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OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

CROSS PLAINS YOUTH HEADS PRESS CLUB

(Ablene Reporter)

A new constitution was adopted and officers were elected at a meeting of the Simmons University Press Club Thursday afternoon.

Jack Scott of Cross Plains, editor of the Simmons Brand, weekly newspaper, was elected president of the club. According to the new constitution, the three men eligible for the office were the three editors of the publications, Scott, won over Rufus Hyde, editor of the Bronco, and Noll Sewell, editor of the Corral.

Other officers chosen were: L. P. Walter, vice-president; Nina Landers, secretary-treasurer; Lena Spence, corresponding secretary.

The new constitution was drawn up by a committee made up of Prof. Nelson A. Hutto, Noll Sewell, and Jack Scott. It was thought advisable, in view of changing conditions, to set aside the old constitution made in 1917, under which Miss Mildred Paxton, now Mrs. Dan Moody, was the first president of the club.

HUNTERS RETURN FROM NEW MEXICO

Ralph Chandler, John and Everett Browning returned the first of this week from a camp-hunting trip in the Capitan Mountains of New Mexico, in a section designated by the natives of that region as Don't-Give-a-Dam Canyon. Each succeeded in killing a fine deer, the antlers ranging from a spike to an eight-point buck. They also returned with new names given them by the rough-neck Mexicans who rule that domain, reversing the trend of their names to Ensenora Ralph, Picocha John and Pueblo Everett. They hunted five days, part of the time in a six-inch snow. The distance they traveled from Cross Plains to the camping grounds was 487 miles.

The Review has received a birth card announcing the recent arrival of Gasson DeWitt, a six and three-quarter pounder, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harlow, three miles west of town.

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CALLAHAN BANKERS TO MEET AT CROSS PLAINS

The next quarterly meeting of the Callahan County Bankers Association will meet at Cross Plains on Tuesday, Dec. 10, and the following program is announced:

1. Meeting called to order by Pres. M. H. Perkins, First State Bank, Clyde, Texas.
 2. Song, "America."
 3. Toastmaster, Paul V. Harrell, First State Bank, Cross Plains.
 4. Address Welcome, S. F. Bond, Farmers National Bank, Cross Plains.
 5. Response, C. A. Bowman, Clyde National Bank, Clyde.
 6. Diversification of Loans, R. L. Clinton, Farmer's State Bank, Putnam.
 7. What are we doing in our community to increase our customer's revenue, R. C. Durringer, First State Bank, Cross Plains.
 8. Will the "Merger Hand" reach out to grasp the county bank, Henry James, F. & M. Bank, Abilene.
 9. Essential elements in consideration of loans and importance of a sound credit policy, W. S. Hinds, First National Bank, Baird.
 10. Small Loans, P. P. Bond, State National Bank, Santa Anna.
 11. The Cattle Industry, P. L. Peltion, Stock Yards National Bank, Fort Worth.
- Old and new business.
Selection of next meeting place.
Adjournment.
Program Committee.
A. R. Clark.
Howard Farmer.
E. G. Hampton.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY MARKET NEARING END

The busiest place in Cross Plains the past few weeks is the killing and picking department of the Neeb Produce Co., with from 100 to 150 people hitting on all six, and everything humming. The plant has a capacity of nearly 3000 dressed turkey daily.

The Thanksgiving market closed at the end of the past week. However, the Neeb Produce will offer the prevailing market price every day, looking to filling the Christmas market. Neeb estimated Tuesday of this week that not more than 30 per cent of the turkey crop had been sold, and that 70 per cent will move on the Christmas market.

While the price was not what everybody hoped it would be, still Neeb Produce Co. is to be congratulated on the fact that they were paying 20 cents per pound for turkeys, when they were reported two or three days earlier to be only 18 cents per pound at Brownwood and Coleman, with one of the biggest buyers in all West Texas, at Abilene, being out of the market. Neeb Produce Co., expressed gratification that they were able to maintain this good price for the benefit of the growers.

WILL REOPEN CROSS PLAINS HOSPITAL

Miss Sophie Stump, of Brownwood, has leased the Cross Plains Hospital and is arranging to reopen the institution the last of this week. Miss Stump has owned and operated a hospital at Brownwood for a number of years, and through her profession as a capable nurse is well known to many people in this section, who have been in her hospital and under her care as patients, and no doubt a big welcome awaits her as she takes charge as head of the local hospital. She is highly recommended by the local medical profession as an excellent lady and splendidly qualified to successfully operate the institution in its proper care of both medical and surgical cases.

Mrs. Woodall, sister of Mrs. G. W. Klutts of Cross Plains and Mrs. G. J. Steele of the Dressy community, died at Big Spring last Sunday. Mrs. Klutts and a number of other relatives attended the funeral.

ADDING MACHINE PAPER— at Review Office

COUNTY ROAD BOND ELECTION SATURDAY

The million dollar road bond election Saturday will settle, at least for the time being, the biggest issue that was ever before the people of Callahan county. Every phase of the proposition should be fairly well understood by every property owner in the county by this time and all who own real estate property should go to the polls and vote according to his personal judgment in the matter. Those who do not own real estate and can give no assurance of remaining a representative tax payer should not participate in the election. No one can reasonably doubt that the road system as proposed, if it can possibly be secured, will be the greatest achievement that the county has ever acquired. Personally the Review at this time, as it has been for the past twenty years, stands for progress and public improvements, and it has never realized a mistake in such matters. We have no fear from the source of a probable inability of taking care of the million dollar bond issue. Callahan county, like all other growing West Texas counties, will never be less resourceful than it is at the present time, except a possible period of short duration resultant from adverse crop seasons.

RATLIFF SHOTS JAILER AT EASTLAND

Marshall Ratliff, under death sentence as a member of the notorious "Santa Claus" bank bandit gang, who robbed the First National Bank at Cisco on Dec. 23, 1927, shot and dangerously wounded Deputy Sheriff Tom Jones in a desperate attempt to escape from the Eastland county jail early last Monday night.

Ratliff, who was brought to Eastland from the Huntsville penitentiary about a month ago, has spent all his time stretched motionless upon his cell bunk. Apparently unable to move, he had led Jones and Killborn to believe he was partially paralyzed.

Early Monday night they took food to his room, and went to another part of the jail, leaving Ratliff's cell door open. The prisoner, suddenly becoming animate, slipped downstairs to the jailer's office. Finding the door locked there, he took Jones' gun from a desk drawer in the office, and started back upstairs. Meeting Jones on the stairway, he emptied his gun on the deputy sheriff. The first bullet struck Jones in the abdomen, going through the body. A second shot entered the body above the heart, emerging just under the left shoulder blade. Another struck the deputy just above the right knee, shattering the bone. Two shots went wild.

As Ratliff fired the first shot, Jones charged upon him. Killborn, hearing the shots, rushed to Jones' assistance. In the struggle, Jones recovered his gun, and finding it empty of cartridges, struck Ratliff over the head with the butt of the pistol.

Mrs. Malequay Killborn, daughter of the jailer who lives in the jail with her father, heard the shots, obtained her father's gun from the office, and rushed to the stairway to find Ratliff knocked down. She trained the gun on the prisoner, but her father knocked her hand up before she could shoot.

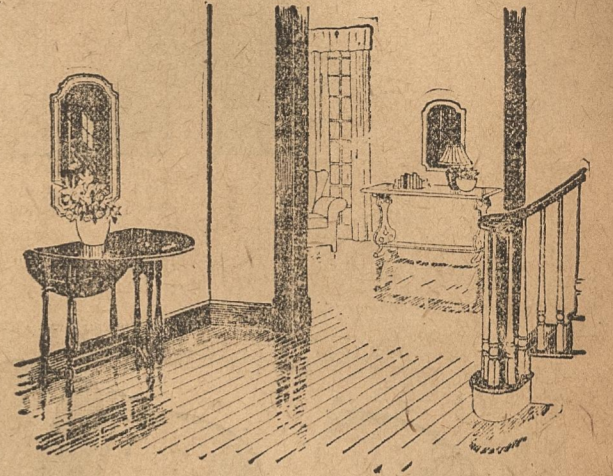
Jones was taken to the Eastland hospital, where physicians said his condition was not critical. The bullet that pierced his abdomen did not strike any vital organs, and the breast and leg wounds were not dangerous, they said.

Ratliff, back in his cell, in a stupor, had to have several stitches taken in his head, where the butt of the gun opened a gash.

The prisoner, since his return to the Eastland jail, apparently had been unable to move. Jones and Killborn had fed him with a spoon three times a day, and would raise him to a sitting position at intervals to relieve his cramped position.

RATLIFF SWUNG TO TELEGRAPH POLE

Marshall Ratliff was taken from the Eastland county jail by a mob of about 100 men last Tuesday night and hanged to a telegraph pole in the downtown section of the city. Nearly 1,000 people witnessed the lynching.



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FIRE BOYS GIVEN VENISON BANQUET

Roy Carmichael, the genial proprietor of the Lone Star Cafe, who returned from a recent camp-hunting trip in southern part of the State, bringing with him a fine buck deer, treated the members of the local fire department and the city council to a big venison banquet at his cafe last Tuesday night. The occasion, including a program of short and appreciative talks by a number of the guests, was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Young were visitors to Abilene last Sunday.

CROSS PLAINS SCORES AS TURKEY MARKET

During the ten days preceeding Tuesday morning of this week, during the rush of the Thanksgiving turkey market, the two produce houses in Cross Plains have purchased 9,297 turkeys from poultry raisers in the local community, at an estimated weight of about 123,000 pounds. They were selling on the Cross Plains market at 20 cents per pound, while a number of other places were paying only 18 cents.

Bring what you have to sell to Cross Plains; buy what you need in Cross Plains, and you will gain from the angles.

BEANS

Have you ever thought of raising beans for the wholesale market? We mean just the common lowly "Pinto bean." Well, someone raises them and is making mighty good money out of the crop. From reports given us by some of our customers who have been raising these beans for their own use they have been getting a yield ranging from 1000 lbs. to 2000 per acre from their Pintos. Figure it out and you will find that will run into real money. The crop matures so quickly that if you have season enough in the ground to plant your beans you are practically assured of a crop without more rain. After harvesting the beans it is easily possible to raise another quick maturing crop on the same land. Think it over and decide now to plant 25 to 50 acres beans next year.

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 Model 655 was \$174.00, now \$142.00 Model 660 was \$189.00, now \$157.00
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Mrs. Waldo Wilburn and daughter and Miss Mary Massa went in to Fort Worth Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Young and daughter are visiting in Fort Worth with Mrs. Tom Bryant.

J. B. Eubank and wife and R. O. Eubank drove over to Cross Cut Sunday.

G. A. Buder, trustee of the C. O. Moore Oil Corporation of St. Louis, or Cross Plains attended business here was in Cross Plains Saturday.

A. A. Bertrand of Coleman, formerly daughter and Mrs. Jack Noel were in Coleman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and daughter and Mrs. Jack Noel were in Coleman Saturday.

REV. HOWELL RETURNS TO CROSS PLAINS

The twentieth annual session of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference closed at Pampa last Sunday and the following appointment of preachers for the Abilene District for the ensuing year were announced: Cross Plains, W. C. Howell, Presiding elder, E. E. White, Abilene, First Church, J. H. Hamblen; St. Paul's J. Richard Spann; Oak Street, J. E. Harrel; Albany, T. J. Rea; Anson, H. C. Gordon; Anson circuit, E. M. Nowlin; Avoca, Joe S. Strather; Baird, B. W. Dodson; Baird circuit, Marvin Williams, supply; Bradshaw circuit, J. Edmond Kirby; Caps, H. L. Thurston; Clyde, Ray Lee; Clyde circuit, C. D. Dameron, supply; Cross Plains circuit, G. C. Williams; Hawley circuit, Otis F. Mason; Merkel, T. C. Willett; Moran, George W. Montgomery; Nugent circuit, Ray Johnson, supply; Oplin circuit, to be supplied; Putnam, Cecil Fox; Trent, U. S. Sherrill; Tuscola-Ovalo, J. B. Baker; Tye, L. H. Davis; president McMurry College, J. W. Hunt; professor, McMurry College, F. Darcy Bone; professor, Weatherford College, J. V. G. Anderson; conference evangelist, W. B. Morton.

In the Cisco District, R. T. Wallace was assigned to the pastorate at Pioneer, and A. T. Turner to Rising Star.

ORDERS THE REVIEW SENT TO SAN SABA

The Review received the first of this week the following letter from Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cunningham, who recently traded for the Hotel San Saba and are now located in that city:

Editor Review: Please change the address of our paper. We miss the Review so much. We are installed in our new Hotel San Saba, and like it real well. With lots of good wishes for the Review and its many readers.

Respectfully,
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cunningham.
Hotel San Saba.

S. S. CLASS TO GIVE PLAY NOV. 24

The Young People's Sunday School Class of the Presbyterian church will dramatize the Book of Ruth at the church Sunday, Nov. 24th, at 7:30 P. M.

Methodist Church

Look who's here! The new preacher, pastor of the Methodist church for the year. Yes, he will be happy to meet you next Sunday. To meet you at the door of the church at about 9:45 A. M. But if not that early then at 10:30 A. M., and if not at that hour come at 7:00 P. M.

In spite of all that happened last year you made a good showing. The church raised for all purposes nearly \$6,500.

Your pastor earnestly and sincerely covets the love and hearty co-operation of everybody and prays for all Methodists to cherish the grace of good works. Come to church Sunday.

W. C. Howell,
Minister.

Preaching At Baptist Church Sunday

Rev. Graves Darbey and wife are announced to arrive in Cross Plains Saturday of this week. Rev. Darbey, former pastor at Roscoe, has accepted the call to the Cross Plains Baptist church, and will conduct his first Sunday morning and night. Everybody cordially invited to come out and services here as our regular pastor hear him.

Protracted Meeting At Pioneer

The Review is requested by Bro. H. S. Williams, who was a visitor in Cross Plains Wednesday evening, to announce the protracted meeting which is now in progress at the Holiness church at Pioneer. The services are being conducted by a lady evangelist, Miss Ollie Miller, who is well known in this community, having conducted a protracted meeting here some years ago. The meeting will extend into next week.

Mrs. Jim Settle, who underwent an operation at the Santa Anna Hospital last Saturday morning, is reported as recovering nicely.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank our many friends who were so kind to us during the illness of our dear husband, son and brother. They will ever be remembered among our dearest friends.

Mrs. J. T. Renfro,
Eugene and Madge Renfro
and Mrs. Florrye Wooten.

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NOTICE

W. F. Elliott is authorized to collect my accounts. Any settlement that you make with him will be satisfactory with me. To those who have paid promptly, I thank you. I have earned my money, and I need it, and I want it. J. M. Fullen, This town needs a cleaning up. Take notice. Martin Neeb, Mayor

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson and daughter, Miss Jaunita, spent the latter part of the past week in San Antonio, and come back by way of Austin, and Waco where they visited with their son, R. E. Wilson, Jr., and family, at the latter place.

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FLOUR—48 LB. GOLD CROWN		\$1.59
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CATSUP—BEECH NUT BRAND—LARGE BOTTLE		21c
APPLE BUTTER—QT. JARS		29c
SUGAR—10 LBS.		61c
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COFFEE—	OLD SOUTH PEABURY	30c
	(No Peabury Coffee Better)—lb.	
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KARO SYRUP-BLUE OR RED-GALLON	65c
CANE CRUSH SYRUP-GALLON	85c
SUGAR-25 LBS.	\$1.60
SPUDS-10 LBS.	38c
ONIONS-PER LB.	3 1/2c
SMOKED BACON-PER LB.	25c

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 - T. H. Walston, Rosebud, Texas.
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LONE PRAIRIE BANQUET

This morning about 8:30 the writer was rushing to a reported fire in north east part of town and when slowing down for a corner noticed Dee Anderson creeping along in that direction, so we picked him up and made our way to the fire. We noticed that Dee didn't seem to be excited over the fire, and sat in the car while we investigated the burning house, so we began to wonder, but did not ask any questions, but when returning to town he opened up and told the sad story. Several citizens in and around Cross Plains have been bringing in deer from south Texas and made Dee hungry, so yesterday he and Ed Priest went out to Fred Cutbirth's ranch west of town and had a banquet all their, (he didn't say anything about anyone else being there) consisting of Cow Pasture Oysters?

We haven't seen Ed this morning, but Dee said every time he thought of "oysters" he would bellow like a calf. He felt kinda' cowish.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Clark and son, Donald, left Saturday for the Valley. It is their plan to visit a few days with Mr. Clark's sister, and return home with his mother, who has been visiting there several weeks. They will return by way of Corpus, where Jeff will try fishing in salt water.

Nat Williams was in Putnam Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Cox of Cross Cut was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Odom and children of Valeria were in town Monday.

L. R. Smith of Pioneer attended business here Monday.

M. A. Martin, accompanied by H. B. Houghton of Oklahoma City, returned from a camp-hunting trip near Menard the first of this week. They bagged one fine six-point buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip DeBusk have returned to Cross Plains for a visit.

L. C. Cash of Pioneer was in Cross Plains Monday.

Misses Vivian Jennings and Annette Spath, visited home folks in Coleman past week-end.

Eldon Clark and wife of Cross Cut were in town Monday evening.

Bob Briens of Fort Worth is in Cross Plains this week.

Ed Stratton of Pioneer was a business visitor Monday.

L. L. Morgan of Burkett was in Cross Plains Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Cartwright of Pioneer was thru Cross Plains Monday en route to Abilene.

C. D. Stone of Cross Cut was a visitor here Monday.

J. F. Miller and wife were in Brownwood Sunday.

John L. Herschback and wife of Rising Star were in Cross Plains Monday.

W. E. Tinney of Cross Cut was in town Monday.

Walter Chambers of Coleman was in Cross Plains Saturday.

Rev. A. E. Hill, former pastor of the local Baptist church, has been with the Baptist convention at Beaumont this week.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Callahan. To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of J. D. Love, Deceased,

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of J. D. Love, deceased, late of Callahan County, Texas, by W. C. White judge of the county court of said County, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1929, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him, within the time prescribed by law, whose residence is near Cottonwood, in Callahan County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 6th day of November, A. D. 1929.

J. H. Coats, Administrator of the estate of J. D. Love, deceased.

Battery Service that satisfies Call 42
GARRETT MOTOR CO.

The Mes. Marion Harvey and A. R. Clark were joint hostesses and entertained the bridge club ladies, their husbands, and several guests with a bridge dinner last week. The Mes. Fred Cutbirth and R. B. McGowen will entertain Thursday evening in a like manner.

R. y Carmichael, S. V. Weeb and Bo Cavit, returned Monday with three deer, after a hunt in Mason County.

J. D. Conlee, L. D. Montgomery, L. D. Wilson, J. F. Morgan, and others left the 15th, for a hunt in Mason County.

Alex H. Edwards of Cross Cut was in Cross Plains Sunday.

W. A. Allen of Burkett was in town Monday.

GREETING CARDS—
at Review Office

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Starting Sunday
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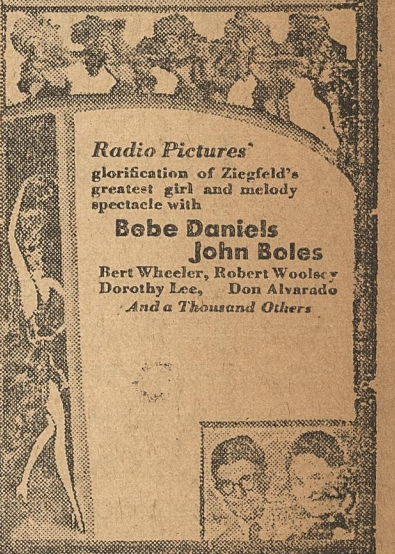
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A few Used Pianos that will be sold during this sale.

- 1—\$650 Collins Player Piano (Used) \$310.00
- 1—\$750 Star Player Piano (Used) \$476.00
- 1—\$350 Kingsbury Upright Piano (Used) \$75.00
- 1—\$450 W. E. Welland Upright Piano (Used) \$117.50

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Our cynical old bachelor friend says he'd have a higher regard for matrimony if the undertaker was the only divorce officer.

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Bufs Face Hard Fight Friday

Buffaloes—Wilcats Play on Wednesday, Nov. 27. At Rising Star

Cross Plains High School Buffaloes and Clyde Bulldogs will clash here on Murphy Field, Friday, Nov. 22, in one of the feature games of the season.

While it is the general opinion that Cross Plains will win, it should not be overlooked that Clyde has a team this year that exceeds any of her former line-ups in fast and fighting metal.

These two teams met last year, when the Bufs trimmed the Bull-dogs, and latter is now cherishing the chance of "beating back" in the contest scheduled for Friday. It is expected to be one of the hardest games which the Buffaloes have encountered.

Rumors are abroad that the Bull-dogs' eleven is composed of a strong team, but due to a streak of bad luck they have not been able to "get going." They are a heavier team in weight average than the Buffaloes.

The Bufs lost a recent game to Stephenville, but in losing to the Yellow Jackets the Vilha's men gave a splendid account of themselves. In fact they did well in everything except scoring. They are not strong on "ofs", but if it hadn't rained before and during the game things might have been different.

3 CRIMINAL CASES TRIED LAST WEEK

The following criminal cases were disposed of in District Court at Baird last week:

Jim Thompson charged with forgery, convicted and given four years suspended sentence.

Will Anderson and John Hill the two Negroes who robbed Clifford Jones house some months ago were convicted and given two years each in the penitentiary.

Henry McWhorter, charged with manufacturing liquor, acquitted. Santos Voldez, charged with theft convicted and given two years in the penitentiary.

PAINFUL INDIGESTION

"I SUFFERED from indigestion — everything I ate gave me heartburn," says Mrs. Mattie Mullins, of Pound, Va.

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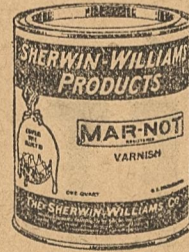
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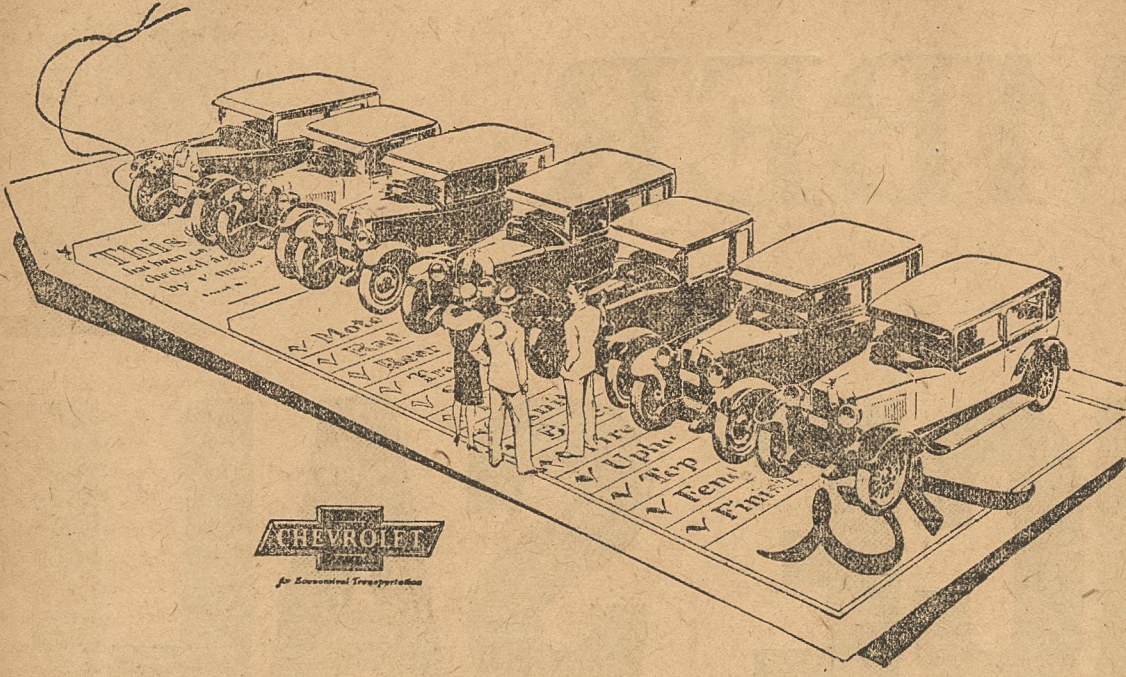
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THANKSGIVING

To possess a grateful spirit is indeed a noble and charming virtue. How much each one of us appreciates the little thank yous of daily life. If it is the habit of a clerk in the store we are inclined always to single out that particular clerk for our service. The little courtesies of life mean so much.

But this is only the outward expression of an inward grace. Faith is the real keynote to the spirit of thankfulness. The farmer reaches us a great lesson in the virtue as he plants row upon row, field after field, dropping the seeds into what seems to be cold earth, while the chill spring wind blows about him, he sings because he is thinking of the days of the harvest when these seeds will have brought forth food for his family. He gives thanks for the harvest even as he plants the seeds. This is true Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving should include more than gratitude for meat and potatoes food, clothes, and homes. Pilgrim fathers and mothers gave thanks for the privilege of living in a land of opportunity despite the fact that their daily living was surrounded by grave dangers. They were grateful for those experience in adversity which brought about achievements in living and in friendships which they had not hitherto known.

How much more we have to be thankful for today, living as we do in a paradise of a country and not the wilderness the Pilgrims found and with unlimited opportunities, modern comforts, freedom of worship, and the friendliness and neighborliness through the improved methods of communication.

By Edith Mobley

—C. P. H. S.—

City Slicker: "What does your son do?"

Farmer: "He is a bootblack in the city."

—C. P. H. S.—

City Slicker: So you raise hay while the son shines?"

Ovella: "Do you use tooth paste?"
Miss Jennings: "No, none of my teeth are loose."

—C. P. H. S.—

Buffaloes, We need another victory.
BEAT CLYDE?

Seniors' prayers before exams:
"Lord God of hosts be with us yet lest we forget, lest we forget."
Seniors prayer after exams:
"The Lord God of hosts was with us not,
For we forgot, for we forgot."

—C. P. H. S.—

SCHOOL
A prison does a school-room make no joy, no fun, but lessons to take, nothing to do but sit and regret that we have one year of high school yet.

—C. P. H. S.—

The Senior play committee met Tuesday afternoon to discuss and decide on a play which the Seniors will give soon.

—C. P. H. S.—

Buffaloes, Beat Clyde!

—C. P. H. S.—

Ticket Agent: — "Marie do you wish to go by Buffalo to New York?"
Marie: — "Certainly not. I want to go by train."

—C. P. H. S.—

H. H.: — "My father says that he thought nothing of studying five hours a night."

Peggy: — "Well, I don't think so much of it myself."

—C. P. H. S.—

Mr. Williams: "How do you sell eggs?"
Groceryman: "Four cents a piece for the good one and three cents for the cracked ones."

Mr. Williams: "Crack me a half dozen."

—C. P. H. S.—

Mr. Lipscomb: "How did they discover the idea for the vibrating machine?"
Maxine Hayrath: "Probably rode in a Freshman's flivver."

—C. P. H. S.—

Mildred Watson: "My dad was once on the stage."

Mr. Loving: "Yes, and my dad was once a back driver."

The Freshman Class has recently organized. The officers are:
President, Al Marchant.
Vice-President, Glen Glen Childs,
Secretary and Treasurer, Elizabeth McDermitt.

Social Committee, Mildred Watson,
Lowell Booth and Carlisle Stallings.
The Carnation was chosen for class flower.

The Class Motto is "We conquer by labor."
Miss Spencer is sponsor for the Freshmen.

—C. P. H. S.—

Child: "Mother, why doesn't dad have any hair on his head?"

Mother: That is because he uses his head so much.

Child: Then, mother, why do you have so much hair

Mother: Now, son, go eat your breakfast.

—C. P. H. S.—

Freshman: "I wish to marry your daughter."

Father: "Can you divorce her in a manner in which she wishes to become accustomed?"

—C. P. H. S.—

During the Freshman Class meeting Thursday, while Al Marchant was at the board taking nominations for the class color, Buel Woods suddenly exclaimed, "I nominate the color green. It is more suited."

—C. P. H. S.—

Mildred Foster: "I wonder where I got these dog hairs on my coat."
Ralph Nance: "Tuppy love, perhaps."

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favor of the Buffaloes.

The Buffaloes would plunge the line with all their strength gaining yardage every down. Now and then a pass was completed for a first down. The works of line plays and off tackle plays were continued until the ball was worked up to Desdemonia's own fifteen yard line. The Buffaloes lined up to the left with Sweetie Webb back. The ball was passed to Sweetie, who ran fifteen yards around left end for a second touchdown. The Buffaloes tried for the extra point but failed.

The rest of the first half was a hard fight with neither goal in danger.

At the beginning of the second half the Buffaloes came out on the field with renewed strength and full of pep. The ball was kicked off again by Cross Plains.

The Porkers opened up with passes. They had a wonderful passing system, but the husky boys who were backing up the line for old Cross Plains High, such as W. J. Sipes, Boots Harlow, Jack DeBusk and Sweetie Webb, would make short play out of their passes, although several were completed.

The entire second half was a better fight with neither goal in danger.

Ralph Chandler, one of the Buffaloes' hardest fighters, cut his leg very severely in Friday's game. He made a flying tackle at one of the dashing Porkers who was running close to the side line and hit the bumper of a car, but Ralph says he will be O. K. for Friday's game. We hope so because we can hardly do without Ralph.

The starting line up was:

**CROSS PLAINS LINE-UP
FOR LAST FRIDAY**

NAMES	POSITIONS
Kelly	R. End
R. Booth	R. Tackle
T. Webb	R. Guard
Sipes	Center
R. Watson	L. Guard
Graves	L. Tackle
Adams	L. End
E. Webb (C)	Q. Back
Harlow	F. Back
DeBusk	L. Half
Mayes	R. Half

The Substitutions were: H. McDermitt for R. Watson, P. Watson for V. Graves, R. Chandler for Kelly, O. Booth for R. Chandler, and Farr for C. Mayes.

The Buffaloes are training very hard this week for Friday's game with Clyde. But the game of all games, is Cross Plains vs. Rising Star, Nov. 27. Don't fail to see it.

Help boost the C. P. Buffaloes, and How.

Orba Booth

TERRACING PAYS, SAYS VOCATIONAL TEACHER

The Vocational Agricultural students of the Cross Plains High School have been making a thorough study of soil conservation and upbuilding.

They have studied the methods of soil losses, and have found that we lose our soil fertility by wind blowing away our surface soil; by leaching of the water carrying our fertility down into the soil to such a depth that our plant roots can not reach this food material; by surface washing or erosion, which on the average, takes away from one to two inches of our surface soil each year; and by loss of fertility through the removal of crops.

It is evident that we must stop this loss by some means and the class began the study of control measures.

It can be readily seen by the appearance of some of our fields that the worst enemy to our soils is that of erosion or surface washing. We found that we can entirely prevent or at least check to a great extent this great loss by terracing.

Terracing will also check our soils from blowing by holding moisture.

The question then arose as to the cost of terracing, and whether this cost would be prohibitive. It was found through the study of figures collected by the U. S. Department of Agriculture that the cost ranges from two to ten dollars per acre, depending upon the slope of the land, and the cost for land of the average slope around Cross Plains would be about two or three dollars per acre, provided all the work is hired to be done. Of course this cost is cut to practically nothing where the work is done by the owner of the farm.

The Agriculture Class is becoming proficient in terracing and are now ready to do terracing for the farmers of the community. If you have a field that you wish to be made a date with any member of the Agr Class or with the Vocational Teacher, Mr. R. J. Newton, and let this terracing work done as you need it.



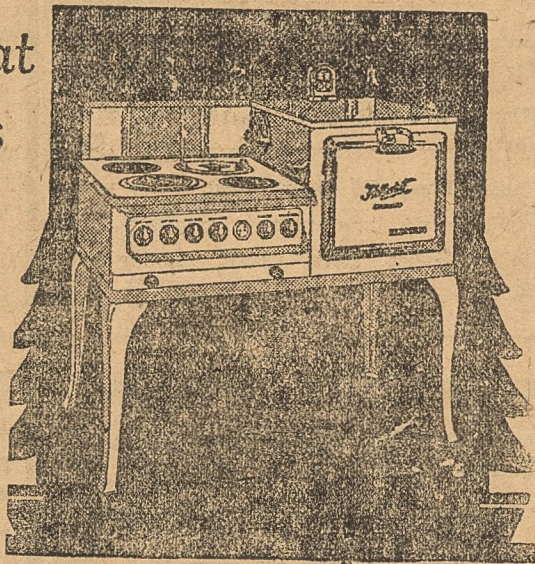
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NOVEMBER



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Beginning Friday, Nov. 22nd

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Now is the time of the year to lay in your supply of winter needs in clothing, men's, young men's and boys' suits, over-coats, top coats, wool shirts, sweaters, extra pants, shoes, and work clothing. Wool goods, blankets, outings, shirtings, domestics and many other staples—listed below. Also our Ready-to-wear Dept. is complete throughout, with many new hats, coats and dresses. Now we again earnestly request that you pay us a visit during this big event, so you may see there is only one way to really appreciate big values—and that is to see them. You will find Bargains in each department—Below we quote a few items and prices.

<p>Ladies and Misses Dresses</p> <p>25 Dresses, Values to \$19.75 for \$6.75 40 Dresses, Values to \$22.50 for \$13.75 Velvet Dresses, Values to \$42.50 for \$19.75 Other Dresses, Values to \$29.75 for \$16.75</p>	<p>Staples</p> <p>9-4 Garza Sheeting, Bleached and Brown, regular 60c Value—for 49c 10-4 Garza Sheeting, 65c Value—for 53c 9-4 Gibraltar Sheeting—for 35c 36-inch Domestic, bleached or Brown, a good soft finish—for 10c A Big Assortment of Gingham, regular 25c Values For 15c 36-inch Perfection Prints, Guaranteed fast colors, For 15c One Lot 27-inch Ginghams, all New Patterns For 7½c One Lot Peter-Pan Ginghams, a regular 50c Value, For 25c 36-inch Outing—Extra heavy, all new patterns Regular 25c Values—for 17½c</p>	<p>Men's Overcoats & Top Coats</p> <p>Over-Coats, \$29.75 Values—for \$22.95 Over Coats, \$27.50 Values—for \$19.95 Top Coats, \$27.50 Values—for \$22.75 Top Coats, \$25.00 Values—for \$19.75 Top Coats, \$22.50 Values—for \$17.95 Top Coats, \$17.50 Values—for \$14.45 One Lot Boys' Heavy all-wool Over-Coats, up to Sizes 38—\$15.00 Values \$9.00</p>	<p>Mens' All-Wool Trousers</p> <p>One lot up to \$6.50 Values—to close out— For \$2.50</p>
<p>Ladies Hats</p> <p>One Lot Hats, Values up to \$5.75—for \$1.00 One Lot Hats, to Close out \$1.95 Choice of all Pattern Hats \$5.95</p>	<p>Blankets</p> <p>Sizes 66x80, all double Blankets, \$5.00 Values For \$4.39 Blankets, \$3.75 Values \$2.98 Blankets, \$2.25 Values \$1.75 Blankets, \$9.00 Values \$7.45 Blankets, \$13.50 Values \$10.95 Blankets, \$15.00 Values \$12.75</p>	<p>Men's Work Clothes</p> <p>Horse-hide Coats, Blanket lined, Regular \$11.00 Values—for \$9.95 Heavy Corduroy Sheep Lined Coats, regular \$11.00 Values—for \$7.95 Heavy Khaki Sheep-lined Coats, regular \$11.00 Values—for \$7.95 Heavy Blanket-lined and Slicker-lined, water proof, \$4.50 Values \$3.95 Heavy Khaki Blanket lined Coats, regular \$3.50 Values—for \$3.15</p>	<p>Boys' All-Wool Trousers</p> <p>Boys All Wool Trousers, sizes 8 to 17, short pants, To Close out—choice 85c</p>
<p>Ladies and Misses Coats</p> <p>A Big Reduction on all Coats. One lot up to \$19.75 value—for \$9.75</p>	<p>Victor Special Towels</p> <p>A Good heavy knap, size 40x42, a regular 35c value, For 25c A big School Tablet, 200 pages, 3 tablets, for 10c</p>	<p>Mens' and Boys' Sweaters</p> <p>Heavy Shaker Knit Coat style, assorted colors \$3.95 Values—for \$2.95 Assorted Colors, \$3.50 Values—for \$2.75 Assorted Colors, \$1.95 Values—for \$1.69 Assorted Colors, \$1.75 Values—for \$1.39</p>	<p>Boys' All-Wool Suits</p> <p>Knee Pants, all sizes, from 8 years up, Values up to \$15.00—for \$3.50</p>
<p>Ladies Slippers</p> <p>A Large Assortment, good styles, pumps, straps oxfords and arch support shoes, to go at \$2.95</p>	<p>Hotel Special Sheets</p> <p>Size 81x90 seamless, a good \$1.25 Value For 95c</p>	<p>Mens' Gray Chambray Shirts</p> <p>Coat style, tripple stitched, two pocket, a good \$1.00 Value 69c Mix-Wool Shirts, \$1.85 Values \$1.45 All Wool Shirts, \$2.50 Values \$1.95 All Wool Shirts, \$4.00 Values \$2.95 All Wool Shirts, \$3.50 Values \$2.75</p>	<p>Mens' and Boys' Dress Caps</p> <p>A Good Cap, and a good assortment of patterns, up to \$1.95 Values, while they last—choice 95c</p>
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<p>Bed Spreads</p> <p>Sizes 81x108—Regular \$7.50 and \$8.00 Values For \$6.95 Sizes 80x105—Regular \$3.75 Values \$2.89 Sizes 80x105—Regular \$5.50 Values \$4.69 Sizes 80x105—Regular \$1.95 Values \$1.65 Sizes 80x90—Regular \$1.25 Values 95c</p>			<p>Mens' all cotton winter weight Union Suits, up to \$1.50 Values 98c Boys' heavy Union Suits, now 73c</p>
			<p>Small Boys' wool Jersey Suits, \$2.95 Values For \$2.25 \$1.95 Values \$1.49 \$1.45 Values 95c</p>
			<p>Toilet Goods Department</p> <p>Norda Face Powder, \$1.00 Value 35c Mavis Talcum Powder, 25c Value 19c LaOma Talcum Powder, 1 lb. cans 19c Mavis Lemon and Almond Cream 39c Forhans Tooth Paste 45c Colgate Tooth Paste, large size 23c Machine Needles for practically all machines, will Sell at 5c One Lot Silk Thread, all colors, to close out at 5c</p>

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LAST YEAR'S COTTON EXCEEDED THIS CROP

According to report received this week from Ben L. Russell, special agent Department of Commerce at Baird, Callahan county has ginned 6,222 bales of cotton prior to Nov. 1, 1929, as compared with 8,187 for the same period last year, a difference of 1,965 bales.

"RIO RITA" AT PALACE, CISCO

A new and mighty era in eye-ear entertainment opens at the PALACE THEATER, CISCO, starting Sunday, December 1st, where "RIO RITA" will have its first showing. Without a doubt this audifilm version of the famous Ziegfeld musical success is destined to write a new and glowing page in the history of the screen. Prolonged applause gave the verdict of the fans. Not only is it laden with beauty, color, mystery, intrigue, drama and action, but it serves to introduce Bebe Daniels to the screen as possessor of a voice that promises to take her far in the new screen medium-talking and singing pictures. As a picture "RIO RITA" should fire the world with enthusiasm even greater than did the Ziegfeld stage production. You will hear John Boles sing and better than he was in Desert Song, and That's saying a whole lot. Nevertheless he will be heard, as will 100 singing girls in the chorus. While in New York singing with the big musical comedy show, "The Very Idea," he was caught up by the Warner Bros. and contracted to sing in the "Desert Song," and so here he is again, and how glad are we to know that we have a Texas lad in the movies.

J. H. McGowen of Baird visited with his son, Dr. McGowen, Saturday.

Fred Outbirth made a business trip to Fort Worth last week.

L. Blake McLaughlan of Cross Cut was in Cross Plains Monday.

Mrs. M. A. Newton of Burkett was in Cross Plains Monday.

CHRISTMAS WRAPPING PAPER— at Review Office

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gwin of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Westerman the middle of this week.

A. A. Williamson of Jones county visited the latter part of the past week with his father, J. H. Williamson, and family.

GREETING CARDS— at Review Office

Paul Harrell was in Brownwood Monday.

Mrs. Louis Helms was a Coleman visitor Saturday.

Freddie Alexander was in Baird Sunday.

Will exchange Drug Store Fixtures, \$1600—Merchandise \$1200—for farm of equal value. Box 97—Cross Cut, Texas.

P. S. Grogenski of Fort Worth was in town Saturday.

Claude Clark of Brownwood was in town one day last week.

E. M. Howard was in Fort Worth this past week-end.

E. R. Haught of Cross Cut attended Masonic Lodge here last week.

Earnest Byrd of Cross Cut was a Cross Plains visitor Saturday.

F. M. Windom of Byrds was in town Saturday, on business.

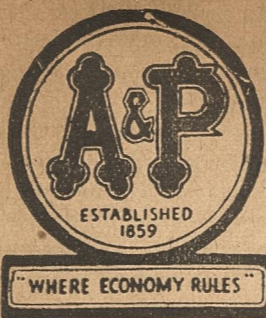
Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jackson and children were Coleman visitors Saturday evening.

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WHISKERS

By JOE SAPPINGTON.

In my opinion the board of health is making a mistake in trying to dispense with its citizens' whiskers by law, for experience teaches me that the native American will allow no law to monkey with his beard, no matter how many microbes it contains.

Ten years ago I had a flowing red beard that was the very apply of my eye, and I would be wearing whiskers today and scattering microbes right and left if there was a law prohibiting my wearing them. Moral suasion did for my whiskers what all the laws on earth could not have done, and if Texas were to pass a law tomorrow saying that no male citizen of the state should wear a beard, I would immediately throw my razor in the well and never shave as long as that law remained un repealed. My wife tried to coerce and brow beat me into cutting off my whiskers for ten long years before I parted with them, and absolutely failed to have any influence with me. She used to make all manner of fun of my beard and played all sorts of pranks on them, such as trying knots in them and plating

them with ribbon while I slept. But the meanest trick she ever played on them was the time she dyed them a deep sea green with Diamond dye while I was deep in slumber. Just before she dyed my whiskers, I had my head shaved to keep my hair from falling out and no one who has never seen a man with hairless head and a bushy green beard can appreciate my style of beauty the morning after she dyed them. Of course she thought I would cut them off in order to get rid of the fast green color she had dyed them, but she was mistaken, as her drastic measures caused me to cling the closer to them. After she saw that I was not going to cut them off, she then begged me to let her dye them back to their natural color, but I positively refused and went about my affairs as usual, while the public gazed at me in open-eyed wonder.

The next Sunday after my whiskers were dyed I went to Sunday school and my appearance caused so much merriment among the children that some of the teachers came around to where I was sitting and got me to go

home.

I clung to my beard three years after they had been dyed, notwithstanding the many devices that my wife and friends concocted to make me cut them off. I have received no telling how many anonymous letters asking me what I would take for my whiskers, and I know that I received in the ten years in which I wore them at least two hundred comic valentines that referred to my beard. It took my wife and the public all these years to see that I could not be made to give up my whiskers, for the more they tried to force me the closer I clung to them, and if they had not held up the wind would be sighing and singing through them to this good day.

My wife after so long a time, seeing that I could not be driven loose from them, tried moral suasion and took me by the hand and talked to me with tears in her eyes. She said my whiskers belonged to me and I had a perfect right to wear them if I wanted to, but they were red and shaggy and were forever getting in my soup and

milk. She finally broke down and cried as if her heart would break and said between her sobs that if I would cut them off she would make the fires every morning for a year and go without a spring hat. Her gentle pleading accomplished in ten minutes what she had failed to do by force in ten years, for no sooner had she offered to make the fires and go without a spring hat than my heart was touched and I yielded up my whiskers and have not worn them from that day to this.

In my candid opinion, if Kansas passes a law requiring the cutting off of its citizens' whiskers, there will be bloodshed, for in all the world is no place where whiskers are held in such high esteem or where they grow more luxuriantly than in the Sunflower state.

Just think what an awful time the officers of that state would have in trying to enforce its whisker law. In my mind's eye I can see a Kansas constable approaching a long whiskered populist farmer, with a capias profine in one hand and a pair of

The Kansas board of health will ask the next legislature of that state to enact a law prohibiting the wearing of whiskers, as it claims the average populistic beard contains the germs of every disease that man or beast is heir to, from the bubonic plague down to spraddles in your chickens.

It is not intention to enter into the whisker politics of Kansas, as I am not a citizen of that state, nor never expect to be as long as I can get a toe hold on any other part of North America; but as an American citizen and one who once owned a flowing beard I feel it my duty to express my opinion in the matter.

In the first place, I want to put myself right with the Kansas health officers, as I heartily agree with them in their diagnosis of the "germy" condition of the Kansas whiskers, but I disagree with them in the method to be employed in getting rid of them.

scissors in the other and hear him demand in the name of the tangled whiskers of said populist. By the same stretch of imagination I can also see the farmer as he lands on said constable's jaw as he stretches forth his jonoelastic hand to seize this beard.

If such a law is ever passed the country press of that state will teem with such local happenings as the following:

"Bill Hodges, our brave and efficient constable, happened to quite a painful accident last Wednesday while in the discharge of his official duty. He had gone over to Uncle Abner Sander's who lives on Big Muddy, to trim Uncle Abner's bear as the law requires, but while trimming them, in some unknown way he got two fingers of his right hand in Uncle Abner's warm, moist mouth and not having any other business on hand just at that time he proceeded to "chaw" on Bill's digits until the hired man came and choked him off. On account of it being the fingers of the right hand that were chewed—the hand that Bill uses his scissors in cutting whiskers—it will be quite awhile before he will resume operations."

Poor old bleeding Kansas, she will keep on passing fool laws until it will finally be a misdemeanor for a man to kiss his wife or wear knee sprung "breeches" in public.

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