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### IMPROVING PLACE

B. C. Stewart, formerly of Ranger, has moved his teams to his home in Cross Plains that he recently bought of Carl Klutts. He is preparing to work for the oil companies that are due to begin development here. He has bought two lots from John Westerman adjoining his property on the north, and has built barns and sheds to take care of his stock on these lots. He is a believer in improving the town, and is doing his part of it.

Mens work gloves a big stock from 45c up.

The Racket Store.

Walter Jones of Maypearl has been visiting his brother, Hall Jones of this place.

### DRESSY NEWS

The cloudy weather and heavy dews have prevented peanut gathering for the past week.

Several around here attended trades day Monday.

Quite a few of the citizens of Cross Plains have been working in our community in behalf of the fourth Liberty Loan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Klutts of Cross Plains visited Uncle Burrell Wheeler and family Sunday.

Miss Rivers Lamar spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Ethel McDaniel.

Fred Stacy and family, Misses Rnby and Perry Jeans, returned Monday from Alvarado, where Fred had bought a crop there and has been there for some time gathering it.

Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Rogers and baby visited Mrs. G. A. Swafford

Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Ives and family have returned from south Texas and now occupy the Jim Miller place west of Dressy. Mr. Ives lives here some two years ago.

Sam Swafford and family visited N. V. Beard and family Burnt Branch Sunday. Mr. Beard is preparing to move to Brownwood.

Miss Bertie Duncan is fast recovering from an attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Odum visited S. P. Long and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Baum received word that their son B. who is stationed at Camp Travis has influenza, but is not serious. Monroe McDaniel has it also but not seriously. We hope they both recover soon.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson and Mrs. Jewel Steele visited Mrs. G. Steele of Caddo Peak last Friday.

Frank Ferrell returned Saturday from Ranger where he has been at work.

Remember now to club your daily and semi-weekly papers with the Review. We are going to be compelled to raise subscription and if our readers will watch the Review may still cost less than one dollar.

### WE BUY OLD FALSE TEETH

We will pay up to \$21.50 per set (broken or not). Send now. Cash sent by return mail. Package held 10 to 15 days subject to sender's approval of our offer. Highest prices paid for OLD GOLD JEWELRY, GOLD CROWNS, BRIDGES, PLATINUM AND SILVER. United States Smelting Works, Inc. 1017 Goldsmith Bldg., Opp. Post Office, Milwaukee, Wis.

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### School Boys Sits

Extra serviceable school suits for boys, made up of good serviceable material and at prices very much lower than these suits can be bought now. Don't delay buying suits for your boys, for as long as our present stock lasts we can save you \$2.50 to \$5.00 on every suit. Prices range from \$5.00, 6-00, 7-50, to 12-50.

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# THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, Oct. 18, 1918.

NO. 36

## "OVER THE TOP"

Cross Plains has gone "over the top" its quota of the 4th Liberty Loan. part have you had in it? You but only to Saturday to subscribe.

## mers National Bank

### OVER THE TOP

so short for us to say week about the big on Wednesday. It was a powered campaign. Judges Bursell and Baird and Clyde their souls into the it was put up to a dog he had to buy to his ability. We top; but every man bought what he is expected to do so

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### NECA CAMERA

The camera that has blazed the trail to successful photo- the light, quick, knock-about camera entirely of wood metal, with the new method of loading, photographic in- ideal for the Boy The Campfire Girl, Brown-up Vacationist.

### CITY DRUG STORE



### CHILDS MATERIAL ON GROUND

Cross Plains is putting on an appearance of "surenuff" oil development. Five cars of material consisting of three cars of casing and one with boiler and engine, one loaded with tools and other equipment, arrived first of the week and are being hauled to the Childs' location five miles north of town. This furnishes an unusual sight for the most of us and it makes us feel that we are about to be put on the map.

F. C. Henderson of Long Island, N. Y., is owner of the well with Lewis Gray of Mineral Wells superintendent, and W. R. Wadsworth head driller, the latter of Bridgeport, Ill. C. P. Brant & Co. of Indianapolis, Ind., are owners of the tools and will do the drilling. Mr. Wadsworth is with the material. The complete drilling outfit is here, including the boiler and engine and tools. Three out of five cars of casing have arrived. Mr. Wadsworth states that they will use 15 1-2 inch casing for about 200 feet, 12 and 10 inch for about 2000 and 6 5-8 inch casing to the big lime, which should be struck about 2800 or 3000 feet.

This well is to be put down in a fine structure as far as geology is concerned, and its development will be watched with great interest.

### GO TO BOOSTING

Some have asked about the old commercial club. It is dead and buried. But we can get another going and now is the time to start it. M. E. Wakefield has asked the Review to see if we could get the thing started again. Wakefield is a booster, having come from a boosting country, namely the Pan Handle. He says that the right kind of publicity now will do wonders for the country and town. The oil situation if the world knew it would put us on the map. If it does not know it Cross plains will get little benefit unless greatness is thrust upon us, and we should be willing and anxious to achieve greatness. Everybody that owns a foot of real estate that is not willing to sit down and die on it is interested in seeing the country boom. Are you willing to help? If so talk the matter to everybody. This is opportunity's forelock, and they say she is held as an eagle behind.

### CROSS PLAINS AN OIL CENTER

The Big Trade Territory of Which Cross Plains is The Center Is Soon To Be Given a Thorough Test

Oil development all around Cross Plains is a long-promised boon soon to be realized. Wells near town and in all directions save to the south are to be started immediately, and the Roxanna people are expected to drill three miles south at an early date.

The Odum well several miles due west of Cross plains on P. H. Cum-Survey is a rig up waiting for material which is in transit. J. P. McBride et al have the contract. Three hundred cords of wood have been delivered at the site for fuel.

[Later—One car of machinery for the Odum well arrived Wednesday, with more to follow.]

The Albin well two and one-half miles south of east of town on the northwest corner of the E. W. Brooks Survey, has the derrick, 83 feet high and 22-foot base, and one car of coal on ground and five cars of material in transit. L. P. Litzinger et al of Butler, Pa., are owners, with E. E. Keller head driller.

The Childs well five miles a little east of north or town near middle of Block No. 61 of the J. Sayers Survey, owned by F. S. Henderson and others, has four cars of material on the ground and two in transit. Cellar is dug and rig builders at work on rig.

The Cordwert well nine miles northwest of Cross Plains in the southeast corner of Section 12 in Block 5 was spudded in last Friday. It is owned by John Dawkins and others and is to be drilled by P. J. McBride. It is located on the divide between the Pennsylvania and the Cretaceous sands.

The Seale well located near middle of the south line of Section 252 sixteen miles northwest of Cross Plains is a rig up waiting for material.

The Hart well about twenty miles north of here is about 1500 feet deep and standing full of oil. It is located on Section 6 of the Hayland Asylum Lands. Richard Levering Co. are owners.

The Cathey well, owned by Harvey et al, fifteen miles north of this place, on Section 9, one mile south of Putnam, is 3625 feet and fishing.

The Brown well twelve miles northeast in edge of Eastland, located on Section 101, is 2300 feet and fishing. It is drilled by Barnsdall.

The Texas Company have begun a well thirteen miles east of Cross Plains near Rising Star on the G. W. Maxwell survey in Eastland County.

The Sealey well being drilled by the Magnolia Petroleum Co. fifteen miles southwest of town in Coleman County is producing oil; how much we have not heard.

### Trades Day Monday

Monday is trades day, and you are invited to come make your purchases here on that day. Read our merchants' ads, in the Review. Those that ask for your business through your local paper should have your best consideration. They want your business and are enterprising as shown by their advertising. Also they make possible a local newspaper. We dare say their goods are the best and their prices as reasonable as conditions will admit.

### THE ALBIN RIG HERE

The L. P. Litzinger rig has arrived and been delivered to the ground. It is a dandy rig, and it is not a Star, but a California special and according to specification is better than the ordinary Standard. It came from the Parkersburg Rig & Tool Co., of Parkersburg, W. Va., the derrick came sawed and ready for erection. It will measure eighty-three feet in height with a twenty-two foot base. Bolts will be used in its construction.

Mr. Yost, local manager, has a letter from the head driller E. F. Kelley stating that the tools and casing were on the road. The tools have been held up on account of attack of influenza in the manufactory. The casing was shipped on the ninth.

### Good Coffee

For Trades Day only 7 lbs for \$1.00 The Wilson Produce Co.

Mrs. Docie Crayton has returned to her home at Big Springs after visiting her uncle J. W. Payne.

Pay your Review ahead NOW.

## NOTICE!

After due publication of this notice we will not allow overdrafts of any kind. We stand ready at all times to grant any accommodation to our friends and customers and will gladly do so upon request. The overdraft habit is inconsistent with good banking methods and is often abused. If you are in need of a few dollars for a short time come in and let us know about it instead of just checking on us, thereby save any embarrassment that might occur.

The above notice will be applied to all—no exceptions.

VIRGIL HART, Cashier  
The Bank of Cross Plains



YOU PROBABLY ARE, if your farm lacks proper improvements in the shape of hog houses, feed racks, good gates, granaries, sheds and other farm buildings. A poorly cultivated piece of land gives but poor results. It takes effort and care to grow crops. And it takes good buildings to take care of farm animals, farm produce, and farm implements. If you have no investment, how can you expect to realize a profit?

Build up your farm by building the buildings you need. Build of Southern Pine. Build NOW! Your bushel of corn and wheat will go farther in buying lumber now than they ever did before. Your farm produce has approximately twice the purchasing power now that it had in 1914, when it comes to lumber.

We do not know how long this unusual opportunity will be open for you. Why not take advantage of it while it lasts?

Come in and let us show you our farm building plans. Get the benefit of our free service. Make the investment NOW—we are ready to help you.

Joe H. Shackelford, Lumber  
Cross Plains, Texas



### FOOD CONSERVATION RULES EXPLAINED IN FOREIGNERS' HOMES

Y. W. C. A. DOING SPECIAL WORK AMONG BOHEMIANS AND SPANIARDS TO HELP GOVERNMENT.

Two obstacles to efficient execution of the government's food conservation plans bid fair to disappear as the work of the International Institute, the division of the Young Women's Christian Association devised to deal with problems of foreign-born women, extends its work.

San Antonio has been the center of this type of work in the Southwest, but recent trips of sectional leaders through Texas disclosed the fact that the number of women in Texas who speak Bohemian is exceeded only by the number speaking Spanish. Women of neither of these nationalities has hitherto co-operated thoroughly and understandingly with the food conservation program. This has been due solely to the fact they have not understood the plans.

Continuation of polities heretofore adopted promises acceptable translations, into the languages with which these women are familiar, of the food conservation program.

The other obstacle in the way of the food program, is the inflexibility of appetites. Foods must be somewhat like, in taste, those formerly used, or, in general, the foreign-born, foreign-language speaking women of Texas will avoid them. To this problem the Young Women's Christian Association is directing the attention of its specialists and immediate results now seem guaranteed.

### AMERICAN PHONE GIRLS HELPING DEFEAT GERMANS

"American girls of the Signal Corps are goddesses to American army officers; the men always ask for operators who can speak English," writes the secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association at Paris, France, who is in charge of the home where the girls from the United States are living.

She adds: "In Paris they have their own hostess house. They are splendid war workers. They must speak French fluently in order to come on this mission, so there are many who have come through pure desire to give patriotic service and many who never did telephone work until they undertook this. Some are college girls, some are teachers.

"As in the United States, only women can live at the hostess house, but men come for meals. The dining room is crowded with men and women in a bewildering mass of uniforms. There are, to name a few, the doctors, the Red Cross nurses, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A. workers, the men with their Red Triangles and the women wearing the now well-known Blue Triangle."

### "OLD TIME" BICYCLE HAS AGAIN BECOME POPULAR

Tours, France.—"Every one here rides a bike, including the secretaries of the Young Women's Christian Association," writes Miss Esther Sleight, secretary of the Hostess House for American Women in Tours, Miss Sleight, who attended Syracuse University, and was assisting in the war work at Charleston, S. C., at the time of her appointment to work in France, adds that Mrs. James S. Cushman, chairman of the War Work Council, presented each of the Hostess houses with a good old reliable American-made "bike."

"Automobiles are needed for the army. Besides, gasoline, or essence as we now call it, is expensive. We are always running short on it, just as we do our sugar supply. Consequently we depend on other sources of power, and habitually cycle from our hostess houses to the foyers, social rooms at the factories, and to the recreation park on the Loire."

### BLUE TRIANGLE WORKERS ARE BUSY IN WAR ZONE

Tours, France.—"Say, are you folks over here under the army or are you on your own?" popped in a vigorous American, rather startled a secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association in this city, whose ears have ached for the sound of a voice from home.

"He was a private," explained the secretary, "and he was in deadly earnest. I did my best to tell him of our work here for the nurses, the women workers and the munition makers. Meanwhile, I saw he was retreating from head to foot and his eyes fastened themselves on the Blue Triangle on my arm.

"When in true doughboy style he suddenly added, 'Well, when I see that Y. W. C. A. on your arm, I say to myself, 'The Y. W. C. A. stay over here for nothing!'"

### OVER THE TOP

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J C Rudloff	Rev R C Kidd
Mrs. Wm Neeb	L L Blackburn
J P Cross	L D Montgomery
Flem Johnson	W T Wilson
J C MacDaniel	J E Harrell
Walton Reeder	P M Woods
G M King	J A Atwood
W J Bryson	

### \$50.00 Bond Buyers

W A Rawlings	Jane Henderson
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B L Russell	T J Henson
W B Williams	R O Eubanks
Frank Williams	Bob Garrett
Sam Carson	F H Buckles
W C Bagwell	C E Atwood
J B Brown	J H McDonald
E L Teston	R D Carter

### BACK TO AMERICA

J. T. Atkins, son of Mrs. J. H. Causey of this place, has sent a telegram from Ellis Island, N. Y., stating that he had landed safely from France. He was wounded in the leg some months ago in action in France, and was never able to go back into active service. He enlisted from Nebraska early in the war in the engineers' corps and has seen some good service.

Mr and Mrs. Hugh Gregory of Parsons, Kansas, are visiting Mrs. W. F. Elliott, Mrs. Gregory's mother.

Minor and Conner Elliot have returned from Parsons, Kansas, where they have been at work in the harvest fields.

Rev R. H. Williams has returned from Minn. Okla., where he has been preaching.

### CHICAGO'S SOCIETY WOMEN IN CAMPAIGN

LEADING WOMEN HELP TO RAISE OVER \$500,000 FOR SALVATION ARMY WAR WORK IN FRANCE

Chicago.—Pedestrians in Chicago's busy business districts have been tacked on all sectors by an army of pretty girls, wearing the poke bonnet insignia of the Salvation Army. Each carried a little tin box for contributions to the Salvationist overseas fund and a broad smile. No line it either was set for the amount to be dropped into the tin box. And each contributor was given a little "honor" tag, signifying that he or she had bought a cup of coffee and a couple of sinkers for some "Buddy" over there.

It is estimated that no less than 10,000 workers—all volunteers—have joined in the campaign which in point of interest has not been surpassed by any previous war fund drive. Rich and poor alike are doing their bit. The State Council of Defense has the campaign under its auspices, with L. E. Myers, chairman of the Cook County Auxiliary as drive chairman and Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, wife of the millionaire packer, as head of the women's organization. The Chicago Association of Commerce has divided every trade subdivision of the city under separate "drive" heads and a committee has started a crusade in each. It is an exceptional feature that every campaign division was either doubled or tripled, voluntarily, the quota assigned to it.

In addition to a booth at every street corner in the business district, manned by squads of women and each booth with a soldier and jackie escort, not a point of vantage has been overlooked. There are booths in every hotel, in every department store and in every club. Autos are stopped at the street and asked to contribute and every elevated and suburban train is met.



ENSIGN LLOYD BURDICK Former Texas Salvationist now at the front in France. The Ensign and his wife, "Mother" Burdick, are probably the most popular Salvationists in France.

### SEARGENT "CLIFF" DIGS DEEP DOWN

RETURNED VETERAN CONTRIBUTES TO S. A. AND URGES EVERYBODY TO HELP.

Chicago.—A tall young veteran of the great war in the khaki of the American Army walked up to the county building booth here of the Salvation Army. A service brigade on his right arm indicated at least six months' service "over there". On the right sleeve a wound brigade showed why he was not "there" now. And on his left breast triumphantly showed the cross de guerre.

"Dough for doughnuts for the doughboys?" asked Mrs. Philip Bregstone, a social woman of prominence who is a volunteer overseas fund gatherer for the Salvationists, as she extended her collection tambourine. "You bet," said the doughboy veteran, as he dug deep. "I know—believe me—I know. And if everybody knew they'd be handing out money to keep every man in France supplied with doughnuts, pie and coffee. That is only a little of what they do. Why the army can't get along without them over there."

The young man was Sergt. "Cliff" Leucka, son of Policewoman Anna Leucka, recently invalided home after being gassed.

Sergt. "Cliff" told his story. It was the story of thousands of other doughboys. Fourteen hours of a winter's day and night he spent in a shell-torn trench near Chemin des Dames. Relief came after dawn. Sergt. "Cliff" staggered back to the lines. As he came out of the trench the first to greet him was a serene young woman with a Salvation Army khaki uniform and steel helmet. She tendered him hot coffee and fresh doughnuts.

"Oh man," said Sergt. "Cliff," "talk about turkey and plum pudding to a starving kid! Why, that coffee and doughnut layout made a Christmas dinner look like a hashhouse meal. And what they did for me they do for every other soldier they come in contact with 'over there'. They certainly are the real thing and they can have anything I've got."

### S. A. WORKERS SENT TO FRANCE

TWENTY-FIVE OR MORE GOING ACROSS EVERY MONTH TO AMMY'S HUTS WITH AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

Salvationist hument workers for service in the battle zones of France with Pershing's forces, are now being sent from Chicago, alone, at the rate of 25 a month, and this quota is expected to be maintained to the end of the year, according to an announcement by Lieut. Col. J. T. Flynn of territorial headquarters who is handling recruiting for the front.

Because of the dangers of ocean travel, as well as the tremendous demand for Salvationist workers immediately in France, the system of sending workers "over" has been changed. Instead of dispatching the workers in patrias, they are going as individuals being sent forward as soon as necessary papers are received from Washington, as well as commissions which make them a militarized part of the American forces. As soon as the workers touch French shores, they are met by officers from Paris headquarters and assigned to positions in the battle zones. It is not uncedon that workers are wearing gas masks and have tasted of Hun shell fire within a week from the time of their arrival, over there.

### PANCAKES FOR THE SOLDIERS' BREAKFAST

SALVATION ARMY IS SERVING THEM HOT AND JUST LIKE MOTHER USED TO MAKE.

Pancakes are the latest Sunday morning culinary innovation provided by the Salvationist hument lassies who are working up close to the front line trenches in France. Captain Geneva Ladd, one of the American Salvationist girls, who is going through shell fire and gas "over there," had this to say about pan-cakes and doughboys:

"Pancakes are now the Sunday morning treat for the boys and we make thousands of them. We usually start panmaking at 8 o'clock in the morning, and the other morning at 11 o'clock the line was still so long of boys waiting that you couldn't see the end of it.

"We serve four to a boy in the first line, and more if he can get back again for seconds, or 'butts' as they call them. Maybe it isn't a big job serving these oakes hot! And if you think it isn't a job choose a real hot July morning and have a real hot fire, and wear a soldier's all-wood G. D. shirt, and it's a grand and glorious feeling."

"Telling of the 'make-shift' hat which it has been necessary to use up at the front in that sector, Captain Ladd says:

"The boys like the meetings and how they sing! You should see the place we have in our town. Before the civilians left the place was used as a cafe. We have what was a bar-room with marble tables in it. The bar we use as a canteen, and sell chocolate instead of beer. A sign up reads in French: 'Keep your feet off the brass rail.' A room of the bar-room was a clubroom, so we have a Victrola and piano and comfortable chairs, where the fellows spend much of their time."

### SALVATION ARMY IS WIPED OUT BY KAISER

KAISER DESTROYS ORGANIZATION IN GERMANY AND DIRECTS SPECIAL "HATE" AT HUTS AND WORKERS.

Paris.—According to advice received here, the Salvation Army in Germany and Austria has been wiped out of existence by order of the Kaiser, not only because it was founded in England, but because Salvationists from all over the earth are in the trenches fighting under the various flags of the Allies. The fact that the American Salvationist relief workers have been made a military part of the American Expeditionary Forces, and have been working in the front lines with our boys, it is believed to have had considerable to do with the Kaiser's action. For the last six months the Huns have as strenuously attempted to "kill off" American Salvationist lassies, who are working in the advanced zones, as they have women of the Red Cross, frequently subjecting them to terrific shell bombardments and gas attacks.

### ATTENTION, PLEASE

We wish to call your attention line of Staple Dry Goods, such will need to keep you warm and comfortable this winter.

Also we have plenty of Feed and Fresh Come to see us when in town. Remember our normally managed store which enables us to sell moderate prices.

### Cross Plains Merc. The Cash Store

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Clerk R. D. Williams
- For County Clerk C. T. Nordyke (re-election)
- For County Judge J. R. Black
- For County Collector W. P. Ramsey [Pit]
- For Tax Assessor C. W. Conner
- For Sheriff G. H. Corn
- For Treasurer Walter C. Martin
- For County Attorney J. Rupert Jackson
- For Commissioner Prec. 4 J. W. McDaniel
- For Justice of Peace Prec. 6 A. J. Mathis (re-election)
- For Public Weigher J. W. Payne
- For Constable Prec. 6 W. O. Peavy

### TEXAS AVIATOR WINS PRAISE FOR HIS WORK IN FRONT.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin of Amarillo, who arrived in Dallas yesterday morning from Collins County, where he had been conducting a revival, had the pleasant experience of reading in The Dallas News a very complimentary account of the work of their son, Lieutenant William P. Erwin, an aviator with the American expeditionary forces at the French front. He was highly praised in the dispatch from Don Martin, special correspondent of The News and the New York Herald.

Lieutenant Erwin is well known over Texas and in Dallas, having been pianist with E. O. Excell, evangelist singer, who sang at the State Sunday School convention here. He enlisted at Chicago, where he was attending Northwestern University. The above article appeared in the Dallas News some weeks back, was cut out by the editor and misplaced until this week when it was found. The Erwins formerly lived at Sabanno and still have some rela-

### GROWN FAMILIAR



"Did the eruption of Vesuvius greatly impress you?" "Why, no, I'd seen it before in moving pictures."

### CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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OUR ISSUES CONSTITUTE A MONTH

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

We are having plenty of rain now, since last Wednesday and Thursday nights, when about two inches precipitation fell. That is plenty of rain for one week. Keeping that record going is the trouble.

A farmer who was gambler enough to have sowed wheat and other winter cereals is lucky—he may have good pasturage this winter. But it took nerve to make the risk, did it not?

If some of our delinquents do not come across soon we will try to get a check at the drouth-stricken fund. One's credit has to be exhausted before he can get this help—that would be very easily proved with reference to oneself.

Your attention is called to the two-column article elsewhere in the Review on the influenza. It is prepared by the Government health department, and is the last word on that important subject. Read it and follow its advice and you will not go far wrong.

We are all asked to save paper. The Review is rather economical in its use of news stock, and is often short of copies for samples or for those who may fail to their paper. We have always believed it wrong to waste anything, and our practice is measurably true to that belief. We will suggest that the Government cut out most of the congressmen's speeches that are printed and mailed at Government expense to their constituents. That should be stopped regardless of the value of paper.

One can not fail to do his duty in this supreme time and expect to save his soul in the eternity before us. No man can shirk his duty without incurring the just reprehension of public opinion. The acid test will be applied and the shirker, whether from military service or in the field of labor or in the ranks of the wealthy, will be unable to withstand the finger of scorn which will be unerringly pointed at him. We must rise to the sublimest heights of patriotism, of sacrifice, of devotion, of love of country, if we would not deserve to be cast into the depths of defeat and obliion.

Glorious American! for what she has already done, more, glorious for what she is now doing, and glorified she shall be for what she is determined to do and will achieve!—Hon. W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury.

### SPECIAL SALE of Coat Suits and Dress

For Saturday and Monday only it will be to you if you intend buying a coat suit or dress, to cover high class garments. They are put up by the best as Palmer and Haveland, and are brand new a minute. We can give you just as good style, just as new as you can get in any of the near-by a big saving to you.

\$37.50 DRESSES	\$34.90	\$37.50 COAT
32.50 "	29.90	35.00 "
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A BIG lot of Bargain Shoes on counters for your in shoes that it will pay you to buy for next summer. Pat and Gunmetals in men's, women's, and children's shoes look these bargains over.

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Buy your underwear early. It WILL be high and we have Munsingwear for men and boys, women and girls and holds when it is washed.

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to take care of your wants in men's and boys' Suits, V Caps and Shoes, Shirts, Gloves and Ties, at Prices that to investigate.

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WHERE IT PAYS TO BUY

F. G. PERNON Medical Advisor Southwestern American Red Cross







### Curtis Items

Here we come to tell you the happenings of Curtis.

Most of the people here are taking up their peanuts altho the recent rains have entered greatly. The sun is shining once more and we are hoping for a few weeks of continued fair weather until this "peanut business" is over at least.

The Spanish influenza is all around us. However this community has escaped so far and considers itself lucky at that.

Alex Woodell of Rising Star visited his sister Mrs. Dee Landerdale a few days last week.

Edd Pierce made a business trip to some point in West Texas last week.

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John Slough has received notice that his son John was seriously ill at Camp Fort Sill, Okla.

John McGowen, age 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McGowen and a nephew of W. A. McGowen of this place, died on Sunday a week ago at Weatherford and was buried at Baldo on Tuesday following. He had been to the East engaged in Government work.

### Town Delivery

The merchants of the town last Friday had some circulars printed advising the citizens of the town that a charge of five cents would be made on each delivery beginning on Monday. The editor being out of town for a short while, let the office boys do the printing, and he showed the proof of the job to some of the merchants. However, the name of J. W. Westerman, who signed the circular, was unintentionally left off, and we take this means to rectify the mistake.

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Remember that we sell feed: corn, bran, oats, chops, and hominy feed.

Get our prices before you buy.

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The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use assures a fresh, clean complexion. All dealers 35c, 50c, and \$1.00. Baker-Wheeler Mfg. Co., Dallas, Tex.

We are paying this week for Cream per pound ..... 54c. NEEB & Sipes.

Star Brand All-Leather Work Shoes for only ..... \$2.65. The Racket Store.

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If you own a good car you should carry insurance against fire and theft. I can give you the best of protection. See me for particulars.

Make your residence and furniture a safe investment by insuring same against fire and tornado. I have the best companies.

Special proposition for farmers with good homes and barns.

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**¶ The producer and the consumer hold daily heart to heart talks through these columns.**  
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### PAYING SUBSCRIPTIONS

A number are paying their Review subscriptions ahead now in order to get it at \$1.00 a year. You can pay to January 1, 1921, at that price. However, we believe most of our readers that are able to do so will not mind paying the new price as a matter of right. Besides, every subscriber to a daily paper can still get the Review for a dollar. Remember to club your Review and daily paper. Our Honor Roll will appear next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smedly are among the influenza victims reported this week.

### Elder T. W. Head Pses To His Reward

The remains of Rev. T. W. Head, accompanied by J. G. Head of Thurber, passed through DeLeon Monday en route to Rising Star, the home of the deceased for burial.

Some ten days ago Elder Head was carried to St. Joseph's Infirmary in Ft. Worth where he underwent a serious operation and from which he did not recover. He was 61 years old at the time of the death.

You might term Elder Head as one of the pioneer preachers of this part of Texas as he was for more than 25 years pastor of the Christian Church in numerous places in Comanche, Erath and other nearby counties in Texas.

Many has been his friends and admirers, useful has been his life of service and no doubt, rich will be his reward for his work and ministry.

Free Press extends sincere sympathy to the sorrowing ones.—Free Press.

### DROUTH RELIEF.

Bald, Texas, October 5th, 1918. To the Public:

I have been requested by the Drouth Committee of Texas, to handle the drouth relief funds for this county, and now have on hand about one thousand dollars for distribution among those in actual necessities circumstances. This money is for farmers only and is to be loaned without security at 5 per cent interest. It cannot be used for the payment of debts, but for food, clothing and stock feed, and only those whose credit is exhausted need apply. Mr. G. O. Grewell, of Oplin, chairman of the county council of defense, has been appointed by the governor to act in conjunction with me in the distribution of these funds and between us we have requested Mr. O. H. Harwell of Putnam to act with us, as the drouth relief committee requested three members to act on applications. Applications must be made in writing on forms furnished by the committee and notes signed by applicants and their wives, if applicant is married or not a widow. If you contemplate requesting this aid please call and make your application at once.

I am also authorized to receive donations to this worthy cause, and those desiring to assist in this philanthropy may make remittance to me or direct to Gov. Hobby.

W. R. Ely.

The merchants of the town are putting it up to you to deliver your own merchandise, which will reduce their expenses a little and save gasoline and labor. We are certainly able to carry more stuff home than we are able to pay for.

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W. O. Peavy has received word that his son Tom had landed safely in France. He remained in Camp Travis some time ago.

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Whether you contemplate building a house, lungalow, barn, garage,—anything at all—come in and look over our assortment of up-to-date plans.

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to build—or even to repair or remodel—remember that our flooring, siding, roofing, shingles, lath, sheathing, dimension lumber, building paper and all kinds of building material are the best and the cheapest to be had.

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### PREPARE FOR ARMY BEFORE CALL COMES.

Prospective Soldier Can Insure health by System of Training at Home. Camp Travis Medical Authorities say.

Men soon to be called into service can practically insure themselves against probable disease in the Army by a simple system of precautionary training while they are awaiting enlistment. This is the advice offered by medical authorities of the "Census Division" at Camp Travis, Texas.

Intelligence exercise and a proper care of the body by the prospective soldier are more effective than anything that medical science can do during the period of transformation from civilian to soldier. By this training he builds up his physical power of resistance and whips his constitution into such shape that he is practically immune from the lesser maladies and is in much better shape to stand the new conditions, and a certain amount of exposure which he is certain to encounter.

Statistics at Camp Travis disclose that a major portion of the illness in camp is among the recruits and that these recruits are especially susceptible to contagious and infectious diseases. Men who come here in depleted condition and whose resistance is low, may easily fall victim to malignant germs.

Reports reaching this place are that many young men expecting to be selected are prone to take "a last fling" at home and during this "fling" commit all kinds of indiscretions among which might be mentioned smoking to much; keeping late hours; overeating, etc. Nothing could be worse, say the medical authorities. By the time the drafters reach the camp they are in such a run down state that their systems offer a fertile field for disease.

Just what sort of exercises to take and just how to build up the system is very important, and this information is willingly given by the army physicians. Above all things the beginner should not overdo his exercising. A schedule of light calisthenics; a short walk or ride daily, and plenty of fresh baths, and sunshine are all that are needed. The amount of exercise should of course be increased as the body becomes accustomed to it.

Among the exercises the medical expert suggest are deep breathing, body bending to get rid of any excess fat around the abdomen, vigorous leg and arm movements, and any training that will develop "wind."

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A welcome smile, a friendly handclasp, a comfortable seat, a cheery "Come again" awaits you at the Presbyterian Church. Sunday School at 10 A. M. every Sunday. Preaching services on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. J. W. Howell, pastor.

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I was in the Officers Training School and was commissioned Aug. 26th. Buddie, I went into the school with "blood-in-the-eyes" Ha! Ha! Really, I went into it with a determination to make good, to get my commission, and out of 126 men in my Company I stood 6th from the top. You see best man first and so on down the line. The one thing that meant more than anything to me was being highly recommended, for an instructor in the Officers Training Schools.

As you know this is a big arm of ours now. A bunch of us is working for Uncle Sam now. I am unassigned yet. I was sent here to take as my order read "The course in the school of Small Arms, for instructors. I am due to finish here Oct. 4th. I don't know of course where I will be sent after finishing here. Will either go on Training Camp Duty as an instructor or to one of the new divisions for private.

One thing I'm glad of, too, now and that is I'm in the line, in the infantry and feel more like a soldier. So long as I was in the Quarter Master Corps they kept me working in the office all the time. And this life agrees with me. This is such a fine climate up here that I've gained several pounds since the first of the month, and now weigh 190 pounds. Buddie, have the people yet begun to realize the seriousness of the war? It seems that the people in general were awfully slow to wake up.

How have you and grandma been getting along this last long hot summer? This is the prettiest country I ever saw, and it rains lots. I'm about 600 yards from the shore of Lake Erie.

Write me soon won't you? And don't wait so long. I'll leave here Oct. 5th.

Love to all,  
H. R. A. Pinson

### TO THE PEOPLE OF CROSS PLAINS.

I would write a few words of thanks for your sympathy expressed to us in the past, by both old and young, especially as concerning my boys who are in the Army, and for the interest you have manifested in their welfare. I feel deeply interested in your boys who are "over there," and I hope and pray will soon be over and the boys will return to greet us.

Yours,  
D. N. Patterson.

Bill Masters, son-in-law of Z. W. Green of Sabano, has been at home sick, and has returned to his post at Camp Pike.

DO YOUR DUTY.

You could be a very unnatural parent if you did not wish to give your boy or girl the best educational advantages that in your power, a very thoughtless parent if you sent to the first school that mailed you a catalogue, and an unpardonable parent if you entered him in a school without first investigating its location, sanitation, equipment, character of student body, faculty, system, of discipline, and above all the moral surroundings. Yours is the duty of investigation, comparison and ultimate decision.

Your boy or girl is the hope of your life. In him or her is centered your most cherished ambitions. His or her worth to you cannot be measured by dollars, cents, but his or her value must be measured by the training which he received in home and in school. If the local school were an ideal place for your boy or girl, you wouldn't think about sending him away from home. Under present conditions, they doubtless need more self reliance, because they lack the power of initiative, are wanting in breath, the scope of vision, haven't learned how to study, can't make for themselves, and are ignorant of the fine art of business career. If so, their education should be continued in a business training school where discipline really means something, where personal supervision by the faculty is constant, where our service is rendered above everything else, and where manly and womanly character and conduct are held paramount to all other considerations.

Our thoughts are centered upon the welfare of our girls while here in school as well as their future business career. We have secured the services of Mrs. Chas. T. Bonner, of Tyler, Texas, as Dean of Women. Mrs. Bonner is well qualified for the great responsibility of caring for the hundreds of young women who are fitting themselves to take the places of our splendid young men who have answered our country's call. Mrs. Bonner has traveled over this country and in Europe, observing the positions and conditions of women. She has been closely identified with the State Federation of Women's Club since its inception, and has been actively interested in church work for the betterment of women kind. Her deep interest and sympathy for young women gives her at once a place in the hearts of the students, she will try as nearly as possible to fill the place of Mother to each girl.

Our 225 page catalogue will tell you as to the financial standing of our institution. It will tell you of the endorsements by the best business men, ministers, lawyers, and bankers, it will give you the experience of our young people who came to us with limited means, and in a short time in our school, what their success and future has meant to them. We know you are bound to be interested, so ask us to furnish you the proof. Our large, beautifully illustrated catalogue is free, if you will fill out this coupon and mail to us.—Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

Name  
Father or Mother  
Address

### Scholarships for Sale

The Review offers scholarships in Tyler Commercial College for sale at reduced prices. Good face value on any course. The Government urgently needs lady stenographers, typewriter operators, bookkeepers, etc., and offers good pay. A fine opportunity for unnumbered women to get good lucrative positions as stenographers, typewriter operators, and in the civil service. You can prepare for this work at Tyler. The Review.

T. E. Mitchell and children have returned from Fannin County where they report good crops. They have been dodging the drouth stricken West.

### For Anything in Lumber or Building Material see

**Joe H. Shackelford**  
The Lumberman

Read his ad. on first page

**L. P. HENSLEE**  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
and Conveyancer  
At The Review Office

### REV. D. N. PATTERSON TO MOTHER

Rev. D. N. Patterson and family are making arrangements to move to Mississippi, where they formerly lived. He states that if he does not sell his farm he will go anyway. They have lived near Cross Plains for a number of years and have many friends who regret to see them leave. When they decide to return, which they are likely to do when it goes to raining in the west, we will gladly welcome them.

### FROM JESSE WOMACK

Paris, France, Sept. 1st, 1918.  
Dear Mother and Dad:—

Will drop you a few lines this Sunday morning. I am feeling very good. Have a bad cold.

We are all pretty busy; and comfortably located, have good barracks and nice large barracks. I haven't seen any of the boys from home. Wrote to Chester last night.

France is certainly a great country and Paris is some City although I have seen very little of it.

There are so many historical places. Think I'll go for a walk this afternoon. Have you ever received allotment? Let me know what you do. Everything is very quiet here. Fritz is so busy moving back that he hasn't had time to get anything here. They sure have him on the run.

I hope you are all well. As I don't know any interesting news to write will close. Write me a long letter soon with all the news.

Your loving son  
Jesse Womack  
O. P. 2, A. P. O. 702 Amr. B. F.

# TEXAS COTTON PALACE EXPOSITION

THE GREATEST LIVE STOCK and AGRICULTURAL FAIR IN THE SOUTH

The United States Government has sent many carloads of Agricultural and Live Stock Exhibits to the Cotton Palace Exposition

For this year's Fair, and have granted Special Railroad Rates to you to attend

Realizing that the Texas Cotton Palace Exposition would be the only big Fair to be held in Texas this year, the Government has centered all its exhibits in Waco on the Cotton Palace grounds in the many buildings.

"A Win the War Exhibition from Start to Finish."

The Government has also sent to Waco 14 car loads of Allied War Exhibits, taken from the battle fields of France, Italy, England and the United States.

Free Vaudeville and Plenty of Entertainment.

## WACO

NOV. 29 - 7 - 1918



**Leather and All-Leather**  
Shoes for only \$2.65.  
**THE RACKET STORE**

Review and The Semi-  
Farm News for \$1.75.

**Notice**

I mean to leave Cross Plains  
Texas by the 21st of this month  
I ask that all who have ac-  
cused me please see me be-  
fore that date. I will say here that  
my business relations with the mer-  
chants of Cross Plains have been  
very pleasant, as well as my associ-  
ation with all others. I appreciate  
everything that any of you have  
ever done to make our stay among  
you pleasant.

Sincerely yours,  
D. M. Strickland.

Dear Mr. who is attending school  
at Greenwood visited his parents  
on Sunday.

**Good Coffee**

For Trades Day only 7 lbs  
for \$1.00  
The Wilson Produce Co.

**A. J. BERRY DEAD**

(Left out last week.)

A. J. Berry, aged 60, died at  
Ranger on Monday Oct. 7, and was  
buried at Pioneer on Tuesday, Rev.  
S. A. Rogers conducting the ser-  
vices. He died from heart trouble  
after a brief illness. He had lived  
in the Pioneer country a good part  
of the time where he was well  
known. He leaves a wife and sev-  
eral children, among whom are Mrs.  
Albert Jones, Mrs. Bertha Hale,  
Mrs. S. E. McGowan, and sons  
Ben, and Sam Berry, to whom we  
offer our sympathy.

J. H. Shackelford went to Cisco  
Monday, returning Tuesday.

**School Closed**

The public school is closed on  
account of the influenza situation.  
The Methodists have dismissed all  
services during the present  
epidemic. It is the Review's  
opinion that the same thing  
should be done at all churches.  
No gatherings should be held  
until health conditions are better.

The Review carries in stock carbon  
paper, notes, deeds, mortgages, re-  
ceipt books etc. Also note paper and  
envelopes in bulk.

**Star Brand All-Leather**  
Work Shoes for only \$2.65.  
**THE RACKET STORE.**

We are paying for Cream this  
week per pound 54c.  
NEEB & SIPES.

Lost, 30x3 plain Firestone casing  
Finder Please return to B. L. Boyd-  
stun and receive reward.

Pay Your Review Ahead

Came Here From Cross Plains

Mrs. J. W. Westerman and Mrs. J.  
G. Aiken of Cross Plains motored  
to this city Saturday to visit Mrs.  
Paul W. Lane, who is Mrs. Aiken's  
sister. They had made a trip to  
Camp Bowie to visit Mrs. Aiken's  
son and decided to extend the visit  
as far as this city and they received  
a very hearty welcome.—Cleburne  
Enterprise.

Review and daily special price.

**Seed Wheat**

Another car of seed wheat to  
be here in a few days. Let me  
know how much you want and I  
will notify you when it comes.

I. B. Cupp,  
Emergency Demonstration Agent,  
Baird Texas.

New first class Sewing Machine  
for sale or trade. See  
Jim Lawrence at  
The City Drug

**GIN DAYS SET**

after October 12, we will gin only  
on the four last days of the week  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and  
Saturday of each week.

The Farmers Union Gin  
The Cross Plains Gin Co.

**At Sabanno**

There will be preaching service in  
the Sabanno Presbyterian Church  
next Sunday morning and evening.  
Visitors are gladly welcomed to  
these services.

J. W. Howell, pastor.

**To Trade**

New Automobile to trade for cattle.  
New Sewing Machine, to trade for Cow,  
Mule to trade for cow or pony  
Typewriter to trade for cow

If you think cattle are high, please don't  
take up my time, ship them then you will  
know.

**C. S. BOYLES**

**SEED WHEAT.**

Another car of seed wheat to be  
here in a few days. Let me know  
how much you want and I will notify  
you when it comes.—I. B. Cupp,  
Emergency Demonstration Agent,  
Baird, Texas

**INSURE YOUR COTTON**

Cotton is worth from  
thirty to thirty-five cents  
per pound, so why not let  
us insure it for you? We  
will write your insurance  
one bale or any number.  
L. P. Henslee.

Remember now to club your  
daily and semi-weekly papers  
with the Review. We are going  
to be compelled to raise subscrip-  
tion and if our readers will watch  
the Review may still cost less  
than one dollar.

**WE BUY  
OLD FALSE TEETH**

We will pay up to \$21.50 per set (used  
or not). Send now. Cash sent by  
mail. Package held 10 to 15 days  
subject to sender's approval of our offer. High  
prices paid for OLD GOLD JEWELRY,  
GOLD CROWNS, BRIDGES, PLAT-  
NUM AND SILVER.  
United States Smelting Works, Inc.,  
1017 Goldsmith Bldg., Opp. Post Office,  
Milwaukee, Wis.

**Pay Ahead**

You can pay your subscrip-  
tion 3 years in advance at one  
dollar the year. After No-  
vember 1 the price will be  
\$1.50. If you are behind with  
the Review you will have to  
pay up or be cut off, according  
to Government orders.

**Knit Caps**

In all colors and styles from 25c  
The Racket Store.

**Cotton Ginned**

There were 420 bales of cotton  
ginned in Callahan County prior to  
Sept. 25 as compared to 2145  
same date in 1917.  
Samuel E. Webb, Agent.

Mrs. L. E. Davany of Santa Ana  
has sent a dollar bill to the Review  
subscription to the Review to keep  
her posted mostly on the welfare  
of her son, R. H. Davany, super-  
intendent of the school here. She  
states that the Review might give  
her news of him and the school  
that he would not give. Also she  
says she likes to help such ins-  
titutions.

M. L. Jones of Dressy on Satur-  
day paid his Review more than a  
year ahead in order to get it at a  
dollar. He is an old-timer with the  
paper and usually gets it for 25  
cents in a club with the Telegram.

Uncle Jack Robbins last week  
ordered the Review to be sent to  
son Wakefield a. Alma. N. W.  
Wakefield had sent the money.

W. A. McGowan last week told  
Review ahead in order to prevent  
the raise in the price of the paper.

A. E. Holden of Sabanno, who  
is running a wood saw here, has  
placed his Review ahead for a  
dollar in cash.

J. A. J. Sawyer, pioneer of the  
Peak country west of town, has  
paid his Review into 1919; that is,  
J. L. Haley of Atwell has the  
banner on the Review subscription  
so far, last week paying his subscrip-  
tion to June, 1920. He did no  
he was far ahead, either.

Lewis P. Litzinger, who is  
the principal owner of the Al-  
well to be put down east of town,  
has had the Review sent to his  
address at Butler, Pa. Expects to be  
posted on the oil development here.

Ed Boden has sent the Review  
six months to his sister Mrs. M.  
Kellar of Waco.

W. H. Kitz has taken the Review  
for six months.

Mrs. G. A. Swafford has sent  
ed in Review and Farm & Home

**THE CROSS**

[CROSS PLAINS,

**A Bank Account  
Is the Best  
Insurance Policy**

Don't have to wait till you die until you get the  
money.  
You are waiting for you at any time you need it—and  
sometimes you need it mighty quick.

Start an Account and insure yourself and your family  
from the unexpected.  
You will find at our bank that Courteous attention is  
given to the small depositor quite as freely as to the  
large one.

**Farmers National Bank**

**GERMANS ALONE**

This week signed an  
armistice that puts her out of the  
war for all. Turkey has been  
an armistice for several  
Bulgaria for a month, and  
any is alone against the  
world. It is a matter of im-  
portance for Germany to do more  
than a defensive fight for a  
month. She may elect to follow  
the peace, expecting to get better  
terms. However, from what  
we believe that she will use  
force enough to throw herself  
into a defensive fight, but we  
are getting near, but we  
are not up one iota in fighting  
armistice is signed that  
teacherous Hun out of the  
war. He is taken care of there  
is work to do in Europe  
war will be completed.

**GERMAN BOOTY**

As yet the Germans have not  
surrendered, but they are getting in  
bad condition. A good deal of Ger-  
man booty has reached this country  
but the first to arrive at Cross  
Plains was a German helmet sent  
by Randolph Roberson to his father  
here. The helmet is made out of  
steel and is supposed to be proof  
against ordinary bullets. It is a cum-  
bersome, inconvenient piece of head-  
gear that we would not like to wear,  
but its use in action on the Western  
front might be much to be wished.  
It is the first helmet of German origin  
that the most of us have ever seen.

**THE AUXILIARY PROGRAM**

To be rendered Nov. 11, 3 P. M.  
Leader, Mrs. Joe Baum.  
1 Facts about South America.  
Mrs. A. J. Mathis.  
2 Missionary Facts About South  
America.  
Mrs. Crow.  
3 Argentina Mrs. J. T. Gilbert.  
4 Brazil Mrs. L. P. Henslee.  
5 Chile Mrs. Joe Baum.  
6 South America friends.  
Miss Myrtle Atwood.  
7 Mexico today.  
Mrs. R. D. Carter.

**BOYS HOME**

Borden has bought the  
house on Avenue B  
for Bond, and will move  
there at an early date.

price on pure sugar  
for a few days.  
The Racket Store.



**NECA  
MEMERAS**

able to work, easy to  
carry, Seneca  
are all splendid  
matters—no matter  
to be a Scout at  
a Folding Scout at  
or a Folding Roll  
Seneca  
the second Indian any  
the Indian film, and  
every Indian special  
the Indian film, and  
every Indian of far-  
photography. Let us  
show you.

**CITY DRUG STORE**  
Retail Store

**COMMERCIAL CLUB**

**MONDAY NIGHT**

A cording to program, a goodly  
number of Cross Plains citizens met  
at the Wakefield & Rumph office  
on Monday night for the purpose  
of reorganizing the commercial club.  
Mr. Wakefield was named temporary  
chairman and J. M. Hembree sec-  
retary. A committee was appoint-  
ed to draft constitution and by-  
laws to report on Monday night  
next, at which time a permanent  
organization is to be effected. The  
attendance of absolutely everybody  
interested in the welfare of the coun-  
try, business man, retired farmer,  
farmer, teacher, clerk, et al, ad  
finitum, is requested. Many things  
the town needs can be threshed out  
here. A live commercial body can  
do a great deal to advertise us to  
the world, and just now prosp-cts  
are good for the town to be put  
on the map behind your town  
and comm-

The Review this week printed  
a lot of cards for Clark Graham.  
He is advertising as a contractor,  
banking a specialty of hauling oil  
well supplies. A new line of bus-  
ness for Cross Plains.

**We Go Over the Top**  
With This  
**DROUTH SALE**

on many articles in our dry goods department. Cotton flannel, dress suitings, blankets,  
ladies shoes, men's underwear, men's work shoes. The prices apply for two days only,  
**SATURDAY & TRADES DAY**

Phone your neighbors about this Sale and be sure to come early, as we can't say how  
long these articles will last.

**35c Plaid Suitings for 25c**

Plaid suitings in assorted color  
plaids for children's nice dresses and  
school wear. Much better than gin-  
gham yet we can sell it to you much  
cheaper. Price for Saturday and  
Trades Day only per yard . . . . . 25c

**30c Canton flannel 22c**

A real good heavy weight Canton  
flannel heavy fleece and 30 inches  
wide.

Special price for Saturday and  
Trades Day only . . . . . 22 1/2c

**\$6.50 Ladies Long Coats \$5.00**

Ladies here is an opportunity to  
buy a long black winter coat made of  
broad cloth and an extra good \$6.50  
value. For Saturday and Trades day  
only. Price . . . . . \$5.00

**Two-Day Sale Cotton Blankets**

For Saturday and Trades Day only  
we offer quite a saving on cotton  
blankets; better take advantage of  
this offer

\$6.00 Woollnap plaid blanket \$5.35  
\$5.00 Grey woollnap blanket \$4.65  
\$4.75 Tan woollnap blanket \$4.35  
\$1.25 Blankets in collars tan  
and grey . . . . . \$1.10

**1.00 Mens Shirts & Drawers 88c**

Extra good, heavy, cotton ribbed  
shirts and drawers for men and boys.  
All sizes specially priced for Saturday  
and Trades Day at per garment 88c

**\$3.50 Ladies Shoes \$2.50**

About 20 pairs ladies gunmetal  
Shoes. A Splendid value too as  
long as they last for only . . . . . \$2.50

**\$3.50 Men's Work Shoes**

About 3 dozen dear men good work  
shoes in all sizes for Saturday and  
Trades day only, special price \$3.15

**\$4.00 Ladies Shoes \$3.00**

About 15 pairs ladies patent leather  
button shoes with low heels, all sizes,  
your choice of this lot . . . . . \$3.00

**\$5.00 Ladies Shoes \$3.50**

About 3 dozen pairs ladies dress  
shoes in both button and lace styles,  
both Cuban and Louis heels. Patent  
leather vamps and weld soles; as long  
as they last for only per pair . . . \$3.50

**25c Quilt Calicoes 15c**

Several pieces Quilt Calico in solid  
colors such as purple, green, blue and  
black and cheap at 25c per yard.  
For Saturday and trades day only,  
specially priced at per yard . . . . . 15c

**\$3.50 Men's Work Shoes 3.15**

About 3 dozen pairs Men's good  
work shoes in all regular sizes for  
Saturday and tradesday only, special  
price of . . . . . \$3.15

Better come early so you can be sure of getting what you want of these goods. There  
is not an article advertised above that we can buy for the prices asked. Phone you  
neighbors and be on hand early.

*Higginbotham Bros. & Co.*  
of Texas  
CAPITAL \$1,500,000.00