highway ?

BY JACK SCOTT

"Do unto your neighbor as you would have him do unto you."

A group of towns throughout the oil belt have united in a drive to have the state highway commission expend a sum estimated at \$2,000,000. to build a road from the corner of Eastland County to Weatherford—missing Mineral Wells, Millsap, Palo Pinto and Metcalf Gap—just to save fifteen miles in the distance to Fort Worth.

In the mind of this writer this is the most extravagant, unneeded project brought up for civil consideration in recent years. Why in Heaven's name should there be two practically parallel highways in route to Fort Worth, when there are many other sections of our vast state that have not one all weather road. If we are so enormously rich that our money must be spent, why should there not be an equalized distribution ?

The people of Palo Pinto County were just a few short years ago, encouraged by our highway commission to believe that the shouldering of an extra tax burden to build the Bankhead through their section would place them on a through state highway and a great national thoroughfare. Except for the encouragement of the highway commission the bond would probably never have passed. And now, long before the road is paid for, the "extravagants" are advocating that another be built.

They argue is that it will save fifteen miles between Fort Worth and El Paso. But kind friends are roads built only for people of two extreme points, or should the tax paying public between the two extreme points be considered? It seems only reasonable to assume that our state money should be spent to serve the masses and not merely a "big town" few.

Further on out on the Bankhead there are portions of the Bankhead highway that are entirely unpaved. If the state highway department is burdened with money they might favor those West Texas tax payers by giving them equal distribution of expenditures.

Our state is operating in the "red". Right now there is no less than twenty local persons holding checks on the state of Texas that can not be cashed until the treasure is replenished. If the highway department has an excessive amount of cash they might do well to return a portion of it to the general fund.

Financial difficulties threaten thousands of Texas schools. Many of them will be forced to close their doors denying ambitious students the right to learn. If our highway commission has more money than they can beneficially spend, why not help the struggling schools of our great state ?

A few years ago, two of our nearby towns discussed the building of a road that would come close to Cross Plains but yet miss us entirely. They asked us to help bear the expense burden. What was our answer? It was a violent protest—which simply meant No. We should know exactly how Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto, Millsap and Metcalf Gap feel about this costly project.

2,000,000. is a lot of money to spend on fifteen miles of roads and bridges when within our boundaries there are literally millions hungry and cold.

Keep up the fight Mineral Wells et al, your claim is a just one.

WE CONGRATULATE THIS WEEK

The Review congratulates the following this week upon the occasion of the anniversary of their birthday.

- Sibble Holder (Friday) January 22
Clyde Bealer (Friday) January 22
Clovis I. Tyson (Sunday) January 24
C. W. Freeman (Sunday) January 24
B. F. Peevy (Sunday) January 24
B. F. Peevy (Sunday) January 24
Edwin Karl Koenig (Sunday) January 24
Miss Marguarite Ball (Monday) January 25
Jack DeBusk (Tuesday) January 26
B. W. Webb (Tuesday) January 26
Thomas Patterson McKee (Wednesday) January 27
Mrs. N. E. Mitchell (Wednesday) January 27
Ernest Davis (Thursday) January 28



THE FAMILY DOCTOR By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

A TRAGEDY

About three years ago, a housewife began to feel unable to perform her usual duties; she consulted a physician, who found a small tumor of the uterus. She was about 46. The doctor kept her under observation, saying "I can remove the thing at any time, but will try to cure without operation if possible."

He observed that the tumor grew rapidly, in spite of his palliative measures. The patient grew dissatisfied, and changed doctors. The new one paid no attention to the tumor, and said she had diabetes, placing her on a strict diet at once.

Not feeling any better as time went on, the patient had the "staff chemist" of a quack institution make a urinalysis. This self-styled "expert" discovered that the patient had Bright's disease! . . . Time went on—dragged on. Haemorrhages set in, which with the diet, greatly weakened the poor woman. A third doctor said it was "the change" and that "all women were troubled that way."

On advice from her second physician, she went to a hospital in the nearby city. Here she was subjected to a clinical diagnosis, and was told that it was not advisable to do anything radical at that time. She returned home and kept on dieting—and losing.

She applied to me about one week ago at this writing. I found absolutely no diabetes or Bright's disease. A search for the source of the bleeding revealed cancer, involving nearly every organ within the pelvis, and long past the stage when operation would do more than to hasten the end! She has no prospect of living over six months, if that long.

Had this growth been removed PROMPTLY by the first physician—and he was capable—she might be well today; but the vitally precious interval has passed, and by neglect and utter ignorance of conditions.

Unless one knows that it is NOT a malignancy, it is better to operate than to take chances. Remember that.

DID YOU EVER NOTICE

Have you noticed in the advertising of a certain local firm that they always insert the line "go to church Sunday" with their business message? It appears in this issue of the Review.

The matter of creating a savings account in many instances is merely a matter of will. Many who insist that they can not possibly save anything have neighbors across the street with the same obligations who build up each year a savings account. The difference is management. The man who saves is a better manager, other things being equal than the man who does not save.

The late war cost 27 million dollars a day. The world is now repenting at leisure its folly. Some day the human race will learn that there is nothing that has ever been settled by war that could not have been settled cheaper and better without war. When the time arrives we will have plenty of money in this country and elsewhere for all necessary things.

Dick Ledbetter, a storekeeper in Waco, Texas, paid his county taxes this year with 4,658 copper cents.

The hardest work the industrious man can be called upon to do is to loaf. The hardest work the loafer can be called upon to do is a little work. Industry is a habit. There is no loafer the habit of industry could not acquire rather than inherit. A man is a loafer because he wants to be a loafer, or he is industrious because he wants to be industrious. Either is a matter of will.

It's the prose in everyone's life that makes the poetry more beautiful. It's the cloudy days that makes the sun seem to shine brighter. It's the storms that make the calm more peaceful and beautiful. Life is made up of contrasts and we can't enjoy the one to its fullest without the other.

Having sometimes laid by for a rainy day compensates fully for any ridicule that one may be subjected to for being thrifty. During the flush times the thrifty man was the target of the jokes of the spendthrift, but nowadays he is the target of the spendthrift who wants to touch him for a loan.

Office Supplies—The Review.

The Way of Life by BRUCE BARTON

Stopping War

My friend Admiral Samuel McGowan was purchasing agent for the Navy during the World War.

He saw something of the fine idealism and sacrifice which war calls forth. But he saw, also, how greed and profiteering and the basest sort of selfishness wrap themselves in the cloak of patriotism and proceed cold-bloodedly to exploit the public necessity.

He sends me his plan for preventing war, to which I am glad to give wide publicity.

"Amend the Constitution," he urges, "so as to require that before war can be declared or participated in (except only in the event of attack or invasion) there shall be a Referendum:

"That if a majority of the votes cast be for peace, there the matter ends; if for war, every able-bodied male citizen between the ages of 18 and 35 shall be drafted, and.

"That from the day war is declared until peace is finally concluded, no price or wage shall exceed what it was 90 days prior to such declaration.

"That all profits in excess of 5 per cent shall be forfeited to the Government, and that no person, firm or corporation shall in peace-time or war-time be received as a contractor who is not a manufacturer, or a regular dealer, in the articles to be supplied—regular dealer being none other than one who, at the time the offer is submitted, either owns outright the articles offered or dependably controls their source of supply."

I cannot see how any intelligent patriotic person can object to that proposal. If we had the sense and courage to write it into the Constitution at once we should destroy war propaganda, for no one would be so foolish as to spend money on propaganda when no money could possibly be made from war.

We should entirely remove the present premium on war and in its stead impose a very heavy penalty.

The silliness of war, under modern conditions of destructiveness, is almost as appalling as its horror.

Napoleon liked to tell the story of the Dey of Algiers who, on hearing that the French were fitting out an expedition to destroy the town, sent word that if the king would give him half the money that the expedition would cost he would burn the town down himself.

Car experience with war costs and war debts ought to have taught us that the Diy was a pretty wise old owl!

Someday some intelligent individual is going to institute a course of instruction for men and women who expect to live together as man and wife and raise a family. There is no greater responsibility than a man or woman can assume and no undertaking about which less is known. Many people go through half a life time before learning a few fundamental truths that would have changed the entire nature and complexion of their existence.

Every wrong doer has the idea that he can get by with his wrong doing. He is conceited enough to believe that he is smarter than the fellow who gets caught and has to pay the price. Few wrong doers would persist if they knew the punishment was certain.

Rough handling may loosen the air cells in eggs and cause them to lose quality quickly, even though the eggs are well packed.

BARBER PRICES SLASHED

We have cut prices on all work done in our barber shop. Haircuts are now 25 cents and shaves 15c. Everything else reduced to the same basis.

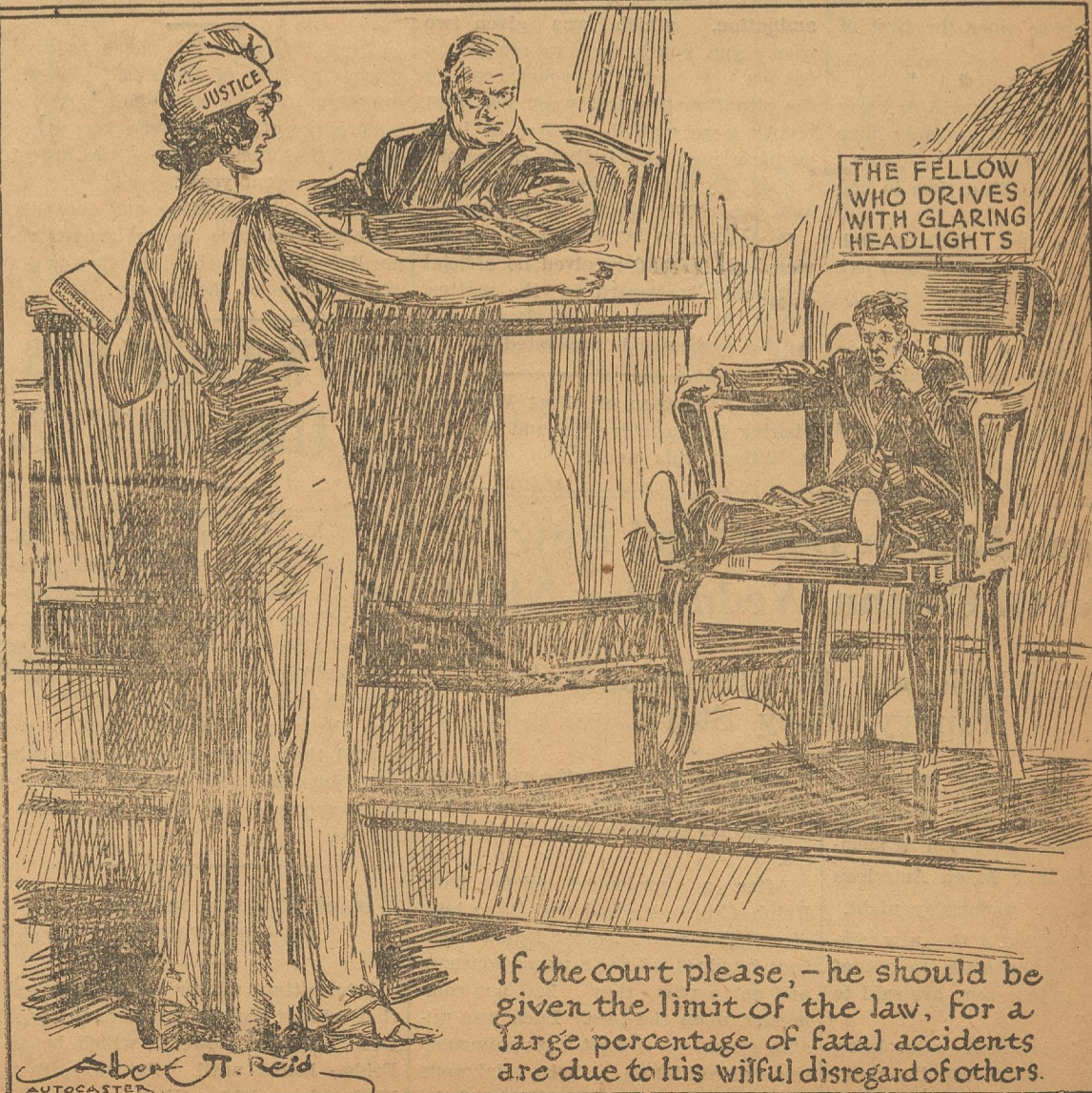
This is cheaper than you can shave yourself or cut your neighbors hair.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE

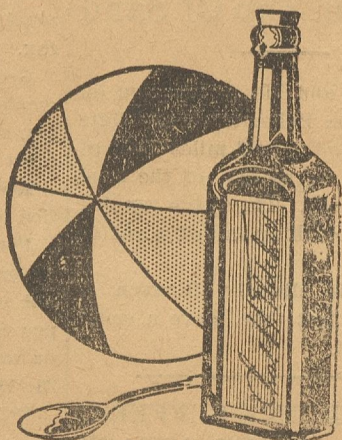
CITY BARBER SHOP

A Dangerous Criminal

By Albert T. Reid



If the court please, - he should be given the limit of the law, for a large percentage of fatal accidents are due to his wilful disregard of others.



If baby has COLIC

CRY in the night. Colic! No cause for alarm if Castoria is handy. This pure vegetable preparation brings quick comfort, and can never harm. It is the sensible thing when children are ailing. Whether it's the stomach, or the little bowels; colic or constipation or diarrhea. When tiny tongues are coated, or the breath is bad. Whenever there's need of gentle regulation. Children love the taste of Castoria, and its mildness makes it safe for frequent use.

And a more liberal dose of Castoria is always better for growing children than strong medicine meant only to dull use.







**WANT TO SAVE MONEY?**

Housewives everywhere retrace their steps daily to their nearest A&P store making every visit a positive gain.

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|--------------------------------------|-----|
| <b>SALMON—TALL CAN</b>               | 10c |
| <b>JOWLS—lb.</b>                     | 8c  |
| <b>SALT PORK—lb.</b>                 | 10c |
| <b>PRUNES—nice size—3 lbs.</b>       | 21c |
| <b>APPLES—2 lbs.</b>                 | 25c |
| <b>CIGARETTES—2 pkgs.</b>            | 33c |
| <b>MILK—White House—6 small cans</b> | 19c |
| <b>PEANUT BUTTER—2 lb. Jar</b>       | 28c |
| <b>BROOMS—EACH</b>                   | 25c |
| <b>LETTUCE—Large Head—2 for</b>      | 9c  |

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| <b>FLOUR</b><br>48 lb BAG.<br>89c       | <b>MEAL</b><br>24 LB. BAG<br>40c                     | <b>SUGAR</b><br>5 lb. PURE CANE<br>\$1.30 |
| <b>8 O'CLOCK COFFEE</b><br>POUND<br>19c | <b>QUAKER MAID BAKING POWDER</b><br>1 LB. CAN<br>13c |   |

## The Red And White Store

### SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| <b>FLOUR—Our Special—48 lbs.</b>        | 95c |
| <b>SYRUP—Old Plantation</b>             | 56c |
| <b>BEANS—LARGE LIMAS—3 LB.</b>          | 25c |
| <b>OATS—Blue and White</b>              | 21c |
| <b>BEANS—No. 2 standard green—2 for</b> | 19c |
| <b>GOLD DUST—5 C SIZE—3 FOR</b>         | 10c |
| <b>COFFEE—Our Special</b>               | 21c |
| <b>CRACKERS—Rainbow Wafers</b>          | 21c |
| <b>MILK—RED AND WHITE—3 LARGE CANS</b>  | 21c |
| <b>SPUDS—10 pounds</b>                  | 19c |
| <b>LEMONS—Dozen</b>                     | 18c |
| <b>ORANGES—Nize Size</b>                | 20c |

### MARKET SPECIALS

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|-----------------------------|-------------|
| <b>CHEESE—lb.</b>           | 19c         |
| <b>SLICED BACON—lb.</b>     | 19c         |
| <b>SAUSAGE—lb.</b>          | 15c         |
| <b>BEEF ROAST—Good Veal</b> | 10c and 15c |
| <b>BACON—Sugar Cured</b>    | 16c         |
| <b>STEAK—lb.</b>            | 15c to 20c  |

**PORTER J. DAVIS Will start Hatchery January 26th**

**Cottonwood Takes 2 Basket Games Here**

Cottonwood's talented basket ball teams took the long end of the count in two games here Wednesday afternoon.

The girls' sextet triumphed over the locals 11 to five while the visiting boys took the "Buffalo" basketeers into camp 22 to six.

Cottonwood boys were runners-up for the district championship, at Anson, last season. They finished the title contest with Abilene, with only three players on the floor, yet stayed in threatening distance throughout the game.

**PRESBYTERIAN LADIES HAVE ENTERTAINMENT**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met in a social gathering Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jim Settle. Several items of business were discussed and one was for all the ladies to bring quilt scraps to the church next Monday afternoon at 2:30. Also want each one to bring something they don't need for a rummage sale. It was decided to have a social meeting each month, the next one to be with Mrs. Jesse McAdams, date announced later.

After business discussion sandwiches, hot tea and home made candy were served to twenty ladies.

(Contributed)

**NOTICE**

There will be a special called meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge Monday night. Special business will be transacted and the conferring of ranks on candidates practiced.

R. Elliott Bryant—  
Chancellor Commander.

**PALACE THEATRE, CISCO**  
SUN-MON-JAN., 24-25

**Ramon NOVARRO**  
in a new picture is an event!

**MATA HARI**  
An Unforgettable Drama with LIONEL BARRYMORE and LEWIS STONE

will thrill you as he makes love to her!

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# High School News

BY ENGLISH DEPARTMENTS OF THE CROSS PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL

## Box Supper At High School Friday Night

### Box Supper At High School Building

Arrangements have been made for a free entertainment in the high school building Friday night starting at seven thirty o'clock. Immediately after this repertoire of stunts that includes both faculty and student talent there will be a Box Supper. Each high school girl will bring a box filled with eats and these boxes will be auctioned and sold to the highest bidder. Boxes are not to be sold at an extremely high price. The cost of each box is supposed to be approximately twenty five cents.

The funds received from the sale of boxes will be donated towards buying uniforms for the basket ball team.

The public is cordially invited. Outsiders who wish to do so may bring boxes and also will be given equal opportunity in bidding on the boxes.

Plans for the entertainment are in the hands of Lewis C. Norman, principal of the high school.

—CPHS—

### Night Thoughts Of A Puppy

By Wanda Owen

The night was dark; the thunder crashed; and the lightning cracked like a whip. The sky was a terrible mass of black, threatening clouds.

The road was muddy; hardly visible except for the incessant flashes of lightning. Down the road came a small, mud-spattered puppy. The poor little thing would walk two or three steps and turn its small head and peer over its shoulder. Trembling from head to foot, it would let out a whine that would soften the hardest heart.

At the side of the road was a small shed apparently deserted. Into this the doggy crept. The floor was soft and warm. The puppy decided to sleep here for the night and continue its journey in the morning. When lo! two large eyes appeared about two feet above the puppy's head. The poor thing was scared almost out of its wits. The eyes would close; one then the other; then both of them. Then they would pop open; and looked larger than before. Every hair on the poor puppy was standing on end.

Gh! what was that noise in the corner? Then out broke a blood-curling "It ho-o-o-o-o?" Then the noise in the corner was heard again. It sounded as though someone was stamping his feet. All of a sudden something slipped past the pup with a slow, warm feeling. It did not make a noise.

"Oh", thought the puppy, "a-a-a-am I d-d-dreaming, or i-i-is this p-p-place haunted and I—"

The puppy simply couldn't stand it any longer, so he sank in his tracks. "I'll have to stay here," he thought, "for I can't take another step."

Just at that moment it started raining in torrents. If he had ventured out he would have drowned before he had gone far.

There he lay, too frightened to move. He dozed once or twice, but never slept soundly. After what seemed ages, he saw a streak of dawn. The clouds had all cleared away and the sun rose on a rain drenched world.

The pup opened his eyes and looked around. In one corner he saw an owl perched on a shelf and about two feet away was an old cat and right behind him was a billy goat.

The puppy was ashamed to have been so scared, but it still felt a little creepy. Not until it was out of the shed and on its way did it feel better.

—CPHS—

### DEDICATION

To the Senior Class of Cross Plains we the Freshmen of the same institution do hereby dedicate this last issue of the High School News sponsored by us. Take this dedication with our felicitations—"Seniors we wish you well." Let not this little token of love kindle the fires of egotism that burn in your proud beating hearts. And we trust that you will not consider this a "gift without the giver", for in spite of your many shortcomings and your attitude of the "would be king" we admire you.—admire you not for your accomplishments, for they are nil, but for the fact that anyone can carry his head so high and know so little is a worthy recipient of our praise.

And too it is our hope that you will

not consider us a giver who failed to buy the gift, but that somewhere on this page you will be able to find your name in print, and that your chest, as we know it will, will swell with pride and you will say "Ah! but those are wonderful Freshmen! Again we say "Seniors we wish you well!"

—CPHS—

### Let's Get Married—When?

What is the proper age at which one should get married? Approached with this vital subject of life, members of Cross Plains High School gave various answers:

Martha Jackson thinks that the ages between 19 and 21 are the most appropriate. Good looks will not be a requirement of her "Soul Mate" but instead he must have a good position and a desire to prosper.

Forest Walker takes the extreme by saying that one should get married before he gets out of the cradle. He had no reason.

Bernard Brooks believes that the man should be much older than the woman and should wait until threads of silver are beginning to creep in among the gold and black before they take the vow. He gives 25 as the ideal age for women and 35 for men.

Mildred Billingsley was even a little more extreme giving 34 as a good age for the woman and 40 for the man.

Juakana Westerman, upon being approached with the subject, feared that she was about to be the victim of pranksters and replied with that age old maxim I'll bite, how old should they be?

Mamie Smartt stated no definite ages but was of the opinion that one should not marry too early but should wait until they had accomplished something in life. The man should be absolutely capable of making a comfortable living.

Volley Jo Williams thinks any age is proper. In his own words, "I guess any one knows what he is doing when he gets married."

Carl Childs sends out a warning to any couple who has any intention of walking down the aisle together by saying "be sure you know what you are doing and not just think you do."

Mack Bingham favors early marriages saying that the girl should be 18 or 19 and the boy 20 or 21.

Mr. Nat Williams says women should be about 22 and men about two years older. He goes on to say that at this age you know what you want to do in life. Women develop earlier than men. If you have the opportunity to get a college education you should get it by all means.

Mr. Norman thinks that men should be about 26 and women 24. You are old enough to understand life's problems at this age he says.

Edward Henkel opines that women should wait until they are eighteen but that men should get married at the first opportunity.

Helen Grace Gray is another who favors early marriages. 18 for girls and 21 for boys is not too early she exclaims. You should whether you really love him or not by then she says.

—CPHS—

### Freshmen Spasms

**DID YOU EVER SEE—**  
Tom Bryant without his hair combed?

W. J. Mayes with his lessons prepared?  
Jimmie Settle understanding anything?

Harry Carmichael being intelligent?  
Charles Stone real mad?  
Bobbie Westerman not popping her finger?

Wanda Owen miss a word in spelling?  
Billie Mac Adams studying.

Lorena Childs being still?  
Roma Young on time?  
Rosalea Cutbirth serious?

Ernestine Sipes with sense?  
Lorene Ford agree with anyone?  
Harold Clark not acting smart?  
Ruth Kemper smiling?  
John Lucky get to English class on time?

—CPHS—

"Any student deserving to attend the funeral of a near relative must notify the superintendent before 10 a. m., on the day of the game.

—CPHS—

The superintendent of Cross Plains school has ordered the following notice to be posted in the study hall.

**THIS GOES TO SHOW—**  
That when a Senior refuses to change his mind it only shows that he possesses determination.

If a Freshman refuses to change his mind he is considered his mind he is considered pig-headed and hateful.

—CPHS—

### "WONDER"

1. Where Carl got that new tie.
2. Where Harold got that great talent to debate.
3. Where Jimmie got that beautiful complexion.
4. Where "Son" got that pretty girl.
5. Where did Lorene get the black hair.
6. Why some of the Cross Plains high school students failed in English.

—CPHS—

### He Who Gets Sat On—

He made a run around the end. Was tackled from the rear. The right guard sat upon his neck. The fullback on his car. The center sat upon his back. Two ends upon his chest. The quarter and the halfback sat down on him to rest.

The left guard sat upon his head. Two tacklers on his face. The coroner was then called in to sit upon his case.

—CPHS—

### Wouldn't You Like To See

1. Bobby Lee with J. F. Kelly.
2. Lorena when she knew her History.
3. Rosalea when she was quite.
4. Harlie Neel acting sensible.
5. Leone Bowman not studding.
6. Roma Young make a 100 on English.
7. Jennie Laura's sweetheart.
8. Tom Bryant not talking.
9. Jay Mayes with out freckles.
10. W. N. Long a star football player.
11. Ernestine Sipes riding a bicycle.
12. Lettie Harlow with curly hair.
13. Clara Nell when she was not blushing.
14. Tommie Holden with blond hair.
15. Wanda Owens with dirty hands.

—CPHS—

### LOST

1. Mildred's sweetheart, vampir please return.
2. My heart, finder return to Clara Nell.
3. My pep return to Burdette Williams.
4. The girl of my dreams, Volly J. Williams.
5. My ambition, if found return to Rosalea Cutbirth.
6. My good nature, return if found to Harlie Neel.
7. The control of my temper, please return to Pancho Vilha.

## Rowden

BY MIKE AND IKE

Misses Alta Nordyke, Pauline and Hallie Elliott were the Sunday dinner and afternoon guest of Miss Stella Roberts.

Rev. J. P. Patterson our Methodist pastor and son, of Abilene were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cunningham.

Rev. J. P. Patterson preached here Sunday morning.

There has been much illness over the community.

A number of young people were entertained with a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smedley Friday night, regardless of the rain which fell all during the party, however it rained the greater part of the night if not all night.

Rev. T. McDonald who is the pastor of the Church of Christ of Baird filled his appointment were Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m.

Rev. Gilliland of Baird, who is our Baptist pastor here will fill his regular appointments here Saturday night Sunday morning and night. A singing will be held Sunday night week, which will be the fifth Sunday night in January, January 31. Everybody is cordially invited to come and take a part in this singing so everybody come. We have been having some good singings, but we are expecting the Fifth Sunday night, January 31 to be the best of all.

Mr. Burton Roberts made a business trip to Abilene Monday afternoon.



# Cross Cut

By NONA PRATER

A slight rain fell here Friday night and Saturday morning of about two inches. After the morning rain the sun began shining and we have since had beautiful days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Byrd Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Prater was in Brownwood last Wednesday.

Mr. John Newton of Brownwood was in Cross Cut a short while Wednesday.

Williams P. T. A. put on a play "A Poor Married Man" here Thursday night. The play was quite a success.

Wednesday night Cross Cut outsiders, boys and girls played basket ball with Pioneer at Cross Cut. The boys lost 9 to 10 and the girls won 9 to 8.

Cross Cut school boys and girls played basket ball at May Tuesday afternoon. Both teams were defeated.

George Wright went to Cross Plains Saturday night.

Mr. Hanson was in Brownwood on business Monday.

Sydney Well played Cross Cut in basket ball here Tuesday afternoon all Cross Cut is backing her boys and girls.

Stancel Greenwood is back after a week's visit in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Clark are moving back here from Rising Star, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaurel were in Cross Plains Monday.

Claude Clark and Mildred Cole were

in Cross Plains Sunday.

Leonard Dew Wees left Monday morning for Fort Worth and Oklahoma City.

The Old fashioned Pageant which was postponed because of bad weather, was to have been last Friday night.

Mrs. Jesse Byrd, Eva Clark and Tie Clark, Faye Stockton, Bernice Stockton, Courtney Byrd, Lavonia Clark and Nona Prater attended the ball game at May last Tuesday.

Christmas week a popularity contest was started. The candidates were Athalee Russell, senior, Mildred Cole, Sophomore and Junior and Billie Ruth Clark, Freshman Classes respectfully. Billie Ruth won the title of the prettiest girl in Cross Cut high school with a wide margin.

This week is final exams week, or rather mid-term but they may really be final for those who fail.

Mrs. Joyce is visiting her sister Mrs. Jack Gaurel.

Mrs. Henry Daws was in Brownwood last Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Prater visited Sunday with Mrs. Sarah DeBusk.

We have two birthdays this week: Elva Stockton and Lawrence Newton January, 1932.

"Economy has taught me one lesson. By denying myself of tobacco, movies, ice cream and a few other luxuries for the last ten years I accumulated \$1534.32."

"That's great. What are you going to do with the money?"

I won't have to decide that question—the bank failed.

Asker: "Have you felt any change since getting back from your vacation?"

Teller: "Not a nickel."

# OBITUARY

Bonnie Wayne Adams, age nineteen, was born June 14, 1912, at Cross Plains, Texas, died January 7, 1932. From babyhood this noble and dutiful son presented his parents with his capability of being responsible for himself. And from the beginning it was clear that this bright eyed, eager faced little boy was prepared to become a loyal, true and devoted brother to the other children of the family. Here he grew and reached the tender beautiful age of manhood. Because of him, the house became a happier place to be, and though saddened by his absence today, it is a dearer place because of his glad, joyous spirit that filled the house with sunshine while he lived.

As the years sped by, time found Bonnie Wayne, finding his place in the world. After his desire for learning and knowledge had carried him admiringly through the lower grades of school, he stepped out in the first year of his high school days and commanded our attention as a quick, dashing form on the football squad of 1927. The following three years in Cross Plains High fitted him to be crowned as a victor. He worked faithfully, and won his esteemed place on the football field. He was so deserving of the laudible interest of all eyes that followed his manly physique out across the field as he fought to bring victory to the Cross Plains Buffaloes. He was a ready & earnest participant in all athletics of Cross Plains High during these four years, and his alertness and interest gave his name a pleasing place among the entrants in all such events.

In the Senior class of 1930, Bonnie Wayne became a guiding figure, with the result that he was the choice for president. He fulfilled every duty that this opportunity offered him, his brilliant qualifications as a leader inspiring him to give his best to this place of honor conferred on him. To his class mates he was a loved, and favorite one, infusing them with his happy, cheerful outlook of what lay beyond for them in future years.

Following his graduation, Bonnie Wayne sought, as many young men of this day, advancement through college. However, as he realized, and felt it an impossibility to continue his studies at Texas Tech, he returned home. Here were friends and loved ones who anxiously anticipated his friendship and association. But youth, desire and ambition were calling Bonnie Wayne, and soon he was travelling westward. A few months later adventure brought him opportunity and he became an employee at the Carlsbad Cavern in New Mexico. Here it seem he found occasion for true expression of his greatest talent, meeting and making friends. Possessing this quality, and endowed with a fine, real Christian character, Bonnie Wayne was instantly capable of appreciating that which he found in another. Those associated with him at the Cavern, and those who came as tourists to the Cavern, became his friends and admired his sweet smile and winning personality. Two of the friendships he found there became very dear to Bonnie Wayne, one being his acquaintance with a fine young man, Carl Foubian, of Lampasas.

The past Christmas holidays brought Bonnie Wayne back to old Cross Plains for a visit with loved ones and friends. Happy were the moments during the hours spent with his home folks again. His friendliness, and his tender attitude toward all those coming within his presence, assured each and everyone of his pleasure and satisfaction. But time is ever fleeting, and on the morning of his departure for Carlsbad, he bade those of the family fondest goodbye and took with him the sweet memory of those dearest to his heart. Only eight hours after leaving, news of Bonnie Wayne's death was flashed across the wires from Pecos, Texas.

Funeral service was held in the Cross Plains Baptist Church, Rev. Graves Darby conducting, and following loyal tributes to Bonnie Wayne's memory were offered by Coach Vilha, of the Cross Plains High School, Rev. Ollie Dennis of Rochester, and Jack Scott Editor of the Cross Plains Review and intimate friend and buddy of Bonnie Wayne. Interment was made in cemetery here; and today, flowers, which were sent from friends and loved ones, both far and near, cover the grave where his body lies in sweet and blessed rest.

Life found Bonnie Wayne ready to grasp each worth-while opportunity. He was a member of the Cross Plains Baptist Church, having given his heart to Jesus years before his death. He was a true, loyal friend, a genial companion with the broad, honest liberality born of an intimate knowledge of his own soul. He revealed to others the joy of being loving, self-sacrificing and charitable, was always

enabled to give a smile instead of a frown, a cheerful, kindly word instead of harshness and bitterness. He strove for the highest, legitimate reward of merit and ambition in his activities, ever ready to extend a friendly, helping hand to those who needed encouragement and comfort in the struggle of life. Oh! unseen power, that rules and controls the destinies of the children of earth, thou surely taught him the symphony of life, tuning his nature with thine.

By One who knew and loved him

## To The Voters Of Precinct No. 4

After due consideration I have decided to run for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct number four. Having lived in this immediate locality for 45 years, and being thoroughly familiar with the roads and lands that compose this precinct, I feel that I am duly qualified to discharge the duties of Commissioner in an efficient economical manner.

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The State of Texas, County of Callahan, Whereas, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1931, wherein Citizens National Bank, of Abilene, Texas, a corporation is Plaintiff, and M. M. Early, E. A. Early and Chas. Musick are Defendants, on a judgment rendered in said court against Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1932, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of M. M. Early, E. A. Early and Chas. Musick in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: Eighty acres of land, being forty acres out of Survey fifteen (15), Block eight (8), S. P. Ry. Co. and forty acres of Lunatic Asylum Survey No. fifty three (53), in Callahan County, Texas, being the same land deeded to M. M. Early by T. M. Musick and wife as shown by deed records in Vol. 118, page 613, of the deed records of Callahan County, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$1500.00 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

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## FUNERAL NOTICES

Funeral notices are something of which none of us wish to think, and as a result they are often forgotten with the funeral arrangements. It is an item that should not be overlooked.

The Review Publishing Company is thoroughly stocked along this line.

During 1931 there were incorporated in Texas 2,116 companies of all kinds. This was a decrease of 3.6 per cent in number but an increase of 16 per cent in total capitalization—\$86,096,000. Numerically the total was greater than that of any year in the past eight except 1928, 1929 and 1930.

Hartlingen has a new feed mill, has begun work on a 100-barrel refinery, and incorporated a company for the manufacture of Mexican palm bath.

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## SAFE

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Mr. J. R. Patterson, formerly of Snyder, is now associated with this bank in the capacity of Cashier.

When you are in town during the next few days, he will appreciate your calling by and getting acquainted.

We are here to serve you and feel that only through a close contact can you and this institution be mutually beneficial.

# CITIZENS STATE BANK

## PAY YOUR SCHOOL TAXES

Only 7 days remain to pay school taxes without penalty. Surely you will want to pay the school first of all.

There are certain obligations for the board of trustees to meet and the earlier you pay your school taxes, the lighter the burden will be for them and our school.

Ike Kendrick, office over Farmers National Bank, is collector. See him as soon as it is humanly possible for you to do so. The school needs your assistance.



IKE KENDRICK, Collector

## PAY YOUR SCHOOL TAXES



# RAPTURE BEYOND

by KATHARINE NEWLIN BURT

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## Fifth Instalment

Fresh from French convent, Jocelyn Harlowe returns to New York to her socially-elect mother, a religious, ambitious woman. The girl is hurried into an engagement with the wealthy Felix Kent. Her father, Nick Sandal, surreptitiously enters the girl's home one night. He tells her he used to call her Lynda Sandal. The girl is torn by her desire to see life in the raw and to become part of her mother's society. Her father studies her surroundings.

Lynda visits her father in his dingy quarters. She finds four men playing cards when she arrives. One of them, Jock Ayleward, her father tells her, is like a son to him, but warns the girl he is a trifle.

Lynda pays a second visit to her father and Jock takes her home, on the way stopping with her at an underworld cabaret. Jock asks her to dance.

Jock gets into a fight with a gangster who insists on dancing with Lynda. He then takes Lynda home. Later the mention Felix's name to lock and Ayleward's face displays his demoniac hatred of the millionaire.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"How terribly you hate that man," said Jocelyn. She spoke as easily, as lightly as she could. I wish you'd tell me why.

Kent came from my town—Rappel, in Illinois. My father was a clergyman there. Kent was ten years older than I. When I got out of the school of mines—mining engineer was my first job.

"Kent had me sent down to inspect a zinc mine. I went over the mine with its owner, a man named Talley. Came back to Rappel with my report. It was a first rate mine. A sure fire investment. Everything the owner had showed me was O. K. I was optimistic and cocksure. Had no reason that I knew of not to be. I had made a straight report on a good mine. I believe, Miss Sandal, that any other engineer would have handed in just such a report as that was. Kent was forming a corporation to take over this mine. Capitalized it at two million dollars.

"He proposed to sell this mine to his townspeople—my townspeople too, at par, that is, two million dollars for the entire issue. I know now that Algernon Talley was willing to sell the mine to Kent for one million dollars. My report—you see my name, my father's name, was good—was printed and circulated. I was elected secretary of the corporation and consulting engineer. They gave me a small block of stock. I fancied myself suddenly rather a big man.

"It is necessary before a stock is actually sold, Miss Sandal, for an officer of such a corporation to make an affidavit to the Secretary of the Commonwealth based on his personal knowledge and setting forth the exact value of the assets upon which the stock is issued. Kent got me to make this affidavit.

Now, listen closely. The making of such an affidavit, falsely or heedlessly, subjects the maker to fine and to imprisonment.

There was a gray shadow on this young man. Lynda drew back a little in her chair. Something that had been mysterious in his aspect was explained to her.

That mine turned out to be no good, Miss Harlowe. The stockholders—my townspeople, my father's friends—my friends—lost their investment. I was prosecuted, found guilty and sentenced to three years in state's prison.

Lynda spoke with a certain difficulty:

"I understand that you would naturally be tempted to find some such explanation for your own terrible mistake. But, since I know Mr. Kent very well, I find the whole story—as you tell it—perfectly preposterous.

Jock was looking at her carefully and coolly. He bowed.

I didn't suppose you would believe me. I merely wanted to explain to you my hatred of Felix Kent. I hoped that it might damage him with you.

As he turned to leave he handed her a slip of paper.

"Here is Nick's new address. He didn't like your coming to that other place. You'll come to see him?"

"Yes." Marcella and Felix both returned to town. On his first evening with Jocelyn, Felix proved a very entertaining, lover. Jocelyn in a green gown had so shining a loveliness, so proud a grace that the man's glory in possession induced him to take her out, to let the world of other men gloat enviously at what he had so quickly, so easily, won.

In his great smooth-running limousine he carried her off, unchaperoned, to the theater, to supper, danced with her. And Jocelyn rewarded his open and most gentle seeming worship once with a look so deep, so loyal and so lovely that for an instant the soul that was torpid in him came to painful life and he dropped his eyes, feeling a warmth that was not possessive, not even passionate cross his face.

Jocelyn came back that night happier than she had been since the first days of her engagement and profound-ly reassured.

In a mood of calm, of almost cold, self-possession, she went two or three evenings later to bid her father farewell. She had freed herself of any sentimentality toward Jock Ayleward, even of that sentimentality of an over-emphasized dislike. She had freed herself too from sentimentality toward Nick; but not of her affection. The first deed of her release and her enrichment would be Nick's rescue.

In this mood of fiery deliverance



"I'm going to be fool enough to take you home," asserted Jock.

did Jocelyn Harlowe in one of her own gowns—for Lynda Sandal had been condemned to death—approach her father's new abiding place.

Nick was obviously ill at ease in its stiff ugliness but also just as obviously proud to receive her in a room of respectable cleanliness, newness and unsullied past. There was no sign of Ayleward's presence. No cards anywhere. There wasn't in fact so much as an ash tray or a magazine on the shiny central table with its pink-parchment shaded lamp.

"Are you well again? Jock told me you'd been sick with pain and fever," she asked him.

"I'm all right again. In fact, I've planned a surprise for you. Let's go out," Nick said.

In a taxicab which it cost Nick some torturing moments to enter Lynda forced herself to ask, Will Ayleward be there?"

"I dare say."

"I wish," with she said coolness, almost with nonchalance, that you'd get rid of Ayleward, pay him off and start again."

Nick, crouching painfully in his corner over a cane, squinted up sidelong, mockingly.

"Why so, gracious and gentle lady?" "He has been in prison. He is a professional gambler. I hate to think that you are dependent upon his charity, that you live by what he steals."

"A gambler doesn't steal, Saint Lynda. He eases people from their money only by their own consent. In other words, you are ashamed of me, my friends and my condition?"

"No."

"Then why try to change them? I've no intention of changing anything for the sake of Mrs. Felix Kent."

"You make me angry. You hurt me, Nick."

"Exactly. I have felt the same symptoms toward you."

In dismay the girl turned her tilted eyes upon him beseechingly.

"We mustn't quarrel."

"Ah, so you do love me a little! I'm not angry now, nor hurt. Only

Lynda, don't try to change me. I'm bent into this shape; not a pretty one, I grant you. My life is bent. It took much pain of fire and hammer and great vicers to get me here. To get me back would be not only torture but death by torture. You see, I give myself away to you. As to young Ayleward, if you fell in love with him—

"In love—with him!"

He went on evenly,—then I should be forced to free myself of you. Never of him. Never of him. Now listen, the boy is gold.

You did not say that before, Nick. You said that he was not the man that Felix is. You said that he had a poor outlook on life and a character that right be called unstable.

"You have an excellent memory."

"It's one of the things they teach you in a convent."

Well, all that is true. And of all possible husbands—

But I should never dream—

"Of all possible husbands for Miss Jocelyn Harlowe I can imagine none worse. A man with a grudge against life is not a happy partner for any woman. Better for a man who has given life a grudge against him."

"What does that mean?"

"A man who has put his foot on the neck of life and thrashed the hide off it!"

"You think that Felix Kent is such a man?"

"From what I know of him Felix Kent is such a man."

"It's a cruel picture."

you could forget everything you think you know about me, if you weren't jealous of me—she half stopped, with Nick—they went on,—and if you weren't a little bit afraid.—

As he spoke her very expert partner made a misstep, glanced doubtfully down at her, recovered himself and almost with violence drove her, doubling the time of their rhythm and dancing like a dervish, away from that part of the room and before she knew it he had taken her out through one of the glass doors of the entrance. There she stopped above the semi-circular stairs, disengaged herself and saw that he was white and breathing hard.

"What is the matter. Take me back to Nick."

"I'm going to be fool enough to take you home."

"Mr. Ayleward!"

"Miss Sandal, you are not to go back into that room. Not if I have to carry you down the stairs. I have a good reason. Go down and get your wrap. I'll try to signal to Nick. It'll be all right. You must trust me."

"I can't possibly trust you."

Miss Sandal, if you force me to make a scene you will regret it more than anyone. Have you forgotten how angry you were with me once when I involved you in a scene?"

She had not forgotten. She flushed at the memory; looking up at him she read in his eyes a desperate and curiously gentle determination and found herself obediently going down the stairs. Ayleward stood above to block her view of the glass doors; so she missed the rhythmic passing of Toni Padrona's woman clenched in the arms of Felix Kent, her eyes blazing into his with something that looked like hunger and reproach.

### CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

#### "A LITTLE WORK"

A little work, a little play

To keep us going—and ho, good-day!

A little warmth, a little light

Of love's bestowing—and so, good-night!

A little fun, to match the sorrow

Of each day's growing—and so, good-morrow.

A little trust that when we die

We reap our sowing! And so—good-bye!

### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Sunday, January 24th, 6:15.

Subject—"Evils of the Liquor Traffic."

Introduction: by Group Captain, Merle Williams.

Topic No. 1—The Laborer's Lot—Mrs. Russell Dennis.

Topic No. 2—Built on Falsehood—Herman Bryan.

Topic No. 3—At the Court House—Edward Henkle.

Topic No. 4—About the Campus—Bruce Magness.

Topic No. 5—Some Saddening Facts—Eva Freeman.

Topic No. 6—Some Predictions—Mildred Watson.

The western states have a turkey crop this year about 5 per cent smaller than last.

An early result from the home-canning campaign that resulted in the use of 1000,000,000 containers for foodstuffs in 1931 is the announcement that the Continental Can Co., one of the largest manufacturers in that line in the world, has purchased a site of the ship channel near Houston and will establish there a big can-making plant during the coming year.

Texas industries furnished a big outlet for Texas fuels for power and for electric energy. The total, according to the Federal Census of 1930 spent for those two items by Texas industries was \$41,489,860. The sum could be quadrupled without making a perceptible dent in the supply of Texas fuels and electric energy available.

CONSTIPATION take

"If I got constipated, I would get dizzy and have swimming in my head. I would have very severe headache.

"For a while I thought I wouldn't take anything—maybe I could wear out the headaches; but I found they were wearing me out.

"I found Black-Draught would relieve this, so when I have the very first symptoms, I take Black-Draught and now I don't have the headache.

"I am a firm believer in Black-Draught, and after using it 20 or more years, I am satisfied to continue its use."

—F. E. McKinney, Orange Park, Fla. 1-171

**THE FORDS**  
**Black-Draught**

WOMEN who are run-down, or suffer every month, should take Cardul. Used for over 50 years.

**WHEN FOOD SOURS**

A BOUT two hours after eating many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been over-stimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

The right way is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia—just a tasteless dose in water. It is pleasant, efficient and harmless. Results come almost instantly. It is the approved method. You will never use another when you know.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for correcting excess acids. 25c and 50c a bottle—any drug store.

The ideal dentifrice for clean teeth and healthy gums is Phillips' Dental Magnesia, a superior tooth-paste that safeguards against acid-mouth.

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ACCEPTED as a necessity from the standpoints of economical, dependable and health-guarding refrigeration, the modern Electric Refrigerator is essential for yet another important reason—convenience.

With this indispensable *Electrical Servant* in your home, you'll enjoy the constant abundance of clean, pure, sparkling ice cubes . . . you'll appreciate the absence of worry and the immaculate cleanliness of Electric Refrigeration . . . you'll prize the ability to leave your home at an instant's notice—and be gone for days at a time—without danger of foods spoiling or your perfect refrigeration being disturbed for a moment.

Further advantages, too many to be enumerated, will be yours once you've installed a modern Electric Refrigerator in your home! Telephone or drop in at the Merchandise Showroom for a complete demonstration.

With all these important advantages, can you imagine a finer servant than a modern Electric Refrigerator? Let us explain the Convenient Payment Plan which enables you to install yours now—with the subsequent payments following in small monthly installments.

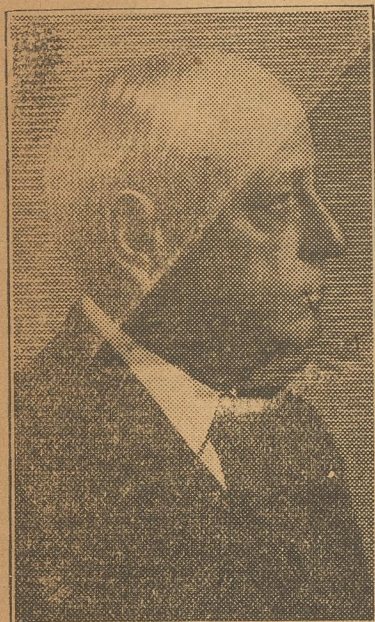
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# Flashes Of The World As Seen By Our Cameraman

Republican For Governor



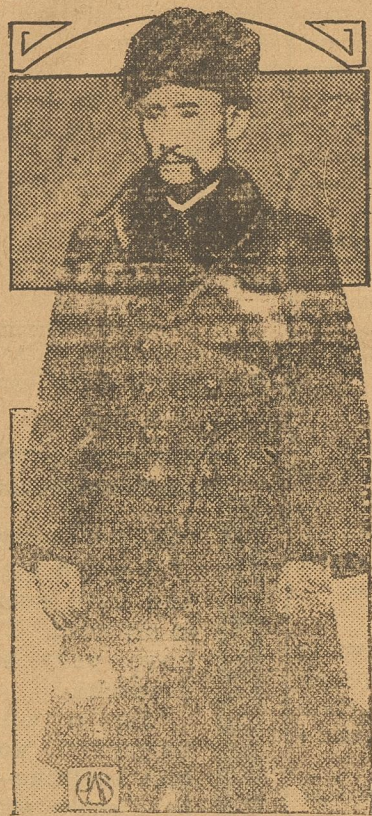
Shown above is John F. Grant, of Harris County, who has announced for the Republican nomination for the governorship of Texas. Grant is a business man and promises an administration founded upon business principles if elected.

NEAT SENATOR



Shown above is Senator Tom Connally (Democrat) Texas. He is frequently referred to as the "best dressed man in the U. S. Senate."

Famous Chinese



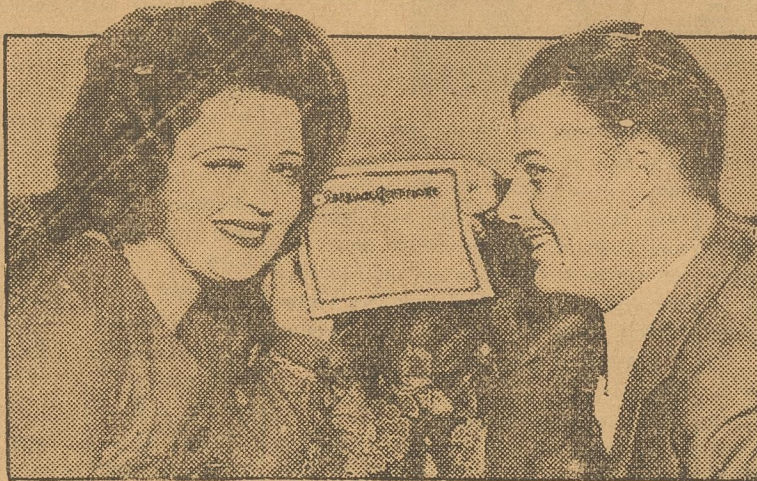
General Mah Chen San, commanding the Chinese forces which have been opposing the Japanese in Manchuria.

Pugilistic Senator



Senator William W. Barbour, of New Jersey, has been appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Senator Morrow. He was an amateur heavyweight ring champion in his youth.

Yes, Clara Bow Got Married



Yes, Clara Bow admits that she is now Mrs. Rex. Bell. But critics' prediction that she is through with pictures, the red headed "It" girl flatly denies, her husband, is frequently featured in Western pictures. The newly married pair have a luxurious county home on their large "rancho."

"Iron Man" at 86



William Muldoon, famous old time wrestler, trainer of John L. Sullivan, member of N. i. State Boxing Commission.

OUT FOR U. S. CONGRESS



Amarillo's "Fighting Mayor" will be a candidate for congressman at large in the Democratic Primary, in July. Col. Ernest O. Thompson, as he is admirably called by the citizens of Amarillo, has been leading a drive for "reduced cost of living" in the North Texas city.

German Beauty Queen



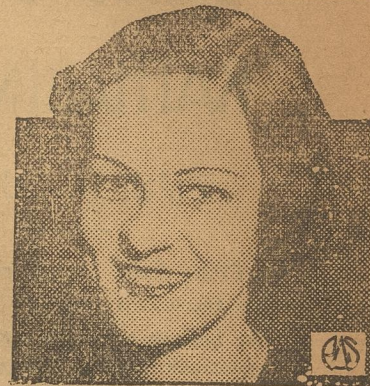
Praulein Liebmann, a Berlin mannikin, was named the most beautiful girl in all Germany by the judges of the beauty contest held in the Marmorsaal.

Heads Tariff Board



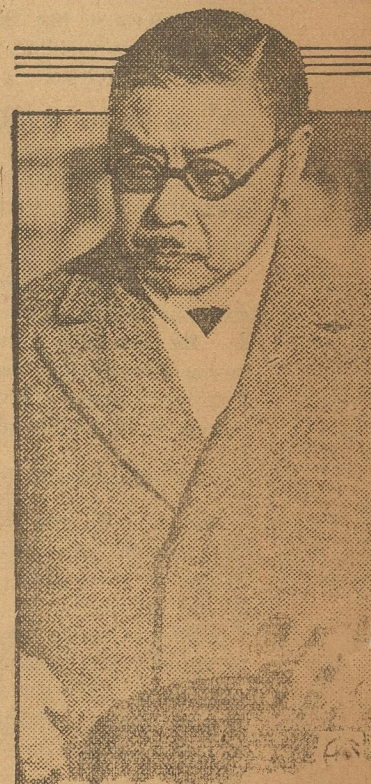
Robert Lincoln O'Brien, former Boston newspaper editor, has been named chairman of the Tariff Commission, succeeding Henry P. Fletcher. Mr. O'Brien was President Cleveland's personal stenographer.

Wins Fortune for \$2



Thelma Hartman, 24, Los Angeles stenographer, won \$50,000 with a \$2 ticket on Pard in the Irish Sweepstakes. The ticket was given her by her "boy friend" a month ago. She intends to keep her job, she says.

Pleads China's Cause



Dr. W. W. Yen, newly-appointed Minister of the Chinese Republic to the United States, who hopes to enlist American influence against Japan's invasion of Manchuria.

# LAST CALL

Tomorrow, Saturday January 23, is the last call on the Review's annual "Bargain Days" subscription offer, which extended after the first of the year.

Come in Friday or Saturday and renew. Bring cash, poultry, canned goods, grain or eggs. 53 editions of your home paper for \$1.00--less than two cents each. Pages every week that are filled with news of you, your neighbors and acquaintances.

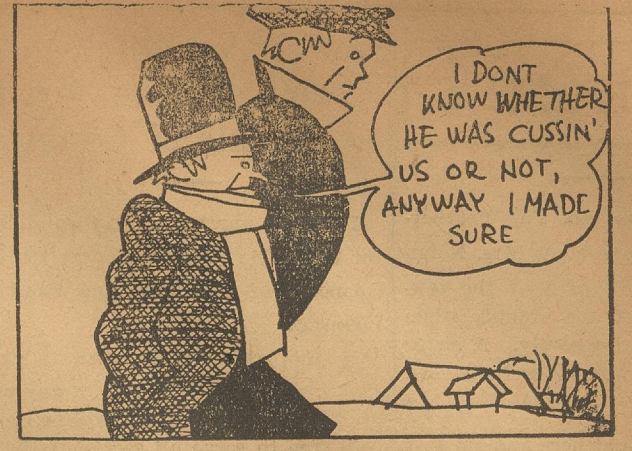
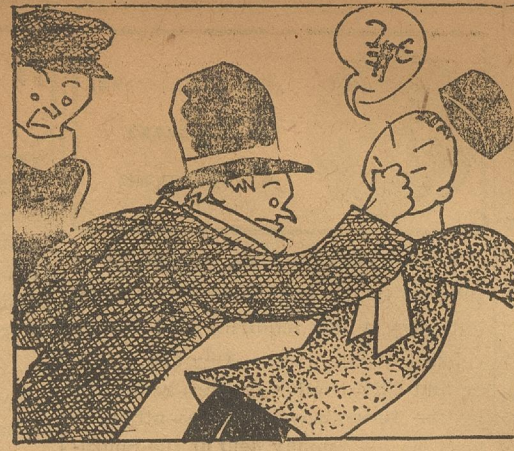
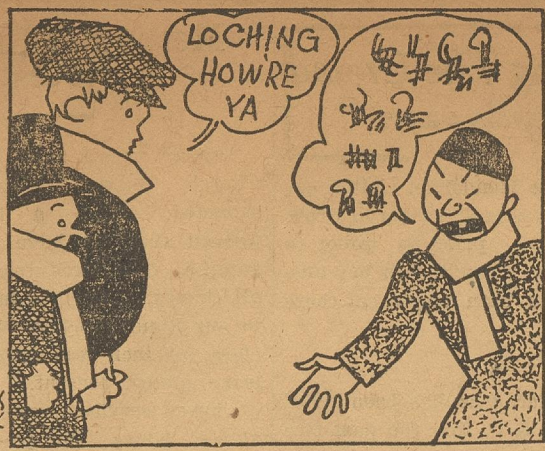
This is absolutely the LAST CALL. We would like for everybody in the Cross Plains trade territory to get in on it.

WE'LL BE LOOKING FOR YOU SATURDAY

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# Cottonwood

Rain Friday night will delay farm work for several weeks.

Mrs. Allen Ellis, who has been very sick with flu is better at this writing.

Bruce Strahan is able to sit up after several days of illness.

A girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richmond O'neal Sunday night.

Floyd Coffee and wife visited in Putnam Sunday.

George Wooly of Abilene visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Usabe Gassett of Tyford, visited her father, Mr. E. B. Whitehon, last week, enroute to Dallas where she carried her little invalid daughter, for treatment.

Mrs. Mollie Ray's many friends here will be glad to know of her improvement since last week.

The basket ball game between Pioneer and Cottonwood didn't materialize on account of bad weather.

Dee Plane outside basket ball girls, played Cottonwood's Senior girls Friday afternoon and defeated them.

Research at several agricultural colleges indicates that young chickens develop more rapidly than do older ones, and that it requires less feed to put a pound of weight on young chickens than on older ones.

## Word of Appreciation From Aubra Dodson

Having just sold my interest in the Anderson-Dodson Chevrolet Company to Phil Anderson and brother, I would feel ungrateful if I should fail to thank the people of Cross Plains and this trade territory for their patronage and friendship. I have lived in almost every part of Texas and sincerely say that I have never known a better or more loyal group of citizens than reside in and around Cross Plains. I have tried to take an interest in all the civic enterprises and community betterments for Cross Plains and will always be interested in the success of Cross Plains.

My future plans are indefinite for the present and I shall continue to reside here. May the horn of plenty pour happiness and abundance into the lap of you and yours.

AUBRA DODSON

### AN INSPIRING TELEGRAM

On the first day that a young man began his duties as reporter on a popular paper a report came from a nearby town that there was a terrible fire raging. The editor of the paper immediately sent the new reporter to the place, and upon arriving there he found that the firemen were unable to get control of the fire, so he sent this telegram to the editor: "Fire still raging. What shall I do?" The editor thought for a minute and then sent back this message: "Find out where the fire is the hottest and jump in."

## TRUSTEES ACK CITIZENS TO PAY SCHOOL TAXES

An urge to the citizens of the Cross Plains independent school district to pay their school taxes is set forth in this issue of the Review by the board of trustees. If delinquent taxes are paid before February 1, there will be no penalties or interest attached to the taxes, as is generally the rule with deferred payments.

Ike Kendrick, with offices over the Farmers National Bank, is collector for the school district.

With several envelope factories in the State, many thousands of envelopes made elsewhere are being bought in Texas. A new \$25,000 plant has recently been established in San Antonio.

Texas provided almost one-fourth of all the carload vegetable shipments in the United States in 1930—7,364 out of 31,127. But it bought from other States \$50,000,000 worth of fruits and vegetables.

Hens eat about six pounds of grain a month. To feed this much grain to hens that do not lay eggs is simply wasting the feed.

Green feed of some kind should be supplied to laying hens throughout the year.

Beggar: "Thank you, sir. I will pray for you and your wife to go to heaven."

Hotstuff: "Here's a quarter extra if you will leave my wife out of it."

## MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY BY ERNEST CAMP JR

### Hard-boiled Patients

New York show girls are generally figured to be about as hardened as nice girls can possibly get, but the limit for being hard-boiled seems to have been attained by one girl who had some dental work done recently.

My wife had occasion to have some work done recently and the dropped in at the dentist's office. Peering into the doctor's operating room, she saw a girl, who was obviously a member of the theatrical profession, perched in the dentist's chair. He was busy about her teeth.

As the dentist worked, the chorus girl held a book high in the air and kept reading the whole time he was working, except when his arm got in the way. Then she shifted the book to her other hand.

### Sand Hogs' Troubles

Men who work in the underground tunnels when they are being built have to live in an air pressure of thirty-five pounds to the square inch. On coming out they have to pass from one air chamber to others, the air pressure being gradually lessened until they are fitted to go back in the outer air. Otherwise they get the "bends," an affliction that sometimes kills. Bends is another word for gas pains with which we are all familiar.

The other day one of the workmen was phoned that he had just become a father. He hurried so much to get to his wife that he cut out the slow wait in the conditioning chambers and rushed to the hospital. After visiting his wife and new baby he went out in the hall and an attack of the "bends" hit him and he fell out of a window four floors to the street. Even that did not kill him, two

clothes lines breaking his fall. The doctors now say he will be as good as new in a few weeks, when his broken bones heal.

### One Novel Line

One most curious business here, and one which has not spread to other cities as far as we know, is the one which repairs damaged suits. If you sit on a nail, and tear a huge hole in your trousers or dress, you do not have to throw the clothes away. Instead you take it to one of these places and they weave goods right over the hole so you cannot tell where the damage was.

Most of the workers who do this kind of work are expert French needlewomen who earn good money. Charges vary from about fifty cents to \$1.50 a job and is well worth the price.

## FAT GIRLS! HERE'S A TIP FOR YOU

All over the world Kruschen Salts is appealing to girls and women who strive for an attractive, free from fat figure that cannot fail to win admiration.

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses and does it SAFELY and HARMLESSLY.

In the morning take one half teaspoon of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar.

"It's the little daily dose that takes off the fat" and "brings that Kruschen feeling" of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity and charming figure.

But be sure for your health's sake that you get Kruschen. A bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but little. You can always get Kruschen at Smith Drug Store and money back if not satisfied with results after first bottle.

## Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for January

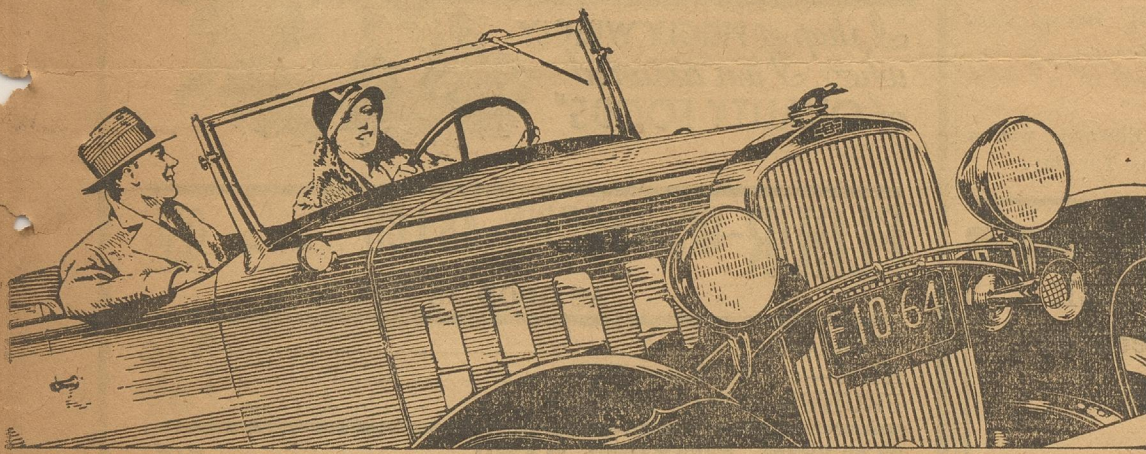
JESUS AND THE SAMARITAN WOMAN  
John 4:9-26

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

To help establish the reality of this incident let the writer refer to his visit in the Samaritan Colony, where just a remnant of only a few score now remain of those who were so despised by the Jews in that day. The very ancient Samaritan Pentateuch was shown me with marked pride. Their history dates back to the destruction of the Northern Kingdom of Israel in 722 B. C. The Passover is still observed each year on Mt. Gerizim according to their own ancient rites. Often the Jews would go far out of their way so as to avoid this region in proceeding to Galilee, but this time "He must needs pass through Samaria."

The complete humanity of Jesus is evidenced in the lesson setting as the tired man sits at the side of Jacob's well. As the woman comes to draw water Jesus enters upon the personal work in accord with His own "Win One" method of procedure. Let any teacher or preacher who is distressed by reason of an audience of one or even a few only note how Jesus acted. Seeking a favor is often a helpful approach to open the opportunity to render real service in turn. "Give me a drink" is commonplace, but it led to genuine salvation that day.

Just as soon as the woman sensed the divinely spiritual relationship of this passing Jew she was canny in seeking His answer to the vexatious problem which kept Jews and Samaritans apart. Where is the place to worship, she queried. Place is only an incident, for the vital fact is the Person Who is worshipped and how the approach is rightly made. She was informed that "God is a Spirit," and approach to His throne of mercy can be made from anywhere. Observe that the woman gave answering belief and proclaimed the truth.



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Take it out on the street, compete with other cars in traffic—and understand what it means to accelerate from a standstill to 35 miles an hour in less than seven seconds! Hunt out some long stretch of highway and open the throttle to the limit—and experience the keen joy of a top speed without stress or strain. Travel over the roughest road you know—and learn the advantage of its new stabilized front end. Run the car throughout its full range of speed and power—and know the pleasure of Chevrolet's new smoothness and quietness.

Then, try the thrill of Free Wheeling—of gliding along on momentum in a modern quality six—of shifting gears easily, simply,

and quietly. And finally, change back to conventional gear, and try shifting gears with the easy, non-clashing, quiet Syncro-Mesh transmission—which is exclusive to Chevrolet in the lowest price field.

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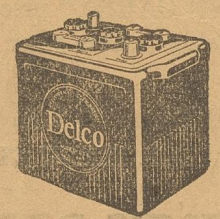
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Timer: "Do you think that I should put more fire in my poetry?"  
Grandma Wayback says: "Today's flappers rush in where even widows fear to tread."  
"Have you any last request to make?"  
"Yes, ask the minister who preaches my funeral sermon not to say I am better off."  
"But you will be better off."  
"I know it, but my wife will think I told him to say it."

Several of the diseases that attack growing chicks are definitely traced to a lack of vitamins in their rations.

### Political Announcements

The Cross Plains Review is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 23, 1932.

- For District Clerk.  
CALLIE MARSHALL  
Mrs. FORD DRISKELL
- For County Treasurer:  
MRS. WILL McCOY
- For County Clerk:  
S. E. SETTLE
- For County Judge.  
J. H. CARPENTER
- For Tax Collector  
Wm. J. EVANS.
- For Tax Assessor  
E. D. (EDDIE) PRIEST
- For Sheriff  
R. L. EDWARDS
- For Commissioners  
Precinct No. 4  
A. G. FOSTER  
J. G. (JACK) AIKEN
- For Public Weigher,  
Precinct No.4  
IRA B. LOVING



# Burkett

Friends of Miss Ila Fay Featherston and Miss Laura (now Mrs. Nolan Horton) regret to learn of the misfortune that befell the family when their home burned recently. A sister Miss Ollie Mae was severely burned at the time.

Miss Laura taught here and Ila Fay attended school some two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fox had as their last weeks guest, a sister of Mr. Fox, Mrs. Anna M. Stansbury of Hartford City, Ind.

Mrs. Ralph Phillips entertained the weekly bridge club Thursday evening. Five tables consisting of three membership and 2 guest tables. The latter accommodated Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bearden, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Audas, Misses Ollie Palmore and Henrietta Burkett, Richard White and Clarence Burkett, and next highest to Mrs. Bowden. Refreshments were served.

Little Miss Baldwin of Cross Plains was a week end guest of Little Miss Lela Jo Oliver.

A generous rain fell throughout Friday night, accompanied by vivid lightning and heavy thunder, as this spring was here.

Newman Jackson is assisting in Baucoms Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Allman and baby daughter, Joan, arrived Wednesday of last week, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nations.

Mrs. Ben Koenig is doing nicely following a major operation at Sealy Hospital, Tuesday of last week.

Every town in the United States is asked to celebrate during 1932 honoring the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington. These celebrations are to be made a permanent record and are under federal supervision. Each locality may obtain material and out-lined programs by applying to U. S. George Washington Bi-centennial Commission, Washington, D. C.

We congratulate the new banking institution upon its selection of president and bespeak for its successful administration.

Donald Helburg entertained the basket ball boys and their guests Friday night with games and plays followed by refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate.

The first conference game of the season was called Friday afternoon on Burkett court. Coleman and Burkett boys tied for honors, resulting in a score of 22 to 19 in favor of Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Brown have a new visitor at their home, a baby daughter, who made her arrival Sunday.

The Amerada and Fox, Adams leases have renewed activities after a shut down of sometime.

Miss Janie Perkins of Oplin is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. C. G. Burkett.

D. S. Tabor of Gouldbusk preached Sunday morning and night at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Hallis Bowden visited her friend, Mrs. W. F. Martin at Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry of San Angelo arrived Sunday noon for a visit of several days with the W. M. Newton's and T. A. Burns.

Host: Then you did get here to-night after all?

Absent minded guest: Yes, I meant to forget to come but I forgot to forget it.

Murman McGowen of Coleman was a Cross Plains visitors Sunday.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF CROSS PLAINS AND SURROUNDING TERRITORY

We have opened an office in the old Cross Plains Hospital and are offering a course of 30 Chiropractic—Massage, including Electric, treatments at half price (Cash) to any one bringing this ad. with them January 16 to January 30 inclusive. If you are sick and want to get well, our office is the place for you to go. We invite you to investigate.

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## Notice To Voters Of Callahan And Eastland Counties

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of State Representative, composed of Callahan and Eastland Counties.

In the beginning I wish to state that I am not a candidate of any ring or clique and if elected I will be therefore free to serve all sections alike. I consider the office of Representative very important; one that should be filled by a business man.

Voters should select Representatives, not on hand shaking and smile qualifications but upon integrity and ability. Even though your best friend is asking for an office, there is no reason why you should support him unless he is honest, ambitious and qualified to fill the position.

My platform is practically the same as when I made the race two years ago with this additions. I favor a strong banking law that will protect depositors. Thousands of people lost their life time savings the past year and in some cases the depositors are too old to recuperate financially. Too, there are now scores of widows and penniless orphans in destitute circumstances as a result of bank failures.

Our banks must be put under bonds, large enough to protect every depositor so that when they desire to withdraw money they can do so. This is just as fair for the banks as for them to take mortgages on real estate, stock and etc., when they make loans.

### Public Utility Question

The public utility question is a very important one due to the fact that it affects practically every home in Texas. For instance, the telephone, electric lights and natural gas especially, it will take a capitalist to pay his utility bills. For example, we will consider Cross Plains, we are compelled to pay the same price for gas as we paid during the oil boom. At that time we all had money, plenty of work and a man's labor was really worth something.

But now everything has gone down except the utilities. There seems to be no remedy for this "outrage" unless the next state legislature can give us a home law to protect our homes. Just think of paying 75 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas. There are a lot of families who are denying themselves the necessities of life in order to maintain utility service. Their cry is for bread, butter, bacon and beans and we should not turn a deaf ear to their plea. Property is down, merchandise is down and wages have been reduced to scarcely a living fee, oil has dropped to almost nothing, yet your gas and light bills remain at their elevated pinnacle.

The cry all over Texas is for relief, the Democratic Party platform demanded public utility regulations, but it seems our law makers have ignored their party wishes. I stand for their regulation 100 percent.

I think it is about time to reduce taxes and cut down salaries at Austin. It will take a man with courage and respect for the peoples' rights to accomplish this. All that I ask is a fair chance and I beseech you to give the "Golden Rule" a trial.

CECIL A. LOTIEF

## Home Town Gossip

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morning, by ten o'clock. Sometime next month the city fire marshall is going to make a check up and all rubbish and fire hazards will have to be removed from the city limits.

Call the city office Saturday morning for someone to come by and haul off your tin cans etc.

There's a new girl in town boys. Better spruce up and get an early start because someone has told Eddie Priest that married candidates have an advantage over single ones. And he wants that Assessor job regardless.

Among the trifles that we often wonder about: Why does "Doc" McGowen try to keep his hands in his pocket when his pants are so tight? Where did Professor Norman learn so many card and coin tricks, we were once told that he was a prospective minister? How Cross Plains is going to have so many postmasters, at least three have confided that the job is theirs? What Ike Kendrick means by his advertising signs "See Ike Kendrick," is he running a side show? How big of a success Cecil A. Lotief would have been as a politician back in his own native Syria?

### WANT A BULL

Improve your heard with a good registered bull. Have 3 of them for sale at reasonable prices.

See R. Elliott Bryant.



## American Legion Column

Was wondering what might be of interest to the legionnaires this week but after a few inquiries find there's lots to write about. Our Commander and Clive Calloway were requested by the Brownwood post to attend a meeting last Sunday held at the Southern Hotel to arrange for the next district convention which is to be in Brownwood February 27 and 28. Ted Smith reports we are to have a wonderful convention if all the committee planned is carried out. The committee was composed of two men from eight different posts in this district.

Here's something that should interest everyone that lives in and around Cross Plains. Our first meeting night in February, which is Wednesday eve, February 3, will be an open meeting. Everyone is invited. The post here in planning a domino and forty-two party for all that attend and with this treat for our community, we want 200 visitors. Our Commander is working hard to accomplish what he has planned for this year. By inviting all of you as our guests for this night, he feels that our people will learn more about the legion and what it stands for. Now, don't disappoint him or any of us and I'll assure you all of a real time. Our hall is over the Review office. Be there.

Red payed his fine by bringing in the potato pies which were enjoyed by all and the meeting was a wow. Several committees were appointed to arrange for the coming event of the season, the domino and forty-two party. Don't be a slacker. Be with legion boys for that evening.

We all have to take our hats off to Clarence Stevens and G. C. Hendricks. Boys, they are workers. Each has a credit of 11 members for this year. If you want to know how to get new members for the legion, ask them. They surely have some unusual inducements.

People, the Legion is ready to help anyone who might need it and am sure if the committee that has this part of our years work in charge know of this, immediate action will be taken.

As a writer or author, I am the bunk, but read about the Legion as it is reported to me.

The Woman's Missionary Society met Monday, January 18, in the basement of the First Methodist Church. The lesson was taken from the Missionary voice given by Mrs. Neel, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Caton and Mrs. Benton.

### CITY TAX

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clusive of property tax, but must be include poll tax property tax is paid. All poll tax should be paid on or before January 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Odom of Coleman visited Mrs. Odom's mother here Thursday.

## Watching The Crowd WITH WILMA PRATT

Mrs. Porter Henderson visited her parents, relatives and friends in Cross Plains Tuesday, prior to going to Houston, where she will join her husband, who has been employed there for sometime.

Lowell Snyder, who has been relief manager of A. & P. for the past two weeks returned to his home in Eastland Monday.

John McInnis, of near Byrd's Store was in Cross Plains, Tuesday and bought a new car.

Tom Wood left Sunday for San Antonio, where he will take a Pharmacy examination.

Willie Strawn, who has been in East Texas several months returned to Cross Plains Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Caldwell and Bill Archwoods of San Saba were in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson of Coleman were the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgdin Tuesday.

Clyde Moore of Tulia visited his sister, Mrs. Wesley Webb of Webb ranch several days ast week.

Phil Anderson and Aubra Dodson were in Abilene Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Earl Bryant were in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Underwood visited relatives in Gorman Sunday.

T. Ray Garrett of Coleman was in Cross Plains Monday on business.

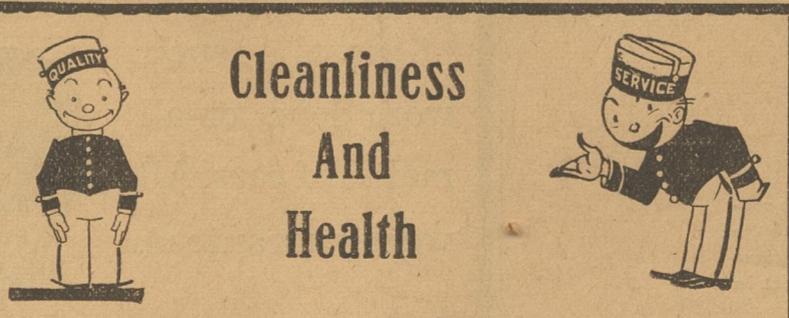
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgdin visited in Coleman with relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Schooley were in Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryant were Cisco visitors Sunday.

Sheriff Robert L. Edwards was a visitor in Cross Plains Tuesday.

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## Methodist Church Notes

Sunday was a good day for our Church. Sunday School was well attended, having a larger number present than we have had in two months. New faces were seen in most all classes, some that had never been in our Sunday School before. A new class for men was organized with a large number present.

Church services were well attended at both hours. Our pastor is delivering some splendid sermons that every Methodist should hear. The Missionary Society is going forward with great zeal. Our meetings are well attended. Every woman in our great church should become a member of this society.

Come and be with us next Sunday. Don't wait 'till you are dead, then have your friends take you there. (Contributed)

### MEHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Leader—Mrs. H. A. Young.  
Subject—Know your Missionary Voice?  
Music.  
Song—No. 80.  
Roll Call—Verses of Scripture.  
Spiritual Life and message of Jesus—Mrs. Benton.  
Special Music.  
The Church and War—Mrs. J. A. Caton.  
Sawed Off on His Own in a City—Mrs. Robert Cunningham.  
Sharing Songs Experiences—Mrs. C. C. Armstrong.  
The Retreat at Scortitt College—Mrs. Aiken.  
Women Workers in the South—Mrs. Wilkerson.  
Closing Hymn.  
Benediction.

(Contributed)

### FOR SALE

Planting time is here see City Floral Nursery for roses shrubs shade and fruit trees also paper shell pecans all varieties California and Armor river prune grape and berry vines.

## WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. WALDO WILBURN

The Wednesday Study Club in its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Waldo Wilburn voted to help buy records for the music memory students in grade school; further developments of the civic clean-up program were discussed.

Following the business meeting a most enlightening program was rendered.

"What Nationalities Have Contributed To Texas."

Program Leader—Mrs. Gaines.  
1. Spanish contribution, Mrs. Mitchell.  
2. French contribution, Mrs. Newton.  
3. Negro contribution, Mrs. Pittman.  
4. Negro Folklore, Mrs. Settle.  
5. "The Trouble with Pastors" reading—Miss Haley.  
6. Other Nationalities, Mrs. Smith.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served to ten members and two visitors. The society was very gald to have Mrs. Benton, and Mrs. McLean as new members.



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RICE—4 lbs. Choice Bulk 17c  
PRUNES—Choice Quality 9c

DRIED FRUIT—2 LBS. — 25c

SOAP—Big Ben the Pound Bar 5c  
MUSTARD—Quart Jar 15c  
PEANUT BUTTER—2 lbs. qt. jar 29c

PEANUT BUTTER—5 LB. PAIL — 65c

SOUR PICKLES—Quart Jar 25c  
RATLIFF TOMALIES—No. 2 Can—2 for 25c  
OYSTERS—5 oz. can—per can 10c

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LADY ALICE COFFEE—1 lb. 23c  
STANDARD CORN—No. 2 Can 10c  
TOMATOES—No. 2 Can—3 for 25c

SPUDS—CHOICE CLEAN—10 LBS. — 19c

ORANGES—Sweet and full of Juice—2 for 5c  
DELICIOUS APPLES—Nice Size—2 for 5c  
WINE SAP APPLES—just right for lunch—doz. 15c

GAPE FRUIT—LARGE SIZE—EACH — 4c

ONION SETS—White or Yellow—per lb. 12c  
MOTHERS COCOA—2 lbs. 27c  
DRY SALT JOWLS—per lb. 9c

SMOKED BACON—LB. — 15c

SLICED BACON—lb. 20c  
LONG HORN CHEESE—lb. 19c  
BEEF ROAST—lb. 12 1/2 to 15c  
STEAK—Real Steak Cut from Choice Tender Beef 20c

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