

It's Very Seldom

—You find a grocery store links together the three essences of a desirable place to trade: Quality, Service and Price.

In beginning, Quality is the first thing to be considered, because in the long run, the best is the cheapest.

Our Service is quick, full of pep and efficient. Prompt attention given to telephone orders.

While we do not pretend to be a bargain counter, our prices are found to be low and reasonable.

Our Christmas Goods will be something attractive

W. E. BUTLER
GROCERY
"Where Your Friends Trade"

Jewelry Embraces Per Cent of Christmas Gifts

We have the largest stock to select from this Christmas that we have ever carried.

If you contemplate making a Christmas gift to any one you will certainly find something suitable and attractive in our guaranteed line of jewelry—including men's and ladies' watches.

Diamonds, Watches, Rings
Toilet Sets

L. M. BOND
Jeweler & Optician.
at Wilson Furniture Store

LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadorsville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak. I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the liver trouble was soon righted with a few doses of Black-Draught. Seventy years of age made Theford's Black-Draught a standard, household member, of every family. It gives me relief in cleansing the stomach, liver and bowels. Keep it handy for any emergency. It is gentle and in a natural way. You will feel fresh and strong. A package—One 25c. a package—One All druggists.

Club Rates for The Review and Star

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DEC. 19, 1919

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THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK

Security--Strength Stability

PLUS—Courtesy and Service are the features of this bank.

DEPOSITS
Over 400,000.00
Farmers National Bank
Of Cross Plains, Texas

YOU WILL

DRY GOODS
FIND here the right prices on dress goods, sweaters, blankets, Curlee clothes for men and boys, Hamilton Brown shoes for the whole family; in fact anything you may need in dry goods and groceries.

CROSS PLAINS MERCANTILE CO.
GET OUR PRICES BEFORE YOU BUY

R. R. OFFICIALS VISIT CROSS PLAINS

McGee, Asst. Gen. Supt., W. Evans, Div. Supt., made an annual trip of inspection over Cross Plains branch last Saturday. The train service for Cross Plains the past few weeks has been very uncertain. This uncertainty, we are informed, is due to a bad condition of the road, making it exceedingly dangerous to attempt to operate trains so rapidly. Schedule runs of the past, and trains were expected when they signal for the officials in their car at Cross Plains last Saturday night. It was a very interesting trip and we are sure that another freight train operated on this line shortly after the first of the coming year.

PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL

The revival being conducted at the Presbyterian church by Rev. W. A. Erwin will come to a close Sunday. A number of conversions and additions to the church have been reported.

Dead.

Mr. John Gaines died at the home of his brother, W. F. Gaines of Cross Plains on Friday, Dec. 12, from pneumonia, and was buried in the Cross Plains cemetery on Saturday. The Rev. S. F. Jones conducted the services. The deceased was a bachelor, a Woodman, and a member of the Baptist church, and was well known as a good man. He leaves three brothers, G. B. W. F. and Frank Gaines, and a sister, Mrs. John Nantz. We offer condolences to the bereaved relatives and friends.

J. W. SLOUGH TO TAKE CENSUS IN THIS DISTRICT

J. W. Slough of Cross Plains, has qualified and been appointed census enumerator for this district, which embraces the voting precincts of Cross Plains, Dressy and Caddo Peak. The work of compiling the census will begin Jan. 2nd, and be completed as soon as possible. There will be two questionnaire blanks to be filled out by the enumerator from information obtained from the head of each family, one for the purpose of ascertaining population, and the other pertaining to agriculture, live stock, etc. Each blank may be compared in length to the Brooklyn bridge and seems to cover everything on earth. We believe it will consume at least fifteen minutes of the enumerator's time to fill out the blanks for each family, and all should be ready to give the required information as quickly as possible.

The sole purpose of the census is to secure general statistical information regarding the population and resources of the country and replies are required from individuals only to permit the compilation of such general statistics. No person can be harmed in any way by furnishing the information required. The census has nothing to do with taxation. There need be no fear that any disclosure will be made regarding any individual person or his affairs. For the due protection of the rights and interests of the persons turning in the information every employee of the Census Bureau is prohibited, under heavy penalty, from disclosing any information which may thus come to his knowledge.

Enumerator Slough, we are informed, will commence his work in the Cross Plains district.

CROSS PLAINS MARKETS

Cotton, middling, 38½¢
Peanuts up to 24.00
Two and one-half cars of peanuts were sold on the streets Wednesday.

From W. H. Lacy.

Quannah, Texas. Cross Plains Review: Everything is on a boom at Quannah. It is reported that a 1000 barrel well has come in 5 miles south west of Quannah, but don't know how true it is.

Hardeman County has made a big crop this year of all kinds.

Sam Marshall and his new bride are visiting his brother-in-law, Elmer Lacy, and perhaps will help him gather his big cotton crop. Lois of people have been picking this fall that hadn't picked for years, as the price is so high, \$3 per hundred pounds. Ernest Lacy's wife and three small children have made \$115 the last three weeks and there has been quite a good deal of bad weather, too. Ernest is very busy sowing wheat. There isn't going to be nearly as much wheat put in this year as last.

This is one of the finest countries in the west when it can get the water, and it sure has got it this year. Health is good so far as I know; my family's is of the best.

With lots of good wishes for our Eastland and Callahan County friends, I am, sincerely,
W. H. Lacy.

FOR SALE

A registered Holstein bull, two years old, at a bargain it taken at See C. E. Lilly or C. Z. Fine, six miles north Cross Plains.

REV. ROGERS ATTENDS BAPTIST CONVENTION

I have just returned from the Baptist State Convention at Houston.

It is always a joy to me to attend a meeting like that. My heart is filled with gratitude to God in sparing my lives another year. This session of the convention is said to be the greatest in history. Why? Because our people of Texas have responded to the greatest call and won the greatest victory ever before in history. When our beloved Rev. Dr. Garner, state corresponding secretary, read the report, all giving the best attention, and the last words were \$15,400,800 and 500 churches not heard from, which means over the top for Texas in the 75 million campaign, the convention rose and sang that good old soul-stirring song, "How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord," led by Mr. Robert Coleman, which moved the convention to tears of rejoicing, and some even shouting. How we should thank and praise the Lord for such a victory, and resolve deep down in our hearts to do even greater things for the Master.

And that was not the climax. When that mighty soul-stirring message was delivered by our honored and beloved Dr. L. R. Scarbrough, the people rose and cheered him and sang "Millions for the Master." He said that Southern Baptists had won the greatest victory in the world; the amount being \$82,500,000. So with this closing word I must say to this church and all the rest of the Baptist brethren: "Let's press the battle harder and do our very best for the spreading of the gospel to all the world and pray for the coming of his kingdom." is my deepest and sincerest prayer,
S. A. Rogers.

GOOD ROADS MEETING.

A number of business men and farmers met in Cross Plains on last Friday night for the purpose of discussing the road question. Commissioner McDaniel appointed a committee to confer with Coleman County citizens as to whether the road that has been designated from Coleman to Cross Plains should come from Burkett by Dressy or follow the new road about one mile to the east. The main thing to be decided by this district is whether to connect up with Cisco or Baird. Rather it may be to see which road we can get.

Married.

Isaac H. Kendrick of this place and Miss Hattie Brown of Blake were married on Wednesday of last week at Rising Star, the Rev. R. O. Sory performing the ceremony. They will make their home here. Here's wishing them well.

Home Missionary Society.

Met last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Foster Bond. Devotional exercise was conducted by Rev. C. C. Tyler. Hymn—By the Society. Election of officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. Foster Bond; First Vic.—President, Mrs. W. C. Wilkinson; Secretary, Miss Cora Baum; Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Tyler, Supt. of Publicity, Mrs. G. W. Cunningham; Supt. of Social Service, Mrs. W. C. Wilkinson.

It was voted and carried, the society place a table and chair in the church. Other business of interest was discussed. We adjourned to meet with Miss Cora Baum next Thursday at 3 p. m. Every member is urged to be present.

My Car Moline Wagons

Is Now Here

Will have car Moline Implements to arrive about February 1st.

Don't buy until you have seen them and get our prices

JOE H. SHACKELFORD'S
LUMBER and PAINT STORE

Laugh at the High Cost of Living Now

A Special Cut Price Christmas Sale at THE MODEL For Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes

Now is the time for you to buy shoes for the whole family and save \$2.00 and more on each pair of shoes.

Also have a fine line Mens Sweaters, Silk Shirts, and a fine assortment of Ties.

THE MODEL
FOR PRICES

Horse for Sale.

About twelve years old, 14½ hands high, gentle and good work horse. N in good flesh.
R. D. Carter.

For Sale.

Edison cylinder phonograph, \$45 machine, 70 4-minute and 110 2-minute records, all for the price of the records.
One \$400 piano for \$250.
One \$42.50 davenport for \$20.
All the above in fine shape.
Horace F. Erwin, 2 m. north of Sabanno.

Club your Review with a Daily

Buy a Home.

Marvin Smith of Pilot Point has bought the Wayne Tarr old home and will move to the same.

Buy a Home.

Tom Anderson has bought the Ches Barr home on south Main Street.

A Ford manufactured and sold in 1919, with first casings still in good shape, in first-class condition in all respects, with \$50.00 extras, for sale at first price.
L. P. Henslee.

Typewriter For Sale.

A Royal typewriter in good first class condition for sale. Would trade it for Liberty bond, or good note.
L. P. Henslee.

List Your Property.

I want to get a list of all city property and farms for sale at reasonable prices. Also
L. P. Henslee.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

That Are Useful, Timely and Appropriate

You will find this store teeming with Christmas suggestions--Gifts that are useful and very sensible and appropriate in these strenuous times when we must stretch the dollar to its limit and then some. Then come to this store to make your purchases for Christmas. Shop early while you can select gifts that will be serviceable.



For Men

- Silk Hose
- Neck Ties
- Linen H'dkfs
- Cuff Links
- Sweaters
- Gloves, Hats
- Overcoats
- Fur Caps
- Suit Cases
- Hand Bags
- Auto Gloves
- Winter Caps



For Ladies

- Silk Hose
- Perfume Sets
- Hand Bags
- Ivory Toilet Sets
- Sweaters
- Comfy Slippers
- For Children
- Toys
- Caps
- Gloves
- Suits
- Shoes
- Mackinaws

FOR THE HOME

- Furniture
- Silverware
- Kitchen Cabinetts
- Linoleum
- Table Sets
- Rocking Chairs,
- Rugs
- Dining Tables
- Blankets
- Comforts

Whatever you select in this store, whether as gifts or for personal use, will be found of the splendid quality that gives the utmost service for the money.

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS & CO.

"THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY"

BETTER PROVISION FOR RETIRED PASTORS

THE 75 MILLION CAMPAIGN WILL RAISE BIG SUM FOR RETIRED MINISTERS.

FOR THE WIDOWS, TOO

\$100,000,000 Included On Program For This Purpose—Insurance Feature Also Included.

REV. A. M. RUSSELL, Typical Retired Minister.

The salaries paid the ministers of the Baptist, as well as other churches in the South, have been far below in the past to enable them to make a competency for old age. It is proposed in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign which proposes to raise \$75,000,000 for the relief of aged ministers during the next five years, and to raise this sum up to \$100,000,000 in the two years immediately following the campaign.

So when the Baptist 75 Million Campaign was launched for the enlargement of the work of the denomination along general lines in an effort to meet growing spiritual needs in the homeland and throughout the world, the sum of \$4,700,000 was apportioned to the orphanages, this sum to cover a program of five years, as the \$75,000,000 sought in the campaign will be raised in cash and five-year pledges during Victory Week, November 30-December 7.

In the homes that have been provided for the orphans facilities are provided for giving regular schooling of the same character that is afforded in the public schools, beginning with the kindergarten and continuing to the tenth and eleventh grades in the

the addition of an annuity feature for retired ministers. An annuity of \$500 after reaching the age of 65, and \$1000 after 70, will be provided for the ministers in their retirement. The annuity will be paid quarterly, and the minister will receive an annuity of \$100 per year when he reaches the age of 65, and \$200 per year when he reaches the age of 70. The annuity will be paid quarterly, and the minister will receive an annuity of \$100 per year when he reaches the age of 65, and \$200 per year when he reaches the age of 70.

The board has received an endowment of \$100,000 from the Baptist Sunday School Board at Nashville not included in the 75 Million Campaign. This sum will be divided equally between the relief and annuity departments. This enables the board to begin immediately and assistance already being given to 285 aged ministers and widows.

5,000 Helpless Orphans Are Asking the Privilege

Baptists Are Providing For That Many at Present But as Many More are Waiting For Aid Million Campaign Plans to Meet



A Group of Boys and Girls in the Tennessee Orphanage at Nashville who are being cared for and trained for

Does your heart go out to the worthy boy and girl bereft by the Grim Reaper of father and mother, and left alone in the world without the fostering care of those to whom they are naturally most dear in the world?

Then you will understand why Southern Baptists have established orphanages in fifteen states, are caring for 5,000 such children in those homes and training them for useful lives in the world.

But the need is far greater than the ability of these institutions to meet it. While five thousand children are being cared for in these orphanages, there are on the waiting list of these institutions fully five thousand more equally worthy, fatherless and motherless boys and girls who want the privileges which these orphanages afford but which must be denied them for the present because there is no room with which to shelter more of them.

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SPEND \$20,000,000 UPON EDUCATION

SOUTHERN BAPTISTS PLAN MUCH LARGER PROVISION FOR ALL THEIR INSTITUTIONS.

WILL AID RURAL SCHOOLS

Success of 75 Million Campaign Will Mean Strengthening of Educational Forces All Along the Line in Next Five Years.

Of the total sum sought in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign, \$20,000,000 will go to Christian education.

But the educational program of the Baptists will not stop there. It proposes to lend itself to the creation of a public sentiment that will result in more efficient public schools in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention, especially in the rural districts. In this connection it is pointed out that 37 per cent of the total elementary scholastic population of the nation is found in the South; that the rural scholastic population of the South is 77 per cent of the whole; that only one-sixth as much money per capita is expended on the education of the children of the South as on the children of other sections of the country; that only 37 out of every 1,000 pupils in the South enter high school as against 87 from other sections; and only 10 from the South enter college as against 21 from other sections.

Distributed throughout the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention are 142 educational institutions, including academies, colleges, universities, seminaries, and missionary training schools for women. These have a total enrollment of 18,990 annually, but all of them are crowded, greatly in need of larger facilities in every way, and many of them must have an endowment if they are to meet the demands made upon them. It is in sup-

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

Only six days to do your Christmas shopping. Our advice would be for you to make your selections early and not wait until the last days. Christmas goods are like almost everything else. They are scarce and hard to get. We have made preparations to take care of your wants in this line, especially in the way of practical gifts. You will find them here in abundance, if you come early, for your sweetheart, father, mother, and any member of the family. Read the list below, come and buy what you will need while you can get it.

GIFTS--For Men and Boys	GIFTS--For the Ladies	GIFTS--For the Little Tots
Silk Shirts, Bath Robes, Hand Bags, Silk Sox, Ties, Gloves, Gollars, Sox, Caps, Hats, Supporters, Belts, Handkerchiefs, Scarfs Pins, Collar Pins, Etc.	Sweateretts and Sweaters, Furs, Gloves, Hose, Garters, Camasoles, Brassiers, Purses, Mirrors, Ivory Sets, Cut Glass, Bud Vases, Table Linen, Fancy Towels.	Dolls, Ties, Wrist Watches, Books, Sweaters, Caps, Handkerchiefs, Mittens and Gloves, Lunch Baskets, Ribbons and Collars, Crib Blankets, Etc.

There are many more practical gifts you will find here, such as Ladies' Dresses, Coat Suits and Coats, Shoes, Rubbers, Overshoes, Hats, Knit Caps, Scarfs, Etc.

GROCERIES

Our Grocery Department will be ready to serve you with the very best to be had. Of course you will want a sack of COTTON-WHITE FLOUR, Apples, Nuts of all kinds. We will have them. GIVE US YOUR ORDER

B. L. BOYDSTUN

"WHERE IT PAYS TO BUY"



A Christmas Present For Every One

We are fully prepared to take care of your Christmas wants. A few of the things you will find at our store—Prompt Service, Courtesy and appreciative Treatment.

1. A choice assortment of ivoryware, single pieces and combination sets, something to please the most fastidious. Manicure sets, ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$37.50.
2. Silverware, the best assortment and the best goods ever shown in Cross Plains, both Rogers and Community, which to those who know means QUALITY. Knives, forks, tea and tablespoons; also combination 26-piece sets, with nice cabinet.
3. Jewelry—Our stock is very complete with the best and latest designs. Rings, broaches, lavliers, necklaces, watch bracelets, watches for men and boys, clocks which are both fancy and durable, fancy belt buckles and other things to numerous to mention.
4. Books for the children, Bibles for the older children, tovs. Yes just OODLES. Dolls too.
5. A complete assortment of the Parker Lucky Curve Fountain Pens. (A twelve months accident policy given with each pen.)
6. An instrument of merit—the Golden Throated Claxtonola, an ideal gift for the home. Think it over. The mean time come in and let us demonstrate this machine to you. It is the machine you will eventually BUY

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CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BED

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui Her Recovery.

Royso City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and a strong woman, and I owe my recovery to Cardui. I had only taken a few bottles when I began to feel better. The misery in my side continued right on talking until I had taken three bottles and never felt better in my life. I have never had any trouble since I took Cardui. Do you suffer from backache, pains in sides, or other ailments, each month? Or are you weak, nervous and tired? Give Cardui, the woman's friend, a trial.

THE CROSS

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

We extend our wishes to our friends and customers for a joyful Christmas.

May the New Year bring you a full realization of your fondest desires.

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FIND here the right prices on dress goods, sweaters, blankets, Curlee clothes for men and boys, Hamilton Brown shoes for the whole family; in fact anything you may need in dry goods and groceries.

Accept our appreciation of your liberal patronage during the closing year, and a desire to please you in all our future dealings.

CROSS PLAINS MERCANTILE CO.
GET OUR PRICES B 4 U BUY

Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

In connection with our wishes we will endeavor to keep a well stocked lumber yard share in your patronage throughout the coming year.

Sherwin-Williams Paints Are Best

W. W. PRYOR

W. E. GILL
LONG

Seventy-two years ago, on the 28th, the wife of Star, was born in Washington, Texas. She has lived for 34 years in Cross Plains.

My father, who was killed in the Civil War, died in Cross Plains. My mother died in Cross Plains. My father was buried in Cross Plains. My mother was buried in Cross Plains.

Byrd's store began in Cross Plains. He enlisted in the Confederate Army in 1862. He was later killed in Cross Plains. He was buried in Cross Plains. He was the last Confederate soldier to be buried in Cross Plains.

In 1870 I worked on a farm. I married in Cross Plains. I have a daughter in Cross Plains. I have a son in Cross Plains. I have a daughter in Cross Plains. I have a son in Cross Plains.

This mere along a care common place on the frontier of Indian all kinds of but the Indian in all or traveled here to Australia battle with the Indians. It was fought here by W. J. Maltby. It might be the first of my first but county in 1870. It was from where I was not a complete waste that time and in the early Hart's father the south for and the Railroad before or in the early kinds roam county alone were few but a small bun on the buffalo 1870 though so even as the Brazos.

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