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"When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1933 5c PER COPY No. 39 He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game"

Political dopeters are mentioning R. Ely, highway commissioner and former citizen of Cross Plains, as possible gubernatorial candidate for ext Summer's election. Tom Huntr, of Wichita Falls, is also consideran avowed candidate. Then, Coke tevenson, Speaker of the House of epresentatives; Edgar Witt, Lieutnant Governor and Jimmie Allred, ttorney General, are said to be castig envious eyes at the governor's ansion,

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As for Jim Ferguson, he can by no eans be counted out. No political cnic is complete without 'Farmer im' and in all probability he will ndeavor to straighten out his citizenhip difficulties in order to place his ame on the ticket, since his wife will have completed her second term. \* \* \* \* \* \* All of this advance dope on politics oes to remind us that no one should fail to renew their Review subscripton during the bargain days and be ready to keep in tough with the ap-

proaching campaigns. \* \* \* \* \* Now that 'Machine Gun' Kelly has been captured, Stanley Clark can wait on his gasoline customers after dark with more enthusiasm. Last week a big black coupe, carrying a man of Kelly's description and a woman drove in at his station shortly before closing time.

In the man's lap was a fiddle case. Fat took one look at the gent and knew that he was no musician. For the first time in history Fat allowed a car to leave without suggesting that he test the oil, battery or tires.

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Each Fall the newspaper big shots look back over the year and pick out what they consider the 10 biggest stories to break into print-somewhat in the same fashion as sport scribes pick all conference teams and etc.

This week we make an attempt to scoop the top notchers, who assemble the headlines. The big news stories for 1933 in the order of their import-

# **BURKETT OIL WORKERS KILLED SATURDAY ON BAYOU, SOUTH HERE**

After having slain C. E. Mc-Griff, Brown county oil worker, on the Bayou near Cross Cut Saturday night, A. M. Phillips drove to the home of his estranged wife at Brady, where he aroused the family at two thirty Sunday morning and announced he was 'going to finish the job'.

"I killed McGriff and left his body in the car a few miles out of Brady (on the Brownwood highway) and new I'm going to finish up with my wife, daughter and myself", Phillips is quoted as having said. His 12 year old daughter began to cry and plead with her father causing him to reconsider.

"No, I'll leave you two; take care of the children", he said and walked through the back door of the house firing a pistol bullet through his left lung barely missing his heart. He was carried to a Brady hospital and is not expected to recover.

A check up with Wiley Newton, deputy sheriff at Burkett, revealed that Phillips was at that place Friday night and that he and McGriff talked for quite a while on the streets of Burkett. Both appeared to be in a congenial mood.

Earlier Friday, however, Phillips was in. Cross Cut and attempted to get a pistol. He also made inquiries regarding a weapon at Burkett Saturday. He did not state his reason for needing a gun.

McGriff left Burkett late Saturday afternoon announcing that he was going to camp on the Bayou that night and hunt squirrels the following day. Phillips was also in Burkett late Saturday afternoon.

Officers believe that Phillips went to the Bayou and located McGriff about nine thirty that night. McGriff was killed by the charge of a 20 gauge shot gun from close distance Phillips rolled the victim in a quilt and drove through Brownwood to Brady, in McGriff's car, stopping just this side of the Brady city limits. He abandoned the car and began walking down the highway. About two o'clock he met a road sprinkler and was given a ride into town.

More Ransom Money Found At Coleman Thursday Morning

Late news dispatches from Coleman Thursday at noon were to the effect that another portion of the Urschel ramson money had been located at Coleman. While the Review's information at this late hour is incomplete it was understood that the recent find included approximately \$6,000.

Another man was also arrested in connection with the case.

**25 FARMERS RECEIVE COTTON CHECKS HERE** SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Cross Plains had a good old fashioned pay day Saturday afternoon, when more than 25 farmers received cotton checks totalling more than \$2,000. for their part in the federal plow up program. Countyy Agent Ross B. Jenkins delivered the drafts bere in person and established an improved 'paying counter' on North Main Street, where he handed out the dough.

Not all farmers who had checks in the batch were present and consequently they were not delivered at that time, since the person to whom the draft is made payable must receive it and sign receipts. Among the large number, which had checks were: W. J. Carpenter, Richard Mitchell, C. V. Aiken, S. R. Morris, Thomas Duncan, J. O. Martin, Loyd Montgomery, Alfred Franke, W. J. Stacy, Hugh Mc-Dermitt, Fred Stacy, Tom Bruce, Ed. Henderson, C. D. Westerman, Jim Brown, J. R. Johnson, W. L. Renfro, Tom Peterson, Sam Swafford, Henry Williams, R. L. Penny, A. G. Merryman, J. W. Jordan, Flem Johnson, Elbert Pierce, Russell Dennis, Weldon

# **'UNCLE BILL' NEEB PIONEER CITIZEN, IS** LAID TO FINAL REST

Man Slays Another; Shoots Self Officers Dig \$73,250 From Ground

W. M. (Uncle Bill) Neeb, 79, was laid to rest in the Dressy cemetery Monday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted from the Baptist tabernacle here, with Rev. Dewitt Van Pelt, Methodist pastor at Dressy, officiating. He was assist-ed by Rev. S. P. Collins, local minister.

'Uncle Bill', as he was known to practically all residents of Cross Plains, expired at his home here shortly after midnight Sunday. Death resulted from pneumonia and complications with which he had been quite ill several days.

W. M. Neeb was born at Austin, Texas, July 30, 1854. He was united in marriage to Miss Nanie Sims at New Braunfels in 1875. The couple moved to Cross Plains in 1886 and have resided here the remaining 47 years.

'Uncle Bill' was a charter member of the Dressy Methodist Church, which was established in the early nineties.

Surviving are his wife, six sons, two daughters, 23 grand-children and four great grand-children.

Honorary pall bearers at the funeral Monday afternoon were lifelong friends and neighbors of the deceased man. They were; Noah Johnson, W. T. Wilson, J. T. Freeman, W. M. Franke, P. Smith, Phelix Smith, J. W. Westerman, Hue Edington and Ed Henderson. Active pall bearers were: Doyle Neeb, Nig Neeb, Garrett Neeb, W. B. Baum, Pete Neeb and Frank Spencer.



**REVIEW PRICE CUT** TO \$1.00 DURING THE BARGAIN DAYS

On Farm Owned by Uncle of 'Machine

Gun' Kelly's Wife; 2 Are Arrested

The Review's twenty-fifth annual subscription offer enters into its second week today, with the price of the 1 paper for the next 12 months reduced 33 percent. The rate for the Cross Plains trade territory is one dollar and anywhere more than 50 miles from Cross Plains \$1.50

Due to the increase in price of materials, which go into the making of a newspaper it will be necessary to go at Paradise, Texas, August 12. back to the \$1.50 price for the Cross Plains trade and \$2.00 elsewhere at the close of this Fall's bargain days. With this thought in min dthe Review is urging all of its subscribers to renew at once and take advantage of the 33 percent saving.

There are several hundred delinguents on the subscription list, who have been carried for the past two years because of the Review staff felt that the subscribers wanted the paper and that they would pay when conditions allowed. But 'the time has come when the Review must ask cooperation of its readers by renewing during these bargain days.

No cards are being mailed out. A simple, sincere plea is being set for through the news and advertising columns of the Review and we feel certain that our friends will rally to the cause.

Those who have renewed since last Saturday are: George Lamar, Cross Plains; Lewis Norman, Cross 'Plains; T. J. Harris, Nimrod; Loran Barr, Austin; A. O. Pethtel, route one; George Clifton, route one and Ott Peevy, Cottonwood; Mrs. L. E. Newton, and W. L. Byrd, Cross Cut.

Perhaps the second most important developement in the famous Urschel kidnapping case, for which defendants are on trial now in Oklahoma City, happened less than 50 miles from Cross Plains early Wednesday, when federal agents located \$73,250 buried in two containers on a farm in Coleman county.

The money was uncovered on the place of Cass Coleman, uncle of Katheryn Kelly wife of the machine gun bravado. Coleman admitted helping Kelly bury the money and stated that the will o wisp bandit and his wife had visited his family twice, since the famous raid on the Shannon farm, Coleman and Will Casey, a farmer residing 14 miles East of Coleman and charged with giving refuge to Machine Gun Kelly, were charged in federal court, at Abilene, yesterday, with conspiracy and obstruction of justice.

Scarcely less, sensational was the recovery, Wednesday, of a 1931 Ford pick up truck-the vehicle which Kelly's wife and 11 year old Geraldine Arnold toured Texas in the ruse o.º vegetable peddlers. Officers have refused to state on whose farm the truck was found but intimated that it was near Coleman. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

Due to the fact that main thoro- \* ugh--fares were closely guarded, \* George (Machine Gun) Kelly is \* expected to have passed through \* \* Cross Plains at least twice since \* \* Charles F. Urschel, wealthy Okla- \* homan, was kidnaped from his \* palatial mansion. In getting to \* Coleman where he had contacts, \* Kelly is believed to have passed \* through here once about August \* 15 and once sometime later. His \* \* wife accompanied him on the later \* journey, is the assumption. \* \* \* \*

Coleman, who had been in custody since Monday morning, finally ed in" with the information the officers were pressing him for; to-wit, that a large sum of the Urschel ransom was buried on his farm. He offered to go to the spot at once, but Sheriff Mills decided to await for arrival of federal agents, who were immediately summoned by one of of their colleagues, Charles Winstead, who had been working with Mills and deputies for several days.

nappened to date, are in this scribbler's opinion as follows: Roosevelt's inauguration, Urshel kidnap case and trial, the world's fair, national repeal vote, the N. R. A., Zangara's attempt to assinate Roosevelt, Cuban revolt, tropical storms in the South, federal government's drive on crime and the Kansas City massacre.

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Willis Brown's ability as a fishermen had gone undisputed until Wedday afternoon, when he become so upset over the landing of a four pound bass. A bit of checking up on his record as a nimrod reveals this to be his first sizeable catch of the season.

We have Babe Wood's word of verification to the above and certainly further proof is unnecessary.

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Friday afternoon the Cross Plains high school Buffaloes meet Clyde. This column predicts the herd to upset the 'Bulldogs' by at least two touchdowns. Our official guess on the game is Cross Plains 13, Clyde

Other forecasts for the week and football calendar follow.

#### **Football Predictions** Hig. School Clyde 0. Cross Plains Moran 0. 18 Caddo 6. Pioneer College 14 W.T.S.T.C 7

Misses Willie Smith and Pauline Payne, who are attending McMurry College at Abilene, visited relatives here over the week end.

relatives here Sunday.

He went immediately to the house, where his wife and daughter were staying.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips is with relatives in Burkett and is seriously ill with typhoid fever. Doctors regard the child's condition as serious.

Funeral arrangements for McGriff were held held at Brady and interment was made in the city cemetery at that place.

## DR. L. M. BOND MADE CALLAHAN CHAIRMA

Announcement was received here yesterday by Dr. L. M. Bond that he had been appointed chairman of Callahan County for the Texas Optometric Extension program. Dr. Arch Harbour, Coleman, has been appointed district chairman.

The extension program will endeavor to familiarize eye specialists with recent developements in the science of treating eyes. It will also envelop a complete educational program for optometrists over the entire state. Dr. Bond has been a member of the state association more than 20 years and is well versed in the campaign that is mapped out for the extension Mr. and Mrs. Claude Claudson and work. The body will meet October 10, Miss Ollie Brooks of Moran visited | at San Angelo in a regular monthly meeting.

McDowell, Sam Porter and others whose names the Review was unable to learn.



Cross Plains high school 'Buffaloes' conference game of the year for both teams there Friday afternoon. The kick-off is set for three thirty. Last week the local club lost seven to nothing to DeLeon, bi-district champion last year.

Deer Plains school will open Monday morning, according to an announcement from Raymond Steele, principal, this week. Two teachers. the same as last year, will compose this year's faculty. Both teachers and students are pointing to a successful term at Deer.

Plains with a good enrollment assured. Mr. Steele told the Review that meet Clyde 'Bulldogs' in the first due to the fact that rural schools will be required to run eight months to get state aid, they were starting a bit early this year but that he felt that it would not inconvenience anyone since practically all of the cotton had been gathered.

### Dryden Astounds World's Fair Crowds, A Third Of Mile In Air

Chicago, Sept. 20-While Paddy the monk sulked at solitary confinement again Tuesday, a stunt man stole the show from him.

Paddy slipped away from keepers Sunday and thrilled world's fair crowds by simisn gynastics on the girders and cables of the sky ridetallest structure West of New York. He was captured finally and padlocked in his cage.

The stunt man, Bunny Dryden, who is well known in Cross Plains having displayed his antics on the high wire here last Summer, for weeks had been trying to get permission to do the same thing, all to no avail.

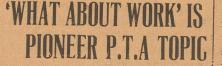
So Tuesday Bunny decided no simian was going to make a monkey out of him. Visitors suddenly were asles 600 feet up on the sky ride towtounded to see a man slip out on caber.

ride and exposition officials went into action. The order went out to get him down. Police looked at each other in a quandery. They weren't qualified to chase stunt men over cables. So Bunny went through his gymn. astics. He let himself down, gripping

Below police, operators of the sky

the cables with his hands and knees, for a third of a mile over the lagoon. He slid down to... the 200-foot level where the \_- "rocket\_ cars" \_- operate, then went up\_ another\_ cable to the tower again. When he came down the tower elevator he found police waiting to meet him. They escorted him from the grounds, but did not arrest him.

"It was just one of my ambitions," he explained. "I come by it naturally. My grandfather was Paul Blondis, the first man ever to walk a tight wire across Niagara Falls."



"What About Work" was the subject of the program given at the meeting of the Pioneer Parents Teachers Association Tuesday evening. L. C. Cash discussed the influence of work on a childs' character.

Special music was given the mother singers who made their first appearance at that time.

Mrs. Lucille Westerman's room won the picture for the largest attendance of parents present.

Pioneer Parents Teachers Association will meet Tuesday afternoon at the school building. The budget for the year will be presented by the finance committee and plans for the project to be carried out the year will be discussed.

#### Tom Bearden Arrested At Baird Is Not Tom P Bearden "Phone Man"

Tom Bearden arrested at his home at Baird Sunday, in connection with the robbery of the Marathon Oil Company at Fort Worth last Spring, is not Tom P. Bearden, manager of the Home Telephone Company here. The accused man is an oil field worker, who has been employed near Baird recently, but has never made that place his home.

Tom P. Bearden, who has resided at Baird more than 20 years and is manager of a number of Texas telephone exchanges, has had explanations running in a Fort Worth newspaper the past week.

The federal agents, reached Coleman at 11 Tuesday night and pushed on to Cass Coleman's farm where Coleman was being closely guarded by Sheriff Mills and deputies, and Winstead.

A few minutes before midnight the party left the farm house, wending a way eastward, across a hundredacre cotton patch, to an abandoned well, located in the center of the patch. Ten feet from the well are a clump of four small willow trees growing close together. The place is a landmark—a standout.

Coleman stepped off three yards from the willow tree. "You'll find the thermos jug down there," he said, pointing at his feet. He stepped four vards from the well. "The syrup bucket is down there," he announced. Digging out the treasure was a matter of only a few minutes. Both jug and bucket were found tightly packed with currency. The money was in \$20 bills, except for one tendollar note, and was in packages of \$2,000 each. Federal operatives carefully checked each bill against the serial numbers in their possession. They announced that all but the ten-spot was Urschel money.

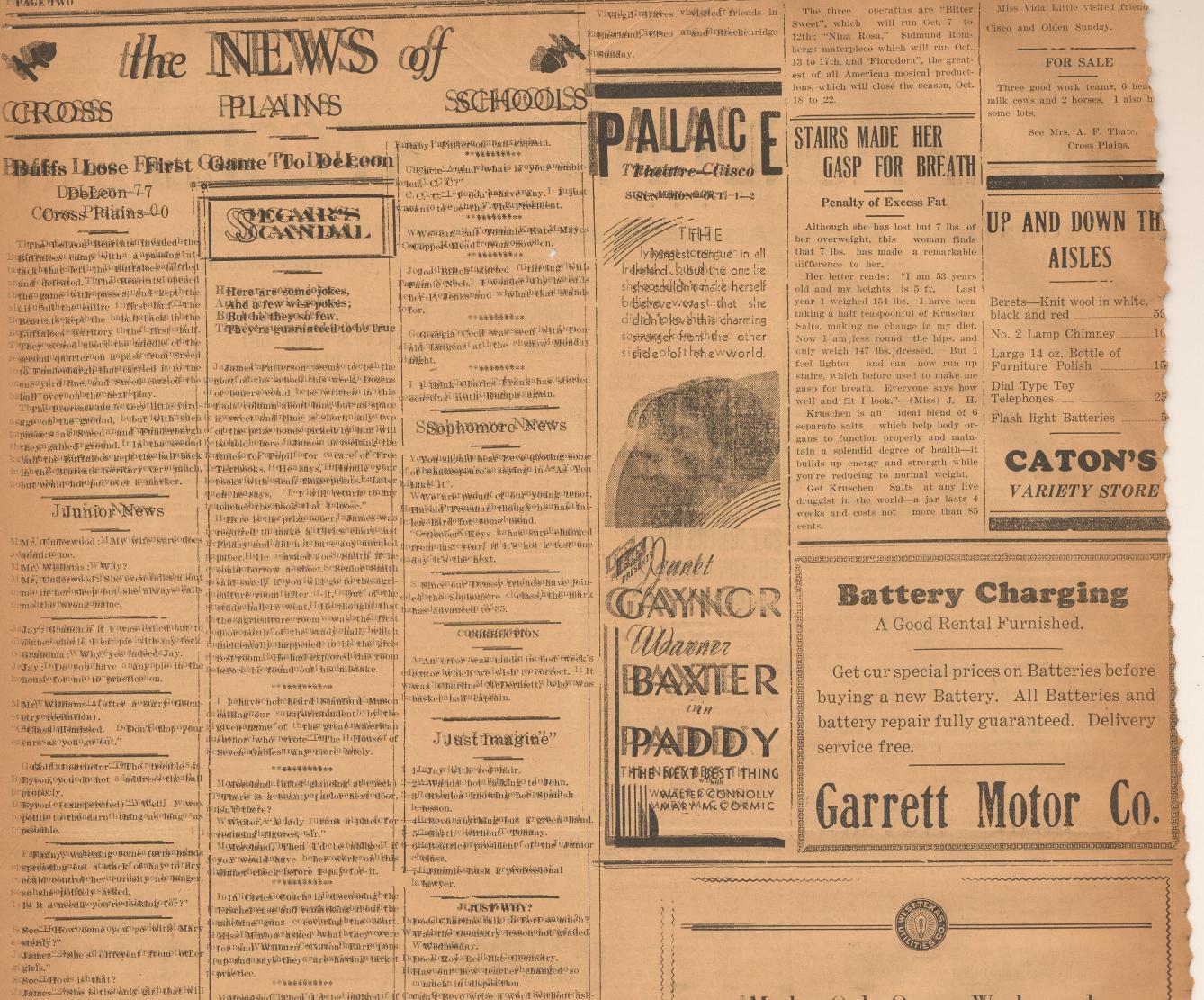
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#### THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS,



We plan to bring out our publicat. ion every week, and have in it each time something worthwhile and interesting to the people of other communities as well as this one. Although it is mainly the policy of the establishment to publish school news, we intend to find room for community happenings. The staff will be an nounced next week, and we would appreciate it very much if you would tip off the reporters occasionally. No matter how good a reporter is, he cannot find out everything that happens, even in a small community. But you can help-write us an article and we shall be glad to print it.

papers.

Judging from the way work was begun this year, we can successfully say that this is going to be one of the most prosperous and enlightening school years that this little town has known for many a year. One, if he were present Monday at the opening exercises, could catch the harmonious viabrations between pupil, teacher, and patron. There is no doubt but what this year is the beginning of the rise of prosperity, and the end of the reign of depression.

At times it may seem as if we are sleeping on the job-our paper may be small and uninteresting. But if this comes to pass, stop and think : "Are you doing your part by cooperating with us and taking our paper; are you giving us what news you know? Stop and think; couldn't you do something else? Aren't you sleeping on the job too?

But let us all keep awake at all times. You may be asured that we shall keep on the job as long as the public is with us-and we believe that shall be eternally!

#### Plane Geometry Or Will You Have Arsenic?

Plane Geometry started off the second day with a page of axioms to memorize. If this is not starting off

quickly with Dr. Emil's Adla Tablets. Banish heartburn, sour stomach. Give quick relief. Sold by Sims Drug Co.

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Everything that goes into the publishing of a newspaper has advanced in price, yet the Review is offered to you at the old time rate. And next year we PRO-MISE you the best weekly newspaper in the history of Cross Plains. Night and day our plans are being laid to make a more complete news coverage of this section and its happenings. We ask your help in two ways: first, during this subscription campaign get some friend to subscribe for the Review, renew for yourself and lets build up the circulation of our home paper to the largest in this section. Second, anytime you know of any 'spot news' that you believe the Review does not, telephone or write immediately.

has made toward maintaining a school paper, or publication. Schools around us have brought out papers for the last few years, and now we are trying our hand—but we shall not be satisfied if we have a paper just as good as, the others, we want a better one. We intend to make a better one. Are you patrons behind us?? You must be if we are to succeed.

There is only one way in which a school maneuver can be made a great success, and that is by arousing the interest of not only the school, but the entire community. If the community is not interested, then the enterprise will be a failure. But we believe this community is interestedwe believe they will be behind us always-That is the only way, remember, to make our paper a grand success.

#### The Gossipers Oracle

Editor's Note: / The Gossiper's Oracle will appear in The Tiger each week. As this is the school's first attempt, and as they had but two days to get this, excuse any faults you may find We assure you that a better paper will appear henceforth,

#### By Clifton Chambers

The Cross Cut High School started off with a boom! Everyone came to school with a smile on his face, and the busses started off in high.

When the bell began to ring, the smiles began to melt-everyone looked serious and sober during the chapel program, during which all of the teachers were introduced and persuaded to make a long speech. Mr. Newton's speech was so long that everyone got tired before he finished, but they seemed to like it. The rest of the teachers made long speeches. Brother Mauldin made a good talk

in chapel, and everyone enjoyed it. We understand that all of the old sweethearts are united again, and business is expected to start any day. If we had all of the paper that i wasted each year on these love notes, we would never have to buy anymore. And this is the first attempt to write gossip of any kind. You know we shall be thrilled to see our work in print, and next week we intend to give you some better gossip and news.

we had no time to study for lessons that day. But you may take it from one who is studying, we are having them now. We believe that the is a sign that this school year is going to be the most successful we have had. Usually

we play around for a week or two before we get down to business. Many benefits are derived from starting our lessons so soon. This

year we shall be well underway by the time we started during the years gone by. Miss Leewright is teaching us Eng lish, Mr. Hughes, Spanish, and Mr.

Newton Mathematics.

#### BETTER PAPER NEXT WEEK

We didn't have but two days to get out this edition. and we intend to make a better one next week, for we shall have the whole week to work in. The staff has not been fully organized yet, so we few cannot hope to do as good as the whole combined High and Grammar School.

Our paper's reputation rests its readers. Without many subscribers we cannot make a good paper.

#### Note Of Thanks

We might point out right here in the beginning that we are greatly indebted to the editor of the Cross Plains Review for the space so generously donated to this school. He has made this paper possible, and now it is up to the students and the patrons of this community to bear its standard high.

#### NEW SYSTEM IS ADOPTED IN TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Miss Leewright, the English teacher, has introduced a new system of teaching in this school. Her system deals with assigning lessons from a month to six weeks in advance. Then if there is a ball game and a student has an opportunity to get out of studying by saying he didn't know where the lesson was, she can say, "don't try that one, you have all of the assingments.'

It takes the cooperation of an entire community to build up a successful newspaper. We have always cooperated with you and now ask you to lend us your wholehearted support. A good newspaper reflects credit upon the trade territory that it serves.

We have carried many subscribers past due on our books for the past few years, not mentioning the matter because we felt that they wanted the paper and were not in condition to pay. But now, we must urge our delinquents to take care of these back accounts.

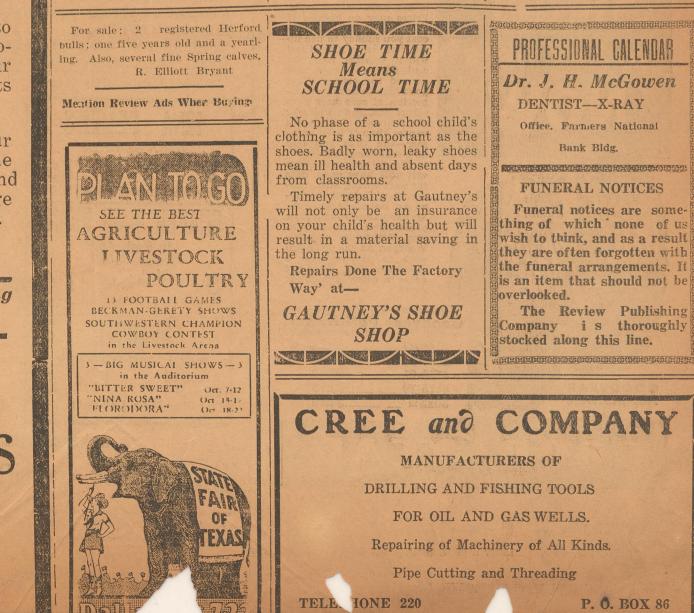
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So now we use those new Spanish terms so heavily stressed by Supt. Hughes, adios and buenos dias!

This system also gives the student an opportunity to work up his lessons and themes in advance, and thus save much labor when there is something else to be done.

with a bang what is it. But good results were obtained there on the first, and if the things must be memorized sometime, why not at the beginning. Mr. Newton is apparently a good geometry teacher. All of his students like him, and he seems to like them, however it is doubtful, for a page of memory work is the limit. But we're with Mr. Newton! -Junior Reporter



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#### THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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#### Mary Massa Honored In Birthday Surprise

Miss Mary Massa was honored with a birthday picnic supper at the Phil Pe Co country club Tuesday evening, when friends so efficiently arranged things that the event was a complete surprise to the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe and Miss Massa were completing a round of golf, when they were called to the lawn tables by a group of friends. In the center of a large table abundant with food was a birthday cake, bearing lighted candles. Miss Massa was asked to cut it. In so doing, a beautiful wrist watch was discovered in the decorations; a gift from the group.

Among those present were: Mrs. Fred Cutbirth, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garner, Mr. and Mrs Nat Williams, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowen, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Holden and Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Powell.

#### MRS. LES BYRD HOSTESS TO CROSS CUT H. D. CLUB

Mrs. Les Byrd was hostess to 10 members of the Cross Cut home demonstration club Friday. Mrs. Jack Garl was initiated into the club at That time.

Mrs. Bill Wright presided over the business session. The work of the afternoon consisted of hooked rug and mat making. Members of the "club are planning to have a number of specimen of their needlecraft ready for display October 13, at the home of Mrs. Anderson Gaines.



A three days meeting was held at the Primitive Baptist church this week. The meeting was well attend-Gal. There were three additions to the church.

Matr. and Mrs. I. W. Morgan of Scration visited Mr and Mrs. S. G. Jones'smaday.

Otis Purvis and Leon Sykes transacted business in Cross Plains last week

MIL Frank Russell visited in the home of . Owen Rouse last Tuesday. Mir. Claude Allen of Pioneer visit-

(ed Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe last week. Jackson Peters of Sabanno visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans and family and Mr and Mrs. Elvin Rouse and family visited Mr. and Mrs. George

# **PIONEER**

By Wayne Middleton

The Pioneer football team is rounding into good shape and all the boys are taking a great interest in their opening conference game with Caddo-Friday the 29th.

The probable starting line up for Pioneer in the Pioneer--Caddo game

Left end-Red Aldridge; Left tackle-T. Gibbard; Left Guard-Billy Barton; Center-Howard Harris: Right end-J. T. Hammett or H. Sheehan. Fullback-Bill Sheehan; Right Half-Foster Cash; Left Half-Dub Stone or Page Rockett; Qt. Back -Hardy Harris.

The Pioneer high school is remodeling their library and is greatly improving it by adding many new books.

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Eight librarians were appointed to take care of the lirary books.

Several Pioneer football fans at tended the T.C.U.-Daniel Baker football game Friday night at Brownwood including coach Snodgrass and several of the football boys.

\* With the addition of several new students the Pioneer High School is enlarging the study hall for seating capacity. \*

Walter Lasly has gone to South Bend to work for the Phillips Petroleum Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davenport were in Fort Worth over the week end.

Judge Owens of Eastland visited in Pioneer Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Davenport arrived home Wednesday, after a visit with her daughter in Manchester, New Jersey. 2

Mrs. C. J. Brooks is confined to her home on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sullman arrived home after a three weeks visit in Illinois.

Mrs. Harold Seymour of Manchester, New Jersey is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davenport.

Mrs. W. B. Gunn, Mrs W W Milner, and Mrs. Claude Hammett were in Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler were in Breckenridge Friday.

Charles Rutherford visited home folks in Rising Star over the week end.

# DRESSY

#### By Helen Johnson

There was a suddness in our community when God saw fit to call from our midst Uncle Bill Neeb whom had been a resident for so long. He was a charter member of the Methodist Church at this place, and has a number of loved ones and a host of friends to suffer his going away. Little Joe Frank Ferrell visited

Wesley Baum of Cross Plains one day last week. Mrs. W. E. Atlee of Gallup New

Mexico is visiting her sister Mrs. C. D. Baird this week. Our school will begin October 2

with the same efficient teachers as the past year. Mr. C. S. Martin, principal, Mrs. Anna Myrl McGowen intermediate and Mrs. C. S. Martin primary. We expect the same continued good service as they have been with us long enough to be a part of us and we have learned to love them for their teaching ability, and interest in us.

The singing class under the supervision of Mrs. Beakley of Burkett was well attended at the first lesson Friday night at the Methodist church lesson will continue each Friday night.

Rev. Van Pelt filled his regular appointment at Cottonwood Sunday. Mrs. C. D. Baird, Mrs. F Ferrell and Rev. Van Pelt attended the Missionary zone meeting at Putnam one day last week they were accompanied by Mrs. Caton of Cross Plains and Miss Coppinger of Cottonwood.

B. M. Baum's mother was carried to her daughters home this week end at Denton to stay for a while as she recovers from a continued spell of Erysipplas.

There will be a spcial at the Methodist Church October 7, everybody invited to come and have a good time the proceeds will go for the benefit . of the parsonage.

#### BY EUNICE HEMBRER

Mr. and Mrs. John Shelton of Fort Worth and Mrs. Nannie Parks of Dallas visited Miss Joe Shelton. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Butler and baby of Brownwood visited their grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Borden Saturday night.

appointment at the Methodist church

Just Received New Crop Delicious Apples

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Sunday and Sunday night. Mrs. Kate Coats and children visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell Sunday.

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**RISING STAR LEGION POST** 

Grande valley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coats received message of the death of Bob Hightower Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey and son

Jimmie Glen made a trip to San Antonio last week. Mr. and Mrs. Oran Barr and son of Cross Plains visited their grandmother Mrs. J. A. Brownlee Sunday

afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C T. Nordyke and daughters Misses Alda and Hazel and son Noel visited Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ellis near Putnam Sunday.

Miss Esther Varner who has spent most of the summer with her sister, Mrs. Joe Arvin, visited home folks last week end, she was accompanied by Mrs. Joe Arvin and daughter Joe Ruth.

A. A. Carter of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. Loy Carter Sunday. Don't forget the box supper given by the Methodist ladies Saturday

night at the tabernacle. Mrs. Opal Coffey and Mrs. Melba Bryant and son goent Monday in Cross Plams.

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