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# The Cross Plains Review

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

VOL. XXV 8 PAGES THIS WEEK CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, "When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game" FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1934 5c PER COPY No. 20

## TWO DAY PICNIC SET JULY 19 AND 20

### HOME TOWN GOSSIP

We are reliably informed that the attractive little drygoods clerk at Higginbothams is about to surrender to the "wooings" of "Shorty" Bronsen, of the Sinclair Prairie Company here. We may be telling tales out of school, but it is reputed that the date has already been set for the middle of August.

And speaking of weddings, some type of distinction is due Chas Webb and his bride of five days. They tripped up to Hyman's altar at Brady Sunday at the regular Sunday morning service before a crowd of 300. A noon day meal was spread at the church, for which the entire congregation—including the newly-weds—remained. That's the greatest number of people we ever heard of attending a "wedding feast."

Taylor Bond played a nasty trick on his buddy Ci Neeb the past week. He caught the local banker looking off and spread limburger cheese in his hair, as if he were merely in act of admiring his greying locks.

Ci failed to notice the incident and several minutes thereafter placed on his hat and ambled off to a local hotel for lunch. During the meal everyone looked at his neighbor accusingly. Upon leaving Ci noticed that the abusive odor was coming from under his hat. He removed it to find himself the blunt end of a very practical joke.

Being in Fort Worth Sunday morning the pastor of these phrases strolled out to church to see the nine year old son of Pretty Boy Floyd's baptised. The tabernacle was crowded to capacity and hundreds of others 'peeped in' at windows.

The little chap—Jack Dempsey Floyd—is unusually attractive. He was not in the least frightened at the vast audience that sat breathlessly as he was lowered into the baptistry, nor did the constant flickering of news-reel and newspaper cameras disturb him during the service.

This column has always held Joe Lilly—an erstwhile citizen of the Sabanno community—in highest esteem, but our affection for the gentleman was increased Monday afternoon when we were presented with a nice "mess" of new potatoes from the Lilly garden, evidencing the fact that this country might prove strong competition for Idaho in the spud market.

Thank's Joe.

Some fellow is always taking the joy out of life. Here we have been figuratively chaining ourself to the desk and laboriously discharging our duties despite the sultry heat. And now, along comes Zip Hendrix with a seven pound bass caught at the country club lake. It is incidentally, the largest bass ever landed from that place.

Mercy me, seeing a fish like that and dreaming of the cool, refreshing breeze that sweeps the water's edge it is a difficult task to remain cooped up in a country newspaper office. If you don't think so, try it sometime.

This column's ability as a prophet has been demonstrated time and again, concerning football games, markets and political results, but last week it received the brightest feather in its ornamental tobaggan. The opening lines of this column petitioned for a rain. The ad was answered by twice. First, with a good shower Saturday and another Sunday. Yes suh, it pays to advertise and to read the ads.

## Aged Cross Cut Couple Beaten By Bandit

### SEVERAL ARE HELD IN BROWNWOOD JAIL NO CHARGES FILED

A robber who entered the home of Mrs. Lige DeBusk, 82, at Cross Cut early Wednesday morning beat her and Mrs. Abbie Hounshell, 83, who also resides there, seriously about the head with a revolver and escaped with \$40.

Mrs. DeBusk was most seriously injured, however, she is expected to recover. Mrs. Hounshell's hurts were painful but only minor.

The aged couple retired about 10 o'clock Tuesday night to separate bedrooms, where they were accustomed to sleeping. The robber gained entrance into the home through a window and attacked Mrs. DeBusk while she slept. She was struck seven times on the head by a revolver, one of the blows breaking a handle from the weapon. The bandit looted \$40 from the mattress of Mrs. DeBusk's bed.

Several are being held at Brownwood in connection with the case, however, no charges were not immediately filed and no names were available. Officers were reported Thursday morning to be tracing another angle, besides that followed in arresting those now held at Brownwood.

### Hears Cries

Mrs. Hounshell heard the cry: "Oh! they're beating me to death", and rushed to Mrs. DeBusk's room, only to be met at the door by a man with a revolver and a flashlight. She was felled by two blows on the head.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunter, who live just across the road from the aged couple, heard their cries and rushed to the scene. When they arrived, however, the robber had escaped out the window where he first gained entrance. Both of the elderly ladies were prostrated when the Hunters arrived. Mrs. Hounshell was unconscious but Mrs. DeBusk had just "come to" and crawled to the door to let her neighbors in.

### Find Clues

Officers investigating the case Wednesday morning found tracks, where the man had crawled on all fours to the window, in making his entrance and also tracks where he had fled through the yard and into a field at the rear of the house upon leaving.

Bloodstained finger prints at Mrs. DeBusk's bed and at the window through which he escaped, also revealed that the man wore gloves.

Little Miss Mary Elizabeth Thompson, of Dallas, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson here this week.

Miss Ava Walker has returned home from Lubbock.

### Picnic Booster Trip Will Be Made Over This Territory By 100 Tuesday

The story of the fifty first annual Cross Plains picnic will be carried to residents of this section Tuesday by a delegation of local boosters. 100 people in 25 automobiles have stated they will go.

The party will leave Cross Plains at eight thirty Tuesday morning. The itinerary follows: Arrive at Pioneer at 8:30, at Sabanno 8:50,

### Issac Walton Club To Be Formed Here

Fishermen of this section are being urged to be present at the Phil Pe Co country club lake Monday evening at seven o'clock, at which time a local chapter of Sir Isaac Walton Leaguers will be organized. A representative of the state organization will be present to assist in formulating the organization, which is to be composed of at least 25 members from Cross Plains, Pioneer and Rising Star.

"Every man, woman or child, believing in the principals of the Isaac Walton League is invited to be present", said W. F. Burris, of Pioneer, who is assisting in the organization of the chapter.

### LONG ILLNESS IS FATAL TO MOTHER OF 2 LOCAL MEN

Mrs. J. F. Kile, 67, died at her home in Coleman shortly after four o'clock Wednesday morning. She had been ill since Christmas. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon and interment was made in the Santa Anna cemetery.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Kile is survived by nine children. They are: A. D. Calhoun, both of Cross Plains; Mrs. John Montgomery, Georgetown; Mrs. Henry Crabb, Coleman; Oscar Calhoun, Coleman; Mrs. Ira DuBois, Valera; Jason Kile, Ozona and Mrs. Otto Redding, Coleman.

Mrs. Kile was born in Mississippi but came to Texas in her childhood with her parents settling in Bell county. She moved to Coleman county in 1906.

### WHEELER RESIGNS LOCAL SCHOOL JOB

William V. Wheeler, Science and Business Administration instructor in Cross Plains high school for the past three years, tendered his resignation to the board of trustees in regular session Monday night. Wheeler told the Review that he had accepted a position in Albany high school.

Wheeler will make the second teacher in Cross Plains schools the past year to accept places at Albany. Garland (Goober) Keyes is athletic mentor there.

### Local Woman Has Major Operation

Mrs. J. S. Harlow entered the Sealy Hospital, at Santa Anna this week where she was scheduled to undergo a major kidney operation yesterday. No report of her condition was available at "press time" Thursday.

### 51 Year Old Cross Plains Picnic Pre-Dates All In This Section

The scene has changed many times in Cross Plains since residents of this locality met on the banks of Turkey Creek in the summer of 1883 for the first annual Cross Plains picnic. The town has moved and hardly a score of citizens present at that initial celebration yet survive. Through 'good years' and 'bad ones' the picnic has gone on, being staged 50 consecutive times, and is now entitled to the laurel of the "oldest celebration of its kind in West Central Texas."

### 2 ELECTIONS FACE LOCAL VOTERS IN NEXT TWO WEEKS

Two elections within the next two weeks confront Cross Plains voters. June 30 citizens of this justice precinct will ballot upon the issue of 3.2 beer. Then July seventh voters of this commissioner's precinct will express their desire in regard to authorizing the commissioners court to issue warrants to pay for right-of-way and fencing on highway 36 toward Abilene.

The beer election was ordered after the Attorney General's department ruled that all precincts in Callahan county, except the Baird precinct, were legally dry, due to the fact that they were dry even before the county voted dry more than 20 years ago. The road election was called after no other method of paying for right-of-way and fencing on highway 36 toward Abilene has been found.

### BURKETT WOMAN IS BURIED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Herman Thate, Sr., 61, was laid to rest in the Burkett cemetery Wednesday afternoon. She succumbed in a Santa Anna hospital Tuesday night. Funeral services were conducted by Minister J. P. Salyer, Church of Christ pastor.

Mrs. Thate is survived by her husband, two sons, Arlie and Herman, Jr., one grand child, Arlie Thate; and two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Woodriddle, of Brownwood, and Mrs. John Lewis, of Burkett. Mrs. Thate had been ill for several months, however, her condition did not become grave until several days ago. She was a life long member of the Church of Christ, having obeyed the gospel at the age of 18.

### 20 MONTH OLD SON OF FORMER LOCAL COUPLE INTERRED AT WESLACO

Word has been received here of the death and burial of Marvin Lee Triplett, 20 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Triplett, of Weslaco, June 11. Both Mr. and Mrs. Triplett are former residents of Cross Plains. He formerly lived at Cross Cut and Mrs. Triplett is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Smith, formerly of this place, and a grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith.

The child was rushed to an Edinburg hospital for an emergency appendix operation, from which he succumbed two days later. Burial was made in the Weslaco cemetery with hundreds of friends of the family and deceased child gathered to pay their last respects.

Charles F. Hemphill has been named Trip Supervisor. Dr. J. H. McGowan will make a few brief remarks at each stop.

### \$15,000. IS PAID CALLAHAN FARMERS IN COTTON CHECKS

\$15,000 in federal government cotton checks are being received by Callahan county farmers this week. County Agent Ross B. Jenkins was in Cross Plains Wednesday afternoon and left \$3,000 for farmers of this locality.

500 checks out of the 800 plow up contracts were received in the allotment this week. The other 240 will be here by the middle of next week, Mr. Jenkins predicted. The checks were for the first half of the rental payment. Other payment will come after the land is measured in July or August. The last, a parity payment, probably will be made in December.

The checks were made separately to each person signing the acreage reduction contract, with tenant and landlord sharing equally in the payment.

Among those receiving the checks here Wednesday afternoon, or whose drafts are now available at the Citizens State Bank, were: P. Smith, Joe Clark, Martin Jones, H. L. Harris, Howard Wilson Neeb, L. O. Payne, Mrs. M. J. Duncan, Charlie Smith, Tom Lee, Victor Barley, A. D. Smith, F. B. Long, Riley McKinney, E. I. Vestal, W. L. Jennings, Cecil Mayes, Henry Williams, Leah Bowden, Nat Williams, R. L. Penny, Ben Atwood, Estah Johnson, Oscar McDermott, George Baum, Vernon Spencer, Ed Henderson, H. A. Childers, Floyd Odell, O. M. White, L. W. Renfro, A. G. Foster, Jodie Edington, W. T. Wilson, Jeff Clark, Claude Morris, M. G. Trent, J. O. Williams, Earl Smith, S. O. Montgomery, A. H. McCord, Willie C. Klutts, Ada Estella Barr, John C. Freeman, L. W. Coppinger, E. K. Coppinger, J. W. Jordan, William Steele, Clairance R. Steele, Mrs. J. E. Crockett, Loyd Montgomery, G. C. Steele, Ernest Riggs, Fonia Worthy, John Barr, Willie Harlow, Willis Brown, John Swafford, A. Swafford, Mrs. S. P. Cong, G. W. Lee, S. J. Smith, W. P. Brightwell, L. Jackson, Fred Cutbirth, D. C. Hargrove, Robert McKinney, J. C. Teague, J. M. Potter.

Mrs. Carmen Wright spent Tuesday in Ranger visiting with friends and her daughter Mrs. Odell Cole.

### Advertising Gets Results; Weather Man Reads Review

Advertising gets results! Last week in the Home Town Gossip column the Review carried this advertisement: "WANTED: A good gully washing rain, no 'flake out' showers need apply."

Saturday—after the paper had been out one day—a blanket of moisture fell over the Cross Plains trade territory. The following afternoon a good rain fell here, which measured more than one inch.

### LARGE ENTRY LIST EXPECTED FOR 2ND GOLF TOURNAMENT

One of the largest fields ever to enter a West Texas golf tournament is expected here for the opening of the second annual Phil Pe Co country club invitation, which swings into progress Friday and will continue through Sunday afternoon. At least five flights are expected, the Review learned yesterday.

Winners of all flights including a consolation flight will be announced at the club house Sunday afternoon.

M. S. Sellers, general tournament chairman, announced the following prizes yesterday. A large silver cup to the winner of the tournament.

A large silver cup to the medalist of the tournament. Leather golf bags to the runner-up of the first flight and to the winners of the second and third flights. Gladstone bag to the runner-up of the second flight.

Winners and runners-up of other flights, including all consolation flights, will be awarded suitable prizes, such as golf balls, bags, and other golfing equipment. The winner of the drivin contest will be awarded a box of golf balls.

A barbecue and calcutta pool are carded at the club house Friday night. Entrance tickets are on sale at a number of local places, well as in Pioneer and Risini Star, for this function.

Mr. Sellers said yesterday that the following West Texas aces had signified their intentions of competing in the tournament.

Sheridan Newman and D. A. Harkrider, from the Brady club, Harkrider is the winner of the Ranger tournament of a few weeks ago. O. V. Cunningham, Homer Slicker, T. L. Cagle, O. L. Stamey, and Bill McMahon, of Cisco, McMahon was medalist in the 1933 Philpeco play.

H. H. Vaughn, James Smith, Sam Brimberry, Gid Faircloth and Houston Cole, from Ranger, Faircloth (Continued on page 8)

### PROMISE GREATEST AMUSEMENT DOCKET IN EVENT'S HISTORY

Cross Plains fifty first annual picnic and golden jubilee celebration will be a two day affair—crowded with attractions—instead of three days as previously announced, the committee in charge of arrangements said Tuesday night. The days set are July 19 and 20.

At the meeting of the arrangement committee plans were formulated to entertain the largest crowd in the history of the celebration. Attractions and amusements for the picnic this year will be virtually the same as last, with possibly a few added numbers, the Review was told.

### Free Rodeos

Free rodeos both in the afternoon and night, free base ball games both days, carnival attractions, basket dinner and political speaking will vie for the highlights of the program.

Cecil A. Lotief and Paul V. Harrell, who are handling the political end of the celebration, state that they have received acceptances from a number of state candidates to be here, as well as virtually all district, county, and precinct office seekers. Microphones will be placed on the ground to insure hearing for the audience, regardless of its size. Seats will be arranged near the speakers platform.

Two carnivals are negotiating for the right to "play" here during the picnic. Both are reputed to have good shows, with all rides, shows and attractions popularly priced. Rodeo arrangements were getting underway yesterday and promoters of that end of the celebration assured that they were going to stage an attraction that would best any other thing on the grounds. There will be no admission charge for the rodeo.

Baseball games both at by the fastest teams in the nation will be another of the attractions. The schedule yet been worked out. It announced in an early issue publication.

### Open With Parade

For the first time in recent—if not in history—the celebration will be officially opened with a parade this year. The parade form on North Main Street at 8 o'clock the first morning of picnic and progress to the picnic grounds.

"We're going to advertise the fifty first Cross Plains picnic to the four corners of Texas and we urgently solicit all friends of the celebration to do their bit in reminding their neighbors of the dates and urging everyone to come for a day of real pleasure, declares the committee in charge of arrangements.

A number of special attractions which were being planned last night had been completed at "press time" and consequently the Review was unable to learn the remainder of the program.

### LITTLE DAUGHTER OF D. F. MERRYMANS IS LAID TO LAST REST

Little Lois Imogene Merryman, age 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Merryman of Echo, died June 11 and was buried in the Burkett cemetery. She is survived by her parents, 2 brothers and five sisters. Uncles of the child were pall bearers and little friends were flower girls.

Mrs. Henry Wittmer has returned home after a two week visit with her sister in Fort Worth.

### Best Selling Novel "Trail's End" Begins In Today's Issue Review

Every heart has its secrets. They are locked in the heart and the key thrown away. The heart holds memories better forgotten—tears, bitterness, regrets, a radiant smile or two.

Doubly careful was Anne Cushing, as she called herself, that the key to her past would never be found. Watchful of every word, mistrustful of every stranger—yet the gathering momentum of circum-

stantial evidence tore open the gateway to the secret passages of her yesterdays.

Would Barry understand? Barry, the only man who meant anything—who meant EVERYTHING.

This dramatic novel of love and hate by Agnes Louise Provost, author of the bestseller "Honeymoon Wife" starts in today's Review. The story will be published each week. Begin today. Don't miss an installment.

### LIBERTY OFFERS 3 CHOICE BOOKINGS FOR COMING WEEK

Billings at the Liberty theater here for the next seven days were announced yesterday by W. A. Beavers, manager. Now showing is "Midshipman Jack", with Bruce Cabot, Florence Lake, John Darrow, Betty Furness, Frank Albertson and others. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday; "Midnight", featuring Sidney Fox, O. P. Heggie, Henry Hull and Margaret Wycherly. Wednesday and Thursday; "A Crown of Thorns", based on the famous religious classic. The picture depicts the births, life, death and resurrection of Christ.

"Midnight," originally a Theatre Guild play, tells the story of a man father, of a family, who believes in upholding the law. Appointed jury foreman in the trial of a murderess, he asks the woman a single vital question. Her answer results in a verdict of "guilty." Then public opinion rises against the foreman for his part in convicting the woman. He is harassed by reporters. Even the sympathies of his younger daughter are with the murderess.

On the night of the execution—which is set for midnight—the foreman sits at home, surrounded by his family. The impending execution preys on his mind. The

situation grows increasingly tense as the clock ticks off the minutes. Outside the house, reporters battle with police. Then suddenly events take place which completely turn the tables. They make you gasp and wonder.

"Midshipman Jack" employs varied Naval equipment and men of all ranks. Twelve seaplanes and nine submarine chasers manned by crack Annapolis men, including tars, ensigns, captains and commandants, are used in the thrilling naval manoeuvres. The climactic sequence depicts a head-on crash between a plane and sub-chasers in full motion, in which the navy men participated, but the equipment for the RKO Radio pictures purchased independently.

The story, by Frank Wead and F. McGrew Willis, was adapted from an original yarn Christy Cabanne who directed "Midshipman Jack." It revolves about the romantic actionful adventure of Jack Austin who is placed on probation when he sneaks out of barracks after Taps to make love to his superior's daughter. He is reported and placed on probation. He violates his testing period when he would rather accept than see a friend punished for causing a collision between a plane and boat.

Cabot plays the title role in "Midshipman Jack", with Betty Furness opposite. Frank Albertson, John Darrow, Margaret Seddon, Purnell Pratt and Arthur and Florence Lake enact the supporting roles.



WARSAW, Ind. . . J. D. Pettinger (above), veteran Warsaw policeman who was overpowered by bandit John Dillinger and a companion in the early hours. They escaped with four bullet-proof vests and two pistols after the surprise raid.

### WATER FROLICS TO BE HIGH LIGHT OF SCOUT ENCAMPMENT

Swimming and Life Saving tests are to be featured at Camp Tonkawa this summer with all water activities taking place in a beautiful concrete pool.

The best swimming in West Texans will be afforded the Scouts who register for Camp Tonkawa which opens July 8 and continues for two weeks.

The American Red Cross will send two representatives to camp to supervise all swimming activities. These men will be Eagle Scouts Alton Witten of Coleman and Davis Scarborough of Abilene.

The advanced Junior and Senior Life Saving tests will be given by the Red Cross Examiners. Last year at the Council camp 8 passed the Beginners test, 16 passed Junior Life Saving and 12 passed the senior Life saving.

Water polo is a favorite sport at Camp Tonkawa. On special days exhibitions of diving and life saving rescue work will be given by the Scouts.

Scouts are urged to register at once for Camp Tonkawa which is the adult supervised camp of the Chisholm Trail Council July 8-22.

### BURKETT

Sarah Mae Hounshell Earl Brown, Buddy Oliver, and Fayette Wright attended the ball game at Cross Cut Sunday afternoon.

Raymond Copeland and Velon Ragland of Matador are visiting Mrs. Alice Copeland this week.

Mrs. Maury Hill and children of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Mrs. T. A. Burns and Mrs. W. M. Newton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry of San Angelo visited in the home of Mrs. T. A. Burns and Mrs. W. M. Newton several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Harris of Coleman spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gould of Hale Center are spending this week with Mr. Issac Neff and family.

Mrs. J. G. Saunders of Cross Plains spent Sunday afternoon with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bullock spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives and friends in Glen Cove.

Mrs. Earl Baker and children of Ozona spent Thursday night in the home of C. D. Baker.

Mrs. Cecil Gains of Cross Cut spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wooten.

Miss Lora Gilliam of Comanche is spending a couple of weeks with her sister Mrs. Jack Boyle.

Tommie Allen of San Antonio is spending this week with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wesley and Mrs. Will McAnally and sons Viron and Raymond spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newman of Merkel.

John Windfou and family of Dragon Ariz., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Adams and Mrs. Sam Porter.

Mr and Mrs L. M. Cole spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cole of Bangs.

Mr and Mrs. George Brown spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Blanket.

Miss Cleeta James of Trickham is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cole.

Miss Willie May Gaines of Cross Cut spent Sunday with Miss Estlene Wooten.

Mr. and Mrs. Franz Freeman of Cross Plains spent Sunday after-

### U. S. Open Golf Champ



PHILADELPHIA . . . Olin Dutra (above), giant Californian, crashed through to the U. S. National Golf Championship in the 38th annual playing of the classic. Ill and playing under great physical strain Dutra came from behind in the final day to nose out Gene Sarazan by one stroke.

noon with Misses Mildred Newton and Dorothy Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Linton Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Joe Burton and family of Thirift.

Mrs. W. C. Walker has just returned from a two weeks visit with her daughter Mrs. J. F. Jones of Bonham, Texas.

### VARICOSE VEINS Healed By New Method

No operations nor injections. No enforced rest. This simple home treatment permits you to go about your business as usual—unless, of course, you are already so disabled as to be confined to your bed. In that case, Emerald Oil acts so quickly to heal your leg sores, reduce any swelling and end all pain, that you are up and about again in no time. Just follow the simple directions and you are sure to be helped. Your druggist won't keep your money unless you are.

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'27 Buick, ice boxes, refrigerator, and household furniture, etc.  
Mrs. Tom Anderson, 2tnp

Mrs. Sam Long and Miss Pauline Payne visited in Moran over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ratchko and Mrs. Nina Orell spent the day where she underwent an operation. in Burkett Sunday.

### YOU CAN BANK ON THIS

By C. C. NEEB

PAUL REVERE'S FAMILY NAME WAS RIVOIRE— HE WAS THE THIRD SON OF APPOLOS RIVOIRE, WHO CAME TO BOSTON FROM GERMANY— THE NAME WAS LATER CHANGED TO REVERE

THE "TERRITORY OF JEFFERSON" LATER BECAME WHAT IS NOW THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Our Service and Facilities Are Always at the Command of the Housewife . . . Command Us!

## Southwest Gas Co.

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- Announcements**
- \* The Cross Plains Review is \*  
\* authorized to announce the fol- \*  
\* lowing candidates for the re- \*  
\* spective offices, subject to the \*  
\* action of the 1934 Democratic \*  
\* primaries. \*  
\* For Representative 107th \*  
\* Florial District: \*  
\* CECIL A. LOTIEF \*  
\* E. M. (Ed) CURRY \*  
\* D. L. (Donald) Kinnaird \*  
\* For District Clerk: \*  
\* MRS. CORRIE DRISKEL \*  
\* MRS. FLORA NORDYKE \*  
\* MRS. WILL RYLEE \*  
\* For County Judge: \*  
\* L. B. LEWIS \*  
\* J. H. CARPENTER \*  
\* For Tax Assessor and Collector \*  
\* W. J. EVANS \*  
\* VERNON R. KING \*  
\* For County Clerk: \*  
\* S. E. SETTLE \*  
\* For County Treasurer: \*  
\* MRS. WILL MCCOY \*  
\* MISS ELISKA GILLILAND \*  
\* For County Superintendent: \*  
\* A. L. JOHNSON \*  
\* B. C. CHRISMAN \*  
\* W. G. (Gober) BLACK \*  
\* For Sheriff: \*  
\* ROBERT L. EDWARDS \*  
\* EVERETT (Ev) HUGHES \*  
\* For Commissioner Precinct 4: \*  
\* B. H. FREELAND \*  
\* JEFF CLARK \*  
\* F. F. CHAMPION \*  
\* For County Attorney: \*  
\* F. E. MITCHELL \*  
\* For Public Weigher: \*  
\* I. B. LOVING \*  
\* For Justice of Peace: \*  
\* W. C. ADAMS \*  
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High Quality GOODYEAR PATHFINDER FEATURES: New Quick-Stopping Center Traction Deep-Cut Tough Tread, Primed Sidewalls Goodyear Guarantee

DEPENDABLE GOODYEAR SPEEDWAY FEATURES: Center Traction Tough Thick Tread Full Over-size Goodyear Guarantee

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**GOODYEAR**

For 19 Years—The Largest Selling Tires

**Hi-Way Service Station**

# Social Activities

## "We Can Club" At Dressy Meets 29th

Members of the "We Can Club" of Dressy met at the Methodist church there Tuesday afternoon with 14 in attendance. Two new members were affiliated with the club at that time.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. C. D. Baird, June 29. The program arranged for that time follows. Parliamentary Law, Mrs. Lee Payne; Dialogue, Virginia Belle Baird, and Helen Johnson; "How I Keep Recipes Filed", Mrs. John Freeman; "Places for Keeping Clothing", Mrs. C. D. Baird. Members will answer roll call at the next meeting with a favorite recipe for jelly. Any and all ladies desirous of joining the club are cordially invited to attend the next meeting, the Review was told yesterday.

Miss Ruth Rumph, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Rumph, was returned home Wednesday night from the Graham Sanatorium, at Cisco, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is reported convalescing normally.

**BIRTHDAY STRIP**  
 \* The Review congratulates \*  
 \* the following this week upon \*  
 \* the occasion of the anniversary \*  
 \* sary of their birthday \*  
 \* Ida Nell Williams June 21 \*  
 \* Earline Freeman June 23 \*  
 \* Lorena Childs June 26 \*  
 \* Oliver Davis June 26 \*  
 \* Mrs. Murman McGowen 26 \*  
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## Esteele Lotief Is Feted On Birthday

Complimenting her daughter Estelle upon her seventh birthday, Mrs. Cecil A. Lotief entertained Thursday afternoon of last week. Games were enjoyed during the afternoon. Ballons were distributed as favors. Cake and punch were served to the following: Winnie Lou Nash, Fay Nash, Henry Armond Hemphill, Eugene Johnson, Dorthy Beavers, W. A. Beavers, Jr., Betty Jane Smith, Helen Freeman, Natalyn Williams, Margie Helms, Joan Kelly, Billie Doris Blich, Korky Davis, Bobbie Kelly, Pat McNeal, Jr.

## Mrs. R. B. McGowen Hostess To Friends

Mrs. R. B. McGowen entertained friends Wednesday afternoon of last week with two tables of bridge. Mrs. W. R. Lowe won high score.

Lemonade and waiters were served to Mesdames, Walter Clegg of Breckenridge; W. R. Lowe, Carmen Wright, Wilbur Wright, Ben Garner, Fred Burgin, Arthur Mitchell, Jack Scott and the hostess.

## ADVICE GIVEN COMAL H. D. CLUB BY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT

"Make brine to test—forty for making cucumber pickles, and keep it to forty for six weeks—to two months". Says Miss Gertrude Brent, H.D.A. at a club meeting held at the home of Mrs. L. A. Edington.

Miss Brent also gave a demonstration on making brine, and gave an interesting talk on making sweet-peach pickle and gave recipes for making them.

Ice cream and cake were served to ten members and four visitors. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bill Koenig June 28th.

## Local Man Wed To Brady Girl Sunday

Chois Webb, of Pioneer, and Miss Freda Jones, of Brady, were married at a church in the bride's home town Sunday morning at a regular sabbath service. Rev. George Durst officiated.

Mrs. Webb is the daughter of Rev. F. L. Jones, of near Brady. The groom is the son of Mrs. S. B. Webb, of Pioneer. The couple will make their home at Pioneer.

## Highest Ranking Mason in Texas Weds



Sam P. Cochran of Dallas, third ranking Mason in the United States and highest in Texas, and Miss Regina Urbish of Dallas were married this week. Mr. Cochran is 78 years old and his bride 20. The wedding, a surprise to friends and relatives of both parties, occurred at Durant, Okla., a few days after Mr. Cochran retired from the active management of the insurance firm of Trezevant & Cochran, ending a connection of fifty-three years. Mr. and Mrs. Cochran recently completed a lay course and were admitted to the bar. (Texas News Photos.)

## LARGE DELEGATION WILL MAKE "TRIP"

A petition circulated among Cross Plains merchants and professional men Wednesday afternoon indicated that the largest delegation ever to make a goodwill picnic booster trip would be in the party that leaves here Tuesday morning for a sojourn of the Cross Plains trade territory.

Practically every business institution in town indicated that they would have some member of the firm on the trip.

Charles F. Hemphill, tour director, told the Review that he had plans outline to make the trip systematic this year and cover the maximum amount of territory in the minimum amount of time.

The itinerary of the trip calls for the spreading of dinner "picnic style" at Camd Perry, just West of Clyde, shortly after 12 o'clock Tuesday noon.

Dr. J. H. McGowen, President of the Cross Plains Lions Club, said yesterday that the Lions would not meet next Tuesday due to the fact that virtually every member of the organization had signified he would be on the goodwill picnic booster trip.

## FORD ANNOUNCES PRICE REDUCTION

Reductions of \$10. to \$15. in list prices of 1934 Ford V-8 passenger cars and \$10. to \$20. in list prices of Ford V-8 commercial car and trucks were announced last week by the Ford Motor Company effective Friday, June 15.

The price reduction on the standard and de-luxe Tudor Sedans most popular individual models in point of sales is \$15. Prices of other standard and de luxe body types were reduced \$10. except prices of the Roadster, Phaeton and Cabriolet, de luxe types, which remain unchanged. Both standard and de luxe passenger car have the same V-8 engines and 112-inch wheelbase chassis. Body types for both are identical except for the de luxe equipment.

## PICNIC SCHEDULED AT ROWDEN TODAY

A barbecue and old fashioned picnic will be held at Rowden Friday, with candidates for precinct, county, district and state offices furnishing the chief entertainment with addresses in behalf of their candidacy.

## RHEUMATISM Pain—Agony Starts To Leave in 24 Hours Happy Days Ahead for You

Think of it—how this old world does make progress—now comes a prescription which is known to pharmacists as Allenru and within 48 hours after you start to take this swift acting formula pain, agony and inflammation caused by excess uric acid has started to depart. Allenru does just what this notice says it will do—it is guaranteed. You can get one generous bottle at leading drugstores everywhere for 35 cents and if it doesn't bring the joyous results you expect—your money whole heartedly returned.

# THE BOOK

the first line of which reads, "The Holy Bible," and which contains Four Great Treasures

## by BRUCE BARTON

It was assumed that when a woman married she took the gods of her husband; if he died and she must go back to her own people, she abandoned her husband's gods, and took theirs again. But when the ten tribes of Israel split away from the tribes of Judah and Benjamin, Jehovah did not go to either one or the other, but remained with both. His worship was often neglected, but in their hearts the people knew that He was still their God and always at the time of tribulation they threw down their idols and returned to Him.

The idea of One God—unseen and not to be worshipped in visible form—had been born in the world, and had taken firm hold upon human minds. This is the outstanding achievement of the Hebrews, the thing which gives the Old Testament eternal truth and inspiration.

In its total effect the Old Testament is a record of God's progressive revelation of Himself to men. This is the second element in its greatness. Steadily from Genesis to Bieah the conception of His nature and quality grows clearer, bigger, finer.

We have referred already to Amos, who was not a priest and had nothing but scorn for the formula and ritual of the established religion. He saw the temple courtyards red with blood and men seeking through sacrifices to buy the right tot be iniquitous and he cried out: "God cares nothing for sacrifice He is a God of Justice."

As a conception of the Almighty this represented vast step upward. In those some days another preacher, Hosea, was adding another item to the expanding fund of truth, Hosea was a married man, and his wife was a flirt. So much so that Hosea was compelled finally to put her away. His friends said "good riddance," but Hosea was torn by lone-someness, sorrow and regret. This woman who had wronged him he still loved her. Pocketing his pride he went to her with forgiveness and took her back to his home.

And out of that domestic tragedy there came, Hosea a great new truth. "If I, being only a man, can love so much and forgive so much, surely God must be capable of even more," he said. Amos has told the world that God is just; Hosea added, "and kind."

## LOTIEF'S HARVEST TIME SPECIALS AND

# CLEARANCE

Gets underway this week-end with the greatest store full of merchandise, ever sacrificed to the buying public of the Cross Plains trade territory. New merchandise, cut to the point of sensational selling. Try Lotief's first!

Ladies Hose  
Country Club cheer chiffon hose for dress wear.  
49c

Seer Sucker  
Seer sucker pique material. Latest Pattern.  
35c yd.

Ladies Hose  
Ladies, silver sheer Chiffon hose. Full fashion.  
69c

Step-Ins  
Very latest note in ladies Summer underwear.  
39c

Fruit of Loom  
Prints that will catch your eye. New material.  
22c yd.

Slips  
Very best material and fine quality. Value  
\$1.19

# Midsummer Sale

Organdy  
And dotted Swiss and Batiste, for Summer.  
22c yd.

Printed Voyle  
Picnic, red, green and blue, Summer note.  
19c yd.

Rayon Crepe  
Regular 69c and 79c value. Now Reduced to  
49c yd.

Men's Shirts  
New Era brand. Many colors in all sizes.  
\$1.59 (best)

Ties  
Just unpacked big assortment ties, low as  
39c

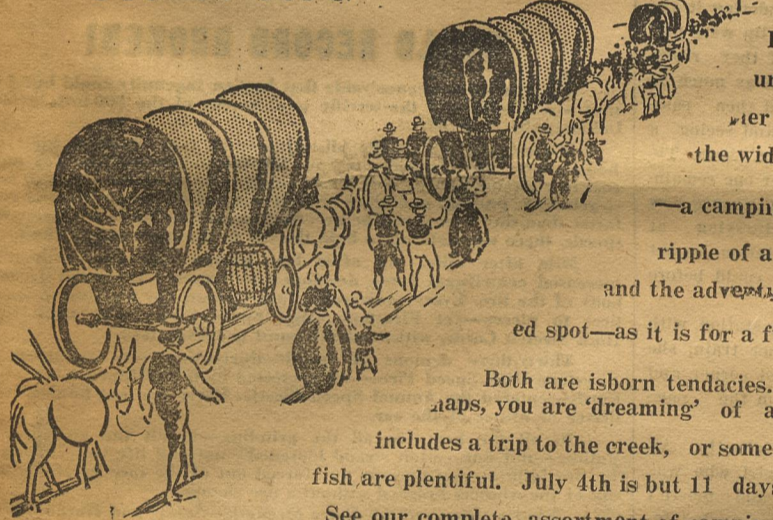
Men's Shoes  
Black, and white for Sport wear—Special  
\$2.95

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## Lotief Dry Goods Co.

Cross Plains, Texas

## CAMPING



It is just as natural for a Westerner to 'long' for the wide open spaces

—a camping trip, with the ripple of a friendly brook and the adventure of an isolated spot—as it is for a fish to swim.

Both are isborn tendencies. Already, perhaps, you are 'dreaming' of an outing which includes a trip to the creek, or some stream where fish are plentiful. July 4th is but 11 days in the offing.

See our complete assortment of camping equipment, it will make your trip happier.

Camping Stoves  
Fold like a suitcase. Very think for outdoor cooking. Priced  
\$7.00

Thermos Jugs  
Gallon sizes. Guaranteed to preserve hot or cold temperature. Priced  
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Fishing Tackle  
Complete line, including rods, reels and artificial baits, as well as poles, trot-lines and etc.

Coleman Lanterns  
Burn like electricity. Absolutely safe and cheap to operate.  
\$5.95 and \$7.95

Camp Cots  
Strong, attractive and lasting. A value at only  
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Guns  
Amunition  
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Oil Lanterns  
Large number 2 size. A bargain at this price.  
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Tents  
Priced and sized for all purposes and purses. See Them.

Mosquito Bars  
Table Impliments  
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VACATION CLOTHES FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

SEE ! OUR SPECIALLY ARRANGED WINDOW

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

# TRAILS' END

by AGNES LOUISE PROVOST



## FIRST INSTALMENT

Life was not real. It was a castle of lovely brittle glass, and it was cracking and splintering all around her.

The girl in the cream-colored roadster tried to realize it in all its ugly implications, tried to see her way through the bristling wreckage which had closed in on her.

Things didn't happen like that; they simply didn't. To some, perhaps, to the reckless and hard-boiled who did things that invited disaster; lived on excitement and wild parties. Not to girls who led normal, healthy lives and did the usual pleasant, agreeable things, and were thrilled to pieces over their work and the glorious chance of success in it. It could not happen.

But it had. What was she going to do about it?

The girl kept haunted young eyes on the road ahead, mechanically efficient while her thoughts darted and turned, hunting frantically for a way out. The speedometer needle trembled at sixty, and slid back to forty-five. She must not drive too fast, and risk being stopped for speeding. Of all times, not now.

What was she going to do? For the first time the firm little hands on the wheel slackened and shook, but she steadied them again resolutely. The roadster hummed softly on. The wind that rushed by her face was sharp with the night chill and damp with the smell of the Pacific. Long fingers of light reached out of her and were dimmed; a nondescript car rumbled past, its driver sending a curious glance at the smart roadster with the pretty girl at the wheel, alone.

The air on her cheek was noticeably wet, bringing its own message. A thin fog was creeping in from the sea. Presently it would be thicker, a fleecy white blanket. She saw its woolly whiteness closing silently around a dark beach bungalow, miles back of her, shrouding it, hiding it, smothering sight and sound.

There were no lights in that bungalow, to beat through in a golden haze. She saw it as she had

last seen it, blank-windowed, dark and furtive on its strip of sheltered beach. A silhouette against the pale rectangle of a door. A man's silhouette.

Memories came like black wings, swooping down on her. Other things—things that were said. She didn't want to think of them.

The road curved again. She saw a single light ahead, and her own headlights picked up a motorcycle drawn to one side of the highway, and a man in uniform bending over it. A motorcycle policeman. He looked up, with a professional eye on the oncoming car.

She wanted to step on the gas and go roaring past him, but she didn't. Somehow she stopped. Somehow she kept her voice cool and natural.

"Any trouble, officer? Can I call up a garage for you—or anything?"

"Why no, lady. Much obliged."

The man in uniform was disillusioned and hard-boiled, but he grinned appreciatively at the small creature competently offering help. Drivers of speedy cars didn't usually waste much grief over a motor cop stalled by the roadside. And this was a pretty girl, pretty even for this favored strip of the coast where pretty girls flocked from all over the country. A little thing, with big soft eyes and a red beret pulled at a gallant angle over a small, dark head. Looked like a nice kid, for all she was tearing around the country alone at this hour of the night. A swell car, too; it must have cost a hatful of money. Later he was to remember that car, and the girl who had driven it.

He swung a sturdy leg over his saddle. "Better detour inland if you're going far. The fog's getting thick back there. Driving's going to be bad before long."

"Thanks, I'll remember."

She smiled, and the cream-colored roadster slid past him. Fog, and dangerous driving along the coast road. It was so very simple.

She had been up and down this road a score of times since the new roadster had been hers. She knew its curves, its grades, its ragged coast line. She knew, now, where

she was going. The speedometer needle crept a little higher.

A road appeared, branching obliquely from the main highway. Tall trees marched along each side of it, and a denser planting showed ahead. In the darkness beneath the trees she brought the roadster to a standstill, and let her hands drop from the wheel.

It was lucky that she had remembered this place. So accessible and yet so secluded, with no curious eyes to see the queer preparations that she had to make.

Funny how wobbly she felt, now that she could just drop back and let go—it wouldn't do. She must get herself in hand, keep her head clear and her nerve steady.

It was not so easy. She seemed to be two people, and one of them was a sly, persistent imp which hovered close to her ear, fleeing and wheeling.

"You're running away! Running away! You've never been a quitter before."

"But I've never," she found herself arguing, "been in such a ghastly jam before."

"If you go now, you can't come back. You'll be giving up everything. All this that you've worked for. You can't ever go back to that."

"I know. That's all finished." She shook herself impatiently and swung the door open with a vigorous jab.

The pocket of her light sports coat bumped clumsily against her as she stepped down. She stood very still for a moment, with an and, arrested look on her face. Then she thrust her hand into the over-loaded pocket and drew out the thing which had weighed it down.

Starlight had all but vanished before the stealing must, but even in that obscurity it was a bright and lovely trifle, a woman's jeweled bag, extraordinarily full. The strained catch must have been too hastily snapped shut, for it yawned open at a touch, and the bulging contents oozed into view. Bills. The bag was fairly stuffed with them, high denomination bills, tightly crammed in.

The girl in the red beret stared

at it soberly. It seemed to give her no pleasure, not even any particular sense of the risk she ran in carrying such a sum with her, through lonely roads and at all hours of the night. She just let the bag lie there on her open hand, looking at it.

There was a faint aversion in that look. The plam tilted slowly, as though she meant deliberately to let that opulent roll slide to the dust at her feet. Then with a brief grimace of distaste she righted her hand gain, thrust the bag deep into the coat pocket and turned, a little blindly, to the car.

The girl looked very small beside the big car, very young and troubled, yet somehow determined, and every move now was brisk and efficient. A vigorous tug, and a smart traveling case came out of the car—was hidden behind a mass of shrubbery.

"Lucky," she reflected, "that I was all set to stay—if there is any luck in such a miserable snarl as this."

She slipped quickly into her seat again, and the engine's heavy purr cut abruptly into the stillness. The roadster swung smoothly out of the shadowed drive and down toward the highway. The fog had thickened perceptibly and the road was dark, but she drove without lights. Time enough to switch those on. There must be no one who could remember, later a distant glimpse of flaring lights.

On the last turn she had a good view of the main road in both directions. No dazle of oncoming lights showed either way, blurring through the fog. She swept out into the highway, and her own came on. There was no placid strips of beach here; only rough ground and dark rocky headland, now fairly close, now farther away, dropping sheer. About an eighth of a mile beyond there should be a place where it jutted bodily into the sea.

There it was. A queer little tingle went skipping over her as she caught sight of it, vaguely outlined. How much distance would she need? Ten—no, twenty feet before striking the incline. It would be too dangerous beyond that. She brought the car slowly to a standstill. Shut off the engine.

For a moment she sat listening, every nerve alert. There was not a sound, except for the heavy murmur of the sea below. Even though fog might muffle distant sounds it wasn't dense enough yet to matter. She started the engine again.

Her heart was beating fast as she stepped down. The roadster was pointing at a strange angle. It looked so sleek and beautiful, and she let a hand rest on it softly. This was a shabby trick to play on a good friend, but it had to be done. She would miss it, too.

There was no time to be wasted. She stepped up and leaned in, and her hands moved swiftly and competently. She gave a last tug and ghastly glance toward the naked ledge beyond.

The car latched and started, and left the smooth road with a protesting heave. It was gathering speed, bumping over the uneven ground. She jumped, staggered for a few steps and fell.

Huddled there on hands and knees panting but unhurt, she saw the big car strike the people and go hurtling down. Lurching, with lights flaring toward the empty sea. On the brink it seemed almost to rear back, hung for a split second and flashed down. She saw it turning, and pressed her hands to her ears against the grinding crash of its fall.

The silence that followed was blank and empty. She pulled her hands down shamefacedly and found the plams moist.

"That's done!" she muttered shakily, and got to her feet. Her face was a white patch against the darkness.

She knew that she must hurry away, before some belated motorist came by and saw her. A girl in a red beret had ceased to exist, and her flitting ghost must not be seen. How queer it seemed—there wasn't any such girl any more.

A dusty train jolted steadily through empty country. It was a short train, only three coaches and a baggage car, and the coaches had left their first youth far behind. But this was a branch line, crawling long miles out of the beaten track of the big transcontinentals, and Number Twelve's patrons did not expect the pampered ease of Pullman and dining car.

About midway of the last car a girl sat looking out of the window. The outlook was not particularly interesting, that she should be so

absorbed in it. Sand and low bushes, endlessly slipping by. A distant peak. A smear of blue which might be still more distant mountains. Sand, bushes, sand. The girl hadn't seen a house for miles.

The scattered half dozen of her fellow passengers looked at her with undeniable frequency, partly because she was the pleasantest thing there was to look at in their whole journey, and partly from a healthy curiosity. Strangers, and particularly strangers as pretty as that, did not often travel on Number Twelve.

The girl felt that friendly scrutiny. She had been restless under any interested glance for days, and it was not merely interest in the harsh waste beyond the window which kept her face so steadily turned that way. She wondered, with a prickle of uneasiness, what newspaper people saw out here.

Newspapers! She turned a little further toward the window, remembering a terrifying, heart-squeezing day when she had last heard them cried on the streets of a big city.

What a morning that had been!

The cheerful Saturday crowd thronging the downtown streets, jamming good-naturedly at the crossings; newsboys shouting their wares; people buying them, talking about something that had just feeling curiously unreal as she handed over her pennies, and rather small and quaking as she looked at a front page splashed with headlines and pictures. Her picture. Feeling all chilly and gone inside, even though the face on the front page was so different from that of the girl on the street, with her hair pulled forward in loose, dark waves under a low-brimmed hat.

Putting nervous finger tips up to the framing hair, to make sure that it completely hid the uncomfortable strips of adhesive which gave her eyes and eyebrows that long, unfamiliar tilt. Wondering if the tiny pads under her lip were properly in place, and if they really did change her mouth as much as she had thought—and then passing a long mirror and seeing a queer looking stranger there. Thanking her stars—her one remaining star—that she had learned how to do such things. Hurrying at last to a railroad station, to get as far away as she could before another day came.

In the nearly empty station, with an hour's wait for her train, she had sat in a secluded corner and read the paper from the page to the last.

It had been rather ghastly. All those pictures of a girl who was supposed to be dead and mustn't ever come back to life again; insets of other people whose lives had touched hers; a snapshot taken from a boat, showing curling waves against a cliff's dark background, black, ragged rocks thrusting out of the water, and sprawled helplessly on one of them the twisted, shattered wreckage of a car.

It was news. There had been several columns about it. Reports, conjectures, interviews. A motorcycle policeman had testified to meeting a young lady in that same roadster and warning her about the thickening fog. No, there had been nothing in the young lady's manner to indicate any suicidal intent.

One thing had puzzled her badly. There had been all this about one roadster found wrecked at the base of a cliff, not one line in the whole story about the thing she had feared most. How could that be suppressed?

The man across the aisle was saying something to another man several seats back. Everybody else seemed to know everybody else. Perhaps it would have been better, after all to have buried herself in a big city. One can be lost so quickly in the shifting crowds. But there would be always the tingling expectancy of seeing someone she knew some day, or someone who knew her. In shop or office, in restaurant, or on a crowded street.

She wasn't going to be actually in any town. It was some miles out of this town of Marston, whatever that was like, at the end of a long private road, the agent had admitted. Trail's End. She liked the sound of that. Remoteness. Safety. Home. And work, of course.

Marston Station baked in the afternoon sunshine. Northeast and southwest the long line of rails winked and flashed to a disappearing glimmer. Southwest, beyond the limits of the little town, dun-

colored desert sand stretched on and on, simmering with heat and dotted sparsely with a low, greyed brush of the waterless lands. To the north and northwest lay a similar stretch, cut off obliquely by an abrupt line of hills.

Continued Next Week

## INFANTILE PARALYSIS CAN BE EXPECTED MORE FREQUENTLY IN SUMMER

"Infantile paralysis can be expected to occur more frequently during the next three months," declares Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. "This disease is always more frequent during the hot months."

"The germ responsible for infantile paralysis is so small that it escapes detection even with the most powerful microscopes. The first symptoms are usually vomiting, headache, fever, stiffness of the neck, pain in the legs, irritability and drowsiness. Complete recovery may follow such an illness. In more severe cases, the germ penetrates the nervous system, result-

ing in paralysis of nerves controlling one or more groups of muscles. Some remarkable recoveries have been noted.

"Flies or other insects have not been demonstrated to play a part in the spread of this disease. Infection spreads from person to person with the droplets attending coughing and sneezing. Children and grown people that are healthy may be carriers of the germs. When present in epidemic form, about one child in each hundred is apt to suffer an attack.

"Early recognition and diagnosis are essential. The use of immune serum may be a factor in preventing paralysis. A period of complete rest is essential for muscles that are affected. If parents note any symptoms of illness in their children, the family doctor should be consulted at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Buckingham will move to San Angelo this week end, where he will be employed with Whit-taker Brothers and Company beginning Monday morning.



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It is almost inconceivable that human ingenuity could build tires that would withstand the terrific punishment of the 500-mile grind at Indianapolis, May 30.

Round and round the blistering track they streaked, hour after hour, under the blazing sun... the low moan of powerful motors rose to a terrific roar as they hit the straightaways at 150 miles or better—grinding, pulling, pounding around treacherous tire-destroying curves faster than they ever dared before. Sliding into the turns at these terrific speeds, there was nothing to hold the car to the track except the tire.

Mile after mile, lap after lap, greater and greater heat and increased centrifugal force developed to separate the tread from the body of the tire. Every conceivable force known was working to tear the tires to pieces—yet Firestone High Speed Tires, with Gum-Dipped High Stretch Cords, withstood this most grueling test.

Thirty-three denons of speed—thirty-three cars equipped with Firestone High Speed Tires—all protected by Gum-Dipped High Stretch Cords—entered the Annual Speed Classic. Every tire was bought by the driver or owner of the car.

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6.50-17 H.D.	17.50

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- THIS MEANS DEPENDABILITY AND ECONOMY
- Were on the Neiman Motors' Ford V-8 Truck that made a new coast-to-coast record of 67 hours, 45 minutes, 30 seconds actual running time.
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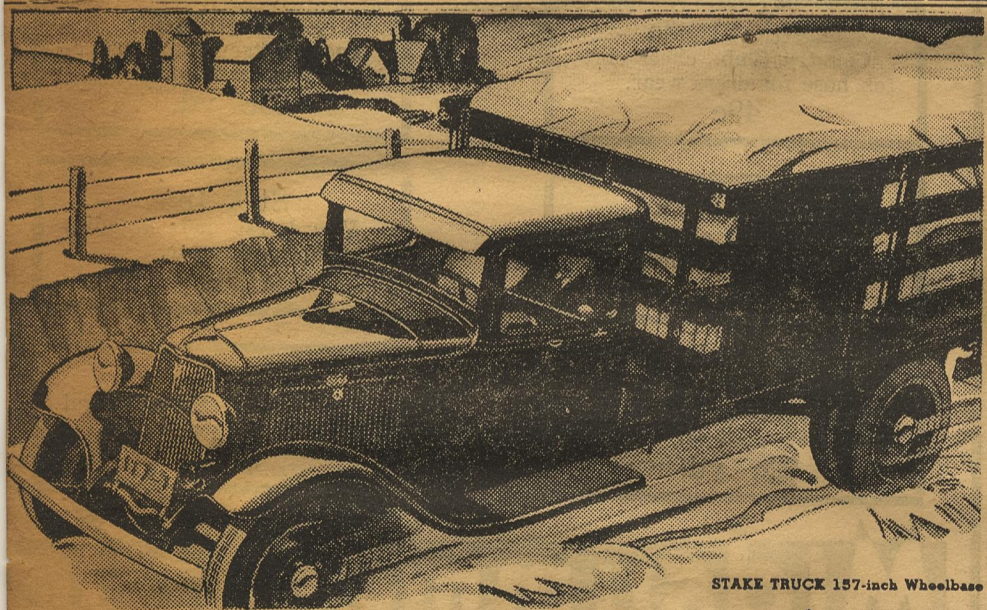
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**Dr. George: Ear, Eyes, Nose and Throat**

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**CROSS CUT TEAM TRIMS ZEPHYR 11 TO THREE SUNDAY**

Cross Cut baseball team defeated Zephyr 11 to three Sunday afternoon, at Cross Cut. The domestics scored 11 times with 14 hits, while the visitors were able to tally only three times on seven bingles. The box score follows:

	Pos.	AB	R	IB	SH	PO	A	E
D. Cornelius	C	4	0	0	0	2	1	1
G. Reasoner	3b	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sikes	RF	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wiston	RE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gist	2B	3	1	2	0	2	4	0
M. Reasoner	SS	3	1	1	0	2	1	0
Timmins	1B	3	1	1	0	1	1	1
R. Cornelius	SF	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
O. Cornelius	LF	3	0	2	0	1	0	0
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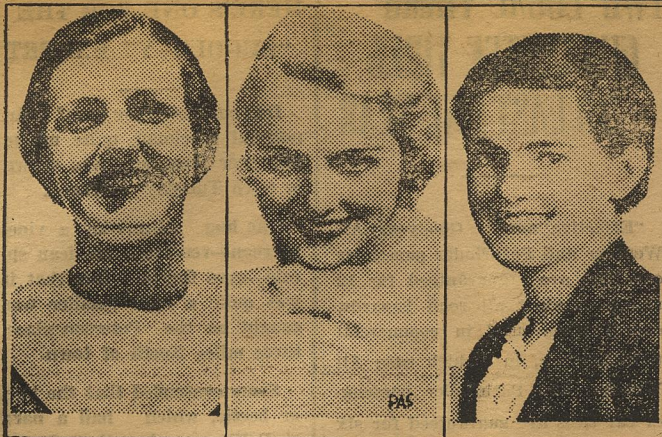
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C. Jackson	2B	2	2	1	0	2	0	0
Varner	1B	5	2	3	1	4	0	0
Purvis	SF	5	2	3	0	0	0	0
R. Coffey	3B	5	1	1	1	1	1	0
O. Coffey	C	5	1	2	1	1	0	0
O. Pittman	P	4	1	3	0	1	2	0
J. Hall	RF	4	0	0	1	0	0	0

TOTAL 43 11 14 4 13 4 0

**IS YOUR COMPLEXION BLOTCHY AND PIMPLY**

If your complexion is dull, muddy, sallow due to clogged bowels take Adlerika. Just one dose rids your system of poisonous wastes that cause pimples and bad skin. Sold by Sims Drug Co.

**Three Charming Smiles in Beauty Finals**



CHICAGO... More than 25,000 beautiful American girls striving for the honors won by these three young ladies. Now the three are coming here to compete for the honor of being the "Queen of Dental Charm." They were picked by McClelland Barclay and committee of beauty experts. They are, (left to right) Miss Mary Elizabeth Bort of Long Beach, Calif., Miss Georgie Berry of Richmond, Va., and Miss Mildred M. Smith of Wilbur, Wash.

**COUNTY CORN-HOG BODY IS PRAISED**

Callahan County Corn-Hog committee received a letter of commendation this week from Washington for the efficient manner in which they handled contracts. Out of 230 contracts mailed in only eight contained any type of error. These were promptly corrected.

C. D. Lane of Cross Plains is a member of the county committee.

Marconi is getting ready to launch television. Pretty soon half of the world is going to know how the other half lives.—Wichita Eagle.

The electoral college won a political football game in spite of Norris' consistent kicking.—Indianapolis Star.

Fools make feasts, and wise men eat them.—Benjamin Franklin.

**COTTONWOOD**

Quincy Mitchell of Fort Worth is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell Saturday and Sunday.

Charlene Carr of Burnt Branch is visiting Rev. and Mrs. Van Pelt this week.

Misses Murline Heslip and Hortense Rodgers of Putnam visited in Mrs. T. A. Coppinger home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton and daughter Helen of Baird visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton Sunday.

Miss Richte Mitchell of Baird visited Miss Juandle Sparks last week.

Stanley Coppinger of Abilene visited homefolks last week.

Opal Coffey is attending court this week serving as petit juror.

Miss Joyce Bogley of Sidney is visiting her grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nordyke this week.

Mrs. J. H. Strahan entertained her Sunday School class Friday night at her home.

Games and music were enjoyed. Ice cream and cake were served to the following, Truman Moore, Leo Jones, J. N. Varner, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Earl Bryant, Minnie and Winnie Coppinger, Anny Maud Shirley, Juannelle Sparks, Richie Mitchell, Anny Johnson, Mayme Coppinger, Durward Varner, Gloster, Thompson, J. B. Shirley, Leo Varner, J. D. Handy, Arlie Lee Breeding, Thelbert Thomas, Fred Heyser, Lewis Coppinger, James and Bruce Strahan. All had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Peevy and children of Leuders are visiting relatives.

Rev. D. Van Pelt filled his regular appointment at Burnt Branch Sunday.

Dr. Spradling of Athens, Tenn., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Leonard Breeding and children of Lamesa are visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Peevy of Oplin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Peevy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ellis of near Putnam visited homefolks last week end.

Mrs. Claud Joy is on sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Melton of Clyde and Mrs. Naomi Dawkins of Fort Worth visited here Sunday.

**"STARP STOMACH PAINS UPSET MY WHOLE SYSTEM"**  
Says E. Hentges: "I tried a \$1 bottle (3 weeks treatment) of Dr. Emil's Adla Tablets under your guarantee. Now the pains are gone and I eat anything."  
Sold by Sims Drug Co.

**L. C. HAIL**  
TYPEWRITER COMPANY  
Eastland, Texas  
Makes Regular Calls in Cross Plains  
GUARANTEED REPAIRING

**AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK**  
Notes from County Agent's office by Ross E. Jenkins

**Turkey Association**

Many turkey raisers last season felt that if we could get a turkey organization in this county that a much better price would be realized this fall. We have some New York turkey buyers that are interested in opening a field in Callahan the coming fall. It is a well known fact that certain firms have agreed that the price will not be put too high and that competitors will not enter the field. It would please us to be able to organize the turkey growers of this county and invite some out of the state buyers to our sheds. If the turkey growers will help this office put over such a proposition we will do all we can and frankly that 2 cents or more per pound may be gained by offering a better grade of bird and offer it in such large numbers that we can attract the outside buyer. It is our desire that all who have turkeys will drop us line and state the number you have and offer any suggestion you may care to give on the best way and means. All suggestions will be appreciated and held confidential. If you think such a move is good, say so, if you think it poor say so and why. We welcome suggestions at all time. We were informed last fall that should we get enough farmers interested in such a move we would surely get the buyers. Lets all work together and create a better market for Callahan turkeys.

**Old Cotton Must Be Tagged**

The government requires that all cotton must be tagged if the tax is to be omitted on cotton ginned prior to 1934. It must be tagged as ginned prior to June 1, 1934. Make application at the county agents office at once. The tax is to become operative after July 1st. R. O. Nichols has been appointed as official bale tagged for Callahan county. We will of-

vice with the county agent. Address him at Baird, Texas.

**A year of Achievement**

It seems hardly possible that a year has passed since I came to Callahan to serve the people as Farm Demonstration Agent, but such is a fact. On June 25, 1933, I began the task of selecting a group of men to help in the now historic cotton plow up campaign. The goodcounsel I received from my friends has been proved over and over by the good record we made in contacting the farmers and in enlisting their co-operation in the governments' drive to raise the price levels for farm products.

It has been my pleasure to have met most every farmer in the county and I hope to have encouraged and helped in lightening some burden or other.

My office has distributed more than 160 thousand dollars in wheat and cotton rentals and will soon disburse more than that amount again. In addition, we have contracts on file that will give crop guarantees to some 1000 farmers against drouth or any other failure for two more years.

I have personally supervised the terracing of more than 2000 acres of land and the records show more than 2000 chickens have been reported that aids given them last culled. Many turkey growers have season have resulted in a 50% increase this year.

We have put in many pecan, plum, and apple buds and have living examples of dependable grapes grafted upon roots that did not yield before.

I believe the greatest satisfaction has been gained from the starting men to believing they can produce a living at home. We watched the onion movement with pride and satisfaction and have the conviction that a new industry has been started in Callahan county.

I have tried to make no rash promises nor offend a single person. It is a time of political pressure and I am intensely interested but little concerned except to exercise my privilege of voting for the candidate whom I feel will most truly serve the people with offense to none.

After all, it has been a busy, happy year for me-filled with days of doing and serving and I hope to have a bit more time the coming year to visit and study with each individual farmer any problem that he has. The many suggestions and helps that my friends have given me have been most highly treasured and my next wish is that you call on me when I may more fully serve you. My phone number is 262.

**REDUCES FROM 186 TO 120 POUNDS**

"I am using Kruschen Salts not only for reducing but for its beneficial effects. It keeps the whole body in condition. I have been taking Kruschen for one year, my weight was 186 lbs. I now weigh 120 lbs. I recommend it to all my friends." Miss Elener Medio.

YOU, too, can achieve the youthfully slender lines you want—you too, can SAFELY take off the healthy, beauty-robbing fat—simply take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of warm water every morning. Then watch fat go—notice how you feel more energetic—stronger—healthier—complexion clearer—eyes brighter.

One bottle lasts 4 weeks. You can get Kruschen Salts at any drug store in the world.

**Facts and Comment**

By George W. Winningham (In Fredericksburg Post)

There are many excellent, honest men in the legislature of Texas, but in a showdown fight we had rather have Cecil Lotie of Callahan and Earl Huddleston of Coryell at our side than any other two members of the legislature. In a drag-out battle for right and justice they will wade right in and bulldog fashion hang on until the last lick has been delivered. They never think of self until after the battle and then only wonder it wise to start something else. (Political adv.)



**\$83,000,000.00**  
working for a Greater Texas

LIFE INSURANCE FUNDS are reservoirs of thrift which feed the streams of progress. The funds of Texas legal reserve life insurance companies play an important part in the progress of Texas, through financing community development projects and home ownership.

At the close of 1933 these companies had \$83,000,000.00 working for a greater Texas... invested in loans on farms and city property, in state, county and municipal bonds, in home office buildings and real estate.

This \$83,000,000.00 is money in motion, constantly increasing, and parts of it constantly being paid back and reinvested. Every Texan shares the benefits of these investments. Not only are needed improvements made possible, but the money is put into circulation... spent for raw materials and labor.

In 1933 these companies put into circulation an additional \$30,000,000.00... in payrolls, taxes, purchases and payments to policyholders and beneficiaries.

When you show a preference for insurance in a Texas legal reserve life company you join hands with these companies and their 1,200,000 other policyholders in making Texas a better state in which to live and make a living.

**TEXAS LIFE CONVENTION**

REPRESENTING TEXAS LEGAL RESERVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

**Notice!**  
**SCHOOL TAX PAYERS**

Schedule for delinquent school taxes. After June 30th the following schedule will be observed for collection of delinquent school taxes, in accordance with the law:

1923 Tax	42 percent will be added.
1929 Tax	36 percent will be added.
1930 Tax	30 percent will be added.
1931 Tax	24 percent will be added.
1932 Tax	18 percent will be added.
1933 Tax	13 percent July First

The Comptroller requests all collectors to give wide publicity to this law. The board is trying to do this.

PAY SCHOOL TAXES TO  
**Jodie Huntington**  
LOCAL COLLECTOR

**Cross Plains Band Again Demonstrates They Are Real Troopers; To Make Trip**

Moderns define the word "trooper" as one who can produce an interesting entertainment regardless of the difficulties under which he may be laboring. No single word fits Cross Plains band more properly. It is composed of a group of musicians that are 'ready' for any starting signal.

Disbanded for months and their instruments dusty, the bandmen rallied like real troopers last week when called upon to furnish the music for the goodwill picnic booster trip to be made over the Cross Plains trade territory Tuesday.

Under the supervision of Clyde

Sims the band is rehearsing regularly and when they "load up" for the sojourn Tuesday, Cross Plains will have a delegation of which the old home town may justly feel proud.

The recent demonstration of their promptness and eagerness to help in any community enterprise is not the first by the group. Last fall without a director or hardly any practice in marching, they assembled the afternoon of November 11 and gave Cross Plains a parade for the Albany-Cross Plains football game that will be long remembered.

Yes, "trooper" fits the organization exactly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott spent the week end in Dallas, where he attended the annual convention of the Texas Press Association.

Elmer Gordon of Rising Star, visited friends in Cross Plains Wednesday.

D. L. Kinnaird, of Eastland, was a business visitor in Cross Plains, Thursday.

E. D. Priest has accepted a position with the Internal Revenue Department, in the capacity of Deputy Collector.

**Dealey Honored**



Ted Dealey, general manager of The Dallas News and The Dallas Journal, has been elected a director of the Southern Newspaper Publishers' Association. J. L. Maples of the Beaumont Enterprise is chairman of the board. (Texas News Photos.)

Clyde Walker, James Walker, Phil Bingham, James Collins and Tom Maddux were Brownwood visitors Saturday.

**TWO LOCAL FIRMS GUARANTEE TIRES TO LAST ONE YEAR**

Effective now, Goodyear All Weather and Pathfinder passenger car tires are guaranteed for 12 months against all road hazards, except when used in commercial truck service, in which case All Weather and Pathfinder passenger car tires are guaranteed for six months against all road hazards", announce W. R. (Bill) Lowe, local Goodyear dealer yesterday.

Simultaneously with Lowe's message came one of duplication from J. C. Garrett, local Firestone agent.

**HERE'S ONE FOR THE "BUGOLOGY" EXPERT**

Do you know your bugs? An unusual specimen, quite unlike any ever seen here was shown in town Tuesday afternoon.

The bug resembling a vinegar-roon—venomous Mexican species—save for the fact that it was quite a bit smaller was caught on the Peterson place, three miles North of town.

Some contended that the bug, or beetle, which had a hard shell like covering, three horns, and was about an inch and a half long, was a small vinegar-roon. It is reputed, however, that the vinegar-roon does not inhabit this section.

**THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND WITH HOME FOLKS ARE AN INVESTMENT IN COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCall were Century of Progress visitors at the World's Fair and last week.

**MEN Risked their lives, STAKED THEIR FORTUNES SMASHED WORLD RECORDS FOR**

**Your Safety!**

- WIDER TREAD OF FLATTER CONTOUR
- MORE TOUGHER RUBBER
- GUM-DIPPED HIGH STRETCH CORDS
- DEEPER NON-SKID
- MORE THAN 50% LONGER NON-SKID MILEAGE

**SAFEST TIRE FIRESTONE EVER BUILT**

**Unparalleled STAMINA**  
FIRESTONE HIGH SPEED TIRES

- \* For fifteen consecutive years have been on the winning cars in the 500-mile Indianapolis Race. THIS MEANS BLOWOUT PROTECTION
- \* For seven consecutive years have been on the winning cars in the daring Pike's Peak climb where a slip meant death. THIS MEANS NON-SKID SAFETY AND TRACTION
- \* For three consecutive years have been on the 131 buses of the Washington (D. C.) Railway and Electric Co. covering 11,857,810 bus miles without one minute's delay due to tire trouble. THIS MEANS DEPENDABILITY AND ECONOMY
- \* Were on the Neiman Motors' Ford V-8 Truck that made a new coast-to-coast record of 67 hours, 45 minutes, 50 seconds actual running time. THIS MEANS ENDURANCE

THE New Firestone High Speed Tire for 1934 was built to give you the same dependable service it provided for the 33 drivers who started in the torturous 500-mile grind at Indianapolis May 30.

This new tire has a wider tread of flatter contour, deeper non-skid, more and tougher rubber, giving you more than 50% longer non-skid mileage.

Besides being Safety Protected on the outside it is Safety Protected on the inside. Eight additional pounds of pure rubber are absorbed by every one hundred pounds of cords.

This additional rubber is so placed that it surrounds every cotton fiber inside every cord in every ply. This is accomplished by soaking the cords in liquid rubber by a Firestone patented process. This patented process, Gum-Dipping, is not used in any other tire built.

Heat caused by internal friction of cotton fibers destroys tires—causes separation and blowouts.

Gum-Dipping counteracts friction and heat—provides greater adhesion and binds the cotton and rubber together into one cohesive unit of greater strength, assuring car owners of the greatest Safety, Protection and Economy that it is possible for human ingenuity to build into a tire.

The most amazing proof of this extra strength, safety and dependability is the fact that every one of the 33 drivers at Indianapolis chose and bought Firestone High Speed Tires. Race drivers KNOW tire construction—they will not risk their lives or chance of victory on any other than Firestone.

At terrific speeds the cars plunge into the treacherous turns—tires are braced against the scorching brick track—so hot the tires fairly smoke at times—they give—yield and stretch—every conceivable force works to tear the tire to pieces, yet Firestone High Speed Tires "come back" on the straightaways. Not once during the entire race did a tire fail.

Surely this is the most amazing proof ever known of Extra Strength, SAFETY and dependability. Call on the Firestone Service Dealer or Service Store nearest you TODAY. Equip your car with New Firestone High Speed Tires for 1934.

**Announcing 12 Months Guarantee against all Road Hazards**

Effective Today Firestone Guarantees their complete line of tires against all road hazards for 12 months.

In addition Firestone gives the industry life time warranty against defects and workmanship and materials.

When used in commercial service these tires guaranteed for six months.

**GARRETT MOTOR CO.**

**CROSS PLAINS**

**TEXAS**

**Cross Plains 51st Annual Picnic July 19 and 20 2 BIG DAYS**

*Fall in line and come with the crowd to the oldest and biggest celebration of its Kind in this section.*

**You're Invited To The 51<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL CROSS PLAINS Picnic AND GOLDEN JUBILEE Celebration 2 Big Days**

**Thursday and Friday, July 19-20**

**Free Rodeos**

Bucking broncs and outlawed steers will match their antics the ability of this section's most talented cowboys. The show will be good. Both afternoon and night. There will be no admission charge. Everybody is invited.

**Baseball Games**

Free to the public will be baseball games each afternoon between the fastest teams of this section. Thrilling contests are assured. Fun for all and an amusement that you will enjoy. Tell your neighbors you'll see.

**Carnival Attractions**

Aren't you lonesome for the Barker's voice at the sideshow box office? A carnival troupe with new shows and thrilling rides will be here for your entertainment and amusement. Prices will be in keeping with conditions. Don't miss it!

**Political Speaking**

Many candidates for state offices and virtually all for district and county posts will be present at the picnic to present their views to the people. Loud speakers and amplifiers will insure perfect hearing for person present. Seats in the shade for your comfort.

**ICE WATER SEATS AND SHADE**

**Don't Be Among The "Strays"**

**Remember the Date- JULY 19 & 20**

**BASKET DINNER NOON EACH DAY-COME**

Rubber has advanced 442% Cotton 190% Yet you can buy this amazing new Firestone High Speed Tire at our present low prices and save money.

See Firestone Air Balloon Tires made at the Firestone Factory and Exhibition Building World's Fair, Chicago

Listen to the Voice of Firestone every Monday Night over N. B. C.—WEAF Network.

**Firestone**  
MOST MILES PER DOLLAR

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, will gladly be corrected if brought to the attention of the editor personally at the office, Eighth Street, Cross Plains, Texas.

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MEMBER



The Review is an independent democratic newspaper, supporting what it believes to be right and opposing what it believes to be wrong regardless of party politics, publishing the news fairly and impartially at all times.

The State of Texas: County of Callahan:

Be It Remembered that the Commissioners' Court in and for said County met in Regular Session at the Court House in Baird, the County Site, on Monday, June 11th, A. D. 1934, and Hon. J. H. Carpenter, County Judge of said County was present and presiding, and J. W. Hammons, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. S. Harville, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; C. E. Bray, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; G. H. Clifton, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, and S. E. Settle, Clerk of said Court being present, when the following business was had, to-wit:

The Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas, in Regular Session this the 13th day of June, A. D. 1934, said Court having been continued from day to day by proper order of record.

Whereas, there was on this day presented to this Court a petition signed by S. P. Collins and 50 other qualified voters of Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, Callahan County, Texas, and being resident property taxpayers of said precinct, praying that this Court order an election to be held within and for said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4 in said County to determine whether or not an ad valorem tax of not to exceed fifteen cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of the taxable property in said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, Callahan County, Texas, shall be levied in said Precinct, for Road and Bridge purposes, to be used in said precinct; and it appearing to the Court that said petition is in accordance with law and that the same was signed by a sufficient number of qualified property tax paying voters of said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, in said County, and that said petition should be granted.

It is therefore ordered and decreed by the Court that there shall be held in Callahan County, Texas, in the aforesaid Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, and in each voting precinct in said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1934, an Election to determine whether or not an ad valorem tax of not to exceed fifteen cents on the One Hundred Dollars Valuation of the taxable property in said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, Callahan County, Texas, shall be levied in said Precinct, for Road and Bridge purposes, to be used in said precinct; and it is further ordered that said election shall be held at each of the regular voting places in said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, in said County, and the following officers are hereby appointed as presiding officers to hold said election in their respective voting precincts:

Precinct No. 6, Taylor Bond. Precinct No. 16, C. R. Steele Precinct No. 3, R. N. Whitehorn Precinct No. 13, W. C. Rouse Precinct No. 11, J. A. Moore.

And it is further ordered and decreed by the Court that notice of this order be published, as the law directs, in some newspaper in said Commissioners' Precinct No. 4.

J. H. Carpenter, County Judge, Callahan Co., Texas. J. W. Hammons, Com'r Precinct No. 1; Sidney Harville, Com'r Precinct No. 2; C. E. Bray, Com'r Precinct No. 3; G. H. Clifton, Com'r Precinct No. 4.

Attest: S. E. Settle, Clerk County Court, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court, Callahan County, Texas. The State of Texas, County of Callahan.

S. E. SETTLE, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of said County, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Order passed by the Commissioners' Precinct for an election in Tax Matters to be held in Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, appears from the original copy on file and duly recorded in the Minutes of said Court in Volume J, on page 172 thereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of the County Court, at office in Baird, Texas, this the 13th day of June, 1934. S. E. SETTLE, Clerk, County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Over The STATE

News from other papers received at the Editor's desk

"Jones County will get \$235,411 in United States Cotton rentals", chronicles the Stamford American.

Cisco will have another gas system, records the Citizen, weekly newspaper of that place.

"Grass fires over Shackelford County pasture lands are becoming alarming of recent weeks and farmers and ranchmen are urging all who can in any way help keep down this dangerous hazard to take every precaution possible to prevent these grass fires", says the Albany News.

"A loving cup presented to the Texas Division of the Frisco Railway Company for making the best record during the first quarter of this year in preventing accidents among the Frisco employees was placed on display in the Comanche Chief office Wednesday of last week by W. E. Dupuy, local Frisco Agent, The Comanche Chief.

"One hundred and five men were put to work Monday by the local relief office. They will continue working through this week and next according to W. E. Abbe, in charge of the office."

Dublin Progress

"Next Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 the football boys will meet at the Grammar School building to make a much needed war on heel burs. This will save many a bur in the hide of players next fall if they can be cut out now." Merkel Mail.

France demanded certificates of good conduct before party of American college girls would be admitted to that country. And we thought Hollywood movies had been barred from France.

Lithuania Is Quiet"—headline. What is that supposed to be, news or propaganda? Is a Lith so restless that quiet is news or is he so quiet that a restless world is getting him as a edative?

North Carolina scientist says dreaming about committing a crime does not indicate criminal inclinations, unless the dream fails to awaken the sleeper. Conscience, it seems needs an alarm clock.

Good company in a journey makes the way to seem the shorter.

He that is down can fall no lower.—Bunyan.

A little wind kindles, much puts out the fire.—Herbert.

The Family DOCTOR by JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

BITES OF DOGS

I ALWAYS view the pet dog as an extra hazard in the household. The animal is always harmless if you keep far enough away from him. Our children are entitled to our most watchful care. One baby's life is worth—but you know what is on my mind.

Suppose the patient has been snapped by an angry poodle. Nobody knows anything worth depending on. Even the doctor cannot tell if hydrophobia germs are in the dog's makeup. It takes from two weeks to a hundred days for hydrophobia to develop in the patient. The only real safety is in giving the victim Pacter treatment, and losing no time about it. Also confine that dog for the hundred days, if possible to see if it develops the dread symptoms. Don't kill the dog as soon as he bites; you destroy some very valuable evidence as to his condition. Pen him up safely and watch him.

But—if the offender be killed early, its head should be sent at once to a testing laboratory for examination. Your doctor will direct you in the proper procedure.

The Pasteur treatment is so prepared now, that any capable physician may administer it. If he cannot then seek somebody who can, for no chances should be taken; once hydrophobia is contracted a cure has nev-

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UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED—by "Movie Spotlight"



Fay Wray HAS BEEN IN SO MANY "HORROR" PICTURES THAT SHE HAS GAINED THE REPUTATION OF BEING THE STAR SCREAMER IN THE MOVIES!

Jack Holt COLUMBIA STAR, HAS 267 TIES, WHICH HE WEARS IN ROTATION. HE HAS A SPECIAL CLOSET IN WHICH THEY ARE HUNG—

Cora Sue Collins WAS ABLE TO READ, WRITE AND SPELL AT 4, AND NOW AT THE RIPE AGE OF 6 SHE HAS BEEN IN NUMEROUS PICTURES AND RECEIVES FAN MAIL FROM ALL CORNERS OF THE EARTH!

Natives Brought to Hollywood from San Christopher, near Haiti, to appear in 'Black Moon' refused to work in the picture until a charm resembling Dorothy Burgess was removed, believing the charm to be Black Magic and an Omen of ill luck!

DO YOU KNOW WHY... A Man's Wife Will Annoy Him With Trifles?

Drawn for this paper By Fisher

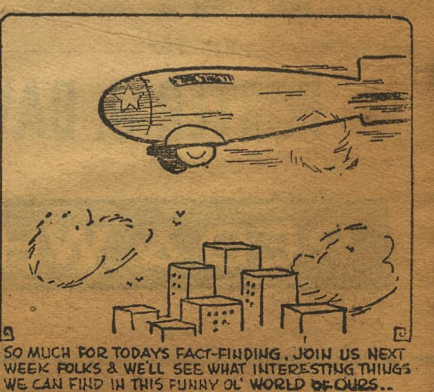
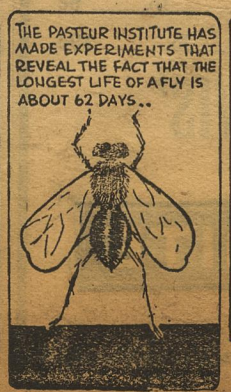
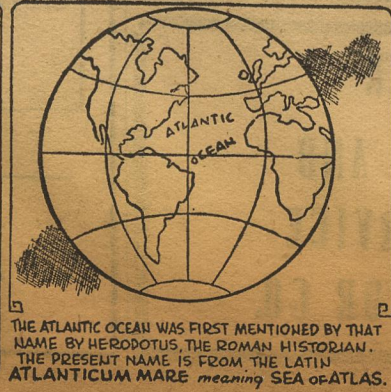


Mr. I. Knowitt Maybe he'll know how to get out of this trouble

By Thornton Fisher



"KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"



# No Extra Charge

When your clothes are brought to us for cleaning and pressing, we always repair ripped and torn places as well as sew on buttons, at no extra charge. We appreciate your patronage and like to serve you often.

**JIM SETTLE'S DRY CLEANING**  
(ENEMY TO DIRT)

## FACTS WORTH CONSIDERING

Fords led all other makes of automobiles in sales of passenger cars the first four months of 1934, according to official tabulations of motor vehicle registrations throughout the United States just issued.

Also, it is worthy of passing consideration to remember that Ford has reduced the price twice already this year. What other car on the American market has done this? Ford is still an automobile without a price class.

Reduced U.C.C. terms are now effective, making it still easier for you to own a new V-8.

Call us anytime for a demonstration or estimate on your car in trade for a new Ford.

# McAdams Motor Co.

Cross Plains, Texas

## J. T. HAMMETT IS RUNNER UP TOURNEY AT CISCO TOURNEY

J. T. Hammett, Phil Pe country club's gift to prominence, added another laurel to his golfing mantles the past week, when he finished second in the Cisco country club invitation tournament. He lost in the finals to Houston Cole, youthful Ranger flash, six and four.

Hammett came to the turn in his match with Cole Sunday afternoon all square. He drove first on number 10 and got a long hook on his drive making his tee shot unplayable. A jinks appeared to be accompanying him the remainder of the route, with many of his shots failing to possess his customary accuracy.

Hammett is considered one of the strongest contenders for honors in the Phil Pe Co meet this week end.

## PHIL PE CO TEAM AGAIN IN LEAD OF GOLF ASSOCIATION

Phil Pe Co country club golfers are again perched at the top of the Heart o' Texas golf association by virtue of their defeat of Coleman on the local links Sunday afternoon. The score was Phil Pe Co 13, Coleman three.

Results of the matches follow. Wayne Middleton beat Neville one up. Bob Wheeler defeated Gideon by the same score. Bill Tunnell lost to Bowen three and two. Jack Embry was reversed by Craddock three and two. Lowry Horton trimmed Frank Harbour two and one. M. S. Sellers won over Browning two up. Porter J. Davis defeated Kelly Dawson one up. Wak Thornton eliminated Browning two and one. Wilbur Wright defeated Shipman five and four. Fred Tunnell beat D. Harbour six and four. Bernard Brooks won from J. Harbour seven and five. Gay Guest beat McKinney seven and six. W. F. Burris trimmed Fleming one up at the nineteenth hole.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ridgeway, of Lamesa, are visiting his father E. N. Ridgeway here this week.

# LIBERTY

## THEATRE

### NOW SHOWING "MIDSHIPMAN JACK"

With Bruce Cabot, Florence Lake, John Darrow, Betty Furness, Frank Albertson & Arthur Lake Also Mystery Squadron Chapter 6 Cartoon and Comedy

### Sunday—Monday and Tuesday "MIDNIGHT"

With Sidney Fox, O. P. Heggie, Henry Hull, Margaret Wycherly, Lynn Overman, Katherine Wilson, Richard Whore, Humphrey Bogart and Moffet Johnson Also Comedy and Cartoon

### Wednesday and Thursday "A CROWN OF THORNS"

BASED ON THE FAMOUS RELIGIOUS CLASSIC I. N. R. I. Showing The Birth—Life—Death And Resurrection of CHRIST Also Selected Short Subjects

## TO LOSE FAT

Miss M. Katner of Brooklyn, N. Y. writes: "Have used Kruschen for the past 4 months and have not only lost 35 pounds but feel so much better in every way. Even for people who don't care to reduce, Kruschen is wonderful to keep the system healthy. I being a nurse should know for I've tried so many things but only Kruschen answered all purposes." (May 12, 1933). TO lose fat SAFELY and HARMLESSLY, take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast—don't miss a morning—a bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but a trifle—get Kruschen Salts at any drugstore in America. If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back.

14,000 Bananas



East Orange, N. J. —Three

year old Alan Seleny (above) due to digestive ailments, has subsisted for the last two years on a diet of only bananas and water, at the rate of 21, bananas a day it is estimated he has eaten 14,000 bananas.

## CANNING STATION BE PLACED HERE

County Relief Administrator E. E. Cook was in Cross Plains Tuesday and stated that within the very near future he would open a canning station in Cross Plains. He said that he expected to receive equipment from Austin by the middle of next week.

Members of the city council in session the past week voted to secure a building and equip it with all modern conveniences, to meet the specifications of the state, and furnish the place to relief authorities for canning purposes.

## SCHOOL BOARD GIVES WARNING CONCERNING TAXES AFTER JUNE 30

A reminder of the penalties that will be added to delinquent taxes after June 30, is made this week by members of the board of trustees of Cross Plains independent school district, in an advertisement on another page of today's Review.

Penalties, which were temporarily waived by an act of the legislature, will become a part of the tax obligation after that date. Both school and county and state taxes will be affected.

Helen Grace Gray is convalescing normally after an attack of intestinal influenza.

## RAYMOND STEEL WINS MEDAL AT SIMMONS

Announcement has been received from Simmons University, at Abilene, that Weldon Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Steele, of Cross Plains, was awarded the Minter Scholarship medal for having made the highest average in that institution during the 1933-34 school year.

Weldon was valedictorian of Cross Plains high school with the class of 1930. He has completed his Junior year in Simmons. He is now considered the most serious contender for the Julius Olsen medal next year at graduation, which is awarded the student having the highest average during his four years in Simmons.

## LARGE ENTRY LIST EXPECTED FOR 2ND GOLF TOURNAMENT

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cloth was the 1933 winner at Philpeco, and Cole, 16-year old flash won the Cisco tournament last week.

Tim Barnett, Sam Conner and D. Tutley, from Eastland. Tutley was co-medalist with Cole in the Cisco tournament.

Ned Robertson, Clyde Boyd, Hugh McFarland, Dink Faulkner, and Port Bludworth from Brownwood. Bludworth was runner-up in the 1933 Philpeco tournament.

Kelly Dalton, Frank Harbour, and O. L. Cheaney, Rex Golston and others from Santa Anna.

Budley Rains and Carnes Wilson, of Abilene, have also been urged to attend and probably will, according to announcement.

"COMMISSIONER'S AND FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS Cheap rate of interest; long time. Available to the citizens of Callahan County.

Citizens National Farm Loan Association, M. H. Perkins, Secretary-Treasurer, Clyde, Texas.

Ross B. Jenkins, of Baird was in Cross Plains Wednesday.

D. L. Kinnaird, of Eastland, was in Cross Plains Thursday afternoon.

## THE FAMILY DOCTOR

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er been known, so far as I know. I may be writing nothing new. But, only last week an old citizen came into my office and asked me if I knew where she could sell a very valuable "mad-stone! People are, it seems, still believing in that old bit of witchery of our forefathers. Mad-stones have have long ago been proven without effect in preventing or curing hydrophobia. You will not be misled by any such thing.

## INVITING YOU

We'll be with the bunch Tuesday making the trip over this territory to invite people to the Cross Plains picnic. Let's all join in and make the trip a real success.

And to people everywhere, we would like to say that we will be pleased to have you make our store your headquarters while you are in Cross Plains for the picnic, or any other time.

## SIMS DRUG STORE

## STARTER

# GENERATOR AND BATTERY SERVICE GARRETT MOTOR CO.

<b>FRUIT PECTIN</b> Skinners for making Jelly—large pkg.	23c
FRUIT JAR LIDS—Regular size—2 doz.	25c
<b>FLOUR</b> Bewleys White Fawn 48 lbs.	\$1.55
California Mackerel—cook like Salmon—tall can	10c
<b>SHORTENING</b> Mrs. Tuckers 8lb. Carton	65c
RATLIFF TAMALIES	2 for 25c
<b>COFFEE</b> Liptons Vacuum packed—lb.	30c
TREE TEA—High Grade—¼ lb.	19c
<b>REALM SYRUP</b> GALLON	52c
SWEET POTATOES—No. 2 Can	10c
<b>DRY SALT JOWLS</b> LB.	8c
CHEESE—Bordens Wisconsin lb.	20c
<b>STEW MEAT</b> LB.	7½c
VEAL LOAF MEAT—pork added	10c
<b>ROUND STEAK</b>	17½c

George R. Neel attended the second annual meeting of the Highway 36 Association in Gustine Mrs. G. Q. Armstrong and children have returned to home at Clyde after a few days visit with their mother and grandmother. Mrs. W. J. Gray.

**NEW POTATOES** 10 LBS. 15c

Encore SPAGHETTI—16 oz. glass 10c 2 med. tins 13c  
LUX TOILET SOAP 3 cakes 19c  
A&P GRAPE JUICE pint 15c quart 27c

## SUGAR (Buy this week) 10 LBS. 55c

LIBBYS CORN BEER No. 1 can 15c  
BLUE RIBBON MALT can 57c  
White House Milk 6 sm cans 17c 3 lg. cans 17c

**CERTO** for Preparing Jams and Jellies  
bottle 27c  
POST TOASTIES 2 large pkgs 19c  
JELLO ICE CREAM POWDER pkg. 9c  
CALUMET BAKING 1 lb. can 25c  
GRAPE NUT FLAKES pkg. 10c

BORAX WASHING POWDER 2 boxes 5c  
CHEESE (Wisconsin) lb. 17c  
SLICED BACON lb. 19c

## Gelatine Dessert SPARKLE 3 PKGS 13c

All Flavors  
8 O'CLOCK COFFEE lb. 21c  
RED CIRCLE lb. 23c Bokar lb. 27c  
GRANDMOTHERS BREAD 16 oz. loaf 7c

<b>CANTELOPES</b>	<b>ORANGES</b>	<b>4c</b>
Each 4c	Dozen 27c	lb. TOMATOES

WATCH OUR WINDOWS

# THE GREAT ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TEA COMPANY

# Week-End FOOD BARGAIN

Housewives: Are you troubled with what to cook these hot days? Shop the 'Red and White' way. Every nook of our store is laden with seasonable suggestions for Summer appetites. Fresh, choice vegetables from the Red and White make any meal a success. Here are a few of our many week end food values

<b>Baking Powder</b> 15 oz. can Ten Strike	9c
TOMATO JUICE—14 ounce tin	9c
CORN FLAKES—Large Package	9c
GINGER ALE—Large Bottle	9c
<b>Soap</b> Lady Godiva Complexion Soap 2 Bars For	9c
ICE CREAM SALT—5 lb. package	9c
PEAS—Number 2 cans	9c
TOMATOES—Extra Quality—No. 2 Cans	9c

WATCH: For our big salad dressing special all next week. It will save you money.

PINEAPPLE—Red&White sliced—No. 2 can	16c
PICKLES—Quart Jar	19c
COFFEE—Sun-up—Fancy lb. Polk.	21c

**Syrup** Blue and White Golden No. 10 Can 55c

## MARKET SPECIALS

CHEESE—No. 1—Full O' Cream	lb. 18c
STEAK—Very best cuts	lb. 12c
FRANKS—Dectar's Best	lb. 13c
JOWLS—Salt Cured	lb. 9c
STEW MEAT—Veal rib	lb. 19c

# PORTER J. DAVIS'

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