

HAS INCORPORATED

City Drug Store has Incorporated Under the Laws of the State with \$6000 Capital

The City Drug Store of Cross Plains has just incorporated for \$6,000.00 with Dr. S. P. Rumph as Pres., C. L. Baum Vice Pres. and Dodd Price General Manager. The business will continue at the old stand on 8th Street.

The town of Cross Plains is to be congratulated upon having this strong, progressive firm in the drug business. Dodd Price and C. L. Baum who have heretofore conducted the business, are very popular and very progressive business men, and with the addition of Dr. S. P. Rumph as Pres. of the firm as now organized, the company is made all the stronger. This firm's business has steadily increased since their moving to the new town, until the volume of their business now justifies and demands incorporation with the capitalization named above. The Review predicts for this firm even a better business than they have heretofore enjoyed.

Burkett Rumblings

With the exception of a few who are sick everybody is wearing a broad smile on their faces since the rain.

Velma, the little daughter of Will Roberts, while playing with their big dog fell and broke her arm. The child is doing well.

Mrs. Nobe Brown of the Burkett country is on the sick list this week. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones a girl. Mother and baby doing well.

Mr. Jones and family and Jim Webb returned from Baylor county Wednesday.

Barney Lindley, the Druggist of Burkett, returned Thursday from Austin, where he has been standing examination in order to become a registered druggist.

The Woodman marched to the cemetery Sunday for the purpose of unveiling the monument which stands over the grave of the late Henry Burkett. A short and heart touching speech by Jim Knight and a reading by Miss Ollie Livingston, with the different exercises of the Woodmen finished the programme of the evening. A goodly number attended.

"Hurrah for Cross Plains Trades Day," says Frank, "It is equal to the Dallas fair."

Cupid is still doing his work at Burkett. Dr. Mannering and Miss Jennie Watson were married Wednesday. They left to make their home at Stacy.

The Literary Society of this place is the excitement of the day.

Everybody has quit doing it. What? Knocking on Cross Plains. Mrs. Ove Wooten returned Friday from Oklahoma, where she has been visiting relatives.

There was a party at Jim Moore's Saturday night that was well attended. We were sorry to learn that Mr. Moore intends moving to Oklahoma.

It seems that Slim Jim is getting to be authority on scientific farming. They say that a man is a benefactor when he can make two blades of grass grow where one grew before. We imagine from our experience with paper farmers heretofore

We Especially Solicit The Accounts of Farmers

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J. E. SPENCER, V. Pres

VIRGIL HART, Cashier C. C. NEEB, Asst. Cashier

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Bring us your cotton checks, take check book and pay your bills by check, which gives you an undisputable receipt. We want your business and will appreciate it, "be it large or small."

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$30,000.00



EIGHT YEARS STEADY GROWTH

Cotton checks are being deposited by the Farmers this Fall, more than ever before. This shows that they are fast learning the advantages of a good accommodating Bank. We are glad to see this. We want every man in our territory to have a Bank account with us, and pay his obligations by check, which comes back to him as receipt for the account paid.

The FARMERS NATIONAL BANK

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PREPARED

We have prepared for the big Christmas Trade that is coming. Our big stock is beginning to arrive. There will be in it something to suit every man, woman, boy and girl—even the baby and you won't have to pay novelty prices, either.

The Racket Store.

Hillary Burnett Gives Self Up.

Spends Week in Vicinity of His Home at Grosvenor.

Sheriff M. H. Denman was a little surprised Monday when Hillary Burnett, who escaped jail a little more than a week ago, came into town and gave himself up and returned to jail to await the action of the grand jury in the charge filed against him for arson. Burnett says he had rather face trial on the charge than to spend his time hiding out from officers.—Bulliten.

Some of our readers may remember Hillary Burnett as being charged with the burning of the Grosvenor public school building.

Highest prices paid for 2nd hand furniture at the Cross Plains Furniture store. t f

To the Public.

We are pleased to announce that we are now incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas and are better prepared to serve you than ever before.

The business is under the same management and our facilities for handling the drug business is, we think, sufficient to meet all demands.

We hope to merit a portion of your business.

The City Drug Store

A NORTHER

A norther of rather unusual severity blew up just before day Wednesday morning. It was a fine thing on hogs that had just been killed.

Mrs. J. L. Lightfoot left Thursday for De Leon.

Many thanks to the people who contributed to the Orphan's box, which we sent this week to the Orphans Home for a Thanksgiving offering.

Sunbeam Band, Mrs. R. I. Lee, Pres.

Window glass, window glass, window glass. C. S. Boyles.

COTTON BRINGS GOOD PRICE

Calmity howlers who have lolled under their tongues as a sweet morsel the fact that we have elected a Democratic President, will have to close up. Cotton continues to sell high and, remarkable to relate, to advance in price. Cotton has been selling as high as 12:60 this week. The election of a President should not and does not necessarily enter into the making of the prices of our products. The law of supply and demand, with a little propelling of the helm from Wall Street, governs our markets.

Burnt Branch

A fine rain visited this section of the country on the night of the 21st reviving the hearts of our farmers, especially those interested in grain.

Varnell Chatham and his new made bride have moved to J. C. Teague's farm where they will reside the coming year. They are excellent young people, and we are glad to have them in our midst.

R. C. Hightower and wife, J. C. Teague, Miss Etta May Drury, Mrs. John Aiken and the Misses Lively visited school Friday afternoon.

We were engaged for about an hour in an arithmetic bee. Some of the older folks declared they had lost the lick with which fractions are done, but we noticed it soon came back to them.

W. D. Drury sold a bunch of cattle to E. A. Hunson first of last week.

Manton Warren was sick a few days last week and had to miss school.

Otis Odom and family now reside on W. P. Ramsey's farm. It seems that in each case where our community loses a good neighbor, another is ready to take his place.

Erre this reaches the readers of the Review, Thanksgiving Day will have come and gone, and many will have enjoyed the turkey so appropriate to the occasion. Why should not our community have made preparation to celebrate the day publicly? As to the writers opinion every community should commemorate that day in a befitting manner.

Rev. Price, county Baptist Missionary, preached at the church Sunday at eleven. A large crowd was present. Song service was conducted by Varnell Chatham.

We are looking for a norther any time.

Prevailing Westerly.

GRADING ROAD

Commissioner Aiken has begun Work of Graying of Road South of Town

Jack Aiken commissioner, as Supt. has begun work laying the sandy sketch of road about a mile south of town, along side of Ches Barr's farm. This is a much needed work a work that has been needed even since the new town was started. Let the good work go on. It is hoped that we can get all the roads around graded. With the completion of this stretch of work the road to Cross Cut will be in good condition.

How to Secure Rural Routes.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 25.—For the benefit of several of the communities throughout the state that are building and improving their highways the Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association has secured from the Post Master General at Washington information regarding the establishment of rural routes. The first requirement of the Federal Government is that the community desiring a rural route shall first have good roads.

A petition for rural delivery must be made on the forms furnished by the department. These are supplied on application to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, (Division of Rural Mails.) Request for two or more routes should not be included in one petition, a separate petition for each route being required. A petition for a route 24 miles or more in length giving six times a week service must be signed by at least 100 heads of families and for a shorter route by a proportionate number.

When a petition for a rural mail service is filed and accepted it is referred for investigation by a post office inspector who visits the locality and rides over the proposed route, preparing a sketch showing the general condition of the country and population.

His report is transmitted to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General (Division of Rural Mails) such action taken as the facts and circumstances warrant.

Persons desiring the benefits of service on a rural delivery route are required to furnish at their own cost boxes for the reception of mail to be delivered or collected by the carrier. More than one family but not more than five families may use the same box, provided written notice of such agreement be filed with the postmaster at the initial post office. Each box must be erected by the roadside so that the carrier can easily have access to it without dismounting from his vehicle.

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Battleship at Galveston.

Galveston, Tex. Nov. 24.—Four of Uncle Sam's best sea fighters, the Louisiana, Kansas, Hampshire and Vermont will be seen in Galveston during battleship week between December 6th and 10th.

The Tacoma an enormous armored cruiser of 3,200 tons carrying a complement of 25 guns 10 of which are over four inch, will also be in harbor that week.

WHEN you are buying Jewelry it isn't so much the price but the Quality that you want. We do not buy jewelry that cannot be guaranteed--so you may rest assured when buying jewelry of us it is strictly guaranteed. The holidays are most here and if you are going to Christmas gift jewelry be sure to see our selection.

THE CITY DRUG STORE

Local

W. W. Head Sr. and Jr. were here Monday.

See or write us for Abstracts of Title.—Jackson & Jackson, Baird, Texas.

Mrs. Albert Clement and children of Putman are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilbert.

Plenty of money to loan on land at 8 per cent interest.—Cross Plains Development Company.

NOT ONLY

A big stock of Holiday Goods but plenty of bargains in every day needs is ready for you at The Racket Store.

For Sale—I will sell at a bargain one Cretors peanut and popcorn parcher, the very best make of machine. In good condition. No time to run the machine or place to store it reason for selling. See Rube Lee.

The Ladies Aid is at work getting up a temperance play to be put in December for the benefit of the church.

Baled oats for sale: I have 250 bales of oats in good condition will sell in any size quantities.

Tom Greenwood, Cross Cutt

CYCLONE SALE is a wonder—the prices are low. Carter & Kenady

Quilt cotton at Cross Plains Fur Store.

Henry Wooten sold 14 bales of cotton here Monday, getting 12.60 around.

For sale or trade at a bargain a 2nd hand organ. Cross Plains Fur Store.

Jeff Clark and family spent Sunday with home folks at Cross Cut. Mrs. and Misses Stanley Gray and Horrell have returned giving up for the hunt they had

Take advantage of the Cyclone Sale which will close December 4th. Carter & Kenady.

424 acres of land, near Cross Plains, part sand and part prairie, in two tracts. Will cut to suit purchaser. Will consider good trade of any kind.—Box, 235, Cross Plains, Texas.

Eldon Boydssun who took the initiative work of getting the busi houses to close for Thanksgiving, gave as his personal reason for wanting a holiday the fact that he wanted to go bird or deer (dear) hunting.

ALWAYS GROWING

Our business keeps growing. Prices and satisfactory methods tell their own story. Lots of bargains in every department now ready for you. The Racket Store.

Undertaking goods at Cross Plains Fur Store.

Cyclone Sale closes December 4th. Carter & Kenady.

C. L. Gunn returned to his home at Baird Sunday, accompanied by Gene Melton.

A MESSAGE

North Pole, November 27, 1912. To the children of Cross Plains and vicinity: Am leaving here this morning bound for the Racket Store with a big pack of Holiday Goods. Santa Claus.

S. W. Arrowood and son Bud and S. R. Cade returned Sunday from a month hunting trip through Bandera, Brewster and Edwards counties, reporting hunters limit for deer killed. They had not heard a word from Cross Plains since leaving save a short write up in the Dallas News, and were therefore hungry for news of home.

When you want good furniture for less money go to Cross Plains Fur Store.

Mrs. J. T. Gilbert left Sunday for Woodson being called there on account of illness of her son Vick. He is reported to be better at this writing.

Richard Bros. Show gave an exhibition here last Friday night. Some may have been slightly inclined to criticize their rendition of their work, but as for us we were pleased to witness it. No doubt one could see better shows for the same price at Dallas or Houston, but the beauty about these monkey and pony shows is they are delivered at your door, and we accept them. Unfortunately they left one of their trained dogs, and one of their men has spent several days here scouring the country looking for it.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—According to a report recently issued by the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, stock raising is among the chief resources of Texas. The total number of livestock in that state on January 1, 1912 was 12,679,000 valued at \$304,833,000. The rapid development of this industry may be attributed to various causes, chiefly among which are the greatly increased feeding resources, resulting from extensive irrigation in various parts of the state and the successful work of the veterinary authorities in checking diseases to which livestock is subject.

Sabanna Notes

Well, here I come with some news from Sabanna. Previous to this there was no space for us in the "Review" but from now we intend to be there just as loud as a ny one.

School opened up Monday with thirty three scholars. It was to have begun on the 11th but, on account of some who were not through picking cotton, was postponed until the 18th.

Miss Fannie Erwin of this place left Saturday for Ballard, where she will teach school this year.

Rev. W. E. Green returned home for a short stay Tuesday. Bro. Green is Presbyterian pastor Evangelist of this district.

Miss Maude Erwin of Pioneer was visiting relatives and friends here last week.

As this is my first time we will not tell all the news, besides we do not want to take up the whole Review.

Pickup,

NOTICE: All trespassing in the way of gathering pecans, hunting birds, fishing, etc., is strictly forbidden on all lands belonging to us. All previous permits are hereby revoked.

Young Bros., By W. D. Young

Young Women

Read what Cardui did for Miss Myria Engler, of Faribault, Minn. She says: "Let me tell you how much good Cardui has done me. As a young girl, I always had to suffer so much with all kind of pain. Sometimes, I was so weak that I could hardly stand on my feet. I got a bottle of Cardui, at the drug store, and as soon as I had taken a few doses, I began to feel better. Today, I feel as well as anyone can."

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Are you a woman? Then you are subject to a large number of troubles and irregularities, peculiar to women, which, in time, often lead to more serious trouble.

A tonic is needed to help you over the hard places, to relieve weakness, headache, and other unnecessary pains, the signs of weak nerves and over-work.

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You will never regret it, for it will certainly help you. Ask your druggist about it. He knows. He sells it.

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To Peanut Growers:

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We sell window glass and putty C. S. Boyles.

Pianos on term to suit you Cross Plains Fur Store.

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Lodge Directory

Masonic Lodge No 627



of Cross Plains, meets on or before full-moon in each month at Masonic

over Bank of Cross Plains.



Meets on Saturday night before 2 & 4 Sun. at I. O. O. F. Hall, Cross

Plains, Tex

M. C. Baum, Clerk.



W. O. W. Camp No. 778.

Meets every Saturday night before the first and third Sundays, at W. O. W. Hall, south Cross Plains, Tex.

E. T. Bond, Clerk.



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

Meets every Friday night at 8:30 at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Drew I. Hill, Sec.

M. F. Church, South.

Preaching each First and Second Sundays at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School each Sunday at 10 A. M. Geo. Carter Supt.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

Women's Home Mission Society meets in church each Thursday 3:30 P. M. after first and third Sunday. You are cordially invited to attend any and all the church services.

A. Lee Boyd, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Presbyterian church, preaching on 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Regular session meeting, Friday, 3 p. m. George A. Crane, Pastor.

Baptist Church.

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

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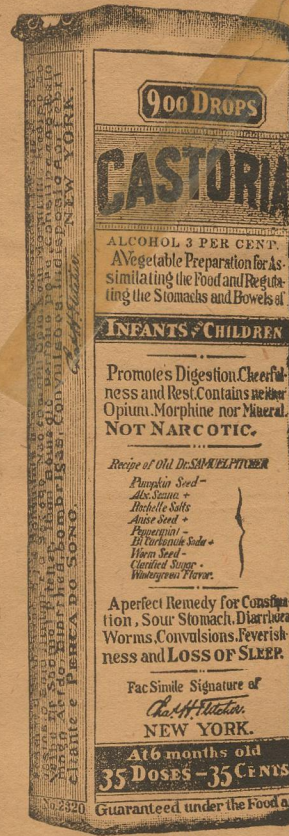
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THE CITY DRUG STORE.

THE CROSS PLAINS REVIEW

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One Dollar a Year. Strictly Cash in advance.

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FOUR ISSUES CONSTITUTE A MONTH

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

A Christian Church has been organized at May with 22 members.

Brownwood is soon to have in operation the 6th rural route. Cross Plains will probably in the distant future have her second.

Turkeys and cranberries have paid their tribute to our National Holiday instituted by our Pilgrim fathers.

Nature steps in and presents us with a little fortune now and then from our native pecan trees—hands it over to you without any effort.

Those who for any reason might think lightly of our town might consider the fact that come here when you will the sound of the hammer remains here still.

We are soon to begin a serial story, entitled "Molly McDonald," by Raadall Parrish. If you care for a thrilling story of the first days in the West after the war, be sure to read this story.

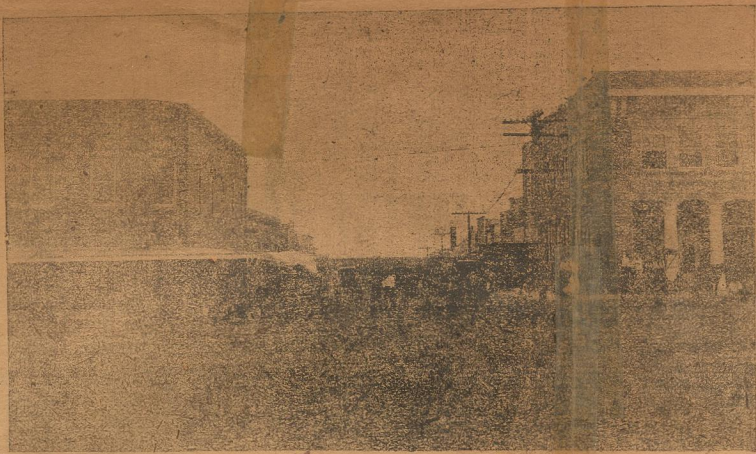
Brownwood and Gainsville have tied for the \$500 prize offered for the cleanest towns by Hollands Magazine. Wonder how Cross Plains would have come out if she had have entered the contest?

A jury of Kansas women have tried one of their own sex on a charge of misappropriating Plymouth Rock chickens, the controversy might have been over a barette or something similar.

If you want an all-around country come to Cross Plains country. You can find land suitable for the growing of any crop that can grow in this climate, anything that is grown in the temperate belt. Nearly all the cereals, corn, cotton, and then anything in the truck line. There is nothing too good for our country.

The American Civic Association has gone on record as favoring for a slogan for annihilating the fly, "Swat the fly" rather than the old one, "Swat the fly." No doubt they are right—go back to the fly the origin of the pest. Keep the stables and premises clean and the flies will have no place to breed. Verily, cleanliness in this case is abin to godliness.

There will probably be a move in the next legislature to establish a Good Roads Department in this state. There is nothing of greater importance than good country road.



EIGHTH STREET LOOKING WEST, CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

They make people better, more energetic, more enlightened and better Christians, better citizens. It is hard for any man or women to travel some of our roads in bad weather without falling from grace, Baptists and Presbyterians excepted, of course.—Star.

Sells Interst.

Bow Baum has sold his interest in the Crystal Cafe to his partner, Tom Henson. Mr. and Mrs. Mit Johnson are now interested with Mr. Henson in the running of the Cafe. Mr. Baum is contemplating a sojourn in New Mexico.

They come from across "Divide" to buy furniture from Cross Plains Fur Store.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Electric Bitters

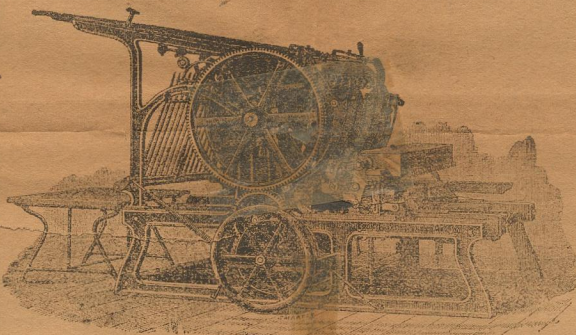
Made A New Man Of Him.
"I was suffering from pain in my stomach, head and back," writes H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., "and my liver and kidneys did not work right, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man."
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GULF COAST RESORTS
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Texas Cereals, 16 pages	5 cents
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Texas Minerals, 16 pages	5 cents
Door of Opportunity, 16 pages	5 cents



View of the Press Which the Review is Printed on

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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25 CENTS PER BOTTLE AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

Miss Zora Carter has gone to Oriana, Stonewall county, where she will teach in the public school.

Have you been to the Cyclone Sale? The prices are low.
Carter & Kenady.

Stanley Gray, who has been on a trip to Brownwood, has returned to his home at Cross Cut, and was in Cross Plains Monday.

Virgil Hart has received his law library, it being shipped from Mincola, his former home. Mr. Hart is a licensed lawyer of several years experience, and we are fortunate to have him and his valuable library in town.

NOTICE—All of patrons of the Cross Plains water works are hereby notified that after the month of November they will be required to pay their water rent by the 10th of each month, at the Bank of Cross Plains where they will be properly receipted. If you do not pay up by that date your water will be discontinued on the 11th and the usual price of \$1.00 will be charged for getting back into service.
Cross Plains Water Works.

M. J. Manning has returned from an extended trip to the Vernon country. He reports fine crops.

Did it ever occur to you that the price is right at the Cyclone Sale?—Carter & Kenady.

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THE CITY DRUG

TO PEANUT BROWERS

The following on hogs and peanuts should have some weight, coming from H. L. Poe, of Eastland county, far-famed as a hog raiser. This is taken from his speech before the Swine Breeders Association.

In discussing the subject I know no better method than to give a little of my actual experience, as my farm consists of sandy land.

I usually plant 25 or 30 acres of peanuts, dividing this into three plantings, with each plot of land fenced hog-proof separate. The first planting should be planted about April the first, the second planting about May the first, the remainder June the first. The April peanuts are ready to turn the shoats on by August 15th. Provide the shoats with plenty of pure, clear water and let them have free access to all the hardwood ashes and salt they will eat daily. Then take notice how those shoats are growing and fattening. When I see the shoats are having to rustle for peanuts, I turn them on the May planting, turning my brood sows on the plot of land my shoats have been running on; with what scattering peanuts they find and vines they consume they keep in good breeding shape. Never turn a brood sow on a fresh peanut field; they will get so fat they will become almost worthless as a breeder.

An acre of peanuts should feed 10 head of hogs for 30 days or more when the hogs will weigh around 200 pounds; the hogs doing the harvesting.

The peanuts enrich the soil in which they grow, the same as alfalfa, clover and cowpeas. Millions of dollars are spent annually by our farmers for pork products, when the thinnest, cheapest sandy land in this state will produce \$50 worth of an acre a year, the hogs doing the harvesting. Like the cowpea, the peanut seems to be especially adapted to the sandy soil and the climate of Texas; they prefer the peanuts to any other feed, both in pens and pastures.

After a run of six weeks or two months on peanuts the shoats are ready to exhibit at fairs, to market or to ship out as breeders, and you will always have a pleased customer. Why? Because the hog have been eating a feed that gives them size and muscle, the skin is smooth and they had been oiled by the exercise they get in their pen. I keeps them well up on their feet. I am sometimes asked the question if these peanut shoats are not too fat for breeders. We rarely ever injure a hog under a year old from getting him too fat, if he has plenty of exercise. Feeding and breeding go together; you must develop a hog to the highest degree in order to bring out the best characteristics in him.

Peanuts will carry pigs safely through from infancy and develop them into strong healthy individuals suitable for breeding purposes and suitable for market.

Peanut-fed pork has a more delicious flavor than that produced by any other feed; the highest priced ham in the United States is the Smithfield ham of Virginia and it's flavor is secured by using peanuts as a part of the ration while the hogs are fattening.

The vines can be utilized to a good profit: they can be mowed for hay, or can be grazed off by milch cows and work stock. I prefer the latter method of making use of them as it adds greatly to the fertility of the soil.

As I am quite a distance from home I have a little secret I can afford to tell you. It is how I beat the assessor with peanut hogs in a long proposition. The hog with a size combined with early maturity is the assessor's assessor is a market a 300 pound

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Tommy Greenwood of Cross Cut was in town Tuesday.

Save money by buying your furniture from Cross Plains Fur. Store. We undersell all others.

Sam Barr was last week in the whole sale sock business.

Dont fail to bring your old clothes and have them made to look new. T. W. Tart. The Tailor.

T. A. Copinger of Cottonwood was in town Saturday. In conversation with us on the merits of the Review Mr. Copinger remarked that to say nothing of its value as a news dispenser it was worth more than the price of subscription in the way of saving its readers money by apprising them of bargains the business men advertise.

Let Jackson & Jackson figure on your Abstract work.

The youth who was smoking a cigarette opposite the monkey's cage took another from his pocket "Would it do any harm," he asked, "if I offered him one of these?" "Not a bit," responded the attendant, "he would not touch it. A monkey isn't half a big a fool as he looks."—Credit Lost.

In order that our force might fittingly celebrate Thanksgiving we go to press this week on Wednesday.

Gray Powell and Earl Hays left Wednesday afternoon for Baird, from which place Gray means to go to Dallas for a few days trip and Earl to Abilene and Clyde to visit friends and relatives.

Cicero Ray has been taking a lay off from his work with the Texas Central, making a trip in the meantime to Waco.

Eldon Boydston left Tuesday morning for Dallas by way of De Leon and Baird to return Friday.

Arch Mc Callister of Rising Star representing the Nissley Creamery Co. was in town Tuesday.

J. E. Walker has sold six head of young Jersey stock and bought six head of good Jersey cows from Arch Mc Callister of the Star.

Dressy Notes

Well we are not feeling so gay as at our last report.

When one follows old Beck over the plowed ground all day, they can sleep, if they are not too awfully tired.

The light rain that fell last week has saved the wheat and oats that were up from drying and will bring up that, that hasn't come, but will not hold it long if it don't rain again.

I told you we would all come Trades Day, Weren't we there?

It seems that Slim Jim is greatly surprised at any one's writing for the Review from Dressy.

Why not a Mushroom spring up at Dressy as well as a Polk stalk at Caddo Peak? Well, it must be in visible Mushroom for some that are all around every day are wondering where it stands, as well as Slim Jim.

We noticed in last weeks paper a list of the business houses that will close on Thanksgiving, nearly every thing in town.

Health is fine, never was better. George Baum visited relatives and friends on the Bayou Sunday.

J. E. Martaia and family visited J. R. Wilford at Dressy.

Jim Taylor, wife and Floid Upton are visiting at Rising Star and Okra in Eastland county.

Dressy has a fine lot of school desks just recieved last week. We are almost up with Cross Plains all we like is the house. We are up with them in faculty as we have a par excellence.

I fear that we will not be old Beck and Cate quit and go to bed. Reporter.

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