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# The Bank of Cross Plains

(UN-INCORPORATED)

Responsibility \$1,000,000

CROSS PLAINS. TEXAS.

If a man treats his bank square he will have a friend who will stay with him. If you are not now doing business with some bank you shold be. A great many people would be surprised to find out how liberal their bank could treat them.

If you sell a bale of cotton, a load of seed or any other commodity you have it will be to your interest to take the proceeds thereof to your local bank and make a deposit of it, take a check book and pay your obligations by check. Never think for a moment that you are imposing upon the bank, they will appreciate it.

This bank will handle your check regardless as to who it is on. Bring us your cotton check.

The Bank of Cross Plains

# MACKEY TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH SYSTEM

Abilene at Once

# COME THRU CROSS PLAINS

Will Build Down Proposed Texas gram, Central Right-of-way from Abilene to DeLeon

The following lelegram was received in this city yesterday by Mr. territorv. Gus Klotz, general manager of the As stated before their offices in visit of the merchants to the farmers says he had four acres in Spanish Independent Telephone and Tele-this city will be the first floor of the Cross Plains country. Let's peanuts this year and got 177 bales graph company

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 4, 1911

"Mackey people will commence building westward immediately. LYMAN KLOTZ"

the Western Union.

Mr. Lyman E. Klotz, secretary Mackey Telegraph Line To Be and treasurer of the Independent San Antonio and other Southwest Telephone & Texas Points.—Abilene News. Telephone & Telegraph company, Texas Points.—Abilene News. went from here to Dallas to conter with Mr. Conger, Texas manager Cross Plains, and will give us much for the Mackey's Postal Telegraph better service to distant points than and Cable Co, of the U. S. and we are now getting over the Southafter conferring sent the above tele-

> This telephone insures the early building of this line into Abilene results from the Trade Excursion and all West Texas, paralleling the Western Union over the T & P.

local Independent Telephone and get together more and cultivate the of hay some of which would weigh

got busy and began at once to string heavy six copper wire cables to De-Leon, going over the proposed This telegram confirms the article right-of-way of the Texas Central appearieg in these colums a day or Railway and will also complete a so ago and insures Abilene another line from Ballenger to Paint Rock, telephone line in competition with thus connecting with the San Angefording Abilene connection with

> This new line will pass through citizens will vote for it. western.

C. S. Boyles say he is still getting last summer. Mr. Boyles isn't the

Saturday, Nov. 11 is the time set lo Independent exchange and affor the election to see whether or not Cross Plains shall incorporate.

The Review is for incorporating. and we believe a majority of our

T. W. Breeding, of near Clyde is visiting his brother, Hugh Breeding north of town. They visited t h Review Thursday.

only merchant in Cross Plains who is town last Saturday night to ats getting results from this frindly tend the Masonic Lodge, Mr. Rone

# Commercial

The Commercial Club will meet esting prizes for that day. Monday night, and a lively time is the announcement on page 5, Trade promised. It will be worth your Day is always on Third Monday in time to attend.

J. A. Wagner visited the College Palace this week, and also met Quite a number of old friends and Wednesday morning saying that his daughter, Mrs. Wolfe, was dead J. A. Wagner visited the Cotton

Monday, Nov. 20th is Trade Day again in Cross Plains. Committee offers some very intereach month.

waaaawaaaaaw If you want good tailor work come to the City Tailor Shop.

All work guaranteed. F. C. Upton.

# Foster says'Cold Weather'

# We Say "SUITS AND UNDERWEAR"

It's time you was thinking about that Cold Spell that has arrived, and also about that trip to The Cotton Palace. We have more Clothing and Better Prices to select from.

Men's Suits to 20 **Dollars** 

Ladies Set Snug Union suits at \$1,00.

Come and see our Special line of Ladies Shirs waist at \$1

Men's Ladies and childrens sweater coats 50c to \$5.

We have enough Blankets and Comforts to supply the whole town, The quantity is away up and the price away

Boy's Suits

1.50 to 7

Dollars

Our stock of Hardware and Leather Goods is Complete. Phone us your orders for Groceries Buy "Bewley's Best" the Flour with a Reputation.

CALL FOR VOTES IN GRAND VOTING CONTEST

Cross Plains Merct.

### THE GROSS PLAINS REVIEW

BELMONT L. SHIELDS, EDITOR.

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

### WANTS INCORPORATIO

In my opinion incorporation means much for any town, and at this particular time it certainly means much for Cross Plains.

No City or town ever accomplished much until it was incorporated there can be no such thing as sanitary regulation with out incorporation [look at our present sani tary condition] it is very discouraging for one citizen to take a pride in his home, his streets, and his alleys, when possibly at the same time his next door neighbor tries to see how filthy he can be. There are other matters of public interest and usefulness such as well graded streets' public water troughs, fire fighting apparatus etc, that are in common to us all, but they cannot be main tained with out incorporation, as these things like all other necesaties cost money and the expense of maintaining them should be borne by all according to our tax values. There is possible in Cross Plains to day between \$75,000.00 and \$1000 000.00 of property the owners of which are nonresidents, who contribute not one penny to the advancement of the town, and when the 'Hat is passed around' they are of course "conspicious by their absence". It has been said by some very conservative people that we are not ready yet, "wait until the town grows' now it is a pity that these same self conservative people did not come to some of the men who have invested thousands of dollars in Cross Plains in buildings and Merchandise, and have said to them "Dont do it now" we are to young wait until the town

No a town is always ready to grow

# .GLASS

Putty. Stair Railings, Balusters, Window weights, Buttons Cord, Pulleys, Table and Counter Legs. Embossed Moulding, Wall Paper Paints. Oils, Turpentine Etc.

F. P. SHACKELFORD'S LUMBER YARD.

# The Split In Grand Old

HE proper maintenance of a public highway is as important as its construction. It ant as its construction. It costs a few thousand dollars per mile to build macadam highways but by the intelligent use of a split log drag, dirt roads can be kept in good condition at a nominal expense. The drag can be built for five dollars, and operated at a cost of from \$4.00 to \$6.00 per day. The road mileage which a split log drag can keep in proper condition varies according to the character of the road and the amount of rainfall, but the average mileage assigned a split log drag is 12 miles. The average cost of operating the drags, according to the Federal Agricultural estimate, is \$3.20 per mile.



There Are 656 Split Log Drags in Operation In Texas.

In some cases the drags are built and operated at the expense of the county; in others the county furnishes the drags and the farmers along the route operate them.

Every County May not be able to permanently Improve its Public Highways, but every County can operate Split Log Drags.

people in it are ready, and personally them it will be a sore disappointment to their vote, "Iurn Cross Plains lowing program will be rendered. Loose' and lets make a town out

C. S. Boyles,

The Review believes the peanut will finally be the leading product of the Cross Plains country. 'The price of cotton is lower than it has been for some time, and the farmer s looking for some other sure crop. We believe the peanut is the one re gular yearly profit producer. It isn't bothered with insects like cotton, and will grow abundantly, especially in the sandy land of the Cross Plains country. The nuts sell at from 60c to 90c per bushel and the vines find a ready market at \$12. 00 per ton. Diversify. Plant more peanuts, sow more alfalfa, raise more hogs and let the cotton speculators go to the duce. Then you will get more for what cotton you do raise than you are getting now for twice the amount.

# THURSDAY STUDY CLUB

Members of the Thursday Study club are doing fine work. All have their year books and the two study books. Masterpieces of American Literature, and Lives of Great Musicians

The Club met at the home of Mrs Walton Wagner, November 2, 1911 and the program was as follows. Roll call answered with current event. Story of "Great Stone Face" by Hawthowne, told by Miss. Mary Robertson. Sketch of Whittier Miss Jessie Adams. Story of Snow Bound Miss Havins. List of Works Miss Bessie Haley.

ions written on slips of paper, which year, as pastor of the Methodist Cross Plains, Tex. lons written on sings of paper, miles of church.

and move forward when ever the draws six questions and answers

The Club adjourned to meet at me if the good people of this town the home of Miss Mary Robertson, do not say on next Saturday, by November 16, 1911 when the fol

Loose'' and lets make a town out of it and a good one at that, and I Mrs. Mangham, Piano Duet by believe they will do it.

Subject Haydn. Sketch of Life Mrs. Mangham, Piano Duet by Haydn Mrs. Lindquist and Miss Duet Mesdames Wagner and Butler. Haydn's Music Mrs.

Bennett. Questions.
Mrs. J. E. Lindquist Sec.

### STILL IN BUSINESS.

This is to Notify the Public that I am still running the Central Meat Market, and still selling Good Fresh Meat at reasonable Prices.

Jones, The Meat Man.

Don't forget that Gene Melton has a line of shirts that can't be beat

Few gallons off colors Paints \$1.00 to \$1.50 per gallon. Shackel-

Rev. C. A. Manghum, of Mason is visiting his son Chas. Mangham.

Don't wait, Get in now. Davis

We want your clothing business. Davis-Garner & Co.

The Tone will continue to handle Dublin ice cream all winter. Why? Because it is better.

Do you like a first-class cafe in your town? If so patronize it. Crystal Cafe

Rev. T. H. Davis has been re-Each member brings six quest- turned to Cross Plains for anothr

# EDUCATION



### Is the one Great Influence that raises the individual Above the Common

No person, at this late date, can be considered to be tru y educated without, at least some training in the art of music.

The coming sch oastic year will shortly begin. You should not neglect to allow your child the opportunity to further it's musical knowledge. To do this it is of prime necessity that the pupil have a suitable instrument with which to pursue it's studies. The CABLE PIANO is an exemplification of all that is Best in a musical instrument, both for the

It possesses to a superlitive degree those splendid and lasting qualities which should tend to encourage the student and help to inspire the artist.

student and the accomplished musician.

# C. H. MAHAN

BAIRD, TEXAS.



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Now is the time to save. Procrastination is the thief of time. It may be the thief of your comfort in future pays if you delay opening an account with the Farmer's Nat'l Bank. A checking account with your home bank shows a good business principle. The Farmer's National Bank will appreciate your account and will make banking easy andleaasnt far you.

# Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains

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S. L. Driskill, Vice Pres.,

S. F. Bond, Cashier,

Taylor Bond, Ass't. Cashier. R. P. Odom J. A. Barr, E. J. Barr, T. B. Vestal.

Miss Ora Harman, who has been with the Review the past ten months eft Sunday for a visit with relatives n Coleman. Later she will go to Sylvester, where her parents are.

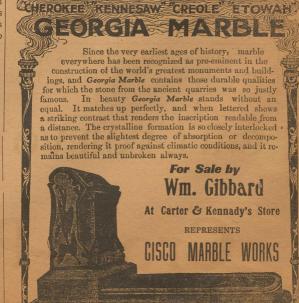
### **CURIOUS BITS** OF HISTORY

By A. W. MACY.

By A. W. MACY.

"THE FATHER OF CRUELTY."
Hakem I., ruler of Cordova,
Spain, In Moorish days, did not
heeltate to use drastic measures with his subjects when
they displeased him. At one
time, when confronted with a
rebellion, he promptly sent forty thousand of them into exile.
To make assurance doubly sure
he razed their dwellings to the
ground, thus leaving them no
homes to return to. For this
act he has become known in
history as "The Father of
Cruelty." It is recorded that
when he died he left a family
of forty uhildren; twenty boys
and twenty girls.

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M. E. Church, South.

Preaching every first Sunday a 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Also preaching Saturday night be Sunday School 10 o'clock a Everybody invited. Rev. C. Austin will preach every fourth Sunday at 11 o'clock.

T. H. Davis. P. C.

Population on Farms Increases

Nearly Half a Million.

We have on the tax assessors' olls of Texas 156,946,934 acres of

making an increase of \$187 per capita or 117 per cent, which measures, in a way, the prosperity of the Texas farmer. We have opened up during the past decade 64,187 farms

and now have a total of 416,477 farms in operation and the average size of our farms shows a decrease of

om 357 acres in 1900 to 262 acres from 357 acres in 1900 to 262 acres in 1910, or an average of 95 acres per farm, all of which has undoubtedly had a strong influence in increasing the wealth per capita of

T. E. Powell went to Dallas last

week and heard Gov. Woodrow

Wilson speak. Mr. Powell says the

Jerseyman did not exactly capture

him, but says he was pleased with

his talk. Gov. Wilson is undoubt-

edly strong in Texas and the friends

of governor Harmon will have to be-

stir themselves it they expect him

to carry Texas. The democrats

these men will no doubt make a

great president, but on account of

his wide experience in public affars

we prefer Gov. Harmon. The Ohio

governor is the peer of any man in

America in ability, legal learning

and state craft, and above all is

honest, conscientious and strait for-

ward in his public and private life.-

Good roads enhance the value of

all adjacent property, both personal

and real, and increase the value of

The organization of "Get Togeth-

such clubs are organized or not is not so material as getting together.

If you believe in patronizing

home industries yourself, why not

idea than by talking it. When con-

factory that has just come to town. If there is no new store or factory,

talk about the increase of your own

Baird Star.

men and animals.

the Texas farmer.

Epworth League.



Meets every Sunday afternoon at 3.30 p. m Mrs. Mabel Bond, Pres. Georgia Davis, Sec. J. Hollers , Third V. Pres.

Presbyterian Church.

Third Sunday at 8 p. m. Third Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and

Rev. She I, Pastor.

Baptist Church.

Preaching every 2 & 4 Sunday a 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o.clock p. m. and the Saturday before at 11 a m. and 8 p. m. - Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Lodge Directory

I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 171.



Meets every Fri day night at 8:30 at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Drew I. Hill. Sec.

W. O. W. Camp No. 778.



Meets every Saturday night before the first and third Sundays, at W. O. W. Hall, over J A. Tucker's Resturant, Cross Plains E. T. Bond, Clerk.

M. W. A. Camp No. 12357.



day night before ? &4 Sun. at I. O. O Hall, Cross

M. C. Baum, Clerk.

Masonic dge No 627.



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Hall over school building

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ness of the town.

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olls of Texas 156,946,934 acres of and, leaving approximately 11,000,500 acres of land not on the tax colls which is owned by the State, exempt from taxation, or assessed as own and city lots. The assessed value of land has increased from \$3.02 per acre in 1900 to \$6.51 per acre in 1910, making a total increase of \$550,000,000 in assessed land values and when we consider that land is assessed at probably less than 50 per cent of its true value, we seed an actual increase in farm land included in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the market is an annual event of importance in every household in the fruit of kings. It is invited into the parlors of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the hovel of the great and is welcomed in the fruit of kings. It is invited into the parlors of both hemispheres. It has met its rival at home and abroad on most every table on the globe and by its natural beauty and delightful personality it has conquered all competitions and the fruit of kings. It is invited into the parlors of both hemispheres. It has met its rival at home and abroad on most every table on the globe and by its natural beauty and delightful personality it has conquered all competitions and the fruit of kings. It is invited into the parlors of both hemispheres. It has met its rival at home and abroad on most every table on the globe and by its natural beauty and delig values and when we consider that land is assessed at probably less than 50 per cent of its true value, we find an actual increase in farm land alone of \$1,100,000,000. The Federal Census reports verify this estimate by crediting us with a net gain of \$1,130,939,000 or 163 per cent during the past decade.

According to the reports of our Railroad Commission we have built 3952 miles of railroad during the past decade and it is estimated that a mile of railroad will add \$64,000 per mile to adjoining property. Railroad construction alone has added a quarter of a billion dollars to land values. The facilities on all roads have been increased, enabling the products to reach the market earlier and in better condition, thereby increasing the value of production. The improvement of our public highways has had its effect in increasing values and the immigration agents are entitled to a large share of credit for our development.

Our rural population in 1900 was 2,488,838 and in 1910 the census reports give us 2,958,838, making an increase of 469,592 people on our farms. The wealth per capita of season in crease during the peach season.

our canneries during the peach

reports give us 2,998,808, making an increase of 469,592 people on our farms. The wealth per capita of farm lands and buildings of our rural population in 1900 was \$160 and in 1910 it was \$347 per capita, making an increase of \$187 per The peach industry has been pouring into the channels of trade a golden steam of wealth. The farm value of the peach production in 1910 is estimated as high as \$7,000,000. The rapid growth of the industry during the past decade and the wide extension of the commercial peach belt has been one of the marvels of our development.

At first the Texas peach entered the market under an assumed name.

the market under an assumed name masquerading as a California product, but it soon threw off its disguise and like all native Texans outstripped its competitors and today it is master of the world's trade.

The recent shipment of lumber on the steamship Nora to Canada from Galveston was the first made from this port to that country many years. The Nora was loaded with a million feet of Texas pine for Dorchester, New Brunswick. This shipment is significant of the great demand for the better quality of Texas lumber in the Canadian ities of that section, as their lumfor about half the price of pine,

Why do we send our cotton to New England to get it made into the cloth that we have to buy back at three times its cost and with the addea charges for transporting i several thousand miles? The quest ion is to simple for an answer Truly Texas needs more factories.

It is estimated by manufacturers that a bale of cotton trebles in value in the process of manufacture. er' clubs has been the order in a Hence, if only twenty five per cent number of Texas towns. Whether of our cotton were manufactured in cotton crop would be increased Great things are only accomplished fifty per cent, or one hundred million dollars. Let's get more factor ies and keep this money at home.

For the man who would build home where the conditions of life is no better way to stimulate an are most nearly ideal are where nature works with man and no nersation lags, start it by saying against him, Texas smiles a radian

or some other man's business as a boomerang. As the wealth of 'Home Trade Talk' is the best home industry increases the wealth way in the world to help the busi- of the state, the county and the community-our own wealth.

> Prof. Steele, of Dressy, was in town Saturday.



Statistics show that all of the in order to get our business.

that our politicians have scooped boundary lines join, out unlearned knowledge to the people. Business men who have spent years of patient study and spent years of patient study and toil in the mastery of problems of industry have been compelled to have taken to the tall timbers. Busihear amateur statesmen settle off the study of the statement of the study of the study of the statement of the sta hand propositions that have puzzled be solved by business men. them for a lifetime. Men who have risked their fortunes and spent the cream of their lives in promoting industry have been compelled to listen to loud mouthed braggarts impugn their motives and malign

The Agricultural and Industrial Department of the Cotton Belt Rail- Mr. Pierce formerly lived in the Cross Plains country. way has inauguarated a movement tor the purpose of inducing immi kinder has to' wonder back now chester is situated in a timber gration to Texas. On October 22nd and then. opinion that there will soon be a of Texas and other states along the route of the Cotton Belt, left St. Louis for a 3,000 mile trip, cover ing parts of eleven states, the trip to consume sixty days. The car will go through Southern Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania and New York and from there to Lower Canada and lower peninsula of

Dispatches have brought to a state as it is to raise cotton factories in England could Chicago the most doleful predica- dustrial wealth's a bulwark of peace be located in an area of ten square ment of Fred Terron, stockman, and he who honorably increases a miles. Texas cotton last year cover- Regularly the name of Mr. Terron's state's wealth adds a substantial acres. Yet the State or county would be appended glory to her name. Englishman made twice as much but the corrospondents were unable out of the staple in 1910 as the to enlighten the world further about Texan. These are cold figures and the stockman because he himself R. C. Atwwood (Jack Frost) not very pleasant to think about does not know in which of four was in town Tuesday on business. when we consider that we are wear-ing English-made goods manufact-puzzling not to say embarrassing, renewing his "punishment". Mr. ured from our own cotton. How above all when he visits foreign Atwood says he is still holding his can we secure factories for Texas? parts and wants to put his place of cotton for a better price. Here's By using made in-Texas products. habitation on the hotel register with hoping he gets it. Patronize home industries and they his name. He is literally a man will come to us. They will have to without a state. He gets up each Colorado, which his wife prepared purchases at Shackelfords lumber in Arizona and smokes his pipe yard. We are not suffering so much after supper in New Mexico. He rom the predatory wealth of our carries on all these multifold acticitizens as from the predatory wis- vities under his own roof tree, since Saturday evening. He said they dom of our politicians. The re his ranch extends into the four had ginned 691 bales of cotton up pentant rich never flung unearned States mentioned and his house octor to that time, and thought they riches to the poor with the avidity cupies the exact point where the would get about 25 more.

W. L. Pierce, of Oplin was in town this week and came in and 1e- Farmers Co-operative Gin Co, newed his subscription to the Review we are glad to welcome him to the

Dont fail to call for tickets with

Bob Cross was over from Dressy

L. F. Parten, who lives between Many political educators have Sabanno and Scranton was in town

Every good road in a community old home place three miles south of town and move to his farm two of town and move to his farm two miles west of Cross Plains. - Cottonwood Courier.

Mr Booth is connected with the

The reason W. E. Melton sells so many tailored suits is because he guarantees the fit, guarantees the It is just as much a form of quality and guarantees that the price patriotism to build up the wealth of is as cheap as hand me-downs

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Many Parents Doubtful of Wisdom of Sending Their Boys and Girls There.

Shall we send our boys and girls to college? That is still an open question in the minds of many parquestion in the minds of many parents who are not convinced of what they have seen of graduates and undergraduates that the years spent in separations and supposedly in study pay. The answer to this question, we think, may often be found in the wish and ambition of the boy or girl. To cross the settled desire of a thoughtful boy must always be a doubtful matter. The real question is whether the unthoughtful and the unambitious should be sent. Many of these may be waked up to ambiunambitious should be sent. Many of these may be waked up to ambition in college, but their chances of success in life will be much greater if they enter with a strong initial purpose and desire. It might be well if fathers and mothers were this summer to question their sons and daughters who are nearing the college entrance age to ascertain whethlege entrance age to ascertain whether they have given any real thought to what the college opportunity stands for to themselves in particu-lar. If the nebula of childish thinking that goes with so many of the examinations could be reduced to definite points of light before entrance it would greatly simplify the task of the colleges and increase the chances of success in life for every student. There was a wise father, himself a successful educator of boys, who insisted that his sons should have at least a year's experience in business before they went to college. Their success in various walks of life has amply vindicated the wis-dom of his plan.—The Congrega-tionalist

#### NOT SO FAR FOR MAD TO GO



Hewitt-Which can get more an-Jewett—It's much easier for a thin man to get mad clear through.

#### CHEESE AS FOOD.

Cheese contains all the essentials of human food, according to a pamphlet recently issued by the department of agriculture. The popular belief that cheese, even when green or unripened, is difficult of digestion is not justified. The milk solids in cheese are very digestible and make an almost perfect food. With the addition of rennet and the development of lactic acid in cheese-making, some chemical changes take place; but these do not transform digestible solids in milk into indigestible solids in cheese. The digestive distubances attributed to peculiarities in the cheese itself are probably due merely to over-eating, or to the custom of eating cheese only at the close of the meal, when one has already had more than enough food.

#### TWO MILLION YEARS OLD.

An important discovery recently made in Spain appears to place be-yond doubt the existence of primi-tive man in the Pliocene period— say between one million and two million years ago. Simple and roughly fashioned tools were found associated with rocks and fossils which undoubtedly belong to this period. Modern discoveries have greatly extended knowledge of man's antiqui-ty, and have shown that the human Ice period which succeeded the Plio- West Texas from a commercial

#### PILOT LIKE HIS NAME.

"My, how the car slips and slides! I must discharge this chauffeur. "But perhaps he'll improve if you

give him a chance."
"Impossible. His name is Skidmore."—Life.

#### QUITE EVIDENT.

"I found a rare biography of Amerigo Vespucci in a book store brought in Friday, October 20th

# POPULAR VOTING CONTEST

### Diamond Ring, Organ and Other Valuable Articles Given Away by Certain Firms in Cross Plains.

A rumber of enterprising business men of Cross Plains have interested themselves in giving away absolutily FREE, a beautiful Diamond Ring, Gold Watch, Organ and other handsome gifts. The organ is to be given to the organization in the country (no organization in Cross Plains being permitted to enter contest) receiving the greatest number of votes and the diamond ring and other articles to individuals from time to time, receiving the greatest number of votes.

The plan is a noval one and commends itself to the public, there being no outlay on the part of any one other than the people are doing this to stimulate cash trade, and at the same time bestow valuable gifts that will be permanent advertisement for them.

Briefly stated the plan is this: Each firm that is interested in the contest is provided with voting tickets and for ten cents worth of goods purchased or work done, issue a ticket entitling the holder to one vote. The tickets can be voted for the church, school, lodge or club and any individual of the purchaser's

A 10 cent purchase entitles the holder to one vote, 20 cents to two votes, \$1.00 to ten votes, \$5 to votes and so on. Tickets can only be had from firms who have secured interest in contest and on cash purchase; the number of votes on each ticket should be made with ink or indelible pencil. Ns charge whatever made for tickets. You vote for the organization and individual of your choice on each ticket. Each week the votes will be counted and the standing of the contestants announced in the Cross Plains Review. A disinterested committee will be selected to count the votes. At the close of the contest, April 24th, 1912, the organ will be awarded the organization having received the greatest number of votes, and the diamond ring to the individual receiving the greatest number of votes from beginning to end of contest. The following firms will supply tickets free of charge on lines of goods mentioned and explain all about the contest.

Cross Plains Mercantile Co., Dry Goods, Notions, Gents Furnishinfs, Clothing. (no tickets on groceries or hardware.)

Cash Grocery Co., Staple and Fancy Groceries, Feed.

The Racket Store, B. F. Adkisson, Prop., Novelties, Glassware, Tinware Everything, Anything.

C. S. Boyles, Hardware, Buggies, Harness, Guns, etc.

F. P. Shackelford, Lumber and Building Material.

City Drug Store, Drugs, Druggist Sundries, Jewelery, Diamonds, Cigars etc Cross Plains Furniture Co., Furniture, Art Squares, Rugs, etc.

Cross Plains Review, Subscriptions, and Printing.

The Farmers National Bank, appreciates and solicits your business. (no

# REMEMBER That you can get tickets ONLY at places above mentioned, that all tickets voted will be kept until close of contest and will be

subject to investigation at any time, insuring a fair contest. No lady connected with any firm in contes will be permitted to enter contest as a candidate, and no salesman is permitted to solicit votes from customers.

### Five Handsome Special Gifts

FIRST SPECIAL GIFT is a handsome umbrella for the lady getting the most votes by Nov. 24, 6 p m SECOND SPECIAL GIFT is a magnificant cut glass water set for the lady getting the most votes between Nov. 24th, and Dec. 24th, 6 p. m.

THIRD SPECIAL GIFT is a beautiful locket and chain for the lady getting the second highest vote between Nov. 24, and Dec. 24. (this makes two gifts to be given away Dec. 24. FOURTH SPECIAL GIFT is a valuable carving set for the lady getting the most votes between Dec-

24th, and Jan. 24th, 6 p. m. Carving set at Boyles' Hardware Store.

FIFTH SPECIAL GIFT is an Elgin or Waltham gold watch for the lady getting the most votes te-

tween Jan. 24th, and Feb. 24th, 6 p. m.

DIAMOND RING AND ORGAN Lady getting the most votes from beginning of contest to close so same will be awarded the diamond ring, and the organization having the greatest number of votes secur the organ. Keep in mind that you can enter the contest at any time and have just as good opportunity to get some of the special gifts as those already in the contest. The ladies securing these special gifts will not be dropped from the contest, but will continue until close. All votes count for the ring and orgad Voting box, Diamond Ring, Watch, Umbrella, Locket and Chain and Cut Glass Water Set at the

City Drug Store, Organ to be at Cross Plains Furniture Company.

## EMORY STEPHENS

Painting and Paperhanging. Sign work a Specialty. See me

# GAS AT TRICKHAM 1,200.000 CUBIC FEET

be was in existence long before the important discovery ever made in from Shreveport. standpoint is the big flow of natural gas struck a few days ago two miles west of Trickham, Coleman county on land controlled by Fred W. Turner; a discovery that means the development on a large scale of manufacturing and other industries that have been slow to enter this part of the state because of the high price of fuel. Not only that but in a hundred other ways will benefits accrue. Although the well was terday." the find was not announced until Saturday, when Fred W. Turner

All Work Guaranteed from Santa Anna, 20 miles from once put in a pipe line and utilize change.

Brownwood, Mr. Turner has been the gas for manufacturing purpose. drilling for oil in the Trickham country for the past few years, and recently he started a new well at a point two miles west of the town. In this well, at a depth of 951 feet the driller struck a flow of gas that proved to be a wonder to West

tifically and then with greatest diffibusiness. What is undoubte ly the most culty it was capped by an expert The test showed the remarkable flow of 1,200'000 Take the Review.

the facts of the case in a modest manner, saying that he did not care for newspaper notoriety.

Mr. Turner, with prominent citizens of Brownwood visited the field last week and are confident their new strike will pan out well. There is no telling what will come of the company.

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The facts of the case in a modest with gold flowers on it all 'round,' said the little maid.

"But, my dear," explained her parent, "papa has a nice one, just like that, already."

"No he here't bis little dearch." land in Coleman county near the is no telling what will come of the Trickham community. Trickham find. If it proves what it is supis off the railroad and is 10 miles posed to be Brownwood will at

> The best way to torce the price of cotton up is to plant peanuts, sow alfalfa and raise hogs. In short 'Diversify'

Mr. Smith, and Dr. Meers, of The gas flow was measured scien- Burkett were in town this week on

# **NEW GOODS** Recieved

We are receiving our Fall and Winter Goods and ask that you come in see them and get prices before going elsewhere. We will save you money.

### SMITH & ADAMS gave out the information. He told

HOW WAR HELPS A NATION BOY SCOUTS IN RUSSIA

Sir Reginald Hart Says It Consolidates a People While Long Peace is Disintegrating.

Peace for a nation is like a sleep for an individual, it gives time for rest and recuperation. But we must not sleep too long or we infallibly deteriorate. Peace is a disintegrating force, whereas war consolidates a people. War is no doubt a dreadful ordeal, but it clears the air, and refines the race as fire purifies the gold and silver in the furnace. Nations, like individuals, ultimately benefit by their chastenings—this is one of the mysteries of nature.

So long as any people, white, black, brown or yellow, hold weapons in their hands we must not commit the folly of beating our swords into plowshares.

The sufferings of man and beast in war are horrible beyond description, and yet, is it not true that it is not in war, but in peace, and in great commercial prosperity that our worst vices are developed, fostered, and grow rank? With our material prosperity we become self-indulgent, luxurious, inconsideraate, selfish and even unmanly. In war many of the noblest traits in human nature assert themselves and a high sense or honor comes before everything.—Sir Reginald Hart. B. C., in Nineteenth Cen-

#### MYSTERIOUS RUINS IN PERIL

Remains of Great City Near Lake Titicaca of Which Even the Incae
Knew Nothing.

On the plateau adjoining Lake Titticaca in Peru, the largest lake in South America, are found the ruins of a city as large as Boston. The stone walls of the principal buildings are of excellent workmanship and the gateways are elaborately carved. Some of the single stones weigh over 150 tons. There is some evidence that the inhabitants were the original discoverers of corn and potatoes. At all events, they were skilled masons and had attained an organized civilization. The origin of these ruins was as much a mystery 900 years ago, as is shown by the earliest records of the Incas, as it is now. At present the region in which they are situated is cold and arid and entirely incapable of ripening cereals. It is inhabited by a few hardy mountaineers. It is evident that the climate is entirely different from what it was when the plateau was the center of a large population. This change must be due to the elevation of the mountains on the east, and perhaps of the entire plateau.

#### LATE INFORMATION.

The little maid stood in the doorway, one hand on the handle. moment she gazed thoughtfully at her father, who was preparing to take his afternoon siesta.

"Papa," she said, "do you know what I'm going to give you for your birthday when it comes?"

"No, he hasn't," his little daughter answered thoughtfully, "cos—l've just dropped it!"—Ex-

#### OSCAR LIKED THE TITLE.

Miss Kitty Cheatham had an encounter with Oscar Hammerstein which is worthy of relating.

Miss Cheatham was making a Fourth of July call on Ambassador Reid in London, and on the steps she met Oscar, who raised his tall hat and bowed low. He clung to Miss Cheatham's side as she entered the

"Stay by me," begged "You can make them all believe that." 

#### LOTS OF MOVING.

Angry Landlord-You've either got to pay your back rent right now or get out.

Tenant-All right, I'll get out. By the way, have you seen furniture car No. 999 today?

"Not that I know of. Isn't one furniture mover as good as an-

"Yes, but I've got a yearly con-act with him."—New York Weekly.

Tiny Warriors Go Throug Their Evolutions Under the l'ye of the Emperor.

The review of the boy scouts by the czar at St. Petersburg was a de-lightful spectacle. The vast expanse of the Mars field was checkered by the scarlet, green, white and khaki uniforms of the tiny warriors, whose evolutions were watched with delight by immense crowds. The bright sun-

shine was tempered by a breeze.

As the emperor and his suite rode down the lines, greeting each detachment, the boys answered in Russian soldier fashion: "We wish good health to your majesty." Each separate command then demonstrated its special aptitudes. To the accompaniment of their own bands they went through drills and gymnastic exercises. The Tashkent battalion produced some crealist fewers, the duced some excellent fencers; the Odessa contingent, 1,000 strong, showed admirable training; there was a football team, which kicked the ball among the imperial suite, much to the czar's amusement; and small firemen climbed dummy houses. The march past of the 6,000 boys lasted 40 minutes. One little drummer was five years old. A tiny brigade had a tiny ambulance drawn by a donkey. The czar, who was hugely delighted, thanked each detachment, and after the review expressed his gratitude to he officers and the schoolmasters.

The movement is growing rapidly. Russia will soon have 200,000 boy soldiers.

#### A SURE THING



Customer—Is this cough medicine

good thing?
Druggist (absently)—It is, for the

#### KEEP SHOULDERS STRAIGHT.

Comparatively few people have really evenly balanced shoulders; there may not be much difference according to the casual observer, but a cording to the casual observer, but a dressmaker or tailor will make no secret of the fault. Of course, padding is resorted to, but this does not always remedy the fault. The worse the deformity the more patient and persistent effort is required. Because the right shoulder dips just a trifle, do not ignore the fact, for middle age will find the trouble to have progressed considerably. Take your place in a stiff backed chair and practice raising and lowering the higher shoulder for 20 to 30 times a day. In fact, practice this exercise day. In fact, practice this exercise whenever the occasion will permit. Keep the back erect against the back of the chair, and you will soon see an improvement.

#### THUS A MISSION EXPANDED.

Ten years ago the Rev. P. N. Tsu, now the rector of the only self-sup-porting native church of the Protesporting native church of the Protestant Episcopal mission in China—St. Savior's, Shanghai—came to Wusih with two boys and lived on his boat until he could establish a mission. He was soon joined by the Rev. G. F. Mosher. The work has expanded, as it does in all stations where men can be supplied, until there are now two nouse, and she introduced him to the military and naval attaches as the "world's greatest impresario."

"Stav. by "ma" the compounds—on one a dispensary and residence, on the other the chapel, a woman's building, a residence for the missionaries, and soon there." a church and a catechists' school.— From the Spirit of Missions.

#### TRUE AUTHORITY.

Self-government, with tenderness. Here you have the condition of all authority over children. The mother should consider herself as her child's sun, a changeless and ever-radiant world, whither the small, creature, quick at tears and laughter, light, fickle, passionate, full of storms, may come for fresh stores of light and warmth, of calm and courage. The mother represents the dia child dipends on what its mother and father are, not on what they say.

# Guaranteed Silverware

New Exclusive Brand. Lilly Pattern. Ask for ticket showing how for Only A Few Cents you can get this Guaranteed Silverware by Cash Trading at this Store

### MEN'S DEPARTMENT

Is full of the very best, such as: Wright Health Underwear, Hart-Schaffner-Marx Clothes, Worth Hats, Brown Shoes One Look and We'll Sell.

### Dress Goods & Millinery Department

We absolutely Challenge any to Compare Prices with us—Considering Quality. Beautiful Line of Skirts, Fur Coats, Sweaters, Etc.

10 per cent Reduction on Millinery Goods.

### GROCERY D'PARTMent

PEACE MAKER FLOUR. We offer you \$1,000 to show us a Flour that has won as many premiums as "PEACEMAKER" Let Us Figure Your Bill

The Most Goods for the Least Money. We Share Profits.

Ask for a Ticket.

# CARTER & KENADY, General Merchants

ers union of Texas, while in the city Wednesday from his home in Texarkana, expressed confidence in the ability of the union farmers operatabove what it is at present.

have lectured, recommending this along, but conditions are changing. plan, the farmers, merchants and the bankers have adopted it with beneficial results," Mr. McCormick declared, "and I am glad to see the number of counties in which this cooperation is being adopted increasing only 50 cents.

The plan is for a farmer to take his TO HOLD COTTON The plan is for a farmer to take his cotton to town, store it in a warehouse and insure it, and then go and Fort Worth, Nov. 1.-F. M. Mc merchant and banker; tell them that thing we offer Cormick, vice president of the farm-the cotton is too low to get its real THE RACKET STORE. worth at this time, and ask their cooperation to hold the cotton until the price becomes remunerative. There is no merchant who knows day on business. ing through the plan recommended his business or banker who is wideby the national and state presidents, awake, that will force a farmer to to hold enough cotton off the mar- throw his cotton on the market at ket to force the price considerable an unfair price. The trouble has been that nobody cared enough a-In a number of counties where I bout cotton producers to help them

> Keep in your mind that you ca have your suit pressed at W. E. Melton's store on 8th street for

## CASH CUUNIS

Selling and buying for Cash only have a confidential talk with his means the lowest prices on every-

Ted Archer was in town Thurs

For that big shipment of china samples, THE RACKET STORE has coming.

with friends Thursday,

### WAIGH THE HACKET STUHE

For Holiday Goods.

Cotton sold Thursday morning for 9;75 in Cross Plains. Come on in the water's fine.

THE RACKET STORE will have a big line of Holiday goods.

Mrs. Wright is visiting in Hico and Waco this week.

### OUR CASH PLAN

others. THE RACKET STORE.

Remember when you buy those All Leather shoes at W. E. Melton's you get a box of oil polish free of

Shackelford's lumber yard handles Devoe and B. P. S. Paints.

# NOTICE LADIES

I have moved my Millinery goods to the Central Hotel and they will be on sale every afternoon. Come in and look through.

Mrs. Stewart.

What do you need to keep you warm? Heaters, Cloaks, Bed Blankets and all kind of clothing. Carter & Kenady.

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#### Charter Oak Heaters and Cook Stoves at Carter & Kenady's

Luther Lyles and family left this week for their home in Cisco.

Buy your wall paper from Shack-

Mrs. T. T. McCord was quite sick Wednesday and Thursday. She is better at present.

# HORSES FOR SALE

30 head of horses and mares for Uncle Tom Norrell, of Cotton-wood, was in town shaking hands pay the bad debts incured by sale cheap, broken and unbroken. Apply to J. L Murray, Cottonwood

> Anything from a 5 cent chili to a Porter house steak at the Crystal

For Sale-Several houses on installment, See Cash Lumber Co.

#### WE SELL

Linseed Oil Harvester Oil Machine Oil Gun Oil Axle Oil Harness Oll Neat's foot Oil Gas Engine Oil Axle Grease · and Cup Grease

C. S. Boyles

### A. F. UPTON, M. D. Physician and Surgeon

Calls Answered Promptly

Day or Night

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TEXAS

# Central Meat Market JONES & SON, Proprietors



Fresh Meat at All Times. I am here at all times, early and late, and am giving the people Good Tender Meat at reason-

IN CENTRAL BUILDING,

Cross Plains

# MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

GIVEN AWAY

Is Trade Day again at Cross Plains, and a Big Crowd is expected. Bring in Your Trading Stock and Get Busy. The Trade Day Committee has arranged for the following prizes:

# SACK RACE PRIZE \$5.00

Distance to be 50 Yards and No One Weighing Under 200 Pounds can enter this race.

# POTATO RACE, PRIZE \$5.00

Distance 80 Yards. Rider to be timed from time he starts until he gets potato at end of 80 yards and returns to place of starting.

# BRONCO RIDER, PRIZE \$5.00

The worst "Outlaws" in the whole country will be here that day, and the rider will have all he can do, and the crowd will get their money's worth. Bring your worst horse and have him rode. Lots of Fun and Excitement. Bring the whole family.

# Remember Monday, Nov. 20

(Third Monday Every Month)

# TEXAS CENTRAL DAY -- AT --

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Wednesday, Nov. 15th. Round Trip Fare From

> CROSS PLAINS AND

On sale night November 14th. Limited to Return November 16th. 1911.

Mrs. Steward, Prop.

Nice, Clean Beds. Meals Well Cooked

I Solicit the patronage of everyone. When in town, come get a good hot dinner for 25 cents. Just feel at home

# THE VOTING

Miss Josie Goodman in the Lead and Miss Bessie Haley Second.

### DRESSY PUBLIC SCHOOL

In the Lead of Contestants for Organ. Remember the first Prize is Given Nov. 24

Quite a lot of interest is being shown in the Voting Contest. Below will be found the standing of the

Ladies List

Miss Josie Goodman	.88
" Bessie Haley	.56
" Abbie Ferguson	.559
" Mabel Hall	
" Era Davis	
" Gussie Odom	
" Etta Breeding	
" Elsie Cochran	
" Cora Baum	
" Ethel King	
" Beulah Irvin	
" Fannie Armstrong	
Organizations	
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Burkett Public School Caddo Peak School Burkett Baptist Church Crosscutt I. O. O. F. Crosscutt Methodist Church. Pioneer Public School. Liberty Public School ...... Cottonwood Public School.... Belle Plaine Public School. A number of enterprising busi-

ness men of Cross Plains have interested themselves in giving away absolutely FREE, a beautiful Diamond Ring, Gold Watch, Organ and other handsome gifts. The organ is to be given to the organization in the country (no organization in Cross Plains being permitted to enter contest) receiving the greatest number of votes and the diamond ring and other articles to individuals from time to time, receiving the greatest number of votes.

This plan is a novel one and commends itself to the public, there being no outlay on the part of any one other than the people are doing this to stimulate cash trade, and at the same time bestow valuable gifts that will be permanent advertisement

Briefly stated the plan is this: Each firm that is interested in the contest is provided with voting tickets and for ten cents worth of goods purchased or work done, issue a ticket entitling the holder to one vote The ticket can be voted for the church, school, lodge or club and any individual of the purchaser's

A 10 cent purchase entitles hold-

will be glad to see Trade Day.

er to one vote, 20 cents to two votes \$1 to ten votes, \$5 to 50 votes and so on. Tickets can only be had from & Co's. firms who have secured interest in contest and on cash purchase; the number of votes on each ticket should be made with ink or indelible pencil. No charge whatever made for tickets. You vote for the organization and individual of your Shoe Repair Man. choice on each ticket Each week the votes will be counted and the standing of the contestants announc-

ed in the Cross Plains Review. A

disinteresfed committee will be se-

If you would like to see some one Every one in this contest is supplied 19th. with Nominating blanks, and you paper. Fill it out and send to The Review. Voting box is located at will find a blank on last page of this The City Drug Store. A beautiful present will be given away every 30 days. Get busy.

The Review gives 10 votes on every subscription, either new or renewals. Call for tickets.

A Suit for you at Davis-Garner

W. E McKinney Rear Racket Store.

W. O. W. Lodge 778, Cross other than the ones nominated, get these prizes, then nominate them. E. J. Barr, Sunday evening Nov.

Emory Stephens has been quite busy lately painting the new school building at Burkett.

Suits for all the family-Davis-Garner & Co.

We understand Mr. Strahan has bought a traction engine for his pea-

Our Suits fit and the price fits Davis-Garner & Co.

J, W. Payne won 2nd prize Best work horse, offered by Carter and Kenady last Trade Day.

For First class Barber work.

Hot and Cold Baths, etc. The Very Best Laundry.

Frank Carpenter's Barber Shop

Boys Suits at all prices. Davis-Garner & Co.

Holiday Pictures at Upton & Swan? on the extension sold.

NEWS DISPATCH—Less Wells and Bud Arrowood left Tuesday in Buds' Big Car for Tucumcari, N. M. LATER;-We understand the foresaid gentlemem haven't gone yet. CAUSE; -Buds Big Car refused to leave Cross Plains.

Mr. Elliott, T. C. Agent says he sold 57 tickets to Waco and 22 to San Antonio for the excursion train Tuesday night. We understand Have you been to see the new this is more than all the other towns

We sell the clothing. Davis-Gar-

J. W. Montgomery says he will move to his place near Caddo Peak next week.

Buy your suit from Davis-Garner

For good work go to the City Tailor Shop. Suites pressed for 50 cents F. C. Upton, Manager.

Judge Blanton was sick when District Court convened Monday, and Judge J. H. Calhoun was sworn in to take his place. T. E. Powell s foreman of the Grand jury and W. H. Dawkins is secretary.

A large stock of Fancy vest at Davis-Garner & Co.

Dr. Leggett, of Desdemonia, was in town this week on business.

You can get your old suit made new again for \$1,00. City Tailor Shop.

Mr. Holbrook, of Runnells county visited his son J. E. Holbrook this Week.

Name your color and we have it in a suit, Davis- Garner & Co.

"Distance lends enchantment to the view" And it is also hard on old clothes, especially if a man is raveling on his shirt front. Frank Carpenter is still wondering why the blocming ducks didn't move.

What about that Suit? Davis-Gar-

Restaurants come, and restaurant go. but The Tone goes on for

When you get cream at McCord's your money stays at home, you also help the Ice man and the Dairy

The Tone the old reliable, oldest restaurant in Cross Plains, tis where the people eat.

WANTED: 100 pounds extra large soft shell pecans. See me at Boydstuns, Geo. Carter.

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WE HAVE IT IN ALL TheLATEST WEAVES and PATTERNS for WINTER

# The Recent Cold Spell

Should remind you that it is time to buy that Winter Suit and Overcoat. You will find the Very Best Clothing at our store, and at prices that will interest you. We bought quite an assortment and have something to please everyone. Be sure to come in and see us before buying your clothing. It

# Davis-Garner @ Company The Best is the Cheapest

lected to count the votes. At the close of the contest, April 24th, 1912 the organ will be awarded the organization having received the greatest number af votes, and the diamond ring to the individual receiving the greatest number of votes from beginning to end of contest.

Remember a beautiful unbrella will be given the ladv getting the most votes by Nov. 24. Get busy and win this valuable prize. Every vote that is voted now will be counted in the final contest for the Dia; mond Ring. Be sure to call for votes when making purchases. See that the girl and the organization of your choice gets the prizes offered. Below will be found list of contestants.

### \*\*\*\* Atee McCord's Confectionery

The place where they serve the two story cokes. The best ice cream all winter. Correct time for 90 cents. Special sale on 10 cent candy. Full line fruits, cigars and confections. Cox fancy chocolate coming-The best yet.

THE LATEST NEWS from everywhere can be had for very town this week on business, He little money in these days of rail-reports everything O. K. around ing-Davis-Garner & Co. oads, telegraphs and fast printing Atwell. presses. For only \$1.75 you can get three good newspapers a week for a year, namely The Cross Plains Review and the Dallas Semi-Weekly factory or money back. Davis-Farm News. This is a newspaper Garner & Co. combination that will give you, the latest news from near and far. The information they give is also reliable and unbiased. They give you the Central Monday. It occured befacts and you can form your own tween Rotan and Hamlin. We clusions. Subscribe at once for scalded. both papers through The Cross Plains Review.

Garner & Co.

Mr. Black, of near Atwell, was in

Our Clothing guaranteed satis-

There was a wreck on the Texas opinions and draw your own con-understand the engineer was badly

Upton & Swan will give a 16 by 20 picture tree with each ready Watch the green packages, Pavis made trame they sell in the next

# Come to the home of Good Cloth-

Bring us your Pictures and let us

Frame them. We understand the

Mr. Martin, of Sipe Springs was

in town this week on business and

was well pleased with the town and

country. He expects to return in

the near future and locate in the

Upton & Swan does Enlarging

Picture work: All work guaranteed.

Picture Business.

Cross Plains country.

# Go To THE CITY DRUG STORE

For Your SCHOOL BOOKS Full Line of State Adopted School Books.

Also Full Line Stationery and School Supplies

On Eighth Street Phone No. 23. Next Door to Gene Melton's.

The Crystal Cafe

Mararara da dadadam

We Serve Fresh Fish

and Oysters Every Day

Everything around the Crystal Cafe is kept strictly clean and sanitary, and everything is screened in. We

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Henson & Morris, Props.