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## TO BUILD AN INSTITUTION

So dependable that it will merit the confidence of everyone, to be so conservatively managed that there shall be no element of risk, to be helpfully liberal in assisting its worthy customers, to strive for a good name rather than great riches, to be of real service to the community, to maintain unbiased judgment and hold a firm faith in the future—this has been the purpose, is now the accomplishment and will continue to be the endeavor to which this Bank devotes the whole of its energies, its resources and its skill.

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## THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK

—Read Our Messages Appearing in Farm and Ranch—



OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

## ALL READY FOR OPLIN, BURKETT CROSS CUT MOTORCADE VISIT

### FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT CROSS PLAINS

Cross Plains, for a number of years, has maintained the merited distinction of being the BEST COTTON, PRODUCE MARKET AND TRADING POINT in this part of the country.

The business men here are progressive. Our Lions Club, whose work is identical with that of our former Chamber of Commerce, and other civic organizations are the best in any city of its size in Texas, and are ever ready to lend a helping hand to any worthy enterprise.

Cross Plains has many advantages. No city near its size in Texas has brighter prospects. Here every factor necessary for conservative, prosperous growth will be found. With the agricultural development in this section, along with the continued discovery of an apparently inexhaustible supply of oil and gas, Cross Plains offers opportunity to people engaged in nearly every line of endeavor.

The story about Cross Plains is a long one. To you who are anxious to get ahead, to you who like genuine and prosperous neighbors and large yields from small investments in city property or adjacent farming lands, in industry or business, COME TO CROSS PLAINS.

Population July, 1925, 1,000.  
Population July, 1928, estimated 3,000  
Number of bales of cotton marketed in Cross Plains each season will average about 6,000. Poultry and other produce sales will run into thousands of dollars.

Good churches, unexcelled educational facilities. Church investments increased \$50,000—within last three years.

Bank deposits over a million dollars. Accomplished within the past three years: \$40,000 improvements to water distributing system. \$45,000 modern sewerage system. Two new and modern school buildings to accommodate 800 pupils, completed at a cost of about \$70,000. All of business section paved with concrete, and other streets improved, at a cost of over \$53,000. Add to this about 150 new homes built within the last three years, and you will have an idea of the rapid growth of Cross Plains.

Market your cotton, sell your poultry and other produce, and trade in Cross Plains. You will profit by the choice.

Cross Plains is unusually fortunate in having secured the services of a versatile musician to train its young people who are interested in developing the latent possibilities.

Miss Dorothy Davis, a graduate of the Music Department of Southern Methodist University, has become associated with our school as music teacher.

Miss Davis, who holds the M. A. in Music, teaches piano, violin and voice. Those who wish for themselves or their children will take advantage of the opportunity which the presence of Miss Davis in the community affords.

Let all who are interested in the finer things of life do what they can to encourage and develop the musical interests of Cross Plains.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Donald Baum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Drew Baum, celebrated his second birthday with a party Tuesday afternoon. Those present were: Billy and Benjamin Wagner, Billy Wayne Marsh, Wayne Lanier Adams, Donald Clark, Wesley Baum, Edwin Jr., Neeb, Johnnie Frances Baldwin, Norma Louise Nichols, Ruth Lee Rumph and Leonard Baum.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bailey of Comanche, were in Cross Plains the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Anderson spent the week end in Dallas, Forth Worth, and Walnut Springs.

TRADE AT HOME

At the regular meeting of the local Lions Club, held in the banquet hall of the Presbyterian Church Tuesday of this week, all arrangements were completed for the good-will and get-acquainted visit to Oplin, Burkett and Cross Cut on Friday, Sept. 7th. The general program for the trip is now in the hands of a committee appointed at Tuesday's meeting, and is nearly identical with that outlined in our last week's mention of the visit. The Motorcade is scheduled to leave Cross Plains at an hour in the forenoon that will enable them to arrive at Oplin about eleven o'clock, returning to the Bayou for lunch and a brief rest. From that point the party will proceed to Burkett and Cross Cut in the afternoon. The manner in which lunch will be provided and served at the Bayou will be arranged and announced by the committee.

### SEPTEMBER A FINE MONTH

September stands for many good things. It is a time for business to let out a notch in the belt and get ready for expansion. It is a fine time.

September, and the children, must now start school.

September, and nearly all have returned from their vacations.

September and gray skies, a little snappier air; a few hot days, perhaps a few cool days, surely the beginning of fall.

September, the first of those four months with a "ber" on the end. The harvests are garnered or being garnered. Not just like spring, yet full of life and activity. Not just like summer, yet a time for all outdoor activity. Not just like winter, yet a little reminder that winter's opposite, summer is behind us. Only a touch of fall here and there. You can see it in the trees, you can feel it in the air, you can see it in the sky.

If all have lived brightly, joyously, honorably and conscientiously and industriously during the year until September, doesn't it seem that the rest of the year will take care of itself!

There is something wrong with one who does not rejoice in September. For there surely is nothing wrong with SEPTEMBER!

### DRESSY DOTS (BY COKER)

Cotton Picking has been the order of the day in Dressy community for the past ten days. Many fields are being picked and others are beginning daily. Our gin is running at almost full capacity. Before you have read this we will have ginned more than 200 bales.

There is a reason for this. We have a real gin man. A real gin and a real cotton growing territory. Furthermore we have a class of people who believe in helping one another to live. We will patronize our home gin as long as it can handle the business. We stand by our home churches, schools, our home merchant, and all things of community interest, when it becomes necessary to go to town we are near Cross Plains and the road is good. Say farmer: If you want to move to a home like community, among home like people, come to Dressy.

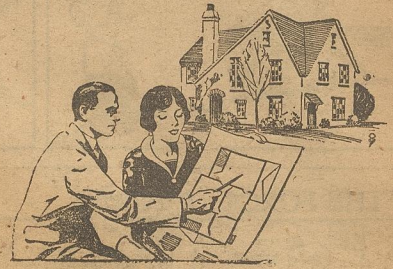
The Ladies Mission Society is giving a measuring party at Dressy M. E. Church Saturday night September 15th, everyone is invited to come and bring as many pennies as you measure inches around the waist. Refreshments will be served and prizes to uncle Walt, and Winnie Winkle. There will also be other interesting features.

FOR SALE—My home 2 blocks of school building, consisting of 1 acre of land. J. G. Saunders.

D. P. Rockmaker of Coleman was a Cross Plains visitor Saturday.

E. E. Lutz of Dallas owner of the Cross Plains picture shows, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. R. A. Antry and family of Coleman spent Sunday with Mrs Booth.



## Your Own Home

It is not beyond the means of any family to own their own home, especially with the help we are in a position to give those who are willing to help themselves. The plan that will buy your home is a matter for consultation. Drop in and talk it over.

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## MR. AND MRS. PEEVY HAVE FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Peavy had an interesting family re-union at their home in Cross Plains last Sunday. Among the family relatives present were H. H. Peavy and family of DeLeon, G. L. Peavy and family of Coleman, Mrs. R. E. Monsey of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Fullbright of Haskell county, and Mrs. Winnie Robbins, and two children. Mr. B. F. Peavy was 59 years old the third of last January and has been married forty years. He has three great-grand children.

A wolf dog that displayed more courage than common sense fought a family of rattlesnakes in their den at Aspermont last week. After the battle the dog was administered antivenom serum and will recover.

The dog, one of four belonging to Bill Wharton, invaded the snakes' den and fought the reptiles for more than an hour before aid arrived. The snakes had much the better of the argument. One dog was dead and another unconscious when the hunters arrived.

## HOLY LANDS PROGRAM AT THE PRES. CHURCH

A picturesque presentation of Palestine, through song, lecture and film, as seen by Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Cunningham on their recent tour of Holy Lands, will be given at the Presbyterian Church in Cross Plains, Wednesday night, September 12, commencing at 7:30. The program consists of an illustrated Bible story, entitled "The Reign of King Solomon." A small admission fee of 25c for adults and 15c for children will be charged.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Billie Mac Adams, who was 12 years old Saturday, September 1, celebrated his birthday with a lawn party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Adams.

Games were played and an ice course was served at a table decorated in pink and blue color scheme, with a birthday cake as center piece. The cake was decorated with pink candles. Cards, tied with pink and blue ribbon were given the small guests as favors.

## "STYLE HINTS FOR FALL"

Oxford Grey, Browns and Blue, are the leading colors for Fall Suits.

To simply measure you for a suit is not enough. It is part of my service to know the trend of things in the matter of style and fabric, and I studied it very closely for this season. I have 150 patterns ranging from—

**\$25.00 to \$35.00**

My cleaning and pressing department is fully equipped with the latest machinery, and skilled workmen, to operate it.

## JIM SETTLE'S DRY CLEANING

"ENEMY TO DIRT"

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The man who gets the furthest is the man who has a goal and works to reach that goal.

Your creed should be something like this.

—To Earn Money Honestly  
—To Spend it Intelligently  
—To Invest It Wisely  
—And To Save It Regularly  
Result—Success, Comfort, Independence  
We offer Co-operation

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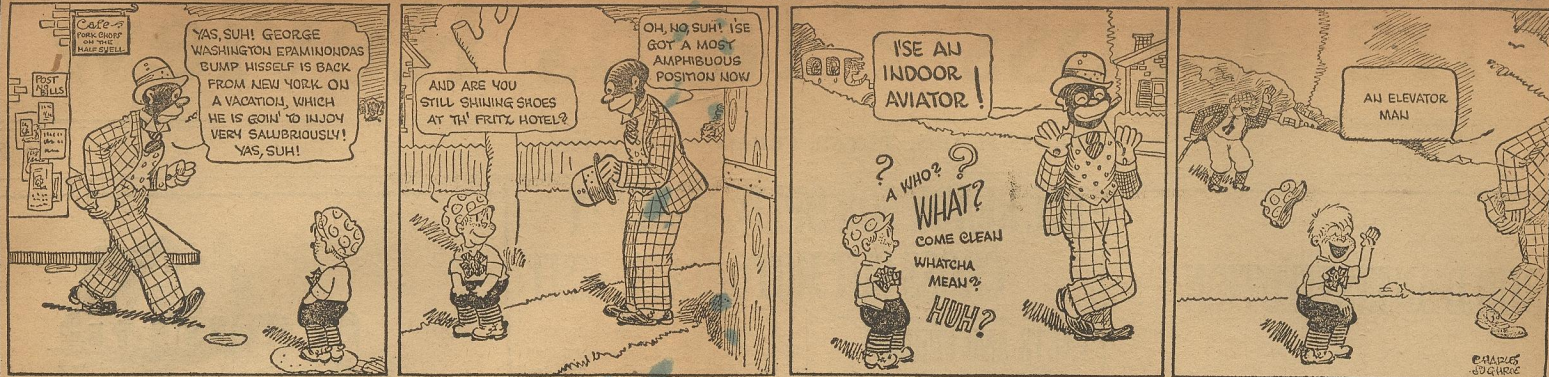
E. I. Vestal, Noah Johnson, Tom Bryant and J. B. Eubank, John P. Newton, Paul V. Harrell, Directors

The Comic Strip  
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THIS IS THE SAP WHO CALLS THE CHILDREN "KIDDIES."

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL.

By Charles Sughros  
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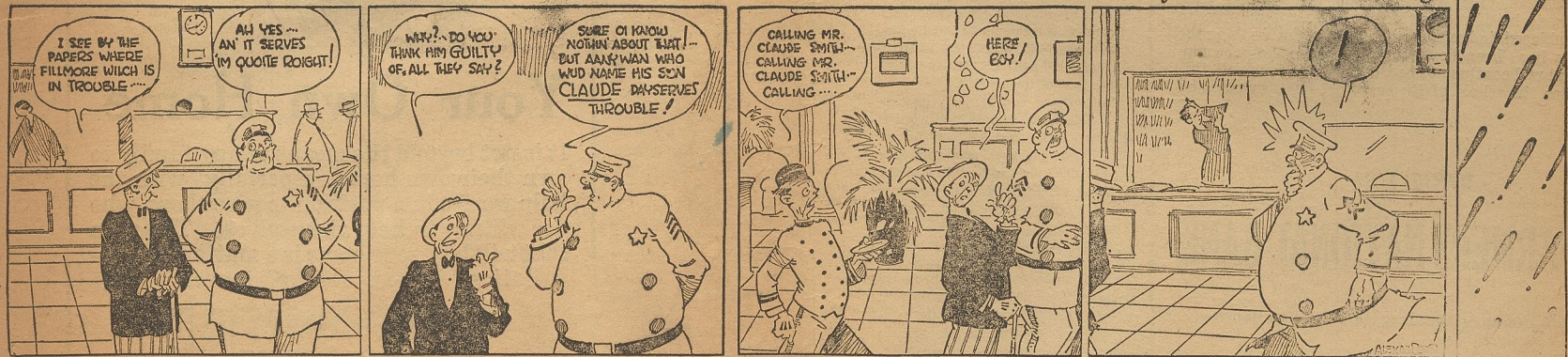
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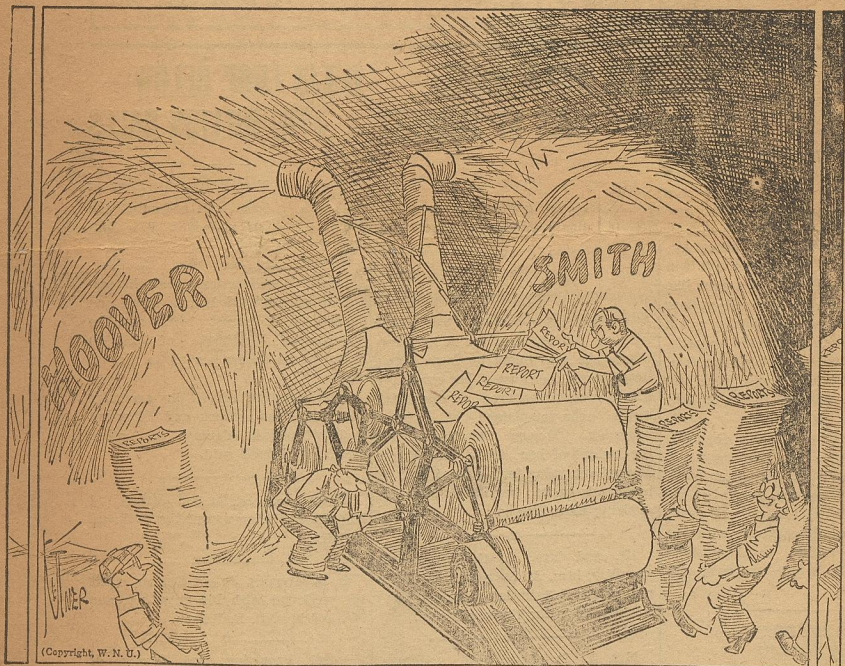
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Threshing Out the Straw Vote

Our Pet Peeve



THE FEATHERHEADS

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The Clancy Kids

Game Called  
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LOTTO IS POPULAR AMONG ITALIAN POOR

State Gets Revenue From the Weekly Drawings.

Rome.—Recent statistics show that what was called the game of games—playing state lotto—has lost its hold on all but the poorer players.

Every week in Rome there are as many as 130,000 players, and the number has never sunk below 100,000.

Hold Weekly Drawings.

The poor play because for nearly a week they are buoyed up with the hope of winning.

The next district where the lotto is popular is the Monte, third Campo Marzio, in the very center of Rome.

The weekly lotto is drawn in a palace in the center of Rome, close to the Piazza Colonna.

At two o'clock on the balcony is fixed a glass barrel with a handle to turn it around.

The excitement begins as the last three numbers, 33, 83, and 99, go into the barrel.

There are various ways of playing. Some people have a system by which they make a limited income by playing every week.

Play Method Varied.

The manner of playing differs according to the amount one wishes to stake.

Eat Rattlesnake

State College, Pa.—The evidence is that fried rattlesnake is delicious.

Toll of Floods for Year Is Enormous

Washington.—The Red Cross reported that 120,000 persons have been affected by floods in the Mississippi valley this year.

Romans have favorite numbers, the most popular of all are 15, 8 and 25.

DIG THREE MONTHS FOR POT OF GOLD

Aged Woman's Dream of Riches Starts Race.

Honolulu.—An aged woman's dream of buried treasure kept four men busy three months digging a lot 20 feet broad and 80 feet deep in a back yard in one of Honolulu's residential districts.

As they dug ancient Hawaiian charms were brought into use to protect them from evil spirits.

Mrs. Pele Keakuaiulau, ninety-nine years old, was the dreamer. In her vision, it was explained, she saw the Hawaiian goddess of fire and the volcano, Pele, pointing out a spot in the yard where there was buried \$25,000 in the five-cornered gold pieces of the old Hawaiian monarchy.

The excavation work went on for weeks before it came to official attention.

At the end of three months no treasure had been found, but the excavating continued.

A side light of the treasure hunt was the arrest of Kaalawa and John Muemue Niau, one of the diggers, on charges of "kahunauism" or witchcraft.

Metal Mining Staging Comeback in Colorado

Denver, Colo.—The metal mining industry in Colorado slowly is staging a comeback.

From 1850 to the beginning of the twentieth century, the state literally lived gold, silver and lead.

Then came the slump. Today, however, mining camps are "looking up."

Considerable activity is reported in Cripple Creek, one of the most famous of the old-time camps.

Leadville, boom town of the Rockies, is engaged actively in a new attempt to regain its former position in the mining world.

Prosperity is returning to Idaho Springs with its famed Argo tunnel, which pierces the heart of the rich gold-bearing district for more than seven miles.

Old Cliff Dwelling Is Used as a Garage

Phoenix, Ariz.—The ancient and modern are in strange combination at the home of Joseph Johnson, a Verde valley rancher, who has utilized a prehistoric cliff dwelling as garage for his automobile.

Sleeping Infant Holds Up Business of Court

San Francisco.—With all its dignity and authority, a Federal court bowed before the inalienable right of a baby to sleep, whenever and wherever the impulse is felt.

The infant whose somnolence slowed down the busy wheels of the Federal court was Harry Perdock, Jr., eight months old.

Large Families

Cossignano, Italy.—Of the 310 families in this village, 111 muster more than seven children living and 20 have more than ten.

The relief organization said the only reason why public attention has not been directed toward conditions this year is because they lack the dramatic features of the 1927 rise.

Not until Harry, Jr., had emerged from his nap, without legal pressure did the Federal court resume its business of making an American citizen of Mrs. Minnie Perdock.

ONLY 5 IN 100 WHO PLAY MARKET WIN

Outsiders Warned Failure Is Nearly Certain.

New York.—Not more than five out of every 100 persons who speculate in the stock market have any chance of quitting with a profit!

This is not a casual estimate, but a calculation carefully arrived at through a study of brokers' records by Fred C. Kelly, financial writer, who analyzes the current record-breaking market operations in an article written for the Cosmopolitan.

Of the estimated 12,000,000 Americans, most of them newcomers to speculation, who are "playing the market," the 5 per cent of winners is made up almost entirely of hardened, experienced speculators who have plentiful capital, Mr. Kelly finds.

But a handful of outsiders do tangle into easy money, and it is the tales of their quickly won wealth, rather than the recital of the millions of failures, that draw new millions into the stock market game yearly.

"I know a hard-working stenographer who learned the market by noting the methods of her employer," writes Mr. Kelly. "For three years she made her own clothes, went without vacations or minor luxuries to save what she needed to start a little speculative account.

Of the failures the investigator countered, one man lost his life savings of \$8,000, an elderly woman lost all she had, \$900, with which she had planned a trip home; an experienced operator saw his capital reduced from \$75,000 to \$3,000 within a trading week.

To test the value of the tips on which most inexperienced speculators do their buying, Mr. Kelly played the market "on paper" for several months.

However, the Cosmopolitan writer finds another and brighter aspect to the record-breaking period of market activity which has extended over the past four years.

Little Investors Multiplying. "The average stockholder of the New York Central railroad owns only 62 shares today," he points out.

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SIMPLE SCHOOLGIRL CLOAKS; GAY COLOR IN SPORTS WEAR

AND again the scene shifts as it has a habit of doing in autumn time, from vacationland back to schoolroom and campus.

Judging from what one sees and hears in fashion's realm, the schoolgirl clothes problem is the issue supreme at the moment.

Autumn's sports togs say it or rather shout it with loud color. The new sweaters are perfectly gorgeous in russet, brown, red, yellow and golden tints.

Between tweed and chinchilla there is considerable rivalry. Tweed coats have durability and they always look attractive.

The call for browns and russet colors is very insistent, owing to the fact that these colors dominate throughout the fall color spectrum.

Among style features emphasized is the scarf. Sometimes it is just a simple strap scarf to fasten the collar in place.

By the way note the choker necklace which completes this sports ensemble. If one would be ultra-modern it is very necessary that a touch of costume jewelry complete the sports wear picture.

And as you can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with strong drugs?

A bottle will last several months, and all can use it. It is pleasant to the taste, gentle in action, and free from narcotics.

Rememore they are a doctor's prescription and can be taken by the entire family. All Druggists 25c and 75c Red Packages.

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each end. Cape coats are in fashion, too. The fact that the capes are detachable increases their adaptability to the season's needs.

One of the fascinating things about the individual costume this season is that it "looks the part" it is to play.

Anybody can tint or dye successfully with true, fadeless Diamond Dyes. Tinting with them is as easy as bluing, and dyeing takes just a little longer.

My new 64-page illustrated book, "Color Craft," gives hundreds of money-saving hints for renewing clothes and draperies.

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The Easiest Way to Keep in Style

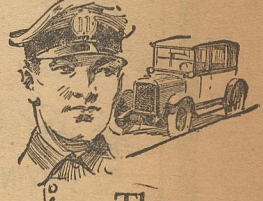
By MAE MARTIN



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The Taxi Driver

I use Champion Spark Plugs because they help to make my service more dependable.

Champion is the better spark plug because it has an exclusive silt-manite insulator especially treated to withstand the much higher temperatures of the modern high-compression engine.

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The treated constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots.

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## Pick These Bargains for Saturday

*It's Bargain-Picking  
Time In Texas!*



It's Cotton Picking Time in Texas! The fields are whitening, pickers are singing, and gins are humming. Looks like Prosperity for this great section this fall!

Here in Cross Plains, Housewives are "Picking" BARGAINS every day at Helpy-Selfy. Follow the crowds to Helpy-Selfy; grab a big basket and pick around all over the convenient store filled with known quality foods at LOWEST PRICES!

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### SUGAR

10 POUNDS  
LIMIT **67c**

### CRISCO

9 Pound  
Pail **\$2.00**

COMPOUND 8 POUND  
4 POUND

\$1.16  
69c

LETTUCE--NICE CALIFORNIA ICE BERG 8c  
PER HEAD

CABBAGE--PER POUND -- -- 3c

SAUSAGE--PURE PORK PER POUND --- 21c

CATSUP--WHITE SWAN LARGE BOTTLE - 24c

TOMATOES--NO 1 CAN 2 FOR --- 14c

BANANAS--PER POUND --- 7c

CELERY--NICE LARGE BUNCH--EACH - - 15c

### BEANS

WAPCO RED OR LIMA  
3 CANS 25c

### BACON

1 POUND BOX SWIFT OR  
ARMOURS 47c

### VINEGAR

WHITE SWAN  
WATER PITCHER  
AND SIX GLASSES \$1.00

POST TOASTIES--LARGE PER PKG - - 11c

PICKLES--NO 2 1-2 CAN DILL - - - 24c

BACON--DRY SALT PER POUND - - - 21c

VERMECELLI --O. B. PKG - - - 6c

OLIVES--QUART JAR LIBBY'S - - - 49c

CORN--2 NO 2 CANS - - - 25c

MUSHROOMS--BANDOR PER CAN - - 53c

BUTTER--ALTAVISTA CREAMERY--PER POUND - 49c

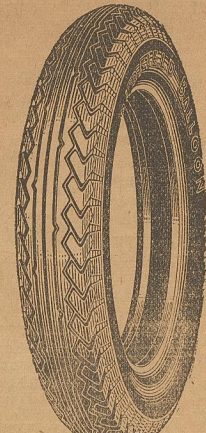
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29x4.40	<b>\$7.35</b>
30x4.50	<b>7.85</b>
31x5.25	<b>12.45</b>
33x6.00	<b>16.95</b>

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LOWEST PRICED STANDARD TIRES IN  
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#### HEFNER-PYLE WEDDING

The marriage vows of Mr. S. J. Hefner and Miss Carolyn Pyle were solemnized at the home of the bride Saturday evening September first at eight o'clock.

This was one of those quiet, impressive home weddings which impress you with the solemnity of marriage, and at the same time leaving abiding with you the joyous atmosphere that should attend the uniting of two who have pledged their troth. Only the immediate members of the family were present and while Mrs. Ernest Pyle gave so beautifully the wedding music, the Rev. S. P. Collins read the ring ceremony which made them husband and wife.

Mr. Hefner is not so well known in this community but is prominent and highly respected in his home community near Amarillo, Texas. Miss Carolyn Pyle is well known throughout the entire country and comes from one of the most prominent and respected families of the entire community. No words of praise are necessary for this young lady of recognized sterling worth.

They left immediately for their unannounced wedding trip by automobile ending at their future home near Amarillo. The congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends go with them to their new home.

#### BROWN-WAGNER WEDDING

The First Methodist Church was the scene of a beautiful wedding at 7:45 o'clock Wednesday evening when Miss Janie Wagner Ivey became the bride of Carl Theodore Brown of Cross Plains, with Rev. F. B. Buchanan reading the impressive ring ceremony. An embankment of handsome ferns formed the background for the Shasta daisies which were placed in floor baskets and wall pockets. White cathedral tapers burned in brass candelabra. Louis Woodson and Walter Coers served as ushers. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Nellie Crowell gave a program of organ music and accompanied Willie Doyle of Dallas, who sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told." Mrs. Crowell played the bridal chorus from Lohengrin for the professional and Mendelssohn's wedding march for the recessional. Miss Mary Louise Ivey, the bride's cousin, was her only attendant. She wore a becoming frock of silver and orchid changeable taffeta, made with uneven skirt line and basque effect. Her flowers were an arm bouquet of pink carnations, lilies of the valley and ferns. The bride was met at the altar by the bridegroom and his best man, Frank Arnold of San Marcos. She wore a lovely costume of navy blue georgette trimmed in tiers of accordion pleating and a rhinestone ornament. Her close fitting hat was of blue and also her accessories. She carried an arm bouquet of pink Sweetheart roses, valley lilies and ferns. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Ivey. A color scheme of pink and white prevailed in the decoration of the reception suite and the dining room. Suspended above the lace-covered table was wedding bell of pink maline showered with lilies of the valley. The cake, a lovely ring-shaped confection, was surmounted with a miniature bride and bridegroom and surrounded by maidenhair ferns and queen's crown. Mrs. Leon Daley Presided at the entire of the cake and Mrs. Marvin Covington of Mathis was in charge of the bride's book. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ivey Sr. She is a graduate of Southwest Texas State Teachers College. During her junior year she was chosen most representative girl and during her senior year she was editor of "The Pedagog." She taught one year at Martindale. The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of El Campo. He has attended the Teachers College and later received B. B. A. degree from the Tyler Commercial College. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left in their car for San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Houston and Galveston and a visit to the bridegroom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of El Campo. Out-of-town guests present were Mrs. C. B. Mock, Misses Ruth and Margaret Mock, Mrs. J. H. Carter of Luling; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ivey Jr., E. Tenley, Miss Ruth Johnson of San Antonio. Miss Myrtle Tyson of Maysfield, Miss Ruby Brice of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Covington of Mathis, Mrs. Archie Weatherford of Dilley, Alden Konegay of San Antonio and Miss Vida Parks of Kerrville.

Dr. Henry McGowan and Miss Ala Dell West motored to Baird and Abilene Sunday.

FOR SALE—1 acres of land on 12th St. about block south of new school building with fine well of water. \$400 cash. W. C. GUYTON Putnam, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good Horse and saddle. See GEO. BENNETT.

LOST—\$5.00 Bill folded in Hotel square. Finder Please return to Mr. Peavy.

Wanted—Like to drill water wells while my machine is at Cross Plains. W. B. VARNER, Cottonwood, Texas, 4T-p.

A PAIR OF BIG FAT RED GOLD SUGAR SAVER strawberry plants, FREE to property owners who are readers of this paper

A wonderful new strawberry has been originated by Capt. Charles E. Gardner, horticulturist and fruit grower of Osage, Iowa, in "The State where the Tall Corn grows."

This new variety, rightly named RED GOLD, sugar saver, was the outgrowth of 17 years of scientific strawberry breeding and selecting. It will add thousands of dollars profits to every acre in which it is introduced.

Forty-three berries and 1.5 lbs. have actually been counted on a single RED GOLD fruit and average size of one plant the tallest measuring 16½ inches. The fruit stems are so strong and sturdy that they hold the big berries out of the disc and prevent injury to the berries by mole crickets and other ground insects. RED GOLD berries are of large size, single specimens having been noted that measured 8½ inches around. They are very sweet and juicy and are simply loaded with that delicious fragrance and flavor of the old-fashioned WILD STRAWBERRY. They are so sweet that they only require the addition of sugar to make the very highest grade of strawberry preserves.

The color of the RED GOLD berries is a beautiful shining red. The flesh cooks up red and is firm and meaty, but not the least bit woolly or pithy. They sell on markets at a premium over all other varieties.

The RED GOLD is a strong plant maker and is practically immune from rust and other strawberry diseases. It is also FROST RESISTANT to a remarkable degree, originating in a cold from a cross between the 999 GIANT Everbearing and the PREMIER, probably the two greatest frost resistant varieties known up to the time of introduction of the RED GOLD. It is classed as a once a year fruiter in the northern states but has a longer bearing and fruiting season than the ordinary strawberries.

The RED GOLD sugar saver plants first sold at \$10.00 a dozen, then at \$5.00 and for the coming season they will be priced at \$2.00 a dozen or \$10.00 a 100 for summer and fall shipment.

The Gardner's offer a PAIR OF BIG FAT RED GOLD PLANTS, FREE FOR TESTING, to readers of this paper who are property owners. Send 10 cents for mailing expense or not, as you please. A postal will bring the plants to you at proper time this summer and they will send you 3 pairs of RED GOLD plants for 25 cents. Catalogue with history of the RED GOLD and other new PROFIT MAKING FRUITS, FREE. Address, THE GARDNER NURSERY COMPANY, R. F. D. No. 1, Osage, Iowa.

The Gardner's offer to pay traveling expenses to and from Osage to any point in United States to anyone who will call and examine their RED GOLD fields in fruiting season if they do not find this variety to be all that is described above and even more.

The State of Texas  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are HEREBY COMMANDED to summon JOSEF SCHWERTNER by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to return day hereof, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court Precinct No. 6 of Callahan County, to be holden at the office of the Justice of Peace in Cross Plains, Texas, on the 2nd Friday in October A. D. 1928, the same being the 12th day of October A. D. 1928, then and there to

said Court on the 12 day of July A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 537, wherein Putnam Supply Company, a corporation is Plaintiff, and JOSEF SCHWERTNER is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about the 18th day of March A. D. 1928, plaintiff, at the special instance and request of defendant, sold and delivered to him, at the several times specified in the account hereto attached marked Exhibit A and made a part hereof, certain goods, wares, and merchandise in said account mentioned, in consideration whereof defendant then and there promised plaintiff to pay him the several sums of money charged thereon in said account specified, amounting to the sum of \$144.03 not later than the first day of July, A. D. 1928 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent annum from said due date until paid.

That said account is past due and unpaid, and defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and refuses to pay the same, or any part thereof to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$144.03.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays the court that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, and that he have judgment for his debt, in the sum of \$144.03, interest and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief special and general, both in law and in equity that he may justly be entitled to.

Herein, Fail Not, and before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ to return thereon, showing the amount due.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, at office of the Justice of Peace, W. C. ADAMS, Justice Court, Free

## ELECTRIC THEATRE

Re-Opens Friday Night  
Sept. 7th

WITH A FINE PROGRAM

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Drugs and Drug Sundries

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## GROCERIES

FLOUR--SHANEE'S BEST--NEW CAR	-	\$1.75
SUGAR--IMPERIAL GRANULATED CANE	-	\$6.70
LARD--ANY BRAND--8 LB. BUCKET	- -	\$1.20
PICKLES--BULK LIBBY'S SOUR PER DOZ.	-	10c
STOCKSALT--NO. 4--100 LB. BAGS	- - -	\$1.25
STOCK SALT--BLOCKS PLAIN	- - -	50c
STOCK SALT--SULPHURIZED	- - -	60c
BAKING POWDER--K. C. BRAND--25 OZ. CAN		20c
LAUNDRY SOAP--P&G & CRYSTAL WHITE 7 BARS		25c
TOILET SOAP--SEVERAL BRANDS 3 BARS FOR		25c
SPUDS--PER POUND	- - - -	3c
CORN--FAME BRAND NO. 2 CAN	- - - -	15c

# ANNOUNCING

Fall Style Show and Anniversary  
Celebration

Friday, Sept. 7th  
8:30 P. M.

We Invite You to Attend

50 Living Models Showing  
Hottest Styles in Market

All Peppy, Snappy, New

Remember the Date  
Friday, Sept. 7th, 8:30 P. M.

**STURGES & GIBBS**  
COLEMAN, TEXAS



More Fine  
Furniture  
At Low Prices

Rugs, Congoleum, 9x12	\$6.95 to \$12.50
Wool Rugs, 9x12	\$10.50 to \$45.00
Dressers All Colors,	\$16.50 to \$30.00
Beds,	\$6.95 to \$17.50
Rockers, Oak and Walnut	\$6.00 to \$13.50

Everything in Furniture, Cabinets, Chiffrobes, Mattresses, Springs, Gas and Wood Stoves, Living Room Suites, Bed Room and Breakfast Suites.

We Also Have a Line of Attractive Aluminumware, Dishes, and Tinware, Something New, That You Should See.

Everything For the Home. Buy Here and Save the Difference.

**Cross Plains Furniture Co.**

DREW BAUM

**COTTONWOOD NEWS**

There were quiet a bunch of us folks went to Admiral and took dinner in Sunday as the Big Camp meeting was in progress.

The young folks were entertained Sunday night with two singings one at A. E. Ellis' and one at John McElroy's.

Mrs. Murray had her two nieces and their girl friend from Cisco spend last week with her.

Mrs. W. R. Thompson and children of Baird and Mrs. John Traeger and baby of California spent Thursday night of last week with their uncle and aunt A. E. Ellis and family.

Mrs. Ross Respass is now in the Sanitarium at Cisco.

Grandma Hembree was worse at last report.

Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Hightower of California are visiting his sister Mrs. E. Cox and Mrs. A. D. Oneal, and other relatives.

Mrs. Pink Wallas and son Fred of Gorman is spending this week with her mother Mrs. A. D. Oneal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKeenan and children of Paducah spent a part of last week with Mrs. McKeenan's parents.

The boys who have been going to school at Stephenville left for school last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis and son spent Monday and Monday night in Baird.

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Intermittent, Remittent and  
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**130 000-BARREL OIL  
WELL IN PECOS COUNTY**

What is described as the biggest oil well in the nation, from a standpoint of production, was brought in last week in Yates pool of Pecos county. It was completed at 1,280 feet where it made 5,232 barrels of oil in an hour, part of the flow being lost in making connections. The daily flow was 130,000 barrels when put on a prorotation-test.

Exactly one week after the violent death of his grandfather, Billy Burks, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burks of Abilene, was killed there when struck by a passenger train last week. The child had wandered from the grandparent's home and was sitting on the railroad track.

The grandfather, John S. Burks of Ranger, was killed when struck by an automobile on the Ranger-Eastland road.

The West is in pretty good shape this year. But we can't understand why it always rains plentifully the years the Democrats want to get in on a platform of farm relief.

Anyhow, states' rights might correct some of the states' evils.

Boost for every good thing worth while,  
Boost if you only can add a smile;  
Boost when everybody else is thru,  
Boost if nobody else boosts but you;  
Boost in the morning, boost at night;  
Boost if you boost for what is right;  
Boost when business is going fine,  
Boost when everything's out of line;  
Boost when they tell you it can't be done,  
Boost when others are on the run;  
Boost till you cash in your last great check,  
And someone will give YOU a boost—by heck!

FOR SALE—Nice pair small mules, one large registered Polan China brood sow. Will farrow Oct. 31st.  
D. O. GAUTNEY. 1mp

13 Good young Jersey cows for sale. Reasonable prices.  
BRYAN BOYKIN, Comanche, Texas.

WANTED—To buy used Fords, will sell a good Dodge touring, five tires and battery and take car in trade.  
G. A. PELTON, Corner North, Main and 12th St.

FOR RENT—One furnished bed room, close in, bath adjoining and garage.  
Mrs. C. F. Acker.

A "primary" election is well named: meaning a first grade school for politicians.

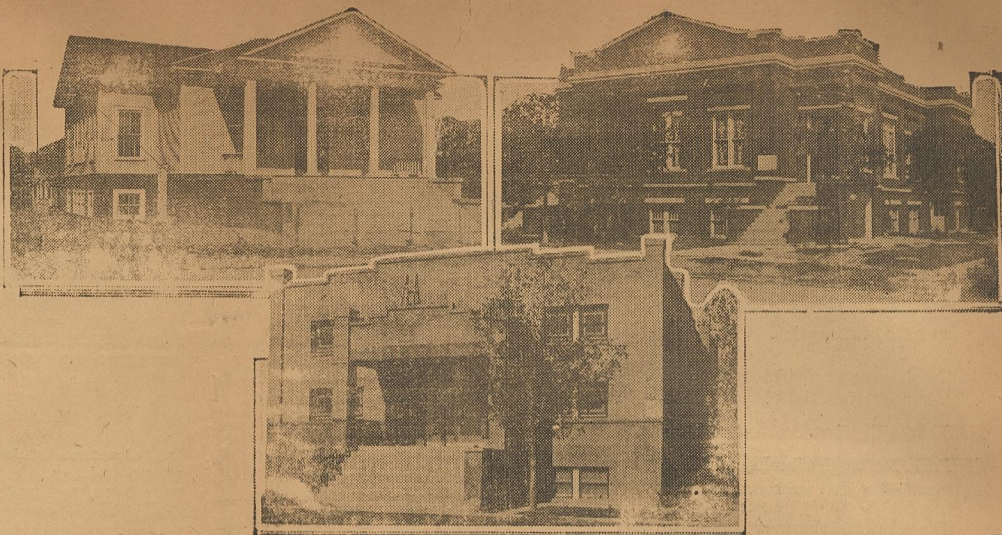


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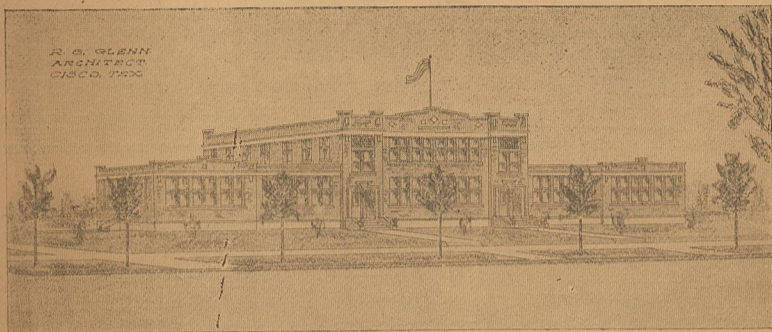
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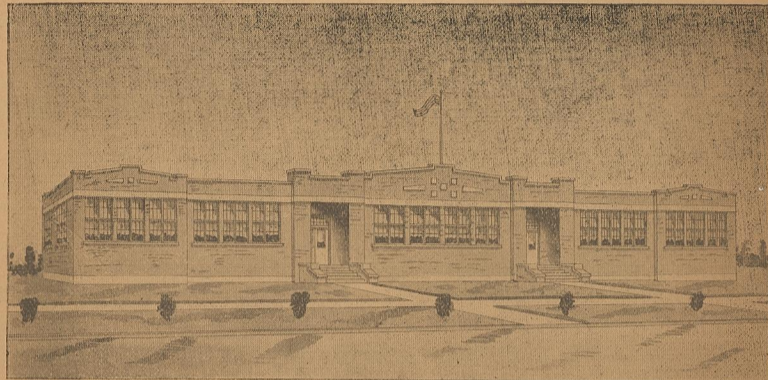
NEW RESIDENCE OF CHAS. HEMPILL



CROSS PLAINS NEW CHURCHES: LEFT, BAPTIST; RIGHT, PRESBYTERIAN LOWER CENTER, METHOD. ST.



CROSS PLAINS NEW HIGH SCHOOL



CROSS PLAINS NEW PRIMARY SCHOOL

They tell us we will be prosperous if we think of prosperity, imagining a plate full of fried thoughts for breakfast.

John Barleycorn died more than eight years ago, but we'll know this fall how many of his grand-children are old enough to vote.

Those who think the way women dress is awful should console themselves with the fact that up to this date this women at least dress.

SALE or TRADE—Brand new camping out fit, 7X9 automobile tent, gas stove and double spring cot. G. A. PELTON, Corner North, Main and 12th St.

Miss Cozette Lindly of Childress has been visiting her friend Miss Lela Mae Bennett past week.

M. Polshuk, Mayor Neeb, Tom Anderson and Harvey Dennis motored over to Cisco Monday to hear Robinson speak.

FOR RENT—House of 4 rooms, beside bath and sewage rooms. Fresh paint inside and out. See It near Baptist Parsonage.

Mrs. J. E. DAVANAY

Exide Batteries—Garrett Motor Co. Call on us for Eveready Radio "B" Batteries. GARRETT MOTOR CO.

### TIRES TO CONTINUE SPECIAL SALE OF

So great has been the success of the "Cash and Carry" tire sale inaugurated last week by the Red Service Station, Edwin Neeb, Prop., announces he will continue to sell Oldfield, Courier and Airway tires in all sizes and types, at the new low prices for another week.

Since the first announcement of the sale, increasing number of car owners are patronizing this tire dealer, as they realize the advantage of buying their requirements from an established local company, well-known for its reliable service and high standard of merchandise.

The sentiment behind the popular "Buy at Home" movement is also responsible for the increasing trend of tire buyers to concentrate their patronage on the local dealer, whose welfare is identical with the city's and whose policies are the result of long familiarity with local requirements.

This dealer's rapidly expanding business, and his leading position in the community, accounts for his association with the Firestone Company, the largest exclusive tire producer in the world. It is at this manufacturer's great, modern plants in Akron that the high grade, standard Oldfield, Courier and Airway tires are produced.

The local tire firm's conservative management results in low overhead, its large buying capacity commands longer discounts, and its big business means quick turnover. It is these legitimate reasons, without extravagant claims, which make extra savings possible for the tire buyer in the present sale.

LOST—August 19th Ladies Brown purse containing ring, \$7.00 or \$8.00, Poll Tax receipt with name on it, trunk key, and other articles. Will pay liberal reward for recovery. Leave information at Telephone office, BLANCHE TATUM, Cross Plains Tex.

FOR RENT—Six room house with whole city block, good cellar, milk house, garage, well, water, long sheds and feed house, gas lights and city water.

Nice place for small dairy, hogs and chickens, well use from \$90.00 to \$125.00 worth of eggs, milk and cream per month from party who rents it if they want to use it they may.

See A. A. BERTRAND at COZY Cafe Phone 181

FOR SALE—Good Ford Touring Car. J. HENKEL. 1tp

### WORK FINISHED ON HIGHWAY TO COLEMAN

The work of resurfacing the highway from the Callahan county line, a few miles southwest of Cross Plains, to Coleman with a well-finished coating of asphalt was completed last week, and the road is now open to that city without the annoyance of detouring. This completes an asphalt surface from Coleman to Cisco over this route, with the exception of the link beginning between Pioneer and Rising Star via Cross Plains to the southwest Callahan county line. However, this link is a fine clay and gravel road, and is more preferable for travel than is the asphalt surfaced road from beyond Pioneer to Cisco in the present condition of the latter.

An asphalt road is alright and is a joy to travelers for a short time after its completion, but it soon begins to deteriorate and crumble from each side, and our observation is that all attempts to restore it through maintenance work have simply been a joke. We have not seen an asphalt surfaced stretch of road in this country that stood up until one-third of the bond issue which provided the money for its building was paid off. Give us more substantial clay and gravel roads. Their initial cost and maintenance, as compared with the asphalt road, is less than half, and they provide equally as good travel.

Hold up your head, Florida. There'll be a lot of thing that will storm this country besides winds of the variety you have had from now until November.

Never deplore the fact that people don't stay at home as much as they used to. They don't put in as much time at family quarreling when they stay out.

J. G. Tapscott, age 28, was killed Friday of last week near Plainview when he was struck by lightning. He was operating a tractor on a farm when struck. The body was discovered when a passing motorist found it lying across the tractor.

#### IS THERE A LIMIT?

Art Gobel has proved that an airplane can fly from Los Angeles to New York in less than 18 hours. Which suggests the question, is there a limit to speed? As surely as there is no limit to invention, there is no limit to speed. He who might chance to read of Gobel's "quick trip" a hundred years from now will laugh.

## Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Carry the most complete Line of Hardware and Implements in Cross Plains.

Buy Now Your Gun and Ammunition Here. We have the Shells you want and at the Right Price. Everything in Hardware and Implements.

Get Your Hunting License Here

### IS IT RIGHT?

Over 20 per cent of the car, oil field Compensation, Casualty Health and accident insurance is carried by out-of-town Companies. We are in the insurance business and know that we can render you more efficient service than out-of-town companies.

Consult us when your insurance expires. We appreciate your business.

**Tom Bryant**  
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E. D. PRIEST, Mgr.

# ANNOUNCING

The Opening of

## Knight-Whippet SALES AND SERVICE AGENCY

In the Derrington Building Cross Plains

Mechanical Department In Charge of Skilled Workmen

**KNIGHT-WHIPPET CO.**

## OUR POLICIES AND OUR IDEALS

Our policies and ideals permits no compromise with the best Merchandise and the best service.

To please our customers is more important than immediate profit. We ask no Commendation or Applause for we feel it our duty to maintain this attitude,

Pride for our leadership all these years in Cross Plains as well as our responsibility that we serve to the best of our ability.

The immense and ever increasing patronage given us is a fact that the public approves these policies.

Our patrons know that regardless of seasons and poor crops and decreased prices, regardless of adverse conditions, they can always find what they want when they want it, and prices that are right at Higginbotham Bros & Co.

We as pioneer Merchants of West Texas, and Cross Plains have held fast to our Ideals of Service, and shall always remain our guide in the future.

On the basis of such policies and ideals we ask your fullest confidence and continued patronage. All of our big departments are full of good things for fall and winter.

We await your coming, and you will always find a warm welcome at—

Cross Plains **Higginbotham Bros & Co.** Texas  
 "A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE"

### BURKETT NEWS (Vera Baker)

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Turner of Camp San Saba visited the Burns families here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore of Electra has been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Wesley Welch.

Mrs. Maud Baker was at Cross Plains receiving treatment for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller and Mrs. Dave Moore attended the Baptist Association at Loss Creek Thursday.

Miss Maurine Price of Bradshaw spent several days here visiting friends.

Last week Miss Pauline Shillings returned for an extended visit.

The Baptist meeting closed here Sunday evening with ten candidates for baptism, Pastor Ben David of Brownwood did the preaching and Bro. 'trickland and son of Fort Worth conducted the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Welch of Cross Plains and Bros. Weathers and family of Cross Cut attended here Sunday evening.

Mr. Fred Thompson of Byrd Store was a Sunday visitor at the home of Miss Minna Wright.

Miss Meriam Ray and parents of Oklahoma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wilson, Mr. Drue Canon and daughter, Thelma, have returned from a trip in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Adams are the proud parents of a baby girl "Patsy Ruth."

Mr. Will Walker, and L. J. Morgan Jr., are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Lucille is at the Santa Anna Hospital from the results of an appendicitis operation.

Relatives and friends were shocked Tuesday morning of the sudden death of Mrs. Willie White. Interment was made in the home Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. Emet Watson when Miss Fay Watson became the bride of Mr. Paul McCasland Rev. David read the ring ceremony.

A wide bank of fern and roses in an iron standing formed a background for the affair. The roses against the lacy fern made the room colorfully attractive.

Miss Gathalee Brady scattered flowers in the path of the bridal party, while Little Miss Maurice Johnson cousin of the bride, bore the ring to the altar. The bride and bridegroom entered together. The bride's gown was of midnight blue georgette.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held in the dining room of the house. The table was centered with a large wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCasland left for a motor trip to points in New Mexico.

They have secured positions teaching school in Shields for the coming year.

Miss Fay Watson is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emet Watson. She has attended Howard Payne College at Brownwood, for three years. She has taught in the Cross Plains Grammar School for one year. Paul McCasland is also a student of Howard Payne College.

Their many friends here wish them much happiness.

FOR RENT—Two bed rooms. Reasonable for two days, bath included, hot and cold water.

Dr. Mary Shelman 1np



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**5c Loose Leaf Note Book Paper 5c**  
 Reliable Wahl Lifetime Guarantee  
 Fountain Pens  
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*Just Arrived*

In fact everything for men, women and children for fall buying merchandise coming in every day  
 Come in, see and get our prices before you buy.

**THE MODEL**  
 "SELLS FOR LESS"

#### ANOTHER YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED SUNDAY

Mr. Hibler and Miss Freva Orrell were married last Sunday, Rev. Huckaby of the Methodist church performing the ceremony. Miss Freva is the excellent young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Orrell. She was raised in Cross Plains and was a student of the Cross Plains High School. Mr. Hibler is a fine and industrious young man, and is employed with the Cross Plains Bakery, being related to the Moores, who own the bakery.



Cross Plains Chapter No. 455, Order of Eastern Star, meets first and third Monday nights of each month. Visiting members cordially invited. Mrs. Ike Kendrick, Secretary.

FOR RENT—Four room house on Main St. J. C. Garrett. 25tp

#### TO RE-OPEN FRIDAY ELECTRIC THEATRE

H. T. (Dad) Childs has announced that the Electric Theatre, which has been closed down for the past few months, will re-open for the winter season Friday night, with a fine Paramount Picture program and comedy.

It is announced that the Modern Woodmen of Bukett will give an open air entertainment on the night of Sept. 11th. Supper will be served in the Burkett Park at 6:30. Everybody is requested to come and bring a well filled basket.

The revival meeting, conducted by Elder Lester W. Fisher, will begin at the Church of Christ Friday night, Sept. 7th.

WANTED—Cotton pickers. 90 acres to pick, house, wood and water furnished. See D. C. Edington. Cross Plains.

#### FOR SALE

Axtell Drilling Machine, No. 10. drilling about 50000 ft. of hole,

1. McCormick Drilling tractor 15-30. just over-hauled.

1. String of heavy tools.

1. string of light tools.

1. Ford Truck.

1. 3 Horse International gas engine.

1. Moniture Engine.

1. Truck Tank.

About 1000 ft. of rods.

1. Latch Jack.

1. Single Block.

750 ft. 7/8 Drill Line.

1000 ft. Sand Line.

1. Set Rod Elevators.

1. Set Tubing Elevators.

1. 5% casing head.

350 ft. 6-5/8 Casing.

Long Stroke Jars for Small tools.

2. Swivel Sockets for Big Tools.

Will furnish a clear Bill of Sale.

CASH: \$1800.

C. L. McCLEARY, BOX 766, Baird, Texas.

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*We will be mighty Glad to have you come to see us when in Cross Plains*

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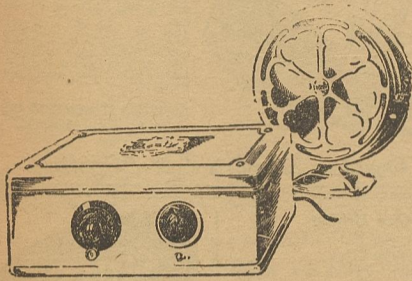
# Atwater Kent RADIO

More than 1,650,000 families know at first hand that the name Atwater Kent on a radio set means the same thing as "Sterling" on Silver.

Come in and let us show you the new model—42 FULL ELECTRIC.

No. 42 ..... \$138.50  
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Complete Stock of Screen Doors  
Window Screens Made to Order

Ice Boxes ranging in price from  
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THE  
FRANCILLA BEAUTY  
SALON  
FORMERLY THE  
BLUE BONNET  
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GUARANTEED no Kinks, no Fritz. Per-  
manents with Ringlet Ends that looks like  
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We also do Finger Waving, Manicuring for  
Ladies and Gents.  
Marceling, Facials, Dyeing Hair and Scalp  
Treatments that keeps the Hair from fall-  
ing out and makes it grow.  
Our Operators are Marinello Graduates.  
Also Expert Dress Making and Hemstitch-  
ing done.

## A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY

If there had been rich relatives or influential friends to pull wires in behalf of Troy Ginn, Myrtle M. Carriere, Roy McCoy and thousands of others we could name, their progress might not mean so much. But, just a few years ago they were in the same position that young people of the average American families find themselves at high school graduation age. They were facing the future. How they were to meet the problems of a career and what they were to accomplish depended upon their own decisions and initiative.

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### EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM SEPTEMBER 9

Leader, Ruby Lee Jones.  
Song, Number 44.  
Silent prayer, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Scripture reading: Nehemiah 11-18 and Matthew XI: 20-24.

Topic: The Character of the Community.

Introduction of the topic by the Leader.

The Educational Status of our Community, Ava Walker.

The Economic and Health Conditions of our Community, Elizabeth Tyson.

Moral Character and Religious Life of Our Community, Zenovia Loving.

Announcements.

Benediction.

WHAT IS THE CHARACTER OF OUR COMMUNITY?

FIND OUT AT THE EPWORTH LEAGUE SUNDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stubblefield and daughter of Forth Worth, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gracey and children of Rising Star, spent the week end in Cross Plains, for their first dove hunt. Exceptionally good luck was reported.

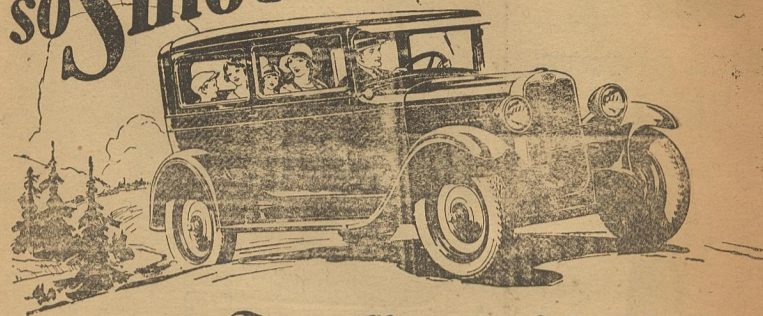
Tom Bryant and family returned Monday from their trip to the Davis Mountains, New Mexico, and Madero Springs.

Mr. S. R. Jackson and family and T. R. Haggard and family motored over to Cisco Sunday evening to hear Will Hogg preach at the Big Tabernacle.

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Jimmy Crow is spending his vacation with relatives in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank King were Cisco visitors Sunday.

W. A. (Slim) Cretchmer transacted business in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scrimshire, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farmer attended church in Ranger Sunday.

E. D. Priest transacted business in Rising Star Thursday.

M. F. Gill, of Abilene Building and Loan Association, transacted business here Thursday.

J. S. Ravencraft of Cisco Building and Loan Association, of Cisco, was in Cross Plains Monday morning.

C. C. Neely and daughter of Southland, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark and daughter of Forth Worth, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Daringer this week.

Mr. Carmack of Wagner Supply Co., was looking after his interests here Wednesday.

Tom McCracken of Harvester Life Co., of Dallas, is working this week with his local representative, Tom Bryant Agency.

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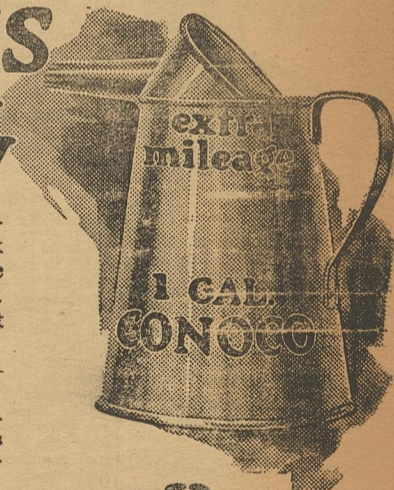
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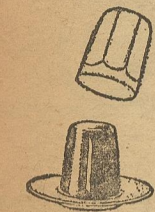
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**Restoring Historic Schoenbrunn**



Splitting and shaving shingles—pioneer style—for school house, Sept.-Oct. 1927. Schoenbrunn Memorial Park near New Philadelphia, Ohio. © 1931

**By ELMO SCOTT WATSON**

**FTER** being "lost" for nearly one hundred and fifty years, the historic town of Schoenbrunn is to rise from its ashes and to live again. The restoration on its original site is already under way and only the other day state officials and the citizens of Ulrichsville, Dover and New Philadelphia, Ohio, gathered near the latter town to dedicate the replica of the original Schoenbrunn schoolhouse, which had been erected there July 29, 1773, the first school building in that state.

That the dedication of this particular building and the whole plan for the restoration of Schoenbrunn has more than local interest was attested to by the fact that hundreds of visitors from other states attended the ceremonies and that the plans for the renaissance of this historic town are being followed with appreciation for its significance by many outside the borders of the Buckeye state. For Schoenbrunn, established as an Indian mission, was the first town built by the whites in that part of the Old Northwest territory which was later to attract so many settlers to its fertile lands; in it stood the first church and the first public school building in that part of the territory and there, too, was organized the first peace and temperance societies west of the Alleghenies. It is these facts which give it importance in our national history and when the restoration is completed, the new Schoenbrunn will stand as a monument to the spirit of the pioneer missionaries who, with their Bibles and Christian teachings, did their share in winning the West as truly as did those other pioneers who carried into the wilderness the rifle and the ax.

The story of the Moravian Indian mission at Schoenbrunn and its sister mission towns of Lichtenna and Gnadenhuten is a story of Christian heroism, a tale of romance, pathos and tragedy. All of it centers around the names of two great missionaries, John Heckewelder and David Zeisberger—and most of all, Zeisberger. From 1737, when he was but sixteen years old, until 1803, when he died, he gave every day of those seventy-one years to the one consuming passion of his life—that of bringing Christianity to the Indians of the Middle West.

Early in 1771 Zeisberger crossed over into Ohio and on March 14 of that year arrived at Gekelompechuk, the principal town of the Delaware tribe (now Newcomerstown, Ohio) where he preached the first Protestant sermon ever delivered in Ohio. He came back again in March, 1772, and the chief of the Delawares having suggested that he establish a mission among them, Zeisberger began to look around for a suitable site. While doing this he discovered a sparkling spring which he gave the name of Schoenbrunn (Beautiful Spring) and resolved to establish his mission there. So he went back to Pennsylvania to return two months later with 23 Christian Indians and work was begun at once on the building of houses, a church and a school.

On August 23, 1772, Rev. John Heckewelder and Rev. John Eitwein with more than 200 Christian Indians arrived and the next day the missionaries and their Indian helpers laid out the town of Schoenbrunn and formulated the first civil code ever adopted in the state of Ohio for the government of their town. By the middle of September the church was finished and services were held in it.

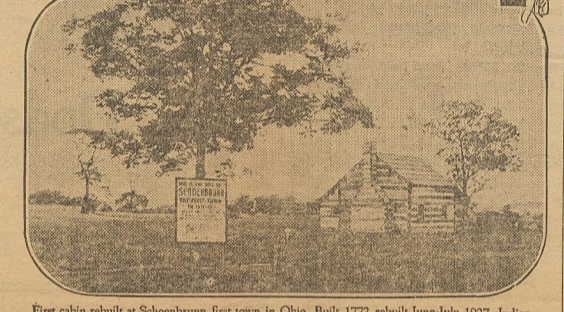
For awhile the mission was prosperous and peace and contentment reigned in the town. The Indians



Site of Schoenbrunn Spring. This spring supplied the water for the town of Schoenbrunn, founded May 3, 1772. © 1931



The Schoenbrunn Cemetery was discovered March 12, 1927. Forty-four Indian graves were found. Burials from Dec. 29, 1772 to Jan. 24, 1773. This is the oldest cemetery in Ohio. © 1931



First cabin rebuilt at Schoenbrunn, first town in Ohio. Built 1772, rebuilt June-July, 1927. Indian Cemetery in the distance. © 1931

were not only instructed in the Christian religion but they were shown how to cultivate the land and to raise live stock. Visiting Indians were amazed to see these Indians content to remain in one place and to work.

But trouble soon came to the peaceful town of Schoenbrunn, stirred up probably by the surrounding tribes who resented the influence of the whites in changing the lives and habits of their red brethren. A certain clique in the town plotted to overthrow the missionaries and, although Zeisberger saw the rebellion brewing and attempted to stem it in time, his efforts were fruitless. Finally he called a meeting of those who remain loyal and there on April 19, 1777, he held the last services, after which he ordered the church to be torn down that it might not be desecrated by the apostates who had plotted against him. Soon afterwards the missionaries and their faithful Indian converts deserted the town and the houses were burned down and the fields laid waste by the "pagan" Indians. From that time on Gnadenhuten was the center of the Moravian activity.

During the Revolution the Moravian Indians tried hard to maintain a strict neutrality but this attitude won them friends on neither side. The British charged them with aiding the Americans and it is true that they did aid them by ransoming captives from hostile Indians and by warning the officers at Pittsburgh of impending Indian attacks. But as time went on the Americans also began to suspect the Moravian Indians of being pro-British. The hostile Indians used the Moravian towns as convenient "half-way houses" when starting on or returning from a foray against the Kentucky or Pennsylvania settlements and, there they got shelter and refreshment which the Moravian Indians dared not refuse them.

Finally a party of Pennsylvanians, led by the notorious Col. David Williamson, set out with the avowed intention of wiping out the Moravian towns. They arrived at Gnadenhuten on March 7, 1782, and gathered the unsuspecting Indians in two houses, the men in one and the women and children in the other. Then they told the Indians that they were to be put to death. The next morning the butchery began. The whites

entered the cabins and cold-bloodedly put to death the defenseless men, women and children—an unexcusable massacre and in many respects as revolting a crime as ever the most savage Indians perpetrated against the whites.

From that time on the surviving Moravian Indians were wanderers in Canada and Ohio. All that time Zeisberger continued his work among them and when he died in 1803 at the age of eighty-seven he was buried, at his own request, in the Indian cemetery among the people he had served so long and so well. When the hordes of settlers flooded Ohio after the last Indian wars in the Old Northwest, the early settlers of the Tuscarawas county completed the work of destruction of the town of Schoenbrunn. The land was farmed over and the site of the village was indistinguishable from the surrounding fields. It became a "lost" city until the efforts of Rev. J. E. Weiland of the Moravian church at Dover, Ohio, who made many trips to Bethlehem, Pa., where he pored over the archives of the Moravian church, resulted in finding the data which led to the town's "rediscovery" in 1923. Excavations made on the site revealed the exact outlines of the church, the schoolhouse, Zeisberger's house and the houses of a number of the Indians.

The movement for the restoration of the town was started. The Eighty-fifth general assembly of Ohio appropriated \$10,000 which enabled the Tuscarawas Historical society to purchase most of the land on which the town stood. The next general assembly added \$7,500 for three adjoining tracts and the last general assembly provided a \$25,000 appropriation for the actual work of restoration which is being carried on in the 165-acre Schoenbrunn Memorial park by a committee appointed by the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical society.

One of the log cabins, that of John Joseph Schibosh, Zeisberger's assistant who married an Indian woman and whose eldest son was the first person killed in the Gnadenhuten massacre, was rebuilt last year. The rebuilt schoolhouse was dedicated July 29 of this year and the dedication of the church has been announced for October 21 of this year.

**The "Ohio Road"**

Do you remember the old finger-post at the corner of Main street and the Ohio road?

It was a simple board cut to a long, finger point, and mounted on a tall post; once upon a time it had been painted white, with black lettering. Probably that was as long ago as the time when that name for the road had some meaning, for since the middle of the last century the name, "the

Ohio Road," was merely a memory.

That road was laid out in 1745, and local travel up the river was as much a part of the life of the road as the western traffic. It was the road over which both David Zeisberger and John Heckewelder left Bethlehem and traveled toward the setting sun, with an ax in their equipment for clearing a path through the woods and chopping wood for camp fires.

The missionaries there came from Bethlehem, and here in Pennsylvania are their reports, their diaries and their

history. There is a diary of a Journey from Cuyaboga to Bethlehem by John Tackewelder in 1783. Such titles relating to Ohio can be found by the dozen. The veteran Heckewelder gave an interesting account and a map of the Connecticut claim. One of the most valuable recent finds was a plan by Heckewelder of the first settlement out there, Zeisberger's village, with the location of each house and the name of its occupant.—Elizabeth Myers in the Bethlehem (Pa.) Daily Times.

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## Lesson for September 9

PAUL IN ATHENS AND CORINTH

**LESSON TEXT**—Acts 17:16-18:11.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—For I determined not to know anything among you save Jesus Christ and Him crucified.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—Paul Tells of Jesus in Two Great Cities.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—Paul Tells of Jesus in Two Great Cities.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—Paul as a Worker.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Paul, Preacher and Teacher.

### I. Paul Disputing with the Athenians (vv. 16-21).

1. The occasion (v. 16).  
While waiting for Timothy and St. Paul saw the city of Athens which he given to idolatry. This stirred his spirit. It is the consciousness of the world's lost condition that impels disciples to witness of Christ's saving power.

2. The place (vv. 17-21).  
(1) In the synagogue (v. 17). True to his custom Paul went into the Jewish synagogue and entered in to earnest argument with the Jews and the devout persons there.

(2) In the market place (v. 17-21). From the Jews he turned to such as were found in the market place. Here he came into touch with the Epicurean and Stoic philosophers. The former were atheistic materialists, denying the doctrine of creation and giving themselves up to sensual indulgence, rejecting the idea of a future judgment. The latter were pantheists. When they heard the preaching of Paul they invited him to the Areopagus to speak to them of this new doctrine.

3. Paul's Address on Mars' Hill (vv. 22-34).

1. The introduction (vv. 22-23). He introduces his discourse in a courteous and conciliatory manner saying that as he was viewing their city he beheld an altar with an inscription "to the unknown God." This was his point of contact.

2. The body of his discourse (vv. 24-31).  
(1) A declaration concerning God (vv. 24-25).  
a. The material universe was created by Him (v. 24).  
b. His spirituality and immensity (v. 24). Being essentially spiritual He demands heart worship, and being transcendent He is not confined to earthly temples.  
c. His active providence (v. 25). He gives being, bestows native gifts, and as Sovereign directs all things.

(2) A declaration concerning man (vv. 26-31).  
a. He is the offspring of God (v. 26). Since men are His offspring and bear His likeness, it is utter folly to make images to Him.  
b. Nations have their place b. God's purpose (v. 26).  
c. Men should seek God (v. 27).  
d. The present obligation to repent (vv. 28-31).

3. The results of Paul's address (vv. 32-34).  
(1) Some mocked (v. 32).  
(2) Some procastinated (v. 32).  
(3) Some believed (v. 34).

II. Paul in Corinth (Acts 18:1-11).  
Paul came to Corinth a stranger. His method of gaining a foothold is worthy of note. His first task was to find a home (v. 2), his second was to earn his daily bread (v. 3).

1. Preaching in the synagogue at Corinth (vv. 4-8).  
(1) Tim. of (v. 4). Every Sabbath day.  
(2) Encouraged by the coming of Silas and Timothy (v. 5).  
(3) Opposition to Paul (v. 6). As he increased his activity, opposition also increased.  
(4) The purpose to turn to the Gentiles (v. 6). Because of their blasphemy and opposition he ceased work among the Jews.  
(5) He did not go far away (v. 7). He remained sufficiently near so that those whose hearts God had touched could easily find him.  
(6) His success (v. 8). Crispus, the chief ruler of the synagogue, was converted and Paul departed from his usual custom and baptized him (1 Cor. 1:14). Many others also believed.

2. Paul's vision (vv. 9-11). His experiences since coming to Europe were very trying, therefore he needed encouragement. It is just like the Lord to come when His servant has the greatest need. Note the Lord's words:  
(1) "Be not afraid."  
(2) "Speak and hold not thy peace."  
(3) "I am with thee."  
(4) "No man shall set on thee to hurt thee."  
(5) "I have much people in this city."

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### Mrs. Jones Says:

"I have been a user of Black-Draught for about 43 years, and find it just as good now as when I began its use. When I was young, I used to have severe headaches, and would have to go to bed. I found that by taking Black-Draught, I would soon get easy, and if I would take Black-Draught as soon as I began feeling bad, it would keep off the sick headaches. Now I take Black-Draught for a bad taste in my mouth, biliousness, and the dull, heavy feeling after meals. It surely does help this."

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**McCASLAND-WATSON WEDDING**

Miss Fay Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Watson, of Burkett, and Mr. Paul McCasland, of Brownwood, were married Wednesday morning, August 29th at the home of bride's parents, Dr. M. E. Davis, of Brownwood, assisted by Rev. David Brownwood, said the Ceremony.

Miss Nettie Newman sang "I Love You Truly." Accompanied at the piano by Miss Thillie Lane Brown.

Miss Mildred Watson, sister of the bride, played the wedding march.

The bride and bridegroom entered together. The bride's gown was blue georgette, carrying a bouquet of fern and roses.

The ring bearer, Maurice Johnson, and the flower girl, Gathia Lee Brady, wearing dainty frocks of pink georgette, preceded the bride and groom.

An informal reception was held after the wedding. The table was decorated with Crepe Myrtle, and a large wedding cake in the center of the table.

Mr. and Mrs. McCasland left immediately after the reception on a tour in New Mexico. They will make their home in Brownwood.

The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Starnes, Goldthwaite; Miss Nettie Newman, Santa Anna; Miss Willie Lane Brown, Coleman; Mrs. McCasland, (Mother of the groom,) Roysse City; Charley McCasland, Roysse City; Dr. M. E. Davis, Brownwood; Rev. and Mrs. Ben Davis, Brownwood; Miss Merle Williams, Cross Plains; Miss Pauline Miller, Cross Plains; Miss Novie McCord, Cross Plains; Mr. L. A. Singleton, Brownwood.

### CHEVROLET SALESMEN IN 72 CAR CLUB

Having attained membership in the Chevrolet Motor Company's 72-Car Club during the twelve months preceding August 1st, 1928 E. M. Nance, and G. E. Morgan salesmen for Dodson Chevrolet Co. local Chevrolet Dealer, have just returned from a trip to Fort Worth. This organization, composed of 143 men, were guest of the Chevrolet Factory Organization, for the entire day of August 30th.

A business meeting was held in the morning, during which, plans were outlined for the furtherance of Chevrolet's Sales. Activity during the year to come. This was followed by a luncheon at the Texas Hotel, after which the members were taken to Casino at Lake Worth for the afternoon entertainment.

The evening banquet, also at the Texas Hotel, Fort Worth, was followed by speeches by several Chevrolet Factory Officials, and then the day's entertainment was brought to a close with a series of boxing matches and a Battle Royal.

The Southwest's most popular Broadcasting Orchestra, the Seven Aces-all Eleven of Them-furnished the musical program for the luncheon and banquet.

The Chevrolet Motor Company is very proud of the men who make the 72-Car Club-it knows that they have worked hard to win this honor. To become a member it is necessary for a salesman to sell minimum of 72 new Chevrolet cars or 168 Used Cars during the period of August 1st to July 31st.

D. J. Moss was a business visitor in Cross Plains Saturday.

Drew Baum made a business trip to Fort Worth last week.

Judge Clyde White, of Baird, was in Cross Plains Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and daughter made a trip to Fort Worth last week to buy furniture for their new home.

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"Rusty" Atwood and L. A. Dale of Winona, hauled in a 73-pound catfish at the mouth of Lynn Branch in a thrilling battle Saturday of last week. It was the prize catch of the fishing season in that community.

Atwood and Dale were wading in the water at Lynn Branch when suddenly Atwood found his foot resting on something soft and springy. After a brief pause Rusty thrust his arm to the elbow directly into the mouth of the fish. In the ensuing struggle, both Atwood and Dale were given a thorough souping by the enraged cat. A negro, who was nearby, jumped to the rescue and adding his strength to the battle, the trio soon had the big fish corralled and on shore.

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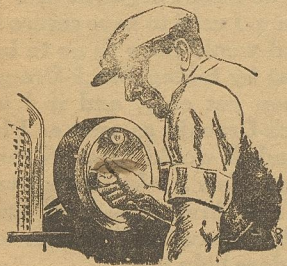
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